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Curriculum Vitae

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Education

State University of New York- Binghamton	1984-1990	Ph.D. Sociology	1/1991
State University of New York- Binghamton	1982-1984	M.A., Sociology	6/1984
Princeton University	1978-1982	B.A. History	6/1982

Major Interests

Comparative Historical Sociology, Economy and Society, Sociology of Latin America and the Caribbean, Race and Ethnicity in Latin America

Books

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