# **Curriculum Vitae**

# Valerio Di Fonzo

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#### **EDUCATION**

<b>Ph.D.</b> Anthropology University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM. USA	in Progress
M.P.A. Master's degree in Public Administration	2014
University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM. USA	
Laurea Magistrale (dual Bachelor and Master Degree)	2011
In International Relations and Diplomatic Affairs	
University of Bologna, Bologna. ITALY	
Thesis: The Liberation Theology in Latin America: from the word of God to the	Christian
Revolution. Chair: Dr. Loris Zanatta	

#### ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

2017 - Graduate Fellow, Center for Southwest Research and Special Collections, UNM
2015 - Teaching Assistant, UNM Department of Anthropology
2016 - 2017 Teaching Assistant, UNM Department of Sociology
2015 - 2016 Research Assistant, UNM Center for Participatory Research

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Graduate Assistant - Department of Anthropology, University of New Mexico Spring 2021 - Settler Colonialism in the 21st Century: Palestine ANTH 340/530 Fall 2020 - Indigenous Peoples of South America ANTH 332/532. Spring 2020 - Environmental Conflicts: Anthropological Perspectives ANTH 340 Fall 2019 - Principles of Cultural Anthropology ANTH 330 Spring 2019 - Indigenous Peoples of South America ANTH 332/532 Fall 2018 - Indigenous Peoples of South America ANTH 332/532 Spring 2018 - Principles of Cultural Anthropology ANTH 330. Fall 2017 - Cultures of the World ANTH 130 Spring 2017 - Cultures of the World ANTH 130 Spring 2016 - Cultures of the World ANTH 130. Fall 2015 - Cultural Anthropology ANTH 330

#### Graduate Assistant - Department of Sociology, University of New Mexico

Spring 2017 Introduction to Social Theory SOC371
Spring 2017 - Inequality and Power SOC415
Fall 2016 - Collective Behavior & Social Movements SOC331
Fall 2016 - Introduction to Research Methods in Sociology SOC380.

### **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

(2021-) Research Assistant – UNM, Center for the Southwest Research and Special Collections: preserve, organize, arrange and describe original archival audio materials and transcripts for the Doris Duke Native Oral History Revitalization Project

(2017-2019) Preliminary Ethnographic Fieldwork in Peru, Summer 2017, 2018, and 2019

(2017-2019) Research Assistant – UNM, Center for the Southwest Research and Special Collections: evaluate, arrange, and describe research reports, environmental studies, litigation documents, background materials, and publicity.

(2015-2016) Research Assistant - Family Listening/Circle Project, Center for Participatory Research, at UNM: intergenerational (child/ parent/elder) family prevention program codesigned and put into practice by a partnership between the Center for Participatory Research and three New Mexico tribes, with tribal community members as creators and facilitators of the program.

# SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS, GRANTS

Basehart Broilo Ethnology Scholarship	May 2020
University of New Mexico, Department of Anthropology	
Center for Southwest Research Fellowship	Aug 2019
University of New Mexico, Center for Southwest Research and Special Collections	
Center for Southwest Research Fellowship	Aug 2018
University of New Mexico, Center for Southwest Research and Special Collections	-
Center for Southwest Research Fellowship	Aug 2017
University of New Mexico, Center for Southwest Research and Special Collections	-
Rogers Research Award	May 2018
Graduate Studies, University of New Mexico	-
Field Research Grant	May 2018
Latin American & Iberian Institute and Thinker Foundation, University of New Mexic	20
Karl H. Schwerin Graduate Fellowship in Ethnology	June 2017
University of New Mexico, Department of Anthropology	
Field Research Grant	May 2017
Latin American & Iberian Institute and Thinker Foundation, University of New Mexic	20
Rogers Research Award	May 2017
Graduate Studies, University of New Mexico	-
Amigo Scholarship Aug 2012	– Dec 2014
University of New Mexico	

# **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

Daniel Schavelzon and the Development of Historical Archeology in Argentina Historical Society of New Mexico Annual Conference	March 2019
Beyond a Good Green Chile Burrito': From Sam Hitt's Forest Guardians Archive Environmental History and Culture of New Mexico 22nd Annual Anthropology Graduate Student Union Conference, UNM	to the May 2018
Sam Hitt's Forest Guardians: Environmental History and Culture in the Southwes Historical Society of New Mexico Annual Conference	st April 2018
LANGUAGES	
Italian – Native	
English – Fluent	
Spanish – Fluent	
Language Certificate	May 2011
CELAC, Center of English Language and American Culture	
The University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM	
Diploma of Spanish as Second Language	Feb 2010
Issued by Cervantes Institute, Madrid, Spain	
PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS	
American Anthropological Association	
American Ethnological Society	
Society for Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology	
Society for the Anthropology of Religion	