

# KRISTIN VANEYK

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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Language ideology, multilingual writers, race and composition studies, composition theory and pedagogy, first year writer development

## EDUCATION

### Expected 2020

#### Ph.D. in English And Education

University of Michigan - Ann Arbor | Ann Arbor, MI

Program Co-Chairs: Anne Ruggles Gere, Professor of Education; Anne Curzan, Professor of English

### 2012

#### M. Ed. in Educational Leadership

Calvin College | Grand Rapids, MI

Advisor: Albert Boerema, Professor of Education

### 2006

#### B.A. in English And Education

Calvin College | Grand Rapids, MI

Advisor: Elizabeth Vander Lei, Academic Dean and Professor of English

- Minor: English as a Second Language

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### Sep 2016 - Apr 2017

#### Graduate Student Instructor

University of Michigan  
Ann Arbor, Michigan

- Taught sections of English 125 (first year writing) themed around justice, education, and language
- Advised and mentored first year students
- Networked with other English 125 instructors to share resources and develop writing projects
- Taught AP Literature and Composition, intermediate and advanced composition, creative writing, modern nonfiction, British and American literature survey courses, and media studies
- Taught short elective courses about health, fitness, and responsible ecological living

### Aug 2006 - Jun 2016

#### 9-12 English Teacher

Grand Rapids Christian High  
School  
Grand Rapids, MI

- Created a modern nonfiction course and proposed/implemented the AP Language and Literature course beginning in 2014
- Collaborated with a team of teachers to revise the 9-12 ELA curriculum
- Collaborated with middle school ELA teachers to develop the writing program for grades 6-12
- Served on a curriculum committee to align our programming with state and national benchmarks and standards
- Served as a teacher-mentor for student small groups
- Served on school improvement teams
- Advised the student newspaper
- Started and coached the girls lacrosse team, developing the program into successful elementary, middle school, and high school JV and Varsity teams over several years

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

### Summer 2018

#### **Graduate Student Research Assistant, University of Michigan**

#### **Assistant for Dr. Anne Curzan, Professor of English**

- Conducted research for Anne Curzan's Michigan Public Radio program, "That's What They Say" and delivered notes and a monthly research report
- Reviewed chapters of Anne Curzan's forthcoming book and provided feedback on style, content, organization
- Created slides for Anne Curzan's public talks

### 2017-2018

#### **Graduate Student Research Assistant, University of Michigan**

#### **Assistant for Dr. Anne Curzan, Professor of English**

- Read all available copies of *The Style Guide of the New York Times* to trace and categorize changes to the content, organization, and intentions of the collected books, generating content for scholarly articles and public humanities talks
- Conducted research for Anne Curzan's Michigan Public Radio program, "That's What They Say" and delivered notes and a monthly research report
- Reviewed chapters of Anne Curzan's forthcoming book and provided feedback on style, content, organization
- Created slides for Anne Curzan's public talks
- Maintained and updated Anne Curzan's website

### Summer 2017

#### **Summer Research Assistant, University of Michigan**

#### **Assistant for Dr. Megan Sweeney, Professor of English**

- Moved First Year Writing resources from a retiring digital learning platform (C-Tools) to the university's new system (Canvas)

- Reviewed Megan Sweeney's writing, providing feedback on content, style, and organization

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

"Listening to Lost Voices: Humanizing Ethnographic Methods." MLA International Symposium. Lisbon, Portugal. July 2019.

"Translingual Pedagogy and Student-Instructor Negotiated Projects." Watson Conference. Louisville, KY. October 2018.

"Decolonizing Writing Studies Rhetoric: 50 Years of (De)coloniality in *RTE*, 1967-2017." CCCC Annual Convention. Kansas City, MO. March 2018.

"Feeling Some Kind of Way: Deepening Considerations of Translingual Differencing." Annual Convention of the Midwest Modern Language Association. Cincinnati, OH. November 2017.

"Students Reclaim Their Voices: Using Student-Directed Choice to Reclaim Linguistic Agency." CCCC Summer Conference. University of Cincinnati, Clermont College, OH. June 2017.

"Cultivating a Peer Review Culture that Engages in Productive Conflict." GSCO Graduate Student Conference: The Stories We Tell, University of Michigan. 10 March 2017.

## PUBLICATIONS

Lovett, Sara and **Kristin vanEyk** (Under Review, April 2019). "Challenges and Possibilities of Applying Translingualism: Students Weigh in on Code-Meshing, Race and Power."

**vanEyk, Kristin** (Under Review, May 2019). "Cultural Bindings: The Need for an Intersectional Approach in the Translingual Project."

**vanEyk, Kristin** (Under Review, May 2019). "Using Coversheets to Move Writers Beyond Editing into Real Revision."

**vanEyk, Kristin** (In Progress, May 2019, with Anne Curzan). "The Politics of Prescriptivism: Two Style Manuals, One Century."

**vanEyk, Kristin** (In Progress, May 2019). "Using Disability Frameworks to Forward Justice in Translingual Theory."

## CONFERENCE REVIEWS

Review of "What We Teach When We Teach Digital Humanities: Curriculum and Experience," presented at the MLA Annual Convention, 2019.

<http://www.digitalrhetoriccollaborative.org/2019/02/06/mla-session-089-what-we-teach-when-we-teach-digital-humanities-curriculum-and-experience/>

Review of "Rhetorical Futures: Inventions and Ethics Through Social Media," presented at the Watson Conference, October 2018.

<http://www.digitalrhetoriccollaborative.org/2018/11/19/watson-session-a-6-rhetorical-futures-inventions-and-ethics-through-social-media/>

## INVITED TALKS AND PARTICIPATION

"Identity and Authority." English Department Writing Program Colloquium Series, University of Michigan. Fall 2018.

Bedford New Scholars Program, Boston, MA. June 2018.

## AWARDS

English Department Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Conference Travel Award, University of Michigan. 2019.

English Department Travel Grant, University of Michigan. 2017, 2018, 2019.

Rackham Conference Travel Grant, University of Michigan. 2017, 2018, 2019.

Rackham Graduate Student Research Grant (Candidacy), University of Michigan. 2019.

Rackham Graduate Student Research Grant (Pre-Candidacy), University of Michigan. 2018.

Ph.D. First-year English Department Summer Funding Award (for research), 2017.

Rackham Merit Fellowship, University of Michigan. 2016-2021.

## SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

### **Graduate Student Research Conference Committee (School of Education), University of Michigan. 2019.**

- Met with the conference committee during the 2018-2019 school year to develop a conference theme, a conference call, and to select and organize conference proposals.

### **"Chalk & Cheese" Series Leader. 2018-2019.**

- Organized and co-led weekly cohort lunch colloquium to support incoming and second-year English & Education Ph.D. cohorts in navigating the doctoral program, the university structures, and graduate student self-care.

### **LSA Diversity Committee, University of Michigan. 2018-2020.**

- Created, designed, and edited the English Department DEI Newsletter.
- Designed and implemented DEI-focused workshops, lecture series, and more for faculty, graduate students, and undergraduate students.
- Met monthly with the faculty/graduate student LSA DEI committee to support DEI work across the campus and in the College of LSA.

## SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

### **WPA Graduate Organization (WPA-GO): Antiracist Assessment Task Force. 2018-2019.**

- Met monthly to organize antiracist writing program materials for instructors and to write the WPA-GO position paper on antiracist writing and assessment.

### **MLA Conference Volunteer. 2019.**

#### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP**

Modern Language Association, since 2019.

National Council of Teachers of English, since 2006.

Conference on College Composition and Communication, since 2016.

Language and Rhetorical Studies, University of Michigan. 2016-2017.

#### **REFERENCES**

Dr. Anne Ruggles Gere

University of Michigan

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, English

Gertrude Buck Collegiate Professor

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President, Modern Language Association

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