

# CHARLES PATRICK KEITH

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## ACADEMIC POSITIONS AND EDUCATION

### **Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI**

Associate Professor, Southeast Asian History

2014 - Present

Assistant Professor, Southeast Asian History

2008 - 2014

### **Yale University, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, New Haven, CT**

Ph.D., History. Recipient of the Henry A. Turner Dissertation Prize

2008

M. Phil. Comprehensive exams passed with distinction

2004

### **Cornell University, College of Arts and Sciences, Ithaca, NY**

A.B., History, *magna cum laude*

1999

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## BOOKS

*Catholic Vietnam: A Church from Empire to Nation.* University of California Press, 2012.

*Công Giáo Việt Nam từ Đế Chế đến Quốc Gia.* Người Việt Books, 2016 [Vietnamese translation]

- 2015 Harry J. Benda Prize (Association for Asian Studies)
  - 2013 Alf Andrew Heggoy Prize (French Colonial Historical Society)
  - 2013 John Gilmary Shea Prize (American Catholic Historical Association)
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## ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS

- “The First Vietnamese in America,” *SOJOURN: Journal of Social Issues in Southeast Asia*, forthcoming (March 2019)
- “Vietnamese Collaborationism in Vichy France,” *Journal of Asian Studies* 76.4 (November 2017): 987-1008
- “Hue-Tam Ho Tai’s Millenarianism and Peasant Politics in Vietnam: A Retrospective,” *Journal of Vietnamese Studies*, 12.3 (Summer 2017): 5-13
- “The Curious Case of Hoàng Thị Thế,” *Journal of Vietnamese Studies*, 8.3 (Summer 2013): 71-119
- “Protestantism and the Politics of Religion in French Colonial Vietnam,” *French Colonial History*, 13 (2012): 141-174

- “A Colonial Sacred Union? Church, State and the Great War in Colonial Vietnam,” in James P. Daughton and Owen White, eds., *In God’s Empire: French Missionaries and the Modern World* (New York: Oxford University Press, 2012): 195-214
  - “Annam Uplifted: The First Vietnamese Catholic Bishops and the Birth of a National Church, 1919-1945,” *Journal of Vietnamese Studies*, 3. 2 (Summer 2008): 128-171. Translated into Vietnamese and published on *talawas.org*, Fall 2009
  - “Catholicisme, bouddhisme et lois laïques au Tonkin, 1899-1914,” *Vingtième siècle, revue d’histoire*, no. 77 (September-December 2005): 113-128 (trans. Bruno Poncharal)
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### **BOOK REVIEWS**

- Michael Goebel. *Paris, capital du tiers monde: comment est née la révolution anticoloniale (1919-1939)*. *Revue d’histoire moderne et contemporaine*, forthcoming
- Gerard Sasges. *Imperial Intoxication: Alcohol and the Making of Colonial Indochina*. *Journal of Southeast Asian Studies*, February 2018
- Christopher Goscha. *Vietnam: A New History*. H-Diplo Roundtable, November 2017
- Dierdre de la Cruz. *Mother Figured: Marian Apparitions and the Making of a Filipino Universal*. *Journal of Asian Studies*, May 2017
- Peter Zinoman. *Vietnamese Colonial Republican: The Political Vision of Vũ Trọng Phụng*. *Journal of Asian Studies*, February 2015
- Mark Bradley. *Vietnam at War*. *Annales: Histoire, Sciences Sociales*, October-December 2011 (in French)
- Pierre Brocheux and Daniel Hémery. *Indochina: An Ambiguous Colonization*. *Journal of Vietnamese Studies*, Fall 2010
- Hue-Tam Ho Tai. *Passion, Betrayal and Revolution in Colonial Saigon: The Memoirs of Bao Luong*. *New Mandala*, September 2010
- Anne Hansen. *How to Behave: Buddhism and Modernity in Colonial Cambodia, 1860-1930*. *Journal of Southeast Asian Studies*, February 2010
- Jacob Ramsay. *Mandarins and Martyrs: the Church and the Nguyen Dynasty in Early Nineteenth Century Vietnam*. *History: Reviews of New Books*, Fall 2008
- James P. Daughton. *An Empire Divided: Religion, Republicanism and the Making of French Colonialism, 1880-1914*. *Journal of Vietnamese Studies*, October 2008

## **GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

- Franklin Research Grant, American Philosophical Society, \$5000, March 2018,
  - HARP [Humanities and Arts Research Program] Development Grant, Michigan State University, \$25,000, for “Indochina in France: Colonial Subjects, Metropolitan Lives,” Spring 2017
  - National Endowment for the Humanities, Preservation and Access Grant, for “America in the ‘Third World’: Michigan State University Vietnam Project Archives,” \$264,998 (Co-PI with Cynthia Ghering and Dean Rehberger), Spring 2012
  - HARP [Humanities and Arts Research Program] Development Grant, Michigan State University, \$24,674, for “Catholic Vietnam: A Church from Empire to Nation, 1862-1954,” Spring 2011
  - CDFP [Competitive Discretionary Funding Program], Michigan State University, \$23,000, for “Enhancing the Research Value of the MSU Vietnam Project Archives by Providing Digital Access,” Spring 2010
  - Whiting Fellowship in the Humanities, Yale University, 2007-2008
  - Social Science Research Council International Dissertation Research Fellowship, 2005-2006
  - Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad Fellowship, 2005-2006
  - Blakemore-Freeman Language Study Fellowship (Vietnam), 2004-2005
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## **SELECTED PRESENTATIONS AND TALKS**

- “Metropolitan Migrations and Interwar Vietnamese Culture,” Invited Lecture, Center for Southeast Asian Studies, University of California at Berkeley, January 2018
- “Rethinking the Boundaries of ‘Colonial’ in Vietnamese History,” Association for Asian Studies Annual Conference, participant, April 2017
- “Culture, Community, and Colonial Disruptions,” Migration With(out) Borders, Interdisciplinary Graduate Student Conference on Migration, Michigan State University, October 2016 [Panel Discussant]
- “The Development of Vietnamese Studies since 1980: A Roundtable in Honor of Professor Hue-Tam Ho Tai,” Association for Asian Studies Annual Conference, participant, April 2016

- “The MSU Vietnam Archive Project: From Grant Proposal to Digital Archive,” American Historical Association, January 2016
- “French Indochina in Crisis and Memory, 1945-1947,” French Colonial Historical Society, June 2014 [Panel Chair and Discussant]
- “Independence from Afar: 1945 and the Vietnamese Community in France,” Society for French Historical Studies Annual Conference, April 2014
- “The *Parti Annamite de l’Indépendance* and Colonial Vietnam’s French Connection,” Association for Asian Studies Annual Conference, March 2014
- “There and Back Again: Metropolitan France and Vietnamese Knowledge during the Colonial Era,” Midwest Conference on Asian Affairs, October 2013
- “The Path to a Digital Archive: Putting MSU’s Vietnam Project Archive Online,” Midwest Conference on Asian Affairs, October 2013
- “The Vietnam War and Socialist Vietnam: New Perspectives,” Midwest Conference on Asian Affairs, October 2013 [Panel Chair and Discussant]
- “Drug Trafficking and Consumption among Vietnamese in Interwar France,” Association for Asian Studies Annual Conference, March 2013
- “Vietnam’s Religious Revolution,” Invited Lecture, Cornell University, Southeast Asian Studies Speaker Series, November 2011
- “Was there a Religious Revolution in Modern Vietnam?,” Workshop on Revolution in Vietnam, University of California at Berkeley, November 2011
- “French Missionaries in French Indochina: A Generational Approach,” French Colonial Historical Studies, June 2011
- “National Religion and its Others in Colonial Vietnam,” Invited Lecture, University of Michigan Southeast Asian Studies Center Speaker Series, February 2011
- “A Vietnamese in Paris: Nguyễn Trọng Hiệp and the Capital of the Nineteenth Century,” Association for Asian Studies Annual Conference, March 2010
- “Catholicism, Orientalism and Religious Revival in Late Colonial Vietnam,” Invited Lecture, University of Toronto Asian Studies Center and Center for French and Francophone Studies, February 2010
- “Social Catholicism and Anti-Colonialism in Late Colonial Vietnam,” Midwest Conference on Asian Affairs, October 2009

- “Political Pilgrim: Ngô Đình Thục, Rome and the Origins of Ngô Family Internationalism,” Association for Asian Studies Annual Conference, March 2009
  - “Before the War: American Missionaries and Vietnamese Protestantism, 1900-1960,” Workshop on Christian Missions, Colonialism and National Identities, University of Pennsylvania, April 2008
  - “Vietnamese Catholic Anti-Communism: the Origins of an Idea and a Movement, 1919-1954,” Cornell University Graduate Student Conference on Southeast Asian Studies, March 2008
  - “Pilgrimage, Popular Culture and Politics in Colonial Vietnamese Catholicism,” University of California at Berkeley Graduate Conference on Vietnamese Studies, February 2007
  - “Annam Uplifted: The First Vietnamese Catholic Bishops and the Birth of a National Church, 1920-1945,” American Historical Association Annual Conference, January 2007
  - “La place du catholicisme dans les changements politiques et culturelles au Vietnam, 1920-1945,” École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, March 2006 [Invited Talk]
  - “Separation Anxiety: The Laicization Debates in Indochina, 1890-1914,” American Historical Association Annual Conference, January 2006
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### **TEACHING**

- Fintz Award for Teaching Excellence in the Arts and Humanities, 2010
  - Courses: Asia and the World, World History, 1500-Present, Introduction to Asian History and Culture, Introduction to Historical Methods, Introduction to Modern East Asian History, The Vietnam War, Southeast Asia in the Age of Empire, Capstone Seminar in Asian History, Methods of Historical Research (graduate)
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### **LANGUAGES**

- Vietnamese (advanced reading and speaking)
- French (native speaker)
- German (intermediate reading and speaking)

**SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

- Editorial Board, *Journal of Vietnamese Studies* [book review editor, 2015-2018; co-editor, 2018-present]
- Manuscript reviews: Cornell University Press, University of California Press, University of Rochester Press, Yale University Press, *French Colonial History*, *French Historical Studies*, *Journal of Asian Studies*, *Journal of Vietnamese Studies*, *Sojourn*
- Book and Dissertation Prize Committees: John K. Fairbank Book Prize (American Historical Association), 2015-Present; Alf Andrew Heggoy Book Prize (French Colonial Historical Association), 2016-Present; John Tracy Ellis Dissertation Prize (American Catholic Historical Association), 2015-Present
- History Department Committees: Departmental Advisory Committee [elected], Chair Selection Committee [elected], Annual Review Committee [appointed], Undergraduate Committee [appointed], Graduate Committee [appointed]
- University Committees: Asian Studies Faculty Advisory Council [elected], Integrative Studies in the Arts and Humanities Steering Committee [appointed]
- Community Outreach: Michigan secondary school teaching training workshop in Southeast Asian History and Culture [instructor], Michigan Humanities Council, “Their Journey: Vietnamese in Michigan” [historical consultant and editor]
- Member, Program Committee, 2013 Midwest Conference on Asian Affairs
- Member, Association for Asian Studies, American Historical Association, French Colonial Historical Society