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EDUCATION

- 1996-2001 Ph. D., Rutgers University (History).
1994-1996 M. A., University of Colorado at Boulder (History).
1990-1992 B. A., University of Colorado at Boulder (History).
1987-1989 Connecticut College

POSITIONS HELD

- 2013- Professor of Medical History and the History of Science, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Secondary affiliations: African Studies Program, Program in Science and Technology Studies, Population Health Sciences, Center for European Studies, Global Studies Program, Nelson Institute for Environmental Studies, Center for Culture, History, and the Environment
- 2012- Director, International Studies Major, Global Studies Program, and Development Studies Program
- 2008-2013 Associate Professor of Medical History and the History of Science, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2007- Research Fellow, Institut de Recherche Interdisciplinaire sur les Enjeux Sociaux, UMR 8156 CNRS-Inserm-EHESS-Université Paris 13
- 2002-2008 Assistant Professor of Medical History and the History of Science, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2001-2002 Andrew W. Mellon Postdoctoral Fellow, Program in Modeling Interdisciplinary Inquiry, Washington University in St. Louis
- 2000 Visiting Assistant Professor of Social Science, Pratt Institute

HONORS, GRANTS, AND AWARDS

- 2013 Faculty Development Seminar, UW-Madison Center for the Humanities, “Environmental Studies in the Time of the Anthropocene” (participant).

- 2011-2015 WARF-H.I. Romnes Award, UW-Madison Graduate School, \$50,000.
- 2010 Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, Sawyer Seminar, “Biopolitics: Life in Past and Present,” 2011-2013, \$169,000.
- Robert Wood Johnson Health and Society Scholars Program Course Development Funding, UW-Madison, \$5000.
- 2009 UW Graduate School Research Committee Funding. \$9000.
Center for European Studies Course Development Funding, UW-Madison. \$3000.
Center for European Studies Faculty Travel Award, UW-Madison. \$1000.
- 2007-2009 National Science Foundation Science and Society Scholar’s Award, “Heat and Death in France: Social Ecology and the Making of the Paris Heat Wave Disaster.” NSF 0647266. \$75,064.
- 2006 Bourse pour l’accueil des chercheurs étrangers, Ville de Paris, niveau sénior (Senior Fellowship for Foreign Researchers, City of Paris), January-June 2007. Taken in residence at the Institut de Recherche Interdisciplinaire sur les Enjeux Sociaux, UMR 8156 CNRS-Inserm-EHESS-Université Paris 13. 18,000 €
- 2005 UW Graduate School Research Committee Funding, UW-Madison. \$24,000.
- République Française, Ministère de la Santé, Mission de Recherche/Direction de la Recherche, des Etudes, de l’Evaluation et des Statistiques (MiRe/DREES), Evenements indésirables dans les systèmes de santé. With Carine Vassy (PI), Didier Fassin, and Robert Dingwall. Project title: “Des morts inaperçues: L’enregistrement des surmortalités brutales en Angleterre, aux Etats-Unis et en France” (Invisible Deaths: Recording Excess Mortality in Britain, the United States, and France). 20,000 €
- Global Studies Program Faculty Research Funding, UW-Madison. \$3500.
- 2004 Center for Interdisciplinary French Studies Seed Funding, UW-Madison
Center for European Studies Course Development Funding, UW-Madison
“Globalizing the Unconscious: Cross-Cultural Encounters with Colonial Psychoanalysis,” Office of International Studies and Programs New Research Initiative, UW-Madison (co-PI). \$30,000.
- 2003 Global Studies Program Faculty Research Funding, UW-Madison. \$2000.
Center for European Studies Faculty Travel Award, UW-Madison. \$1500.

- Society for French Historical Studies Research Travel Award. \$3000.
- 2002 Forum for the History of the Human Sciences Biannual Dissertation Prize.
- 2000 American Institute for Maghrib Studies Travel Award. \$3000.
- 1999 Bernadotte E. Schmitt Research Travel Award, American Historical Association. \$900.
- 1999 Rutgers Center for Historical Analysis Graduate Fellowship. \$3000.
- 1998-1999 Fulbright Fellowship, France. Taken in residence at the Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales.
- 1998 Center for European Studies Pre-Dissertation Fellowship, Columbia University
- 1996-2001 Excellence Fellowship, Rutgers University

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Books

- Keller, Richard C. *Environment: A World History*. The New Oxford World History, ed. by Bonnie G. Smith and Anand Yang. New York: Oxford University Press (in contract).
- Keller, Richard C. *Chasing Ghosts: Risk and Marginalization in the 2003 Heat Wave Disaster*. Submitted to University of Chicago Press, July 2012.
- Anderson, Warwick H., Richard C. Keller, and Deborah Jenson. *Unconscious Dominions: Psychoanalysis, Colonial Trauma, and Global Sovereignities*. Durham, N.C.: Duke University Press, 2011.
- Vassy, Carine, Richard C. Keller, and Robert Dingwall. *Enregistrer les morts, identifier les surmortalités. Une comparaison Angleterre, Etats-Unis et France*. Rennes: Editions de l'Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Santé Publique, 2010.
- Keller, Richard C. *Colonial Madness: Psychiatry in French North Africa*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2007.

Reviewed in *Times Literary Supplement*, *American Historical Review*, *London Review of Books*, *Bulletin of the History of Medicine*, *Isis*, *Middle East Journal*, *International Journal of African Historical Studies*, *International History Review*, *African Studies Quarterly*, *Journal of the History of the Behavioral Sciences*,

Canadian Journal of History, World History Connected, African Studies Review, Journal of Interdisciplinary History, H-France, Itinerario, H-French-Colonial.

Articles in refereed journals

- Keller, Richard C. "Place Matters: Mortality, Space, and Urban Form in the 2003 Paris Heat Wave Disaster." *French Historical Studies* 36, no. 2 (2013): 299-330.
- Vassy, Carine, and Richard Keller. "Faut-il contrôler les aspects éthiques de la recherche en sciences sociales et comment ?" *Mouvements* 55-56 (2008): 128-41.
- Keller, Richard C. "Clinician and Revolutionary: Frantz Fanon, Biography, and the History of Colonial Medicine." *Bulletin of the History of Medicine* 81, no. 4 (2007): 823-41.
- Keller, Richard C. "Geographies of Power, Legacies of Mistrust: Colonial Medicine in the Global Present." *Historical Geography* 34 (2006): 26-48.
- Keller, Richard C. "Pinel in the Maghreb: Liberation, Confinement, and Psychiatric Reform in French North Africa." *Bulletin of the History of Medicine* 79, no. 3 (2005): 459-99.
- Keller, Richard. "Madness and Colonization: Psychiatry in the British and French Empires, 1800-1962." *Journal of Social History* 35 (2001): 295-326.
- Keller, Richard. "Pierre Janet and the Psychoanalytic Crisis in France, 1913-1915." *Proceedings of the Western Society for French History* 24 (1997): 168-177.

Book chapters

- Anderson, Warwick, Deborah Jenson, and Richard C. Keller. "Introduction: Globalizing the Unconscious." In *Unconscious Dominions: Psychoanalysis, Colonial Trauma, and Global Sovereignties*. Ed. by Warwick Anderson, Deborah Jenson, and Richard C. Keller. Durham, N.C.: Duke University Press, 2011.
- Keller, Richard C. "Colonial Madness and the Poetics of Suffering: Structural Violence and Kateb Yacine." In *Unconscious Dominions: Psychoanalysis, Colonial Trauma, and Global Sovereignties*. Ed. by Warwick Anderson, Deborah Jenson, and Richard C. Keller. Durham, N.C.: Duke University Press, 2011.
- Vassy, Carine, and Richard Keller. "Cross National Qualitative Health Research." In *Handbook on Qualitative Health Research*. Ed. by Ivy Lynn Bourgeault, Robert Dingwall, and Raymond De Vries. Oxford: Sage, 2010.
- Keller, Richard C. "Les deux corps de l'immigré en France dans les années 70." In *Histoire de l'immigration et question coloniale*. Ed. by Nancy L. Green, Marie

Poinsot, Alec G. Hargreaves, and Jim House. Paris: La Documentation française, 2008, pp. 199-203.

Keller, Richard C. "Taking Science to the Colonies: Psychiatric Innovation in France and North Africa." In *Psychiatry and Empire*. Ed. by Megan Vaughan and Sloan Mahone. London: Palgrave MacMillan, 2007, pp. 17-40.

Other publications

Keller, Richard C. "Heat and Death in France: The Social Ecology of Catastrophe." *Natural Hazards Observer* 35, no. 2 (2010): 10-13.

Keller, Richard C. "Extreme Heat and Social Isolation in Paris." In *Handbook of Hazards, Disaster Risk Reduction and Management*. Ed. by Ben Wisner, J.C. Gaillard, and Ilan Kelman. New York: Routledge, forthcoming (2012).

Reports

International Council for Science. *A Science Plan for Integrated Research on Disaster Risk: Addressing the Challenge of Natural and Human-induced Environmental Hazards: Report of ICSU Planning Group on Natural and Human-induced Environmental Hazards and Disasters*. Paris: ICSU 2008.

Vassy, Carine, Robert Dingwall, Didier Fassin, Richard Keller, Anne Murcott, and Nick Wright. "Des morts inaperçues. L'enregistrement des surmortalités en Angleterre, aux Etats-Unis et en France." Report submitted to MiRE-DREES, Ministère de la Santé, République française. 9 April 2007.

Encyclopedia articles

Keller, Richard C. "Edward Said." In *Encyclopedia of Life Sciences*. London: Wiley, 2011.

Keller, Richard C. "AIDS," "Gro Harlem Brundtland," and "World Health Organization." In *Oxford Encyclopedia of Women and World History*. Ed. by Bonnie G. Smith. New York: Oxford University Press, 2007.

Book reviews

Roger Cooter with Claudia Stein, *Writing History in the Age of Biomedicine* (New Haven, Conn.: Yale University Press, 2013). Reviewed for *Journal of the History of Medicine and Allied Sciences* (forthcoming).

Camille Robcis, *The Law of Kinship: Anthropology, Psychoanalysis, and the Family in Twentieth-Century France* (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 2013). Reviewed for *H-France* (forthcoming).

- Jean-Martin Charcot, *Charcot in Morocco*, introduction, notes and translation by Toby Gelfand (Ottawa: University of Ottawa Press, 2012). Reviewed for *Journal of the History of the Behavioral Sciences* (forthcoming).
- Miriam Ticktin, *Casualties of Care: Immigration and the Politics of Humanitarianism in France* (Berkeley: University of California Press, 2011). Reviewed for *H-France* (2013).
- Gregory Thomas, *Treating the Trauma of the Great War: Soldiers, Civilians, and Psychiatry in France, 1914-1940* (Baton Rouge, La.: Louisiana State University Press, 2009). Reviewed for *First World War Studies* (2011).
- William Gallois, *The Administration of Sickness: Medicine and Ethics in Nineteenth-Century Algeria* (Houndmills: Palgrave Macmillan, 2008). Reviewed for *Social History of Medicine* (2010).
- Susan Gross Solomon, Lion Murard, and Patrick Zylberman, eds. *Shifting Boundaries of Public Health: Europe in the Twentieth Century* (Rochester, N.Y.: University of Rochester Press, 2008). Reviewed for *Journal of Interdisciplinary History* (2009).
- Mary-Jo DelVecchio Good, Sandra Teresa Hyde, Sarah Pinto, and Byron J. Good, eds. *Postcolonial Disorders* (Berkeley: University of California Press, 2008). Reviewed for *Bulletin of the History of Medicine* (2009).
- Julie Livingston, *Debility and the Moral Imagination in Botswana* (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2005). Reviewed for *American Historical Review* (2009).
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- Michel Foucault, *History of Madness* (London: Routledge, 2006). Reviewed for *Metascience* (2008).
- Eric D. Jennings, *Curing the Colonizers: Hydrotherapy, Climatology, and French Colonial Spas* (Durham, N.C.: Duke University Press, 2006). Reviewed for *Journal of the History of Medicine and Allied Sciences* (2007).
- Lynette A. Jackson, *Surfacing Up: Psychiatry and Social Order in Colonial Zimbabwe, 1908-1968* (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 2005). Reviewed for *International Journal of African Historical Studies* (2007).
- Marc Shell, *Polio and Its Aftermath: The Paralysis of Culture* (Cambridge, Mass.: Harvard University Press, 2005). Reviewed for *Disability Studies Quarterly* (2006).

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Peter Baldwin, *Disease and Democracy: The Industrialized World Faces AIDS* (Berkeley: University of California Press, 2005). Reviewed for *JAMA* (2005).

John Harley Warner, *Against the Spirit of System: The French Impulse in Nineteenth-Century American Medicine* (Baltimore, Md.: Johns Hopkins University Press, 2003). Reviewed for *Perspectives in Biology and Medicine* (2005).

David Macey, *Frantz Fanon: A Biography* (New York: Picador, 2000). Reviewed for *Bulletin of the History of Medicine* (2005).

Mariano Plotkin, ed., *Argentina on the Couch: Psychiatry, State, and Society, 1880 to the Present* (Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press, 2003). Reviewed for *Hispanic American Historical Review* (2004).

Eric J. Engstrom, *Clinical Psychiatry in Imperial Germany: A History of Psychiatric Practice* (Ithaca, N.Y.: Cornell University Press, 2003). Reviewed for *Choice* (2004).