

# AIDAN JOSEPH BEATTY

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## ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

### Wayne State University

**2014-Present** Lecturer, Gender, Sexuality and Women's Studies Program

### Trinity College Dublin

**2016-17** Irish Research Council Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of History

### Concordia University, Montreal

**2015-16** Post-Doctoral Fellow, Azrieli Institute of Israel Studies & Scholar-in-Residence, School of Canadian Irish Studies

## EDUCATION

### University of Chicago

**2015** *Ph.D.*, International History (Defended with Grade of Distinction on 27 October 2014)  
*Dissertation*: The Life That God Desires: Masculinity and Power in Irish Nationalism, 1884-1938

Winner of the Adele Dalsimer Prize for Distinguished Dissertations, American Conference for Irish Studies, 2014

**2011** *M.A.*, Modern Jewish History

### Trinity College Dublin

**2009** *B.A.*, History & Political Science, First Class Honours

## PUBLICATIONS

### Book

**2016** *Masculinity and Power in Irish Nationalism, 1884-1938* (London: Palgrave Macmillan, 2016) *Genders and Sexualities in History* Series

Winner of the James S. Donnelly, Sr. Prize for Books on History and Social Sciences, American Conference for Irish Studies, 2016

### Peer-Reviewed Articles

- 2019** The Gaelic League and the Spatial Logics of Irish Nationalism. *Irish Historical Studies*, Forthcoming (May, 2019)
- 2017** Zionism and Irish Nationalism: Ideology and Identity on the Borders of Europe. *Journal of Imperial and Commonwealth History*, Vol.45, No.2 (2017) 315-338
- 2017** Jews and the Irish Nationalist Imagination: Between Philo-Semitism and Anti-Semitism. *Journal of Jewish Studies*, Vol. 68, No. 1 (2017) 116-136
- 2017** “Belfast is Not Here”: The Israeli Press and the Good Friday Agreement. *Israel Studies*, Vol. 22, No.2 (Summer, 2017) 78-95
- 2016** Masculinity and Nationhood in the East Clare By-Election, 1917. *Éire-Ireland: An Interdisciplinary Journal of Irish Studies*, Vol.51, Nos. 3&4, (Fall/Winter, 2016) 141-164
- 2016** An Irish Revolution Without a Revolution. *Journal of World-Systems Research*, Vol. 22, No.1 (2016) 54-76
- 2013** Irish Modernity and the Politics of Contraception, 1979-1993. *New Hibernia Review*, Vol. 17, No.3 (Autumn, 2013) 100-118

### Edited Volumes

- 2018** *Irish Questions and Jewish Questions: Crossovers in Culture* (Syracuse, NY: Syracuse University Press, 2018) [co-edited with Dr. Dan O’Brien]
- 2016** Ireland and the World-System, Special issue of *Journal of World-Systems Research*, Vol. 22, No.1 (2016) [co-edited with Dr. Sharae Deckard and Dr. Maurice Coakley]

### Book Chapters

- Forthcoming** The Economic War and the Pamphlet War. Douglas Kanter and Patrick Walsh, eds. *Taxation, Politics, and Protest in Ireland, 1662-2016* (London: Palgrave-MacMillan)
- Forthcoming** Fianna Fáil, Masculinity, and the Irish Agrarian Man. Sean Brady, Jane McGaughey, Rebecca Barr, eds. *Ireland and Masculinities in History: From the Sixteenth Century to the Present* (London: Palgrave-MacMillan)

## Works-in-Progress

*Marx and Engels, Ireland, and the Racial History of Capitalism* (Paper, 10,000 words, currently under peer-review at *Journal of Modern History*)

*Richard Devane and the Dynamics of State and Church in Post-1922 Ireland* (Paper, 8,000 words)

*Privatised Utopias: Gender, Race and the Idea of Private Property* (Book Manuscript)

## Review Essays

**2018** Review of Breandan Mac Suibhne. *The End of Outrage: Post-Famine Adjustment in Rural Ireland* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2017) in *H-Empire* (June, 2018)

**2017** Review of Kennetta Hammond Perry. *London is the Place for Me: Black Britons, Citizenship and the Politics of Race* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2015) in *Itinerario: International Journal on the History of European Expansion and Global Interaction*, Vol. 41, No. 1 (2017) 195-197

**2017** Review of Alain Brossat & Sylvia Klingberg. *Revolutionary Yiddishland: A History of Jewish Radicalism* (London: Verso, 2016) in *H-Judaic* (February, 2017)

**2017** Review of Daniel I. O'Neill. *Edmund Burke and the Conservative Logic of Empire* (Berkeley, CA: University of California Press, 2016) in *Breac: A Digital Journal of Irish Studies* (January, 2017)

**2017** Review of Brenda Murphy. *Brewing Identities: Globalisation, Guinness and the Production of Irishness* (New York: Peter Lang, 2015) in *New Hibernia Review*, Vol. 20, No. 4 (Winter, 2016)

**2016** Review of Kevin McCarthy. *Robert Briscoe: Sinn Féin Revolutionary, Fianna Fáil Nationalist, Revisionist Zionist* (Bern: Peter Lang, 2016) in *Canadian Journal of Irish Studies*, Vol.39, No. 2 (2016)

**2016** Review of Abby Bender. *Israelites in Erin: Exodus, Revolution and the Irish Revival* (Syracuse NY: Syracuse University Press, 2015) in *Canadian Journal of Irish Studies*, Vol.39, No. 2 (2016)

**2016** Review of Robert Savage. *The BBC's "Irish Troubles": Television, Conflict and Northern Ireland* (Manchester: Manchester University Press, 2015) in *New Hibernia Review*, Vol. 20, No. 3 (Autumn, 2016)

- 2016** Review of Fearghal McGarry. *The Rising: Ireland, Easter 1916* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2016) 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition in *H-Empire* (October, 2016)
- 2016** Review of Angela McCarthy, ed. *Ireland in the World: Comparative, Transnational, and Personal Perspectives* (New York: Routledge, 2015) in *World History Connected*, Vol. 13, No.2 (June, 2016)
- 2016** Review of Saree Makdisi. *Making England Western: Occidentalism, Race, and Imperial Culture* (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2014) in *Itinerario: International Journal on the History of European Expansion and Global Interaction*, Vol. 40, No. 1 (2016) 163-165
- 2013** Review of Marie McAndrew. *Fragile Majorities and Education: Belgium, Catalonia, Northern Ireland, and Quebec* (Montréal: McGill-Queen's University Press, 2013) in *H-Nationalism* (September, 2013)

### **Non-Academic Writing**

- 2018** Review of Alexander Gallas. *The Thatcherite Offensive: A Neo-Poulantzian Analysis* (Chicago: Haymarket Press, 2016) in *Logos: A Journal of Modern Society and Culture*, Vol. 17, No. 1 (2018)
- 2018** Social Revolutions Beyond the Volga: Ireland and Egypt. *Age of Revolutions* Blog
- 2018** Language Politics: Comparing Irish Nationalism and Zionism. *History Ireland*, Vol. 26, No.1 (Jan-Feb, 2018)
- 2017** Intersectionality and the History of Knowledge. *History of Knowledge* Blog, German Historical Institute
- 2017** Review of Stuart Jeffries. *Grand Hotel Abyss: The Lives of the Frankfurt School* (London: Verso: 2016) in *Logos: A Journal of Modern Society and Culture*, Vol. 16, Nos. 1-2 (2017)
- 2016** A Nation of Eunuchs or Athletic Youths? Irish Nationalism's Masculine Anxieties. *Irish Times*
- 2016** Zionists Looked to Irish History. *Irish Echo*
- 2016** Review of Benedict Anderson. *A Life Beyond Boundaries* (London: Verso: 2016) in *Logos: A Journal of Modern Society and Culture*, Vol. 15, Nos. 2-3 (2016)
- 2016** Nationalists as Real Men. *The Village*

- 2016** Review of Donald Akenson. *Discovering the End of Time: Irish Evangelicals in the Age of Daniel O'Connell* (Montreal: McGill-Queens University Press, 2016) in *Montreal Review of Books*
- 2015** Review of Kieran Allen. *1916: Ireland's Revolutionary Tradition* (London: Pluto, 2016) in *The Irish Story*
- 2015** Frederick Engels and Ireland. *The Irish Story*
- 2015** From Gay Power to Gay Rights. *Jacobin*

#### **AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

- 2018** Professional Development Grant, Wayne State University
- 2017** Harry S. Truman Library Institute, Independence MO, Research Grant
- 2016** James S. Donnelly, Sr. Prize for Books on History and Social Sciences, ACIS
- 2016-18** Irish Research Council Postdoctoral Fellowship
- 2014** Adele Dalsimer Prize for Distinguished Dissertations, ACIS
- 2014-15** Advanced Studies Fellowship, University of Chicago/Mellon Foundation
- 2014-16** Doctoral Fellowship, Israel Institute, Washington D.C. [Declined]
- 2014** Azrieli Institute of Israel Studies Travel Grant, AJS Conference
- 2014** Harriet Hartman/ASSJ Travel Grant, Assn. for Jewish Studies (AJS) Conference
- 2014** Graduate Fellowship, University of Chicago, Nicholson Center for British Studies
- 2014** Research & Travel Grant, University of Chicago, Center for Jewish Studies
- 2013** Kunstader Travel Grant, University of Chicago, History Department
- 2012** Research & Travel Grant, University of Chicago, Center for Jewish Studies
- 2012** Graduate Fellowship, University of Chicago, Nicholson Center for British Studies
- 2012** Cochrane Travel Grant, University of Chicago, History Department
- 2011** Research & Travel Grant, University of Chicago, Center for Jewish Studies

#### **INVITED LECTURES**

- May 2018** *Borders, Tourists, Homelands: The Politics of Irish Space*, Idea Factory, Lawrence Technological University, Southfield, Detroit
- March 2018** *Between Irishness and Jewishness*, Limmud Michigan, Wayne State University
- Oct. 2017** *What Does Brexit Mean for Ireland?*, Irish Cultural Forum/Gaelic League Club of Detroit
- May 2017** *The Jews, the Irish, and the History of Nationalism*, Temple Emanu-El, Toronto
- April 2016** *The Gaelic and Hebrew Revivals: Gender, Race, and Nationalist Languages* Glucksman Ireland House, New York University

- March 2016** *“Belfast is Not Here”*: Israeli Perceptions of the Northern Irish Peace Process  
Azrieli Institute of Israel Studies, Concordia University, Montréal
- March 2016** *Marx, Ireland, and the Racial History of Capitalism*  
Department of History, Concordia University, Montréal
- Feb. 2016** *The Shared History of the Jews and the Irish*  
School of Canadian Irish Studies, Concordia University, Montréal
- Sept. 2015** *Irish Nationalism’s Jewish Question: Between Philo-Semitism and Anti-Semitism*  
The Canadian Centre for German and European Studies, Université de Montréal
- April 2015** *Irish Nationalists and Jewish Politics*  
Loughrea Literary and Historical Society, Galway, Ireland
- Dec. 2014** *The Genders of Nationalist Space*  
The Irish Studies Seminar, Columbia University, New York
- March 2014** *Regulating Sex, Gender, and Leisure in the Irish Free State*  
Gender and Sexuality Studies Working Group, University of Chicago
- Jan. 2014** *Time, Gender and the Irish Crisis of Legitimacy, 1916-1923*  
Transnational Approaches to Modern Europe Workshop, University of Chicago
- August 2013** *Language and the Nationalist Return to History: A Comparison of the Hebrew and Gaelic Revivals*, Jewish Historical Society of Ireland, Irish Jewish Museum, Dublin

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- May 2018** *The Moor’s Laboratory: Marx and Engels, the Masculine Irish and the Racial History of Capitalism*, Marx 200, Conference, Rosa Luxemburg Stiftung, Berlin
- Nov. 2017** *Masculinity, Race and Nationalist Propaganda, 1916-23*, Propaganda and Cultural Mobilisation: Ireland from Rising to Conscription Crisis, Universities Ireland Decade of Remembrance Conference, University College Dublin
- June 2017** *Theories of Irish-Jewish History*, Reimagining the Jews of Ireland: Historiography, Identity and Representation, Conference, Trinity College Dublin
- June 2017** *The Masculine Order, The Social Order, and Conservative Politics*, Masculinity in Writing and in Politics, Workshop, Trinity College Dublin

- Mar. 2017** *Where Does the State End and the Church Begin?: The Strange Career of R.S. Devane*, American Conference for Irish Studies, Annual Meeting, University of Missouri-Kansas City
- Sept. 2016** *Marx and Engels and the Construction of the Irish Race*, American Conference for Irish Studies, Mid-West Regional, University of Kansas
- Aug. 2016** *Counter-Revolutionary Masculinities, Revolutionary Masculinities*, Symposium, National University of Ireland-Maynooth
- Nov. 2015** *Agitate, Friend Moses: Jews in the Irish Nationalist Imagination*, North American Conference for British Studies, Little Rock, Arkansas
- Oct. 2015** *De Valera's Gender & Nation: Political Propaganda in the East Clare By-Election, 1917*, American Conference for Irish Studies, Mid-West Regional, UW-La Crosse
- April 2015** *Irish Nationalism as Capitalist Consumer Culture, Class and Culture in Twentieth Century Ireland: Resilience, Resistance, and Transformation*, Conference, University of Cambridge Group for Irish Studies
- March 2015** *The Jews, the Irish, and European Minority Nationalism*, Thinking Beyond the Canon: New Themes and Approaches in Jewish Studies, Conference, University of California, Los Angeles
- Dec. 2014** *Bodily Regeneration in Zionism and Irish Nationalism*, Association for Jewish Studies, Annual Meeting, Baltimore
- Nov. 2014** *Masculinity, Motivation, and the Revival of Irish and Hebrew*, American Conference for Irish Studies, Mid-West Regional, Oakland University
- July 2014** *Time, Gender and Irish State Legitimacy, 1916-1923*, Workshop on Gender & Nationalism, 23<sup>rd</sup> World Congress of Political Science, Montréal
- June 2014** *Masculinity and Political Elites in Zionism and Irish Nationalism*, Association for Israel Studies, Annual Meeting, Ben-Gurion Research Institute, Israel
- June 2014** *Masculinity and Martyrdom in Zionism and Irish Nationalism*, The Violence of War, Conference, University College London
- June 2014** *Space, Power, and Gender in Irish Nationalist Discourse*, American Conference for Irish Studies/Canadian Association for Irish Studies, Joint Annual Meeting, University College Dublin

- April 2014** *“Jew Regard for the Law”*: National Sovereignty and Anti-Jewish Imagery in Irish Nationalist Discourse, Anti-Judaism and its Implications, Symposium, Colby College
- Nov. 2013** *National Sovereignty, Male Power and the Irish Language*, Social Science History Association/Women, Gender and Sexuality Network, Chicago.
- Aug. 2013** *The Hebrew and Irish Revivals: National Sovereignty and Male Power*, Max and Hilde Kochmann Summer School, University of Sussex
- Aug. 2013** *Fianna Fáil, Masculinity, and the Irish Agrarian Man*, Ireland and Masculinities in the Longue Durée, Conference, National University of Ireland-Galway
- March 2012** *“An Obsession in our One-Time Holy Island”*: Irish Respectability and the Politics of Contraception, 1979-1993, American Conference for Irish Studies, Annual Meeting, New Orleans
- Feb. 2011** *Michael Davitt and Jewish Affairs*, Irish and Jewish Identities: Links and Parallels, Conference, University of Chicago
- May 2010** *“Enjoy Yourself So That Israel May Live”*: Israeli-Themed Advertising and the American Jewish Diaspora, 1965-1985, Emerging Approaches to Race & Research: Discussing Trans-Disciplinary Studies of Race in Academia, Graduate Conference, University of Chicago

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### Wayne State University, Detroit

- 2014- Present** **Lecturer**, *Humanities Perspectives on Gender, Sexuality and Women*  
A general education course intended to serve as a broad introduction to gender studies and taught in both conventional classroom settings and online. The syllabus is self-designed within broadly defined parameters.

**Lecturer**, *The History of Women, Gender and Sexuality in the Modern World*  
An introductory history course, designed to introduce students to the history of gender and sexuality as well as historical research methodologies. The syllabus is self-designed within broadly defined parameters.

### University of Chicago

- 2015** **Lectureship**, *What is Masculinity?*  
A self-designed course intended to serve as an undergraduate introduction to the study of masculinity, ranging from antiquity to modernity and with a strongly transnational focus.



- 2015 Lectureship, *History of European Civilization II***  
A discussion-based course focusing on key texts in modern European history. The syllabus was self-designed within broadly defined criteria.
- 2014 Lectureship, *Irish and Jewish Identities: Links and Parallels***  
A self-designed eight-week course taught through the University of Chicago's adult education centre.
- 2014 Teaching Intern, *Introduction to European Civilization II* (w/ Prof. Rachel Brown)**  
A discussion-based course focusing on key texts in modern European history. I ran discussions across the quarter as well as grading mid-terms and finals, and meeting students to assist with their assignments.
- 2012 Teaching Assistant, *Contemporary European Politics* (w/ Prof. Scott Siegel)**  
A course surveying contemporary EU politics during Europe's 'second age of crisis.' I ran a weekly tutorial, met with students to assist them with their papers, and graded mid-term and final papers.
- 2012 Teaching Intern, *Introduction to European Civilization I* (w/ Prof. Jonathan Lyon)**  
A discussion-based course focusing on key texts in ancient and medieval European history.

## ACADEMIC SERVICE

- 2017** Book Review Editor, *H-Ideas*
- 2017** Peer-Reviewer, *Irish Economic and Social History*
- 2017** Peer-Reviewer, *Capitalism, Nature, Socialism*
- 2016** Organizer, Panel on *Race and Nationalism*, American Conference for Irish Studies, Midwest Conference, Kansas University
- 2016** Co-Organizer, Panels on *Jewish Questions and Irish Questions* and *Who Ever Heard of an Irish Jew?*, American Conference for Irish Studies, Notre Dame
- 2015** Co-Organizer, *Masculinities on the British Fringe*, One-Day Conference, University of Chicago
- 2014** Co-Organizer, *Panel Discussion on Feminist Economics*, University of Chicago
- 2013** Peer-Reviewer, *New Hibernia Review*
- 2011** Organizer, *Irish and Jewish Identities: Links and Parallels*, One-Day Conference, University of Chicago

## LANGUAGES

Native fluency in English. Strong reading proficiency in Irish (*Gaeilge*) and Hebrew.

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

ACIS (American Conference for Irish Studies)

AHA (American Historical Association)

## REFERENCES

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