# Helen I Kaibara

# **Employment**

Jacksonville State University, Assistant Professor, Fall 2017-

## **Education**

Michigan State University, PhD in East Asian History, 2011-2017. Eastern Kentucky University, M.A. in American History, 2010. Portland State University, B.A. in Political Science, 2006. Waseda University (Tokyo, Japan) Certificate of Completion, 2005.

## **Publications**

**ARTICLE:** "Far from Child's Play: Doll Diplomacy following the U.S. Immigration Act of 1924" In *Rikkyo American Studies*, No. 38. March 2016.

**CHAPTER:** "Looking Forward to America: Japanese Elites and Campaigns of Cultural Assimilation Mainstream Society in the United States, 1903-1924" In *Transnationalism and Asia: The Question of Return* (Amsterdam: Amsterdam University Press, 2015) ICAS publication series.

**ARTICLE:** "The Transpacific Origins of the "Model Minority" Myth of Japanese-Americans," In *Studies on Asia*, Series IV. October 2014.

**ARTICLE:** "In Order to Create a More Perfect Society: The Japanese Association of America's Response to the West Coast Anti-Japanese "Yellow Peril" Phenomenon, 1908-1924" In *The Virginia Review of Asian Studies*, June 2010.

# **Selected Conference Presentations**

"Beyond Pearl Harbor: The Pacific War Narrative in State Sponsored Monuments." Presented at the Australian Historical Association Annual Conference, Sydney, Australia, July 2013.

**BOOK PANEL:** "Transpacific Field of Dreams: How Baseball Linked the United States and Japan in Peace and War by Sayuri Shimizu." Discussant and panel organizer, the Social Science History Association Annual Meeting, Vancouver, Canada, November 2012.

"The Forgotten War Remembered: Commemorating Aleutian Islands in WWII State-Sponsored Memorials." Presenter and panel organizer, the Association of Asian Studies Annual Meeting, Toronto, Canada, March 2012.

"In Order to Create a More Perfect Society: The Japanese Association of America's Response to the Anti-Japanese "Yellow Peril" Phenomenon, 1908-1924." Presented at the

International Convention of Asian Scholars/Association of Asian Studies Joint Meeting, Honolulu, HI, April 2011.

## **Selected Invited Lectures**

"The Forgotten War: WWII on the Aleutian Islands." International Relations 386 "America's Relations in the Modern Era" at Rikkyo University, Tokyo, Japan, 2015.

"The Legacy of the Gentlemen's Agreement." History 326 "U.S. Foreign Relations Since 1914" at Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014.

"Japanese and Chinese Immigrants in America: A Historical Comparison." Integrated Arts and Humanities 201 "The U.S. and the World" at Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI., 2012.

"Japanese in America." Sociology 300 "Race and Ethnic Relations" at Indiana Purdue Fort Wayne, Fort Wayne, IN., 2011.

"Guns and God: Christian Missionaries, Internal Conflict, and Portuguese Weaponry in Japan, 1542-1639." As part of the Asian Studies Colloquium, Berea College, Berea, Ky., 2011.

# **Teaching Experience**

#### **Instructor of Record**

History 201 "Historical Methods: The Asian-American Experience," Fall 2016 History 390 "History of International Relations" at Michigan State University, Summer 2014, 2015, 2016

#### **Teaching Assistant**

Integrative Arts and Humanities 204 "Asia in the World"

Integrative Studies in Social Science 220 "Time, Space and Human Changing Human Society"

History 203 "American Civilization since 1877"

History 246 "World Civilizations I"

History 326 "U.S. Foreign Relations Since 1914"

History 220 "Latin America in the World"

#### **GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

U.S. Dept. of Education, Fulbright-Hays DDRA, 2015-16

U.S. Dept. of Education, FLAS, academic year 2014-15

U.S. Dept. of Education, FLAS, academic year 2013-2014

U.S. Dept. of Education, FLAS, summer 2013

U.S. Dept. of Education, FLAS, spring 2013

U.S. Dept. of Education, FLAS, summer 2012

AWARDS AND HONORS
S.C. Lee Graduate Paper Prize, Michigan State University, 2015 Dr. Kwan-Wai So Memorial Scholarship, Michigan State University, 2012 Phi Alpha Theta, Honor society for the historical discipline, since 2008

## **Service**

Planning Committee Member, "Migration Without Boundaries" Graduate Student Conference, Michigan State University, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016

Vice President, Graduate History Student Union, 2012-2013.

Graduate Student Member, The College of Social Science Grievances Hearing Board, Michigan State University, 2011-2012.