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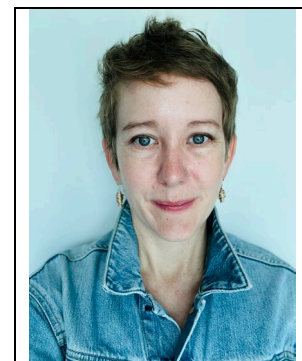
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Education

PhD, Combined Program in Forestry & Environmental Studies and Sociocultural Anthropology, Yale University, USA, 2018

MPhil, Environment, Society & Development, University of Cambridge, UK, 2010

BA, English, Williams College, USA, 2008

Academic Appointments

Research Scientist

Texas Water Resources Institute

USA

January-December 2022

Ciriacy-Wantrup Postdoctoral Fellow

University of California Berkeley, Department of Geography

USA

September 2020-December 2021

Society of Fellows in the Humanities Postdoctoral Fellow

University of Southern California

USA

August 2018-August 2020

Awards and Honors

2022, Bonnie J. McCay Junior Scholar Award Honorable Mention, awarded by the American Anthropological Association's Anthropology & Environment Section for "Ecosystem Duties, Green Infrastructure, and Environmental Injustice in Los Angeles"

2021, *City & Society* Best Paper Prize, awarded for "Battling over Bathwater: Greywater Technopolitics in Los Angeles"

2018, John Addison Porter Prize, Yale University award for a dissertation "in which it is possible, through original effort, to gather or relate facts and/or principles and to make the product of general human interest."

Professional Memberships

American Association of Geographers

American Anthropological Association

RESEARCH

Research Interests

Climate adaptation; environmental justice; infrastructure transitions; water politics; resource temporalities; multispecies ethnography

Publications

Journal Articles [Refereed]

Heidari, Bardia, **Sayd Randle**, Dean Minchillo, and Fouad Jaber. (2022) "Green stormwater infrastructure: A critical review of the barriers to implementation." *Wiley Interdisciplinary Reviews: Water*.

Randle, Sayd. (2022) "Ecosystem duties, green infrastructure, and environmental injustice in Los Angeles." *American Anthropologist*.

Randle, Sayd. (2022) "On aqueducts and anxiety: Water infrastructure, ruination, and a region-scaled Anthropocene imaginary." *GeoHumanities*.

Randle, Sayd. (2021) "Battling over bathwater: Greywater technopolitics in Los Angeles." *City & Society*.

Randle, Sayd. (2021) "Holding water for the city: Emergent geographies of storage and the urbanization of nature." *Environment and Planning E: Nature and Space*.

Randle, Sayd. (2021) "Missing power: Nostalgia and disillusionment among Southern California water managers." *Critique of Anthropology*.

Randle, Sayd and Jessica Barnes. "Liquid futures: Water management systems and anticipated environments." *Wiley Interdisciplinary Reviews: Water*.

Book Chapters

Randle, Sayd. (2022). "Where should drinking water come from?" In *People Before Markets: An Alternative Casebook*, eds. Daniel Souleles, Johan Gersel, and Morton Thaning. Cambridge University Press.

Randle, Sayd. (2020) "Claiming the Los Angeles River for 'the public', by boat and by permit." In *Public Lands in the Western US: Place and Politics in the Clash Between Public and Private*, eds. K. Sullivan and J. McDonald. Lexington Books.

Randle, Sayd. (2019) "Harvesting Alternative Water Resources (U.S. West)." *Oxford Bibliographies in Ecology*.

Randle, Sayd, Lauren Baker, C. Anne Claus, Chris Hebdon, Alder Keleman, and Michael R. Dove. (2017)

“Unsustainability in action: An ethnographic examination.” In *Routledge Handbook of Environmental Anthropology*, eds. H. Kohn and E. Shoreman-Ouimet. Routledge.

Randle, Sayd. (2016) “At home in the watershed: Environmental imaginaries and spatial politics in Los Angeles.” In *The Greening of Everyday Life: Challenging Practices, Imagining Possibilities*, eds. J.M. Meyer and J. Kersten, Oxford University Press.

Research Grants

Wenner Gren Foundation Dissertation Fieldwork Grant

Yale Institute for Biospheric Studies Doctoral Dissertation Research Grant

Hixon Center for Urban Ecology Research Fellowship

TEACHING

Teaching Areas

Urban political ecology; environmental justice; social dimensions of climate change/adaptation; infrastructure studies; ethnographic methods

EXTERNAL SERVICE – PROFESSIONAL

Editorial Board (2022-2023) of the Society for the Anthropology of North America’s online forum, *Home/Field*

Eric Wolf Student Paper Prize Committee (2021-present), Political Ecology Society

Invited reviewer for: *American Anthropologist*; *Antipode*; *Critique of Anthropology*; *Cultural Anthropology*; *Culture, Agriculture, Food and Environment*; *Environmental Humanities*; *Environment and Planning E: Nature and Space*; *Ethnos: Journal of Anthropology*; *Frontiers in Water*; *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*; *Science, Technology, & Human Values*; *Social Studies of Science*; Texas Water Resources Institute USGS 104b Research Grant Competition; United States National Science Foundation, Science and Technology Studies Program