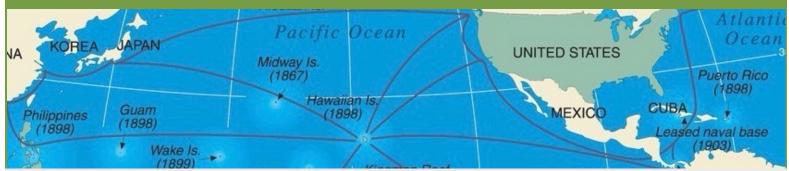
UC Davis History Department Nineteenth-Century North American History Speaker Series

Dr. Julian Lim Aliens and Empire: Immigration and the Archipelagic Borderlands of the "Greater" United States



Dr. Julian Lim is an Assistant Professor of History at Arizona State University. She focuses on immigration, borders, and race. Lim's award-winning first book, *Porous Borders: Multiracial Migrations and the Law in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands* (2017), examines the history of diverse immigrants in the U.S.-Mexico borderlands, and the development of immigration policy and law on both sides of the border.

Her current book project is on the history of the plenary power doctrine in U.S. immigration law, and its intersections with federal Indian law and American empire. In her talk she will present some of the research from this current project, which examines the federalization of U.S. immigration law in the late nineteenth century, and connects the development of federal immigration law to contestations over territorial control in the U.S. West and its shifting borderlands.



Feb 19, 2020, 4-6 pm
Andrews Conference Room, 2203
Social Science and Humanities
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Light refreshments provided

Next Lecture in the Series: April 16, Dr. Samuel Truett (University of New Mexico), author of Fugitive Landscapes: The Forgotten History of the U.S. Mexico Borderlands (Yale, 2006).