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EDUCATION

- 2017 Ph.D., McGill University, Montreal, Canada.
- 2012 M.A., University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont.
- 2003 B.A., Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, New York.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2019-Present Lecturer, Public Communication, Department of Community Development and Applied Economics, University of Vermont.

As a Lecturer whose primary role involves teaching, I have taught courses across the Public Communication curriculum, from introductory lecture courses to more specialized, hands-on classes in journalism, writing, media advocacy and production, and seniorial, Canada.

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media channels, headed fundraising and outreach efforts, led investigative and social justice reporting initiatives.

2003-2017 Founder and Editor, *Upside Down World*, a leading English-language news outlet on Latin American politics and activism.

- Launched digital outlet emphasizing coverage of feminist, Indigenous, social and y qtngtuøo qxgo gpwı cetquu Latin America. Worked with hundreds of journalists throughout the region publishing thousands of articles. Managed all aspects of editing and reporting, social media, fundraising, website, and outreach efforts.

2002-Present Journalist covering political, cultural, and social issues throughout Latin America and the United States.

- Published hundreds of articles in outlets including *The Guardian*, *Salon*, *Vice*, *The Nation*, *Al Jazeera*, *Asia Times*, *The Progressive*, *In These Times*, *NACLA Report on the Americas*, and *Utne Reader*.

BOOKS

- Dangl, Benjamin, *Quinientos Años de Rebelión: Movimientos indígenas y descolonización de la historia en Bolivia*,

- ðTupak Mvctkæu Rtqo kug Nkxgu Qpö cpf ðLand of Utopian Dreams,ö kp *Until the Rulers Obey: Voices from Latin American Social Movements*, edited by Clifton Ross and Marcy Rein. Oakland: PM Press, 2014.
- ðForward to yj g Gpi rkuj Gf kkkpp,ö kp *Dispersing Power: Social Movements as Anti-State Forces*, by Raúl Zibechi. Oakland: AK Press, 2010.
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- F cpi n Dgplco kp, ð[Defending Democracy from the Streets in Bolivia](#),ö *CounterPunch*, August 22, 2024.
- F cpi n Dgplco kp, ð[J qy Ego o wpkv Tcf kq Uwr r qtvu Dqrkxlcæ Eco r gulkp Movements](#),ö *NACLA Report on the Americas*, August 21, 2024.
- F cpi n Dgplco kp, ð[Indigenous Journalist Rosa Jalja Builds Community through Dqrkxlcæ Tcf kq Eqr ceedepe](#),ö *NACLA Report on the Americas*, August 14, 2024.
- F cpi n Dgplco kp, ð[Dqrkxlcæ Llej j c O gf lc Dwrf u Kpf ki gpqwu Rqy gt](#),ö *NACLA Report on the Americas*, August 7, 2024.
- F cpi n Dgplco kp, ð[Dqrkxlcæ O w{ Y cuq ku O cnkpi Hgo kpkuv Lqwtperkuo kp yj g Utggvu](#),ö *NACLA Report on the Americas*, August 2, 2024.
- F cpi n Dgplco kp, ð[Indigenous Journalist Yolanda Mamani Speaks Out](#),ö *NACLA Report on the Americas*, July 25, 2024.
- F cpi n Dgplco kp, ð[WXO Rtqhguaqtæu P gy DqqmF tcy u htqo F gecf gu cu c Lqwtperkuo](#),ö

- Dangl, Benjamin, [öLooking Back to the Future in Bolivia](#),ö *Roar Magazine*, November 23, 2019.
- Dangl, Benjamin, [öHistory at the Barricades: Evo Morales and the Power of the Past in Bolivian Politics](#),ö *NACLA Report on the Americas*, October 8, 2019.
- Dangl, Benjamin, [öThe Five Hundred Year Rebellion: Indigenous Movements and the Decolonization of History in Bolivia](#),ö *Salon.com*, May 19, 2019.
- Dangl, Benjamin, [öVtwo r au PCHVC 2.0 r tqo kugu vq f ggr gp geqpqo ke cpf environmental crises](#),ö *Salon.com*, October 7, 2018.
- Dangl, Benjamin, [öThe renegade president brings his war to the United Nations](#),ö *Asia Times*, September 26, 2018.
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- Dangl, Benjamin, [öQeevo {, Tgukv Rtqf veg: C J kxqt { qhDtc| kzu Ncpf røu Y qtngtuø g c O Movement](#),ö *ZNet*, May 23, 2018.
- Dangl, Benjamin, [öTrump Wants to Plunder Afghanistan for its Vast Mineral Wealth](#),ö *Salon.com*, October 18, 2017.
- Dangl, Benjamin, [öMasters of War: Senate Defense Budget Set to Exceed One Third of Global Military Spending](#),ö *Alternet*, September 21, 2017.
- Dangl, Benjamin, [öDismantling Power: The Zapatista Indigenous Pre ,5BT/F2 12 Tf1 0 0 1 279.73 454](#)

- Danyl, Benjamin, [Miners Just Took 43 Police Officers Hostage in Bolivia](#), *Vice*, April 3, 2014.
- Danyl, Benjamin, [Yj cvj g Go r ktg F kf p w J gct: WUUr { kpi cpf Tgukcpeg k Ncvk America](#), *Al Jazeera*, July 29, 2013.
- Danyl, Benjamin, [Wkpi vj g Eqrf Y ct: Vj g Vtwo cp Cf o kpkwcvk p u Tgur qpug vj vj g Bolivian National Revolution](#), *The University of Vermont History Review*, Volume XXII, 2011-2012.

- Dangi, Benjamin, ["Vigilantism in Honduras"](#), *The Guardian*, September 19, 2009.
- Dangi, Benjamin, ["High Stakes for Honduras"](#), *The Guardian*, July 7, 2009.
- Dangi, Benjamin, ["Guns in Honduras"](#), *The Guardian*, June 26, 2009.
- Fcpi n Dgplco kp, ["Obama Can Lead by Listening"](#), *The Guardian*, April 17, 2009.
- Fcpi n Dgplco kp, ["Piqueteros in Argentina"](#), *The Guardian*, January 27, 2009.
- Fcpi n Dgplco kp, ["Showdown in Honduras"](#), *NACLA Report on the Americas*, June 30, 2009.
- Fcpi n Dgplco kp, ["Cdr. Oscar Nunez: A Hero Dies in El Alto"](#), *NACLA Report on the Americas*, May 26, 2009.
- Fcpi n Dgplco kp, ["Paraguay: Protests and Rubber Bullets Greet Return of Dictatorship Criminal"](#), *ZNet*, May 4, 2009.
- Fcpi n Dgplco kp, ["Obama Set for a Summit in the Sun"](#), *The Nation*, April 17, 2009.
- Fcpi n Dgplco kp, ["Lessons from Latin America"](#), *The Nation*, March 23, 2009.
- Fcpi n Dgplco kp, ["Bolivia Looking Forward: New Constitution"](#), *NACLA Report on the Americas*, July 1, 2009.

- F cpi n Dgplco kp, [öLand and Power in Bolivia](#),ö *NACLA Report on the Americas*, September 4, 2007.
- Dangl, Benjamin, [öTeatro Trono: Youth Theater in Bolivia](#),ö *NACLA Report on the Americas*, May/June 2007.
- F cpi n Dgplco kp, [öDqrlkcau F cpeg with Evo Morales](#),ö *The Nation*, March 29, 2007.
- Dangl, Benjamin, [öStraight Outta El Alto: A Revolutionary Hip-Hop Scene Emerges in Bolivia](#),ö *Utne Reader*, January/February 2007.
- F cpi n Dgplco kp, [öThe US Military Descends on Paraguay](#),ö *The Nation*, July 12, 2006.

ACADEMIC AND INVITED LECTURES, CONFERENCE PAPERS

- Kpxkgf rgewtg qp r tqvugeqo o wpleckqp utcvgi lgu kp WXO Ngewtgt Igp Dgti gtø ercuu ARTS 2040: Making Political Posters, October 2, 2024.
- Invited lecture on communication utcvgi lgu hqt Rtqhguaqt Lquj Hctrg{ø EF CG 6990: Urban Agroecology class on April 2, 2024.
- Invited Lecture on Decolonial Research Methodologies in the Andean Oral History Workshop, Invited Virtual Lecture for Andean Oral History Workshop 40th Year Anniversary in La Paz, Bolivia, November 14, 2023.
- Invited Lecture on Movement Media: The Communication Strategies of Social Justice Movements, Cells to Society Lecture, UVM, November 9, 2023.
- Invited Lecture on Rebel Memory: Indigenous Movements and Oral History in Bolivia, Education and Enrichment for Everyone, South Burlington, VT, October 7, 2023.
- Invited Lecture on Social Movements in Latin America and Indigenous Movements in Bolivia, Union College, May 29, 2023.
- Public Lecture on A World Where Many Worlds Fit, Book Launch Talk, The Venetian Soda Lounge, Burlington, VT, June 1, 2023.
- Invited presentations on Indigenous movements in Bolivia at the Universidad Pública De El Alto and Universidad Mayor de San Andrés in La Paz, Bolivia on March 15 and 16, 2023.
- Guest Speaker in UVM Senior Lecturer David Uzzell's Class HCOL186: Transnational Extractivism in Latin America class on February 22, 2023.

- Guest Lecture on the Politics of the Evo Morales Administration and Social Movements in Bolivia at the University of Vermont, November 29, 2017
- Paper entitled "The Politics of Memory in Bolivian Indigenous Movements, 1980-2015" presented at Latin America: Multidisciplinary Perspectives Conference, at the University of Montreal, Quebec, May 8, 2015.
- Keynote address on "Historical Consciousness in Bolivia: Raised Voices: Learning from the Indigenous Peoples of the Americas" conference at Oakton Community College, Illinois, April 16, 2015.
- Invited Lecture on Social Movements and States in Latin America at Macalester College, February 7, 2012
- Invited Lecture on Social Movements and States in Latin America at Chabot College, March 9, 2011
- Invited Lecture on Social Movements and States in Latin America at Berkeley City College, March 8, 2011.
- Invited Lecture on Social Movements and States in Latin America at University of California at Davis, March 4, 2011
- Invited Lecture on Social Movements and States in Latin America at Middlebury College, November 19, 2010.
- Invited Lecture on Resource Wars and Social Movements in Bolivia at Ithaca College, April 24, 2008.
- Invited Lecture on Resource Wars and Social Movements in Bolivia at Grand Valley State University, September 5, 2007.
- Invited Lecture on Resource Wars and Social Movements in Bolivia at the University of Pittsburgh, April 9, 2007.
- Invited Lecture on Resource Wars and Social Movements in Bolivia at Bard College, March 28, 2007.

UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT TEACHING AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Thomas F. Patterson Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching Assistant Utilization and Mentoring, UVM (2024)

- Awarded for an enduring track record of effective mentorship and engagement with TAs in the classroom.

CALS Carrigan Award for Outstanding Teaching, UVM (2023)

- The most prestigious teaching award in CALS, this is awarded to faculty for excellence in undergraduate teaching, advising and education.
- UVM Coverage of Award: [Ben Dangi Receives the 2023 CALS Carrigan Award for Outstanding Teaching](#)

Outstanding New Community-Engaged Faculty Award, UVM (2023)

- Awarded for creating reciprocal community-engaged learning opportunities for students which benefit VT communities and beyond.

- Ocf qpk, Cppckuc, [öVj g wkkqp kpetgcug y kmlpvgpukh/ WXO ðu gzkkpi y gcmj i cr](#), ö *The Vermont Cynic*, April 24, 2024.
- Y cnj , Gnk c, [öY j cvY qtmgtuctg Gzr gtlkpeki kp Dwtiki vqpa Ugtxleg Ugevq ð And J qy Vj g{øtg Ej cpi kpi K,ö](#)

- Nqxxg, Ucdkpg, FcpkgnY krfgt cpf J crg{ Ug{o qwt, ö ['Why we are frustrated': The strained dialogue surrounding sexual assault on Burlington's college campuses](#), ö *VT Digger*, May 15, 2022.
- Dctkpg, Ucxkpg, ö [Service-Learning Courses Empower Students to Learn by Doing](#), ö *CDAE Department Newsletter*, UVM, May 2, 2022.
- Hgnkwq, I cdtkpg, ö [Public Communication Major Connects with Community Through Broadcast Journalism](#), ö *CDAE Department Newsletter*, UVM, April 29, 2022.
- Dgtrcpfk Co grlc cpf Pcvngki j P qdrg, ö [Hgg o qpg{öcpf o kuuf qr r qtwpkku: J GGTH grants at UVM](#), ö *VT Digger*, April 24, 2022.
- Drcrk, Uj c{rc, ö [UVM Entrepreneurship Students Partner with Innovators to Bring Their Ideas to Life](#), ö *CDAE Department Newsletter*, UVM, December 7, 2021.
- Ocutqeqrc, I tgv, ö [UVM Students Reflect on Impact of CDAE's World Food, Population, and Development Class](#), ö *CDAE Department Newsletter*, UVM, December 6, 2021.
- Rj {r gtu, Ecv, ö [WXO ecppqvdc öRwdrlc K{ö y kj qwrkdgtcnctw](#), ö *VT Digger*, November 24, 2021.
- Nqxxg, Ucdkpg, ö [Explain the Asterisk: Sexual Violence at UVM](#), ö *VT Digger*, May 2, 2021.
- Dctej, Octi ctgv, ö [UVM Students Reflect on the Empowering Impact of CDAE's Transdisciplinary Education](#), ö *CDAE Department Newsletter*, UVM, April 23, 2021.
- Ci kp, Fcpk, ö [Capstone for Community: Students Apply Public Communication Skills to Aid Local Organizations](#), ö *CDAE Department Newsletter*, UVM, April 19, 2021.
- Nqxxg, Ucdkpg, ö [Our future is in the hands of our youth](#), ö *Missoulian*, March 11, 2021.
- Oqpvqm Uctcj, ö [Vj g cr r tqej vq vgej kpi f wtkpi vj g r cpf go le kupøvy qtnkpi](#) (

- Ectqm Cdkl ckl, [EFCCgũ Pgy Rj F Rtqi tco Clo u vq Dwxf Oqtg Uwuckpcdrg Y qtrf](#), *CDAE Department Newsletter*, UVM, November 13, 2020.
- Uwo kny c, Cwuj k, [A media adversary's long battle with Japan's new Prime Minister Suga Yoshihide](#), *Global Voices*, September 27, 2020.
- Dtqy p, I tgv, õ

- [Fletcher Free Library](#): Students develop a communications plan and deliverables for marketing Burlington public library services to BIPOC, Immigrant and Refugee communities.

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LANGUAGES

- English (native)
- Spanish (fluent)