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## Michael Kahan

Senior Lecturer of Sociology

 Curriculum Vitae available Online

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### Bio

#### BIO

I've been the Associate Director of the Program on Urban Studies since the fall of 2003; I'm also a senior lecturer in Sociology.

I teach both introductory and upper-level courses in Urban Studies, and I teach courses on the history of American cities.

#### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Senior Lecturer, Sociology

#### ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

- Associate Director, Program on Urban Studies, (2004- present)

#### PROGRAM AFFILIATIONS

- Program on Urban Studies

#### PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- B.A., Yale University , History (1990)
- Ph.D., University of Pennsylvania , History (2002)

#### LINKS

- My Urban Studies page: <https://urbanstudies.stanford.edu/people/michael-kahan>

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### Research & Scholarship

#### CURRENT RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY INTERESTS

19th and 20th Century Urban and Social History; Street Life; Urban Space

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### Teaching

#### COURSES

##### 2020-21

- Capstone Internship in Urban Studies: URBANST 201A (Aut, Win, Spr)
- From Gold Rush to Google Bus: History of San Francisco: AMSTUD 150X, URBANST 150 (Spr)
- Introduction to Urban Studies: URBANST 110 (Win)

- Senior Seminar: URBANST 203 (Aut)

#### 2019-20

- Capstone Internship in Urban Studies: URBANST 201A (Aut, Spr)
- Gentrification: URBANST 141 (Spr)
- Introduction to Urban Studies: HISTORY 107, URBANST 110 (Win)
- Senior Seminar: URBANST 203 (Aut)
- Service Learning Practicum: EDUC 98 (Win)

#### 2018-19

- Capstone Internship in Urban Studies: URBANST 201A (Aut, Spr)
- From Gold Rush to Google Bus: History of San Francisco: AMSTUD 150X, HISTORY 252E, URBANST 150 (Spr)
- Introduction to Urban Studies: HISTORY 107, URBANST 110 (Win)
- Senior Seminar: URBANST 203 (Aut)
- Service Learning Practicum: EDUC 98 (Win)

#### 2017-18

- Capstone Internship in Urban Studies: URBANST 201A (Aut, Spr)
- Gentrification: CSRE 141, URBANST 141 (Spr)
- Introduction to Urban Studies: URBANST 110 (Win)
- Senior Seminar: URBANST 203 (Aut)
- Service Learning Practicum: EDUC 98 (Win)
- St. Petersburg: Imagining a City, Building a City: OSPGEN 74 (Sum)
- St. Petersburg: Imagining a City, Building a City: SLAVIC 155 (Spr)

## Publications

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### PUBLICATIONS

- **“Jewish Girls’ Street Peddling in Gilded Age Philadelphia: Ethnic Niche, Family Strategy, and Sexual Danger”** *Journal of the History of Childhood and Youth*  
Kahan, M. B.  
2019; 12 (3): 374-392
- **“Urban America”** *A Companion to the Gilded Age and Progressive Era*  
Kahan, M. B.  
Wiley-Blackwell.2017
- **Reading Whiskey Gulch: The Meanings of Space and Urban Redevelopment in East Palo Alto** *Occasion*  
Kahan, M. B.  
2015; 8
- **THE RISK OF CHOLERA AND THE REFORM OF URBAN SPACE: PHILADELPHIA, 1893** *GEOGRAPHICAL REVIEW*  
Kahan, M. B.  
2013; 103 (4): 517-536
- **“There are Plenty of Women on the Street”:** **The Landscape of Commercial Sex in Progressive-Era Philadelphia”** *Historical Geography*  
Kahan, M. B.  
2012; 40: 39-60