

Curriculum Vitae for Andrew D. Gordon

Education

- 1981 HARVARD UNIVERSITY
Ph.D. in History and East Asian Languages
- 1975 HARVARD COLLEGE
A.B. Summa cum laude, East Asian Studies
- 1973-74 Inter-University Center for Japanese Language Studies, Tokyo

Teaching Experience

- 2002- HARVARD UNIVERSITY
Lee and Juliet Folger Fund Professor of History
- 1995-02 Professor of History
- 1991-95 DUKE UNIVERSITY
Professor of History
- 1987-91 Associate Professor of History
- 1985-87 Assistant Professor of History
- 1981-85 HARVARD UNIVERSITY
Assistant Professor of History

Books

- 2013 *Mishin to Nihon no kindai*, Misuzu Shobō. Translation of *Fabricating Consumers* (2011)
- 2013 *A Modern History of Japan*, 3rd edition. Oxford University Press
- 2012 *Nihon roshi kankei shi*, Iwanami shoten. A translation of *The Evolution of Labor Relations in Japan* (1985) with two additional chapters covering the period from the 1960s to the present
- 2011 *Fabricating Consumers: The Sewing Machine in Modern Japan*, University of California Press.
- 2007 *Nihonjin ga shiranai Matsuzaka mejaa kakumei* [Matsuzaka's Unknown Major League Revolution], Asahi shinsho
- 2002 *A Modern History of Japan: From Tokugawa Times to the Present*, Oxford University Press (translations published in Chinese, Japanese, Korean) [second English edition, fall 2008]

- 2000 *Historical Perspectives on Contemporary East Asia*,
Harvard University Press (co-editor)
- 1998 *The Wages of Affluence: Labor and Management in Postwar Japan*,
Harvard University Press
- 1993 *Postwar Japan as History* (editor), University of California Press
(published in Japanese translation by Misuzu shobo, 2002)
- 1991 *Labor and Imperial Democracy in Prewar Japan*, University of
California Press (awarded Fairbank Prize of American Historical
Association, 1991, and Arisawa Hiromi Prize Finalist, 1992)
- 1985 *The Evolution of Labor Relations in Japan: Heavy Industry, 1853-1955*,
Harvard East Asian Monographs

Other major publications:

- 2016 Introduction: The Global E.P. Thompson. Co-authored, with Gabriel
Winant, Sven Beckert and Rudi Batzell. Special issue of *International
Review of Social History* 61:1.
- 2015 E. P. Thompson, Politics and History: Writing Social History Fifty
Years after The Making of the English Working Class. Co-authored
with Rudi Batzell, Sven Beckert and Gabriel Winant. Special issue of
Journal of Social History 48: 4 (Summer)
- 2015 Making Sense of the Lost Decades: Workplaces and Schools, Men and
Women, Young and Old, Rich and Poor, in Yoichi Funabashi and Barak
Kushner, ed., *Examining Japan's Lost Decades*. Routledge : Taylor and
Francis Group.
- 2012 Consumption, Consumerism and Japanese Modernity, in Frank
Trentmann, ed., *The Oxford Handbook of The History of Consumption*.
Oxford University Press.
- 2012 Like Bamboo Shoots after the Rain: The Growth of a Nation of
Dressmakers and Consumers, in Penelope Francks, and Janet Hunter,
eds., *The Historical Consumer: Consumption and Everyday Life in
Japan*. Palgrave Macmillan.
- 2008 "Selling the American Way: The Singer Sales System in Japan,
1900-1938" *Business History Review* 82:4 (Winter)
- 2007 "Consumption, Leisure and the Middle Class in Transwar Japan," *Social*

Science Japan Journal 10:1 (April)

- 2006 "From Sewing Machines to Credit Cards: Consumer Credit in 20th Century Japan," in Sheldon Garon and Patricia Maclachlan, eds., *The Ambivalent Consumer: Questioning Consumption in East Asia and the West*, Cornell University Press
- 2006 "Shohi, seikatsu, goraku no 'kansen shi'" [A "transwar" history of consumption, daily life, and leisure], in Narita Ryuichi, et al., eds., *Nichijo seikatsu no naka no soryoku sen* [Total war in the midst of daily life], Iwanami koza: Ajia Taiheyo senso [Iwanami symposium: The Asia-Pacific War], Vol. 6, Iwanami shoten
- 2002 "The Short Happy Life of the Japanese Middle Class," in Olivier Zunz, Leonard Schoppa, and Nobuhiro Hiwatari, eds., *Social Contracts Under Stress: the Middle Classes of America, Europe, and Japan at the Turn of the Century*, Russell Sage Foundation
- 1997 "Managing the Japanese Household: The New Life Movement in Postwar Japan," *Social Politics* (Summer).
- 1996 "The Disappearance of the Japanese Working Class Movement," in Elizabeth J. Perry, ed., *Putting Class in Its Place: Worker Identities in East Asia*, Berkeley: Institute of East Asian Studies
- 1994 "Luttes pour pouvoir dans les ateliers: ouvriers et direction dans la siderurgie des annees 50 au Japon," *Annales* (May-June, 1994)
- 1993 "Contests for the Workplace," in Andrew Gordon, ed., *Postwar Japan as History*, University of California Press
- 1989 "The Business Lobby and Bureaucrats in Labor, 1911-1945," in William Wray, ed., *Managing Industrial Enterprise: Cases from Japan's Prewar Experience*, Council on East Asian Studies, Harvard University
- 1989 "Araki Toichiro and the Shaping of Labor Management," in Yui Tsunehiko, ed., *Japanese Management in Historical Perspective*, Tokyo University Press
- 1988 "The Crowd and Politics in Tokyo, 1905-1918," *Past and Present* (November) [published in translation in *Rekishigaku kenkyu*, 1987]
- 1987 "The Right to Work In Japan: Labor and the State in the Depression," *Social Research* 54:2 (Summer)
- 1986 "Senzen Nankatu chiiki ni okeru rodo kumiai undo no tenkai," *Ohara*

shakai mondai kenkyujo kenkyu shiryō geppo [The development of the union movement in the prewar Nankatsu area] (February)

Translations

- 1997 *The Ashio Riot of 1907* (editor, and translator with Terry Boardman), by Nimura Kazuo, Duke University Press
- 1996 *Portraits of the Japanese Workplace* (editor, and translator with Mikiso Hane), by Kumazawa Makoto, Westview Press
- 1992 “Theoretical Displacement of Social Sciences from Chartier to Foucault: Beyond Postmodernism,” by Yamamoto Tetsuji, *Ichiki Intercultural* No. 4

Recent Professional and Administrative Activities

- 2014- Member, American Academy of Arts and Sciences
- March 2011- Co-Director, Japan Disaster Digital Archive Project, Harvard University
- Jan. 2011- June 2012 Director, Edwin O. Reischauer Institute of Japanese Studies, Harvard University
- 2004-07 Chair, Department of History, Harvard University
- 1998-2004 Director, Edwin O. Reischauer Institute of Japanese Studies, Harvard University
- 1998-2000 Head Tutor, East Asian Studies, Harvard
- 1994-97 Member, North East Asia Council, Association for Asian Studies (elected position)
- 1993-94 Member, Asian/Pacific Studies Executive Committee, Duke University
- 1993- Member, Joint Committee on Japanese Studies, Social Science Research Council

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