

# **Amelia Kiddle**

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## **Biography**

Dr. Kiddle is Associate Professor of Spanish American history and the Coordinator of the Latin American Studies Program at the University of Calgary. She specializes in the political and cultural history of Mexican foreign relations. She has published articles in the Journal of Latin American Studies and Mexican Studies/Estudios Mexicanos. Her first monograph, Mexico's Relations with Latin America during the Cárdenas Era, which is based upon her University of Arizona doctoral dissertation (winner of the 2010 Premio Genaro Estrada from the Mexican Ministry of Foreign Affairs) has just been published by the University of New Mexico Press. As an outgrowth of this project, she developed an interest in the Mexican oil expropriation of 1938's place in inter-American affairs. She and her colleague in Mexico, Cecilia Zuleta recently published an anthology of newspaper articles from Latin America reacting to the expropriation and they have begun work on a co-authored book tentatively titled The Mexican Oil Expropriation of 1938 and the Roots of Resource Nationalism in Latin America, a project which is supported by an Insight Grant from the Social Science and Humanities Research Council of Canada.

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## **Industry Expertise**

Education/Learning, Research

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## **Areas of Expertise**

Spanish American History, Latin America, Mexican History

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## **Education**

**University of Arizona**

Ph.D. Latin American and World History

**University of Chicago**

Master of Arts Social Sciences

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## **Accomplishments**

**SSHRC Insight Grant, ?The Mexican Oil Expropriation of 1938 and the Roots of Resource Nationalism in Latin America.?**

2016 - 2019

**Killam Emerging Research Leader Award, University of Calgary**  
2014

**SSHRC Connection Grant, ?Energy in the Americas: Critical Reflexions on Energy and History.?**  
2014

**Andrew W. Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowship, Center for the Americas, Wesleyan University**  
2010 - 2012

**Premio Genaro Estrada, Secretaría de Relaciones Exteriores, Government of Mexico, 2010. Best  
doctoral dissertation on the topic of Mexican foreign relations.**  
2010

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