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Biography

Mara Scanlon, Professor of English, received her Ph.D. and M.A. from the University of Wisconsin-Madison and a B.A. from the University of Virginia. Her teaching and research interests include poetry and poetics, Modernism, women's literature, ethics and literature, Asian American literature, and digital humanities. Dr. Scanlon is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and winner of UMW's 2014 Grellet C. Simpson Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching.

Industry Expertise

Entertainment, Education/Learning, Media - Print, Research, Writing and Editing, Women

Areas of Expertise

Digital Humanities, Women's Literature and Feminist Theory , Twentieth-Century Literature, Asian American Studies , Bakhtinian theory , Modernism, Poetry, Ethics and Literature

Affiliations

Phi Beta Kappa , Emily Dickinson International Society, H. D. International Society , Modernist Studies Association , Northeast Modern Language Association , Modern Language Association

Education

University of Wisconsin-Madison

Ph.D. English

University of Wisconsin-Madison

M.A. English

University of Virginia

B.A. English

Accomplishments

Scanlon Publishes Essay on Modernist Writer Rebecca West

Mara Scanlon's essay "Gender Identity and Promiscuous Identification: Reading (in) Rebecca West's *The Return of the Soldier*" was recently published in *The Journal of Modern Literature*. The article focuses on the frequently overlooked narrator of West's novel, set on the home front in the First World War.

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