

## Julio Capó, Jr., Ph.D.

### Appointments (Select)

Florida International University (Miami, FL) Associate Professor, Department of History Deputy Director, Wolfsonian Public Humanities Lab	August 2019—Present
University of Massachusetts, Amherst (Amherst, MA) Associate Professor, Department of History + Commonwealth Honors College Assistant Professor, Department of History + Commonwealth Honors College	July 2012—Aug 2019 July 2018—Aug 2019 July 2012—July 2018

### Education

Florida International University Ph.D. History • Winner of Best Dissertation Prize, Urban History Association	2006—2011
New York University (New York, NY) B.A. Journalism/Mass Communication; Minors in History and Politics	2001—2004

### Publications (Select)

- *Welcome to Fairyland: Queer Miami before 1940*. Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2017
  - Winner of 5 Book Awards (Charles S. Sydnor Award, Southern Historical Association; Rembert Patrick Award, Florida Historical Society; Harry T. and Harriette V. Moore Ward, Florida Historical Society; Stetson Kennedy Award, Florida Historical Society; Florida Book Award, Bronze, Florida Nonfiction) and Finalist for Lambda Literary Award
- “Sexual Connections: Queers and Competing Tourist Markets in Miami and the Caribbean, 1920–1940,” *Radical History Review* 129 (October 2017): 9–33
  - Winner of Audre Lorde Prize, Committee on Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender History
- “Queering Mariel: Mediating Cold War Foreign Policy and U.S. Citizenship among Cuba’s Homosexual Exile Community, 1978–1994,” *Journal of American Ethnic History* 29, no. 4 (Summer 2010): 78–106
  - Winner of Carlton C. Qualey Memorial Article Award, Immigration & Ethnic History Society

### Museum Exhibitions (Select)

- Curator, *Queer Miami: A History of LGBTQ Communities*, for HistoryMiami Museum (March 15-September 2019)
  - Winner of Museum Excellence Award, Florida Association of Museums
- Curator (with Shoshana Resnikoff), [\*Messages from a Pandemic: AIDS Graphic Communication\*](#), for The Wolfsonian—FIU (2021-Present)

### Professional Service (Select)

- Associate Editor, Made by History Section of *The Washington Post* (January 2022-Present)
- Scholarly Advisory Committee, The Smithsonian’s National Museum of the American Latino (2022-Present)
- Scholarly Advisory Committee (PORTAL), The Smithsonian’s National Portrait Gallery (2021-Present)
- Conference Program Committee Member for: Organization of American Historians (2023); National Council on Public History (2022); Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations (2021)
- Co-Chair (with Emily K. Hobson) of Committee on Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender History, an affiliated organization of the American Historical Association, (2018-20)
- Member of Editorial Board, *Journal of American History* (2018-20)
- Member of Executive Committee or Council for: Society for Historians of the Gilded Age and Progressive Era (2021-2024); Urban History Association (2017-19); Immigration and Ethnic History Society (2012-15)