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Education

- 2009 Ph.D., Rutgers University-New Brunswick, Department of Anthropology
- 2005 M.A., Rutgers University-New Brunswick, Department of Anthropology
- 2002 B.A., cum laude University of Notre Dame. Major: Anthropology and Environmental Sciences

Research and Teaching Specialties

Migration and social change; politics of indigenous knowledge and identity; conservation, sustainability, and environmental justice; informal economies and informality; digital technologies and media; political satire, tourism and tourist art; Swahili language, dialects, and interpretation; refugee resettlement and family advocacy; Kenya East Africa; Tampa, Florida

Academic Appointments

- 2024-present Associate Professor, Dept. of Anthropology University of South Florida
- 2017-2024 Assistant Professor, Dept. of Anthropology, University of South Florida
- 2013-2017 Visiting Assistant Professor, Dept. of Anthropology, University of South Florida
- 2009-2013 Visiting Instructor, Dept. of Anthropology, Rutgers University

Book

- Mahoney, Dillon
2017 The Art of Connection: Risk, Mobility, and the Crafting of Transparency in Coastal Kenya
Berkeley, CA: University of California Press DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1515/9780520966239>

Peer-Reviewed Articles

- Siven, Jacqueline M., Julia Coburn, Tristan P. Dillon Mahoney, Rebeca Rodriguez Flores, Harpiya Kaur, Michael A. Flynn, and Cammie Chaumont Menendez
2023 *Journal of Migration and Ethnic Studies* 10(1): 1-15. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.focus.2023.100128>
- Harb, Ahmad M., Brennan Ninesling, Alfredo Ortega Cotte, Asa Oxner, Lynette J. Menendez, Dillon Mahoney, and Roberta D. Baer
2022 *Journal of Migration and Ethnic Studies* 9(1): 1-15. DOI: [10.1055/s0042-1756674](https://doi.org/10.1055/s0042-1756674)

Baer, Roberta D Dillon Mahoney

Holbrook, Emily A., Roberta Bae Dillon Mahoney, Renice Obure, and Florence Ackey
2019

Conference Presentations and Invited Lectures (abridged)

Association. Panel title: Building the Big Tent: Anthropology and Interdisciplinary Work in Food and Nutrition. Washington, D.C., December 3.

2017 Baer, Roberta, Dillon Mahoney, Emily Holbrook, and Renice Odupe [(.)11(Wa)-2(sh)9(i)-4(ng)11(t)-4(on, D)

- Methods in Cultural Research (to classes at USF ranging in size from 20 to 60 students).
- Anthropology of Africa (to classes at USF and Rutgers ranging in size from 15 to 50 students).
- Anthropology of Media (to classes at USF and Rutgers ranging in size from 15 to 40 students).
- Anthropology and Tourism (to classes at Rutgers ranging in size from 20 to 40 students).
- Global/Local Systems (to classes at Rutgers ranging in size from 20 to 40 students).
- Anthropology of Development (to classes at Rutgers ranging in size from 20 to 40 students).
- Introduction to Linguistic Anthropology (to classes at Rutgers of 75 students).
- Language and Social Diversity (to a class at Rutgers of 25 students).

Post-Doctoral Advising

- Wakhungu, Mathews, postdoctoral researcher at the University of South Florida funded under anti-racism grant (fall 2020-spring 2021).
- Ussher, Yvette, postdoctoral fellow from the University of Ghana (spring 2019).
- Asante, Rabi, postdoctoral fellow from the University of Ghana (summer 2018).

Graduate Advising

Current graduate advisees(2024):

- Nadege Nau, Ph.D. Student
- Emily Holbrook, Ph.D. Student
- Tyler Koerner, M.A. Student
- Caroline Stahley, M.A. Student

Graduated advisees

Other graduate advising:

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Anthropology, fall 2023present).

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(Dissertation committee member, USF Anthropology, fall 2021present).

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member, USF Anthropology, spring 20202021).

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committee member, USF Anthropology, spring 2020spring 2022).

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Anthropology, fall 20162020).

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Anthropology, spring 20172020).

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Anthropology, fall 2015spring 2018).

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&RPPXQLWY thesis committee member, USF Anthropology, fall 2017).

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Honors College, fall 2017).

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(Honors Thesis outside reader, USF Honors College, spring 2017).

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(Honors Thesis chair, USF Anthropology, spring 2016).

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Anthropology, spring 2016).

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reader, Rutgers Anthropology, spring 2013).

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Anthropology, spring 2012).

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chair, Rutgers Anthropology, spring 2012).

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(Honors Thesis chair, Rutgers Anthropology, spring 2012).

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Anthropology, spring 2012).

LanguageSkills
English (fluent, native language)
Swahili (fluent in va(fmas

USF Anthropology Department Media Lab Committee (fall 2020-present)
USF Anthropology Department Collections Committee (2018-present)
Member of the Anthropology Department Committee on Diversity and Inclusion (fall 2022-present)
Director of the USF Anthropology Internship Program (2020-present)
USF Curriculum Committee, School of Social Sciences (2019-present)
USF Curriculum Committee, College of Arts and Sciences (2019-present)
Faculty advisor for the USF Interdisciplinary Media Club (2023-present)
Faculty advisor for the USF Swahili Students Organization (2016-2023)
Faculty advisor for the FLOOF, the USF Furry Club (2022-present)
Faculty advisor for the USF Graduate Language Club (2022-present)
Faculty advisor for the USF Wonders of Refugee Care Students Organization (2019-present)
Conduct student language evaluations for Swahili speaking students, USF Department of World Languages
Tampa Bay Refugee Task Force, member, consultant, and volunteer (with multiple member organizations)

July 2024