

# Angela Ambrose

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## Research Interests

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Digital geographies; urban geography; political geography; informal citizenship; critical data studies; critical GIS; feminist theory; digital humanitarianism; smart cities; big data; open data; data-sharing

## Education

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**Master of Arts: Geography** 2020  
*University of Calgary*

**Bachelor of Science: Geography** 2018  
*University of Calgary*

## Grants, Scholarships, and Awards

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**Michael Smith Foreign Study Supplement (\$6,000) – Recipient** 2019  
*Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC)*

**Canada Graduate Scholarship - Master's (\$17,500) – Recipient** 2019  
*Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC)*

**Accelerate Award (\$10,000) – Recipient** 2019  
*Mitacs*

**Master's Research Scholarship (\$500) - Recipient** 2019  
*University of Calgary – SSHRC funded*

**Professional Development Grant (\$750) – Recipient** 2019  
*University of Calgary – Graduate Students' Association*

**Faculty of Graduate Studies Travel Award (\$750) – Recipient** 2019  
*University of Calgary – Faculty of Graduate Studies*

**Queen Elizabeth II Scholarship (\$10,800) – Recipient** 2018  
*University of Calgary*

**SSHRC – Canada Graduate Scholarship - Master's (\$17,500) – Shortlisted** 2018  
*Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC)*

**Shell Energy Experiential Learning Fund (\$1,500) – Group Recipient** 2017  
*Shell Canada*

## Research Experience

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**Researcher** Present  
Models of Citizenship: A Comparative Analysis of Digital Humanitarianism and Local Activist Engagement  
*Department of Geography, University of Calgary*

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<b>Consultant/Researcher</b> Topic: Challenges and Opportunities of Collaborative Data Initiatives <i>Innovate Calgary &amp; Engaging Open Data Research</i>	2019
<b>Research Assistant</b> Social and Technological Humanitarian Studies Working Group <i>Department of Geography, University of Calgary</i>	2018
<b>Researcher</b> Campus Security Assessment (Urban GIS) <i>Department of Geography, University of Calgary</i>	2018

## Courses and Teaching

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### *Teaching Assistantships*

UBST 591: Capstone in Urban Studies (2 assistantships)  
GEOG 457: Urban and Environmental GIS (1 assistantship)

### *Course Development*

GEOG 697: Seminar in New Digital Geographies

### *Invited Lectures*

GEOG 463: Cities, Poverty & Development

## Publications and Presentations

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<b>Social and Technological Humanitarian Studies Working Paper II</b> Topic: <i>Intersections of Digital Colonialism &amp; Digital Humanitarianism</i> Forthcoming, SocArXiv.	2019
<b>Presenter: Department of Geography Graduate Seminar</b> Topic: <i>Models of Citizenship: A Comparative Analysis of Digital Humanitarianism and Local Activist Engagement</i>	2019
<b>Presenter: American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting</b> Topic: <i>Intersections of Digital Colonialism and Digital Humanitarianism</i>	2019
<b>Social and Technological Humanitarian Studies Working Paper I</b> Topic: <i>Human Rights Investigations Labs</i> Published on SocArXiv.	2018

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## Memberships & Working Groups

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<b>Member</b> <i>Engaging Open Data Research, University of Calgary</i>	2019 – Present
<b>Member</b> <i>Social and Technological Humanitarian Studies Research Group, University of Calgary</i>	2018 – Present
<b>Voting Member</b> <i>American Association of Geographers</i>	2017 – Present
<b>Voting Member</b> <i>Canadian Studies Specialty Group - American Association of Geographers</i>	2017 – Present
<b>Voting Member</b> <i>Cultural Geography Specialty Group - American Association of Geographers</i>	2017 – Present
<b>Voting Member</b> <i>Digital Geographies Specialty Group - American Association of Geographers</i>	2017 – Present
<b>Voting Member</b> <i>Socialist and Critical Geography Specialty Group - American Association of Geographers</i>	2017 – Present

## Extra-Curricular Activities

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<b>Co-Chair</b> <i>Alberta Non-Profit Network's Data Strategy – Data Hub Task Group. Engaging Open Data Research (PI: Ryan Burns; Collaborators: Angela Ambrose, Preston Welker).</i>	2019
<b>Technical Committee</b> <i>University of Calgary – 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Geography Department Conference</i>	2019
<b>Volunteer, Remote-based</b> <i>Missing Maps Project (OSM Foundation)</i>	2017 – Present
<b>Mapping Intern, Remote-based</b> <i>Humanitarian OpenStreetMap Team</i>	2017
<b>Volunteer &amp; Workshop Participant, Red Deer AB</b> <i>Central Alberta Refugee Effort</i>	2014 – 2016