Media, Landscape, and Novel Ecosystems of the American West
An Oral Exam Reading List for the Ph.D. Program in Modern Thought and Literature

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Date of Exam: Wednesday, May 28, 2014
Time and Location: 2:00pm - 4:00pm, Wallenberg Hall, 4th Floor, Room 433B

Examiners:
Zephyr Frank (Co-advisor)
Ursula K. Heise (Co-advisor)
Fred Turner
Alexander Nemerov
Gail Wight
Terry Root (Chairperson)

Orals Fields:
Eco-spatial History
Test Sites
History of Photography
Experimental Media Arts
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5. Rebecca Solnit, *River of Shadows: Eadweard Muybridge and the Technological Wild West* (Viking, 2003).*

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22. Peter Pool, Dave Hickey, Patricia Nelson, and Thomas Southall, *The Altered Landscape* (University of Nevada Press, 1999).*

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2. Lawrence Weschler, *Seeing is Forgetting the Name of the Thing One Sees* (University of California Press, 1982).