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Darrel Enck-Wanzer is in his second year as an Instructor in the Department of Communication Studies at EIU. Interested in the possibilities for radical democratic praxis given the constraints of U.S. liberal democracy, Darrel's research is located at the nexus of rhetorical theory, political theory, cultural studies, and Latina/o studies. Identifying principally with the discipline of rhetorical studies, and secondarily with Latina/o studies, Darrel's research and teaching examines the theories and practices of robust democratic citizenship in a diverse society. Darrel's current research project is on the new York Young Lords, a group of revolutionary Puerto Ricans similar in aim and function to the Black Panthers. At present, Darrel teaches courses in argumentation and critical thinking, public speaking, and persuasion. You can read more about Darrel's specific research and teaching interests

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