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[Dr. Aaron H. Devor](#) has been studying and teaching about transgender topics for more than 35 years. He holds the world's only [Research Chair in Transgender Studies](#) and is the author of numerous well-cited scholarly articles, and the widely-acclaimed books *FTM: Female-to-Male Transsexuals in Society* (2016, 1997), Lambda-Literary-Awards-finalist [The Transgender Archives: Foundations for the Future](#) (2014), and *Gender Blending: Confronting the Limits of Duality* (1989). He has delivered lectures to audiences around the world, including more than 20 keynote and plenary addresses. He is a 3M-award-winning teacher, an elected member of the International Academy of Sex Research, and an elected Fellow of the Society for the Scientific Study of Sexuality. He is also Historian for the World Professional Association for Transgender Health (WPATH), an author of their *Standards of Care* (2001 and 2011). Dr. Devor is the Founder and Academic Director of the world's largest [Transgender Archives](#), convener and host of the [Moving Trans History Forward](#) conferences (2014, 2016, 2018), a former Dean of Graduate Studies (2002-2012), and a professor of Sociology, at the University of Victoria.