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EDUCATION:

- 1987-1993 Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois.
Ph.D., History, 1993.
M.A., History, 1990.
- 1982-1986 Saint Olaf College, Northfield, Minnesota.
B.A., magna cum laude, History, 1986.
- 1985 Cambridge University, England.

ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

- 2009-2010 Ludwig Maximilian University, Munich, Germany.
Fellow, Rachel Carson Center for Environment and Society.
- 2004- Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
Professor of History, 2007-
Chair, Department of History, 2006-2009.
Associate Professor of History, 2004-2007.
- 2001-2002 University of Erfurt, Germany.
Fulbright Senior Scholar.
- 1998, 2005 Huntington Library, San Marino, California
National Endowment for the Humanities Fellow, 2005
Wilbur R. Jacobs and Mayers Fellow, 1998.
- 1996-2004 Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey.
Assistant Professor of History, 1997-2004.
Christian Gauss Fund University Preceptor, 2000-2003.
Fellow, Shelby Cullom Davis Center for Historical Studies, 1996-1997.
- 1994-1997 Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island.
Assistant Professor of History.
- 1993 University of Passau, Germany.
Guest Professor of American Studies.
- 1992-1994 University of Puget Sound, Tacoma, Washington.
Assistant Professor of History.
- 1987-1992 Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois.
Lecturer in History, 1991-1992.
Senior Teaching Fellow in History, 1988-1991.
Teaching Assistant in History, 1987-1988.

SELECT PUBLICATIONS:

BOOKS:

- ed., The Nature of Cities: Culture, Landscape, and Urban Space (Rochester, New York: University of Rochester Press, 2006).
- Mining California: An Ecological History (New York: Hill and Wang, 2005). Paperback edition 2006.
- The Destruction of the Bison: An Environmental History, 1750-1920 (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2000). Paperback edition 2001.

JOURNAL ARTICLES AND CHAPTERS IN BOOKS:

- "Between Mexico and the United States: From Indios to Vaqueros in the Pastoral Borderlands," in John Tutino, ed., Mexico and Mexicans in the Making of the United States (forthcoming, University of Texas Press, 2012).
- "The Code of the West: Sexuality, Homosociality, and Wyatt Earp," Western Historical Quarterly, 40 (Summer 2009), 139-157.
- "Mercurial Nature: The California Gold Country and the Coal Fields of the Ruhr Basin, 1850-1900," in Ursula Lehmkuhl and Hermann Wellenreuther, eds., Historians and Nature: Comparative Approaches to Environmental History (Oxford: Berg, 2007), 125-145.
- "The Industrial Alchemy of Hydraulic Mining: Law, Technology, and Resource-Intensive Industrialization," in Jeffrey M. Diefendorf and Kurk Dorsey, eds., City, Country, Empire: Landscapes in Environmental History (Pittsburgh: University of Pittsburgh Press, 2005), 122-137.
- "Environment and the Nineteenth-Century West; or, Process Encounters Place," in William Deverell, ed., A Companion to the History of the American West (Malden, Ma.: Blackwell, 2004), 77-92.
- "'To see inside of an Indian': Missionaries and Dakotas in the Minnesota Borderlands," in Kenneth Mills and Anthony Grafton, eds., Conversion: Old Worlds and New (Rochester, New York: University of Rochester Press, 2003), 218-240.
- "Historicizing Natural Environments: The Deep Roots of Environmental History," in Lloyd Kramer and Sarah Maza, eds., A Companion to Western Historical Thought (Malden, Ma.: Blackwell, 2002), 372-389.
- "The Moral Ecology of Wildlife," in Nigel Rothfels, ed., Representing Animals (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2002), 48-64.
- "The Wild and the Tamed: Indians, Euroamericans, and the Destruction of the Bison," in Mary Henninger-Voss, ed., Animals in Human Histories (Rochester, New York: University of Rochester Press, 2002), 115-143.
- "The Destruction of the Bison: Indian-Euroamerican Encounters and American Environmental History," and "Auswahlbibliographie 'Umweltgeschichte,'" in Ursula Lehmkuhl, ed., Umweltgeschichte: Histoire Totale oder Bindestrich-Geschichte? (Environmental History: Total History or Hyphenated History?) Erfurter Beiträger zur Nordamerikanischen Geschichte, 4 (Erfurt: Universität Erfurt, 2002), 14-30, 75-81.
- "The Market Revolution in the Borderlands: George Champlin Sibley in Missouri and New Mexico, 1808-1826," Journal of the Early Republic, 26 (Fall 2001), 445-465.
- "The Returns of the Bison: Nostalgia, Profit, and Preservation," Environmental History, 2 (April 1997), 179-196.
- Introduction to the New Bison Books Edition of E. Douglas Branch, The Hunting of the Buffalo (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 1997), ix-xvi.
- "Social and Environmental Causes and Consequences of the Destruction of the Bison," Revue Française d'Etudes Américaines (French Review of American Studies), 70 (October 1996), 15-27. Special issue: "L'Ecologie aux Etats-Unis" (Ecology of the United States).
- "Conservation and Equality: The Bison as a Natural Resource," in Kelly G. Wadsworth and Richard E. McCabe, eds., Transactions of the Sixtieth North American Wildlife and Natural Resources Conference (Washington, D.C.: Wildlife Management Institute, 1995), 550-556.
- "Toward a Policy of Destruction: Buffaloes, Law, and the Market, 1803-1883," Great Plains Quarterly, 12 (Fall 1992), 227-241.

REVIEWS:

- Review of David Vaught, After the Gold Rush: Tarnished Dreams in the Sacramento Valley (Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, 2007), American Historical Review, 113 (October 2008), 1159.

- Review of William Deverell and Greg Hise, eds., Land of Sunshine: An Environmental History of Metropolitan Los Angeles (Pittsburgh: University of Pittsburgh Press, 2005), Western Historical Quarterly, 37 (Winter 2006), 509-510.
- Review of "Physical Environment," in David J. Wishart, ed., Encyclopedia of the Great Plains (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 2004), Great Plains Quarterly, 26 (Spring 2006), 126-127.
- Review of Daniel Justin Herman, Hunting and the American Imagination (Washington: Smithsonian Institution Press, 2001), Pacific Historical Review, 72 (November 2003), 624-626.
- Review of Dale F. Lott, American Bison: A Natural History (Berkeley: University of California Press, 2002), in The Quarterly Review of Biology, 78 (June 2003), 242.
- Review of Shepard Krech III, The Ecological Indian: Myth and History (New York: Norton, 1999) in American Historical Review, 106 (April 2001), 526.
- "The California Gold Rush, the West, and the Nation," Reviews in American History, 29 (March 2001), 62-71.
- Review of Elliott West, The Way to the West: Essays on the Central Plains (Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press, 1995) in Environmental History, 2 (January 1997), 104-105.
- Review of Robert Brightman, Grateful Prey: Rock Cree Human-Animal Relationships (Berkeley: University of California Press, 1993), in American Indian Culture and Research Journal, 20 (Winter 1996), 224-227.
- Review of Donald Worster, The Wealth of Nature: Environmental History and the Ecological Imagination (New York: Oxford University Press, 1993), in Great Plains Quarterly, 15 (Summer 1995), 201.
- Review of Angela Miller, The Empire of the Eye: Landscape Representation and American Cultural Politics, 1825-1875 (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 1993), in Journal of Interdisciplinary History, 26 (Summer 1995), 140-41.
- Review of Peter G. Boag, Environment and Experience: Settlement Culture in Nineteenth-Century Oregon (Berkeley: University of California Press, 1992), in Journal of Interdisciplinary History, 25 (Winter 1995), 535-37.

ANTHOLOGIES AND ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES:

- "Indians and Bison on the Great Plains," excerpt from Destruction of the Bison reprinted in Carolyn Merchant, ed., Major Problems in American Environmental History, 2nd ed. (Boston: Houghton Mifflin, 2005), 58-62.
- "Bison," in Shepard Krech III, J.R. McNeill, and Carolyn Merchant, eds., Encyclopedia of World Environmental History, 3 vols. (New York: Routledge, 2004), vol. 1, 150-153.
- "Buffalo (Bison)," in Stanley I. Kutler, ed., Dictionary of American History, 3rd ed., 10 vols. (New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, 2003), vol. 1, 561-562.
- "Atsina (Gros Ventre);" "Buffalo;" "Treaty of Medicine Lodge (1867);" "Trade and Intercourse Acts (1790-1802);" in Harvey Markowitz, ed., Ready Reference: American Indians, 3 vols., (Pasadena, California: Salem Press, 1995), vol. 1, 83-84, 125-26; vol. 2, 476-77; vol. 3, 797.

PAPERS PRESENTED AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS:

- "Arthur F. McEvoy's The Fisherman's Problem: A Twenty-fifth Anniversary Retrospective," American Society for Environmental History Annual Meeting, Phoenix, Arizona, April 12-17, 2011.
- "Buffalo Commons: The Past, Present, and Future of an Idea," Conference on Green Cultures: Environmental Knowledge, Climate, and Catastrophe, Bavarian American Academy, Munich, Germany, July 8-10, 2010.
- "An Empire of Remedy: Indians, Smallpox, and Vaccination in the Antebellum American West," Rachel Carson Center for Environmental Studies, Ludwig-Maximilians University, Deutsches Museum, Munich, Germany, March 25, 2010.

- "Masculinity, Friendship, and Sexuality in Wyatt Earp's West," Western Historical Association Annual Meeting, Salt Lake City, Utah, October 22-25, 2008.
- "Rethinking Land and Labor in Northern Mexico and the U.S. Southwest: An Ecological Analysis," Conference on Mexico and Mexicans in the History and Culture of the United States, Georgetown University, April 27-28, 2007.
- "Legacies and Lessons of the History of the Bison," Wildlife Conservation Society, Plenary Session of the Conference on the Ecological Future of the North American Bison, Denver, Colorado, October 23-25, 2006.
- "Mercurial Nature: The California Gold Country and the Coal Fields of the Ruhr Basin, 1850-1900," Eighth Krefeld German-American Historical Symposium: "Historians' Nature: Comparative Approaches to Environmental History," Krefeld, Germany, May 5-8, 2005.
- "Banking on Sacramento: Urban Development, Flood Control, and Political Legitimization, 1848-1862," Urban History Association Conference, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, October 7-9, 2004.
- "Neo-Muir, Neo-Malthus, and Neo-Muckraker: Environmental History and Environmental Advocacy," Social Science History Association Annual Meeting, Baltimore, Maryland, November 13-16, 2003.
- "The Environment and the California Gold Rush: Technology, Law, and Resource-Intensive Economic Development," California Studies Association Annual Conference, Davis, California, April 25-27, 2003.
- "State of the Field: Environmental History," Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, Memphis, Tennessee, April 3-6, 2003.
- "Industrial Place: Gold Rush California and Industrialization," American Society for Environmental History Annual Meeting, Providence, Rhode Island, March 26-30, 2003.
- "Industrial Ecology: The Environmental Context and Consequences of the California Gold Rush," Environment/Metropolis: The Spaces of American History. German Association of American Studies, Tutzing, Germany, February 22-24, 2002.
- "The Alchemy of Hydraulic Mining: Ecology and Culture in Gold Rush California, 1850-1885," Bureau of the International Committee of Historical Sciences, Princeton, New Jersey, August 26, 2001.
- "The Environmental Context and Consequences of Hydraulic Mining in Nineteenth-Century California," Landscape, Cityscape, and Identity: New Directions in Environmental History. Dunfey Endowment for the Study of History, University of New Hampshire, Durham, New Hampshire, April 25-28, 2001.
- "The Moral Ecology of Wildlife," Representing Animals at the End of the Century. Center for Twentieth Century Studies, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, April 13-15, 2000.
- "The Destruction of the Bison: The Interaction of Human and Environmental Factors," Symposium on "Bison: Past, Present, and Future of the Great Plains." Center for Great Plains Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, April 6-8, 2000.
- "'To see inside of an Indian': Missionaries and Dakotas in the Minnesota Borderlands," Shelby Cullom Davis Center for Historical Studies, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey, March 31, 2000.
- "'Endangered Species' in the American Imagination," Annual Meeting of the Conference of Administrative Officers of the American Council of Learned Societies, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, October 29, 1999.
- "The Political Economy of the Bison Hunter: The Southern Plains in the 1870s," Western History Association Annual Conference, Sacramento, California, October 14-17, 1998.
- "The Wild and the Tamed: The Destruction of the Bison," Themes and Issues in North American Environmental History, University of Toronto, Ontario, April 24-26, 1998.
- "The Problem of Extinction," Body and Place: Intersecting Histories of the Body and Its Environment, Rutgers University, Newark, New Jersey, April 16-18, 1998.

- "The Destruction of the Bison: Indians, Euroamericans, and the Ecology of the Great Plains," Shelby Cullom Davis Center for Historical Studies, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey, February 21, 1997.
- "The Destruction of the Bison: Indians and Whites in the Great Plains," Organization of American Historians Annual Conference, Chicago, Illinois, March 28-31, 1996.
- "Conservation and Equality: The Bison as a Natural Resource," The Wildlife Management Institute, North American Wildlife and Natural Resources Conference, Minneapolis, Minnesota, March 24-29, 1995.
- "Progressivism and the Preservation of the Bison," American Society for Environmental History Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada, March 5-8, 1995.
- "The Ecology of Buffalo Hunting: Plains Nomads' and Euroamericans' Resource Use in the Shortgrass Plains, 1800-1883," American Society for Environmental History Conference. Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, March 4-7, 1993.
- "The Commercialization of Plains Indian Culture: An Ecological Interpretation," Annual Meeting of the American Society for Ethnohistory. Tulsa, Oklahoma, November 7-10, 1991.
- "Toward a Policy of Destruction: Buffaloes, Law, and the Market, 1803-1883," Conference on "Law, the Bill of Rights, and the Great Plains." Center for Great Plains Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, March 6-9, 1991.

INVITED LECTURES:

- "The Ecology of Conquest (and Resistance): Land, Livestock, and Labor in the Spanish-American Borderlands," University of Erfurt, Germany, April 27, 2010.
- "Environment and History: The Historical Context of Environmental Challenges," Twentieth Annual Cliveden Institute, Cliveden of the National Trust, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, April 4, 2009.
- "Western Expansion, Manifest Destiny, and Encounters with Native Americans," National Endowment for the Humanities "Picturing America" Seminar, Newark Museum, Newark, New Jersey, August 5, 2008.
- "Gambling on the Grasslands: Kinship, Cattle, and Ecology in Southern California, 1833-1866," Hispanic Studies Program, St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minnesota, April 3, 2006.
- "The Code of the West: Masculinity, Homosociality, and Wyatt Earp," Social History and Theory, Department of History, Temple University, February 22, 2006.
- "Industrial Frontier: The Gold Rush and the California Environment," Graduiertenkolleg Interdisziplinäre Umweltgeschichte (Graduate Program in Interdisciplinary Environmental History), Georg-August University, Göttingen, Germany, May 10, 2005.
- "Environment and Enclosure: California's Modoc Plateau, 1849-1873," Department of History of Science and Technology, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, February 21, 2005.
- "Gambling on the Grasslands: Kinship, Capital, and Ecology in Southern California, 1833-1866," Department of History, Utah State University, Logan, Utah, December 4, 2003.
- "The Environment and the California Gold Rush," University of California-Davis, April 24, 2003.
- "Wolves in the American Imagination," Central Michigan University, Mount Pleasant, Michigan, April 12, 2003.
- "Industrial Ecology: The California Gold Rush and the Environment," University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, February 12, 2003.
- "The Transformation of California: The Gold Rush, Industry, and the Environment, 1850-1900," Shelby Cullom Davis Center for Historical Studies, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey, October 22, 2002.
- "Culture, Environment, and the Modoc War of 1873," Kolloquium: Atlantische Kulturgeschichte, University of Erfurt, Germany, June 19, 2002.
- "The Ecological History of the American West," John F. Kennedy Institut für Nordamerikanische Studien, Free University, Berlin, Germany, May 31, 2002.

- "Industrial Ecology: The Environmental Context and Consequences of the California Gold Rush," California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, California, March 1, 2002.
- "The Destruction of the Bison: Indian-Euroamerican Encounters and American Environmental History," University of Erfurt, Germany, January 30, 2002.
- "The Gold Rush: Environmental Impacts on California," Institut für Raumplanung, University of Dortmund, Germany, November 21, 2001.
- "The Alchemy of Hydraulic Mining: California, 1850-1885," William Bennett Munro Memorial Seminar, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, California, April 19, 2001.
- "The Destruction of the Bison," Science, Ethics, and Public Policy Seminar, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, California, May 19, 2000.
- "Environment and History in the American West," Princeton Environmental Institute, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey, March 23, 1999.
- "The Destruction of the Bison," University of Wisconsin at Madison and State Historical Society of Wisconsin, March 27, 1996.
- "The Destruction of the Bison," Urban Environmental Lab, Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island, October 4, 1994.
- "The Destruction of the Bison," University of Texas at Austin, January 31, 1994.
- "The Destruction of the Bison," University of Passau, Germany, June 8, 1993.
- "Ecological Destruction: The Extermination of the Buffalo," The Newberry Library, Chicago, Illinois, November 16, 1991.

COURSES TAUGHT, 1990-:

ENVIRONMENTAL HISTORY:

- North American Environmental History (undergraduate lecture course/seminar; graduate seminar/reading course)
- World Environmental History (undergraduate lecture course—team taught)
- The City in Environmental History (undergraduate research seminar)

HISTORY OF THE AMERICAN WEST:

- History of the American West (undergraduate lecture course/seminar; graduate seminar/reading course)
- The Frontier in Comparative Perspective (undergraduate research seminar)

NORTH AMERICAN INDIAN HISTORY:

- Native American History (undergraduate seminar ; graduate reading course)
- The Plains Indians (undergraduate seminar)
- Indians of the Americas (undergraduate seminar—team taught)

UNITED STATES HISTORY, AMERICAN STUDIES, AND HISTORICAL METHODOLOGY:

- American Places: Introduction to American Studies (undergraduate lecture course)
- American Revolutions (undergraduate general education lecture course—team taught)
- History of the United States to 1877 (undergraduate lecture course)
- History of the United States since 1865 (undergraduate lecture course)
- Civil War and Reconstruction (undergraduate lecture course)
- American History to 1900 (graduate reading course)
- Nineteenth-Century United States History (graduate reading course)
- Twentieth-Century United States History (graduate reading course)
- Introduction to Historical Methodology (graduate seminar)

DISSERTATIONS ADVISED, 1998-:

- Robert C. Deal, "Laws of Honour: The Laws and Customs of Anglo-American Whaling, 1780-1880," Temple University, 2010. Assistant Professor of History, Marshall University, Huntington, West Virginia.
- Ryan Edgington, "Lines in the Sand: An Environmental History of Cold War New Mexico," Temple University, 2008. Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of History, Central Michigan University.
- Joanna L. Dyl, "Urban Disaster: An Environmental History of San Francisco After the 1906 Earthquake," Princeton University, 2006. (Winner, Rachel Carson Prize for Best Dissertation, American Society for Environmental History, 2007.) Assistant Professor of History, University of South Florida.
- Emily Brock, "Replanting and Restoring the Douglas Fir Forest: Forest Science and Forest Practice in the Pacific Northwest, 1890-1945," Princeton University, 2004. Assistant Professor of History, University of South Carolina.
- James M. Turner, "The Promise of Wilderness: A History of the American Environmental Movement, 1964-1994," Princeton University, 2004. Assistant Professor of Environmental Studies, Wellesley College, Massachusetts.
- Andrew Graybill, "Instruments of Incorporation: Rangers, Mounties, and the North American Frontier, 1875-1910," Princeton University, 2003. Associate Professor of History and Director of the Clements Center for Southwestern Studies, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas.

EDITORIAL BOARDS:

- Environmental History (journal of the American Society for Environmental History), 2006-2010.
- Encyclopedia of American Environmental History, ed. Kathleen A. Brosnan (forthcoming, New York: Facts on File).

PRIZE AND FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEES:

- Ray Allen Billington Prize Committee, Organization of American Historians, 2007-2009.
- American Academy in Berlin, Fellowship Reviewer, 2007.
- Andrew W. Mellon Foundation/American Council of Learned Societies Early Career Fellowship Program Dissertation Completion Grant Reviewer, 2006-2008.
- Sara Jackson Award Committee, 2004-2006 (chair, 2006), Western History Association.

MEMBERSHIPS IN RESEARCH CENTERS:

- Borderlands Institute of Southern Arizona, Hereford, Arizona, 2004-.
- Center for Great Plains Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2001-.

MANUSCRIPT REVIEWS:

- Manuscript referee, 1993-: Columbia University Press, Oxford University Press; Princeton University Press, University of Nebraska Press, Rutgers University Press, Smithsonian Institution Press, Yale University Press; Environmental History, Great Plains Quarterly, Great Plains Research, History Compass, Journal of American History, Journal of Canadian Studies, Journal of Historical Geography, Journal of Interdisciplinary History, Pacific Historical Review, Science as Culture, Western Historical Quarterly.

CONFERENCES ORGANIZED:

- Co-organizer (with Alan Braddock and Peter D'Agostino) of the conference "Grid + Flow: Interpreting Philadelphia's Urban Ecology," Temple University, April 7-8, 2011.

Program Committee, 2011, Society for Historians of the Early American Republic (SHEAR) Annual Conference.

Organizer of the conference, "Nature's History: Environmental History for the Twenty-First Century," Temple University, September 28-29, 2007.

Organizer of the conference "The Nature of Cities: New Perspectives in Urban Environmental History," Shelby Cullom Davis Center for Historical Studies, Princeton University, December 12-13, 2003.

Co-organizer (with Nigel Rothfels) of the conference "Representing Animals at the End of the Century," Center for Twentieth Century Studies, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, April 13-15, 2000.

Program Committee, 1999 and 2006, Western History Association Annual Conference.

PUBLIC HISTORY ADVISORSHIPS:

Advisory Panel, Experience Philadelphia, Atwater Kent Museum, Philadelphia, 2009.

Advisory Team Member for the permanent exhibition, The Bison: Heart of Culture, American Icon, C.M. Russell Museum, Great Falls, Montana, 2006-2008.

Consultant, American Indian Migration, "Migration in World History since 1500: A Multimedia Course," a project of Annenberg/CPB and Northeastern University, 1996.

MEDIA APPEARANCES:

Interviewee, "American Experience: Wyatt Earp," (PBS), 2010, "America Before Columbus," (National Geographic Channel, United States, 2009; ARTE, France/Germany as "1492: Der Kolumbus-Effekt"; ZDF, Germany as "Der geheime Kontinent," 2010); Guest, "Connie Martinson Talks Books," (PBS), 2005; "Environmental Directions Radio," (NPR), 2005; "Talking History" (NPR), 2004; "Washington Journal" (C-SPAN), 2002.

AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND GRANTS:

2010-2013	Distinguished Lecturer, Organization of American Historians.
2009-2010	Fellow, Rachel Carson Center for Environment and Society, Ludwig Maximilian University, Munich, Germany
2009	Research and Study Leave, Temple University.
2006	<u>Choice</u> Outstanding Academic Title for <u>Mining California</u> .
2005	National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute: "The Redemptive West," The Huntington Library, San Marino, California.
2001-2002	Fulbright Senior Scholar, University of Erfurt, Germany.
2001	President's Award for Distinguished Teaching, Princeton University.
2000-2003	Christian Gauss Fund University Preceptor, Princeton University.
1999	Summer Research Grant, Princeton University Research Council.
1998	Wilber R. Jacobs and Mayers Fellow, Huntington Library, San Marino, California.
1996-1997	Visiting Fellow, Shelby Cullom Davis Center for Historical Studies, Princeton University.
1996	National Endowment for the Humanities Higher Education Focus Grant: Introducing American Studies: A Collaborative, Multicultural and Interdisciplinary Course, Department of American Civilization, Brown University.
1993	Guest Professor, University of Passau, Germany.
1991	Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award, College of Arts and Sciences, Northwestern University.
1986	Departmental Distinction in History, Saint Olaf College.
1986	Rowberg Essay Prize, Department of History, Saint Olaf College.
1986	Phi Beta Kappa, Saint Olaf College.
1985-1986	Timmel Scholarship in History, Saint Olaf College.