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EMPLOYMENT

Professor of History and American Culture, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, 2002-present
Director of the Program in American Culture, 2007-present
Director of Native American Studies in the Program in American Culture, 2002-2006 (on leave 2005-2006)
Associate Dean for Undergraduate Studies: College of Arts and Letters, University of Notre Dame, 2001- 2002
Associate Professor: History, University of Notre Dame, 1993-2002
Assistant Professor: History, University of Notre Dame, 1987-1993
Visiting Associate Professor, History, University of Connecticut, Storrs, 1996-1997
Lecturer: History, Princeton University, 1986-1987

EDUCATION

Princeton University: Ph.D., 1986; M..A., 1982, John M. Murrin, advisor
University of Connecticut: BA. (Honors Program), 1978

MAJOR PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

War under Heaven: Pontiac, The Indian Nations, and the British Empire (Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, 2002), paperback, 2003.
A Spirited Resistance: The North American Indian Struggle for Unity, 1745-1815 (Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, 1992). Paperback edition, 1993. (Selections from this work appear in the recent edition of *Major Problems in American History*, vol. 1, to 1877, ed. Hoffman and Gjerde).
The Indians of New Jersey, Stanley N. Worton and Mary R. Murrin, general editors, *New Jersey History Series*, volume 3 (Trenton: New Jersey Historical Commission, 1992). An 88-page synthesis for use in high-school history classes.

MANUSCRIPT IN PROGRESS

Rumor and Legend in Frontier America, 1500-1850

ESSAYS AND ARTICLES

“Thinking Outside the Circle: Tecumseh’s 1811 Mission,” Kathryn E. Holland Braund, ed., *The Creek War and War of 1812 in Alabama: Essays in Honor of the 50th Anniversary of the Establishment of Horseshoe Bend National Military Park* (University of Alabama Press, forthcoming) 35 typescript pages.
“Michigan Murder Mysteries: Death and Rumor in the Age of Indian Removal,” R. David Edmunds, ed., *Enduring Nations: Native Americans in the Midwest*, (University of Illinois

Press, 2008) 124-159.

"We are heirs-apparent to the Romans": Imperial Myths and Indigenous Status," *Empire and Dissent: The United States and Latin America*, ed. Fred Rosen, in collaboration with the Social Science Research Council, (Duke University Press, 2008) series editors Gilbert Joseph and Emily S. Rosenberg. Derived largely from *War under Heaven*.

"Domestic, Dependent Nations: The Colonial Origins of a Paradox," in *Backcountry Crucibles: The Lehigh Valley from Settlement to Steel*, ed. Jean R. Soderlund and Catherine S. Parzynski (Bethlehem, Pa.: Lehigh University Press, 2008). Derived partially from *War under Heaven*.

"The American Revolution to the Mid-Nineteenth Century," in Raymond Fogelson, ed. *Handbook of the North American Indians: volume 14, Southeast*, gen. ed. William Sturtevant (Washington, D.C.: Smithsonian Institution, 2004), 139-152.

Featured Program: "Native American Studies in the Program in American Culture, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor," *Indigenous Nations Studies Journal* 4 (2003), 93-106.

"Spinning Wheel Revolution," in James Horn, Jan Lewis, and Peter Onuf, eds., *The Revolution of 1800* (Charlottesville: University Press of Virginia, 2003)

"Little Turtle and the Origins of a Great American Indian Debate," *Northwest Ohio Historical Quarterly* (2002)

"Wag the Imperial Dog: Indians and Empires, 1600-1776," in Neal Salisbury and Philip J. Deloria, eds., *A Companion to American Indian History* (Malden, Mass. and Oxford, U.K.: Blackwell Publishers, 2002)

"'Insidious Friends': Gift Giving and the Cherokee-British Alliance in the Seven Years' War," in Fredrika Teute and Andrew R. L. Cayton, eds., *Contact Points: American Frontiers From the Mohawk Valley to the Mississippi, 1750-1830* (Chapel Hill: Institute of Early American History and Culture and University of North Carolina Press, 1998)

"The Panic of 1751: Rumors on the Cherokee-South Carolina Frontier," *William and Mary Quarterly* 3rd Series, 53 (1996)

"Pontiac and Neolin: Challenging a Triumphant Empire," in Mari Jo Buhle, Paul Buhle & Harvey J. Kaye, eds., *The American Radical* (New York and London: Routledge, 1994)

"Thinking and Believing: Nativism and Unity in the Ages of Pontiac and Tecumseh," *American Indian Quarterly* 16 (1992), **anthologized** in Roger Nichols, ed., *The American Indian: Past and Present*, 5th ed. (New York: McGraw-Hill College, 1999) and several other collections.

"The French King Wakes Up in Detroit: 'Pontiac's War' in Rumor and History," *Ethnohistory* 37 (1990), **anthologized** in Douglas M. Peers, ed., *Warfare and Empires: Contact and Conflict between European and Non-European Military and Maritime Forces and Cultures* in the series, John Russell-Wood, gen. ed., *An Expanding World: The European Impact on World History, 1450-1800* (Aldershot, England: Variorum, 1998)

"North American Indian Slaveholding and the Colonization of Gender: The Southeast Before Removal," *Critical Matrix: Princeton Working Papers in Women's Studies* 3 (1987)

"Declarations of Dependence: War and Inequality in Revolutionary New Jersey," *New Jersey History* 103 (1985), **anthologized** in Maxine N. Lurie, ed., *A New Jersey Anthology* (Newark: New Jersey Historical Society, 1994)

REVIEW ESSAYS

"Indian Removal Acts," *Reviews in American History* 33 (2005): 350-358, a review based on Steven Conn, *History's Shadow: Native Americans and Historical Consciousness in the*

Nineteenth Century

- “North American Baroque: Fred Anderson’s The Crucible of War” *Canadian Journal of History/Annales canadiennes d’histoire* 25 (2000)
- “Correction for Sins of Omission: the Historians’ Removal and New Indian Historians’ Retrieval of New England’s Indian History,” *Connecticut History* 39 (2000), 94-102.
- “Exhibition Review: ‘In the Presence of the Past: The Miami Indians of Indiana’”, Eideljorg Museum, Indianapolis, for *The Journal of American History* 85 (1998-1999), 1017-1029
- “The Pen Might be Mightier than the Sword,” *Reviews in American History* 26 (1998), 656-662, A review based on Jill Lepore, *The Name of War: King Philip’s War and the Origins of American Identity* (1998).

EDITED WORKS

- Co-ed. with Peter Bartlett and David Cohen, *Folklife Resources in New Jersey* (Trenton, N.J., and Washington, D.C.: N. J. Historical Commission and Library of Congress, 1984)

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Organization of American Historians, Distinguished Lecturer, 2010-2013
- National Endowment for the Humanities, Summer Institute Instructor, Newberry Library, Chicago, July, 2010
- Association of American Publishers’ Professional and Scholarly Division: *Honorable Mention in History*, for *War under Heaven*, 2003
- Inaugural Kaneb Teaching Award winner, University of Notre Dame, 1999
- Inaugural Arrell M. Gibson Award for “best essay on the history of Native Americans,” Western History Association, 1997, for “The Panic of 1751: The Significance of Rumors on the South Carolina-Cherokee Frontier”
- Outstanding Book on the Subject of Human Rights in the United States, Gustavus Myers Center for the Study of Human Rights in the United States, 1993, for *A Spirited Resistance*
- History Book Club Selection for *A Spirited Resistance*
- Inclusion in the Bibliographie Internationale d'Histoire Militaire for *A Spirited Resistance*
- Phi Beta Kappa (Epsilon Chapter, University of Connecticut, 1978)

FELLOWSHIPS

- “Helmut F. Stern Professor,” Institute for the Humanities Faculty Fellowship, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, 2005-2006.
- Newberry Library NEH/Lloyd Lewis Fellowship, Chicago, Illinois, 1999-2000
- Fulbright Senior Scholar, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa, calendar year, 1994
- Smithsonian Institution Post-doctoral Research Fellowship, Department of Anthropology, academic year, 1990-1991
- Philadelphia Center for Early American Studies Dissertation Year Fellowship, University of Pennsylvania, 1985-1986
- Newberry Library Short-Term Fellowship, Fall, 1984
- Princeton University, Department of History, Rollins Prize, 1983-1985

SHORT PUBLICATIONS

REVIEWS OF BOOKS

- American Historical Review* 2011, 2008, 2001, 1998, 1997, 1993

The American Indian Quarterly 1996, 1993, 1990
American Indian Religions: An Interdisciplinary Journal 1994
Culture Front: New York Journal of the Humanities 2000
Ethnohistory 2008, 2004
Gulf Historical Journal 1999
The Historian 1991, 1989
H-Net 2000
The International History Review 1997, 1993
The Journal of American History 1993, 1992
The Journal of the Early Republic 1993
The Journal of Interdisciplinary History 1999, 1998
North Carolina Historical Review 2006
Pacific Historical Review 1993
Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography 2002, 1988
Western Historical Quarterly 2004, 1992
William and Mary Quarterly 2007, 1999, 1996, 1993

ESSAYS FOR QUICK REFERENCE

"Susquehannock," "Fort Sandusky" and "Walking Purchase," for *Colonial Wars of North America, 1512-1763, an Encyclopaedia* (New York: Garland, 1996)
"Yamasee War," "Alexander McGillivray," and "Pontiac," for *Oxford Companion to American History* (New York, Oxford University Press, 2000)
"Pontiac," and "Pontiac's Rebellion" for *Oxford Companion to American Military History* (New York: Oxford University Press, 2001)
"The Mortar, A Creek Chief," "Arthur St. Clair" and "David Zeisberger," for *American National Biography* (New York: Oxford University Press, 1999)

NON-PRINT MEDIA

CONTRIBUTOR: FILM AND VIDEO

"Fortunes in Furs," and "Royal Rule and Religious Revival," two colonial-period segments of New Jersey Legacy. Produced by the New Jersey Channel and the New Jersey Historical Commission, 1992 and 1994

RADIO/ ON LINE MEDIA

Interviewed by Marjory Lancer for a documentary produced by Atlanta Public Radio, WABE FM, WPBA, FM., Oct. 28, 2004
"Stateside:" WWUM, National Public Radio affiliate, interviewed, Jan. 13, 2004. Subject, Pontiac's War and Michigan Indians
"Two Lenapes, Two Franklins: Diplomacy, Justice, and Evasive Coexistence, 1737-1787," online lecture at <http://www.njhistorypartnership.org/> (New Jersey History Partnership: 2004)
Mara Tapp Show: WBEZ Chicago, National Public Radio affiliate, interviewed October 1, 1993. Subject: Benjamin Franklin and the Indians

CONFERENCES

GUEST SPEAKER

"Tecumseh in the South, 1811," Auburn University, Symposium on the Battle of Horseshoe Bend, Auburn, Alabama, 2009
"Contagion: Rumors, Indians, and Disease in Early America," Princeton University, Early Americanists' Group, October, 2008
Keynote Speaker, "Tribe and Prophets in the Woodlands," Society of Early Americanists,

- Purdue University, April, 2008
- “Nuggets of Truth: Rumors of Gold in the Southeast, 1500-1850,” Kalamazoo College, American Studies Annual Address, April, 2008, also Institute for the Humanities, Brown Bag Series, University of Michigan, November, 2006
- “Fama and the Founding Father: Rumor in the Seven Years’ War” Alexandria Lyceum, October, 2005
- “Columbus and Commemoration,” University of Notre Dame, October, 2005
- “Indecisive Victories: Ohio and the Status of Indian Nations,” Miami University of Ohio, September, 2004
- “Captives and Crimes: Pontiac’s War and the Status of Indian Nations,” University of Toronto, Department of History, 2003; McGill University /SUNY Plattsburgh, Champlain Seminar, Montreal, 2003; Fort Meigs/Ohio Frontier Conference, Toledo, 2003; Bushy Run Battlefield Conference, 2004; Ann Arbor District Library, 2004
- “Two Lenapes, Two Franklins: Diplomacy, Justice, and Evasive Coexistence, 1737 to 1787,” New Jersey History Partnership Project,” Kean University, 2003
- Keynote Address: “The St. Joseph Potowatomi in Pontiac’s War: Anti-British Warriors in a Period of Catholic Indian Neutrality,” National Center for Great Lakes Native American Culture, Fall Conference, Indiana University, South Bend, 2002
- Seminar Leader: Treaty of 1817 commemoration, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan, 2002
- “Little Turtle and the Origins of a Great Native American Debate,” Defiance College, Defiance, Ohio, 2001
- “‘The Romans were Triflers to Us’: British and American Myths of Empire, [a comment on James Belich’s ‘Myth of Empire’]” Georgetown University Law Center and the Georgetown University Center for the study of Australia and New Zealand, 2000
- “Dependent Indian Nations: The Colonial background of an American Oxymoron,” Davidson College, October, 1998, Michigan State, 1998, University of Michigan, 1999. This paper also presented at the Omohundro Institute for Early American History and Culture Annual Conference, Toronto, 2000
- “Dependents, Nations, Subjects, Strangers: Indians and Britain, 1764,” Lawrence Henry Gipson Institute, Lehigh University, April, 1998
- “Sovereignty Dismissed: The Indians of New Jersey,” New Jersey Historical Commission, Princeton University, December, 1997
- "A Spirited Debate: Tribes and Prophets in the Woodlands," Southern African American Studies Association, University of Natal, Durban, South Africa, July, 1994
- "Democracy, Constitutionalism, and Political Violence: the American Experience," Rhodes University Winter School, Standard Bank National Arts Festival, Grahamstown, South Africa, July, 1994
- "Nature's Nobleman and the American Indians," the Franklin Institute and the Chicago Field Museum, October, 1993
- “Comment on Papers by James Axtell and Joel Martin,” Conference on Religious Encounters and the Formation of the Atlantic World," Center for the Study of American Religion, Princeton University, 1992
- "Power and Sacred Power in the Age of Tecumseh: Native Americans against the Republic," Shelby Cullom Davis Center for Historical Studies, Princeton University, October, 1989

OTHER PAPERS AND SEMINARS

- “Bales of Scalps!!!,” for panel on “Conspiracy in American History and Culture,” Organization of American Historians, New York, 2008
- Workshop Participant: Lannan Foundation’s Tribal College Workshop, Newberry Library, Chicago, September, 2006
- “Nuggets of Truth: The Black Legend and Rumors of Gold in the Southeast, 1500-1840,” CIC-AIS, Faculty Conference, Newberry Library, Chicago, September, 2006
- Workshop Participant: “Empire and Dissent: Reflecting on History,” Social Science Research (SSRC) and Council and Fonds d’Analyses des Sociétés Politiques (FASOPO), Paris, France, 2004
- “Indigenous Peoples without the Republic” American Society for Ethnohistory, Québec, October, 2002, Shelby C. Davis Center, Princeton University, March, 2000
- “‘This Bad Discourse’: Triggering Pontiac’s War,” D’Arcy McNickle Center for the History of the American Indian, Newberry Library, April, 2000
- “A work of fiction by a known liar as an historical source,” Presentations to the D’Arcy McNickle Center Board of Directors, February, 2000, and to the Newberry Library Board of Trustees, March, 2000
- “Subjects of History,” Newberry Library Fellows’ Seminar, October, 1999
- "Rumors in the Woodlands: A Groundless History," Organization of American Historians, Annual Meeting, April, 1992 (earlier versions presented at the University of Notre Dame and the Department of Anthropology of the Smithsonian Institution, 1991)
- "Thinking and Believing: Indians on Pontiac's War," American Historical Association, Annual Meeting, 1989
- "Misalliance not Misunderstanding: Cherokees and Britons in the Seven Years' War," American Society for Ethnohistory, 1989
- "Neutrality, a 'World too Narrow': The Indians of Coshocton, 1775-1782," Pennsylvania Historical Association, 1989
- "Pontiac and France: The History and Historiography of a Fantasy," American Society for Ethnohistory, 1988
- "Unity: An Indian Way to Power," The Americanists' Group, Princeton University, 1987
- "Black Slavery as a Precipitant of the Gender Revolution in the Native American Southeast," Princeton University Women's Studies Colloquium, 1987
- "Friends, Foreigners, and Foes: The Indian Construction of the Other," Transformation of Philadelphia Seminar, 1986
- "The Indians' Great Awakening," Philadelphia Center for Early American Studies, 1986
- "Native American Religious Militancy, 1745-1815," American Historical Association, Annual Meeting, 1985

SESSION COMMENTATOR/ CHAIR

- Cushwa Center Seminar on American Religion, Notre Dame, 2010
- Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, Worcester, Massachusetts, 2007
- CIC-American Indian Studies Conference: Bloomington, Indiana, 2006
- Omohundro Institute for Early American History Conference, Santa Barbara, California, 2005
- Max Kade German-American Research Institute Conference: David Zeisberger, Native Americans, and Cultural Exchanges in Early Modern North America, 2004
- Organization of American Historians, Boston, 2004
- American Society for Ethnohistory, Quebec, 2002
- Omohundro Institute for Early American History Conference, Glasgow, Scotland, 2001

American Society for Ethnohistory, Mashantucket Pequot Nation, 1999
Sixty Years' War Conference, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio, 1998
1798-1998: The Great Irish Rebellion Conference, University of Notre Dame, 1998
Organization of American Historians, Indianapolis, 1998
Western History Association Conference, Lincoln, 1996
Institute for Early American History and Culture, Annual Conference, Boulder, 1996
Institute for Early American History and Culture, Annual Conference, Ann Arbor, 1995
American Indian Family and Tribal Community Conference, Kalamazoo Michigan, 1993
American Society for Ethnohistory Conference, Bloomington, 1993
Western History Association Conference, New Haven, 1992
Cushwa Seminar on American Religion, Notre Dame, 1992
"Symposium: Old World Meets New: The American-European Encounter," Notre Dame, 1992

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

MANUSCRIPT EVALUATION

American Historical Review, Journal of American History, William and Mary Quarterly, Ethnohistory, Journal of Southern History, American Quarterly, American Indian Quarterly, Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography, Review of Politics, Indiana Magazine of History, American Indian Culture and Research Journal, Michigan History, Oxford University Press, Syracuse University Press, D.C. Heath, Harcourt Brace, Houghton Mifflin, University of Nebraska Press, University of North Carolina Press, University of Pittsburgh Press, The Johns Hopkins University Press, University of Oklahoma Press, McGraw-Hill, University of Akron Press, University of Pennsylvania Press

GRANT EVALUATION

Newberry Library, 2004, 2002
Social Science and Humanities Research Council, Canada, 2000, 2002 (French and English)
National Endowment for the Humanities, 1994
Fulbright (West, Central, and Southern Africa), 1996, 1997

SOCIETY COMMITTEE SERVICE

American Society for Ethnohistory, Board of Editors, 2003-2008, Nominating Committee, 2007-2008, 2000-2001, Ermine Wheeler-Voegelin Book Prize Committee Chairman, 2001, Best Article Prize Committee, 2000
Society for Historians of the Early Republic; program committee, 1993

UNIVERSITY SERVICE: UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Committee on Unaffiliated Human Remains, Office of the Vice Provost for Research, 2010-present
Multi-Ethnic Student Affairs Associate Director Search Committee, 2007
Price Committee: William C. Clement's Library (2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008)
William C. Clement's Library, President's Review Committee (2006)
William C. Clement's Library Faculty Review Committee (2004)
Fulbright Committee (2004)
Director of Native American Studies (2002-2005, F2006)

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE: UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, 2002-present

Cultural Unaffiliated Human Remains (CUHR) Committee, Office off the Vice President for Research, 2010-present

Promotion Committees: 1 tenure review in 2006-2007, 1 third-year review in 2005-2006, 1 third-year review in 2004-2005, 1 full professor review in 2004-2005, 2 third-year reviews in 2003-2004, 1 full professor review, 2003-2004, 1 tenure review, 2003-2004, 1 third-year review, 2002-2003

American Culture: Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, 2003-2004

American Culture: Executive Committee, 2002-present (on leave, 2005-2006).

Member of Organizing Committee for conference on "Covering the U.S. Empire," January, 2004

Organized the Committee for Institutional Cooperation/American Indian Studies Fifth Annual Graduate Student Conference (about 60 participants) April, 2004

Member of Organizing Committee for conference on "Native Scholars Symposium" May, 2005

UNIVERSITY SERVICE: NOTRE DAME, 1987-2002

Associate Dean of Undergraduate Studies, College of Arts and Letters, 2001-2002

Arts and Letters Committee to Review the Teaching of Writing, 2001

Kaneb Teaching Award Committee, College of Arts and Letters, 2001

Faculty Senate (elected by faculty) 1998-1999

Graduate School Council (elected by faculty) 1993-1996

Gender Studies Lecture Committee, 1991-1992

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE: NOTRE DAME, 1987-2002

Committee on Appointments and Promotions (elected by history faculty every year eligible) 1995-1996, 1997-1998, 1998-1999, 2000-2001

History Departmental Kaneb Award Committee, 2001

Tackes Chair in U.S. History Search Committee, 2000-2001

African History Search Committee (Chair), 2000-2001

U. S. History 1787-1865 Search Committee, 1997-1999

Director of Graduate Studies, 1993-1996 (on leave, 1994)

Director of Undergraduate Studies, 1997-1998, 1991-1993 (acting, spring, 1989)

Faculty Advisor, Phi Alpha Theta (History Honor Society) and History Club, 1988-1989, 1991-1993, 1997-1998

Women's History Search Committee, 1991-1992

EXTERNAL EVALUATOR IN APPOINTMENT AND PROMOTION

18 promotion reviews at major public universities since 1999

4 promotion reviews at highly selective colleges since 2000

2 reviews for the MacArthur award

PUBLIC INTEREST CONSULTING

Adisory Committee, "Indians of the Midwest and Contemporary Issues," a public history project of the D'Arcy McNickle Center of the Newberry Library, Chicago, 2006-present. NEH Grant, 2007-present.

2001-2006. Tribal history research for the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians and Grand Traverse Bay Ottawa and Chippewa. Completed a four-hundred page report on the importance of an 1836 treaty stipulation in preparation for a federal Indian law case

(October, 2004). Completed 70+ page rebuttals of reports of nations' adversaries (January, 2005). Submitted to 21 hours of deposition (April, 2005). U.S. District Judge Richard Enslen signed consent decree favourable to tribes on Nov. 5, 2007, in which the State of Michigan agreed that the tribal treaty rights remain intact.

NATIONAL SERVICE

National Endowment for the Humanities, Division of Research and Educational Programs:
Collaborative Research/Early American History Committee, 1997, proposal evaluator,
2004

Council for International Exchange of Scholars, Fulbright Senior Scholar Program Review
Committee II, West, Central and Southern Africa, 1996, 1997 (Chair, 1997)

"Resource Person" for South Africa, Pre-Departure Conference for American Fulbright Scholars
going to Sub-Saharan Africa, United States Information Agency, 1995

Project Reviewer for Robert S. Grumet, *National Historic Landmark Theme Study: Historic
Contact: Early Relations Between Indians and Colonists in Northeastern North America,
1524-1783* (United States Department of Interior, National Park Service, 1992)

TEACHING: UNIVERSITY, COURSE, AND MOST RECENT YEAR

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan:

"Native American History," Graduate, 2011
"Rethinking American Culture," Introductory Undergraduate, 2011
"Methods in American Culture," Graduate, 2008
"Introduction to Historical Methods," Graduate, 2008
"Early Eastern North American Frontiers," Graduate, 2006
"Introduction to Comparative History," Graduate, 2006
"American Indian History," Undergraduate, 2004
"United States History to 1865," Undergraduate, 2004
"Literature of U. S. History," Graduate, 2005
"UROP Seminar, "Historical Approaches to Rumor" with Sara Forsdyke (Classics) 2005

University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana:

"American Indians and Anglo-Americans to the Present," 2001
"Seminar: North American Indians to 1890," 2001
"Graduate Colloquium: North America to 1800" 1997
"Graduate Colloquium: American Indian History," 2000
"The Growth of the American Nation," (first-year survey to 1865), 2000
"Colonial America," 1999
"Teaching Practicum for History Graduate Students," 1995
"Graduate Proseminar in American History to 1877," 1993
"Colonial and Revolutionary America," 1993
"Graduate Colloquium in Colonial History," 1992
"Graduate Colloquium in Revolutionary America," 1992
"Senior Seminar: The American Clash of Cultures," 1988
"Freshman Seminar: Race and Religion in Early America," 1987

University of Connecticut, Storrs, Connecticut:

"Graduate Colloquium: The Establishment of the English Colonies," 1996

"Colonial America," 1996
"The Indian in America," 1997
"United States to 1877," 1997

University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa:

"Honours: American Indian History," 1994
"History III: Colonial and Revolutionary America," 1994
"History II: The United States to 1877," 1994

DISSERTATIONS DIRECTED

John N. Low: "Chicago's First Urban Indians: The Pokagon Potawatomi," University of Michigan, 2011.
W. Benjamin Secunda, "In the Shadow of the Eagle's Wings: the Pokagon Band Potawatomi in the era of Removal," University of Notre Dame, 2008.
Mark Meuwese, "For the Peace and Well-Being of the Country: Inter-cultural Mediators and Dutch-Indian Relations in New Netherland and Dutch Brazil, 1600-1664," University of Notre Dame, 2003.
Jeffrey Dennis, "The 'Founding Fathers' and the Indians: The Case of South Carolina," University of Notre Dame, 2002.
Nicole Gothelf, "Persecution, Identity, and Politics: The English Protestant Martyr Narrative and Oppositional Politics in Early Pennsylvania and New England," University of Notre Dame, 2001.

I currently advise Ph.D. candidates Nilanjana Majumdar (History, U-M) and Elspeth Martini (History, U-M). I serve on committees for David Trout (History, U-M) and Brendan Swagerty (Anthropology, University of Chicago). I have served on the U-M dissertation committees of Daniel Pugh (Archaeology, U-M, 2010), Meghan Howey (Archaeology, U-M, 2006), Judy Daubenmier (History, 2003), Tyler Cornelius (American Culture, 2011), Angela Parker (History, U-M, 2011) Jeff Kaja (History, U-M, 2011), and Kelly Fayard (Anthropology, U-M, 2011) . I have served on the Notre Dame committees, all in History, of Cornelius Thomas, Thomas Current, Richard Ostrander, Allison Fuss, Michael Knock, and Thomas Kidd.