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EDUCATION

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR (Ph.D. History, December 2019)

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR (M.A. History, May 2014)

Freed-Hardeman University, Henderson, TN (B.A. History and Biblical Studies, May 2012)

EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor & Department Chair, York University, January 2024–Present.

Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Mississippi, August 2022–December 2023.

Instructor, University of Arkansas, August 2019–July 2022.

Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Arkansas, August 2014–July 2019.

Senior Exhibit Assistant, Rogers Historical Museum, October 2012–July 2016.

Contributing Editor, *Political Handbook of the World*, 2011–2014.

PUBLICATIONS

Manuscript

“Special Relationships: The United States, Britain, and Southern Cone Security,” (In Progress).

Article

“The Socialist Wedge: The United States, Britain, and Allende’s Chile,” *Journal of Transatlantic Studies* (Under Review).

Book Reviews

Review of *Insurgencies and Counterinsurgencies: National Styles and Strategic Cultures*. H-War Network. (In Progress)

Non-Peer Reviewed

“Teaching the Cold War to 21st Century Students.” Teaching Roundtable. H-Diplo Network.

Reference Works

40 articles in *Political Handbook of the World 2015* (Washington, DC: CQ Press, 2015).

38 articles in *Political Handbook of the World 2014* (Washington, DC: CQ Press, 2014).

43 articles in *Political Handbook of the World 2013* (Washington, DC: CQ Press, 2013).

27 articles in *Political Handbook of the World 2012* (Washington, DC: CQ Press, 2012).

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“Barbeque Diplomacy: Lyndon Johnson, West Germany, and the Intangibles of Transatlantic Diplomacy,” Transatlantic Studies Association, Plymouth, UK, July 4, 2023.

“Lyndon Johnson and the Challenge of Chilean Socialism” Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations, Washington, DC, June 19, 2023.

“‘An Exception to the Norm’: Great Britain, Human Rights, and the Politics of the Southern Cone,” Britain and the World 2023 Conference, Pittsburgh, PA, April 20, 2023.

“A Marriage of Convenience: Human Rights, National Security, and Anglo-American Policy in the Southern Cone,” Transatlantic Studies Association, Canterbury, UK, July 4-6, 2022.

“Latin America’s Southern Cone: An Anglo-American Fault Line,” Transatlantic Studies Association, Virtual Conference, July 6, 2021.

“‘No Interests in the Islands’: The Falklands/Malvinas War and the Anglo-American Idea of National Security,” Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations, Virtual Conference, June 18, 2021.

“The most important single test . . . since Suez: ‘Great Britain, the Falklands War, and the Special Relationship,’” Britain and the World 2019 Conference, Kansas City, MO, April 11, 2019.

“Transatlanticism in the US Survey,” Arkansas Association of College History Teachers Annual Conference, Little Rock, AR, October 5, 2018.

“A Socialist Wedge: Allende’s Chile in Anglo-American Relations,” Transatlantic Studies Association, Dahlonga, GA, July 10, 2018.

“Maintaining our Empire: Nixon and the Primacy of NATO,” Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations, Washington, DC, June 22, 2017.

Roundtable Discussion, “When Historians Engage in Digital History, Do They Make a Sound?” Arkansas Association of College History Teachers Annual Conference, Little Rock, AR, October 6, 2016.

“Reappraising American Foreign Policy: The US, NATO, and European Integration,” Southern Historical Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, November 15, 2014.

GRANTS, AWARDS & HONORS

Moody Research Grant, Lyndon B. Johnson Presidential Foundation, 2022.

J. Hillman Yowell Award for Excellence in Teaching, University of Arkansas, 2019.

Fulbright College Graduate Dissertation Research Award, University of Arkansas, 2018.

Research Travel Grant, Gerald R. Ford Presidential Foundation, 2017.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

York University

HST223: US History since 1877
HST283: World Civilizations since 1450
HST343: Early National Period
HST363: Modern US History II: 1945-Present

University of Mississippi

HST130: Intro to US History to 1877
HST131: Intro to US History since 1877
HST471: World War II
HST472: The Cold War

University of Arkansas

HIST1123: World Civilizations since 1500
HIST1123H: Honors World Civilizations since 1500
HIST2003: History of the American People to 1877
HIST2013: History of the American People, 1877 to Present
HIST3213: Modern Latin America
HIST3533: World War II
HIST3573: World War I
HIST3683: Europe in the Nineteenth Century
HIST3693: Europe in the Twentieth Century
HIST3863: Introduction to Public History
HIST4893: Senior Capstone Seminar—The Global Cold War

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

“National Security and the Southern Cone Challenge,” Freed-Hardeman University, ALUMination Day, Henderson, TN, November 2023.

“A Socialist Wedge: The US, Britain, and Allende’s Chile,” University of Arkansas, Brown Bag Luncheon, Fayetteville, AR, October 9, 2018.

“Christian Political Activism in the Twenty-First Century,” Freed-Hardeman University, Annual Lectureship, Henderson, TN, February 2013.

SERVICE

Transatlantic Studies Association

Management Committee Member, 2023–Present.
Conference Committee Member, 2023, 2024.

National Council on Public History

Curriculum and Training Committee Member, 2023–Present.

York University

Member, Institutional Review Board, 2024–Present.

H-Net Commons

Network Editor, H-Transatlantic, 2022–Present.

University of Arkansas

Member, History Department Undergraduate Studies Committee, 2020–2022.

Member, University Course and Programs Committee, 2017–2019.

Advanced Placement United States History Program, College Board

Early Table Leader, 2022–Present.

Exam Reader, 2016–2021.

National History Day, Arkansas Region 10 Competition, Arkansas State Competition

Head Judge (Papers, Websites, & Documentaries), 2017–2022.

The Fulbright Project, Digital History Blog and Podcast

Editorial Board, 2016–2018.