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EDUCATION

- 1993 Doctor of Philosophy, History, University of Iowa
Dissertation: "There Are No Slaves in France': Law, Culture, and Society in
Early Modern France, 1685-1789"
Director: Dr. Sarah Hanley
- 1988 Master of Arts, History, University of Iowa
- 1983 Bachelor of Arts, College of Letters, Wesleyan University,
Middletown, Connecticut
Thesis: "It Seemed to Me to Represent the Marriage of the Ocean and the
Earth': A Typology of Narrative Voice in Western Accounts of Chinese
Theatre" (1700-1980)

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- 2007- Professor of History, Washington State University, Vancouver
2000-2007 Associate Professor with tenure, Washington State University, Vancouver
1996-2000 Assistant Professor, Washington State University, Vancouver
1993-1995 Research Associate, Afro-American Religion: A Documentary History Project,
Amherst College, Massachusetts
- 1993 Visiting Assistant Professor, Marlboro College, Vermont
- 1992 Conference Recorder, "Indigenous Narrative Tradition and Modern
Historiography," Social Science Research Council Transnational and Comparative
Project, Chicago, Illinois
- 1991 Visiting Instructor, University of Iowa
- 1988-1992 Teaching Assistant, University of Iowa
- 1991 Grader, University of Iowa
- 1987-1988 Research Assistant, University of Iowa
- 1986-1987 Assistant Editor, Medieval & Renaissance Texts & Studies, Binghamton
University

PUBLICATIONS

Monograph

- 1996 *"There Are No Slaves in France": The Political Culture of Race and Slavery in the Ancien Régime*. Oxford University Press.
2002 (pap.) Selected as an Outstanding Academic Book of 1997 by *Choice*.
Reviewed in: *Journal of Modern History*; *Journal of Interdisciplinary History*; *Slavery and Abolition*; *Journal of Social History*; *American Historical Review*; *Histoire Sociale/Social History* (Ottawa); *French Politics, Culture and Society*; *Social History* (London); *Canadian Journal of History*; *Eighteenth-Century Studies*; *History*; *Choice*. Times Cited in Social Science Citation Index: 45.

Edited Collections

- 2011 *Slavery and Abolition* [UK]. Special Issue: Free Soil in the Atlantic World. Co-edited by Sue Peabody and Keila Grinberg on Free Soil in the Atlantic World.
2007 *Slavery, Freedom and the Law in the Atlantic World*. Co-edited with Keila Grinberg, Universidade do Rio de Janeiro. Bedford/St. Martin's.
2003 *The Color of Liberty: Histories of Race in France*, with co-editor Tyler Stovall. Duke University Press.
Reviewed in: *American Historical Review*, *H-France*, *L'Ésprit Créateur*, *Journal of Colonialism and Colonial History*, *Sage Race Relations Abstracts*, *International Review of Social History*, *Contemporary Sociology*. Times Cited in Social Science Citation Index: 17.

Articles

- 2011 "An Alternative Genealogy of the Origins of French Free Soil: Medieval Toulouse" *Slavery and Abolition* [UK], Special Issue: Free Soil in the Atlantic World, 32:3 (September 2011): 341-362.
2011 "Free Soil: The Generation and Circulation of an Atlantic Legal Principle" *Slavery and Abolition* [UK], Special Issue: Free Soil in the Atlantic World, 32:3 (September 2011):331-339.
2011 "Slavery and the Law in the Early Modern Atlantic World." *The Cambridge World History of Slavery. Volume 3: AD1420-AD1804*. Edited by David Eltis and Stanley Engerman. Cambridge University Press.
2010 "The French Free Soil Principle in the Atlantic World" *Studia Africana* (Lisbon).

- 2009 "Furcy, la question raciale et le « sol libre de France » : une micro-histoire," *Annales : Histoire, Sciences Sociales* (Paris). No. 6 (Nov/Dec) : 1305-1334.
- 2009 "' Nul n' est esclave en France' : Furcy et le principe de Sol Libre dans l' empire français," *Revue historique de l'océan Indien* 5 (2009) :331-336.
- 2009 "Window, Prism and Mirror: A Pedagogy of Historical Fiction in the Historical Classroom," in *Approaches to Teaching Claire de Duras's Ourika*. Edited by Mary Ellen Birkett and Chris Rivers. Approaches to Teaching Series. Joseph Gibaldi, series editor. Modern Language Association of America.
- 2008 "Free Upon Higher Ground: Saint-Domingue Slaves' Suits for Freedom in U.S. Courts, 1794-1827." *The World of the Haitian Revolution*. Edited by David Geggus and Norman Fiering. Indiana University Press.
- 2006 "Henry-Christophe" and "Savannah." In *Revolutionary Freedoms: A History of Survival, Strength, and Imagination in Haiti*. Ed. Cécile Accilien. Art by Ulrick Jean-Pierre. Caribbean Studies Press.
- 2006 "Introduction." *La Salle: A Novel* by John Vernon. University of Nebraska Press.
- 2005 "Slavery, Freedom, Statehood and the Law in the Atlantic World, 1700-1888." In *Democracy and Culture in the Transatlantic World: Third Interdisciplinary Conference, October 2004*. The Maastricht Center for Transatlantic Studies, Maastricht, The Netherlands. Växjö, Sweden: Växjö University.
- 2005 "Négresse, Mulâtrese, Citoyenne: Gender and Emancipation in the French Caribbean, 1650-1848." In *Gender and Emancipation in the Atlantic World*, ed. Pamela Scully and Diana Paton, Duke University Press.
- 2004 "'A Nation Born to Slavery': Missionaries and Racial Discourse in Seventeenth-Century French Antilles" *Journal of Social History* 38:1.
- 2002 "'A Dangerous Zeal': Catholic Missions to Slaves in the French Antilles, 1635-1789" *French Historical Studies* 25:1
- 1994 "Race, Slavery, and the Law in Early Modern France," *The Historian*
- 1994 "Colonialism's Challenge to French and English Marriage and Citizenship Law: The Case of Mary Anne Raworth" *Eighteenth-Century Life*
- 1989 "Reading and Writing Historical Fiction," *Iowa Journal of Literary Studies*. Reprinted by the Pennsylvania Humanities Council, 2003. Available on-line at:

<http://www.vancouver.wsu.edu/fac/peabody/histfict.html>

Encyclopedia Entries

- 2010 “Sally and James Hemings” in *Dictionnaire des gens de couleur*, ed. Erick Noël. Bibliothèque des Lumières 77. Paris, Droz.
- 2009 “Free Soil” in *Encyclopedia of Blacks in European History and Culture*, edited by Eric Martone. Westport and London: Greenwood Press.
- 2005 “Slavery and the Slave Trade” in *Dictionary of Early Modern Europe*. Charles Scribner’s Sons. In vol. 5 of *Europe, 1450 to 1789: Encyclopedia of the Early Modern World*, edited by Jonathan Dewald, pp. 429-438. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons.

Reviews

- 2011 Madeleine Dobie, *Trading Places: Coloinization and Slavery in Eighteenth-Century French Culture* for H-France
- 2011 Arlette Gautier, *Les Sœurs de Solitude: Femmes et esclavage aux Antilles du XVII^e au XIX^e siècle* », in *Clio*, numéro 33-2011, *Colonisations*, <http://clio.revues.org/index10115.html>.
- 2011 Ulricke Schmieder, Katja Füllberg-Stolberg, Michael Zeuske, eds. *The End of Slavery in Africa and the Americas: A Comparative Approach* for *geschichte.transnational* [Leipzig]
- 2011 Jeremy D. Popkin, *You Are All Free: The Haitian Revolution and the Abolition of Slavery* for H-France
- 2011 Rosemary Brana-Shute and Randy J. Sparks, eds., *Paths to Freedom: Manumission in the Atlantic World*, for *Slavery & Abolition*
- 2010 Christopher L. Miller, *The French Atlantic Triangle: Literature and Culture of the Slave Trade* for *Nieuwe West-Indische Gids* 84:1 & 2.
- 2009 Philip Boucher, *France and the American Tropics*, for *Slavery and Abolition*.
- 2008 Pierre Boulle, *Race et esclavage dans la France de l’Ancien Régime* for H-France.
- 2006 Doris Garraway, *The Libertine Colony: Creolization in the Early French Caribbean* for *Itinerario*.
- 2006 “Taking Haiti to the People: History and Fiction of the Haitian Revolution” [Review Essay: Laurent Dubois, *Avengers of the New World* and Madison Smartt Bell, *The Stone that the Builder Refused*] *Slavery and Abolition*
- 2004 David Geggus, *Haitian Revolutionary Studies*, for *Nieuwe West-Indische Gids*. (78:3&4)
- 2002 Mimi Sheller, *Democracy after Slavery: Black Publics and Peasant Radicalism in Haiti and Jamaica*, for H-Caribbean.
- 2002 *Slavery in the Caribbean Francophone World: Distant Voices, Forgotten Acts, Forged Identities*, ed. Doris Y. Kadish, in *Americas*.
- 2002 Bernard Moitt, *Women and Slavery in the French Antilles, 1635-1848*, for H-

- Caribbean. Reprinted in the *Montalbán Review*, Universidad Católica Andrés Bello, Caracas, Venezuela
- 2000 Laurent Dubois, *Les Esclaves de la république: L'histoire oubliée de la première émancipation 1789-1794*, in *The American Historical Review*
- 1999 *The English Civil War* CD-ROM, in *History Computer Review*
- 1999 *History Through Art: The Baroque* CD-ROM, in *History Computer Review*
- 1998 *Sugar and Slavery, Family and Race: The Letters and Diary of Pierre Dessalles, Planter in Martinique, 1808-1856*, ed. Elborg Forster, in *Americas*
- 1994 *Race, Gender, and Rank: Early Modern Ideas of Humanity*, ed. Maryanne Cline Horowitz, in *History of European Ideas*

Media

- 2005 Content Specialist and Commentator, "Unit 17: Ideas Shape the World," *Bridging World History*. Television Series and Website. Annenberg Foundation and Corporation for Public Broadcasting.
www.learner.org/channel/courses/worldhistory/

AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS and HONORS

- 2010-2013 Edward G. Meyer Professor of Liberal Arts, Washington State University (\$37,500)
- 2010-2011 Washington State University Vancouver Research Mini-Grant (\$5,000)
- 2010 Humanities Washington Project Grant, Principle Organizer of "*The Heartsong of Charging Elk: Four Lectures and a Concert*" (\$7,500)
- 2009-2010 Washington State University Vancouver College of Liberal Arts Research Award (\$500)
- 2009 Gilder Lehrman Center for American History Fellowship (\$1,500)
- 2008 Andrew W. Mellon Foundation Fellowship, The Library Company of Philadelphia and the Historical Society of Pennsylvania (\$1,800)
- 2007-2008 American Philosophical Society Sabbatical Fellowship (\$34,000). "Free Soil: Slaves and the Law in the Atlantic World."
- 2006-2007 Washington State University Vancouver College of Liberal Arts Research Grant (\$454.68)
- 2002 Washington State University Vancouver Internal Research Mini-Grant for project to translate documents for "Slavery, Freedom and the Law in the Atlantic World" (\$2,000)
- 2000 Associate Fellow, Gilder Lehrman Center for the Study of Slavery, Resistance and Abolition, Yale University (\$3,000)
- 2001 Research Associate, African American Religion: A Documentary History Project, Amherst, MA (\$11,000)
- 2000-2001 Washington State University Vancouver Internal Research Mini-Grant for project to research "Carib, African, and European Women in the French Caribbean"

- (\$1,650).
- 1997 Washington State University Vancouver Research Excellence Award, in recognition of outstanding research by a WSU faculty member
- 1992–1993 Seashore Fellowship for doctoral students in the humanities, University of Iowa
- 1992 Stanley Fellowship for Graduate Research Abroad
- 1992 University of Iowa Student Assembly Research Grant
- 1990 American Historical Association's Bernadotte E. Schmitt Grant Award
- 1990 University of Iowa Student Assembly Research Grant
- 1989 Outstanding Teaching Assistant, University of Iowa
- 1989 Criticism Award, *Iowa Journal of Literary Studies*
- 1987-1991 Teaching-Research Fellowship, University of Iowa
- 1987 Olin Fellowship for Women, Washington University, St. Louis, MO. (declined)
- 1983 High Honors, Wesleyan University College of Letters
- 1982 Honors, Junior Comprehensive Examination, Wesleyan University College of Letters

WORK IN PROGRESS

- Book *Furcy: Race and Free Soil in 19th-century France*. Social biography of Furcy. Born the son of a slave from India in Ile Bourbon (Réunion), Furcy spent more than a quarter of a century fighting his enslavement. His success in France's highest court re-affirmed France as Free Soil just three years before Dred Scott began his struggle for liberty in the United States.
- Article "La Race, l'esclavage et « la francité »: L'affaire Furcy" in *Être et se penser Français : Nation, sentiment national et identités dans le monde atlantique français du XVIIe au XIXe siècle*, ed. Cécile Vidale, (Paris : les Editions de l' EHESS, forthcoming)
- Article "Free Soil Principle." In The Encyclopedia of Free Blacks and Free People of Color in the Americas. Edited by Stewart King. New York: Facts on File.

SELECTED PAPERS and PRESENTATIONS

- 2011 "Enslaved Women and Children in the French Indian Ocean: Madeleine of Chandernagor," International Conference: "Enslavement, Bondage and the Environment in the Indian Ocean World," Indian Ocean World Centre, McGill University, Montreal
- 2011 Invited Lecture: "Did the French Invent the Atlantic Free Soil Principle?" Paul E. Beik Memorial Lecture, Swarthmore College, 17 March 2011

- 2011 Invited Lecture: "Women and Children under French Slave Law." Queens University, Kingston Ontario, 10 March 2011
- 2010 Invited Keynote Lecture: "Why Scholars Study Slavery." "Causes and Consequences: Global Perspectives on Gender and the History of Slavery" Conference, University of Iowa - Oct 13-Oct 15, 2010
- 2010 Invited Lecture: "Enslaved Women and Children in the French Indian Ocean: Madeleine of Chandernagor." "Causes and Consequences: Global Perspectives on Gender and the History of Slavery" Conference, University of Iowa - Oct 13-Oct 15, 2010
- 2010 Conference paper: "Enslaved Women and Children in the French Indian Ocean: Madeleine of Chandernagor." Northwest World History Association, University of Oregon, Eugene. October 8, 2010.
- 2010 Invited Lecture: . "Madeleine of Chandernagor: Race, Slavery, Women and Children under French Law." McNeill Center for Early American Studies, University of Pennsylvania, 12 August 2010
- 2010 Roundtable Organizer and Participant: "Biography: Race and Gender in the French Empire." French Colonial Historical Society Annual Meeting, Paris 18 June 2010
- 2010 Invited Lecture: "Microhistory, Biography, Fiction: The Politics of Narrating the Lives of People under Slavery." Itineraries of Enslavement and Freedom in French Atlantic Spaces, French Atlantic History Group, McGill University, Montreal. 9 April 2010
- 2010 Washington State University Vancouver Lecture Series: *The Heartsong of Charging Elk*: Four Lectures and a Concert. "*Heartsong*, History and Fiction: A Conversation with Lois Welch," 25 March 2010
- 2010 Invited Black History Month Keynote Lecture: "Justice on the Margins: Popular and Official Claims to Freedom under French Law," Black Atlantic Seminar of the Robert Penn Warren Center for the Humanities, Vanderbilt University, Memphis Tennessee. 11 February 2010
- 2009 *Slaves, Freemen and Forced Labour in the Age of Abolitions*, International Seminar, Lisbon (Faculdade de Direito, Universidade Nova de Lisboa), 19-20 November 2009 "The Free Soil Principle in the French Empire"
- 2009 Midwest Conference on British Studies, 55th Annual Meeting, University of

Pittsburgh, "Freedom Papers Hidden in His Shoe: Navigating Emancipation across Imperial Boundaries" 9 October 2009

- 2009 Invited Lecture: University of Pittsburgh, Department of History Colloquium. "Seymour Drescher's *Abolition: A World History Synthesis*," 8 October, 2009
- 2009 International Seminar: "The 19th Century and the New Borders of Slavery and Freedom," Universidade Federal do Estado do Rio de Janeiro (Rio de Janeiro) and Universidade Severino Sombra (Vassouras), Brazil, 10-14 August 2009
Invited Paper: "Claiming Freedom: A Slave's Letters to his Lawyer"
- 2009 American Historical Association Annual Meeting, New York.
"Outside In: Rethinking French Identity from the Perimeter" on panel, "Nation, Race and Gender: Colonial Challenges to Early Modern European Historiography."
- 2008 Colloque AHIOI (Association des historiens de l'océan indien). Université de la Réunion.
Invited Paper: « Nul n'est esclave en France » : Le principe de « Free Soil » (Sol Libre) dans l'empire français
- 2008 Gilder Lehrman Center for the Study of Slavery, Resistance and Abolition, Yale University. Slavery and the Slave Trades in the Indian Ocean and Arab Worlds: Global Connections and Disconnections
Invited Paper: Free Soil in the Indian Ocean: French Slave Law on the Eve of Emancipation
- 2008 Centre d'Études nord-américaines, École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, Paris. Colloque international : Être et se penser Français. Nation, sentiment national et identités dans le monde atlantique français du XVIIIe au XIXe siècle
Invited Paper : « Race and "Le *Sol Libre* de France": A Genealogy »
- 2008 The Library Company of Philadelphia, the McNeil Center for Early American Studies, and Rochester Institute of Technology: Atlantic Emancipations conference.
Plenary panelist: "Atlantic Emancipations: Reflections, Reactions, Revisions"
- 2007-2009 Gilder Lehrman Center for the Study of Slavery, Resistance and Abolition, Working Group on Slavery and the Law, Yale University.
Invited Paper: "Medieval Municipal Liberties: Free Soil in the Middle Ages"
- 2007 Stanford University History and Philosophy of Science Lecture Series
Invited lecture: "Free Soil and the Legal Construction of Race in the Atlantic

World."

- 2007 "Rethinking Boundaries: Transforming Methods and Approaches to Atlantic History" Conference, New York University
Paper: "Free Soil: An Atlantic Legal Construct"
- 2007 French Colonial Historical Society, La Rochelle, France
Paper: "Free Soil: An Atlantic Legal Construct"
- 2007 University of Oregon, Department of History
Invited Paper: Free Soil in the Atlantic World
- 2007 American Historical Association, Atlanta, Georgia.
Chair for the panel, "Atlantic Connections, Colonial Structures: Identity and the French Caribbean."
- 2006 Conference: "Revolutionary Freedoms: Haiti's History of Survival, Strength and Imagination"
University of Maryland, College Park
Invited Paper: "Haitian Lawsuits for Freedom in U.S. Courts, 1794-1820"
- 2006 French Colonial Historical Society, Dakar, Senegal
Chair for the panel, "La France et l'Hémisphère Occidental"
- 2006 University of Toronto: Caribbean Perspectives Lecture Series
Invited Lectures: "Free Soil in the Atlantic World: Slaves' Lawsuits for Freedom and the Rise of the Modern State" and "Histories of Race in the West"
- 2005 American Society for Legal History, Cincinnati OH
"*Free Soil*: Emergence and Development of an Atlantic Legal Principle
- 2005 Western Society for French History, Colorado Springs, CO
Commentator on the panel: "Hierarchies of Race and Gender, 1770 – 1820"
- 2005 Northwest World History Association, Portland OR
"Window, Prism and Mirror: A Pedagogy of Historical Fiction in the Historical Classroom"
- 2005 Gendering Research Across the Campuses (GRACe), Washington State University Vancouver
"Haitian Women Refugees and Freedom in U.S. Judicial Courts: A Historical Inquiry of Boundaries and Law."

- 2005 Interdisciplinary Law & Humanities Junior Scholar Workshop, Georgetown Law School, Washington DC
Invited Commentator
- 2005 Universidade do Rio de Janeiro (Uni-Rio), Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
Invited Lecture: "Gender and Emancipation in the French Atlantic"
- 2005 Universidade Candido Mendes (UCAM), Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
Invited Lecture: "Race in the North Atlantic"
- 2005 Harvard Atlantic Seminar: "Atlantic Legalities"
Invited Lecture: "Slave Law in the Atlantic World: Beyond Tannenbaum"
- 2005 French Historical Studies, Stanford University, Palo Alto, California
Chair for the panel, "Liberty and Slavery in Eighteenth-Century French Thought"
- 2004 Center for Transatlantic Studies, Maastricht, Netherlands.
"Slavery, Freedom, Statehood and the Law in the Atlantic World, 1700-1888"
- 2004 Northwest World History Association, Washington State University, Vancouver.
"Free Territory: The Emergence of an Atlantic Legal/Political Principle."
- 2004 History of Science Lecture Series, Oregon State University, Corvallis.
Invited Lecture: "The Color of Liberty: Histories of Race in France."
- 2004 The Haitian Revolution after 200 Years, John Carter Brown Library, Providence, RI.
Invited Lecture: "Free Upon Higher Ground: Saint-Domingue Slaves' Suits for Freedom in U.S. Courts, 1794-1827."
- 2004 Symposium: "Remembering American Slavery." WSU Pullman.
Talk: "Anti-Slavery in World History with Particular Reference to Haiti."
- 2003 French Colonial Historical Society, Toulouse, France.
Paper: "Des bêtes aux anges: Le discours des missionnaires sur les races humaines aux Antilles françaises au 17e siècle."
- 2003 Slavery in the Early Modern World: An Inaugural Conference for the *Cambridge World History of Slavery*, Emory University, Atlanta.
Invited Lecture: "Slavery in Law"
- 2003 Law, Slavery, Emancipation, and Claims-Making. Pittsburgh.
Invited Lecture: "The Other Latin America: Slavery, Freedom and the Law in

France's Empire, 1635-1848”

- 2003 Engaging the American Past. Educational Service District 112, Vancouver WA.
Colloquium: “Stories of Slavery: Opening Ears to Truth”
- 2002 Berkshire Conference of Women Historians
Paper: “Négresse, Mulâtresse, Citoyenne: Gender, Race and Emancipation in the French Caribbean, 1650-1848
- 2002 The American Historical Association, San Francisco.
Paper: "The Emergence of Race in French Slave Colonies"
- 2001 Conference: The Legacy of Slavery and Emancipation in Europe and the Americas, Saint-Claude, Guadeloupe. Invited Chair.
- 2001 International Seminar on the History of the Atlantic World, Harvard University
Workshop: "Gender Issues in Atlantic History, 1500-1800"
- 2001 Gilder Lehrman Center for the Study of Slavery, Resistance and Abolition, Yale University
"Slave, Subject, Citizen: Gender and the Transition to Freedom in the French Caribbean, 1635-1848"
- 2001 Working Group on Atlantic History, Amherst College
Paper: “Catholic Missions to Slaves in the French Caribbean”
- 2000 Western Society for French History
"Gendered Access to Freedom: Manumission and Emancipation in the Ancien Régime and the French Revolution"
- 2000 French Colonial Historical Society, Charleston, SC
Paper, "Gender and Emancipation in the French Caribbean" and
Commentator for the panel, "French Colonial and Other Slave Systems"
- 1999 Western Society for French History, Pacific Grove, CA
Commentator for the panel, “Debates on Race and Slavery, 1800-1848”
- 1999 French Colonial Historical Society, New Orleans, LA
Chair for the panel, “Saint Domingue”
- 1999 Western Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, UC-San Bernardino, CA
Chair for the panel, “Imagining Slavery in Eighteenth-Century Europe”

- 1998 American Historical Association, Seattle, WA
Organizer, Chair, and Substitute Commentator for the panel, "Constructing Race in France"
- 1997 "New Perspectives on Slavery and the Slave Trade," a conference sponsored by the Rutgers Center for Historical Analysis, New Brunswick, NJ
"A Dangerous Zeal": Jesuits and Slaves in the French Caribbean, 1636-1763"
- 1996 Western Society for French History, Charlotte, NC
"Race in the Ancien Régime"
- 1996 French Colonial Historical Society, Poitiers, France
"Jesuits and Slaves in the French Caribbean, 1636-1763"
- 1995 French Colonial Historical Society, Louisbourg, Nova Scotia
"Free Franks and their Colonial Slaves: A Legal, Social, and Ideological Crisis"
- 1994 Amherst College, Amherst Massachusetts
"Jesuits, Voodoo, and Community: Slave Religion in the French Caribbean,"
Guest Lecturer, class on the history of African-American religion
- 1994 Northeast American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies meeting, New York City
"*Le Vrai Dieu*: French Missions in Africa and the Caribbean"
- 1993 Marlboro College, Marlboro Vermont
"When Is a Negro not a Negro?: Race, Slavery, and the Law in Eighteenth-Century France"
- 1992 American Historical Association, Washington DC
"Race, Slavery and French Law: The Legal Context for the *Police des Noirs*"
- 1992 French Historical Studies, El Paso, Texas
"Crossing the Boundaries: Blacks and Slavery in Eighteenth-Century France"
- 1991 Challenge, Change and Convention in the Early Modern World, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis
"Gender and National Identity in Eighteenth-Century France"
- 1991 Implications of 1492: An Interdisciplinary Panel on the Columbian Encounter, University of Iowa, Iowa City
- 1989 Midwest Feminist Graduate Conference, University of Iowa

"Marriage and Citizenship in Eighteenth-Century France and England: The Tenacity of Mary Anne Raworth"

- 1989 Graduate Rhetoric Seminar, University of Iowa
"Prescott's Conquest of Mexico as Tragedy: The Composition of a Romantic Masterpiece"
- 1988 Women and Research Committee, University of Iowa
The Fine Art of Approaching Research

TEACHING

Graduate Courses

- Hist 597: Early Modern European Popular Culture
- Hist 571: Topics in World History
 - Comparative History of Slavery
 - Race in World History
 - Microhistory and Biography in World History
- Hist 539: Slavery, Abolition and Emancipation

Undergraduate Courses at WSU

- Hist 300: Writing About History
- Hist 355: European Popular Culture
- Hist 350: European Women's History, 1400-1800
- Hist 400: History in Media
- Hist 435: European Expansion Overseas, 1400-1800
- Hist 439: Slavery, Abolition and Emancipation in World History
- Hist 446: Age of Louis XIV, Europe: 1600-1789
- Hist 469: Senior Seminar: Slavery, Freedom and the Law
- University Honors 300: Honors Seminar (Lecture Series)
- University Honors 350: Development of World Civilization

Graduate Student Committees (Year = Degree Awarded)

Doctoral

- In progress Barbara Traver (major advisor)
- In progress Terisa Rond (major advisor)
- In progress Laurali Turner (major advisor)
- In progress Aaron Whelchel
- In progress Adam Carpinelli
- 2008 Amitava Chowdhury
- 2005 Jennifer Pierce (State University of New York at Binghamton)

Master's

2009	Craig Van Buskirk
2008	Tracie Peterson (major advisor)
2006	Burleigh Hendrickson (Portland State University)
2006	Luke Glassett, (M.Ed. Washington State University Vancouver)
2006	James Covi
2005	Mary Stuart (major advisor)
2001	Jeremy Prys (major advisor)
1999	Claire Utgaard

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

2008-2011	Associate Chair of History, WSU Vancouver
2002-2006	Director, Honors Program, Washington State University Vancouver
1998-2000	Created and administer the WSUV Honors Program and lecture series. Designed curriculum, admissions criteria, promotional and advising materials, and coordinated articulation with other campuses and institutions. Managed budget, arranged for instruction, oriented students, supervised honors advisor and support staff.

SELECTED SERVICE**Service to the Profession**Offices/Committees

2011	Western Association of Women Historians Book Prize Committee
2009-2010	Program Committee, French Colonial Historical Society meeting, Paris 2010
2007-2010	Leo Gershoy Book Prize Committee, American Historical Association
2008-2009	Program Committee, French Colonial Historical Society meeting, San Francisco 2009
2008	Reviewer, American Philosophical Society Sabbatical Fellowships
2007-2008	Reviewer, Dissertation Completion Fellowships of the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation/ACLS Early Career Fellowship Program
2007-2008	Advisory Board, <i>Encyclopedia of Blacks in Europe</i> (Greenwood Press, 2009)
2006-2008	President, French Colonial Historical Society
2006-2009	Editorial Board, <i>French Historical Studies</i>
2005-2006	Vice President, French Colonial Historical Society
2004	Co-organizer, Symposium: “‘Dèyè mòn, gen mòn,’: Behind the Mountains are More Mountains: A Celebration of Haiti’s Bicentennial in Art, Music, History, and Spirit.” Washington State University and Portland State University.
2002-	Editorial Board, <i>French Colonial History</i>
2001-2005	Alf Heggoy Book Prize Committee, French Colonial Historical Society. Chair, 2003-2005

1997-1998 American Historical Association -- Pacific Coast Branch Conference Program Committee

Selected Service to Department, Campus and University

2009-2010 Chair, Organizing Committee: *Heartsong of Charging Elk*: Four Lectures and a Concert (March 22-26, 2010), WSU Vancouver and Pullman

2008-2011 History Department Planning Committee, WSU (Chair, 2009-2011)

2008-2010 History Department Graduate Studies Committee, WSU

2008-2009 History Department Faculty Senator, WSU

2008-2010 University Scholars Advisory Committee, WSU

2006-2007 Renaissance/Reformation Europe Search Committee

2005-2007 History Department Faculty Senator, WSU

2005-2007 Committee on Undergraduate Curriculum and Instruction

2005-2006 Chair, Asian History Search Committee

1999-2005 History Department Planning Committee

2004 WSUV Faculty Research Award Committee

2002-2004 College of Liberal Arts Budget Advisory Committee

2002-2004 WSUV Diversity Task Force

1999-2000 Extended University Affairs Committee

1999-2000 Search Committee, Coordinator of Liberal Arts for the Washington State University Vancouver campus.

1998-2000, 2002-2006: Director, Honors Program, WSU Vancouver

1996-2000 Co-Chair, Washington State University Vancouver Humanities Speakers and Events Committee

Service to the Public

2009 Portland Opera, "Destination Opera," Portland, Oregon
Invited presentation: "The Historical Window, Prism and Mirror of Verdi's *Rigoletto*"

2004-2008 Organizer, Vancouver Peace and Justice Fair, through WSUV Center for Social and Environmental Justice, www.vancouverpeaceandjusticefair.org

2006 Public Lecture, "Origins of Racism in the Western World" for Vancouver Lion's Club.

2006 Public Lecture, American Association of University Women, Vancouver chapter, "An Illustrated History of Race in the West"

2004 Public Lecture: "Telling Stories: Race, History and Identity in the Western World." Michael Servetus Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

2001, 2003 Selection Committee, Vancouver Mayor's Youth Peacekeepers Award for PeaceJam. www.peacejam.org

2000 Presentor, "Mapping Perspectives: Geography of World History," Southwest Washington Educational Partnership

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Historical Association

Association Historique Internationale de l'Océan de L'Inde

French Colonial Historical Society / Société d'Histoire Coloniale Française

Society for French Historical Studies

Western Society for French History