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Education:

1972 A.B., magna cum laude, Department of History, Harvard University
 1978 M.A., Department of History, Princeton University
 1981 Ph.D., Department of History, Princeton University

Employment:

2005 (Fall) Visiting Professor, Department of History, Rice University
 1999- Director, Melbern G. Glasscock Center for Humanities Research, Texas A&M University
 1999- Professor of History, Texas A&M University
 1996-1999 Associate Department Head
 1989-1999 Associate Professor of History, Texas A&M University
 1982-1989 Assistant Professor of History, Texas A&M University
 1981-1982 Assistant Professor and Chair, Arts and Sciences Department, Westminster Choir College, Princeton, New Jersey
 1978-1981 Instructor of History, Westminster Choir College
 1977-1978 Instructor and Lecturer, Department of History, Princeton University

Teaching areas:

Early modern Britain
 Eighteenth century Britain
 Sex, gender and sexuality in history

Publications:Books

The Emergence of a Ruling Order: English Landed Society 1650-1750. London: Addison Wesley Longman, 1998. Pp. xiv + 290.

The Townshends of Raynham: Nobility in Transition in Restoration and Early Hanoverian England. Middletown, Connecticut: Wesleyan University Press, 1989. Pp. xxi + 265.

Edited books

(with A. L. Beier and David Cannadine) *The First Modern Society: Essays in English History in Honour of Lawrence Stone.* Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1989. Pp. xxii + 654.

Editions

The Notebook of Robert Doughty 1662-1665. Norfolk Record Society, volume LIV (1991 for 1989). Pp. 146.

Book chapters

“The political culture of the early eighteenth-century English gentry,” in Ronald G. Asch, ed., *Der europäische Adel im Ancien Régime: Von der Krise der ständischen Monarchien bis zur Revolution (ca. 1600-1789)* (Köln: Böhlau Verlag, 2001), pp. 323-42.

“Landownership, the Aristocracy and the Country Gentry” in Lionel K. J. Glassey, ed., *The Reigns of Charles II and James VII and II* (London: The Macmillan Press Ltd., 1997), pp. 152-70.

“ ‘Being taken notice of as engag’d in a party’: partisan occasions and political culture in Restoration Norfolk” in Carol Rawcliffe, Roger Virgoe, and Richard Wilson eds, *Counties and Communities: Essays on East Anglian History* (Norwich: Centre of East Anglian Studies, 1996), pp. 259-74.

“County governance and elite withdrawal in Norfolk, 1660-1720” in A. L. Beier, David Cannadine, and James Rosenheim, eds, *The First Modern Society: Essays in English History in Honour of Lawrence Stone* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1989), pp. 95-125.

Refereed Articles

“Documenting Authority: Texts and Magistracy in Restoration Society,” *Albion* vol. 25, no. 4 (Winter 1993), pp. 591-604, 649-51.

“Party Organization at the Local Level: The Norfolk Sheriff’s Subscription of 1676,” *The Historical Journal*, vol. 29, no. 3 (September 1986), pp. 713-22.

“An Early Appreciation of *Paradise Lost*,” *Modern Philology* 75 (1978), pp. 280-282.

Presentations

“ ‘...not to be jested with after such a Manner, as to be render’d liable to...Contempt’: Marriage and Singleness in 1700,” Womem’s and Gender Studies Working Group lunch lecture, Texas A&M University, October 2008

“ ‘It pleased me...in fancy and imagination only’: Dudley Ryder and the Company of Women, 1715-1716,” Western Conference on British Studies, Albuquerque, November 2007

“The ‘pleasures of a single life’ or ‘the felicities of a marryd life’? Ned Ward and the Status of the Single Man,” Group for Early Modern Cultural Studies, Chicago, February 2007

“New Attention to Unmarried Men in late-seventeenth and early-eighteenth century Britain,” Western Conference on British Studies, Dallas, October 2006

“The Use of Electronic Resources for Scholarship and Pedagogy,” American Association for History and Computing, American Historical Association, Philadelphia, January 2006

“Beyond the stereotype of the single young man,” North American Conference on British Studies, Philadelphia, October 2004

“Curious Emblems of the Queer American Male,” symposium on “Curious Things,” Texas A&M University, October 2002

“Notions of Male Friendship in the Restoration,” Midwest Conference on British Studies, Columbus, Ohio, October 2002

“Singular Subjects: Unmarried Men in England 1500-2000, A Work in Progress,” Center for Humanities Research, Texas A&M University, March 2001

“Singular Subjects: Unmarried Men in Early Modern England,” symposium on Early Modern Masculinity and Femininity, Rice University, November 2000

“In the wake of libertinism: single men, sexuality and gender at the end of the seventeenth century,” American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, Philadelphia, April 2000

“Unmarried Men in England, 1625-1775: The Case of Oliver Le Neve of Witchingham,” Western Conference on British Studies, Tucson, Arizona, October 1999

“The political culture of the English gentry in the early eighteenth century,” conference at Universität Osnabrück, on “Der europäische Adel im Ancien Régime: Von der Krise der ständischen Monarchien bis zur Revolution (ca. 1600-1789)” (“The European Nobility in the Ancien Régime ca. 1600-1789”), Osnabrück, Germany, September 1999

“Singular Subjects: Unmarried Men in Augustan England,” American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, March 1999

“Representations of William III’s ‘perverted...Lust’: Sexuality and Royal Image,” Group for Early Modern Cultural Studies, Chapel Hill, December 1997.

“The ‘Norfolk Congress’ as an index of Whig corruption,” Group for Early Modern Cultural Studies, Pittsburgh, September 1996.

“Negotiating networks: agents, landowners, and culture in Augustan England,” Social Science History Association, New Orleans, October 1996.

“Words of Justice: Magistrates’ Charges in the Eighteenth Century,” 23rd annual meeting, Western Conference on British Studies, Colorado Springs, October 1996.

“Bruce Weber’s Homoerotic Advertising: Public Relations and Pornography,” South Central Modern Languages Association, Houston, Texas, October 1995

“Robert Britiffe of Norfolk, A Gentleman Broker and His Landed Clients,” American Historical Association, Chicago, January 1995.

“Province and Center after the Restoration: A New Relationship?,” North American Conference on British Studies, Montreal, October 1993.

“Documenting Authority: Written Texts and the Workings of Justice in Late Stuart Society,” American Historical Association, Washington, D.C., December 1992.

“Writing Wrongs: The Justice’s Notebook of Robert Doughty,” South Central Society of Eighteenth-Century Studies, Lubbock, Texas, February 1992.

“Captives in the Provinces? Lords Lieutenant in Later Stuart Politics,” Western Conference on British Studies, Tucson, Arizona, October 1991.

“The Politics of Association in Restoration Norfolk,” Centre of East Anglian Studies, University of East Anglia, Norwich, England, April 1991.

“‘Being Taken Notice of as Engag’d in a Party’: The Political Culture of Association in Restoration Society,” Midwest Conference on British Studies, Ann Arbor, Michigan, and the Western Conference on British Studies, Snowbird, Utah, October 1990.

“The Politics of Prosecuting Scandal in the Seventeenth Century: Two Actions of *Scandalum Magnatum*,” Western Conference on British Studies, New Orleans, Louisiana, October 1988, and Southern Historical Association, Norfolk, Virginia, November 1988.

“Governance Without Governors,” Western Conference on British Studies, Lincoln, Nebraska, October 1987.

“The Making of a Statesman: ‘Turnip’ Townshend’s Early Career,” North American Conference on British Studies, Denver, Colorado, October 1986.

“Provincial Politics in National Perspective: Horatio Townshend, Norfolk and the Court, 1660-1687,” Post-Graduate Seminar, Department of History, University of Sheffield, Sheffield, England, June 1986.

“Party Organization at the Local Level: The Norfolk Sheriff’s Subscription, 1676,” Western Conference on British Studies, San Antonio, Texas, October 1985.

“A Restoration Politician’s Double Life: National Aspirations and Local Constraints in the Career of Horatio 1st Viscount Townshend,” Western Conference on British Studies, Boulder, Colorado, October 1983.

“The Study of a Family: The Townshends of Norfolk,” Centre for East Anglian Studies, University of East Anglia, Norwich, England, March, 1983.

“County Governance at the Restoration: The Case of Norfolk, 1660-1720,” Rocky Mountain Conference on British Studies, Snowbird, Utah, October 1982.

“Robert Doughty, A Restoration Magistrate at Work,” Centre for East Anglian Studies, University of East Anglia, Norwich, England, April 1976.

Book reviews

S. D. Smith, *Slavery, Family and Gentry Capitalism in the British Atlantic: The World of the Lascelles, 1648-1834* (Cambridge and New York: Cambridge University Press, 2006) in *American Historical Review*, vol. 113, no. 2 (April 2008), pp. 459-60.

John Broad, *Transforming English Rural Society: The Verneys and the Claydons 1600-1820* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2004) in *American Historical Review*, vol. 110, no. 4 (October 2005), p. 1243.

Brian Weiser, *Charles II and the Politics of Access* (London: Boydell & Brewer, 2003) in *Albion* vol. 36, no. 4 (Winter 2005), pp. 703-04.

Craig Muldrew, *The Economy of Obligation: The Culture of Credit and Social Relations in Early Modern England* (New York: St. Martin’s Press, 1998) in *Albion* vol. 33, no. 1 (Spring 2001), pp. 107-08.

Todd Gray, ed., *The Lost Chronicle of Barnstaple, 1598-1611* in *Albion*, vol. 32, no. 3 (Fall 2000), pp. 482-83.

Lynn Hollen Lees, *The Solidarities of Strangers: The English Poor Laws and the People, 1700-1948* in *Social Service Review*, vol. 74, no. 1 (March 2000), pp. 150-52.

Richard Grassby, *The Business Community of Seventeenth-Century England* in *Albion*, vol. 29 no. 3 (Fall 1997), pp. 482-4.

John Smail, *The Origins of Middle-Class Culture: Halifax, Yorkshire, 1660-1780* in *Journal of Modern History*, vol. 68, no. 4 (December 1996), pp. 978-80.

Clive Holmes and Felicity Heal, *The Gentry in England and Wales, 1500-1700* in *The Journal of Interdisciplinary History*, vol. 27, no. 2 (Autumn 1996), pp. 301-302.

William Weber, *The Rise of Musical Classics in Eighteenth-Century England: A Study in Canon, Ritual and Ideology* in *Journal of Interdisciplinary History*, vol. 25, no. 4 (Spring 1995), pp. 683-4.

David Harris Sacks, *The Widening Gate: Bristol and the Atlantic Economy, 1450-1700* in *Albion*, vol. 25, no. 1 (Winter 1993), pp. 82-84.

Jonathan I. Israel, ed., *The Anglo-Dutch moment: Essays on the Glorious Revolution and its world impact* in *Journal of Interdisciplinary History*, vol. 24, no. 1 (Summer 1993), pp. 130-33.

Claude J. Summer, *Gay Fictions Wilde to Stonewall: Studies in a Male Homosexual Literary Tradition* in *South Central Review*, vol. 9, no. 4 (Winter 1992), pp. 81-82.

Ronald Hutton, *The British Republic 1649-1660*; Ann Hughes, *The Causes of the English Civil War*; Diarmaid MacCulloch, *The Later Reformation in England 1547-1603*; and Paul Seaward, *The Restoration, 1660-1688* in *Seventeenth-Century News*, vol. 50, nos. 1-2 (Spring-Summer 1992), pp. 4-5.

Christopher Dyer, *Standards of Living in the Later Middle Ages: Social change in England c. 1200-1520* in *Albion*, vol. 23, no. 2 (Summer 1991), pp. 294-96.

John Gascoigne, *Cambridge in the Age of the Enlightenment: Science, religion and politics from the Restoration to the French Revolution* in *Journal of Interdisciplinary History*, vol. 22, no. 1 (Summer 1991), pp. 115-17.

Roger B. Manning, *Village Revolts: Social Protest and Popular Disturbances in England 1509-1640* in *Locus*, vol. 3, no. 1 (Fall 1990), pp. 118-19.

H. R. Trevor-Roper, *Catholics, Anglicans and Puritans. Seventeenth Century Essays*, in *Modern Philology*, vol. 87, no. 2 (November 1989), pp. 176-8.

Clayton Roberts, *Schemes & Undertakings: A Study of English Politics in the Seventeenth Century* in *Seventeenth Century News*, vol. 46, no. 3 (1988), p. 48.

Harvester Press Microform Publications, *The Complete State Papers Domestic, Series Two, 1625-1702, Charles I (Parts I-VIII)* in *Microform Review*, vol. 17, no. 5 (1988), pp. 313-14.

John Swain, *Industry before the Industrial Revolution: North-East Lancashire c. 1500-1640* (Manchester, 1986), in *Albion*, vol. 20, no. 1 (1988), pp. 99-100.

Nicholas Russell, *Like engend'ring like: Heredity and animal breeding in early modern England* (Cambridge, 1986) in *Journal of Interdisciplinary History*, vol. 17, no. 4 (1987), pp. 495-6.

Michael Hawkins, editorial director, *Tudor and Stuart Manuscripts from the Harleian Collection: The Harleian Manuscripts: Parts Four, Five, Six*, (Brighton, England, 1982-3), in *Microform Review*, vol. 14, no. 3 (1985): 201-02.

Donald Woodward, ed., *The Farming and Memorandum Books of Henry Best of Elmswell, 1642* (New York, 1984), in *Albion*, vol. 17, no. 3 (1985), pp. 325-6.

J. V. Beckett, *Coal & Tobacco: The Loather and the Economic Development of West Cumberland 1660-1760* (Cambridge, 1981) in *Albion*, vol. 14, no. 2 (1982), p. 181.

Professional service and recognition:

Fellowship and research grants

Clark Library/American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, Short-term Fellowship, 1994
Scholar in Residence, Centre for East Anglian Studies, University of East Anglia, Norwich, England, 1991

Research Fellow, Center for British Studies, University of Colorado - Boulder, 1991

American Philosophical Society, Research Grant, 1989

National Endowment for the Humanities, Fellowship for College Teachers, 1983

Editorial services

Advisory Editor, *Eighteenth-Century Studies*, 1999-2002

Associate Editor, *Seventeenth-Century News*, 1995-2000

Service in Professional Societies

Elected Council Member, North American Conference on British Studies, 2007-

Treasurer, Committee on Lesbian and Gay History, American Historical Association, 2006-

Program Committee, North American Conference on British Studies, 1998-2002

Gottschalk Prize Committee, American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, 1996

Committee of Affiliate Associations, American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, 1995

President, Western Conference on British Studies, 1992-1994

Public talks

“Art and the Country House: The Townshends and Raynham Hall,” public lecture for the National Art Collections Fund, Norfolk, England, July 1998

“The English Collector in Historical Perspective,” Texas A&M University Art Exhibits Lecture, October 1988

Consulting

Grant Evaluator, Humanities Research Center, Rice University, 2007

External Review Committee, Center for the Study of Cultures, Rice University, Fall 2005

Evaluator, Early English Books Online/EEBO-TCP Undergraduate Essay Competition, 2002

Manuscript evaluation for Basil Blackwell Ltd, Texas A&M University Press, University of Georgia Press, W. W. Norton and Co., *Albion, Eighteenth-Century Studies, Law and History Review, The Historian*

Memberships in professional societies

American Historical Association
 American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies
 Committee on Lesbian and Gay History, American Historical Association
 Modern Language Association
 Norfolk and Norwich Archaeological society
 Norfolk Record Society
 North American Conference on British Studies

Service and recognition at Texas A&M University:

Administrative

Director, Melburn G. Glasscock Center for Humanities Research, 2002-
 Director, Center for Humanities Research, 1999-2002
 Director, Interdisciplinary Group for Humanities Studies, 1998-1999
 Associate Head, Department of History, 1996-1999
 Undergraduate Advisor, Department of History, 1989-1993

University Committees

Steering Committee, Academic Master Plan, 2008-
 Research Roadmap Committee, Academic Master Plan, 2008-
 Search Advisory Committee, Executive Vice President for Academics and Provost, 2008
 President's Council on Climate and Diversity, 2007-
 Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender Consortium, 2005-
 Diversity Advisory Committee, 2004-2006
 Research Subcommittee, Taskforce on Undergraduate Life, 2004-2005
 Search Committee, Vice President and Associate Provost for Institutional Assessment and Diversity, 2002-2003
 Chair, Committee for the conference, "Higher Education In and For a Just Society," 125th Anniversary Convocation of Texas A&M University, 2000-2001
 125th Anniversary Convocation Committee, 2000-2001
 Search Committee, Dean of the College of Liberal Arts, 2000-2001
 Search Committee, Director of University Honors and Fellowships Program, 1999-2000
 President's Committee for a Discrimination-Free Campus, 1989-1993
 Library Council, 1993

Advisory and Review Committees

College of Liberal Arts, Ad Hoc Committee on Tenure and Promotion Issues for Interdisciplinary Faculty, 2005-2006
 College of Liberal Arts, Ad Hoc Committee on Interdisciplinary Programs, 2004-2005
 Review Panel, Program to Enhance Scholarly and Creative Activities, 2001-2004
 Liberal Arts Development Relations Council, 2000-2003
 College of Liberal Arts Ad Hoc Research Review Committee, 2000-2001
 Interdisciplinary Planning and Oversight Committee, 1998-2000
 Texas A&M University Press Advisory Council, 1998-2000
 Advisory Committee, Interdisciplinary Group for Humanities Studies, 1995-1998
 KAMU-FM Advisory Committee, 1994-1996
 University Honors Program Committee, 1993-1998
 Women Studies Program Review Committee, 1990-1993
 Honors Advisory Council, College of Liberal Arts, 1989-2001 (Chair 1993-94)

Faculty Senate Service and Committees

Faculty Senator, 1989-1995
 Executive Committee, 1994-1995
 Core Curriculum Oversight Subcommittee, 1989-1995 (Chair, 1993-1994)
 Academic Affairs Committee, 1993-1995
 Ad hoc Subcommittee on Research, Faculty Senate Planning Committee, 1996-97
 Ad hoc Committee for Fine Arts, 1994-1995

Liberal Arts Council Service and Committees

At-Large Council Member, 1986-1990
 Steering Committee, 1989-1990
 Curriculum Committee, 1991-1995 (Presiding officer, 1993-1994)

Recent Miscellaneous University Service

Rothrock Chair Search Committee, Department of Performance Studies, 2008-
 Organizing committee, symposium on “The Changing Landscape of Scholarly Communication in the Digital Age,” 2008-2009
 College of Liberal Arts, Committee on the Ph. D. in European Studies, 2004-2005
 Head Search Committee, Department of Performance Studies, 2004-2005
 President, GLBT Professional Network, 2003-2005
 Carnegie Initiative on the Doctorate, Department of History, 2003-2005
 Carnegie Initiative on the Doctorate, Department of English, 2003-2005
 Advisor, Rainbow Graduate Students Association, 2001-2005
 Co-Principal Investigator, Humanities Informatics Initiative, 2001-2004
 Member, Children, Youth and Families Interdisciplinary Initiative, 2001-2002
 Presentation to Site-Visit Team for the American Association of Universities, on behalf of the Humanities and Social Sciences at TAMU, April 2001

Truman Scholarship Evaluator, University Honors Program, 1995-1997
Member, Liberal Arts 2020 Focus Group, 1997
Summer Honors Invitational Program, University Honors Program, 1996, 1997, 2000
Participant, Honors Teaching and Learning Workshop, University Honors Program, 1995-1996
Reader, Senior Honors Fellows Theses, 1993-1998

Honors and special recognitions

Texas A&M University, College of Liberal Arts, Distinguished Teaching Award, 1993
Texas A&M University Honors Teacher-Scholar Award, 1991

Internal grants

Faculty Development Grant, 1990
University Honors Curriculum Development Grants, 1986, 1990, 1992, 1996
Agriculture in the Liberal Arts Program Research Grant, 1986
International Enhancement Grants, 1986, 1988

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