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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- 2015- Professor of History, Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, KY
 -Affiliated Faculty, Religious Studies, Western Kentucky University (2011-)
- 2009-2015 Associate Professor of History, Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, KY
- 2003-2009 Assistant Professor of History, Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, KY
- 1997-2002 Assistant Professor of History and European Studies, University of Maryland University
 College, Schwäbisch Gmünd (Germany)—University closed on June 30, 2002
- 1996-97 Assistant Professor of History, Wingate University, Wingate, NC
- 1993-96 Visiting Assistant Professor of History, College of Charleston, Charleston, SC
- 1993 Instructor, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA
- 1986-89 Teaching Assistant, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA

EDUCATION

- 1996 **Ph.D. in European History, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA**
 Primary Fields: Renaissance and Reformation; Early Modern Europe; Social History
 Secondary Field: Medieval Europe
 Dissertation: "Reforming the Family: Marriage, Gender and the Lutheran Household in
 Early Modern Germany, 1500-1620"
 Supervisor: H. C. Erik Midelfort
 Committee: Carlos Eire, Duane Osheim, Lawrence Goedde
- 1988 **M.A. in European History, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA**
 Master's Thesis: "'Vera Famiglia': Familial Images in the Letters of Catherine of Siena"
 Supervisor: Duane J. Osheim
- 1985 **B.A. in History and English, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY**
 Cum laude with Highest Distinction in History
 Honors Thesis: "Across the Round Table: A Vision of Kingship in the Middle Ages"

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

American Society for Church History; Frühe Neuzeit Interdisziplinär; German Studies Association;
Renaissance Society of America; Sixteenth-Century Studies Council; Society for Reformation Research;
Society for the Study of Early Modern Women

LANGUAGES: German (fluent), French (reading), Italian (basic reading), Latin (basic reading), Dutch
(beginning)

RESEARCH

Publications

Books

From Priest's Whore to Pastor's Wife: Clerical Marriage and the Process of Reform in the Early German Reformation. St. Andrews Studies in Reformation History, vol. 100. Farnham, UK: Ashgate Publishing, 2012. *Awarded Gerald Strauss Book Prize 2013*.

Editor (with Carina Johnson, David Luebke, and Jesse Spohnholz). *Archaeologies of Confession: Writing the German Reformations, 1517-2017*. Oxford: Berghahn Books, [April 2017]. In press
<https://www.berghahnbooks.com/title/JohnsonArchaeologies>

Editor (with Robin B. Barnes). *Ideas and Cultural Margins in Early Modern Germany: Essays in Honor of H.C. Erik Midelfort*. Aldershot, Hambleton: Ashgate Publishing, 2009.

Articles

"Prison Tales: The Miraculous Escape of Stephen Agricola and the Creation of Lutheran Heroes during the Sixteenth Century." In *Archaeologies of Confession: Writing the German Reformations, 1517-2017*, edited by Carina Johnson, David Luebke, Marjorie E. Plummer, and Jesse Spohnholz. Oxford: Berghahn Books, [April/May 2017]. In press.

"Neither Nun nor Laywoman: Entering Lutheran Convents during the Reformation of Female Religious Communities in the Duchy of Braunschweig, 1542-1634." In *Devout Laywomen in the Early Modern World*, edited by Alison Weber, 196-218. Oxford: Routledge, 2016.

"*Persona non grata*: Former Nuns, Property Disputes, and the Female Defence of Marriage in the German Reformation." In *Politics, Gender and Belief: The Long-Term Impact of the Reformation. Essays in Memory of Robert M. Kingdon*, edited by Amy Burnett, Kathleen Comerford, and Karin Maag, 209-36. Geneva: Droz Publishing, 2014.

"'Nothing More than Common Whores and Knaves': Married Monks and Nuns in the Early German Reformation." In *Mixed Matches: Transgressive Unions in Germany from the Reformation to the Enlightenment*, edited by David M. Luebke and Mary Lindemann, 45-62. Oxford: Berghahn Books, 2014.

"'The Much Married Michael Kramer': Evangelical Clergy and Bigamy in Ernestine Saxony, 1522-1542." In *Ideas and Cultural Margins in Early Modern Germany: Essays in Honor of H.C. Erik Midelfort*, edited by Marjorie E. Plummer and Robin B. Barnes, 99-115. Aldershot, Hambleton: Ashgate Publishing, 2009.

"'Partner in his Calamities': Pastors' Wives, Married Nuns and the Experience of Clerical Marriage in the Early German Reformation." *Gender and History* 20, no. 2 (2008): 207-27.

"Clerical Marriage and Territorial Reformation in Ernestine Saxony and the Diocese of Merseburg in 1522-1524." *Archive for Reformation History* 98 (2007): 45-70.

Survey Articles, Translations, and Encyclopedia Entries

"Hans Gallmeyer: Seduction, Bigamy, and Forgery in an Augsburg Workshop." In *A Sourcebook of Early Modern History: In Honor of Susan C. Karant-Nunn on her 70th Birthday*, edited by Ute Lotz-Heumann. (Final revisions accepted May 2012. Publication status unknown)

"Augsburg" (500-750 words), "Marriage/Divorce" (500-750 words), "Convents, *vocatio* of nun" (1000 words). In *Dictionary of Luther and the Lutheran Traditions*, edited by Timothy Wengert, pp ##. Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, TBA [2017 expected]. In press.

"Luther and the Saxon Electors," (9000 words) in *The Oxford Encyclopedia of Martin Luther*, edited by Derek Nelson and Paul Hinlicky, pp ##. Oxford: Oxford University Press, c. 2017 [2016 online]. In press.

"Sermon on the Estate of Marriage," in *The Essential Luther: Christian Life in the World*, vol. 5, edited by

Hans Hillerbrand, 17-31. Minneapolis: Fortress Press, [March 2017]. In press.
 “Estate of Marriage,” in *The Essential Luther: Christian Life in the World*, vol. 5, edited by Hans Hillerbrand, 22-77. Minneapolis: Fortress Press, [March 2017]. In press.
 “Augsburg.” In *Europe 1450-1789: An Encyclopedia of the Early Modern World*, vol. 1, edited by Jonathan Dewald, 166-168. New York: Charles Scribner’s Sons, 2003.

Book Reviews

Review of *Time of Sifting. Mystical Marriage and the Crisis of Moravian Piety in the Eighteenth Century*, by Peter Peucker. In *Journal of Moravian History* [TBA]. Forthcoming.
 Review of *Die Einführung der Reformation und das Schicksal der Klöster im Reich und in Europa*, by Eike Wolfast. In *Lutheran Quarterly* 30.1 (2016): 111-13.
 Review of *Hope for Better Spouses: Protestant Marriage and Church Renewal in Early Modern Europe, India, and North America* by A.G. Roeber. In *Journal of Family History* 40 (2015): 517-19.
 Review of *Death and a Maiden: Infanticide and the Tragical History of Grethe Schmidt*, by William David Myers. In *German Studies Review* 38.1 (February 2015): 155-57.
 Review of *Orthodoxies and Heterodoxies in Early Modern German Culture: Order and Creativity, 1550-1750*, edited by Randolph Head and Daniel Christensen. *Renaissance Quarterly* 62.2 (2009): 589-90.
 Review of *Klosteraustritte in der frühen Reformation* by Antje Rüttgardt. In *H-German*, April 2009.
<http://www.h-net.org/reviews/showpdf.php?id=23829>.
 Review of *Noble Strategies: Marriage and Sexuality in the Zimmern Chronicle*, by Judith J. Hurwich. In *H-German*, July 2008. <http://h-net.msu.edu/cgi-bin/logbrowse.pl?trx=vx&list=H-German&month=0807&week=c&msg=2qaJbDeB0CoSMxJDKf%2b8uQ&user=&pw=>
 Review of *Sodomy in Reformation Germany and Switzerland, 1400-1600*, by Helmut Puff. In *Catholic Historical Review* 93.2 (2007): 410-11.
 Review of *Luther on Women: A Sourcebook*, edited and translated by Susan Karant-Nunn and Merry Wiesner Hanks. In *H-German*, November 2004. <http://www.h-net.org/reviews/showrev.cgi?path=135821100897966>.

Current Work in Progress

Articles:

“Parish Clergy, Village Politics, and Devotional Practices in the Convent Church of Welter, 1532-1697.” Article for inclusion in *Topographies of Tolerance and Intolerance: Responses to Religious Pluralism in Reformation Europe*, edited by Victoria Christman and Marjorie Elizabeth Plummer. Submitted.
 “A View from the Choir: Forming Lutheran Culture in Pluriconfessional Westphalian Convents.” In *Cultures of Lutheranism*, edited by Katherine Hill. Submitted.
 “State and Law.” In *A Cultural History of Marriage in the Renaissance and Early Modern Age*, edited by Joanne Ferraro (London: Bloomsbury Academic, c. 2018). Under Contract. Due June 2017.

Books:

Editor with Victoria Christman (Luther College). *Topographies of Tolerance and Intolerance: Responses to Religious Pluralism in Reformation Europe*. Planned submission, 6/2017.
 Editor with Joel Harrington (Vanderbilt University), *Names and Naming in Early Modern Germany*. Expected manuscript submission to Berghahn Publishers (Oxford, UK), 12/2017.
Building Walls and Sharing Space: Protestant Nuns, Religious Diversity, and Pluriconfessional Convents in the Holy Roman Empire, 1520-1750. Planned submission of manuscript 8/2018.
An Introduction to Women and the Reformation: A Handbook/Reader (Minneapolis: Fortress Press). Under Contract. Manuscript due in 2018.

Presentations

Invited Talks

- “Inciting Terror and Building Walls: A Catholic Convent and Lutheran Pastor Fight for the Souls of the Parish of Welper, 1649-1745.” A Symposium on “Kontexte und Konkretionen” as part of the Graduiertenkolleg “Interkonfessionalität in der Frühen Neuzeit,” at the University of Hamburg, Hamburg, Germany, June 30-July 1, 2017.
- “Uncovering Protestant Nuns during the Long Reformation in the Holy Roman Empire: Historiography Between Nationalism and Confessionalization.” German History Seminar, Vanderbilt University, January 26, 2017.
- “Living with Heretics in a Time of War: Expressing Confessional Culture in Westphalian Pluriconfessional Convents.” Workshop on Bekenner, Bekennen und Bekenntnis: Zugänge zu den Konfessionskulturen der Frühen Neuzeit, 5. Erlanger Sommerkurs zur Reformationsgeschichte, Friedrich-Alexander Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg, Erlangen, Germany, July 27-30, 2015.
- “Trouble in Paradise: Creating Confessional Identity in Pluriconfessional Convents in the Age of the Thirty Years War.” Forschungskolloquium—Frühe Neuzeit, Westfälische Wilhelms-Universität Münster, Münster, Germany, June 24, 2015.
- “Creating Lutheran Cultural Identity in Pluriconfessional Westphalian Convents.” Workshop on Cultures of Lutheranism, TORCH—The Oxford Research Centre in the Humanities, Oxford, England, February 6-7, 2015.
- “Women and Clerical Marriage in the Early Reformation.” Strathmartine Centre Seminar, Strathmartine Trust, St. Andrews, Scotland, December 15, 2010.
- “Reassessing Clerical Marriage through the Experience of Monks and Nuns.” St. Andrews Reformation Studies Seminar, University of St. Andrews, St. Andrews, Scotland, October 7, 2010.
- “Defining Marriage: Disputed Engagements, Secret Marriage, and Seduction in Braunschweig-Wolfenbüttel, 1569-1624.” Stipendiatenkolloquium (Research Seminar), Herzog August Bibliothek, June 26, 2006.
- “The Politics of Priestly Marriage and Clerical Concubinage in Brandenburg-Ansbach, 1524-1545.” Stipendiatenkolloquium, Herzog August Bibliothek, July 2000.

Paper Presentations at Conferences

- “Re-Catholization Efforts of Catholic Nuns in Pluriconfessional Parishes of the Soester Börde during the Seventeenth Century,” Renaissance Society of America, Chicago, March 30-April 2017.
- “Inciting Terror and Building Walls: A Catholic Convent and Lutheran Pastor Fight for the Souls of the Parish of Welper, 1649-1745,” American Historical Association, Denver, CO, January 5-8, 2017.
- A View from the Choir: Sharing Sacred Space in Pluriconfessional Convents in Lower Saxony and Westphalia,” Sixteenth Century Society Conference (SCSC), Bruges/Belgium, August 18-20, 2016.
- “Parish Clergy, Village Politics, and Confessional Identity in the Convent Church of Welper, 1532-1712,” SCSC, Vancouver, BC, October 22-25, 2015.
- “Ringing Bells and Singing Hymns: Multiconfessional Convents and the Shared Use of Sacred Space in Westphalian Convents,” SCSC, New Orleans, LA, Oct. 16-19, 2014.
- “Sharing Space with Apostates and Heretics: Experiments in Coexistence in Multiconfessional Convents,” German Studies Association, Kansas City, KS, September 18-21, 2014.
- “Nuns in Multiconfessional Convents in North Germany,” SCSC, Puerto Rico, October 23-26, 2013.
- “Converting Convents: Monastic Reform and Evangelical Nuns in Braunschweig-Lüneburg during the Sixteenth-Century,” American Society for Church History, New Orleans, LA, January 3-6, 2013.
- “A Matter of Conscience: From Imprisoned Clergy to Martyrs in Lutheran Histories of the mid-Sixteenth Century,” German Studies Association, Milwaukee, WI, October 3-5, 2012.
- “Prison Tales: Clerical Resistance, Episcopal Authority, and the Creation of Lutheran Heroes in the Early German Reformation,” The New College Conference on Medieval and Renaissance Studies,

Sarasota, FL, March 8-10, 2012.

- “*Persona non grata*: Former Nuns, Property Disputes, and Defense of Marriage in the Early German Reformation,” SCSC, Fort Worth, TX, October 27-30, 2011.
- “Whores or Housekeepers: Reassessing Clerical Concubines in Early Reformation Germany,” Reformation Studies Colloquium, St. Andrews, Scotland, September 7-9, 2010.
- “‘Nothing More than Common Whores and Knaves’: Married Monks and Nuns in the Early German Reformation,” German Studies Association, Washington, DC, October 8-11, 2009.
- “‘No Better than a Brothel’: Convents and the Attack on Celibacy in the Early German Reformation,” SCSC, Geneva, Switzerland, May 27-30, 2009.
- “‘The Much Married Michael Kramer’: Evangelical Clergy and Bigamy in Ernestine Saxony, 1522-1542,” SCSC, St. Louis, October 23-26, 2008.
- “Fathers and Daughters: Parental Rights, Church Discipline and Disputed Engagements in Braunschweig-Wolfenbüttel, 1568-1634,” SCSC, Minneapolis, October 25-28, 2007.
- “‘What Words Were Said?’: Broken Promises, Disputed Engagements and Enforced Marriage in Braunschweig-Wolfenbüttel, 1568-1624,” German Studies Association, Pittsburgh, September 28-October 1, 2006.
- “Getting Away with It: Bishops, Cities and Clerical Sexual Misconduct in early Sixteenth Century Germany,” SCSC, Pittsburgh, October 30-November 2, 2003.
- “‘Devilish Concubines’ and ‘Whorish Wives’: Married Clergy between Margravial Policy and Local Resistance in the Parish of Feuchtwangen, 1525-1545,” American Society of Church History/ American Historical Association, Boston, January 2001.
- “Celibacy, Clerical Misconduct, and Clerical Marriage between Official Policy and Popular Opinion in Early Sixteenth-Century Germany,” SCSC, Toronto, October 22-25, 1998.
- “From Priest's Whore to Pastor's Wife: Women and Clerical Marriage in the Early Reformation,” SCSC, Atlanta, October 23-26, 1997.
- “Dangerous Choices: Nuns, Concubines and Widows Confront the Debate over Clerical Marriage in the Early German Reformation,” Gendering the Culture and Society in Early Modern Europe Conference, Roanoke, VA, March 21-23, 1997.
- “Clerical Concubinage, Secret Marriage and Public Order in Reformation Sermons,” SCSC, Saint Louis, October 24-27, 1996.
- “‘*Lest two stomachs suffer want*’: The Debate over Clerical Marriage in Germany, 1521-1525,” SCSC, San Francisco, October 26-28, 1995. *Awarded Carl Meyer Prize 1996.*

Other Conference Participation

- Co-Organizer, “Jews, Christians, and Muslims in the Reformation Era,” a conference to mark the 500th Anniversary of the Lutheran Reformation, jointly organized by the Society for Reformation Research and the Verein für Reformationsgeschichte, to be held in Nuremberg, July 19-21, 2017.
- Panelist, Roundtable on Teaching Early Modern Women with “Other Voices,” Renaissance Society of America, Chicago, March 30-April 2017.
- Panelist, Roundtable on Semi-Religious Women, SCSC, Puerto Rico, October 23-26, 2013.
- Organizer, Reception and Book Presentation for H.C.E. Midelfort and Anne J. Schutte, Co-sponsored by SCSC, SRR, and UVA. SCSC, St. Louis, October 25, 2008.
- Moderator, “Reform, Conversion and Loss of Spiritual Community,” Frühe Neuzeit Interdisziplinär Conference at Duke University, March 27-29, 2008.
- Co-Organizer, “That Gentle Strength: Aspects of Female Spirituality,” a conference held at the University of Virginia, March 25-26, 1988.

TEACHING

Teaching Fields: Early Modern European Cultural and Social History; Renaissance/Reformation; History of Early Modern Religion; Early Modern Gender History

Courses Taught

Undergraduate: Western Civilization to 1648; Western Civilization from 1648; World Civilization to 1500; World Civilization from 1500; Humanities Semester (Honors)—Medieval and Renaissance Civilization; Medieval Europe; Renaissance Europe; Age of European Reformations; Early Modern Europe; Crime and Punishment in Medieval and Early Modern Europe; Family, Sex, and Marriage in Early Modern Europe; Women in Medieval Culture and Society; Women in Early Modern Europe, 1300-1650; North Atlantic World, 1500-1800; Senior Thesis Seminar

Graduate: Gender in Renaissance Venice and Byzantine Empire; Women in Pre-Modern Europe; Community and Popular Piety in the Reformation; Medieval and Early Modern Monasticism; Persecution and Toleration in Early Modern Europe; Luther and the German Reformation; Calvinism and the English and Scottish Reformations; Italian Renaissance; The Everyday and the Extraordinary in Early Modern Europe

Students Advised

Ph.D. Committee Member

Ashley Elrod (Duke University), “‘Wastrels have no will’: The Early Modern Origins of Disciplining Wastefulness”

B.A. Honors and M.A. Theses Supervised

Advisor

Emily Potts, “An Accusation of Hibernian Heresy: Were the Celtic Christians Really Pelagians?” B.A. Honors Thesis. Awarded FUSE Grant, 2014

Anna Young (Helton), “Did French Women Love their Children? The Contentious Image of Exotic Femininity in Early Modern French Travel Narratives,” B.A. Honors Thesis, 2015. Awarded FUSE Grant, 2013

Benjamin Harris, “Rhetoric, Rights, and Pragmatism in the Germanies: Enlightenment Reform in Eighteenth-Century Prussia and Bavaria.” B.A. Honors Thesis, 2014. Awarded FUSE Grant, 2013

Kathryn Dillinger, “Protestant Nuns as Depictions of Piety in Lutheran Funeral Sermons,” M.A. Thesis, 2011.

Rachealle Sanford, “Edward I and the Appropriation of Arthurian Legend,” B.A. Honors Thesis, 2009. Awarded Scholar of the College and Ogden Foundation Scholar

Nicola Bodner, “Reasons for the Gradual Transformation in the German-American Relationship 1945-1960s,” Senior History Thesis, 2002. Thesis awarded Honorable Mention, Hochschulpreis der Ostalb-Stiftung der Kreissparkasse Ostalb, 2003

Varupi Jain, “The Role Played by Traditions and their Media Coverage in Shaping the Identity of a City,” B.A. Honors Thesis, 2001. Thesis awarded Hochschulpreis der Ostalb-Stiftung der Kreissparkasse Ostalb, 2002.

Rebecca Pflieger, “Das Verhältnis zwischen Deutschen und Amerikanern in der Stadt Schwäbisch Gmünd, Deutschland, von der Nachkriegszeit bis Heute,” B.A. Honors Thesis, 1999. Thesis awarded Hochschulpreis der Ostalb-Stiftung der Kreissparkasse Ostalb, 2000

Second Reader

Robert Rabold, “Lawrence and Desegregation in Bowling Green.” B.A. Honors Thesis, 2014.

Justin Matthews, “The Great Men of Christendom: The Failure of the Third Crusade,” M.A. Thesis, 2011.

Meghan Bishop, "Sir Thomas More's History of King Richard III: An Educational Exercise," B.A. History Honors Thesis, 2004.

Hrvoje Pokupec, "On Business Espionage," B.A. Honors Thesis, 2002.

Andreas Jobst, "Currency Reform in Germany from 1949-now," B.A. Honors Thesis, 1998.

AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, and GRANTS

Awards

2015	PCAL Faculty Award for Student Advising
2014	PCAL Faculty Award for Research/Creativity (also nominated 2012, 2013)
2013	Gerald Strauss Book Prize for <i>From Priest's Whore to Pastor's Wife</i> , Sixteenth Century Studies Conference
2002	Favorite Professor, Student Choice Awards, UMUC-SG
2001	Faculty of the Year Recognition Award, UMUC-SG
1996	Carl Meyer Prize for Best Paper presented by Graduate Student or Recent Ph.D., Sixteenth Century Studies Conference

External Fellowships

2016-2017	Solmsen Fellow, Institute for Research in the Humanities, University of Wisconsin
2016	Post-doctoral Fellowship, Herzog August Bibliothek (3 months)
2014	German Academic Exchange Service (D.A.A.D) Research Visit Grant (3 months)
2013	NEH Seminar, "Persecution, Toleration, Co-Existence: Early Modern Responses to Religious Pluralism," held at the Meeter Center at Calvin College, 15 July-9 August.
2010	James K. Cameron Faculty Fellow, Institute for Reformation Studies, University of St. Andrews (fall semester)
2006	Hans und Helga Eckensberger-Stiftung, Herzog August Bibliothek (6 months)
2005	D.A.A.D. Reinvitation Grant (2 Months)
2002-2003	Post-doctoral Fellowship, Herzog August Bibliothek (8 Months)
2000	Post-doctoral Fellowship, Herzog August Bibliothek (3 months)
1997-1998	Post-doctoral Fellowship, Institut für europäische Geschichte in Mainz (6 months)
1996	D.A.A.D. Short Term Research Fellowship (6 Months)
1996	Center for Reformation Research, Paleography Institute (Declined)
1992	Dr. Günther Findel-Stiftung Stipend, Herzog August Bibliothek (5 Months)
1990-91	D.A.A.D. Dissertation Research Fellowship (14 Months)

Internal Grants and Fellowships

2015-12, 2010	Research and Creative Activities Program Grant, Western Kentucky University
2009, 2006	Regular Faculty Research Grant, Western Kentucky University
2008-7, 2005	Faculty Summer Research Grant, Western Kentucky University
2003-4	Junior Faculty Research Grant, Western Kentucky University
1992, 1990	Academic Enhancement Fellowship, University of Virginia
1992, 87-85	Dupont Fellowship, University of Virginia
1989	Academic Enhancement Travel Fellowship, University of Virginia

SERVICE

Professional Service

2018-2015	Recording Officer, Society for Reformation Research
2017-2013	2017 Anniversary Committee, Society for Reformation Research
2016-2014	Member, Gerald Strauss Book Prize Committee, Sixteenth Century Society
2014-2012	Program Chair, Society for Reformation Research
2013	Miriam Chrisman Travel Award Committee, Society for Reformation Research

Departmental Service

2016-2012	Director of Graduate Studies/Graduate Advisor
2016-2011	Faculty Mentor: Jeff Miner (2014-2016), Selena Sanderfer (2015-2016), Tammy Van Dyken (2011-2015), Marc Eagle (2012-13), Thea Browder (2011-2013)
2015-2013	Coordinator, HIST 101 (World History I) Development Committee
2014	Search Committee for Pedagogical Assistant Professor at Glasgow campus
2013	Chair, Search Committee for Medieval Europe
2012	Chair, Search Committee for Ancient Rome
2011-2010	Writing Standards Committee
2010-2008	Coordinator, Pre-Modern European History Test, History Contest
2010-2008	Phi Alpha Theta Faculty Advisor
2009-2008	Ad Hoc Committee on Recruitment and Retention of Majors
2009-2007	Coordinator, Tutoring Program, History Department
2009	Chair, Search Committee for Islamic World
2008	Search Committee for Latin American History
2007	Search Committee for Women's History
2005	Undergraduate Advisor
2002-2000	"One UMUC" History Major Curriculum Committee, UMUC-SG
2002-2000	Coordinator and Advisor, History and European Studies Programs, UMUC-SG
2000	Chair, Search Committee for Modern European History, UMUC-SG
1995-1993	History Club Advisor, College of Charleston
1995-1993	Outside Speaker Committee, College of Charleston

University Service

2016, 2014-2012	Member, Graduate Council, WKU
2014-2013	Chair, Graduate Council, WKU (Ex officio: Senate Executive Committee and Faculty Senate)
2014-2005	Potter College Faculty Writing Group, WKU
2013	Member, Dean Lee 5-Year Review Committee, WKU
2010-2008	Chair, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, WKU
2010-2008	At-Large Senator, Faculty Senate, WKU
2010-2008	Potter College Senate Representative, University Curriculum Committee, WKU
2010-2008	Member, Senate Executive Committee, WKU
2009	Search Committee for Coordinator of Undergraduate Research, Honors College
2008	Fulbright Interview Committee for Germany and Low Countries, WKU
2008	Search Committee for Assistant Director of Academics, Honors College, WKU
2008-2007	Academic Policy Subcommittee, UCC, WKU
2008-2006	Potter College Professional Development Committee, WKU
2008-6, 2005-4	At-Large Representative, University Curriculum Committee, WKU
2007-2006	UCC Steering Committee, WKU

2006-2008	Potter College Professional Development Committee, WKU
2002-2001	UMUC-SG Representative on UMUC Curriculum Committee, UMUC-SG
2002-2001	Webmaster, UMUC-SG
2002-2000	Academic Area Coordinator, UMUC-SG
2002-1998	Chair, Library Advisory Committee, UMUC-SG
1999-1998	Chair, Faculty Development Committee, UMUC-SG
1999-1998	Coordinator, Faculty Workshops, UMUC-SG
1998	Search Committee for Librarian, UMUC-SG
1996-1995	Assistant Director, Women Studies, College of Charleston
1996-1994	Coordinator, Women's History Month, College of Charleston
1996-1994	Women Studies Steering Committee, College of Charleston

International Programs, Student Research, and Student Affairs Service

2016-2011	Coordinator, History Department Graduate Student Colloquium
2015, 2014	Member, Interview Committee for Fulbright and Marshall Grants, WKU
2014	Member, Navitas Academic Advisory Committee, WKU
2015-2012	Reader, Faculty Undergraduate Student Engagement (FUSE) Grant Applications
2009	Visiting Faculty at Harlaxton College, Harlaxton, England (fall semester)
2008	Fulbright Interview Committee for Germany and Low Countries, WKU
2005-2003	Co-Author, <i>Faculty Handbook for Study Abroad</i> , Office of International Programs
2002-1999	Coordinator, Field Studies Program, UMUC-SG
2002-2000	Study Abroad Coordinator and Advisor, UMUC-SG
2002-2000	Faculty Advisor, Student Senate, UMUC-SG
2001	Search Committee for Director of University Counseling Center, UMUC-SG
2000	Search Committee for Student Activities Coordinator, UMUC-SG
1997	Member, Honors Award Committee, Wingate University
1996-1994	Academic Advisor, College of Charleston
1996-1994	SNAP (Students Needing Access Parity) Advisor, College of Charleston
1992, 1991	Dozent (Instructor of English), Sommerschule für Englisch in Wust (former DDR).
1989-1988	Peer Advisor Mentoring and Transition Program, University of Virginia

REFERENCES: Available upon request.