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Education

Ph.D. Kansas State University, 1997
M.A. Kansas State University, 1990
B.A. Virginia Military Institute, 1984
Graduate with Distinction and Honors in History
Distinguished Military Graduate

Employment

Professor, The Citadel, 2008-present
Associate Professor, The Citadel, 2002-2008
Assistant Professor, The Citadel, 1998-2002
Visiting Assistant Professor, The Citadel, 1997-1998
Visiting Instructor, The Citadel, 1994-1997
Adjunct Instructor, Charleston Southern University, 1995, 1997
Adjunct Instructor, Brewton-Parker College, 1994
Visiting Instructor, Georgia Southern University, 1993-1994
Graduate Teaching Assistant, Kansas State University, 1989-1992
United States Army, 1984-1988

Research Fields

American political and military history
The Civil War

Publications

Books:

The Last Hurrah: Sterling Price's Missouri Expedition of 1864. Lanham, MD: Rowman and Littlefield Publishing Group, 2015.

Recipient of the A.M. Pate, Jr. Prize for best book published on the history of the Trans-Mississippi Civil War (sponsored by the Fort Worth Civil War Roundtable)

"Honorable Mention" for Best Civil War book of 2015 by *The Civil War Monitor* magazine

Sacred Debts: State Civil War Claims and American Federalism, 1861-1880. Fordham University Press, 2003.

Co-editor with Bo Moore and David White. *Warm Ashes: Essays in Southern History at the Dawn of the 21st Century*. University of South Carolina Press. 2003.

Editorial Position:

Co-editor of the "War and Society" line of books for Rowman and Littlefield Publishing Group

Refereed articles, book chapters, review essay:

"The Enduring Popularity of Charleston's Civil War," *The South Carolina Historical Magazine* 118, no. 3 (July 2017/Published Fall of 2019): 214-221.

"Getting Lost on a Civil War Battlefield: How Soldiers, Map Makers, and Historians have Wrestled with the Battle of Westport," *Journal of the West* 51 (Summer 2012): 46-55.

"Modernization and the Federal System: The Example of Kentucky and its War Claims against the United States Government," in *An Uncommon Time: The Civil War and the Northern Home Front*, Paul A. Cimbala and Randall M. Miller eds. (New York, NY: Fordham University Press, 2002), 326-344.

"Northern State and Local Politics," in *The American Civil War: A Handbook of Literature and Research*, Steven Woodworth, ed. (Westport, CT: Greenwood Press, 1996).

"Politics on the Plains: Thomas Carney and the Pursuit of Office during the Gilded Age." *Heritage of the Great Plains* 25 (Summer 1992): 25-38.

"Veterans as Political Activists: The Kansas Grand Army of the Republic, 1880-1893." *Kansas History* 14 (Summer 1991): 89-99.

Miscellaneous publications:

Forward in James Morgan, *Six Miles from Charleston, Five Minutes to Hell: The Battle of Secessionville* (El Dorado Hills, CA: Savas Beatie, 2022), completed and forthcoming publication.

"Adapting to Maneuver Warfare in a Civil War Campaign: Union Reactions to Sterling Price's Missouri Expedition of 1864," in *An Army at War: Change in the Midst of Conflict, The Proceedings of the Combat Studies Institute 2005 Military History Symposium*, John McGrath, ed. (Fort Leavenworth: Combat Studies Institute Press, 2005), 165-184.

"Winfield Scott," a review of the historiographical literature in *The Reader's Guide to Military History*, Charles Messenger, ed. (London: Fitzroy Dearborn, 2001), 529-530.

"Lemuel C. Shepherd," in *Garland's Encyclopedia of the Wars of the United States: World War II in the Pacific*, Stanley Sandler, ed. (New York: Garland Publishing, 2000), 524-526.

"Chippewa," in *War of 1812: An Encyclopedia*, David S. Heidler and Jeanne T. Heidler, eds. (Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 1997), 101-102.

Entries for Robert E. Lee, Winfield Scott, and William T. Sherman in *Historic World Leaders*, Anne Commire, ed. (Detroit: Gale Research Co., 1994), 4:458-462, 5:770-772, 5:797-801.

Biographical Sketch of Philippe Petain, in *Great Lives from History: Twentieth Century*, Frank N. Magill, ed. (Pasadena, CA: Salem Press, 1990), 1839-1942.

Conference/Symposia Presentations and Roundtable Discussant:

“General Samuel Curtis and the Civil War,” The War in the Trans-Mississippi, 1861-1865, The American Civil War Round Table UK Annual Conference, De Vere Cirencester, UK, May 6-8, 2022.

“The Battle of Westport, Missouri, Oct 23, 1864,” The War in the Trans-Mississippi, 1861-1865, The American Civil War Round Table UK Annual Conference, De Vere Cirencester, UK, May 6-8, 2022.

“What’s All This Book Learnin’ Got To Do With War? Military History in ROTC,” Roundtable Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Society for Military History, Norfolk, VA, May 21, 2021.

“Sterling Price’s Missouri Expedition of 1864: Myths and Realities” and “The Life of Samuel R. Curtis,” invited speaker, Preservation Symposium, Blue and Gray Education Society and American Parks of Florida, January 24-25, 2020.

“The Fort Sumter You Don’t Know,” “The Battle of Secessionville,” and “The Citadel during the Civil War,” invited speaker, Conference on the Carolinas in the Civil War, American Civil War Roundtable, London (UK), April 2019.

“Explaining the Civil War,” invited speaker, Liberty University Seminar on the Civil War, April 5, 2014.

“Sterling Price’s Missouri Invasion of 1864,” invited speaker, Liberty University Seminar on the Civil War, April 5, 2014.

“Victory through Court Martial: Alfred Pleasonton and the Second Battle of Byram’s Ford,” presented at the Missouri Conference on History, Columbia, MO, March 30, 2012.

“Secessionville: The Defense of Charleston, June 16, 1862” presented at HISTORICON War College, Valley Forge, PA, July 8, 2011.

“How Not to Fight a Civil War Battle: Bad Tactics, Poor Marksmanship, and Questionable Decision Making at the Battle of Pilot Knob,” presented at Historicon War College, Lancaster, PA, July 17, 2009.

“Getting Lost on a Civil War Battlefield: How Soldiers, Map Makers, and Historians have Wrestled with the Battle of Westport,” presented at the 7th International Conference on Military Geology and Geography, Quebec City, June 21, 2007.

“Adapting to Maneuver Warfare in a Civil War Campaign: Union Reactions to Sterling Price’s Missouri Expedition of 1864,” presented at An Army at War: Change in the Midst of Conflict, a US Army Training and Doctrine Command Symposium, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, August 2, 2005.

“Just How Bad a Cavalry Commander was Sterling Price? A Reassessment of the Missouri Expedition of 1864,” presented at the Missouri Conference on History, Jefferson City, MO, April 23, 2004.

“The Two-Edged Sword of Lobbying: Civil War Veterans and Their Agents in Missouri,” presented at the Conference on the Veteran and American Society, Knoxville, TN, November 12, 2000.

"The Development of Treasury Policies during the Gilded Age: The Example of State War Claims," presented at the *Journal of Policy History* Conference, St. Louis, MO, May 30, 1999.

"All Federalism is Local: The Influence of Perception on the Administration of Kentucky's Civil War Claims against the United States Government," presented at a conference entitled "Americans Remember the Civil War: Scholarship, Preservation, and Public Memory," Murray State University, Murray, KY, April 5, 1997.

"Redefining the Role of the State Military Official in the Gilded Age: Civil War Claims and Federalism," presented at the Society for Military History, Washington, DC, April 10, 1994.

"Administering Federalism in the Gilded Age: Missouri's Civil War Claims Against the United States," presented at the Missouri Conference on History, St. Louis, MO, March 25, 1994.

"The Legacy of Sterling Price's Raid: Kansas and its Civil War Claims Against the United States Government," presented at the Mid-America Conference on History, Springfield, MO, September 20, 1991.

"The Limit of Political Power: The Grand Army of the Republic and Populism," presented at the Phi Alpha Theta Regional Conference, Manhattan, KS, April 13, 1991.

"Ambition and Bad Judgment: The Postwar Political Career of Thomas Carney, Civil War Governor Kansas," presented at the Mid-America Conference on History, Fayetteville, AK, September 22, 1990.

"The Political Manipulation of a Tragedy: The Aftermath of Quantrill's Raid on Lawrence, Kansas," presented at the Southwestern Social Science Association, Fort Worth, TX, March 29, 1990.

Books Reviewed:

The Calculus of Violence: How Americans Fought the Civil War. By Aaron Sheehan-Dean (Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 2018) in the *Journal of Military History* 84, no. 1 (January 2020): 279-280.

The Civil War Missouri Compendium: Almost Unabridged. By Joseph W. McCoskrie Jr. and Brian Warren (Charleston: The History Press, 2017) in *Civil War News* 45, no. 4 (April 2019): 41.

Extreme Civil War: Guerrilla Warfare, Environment, and Race on the Trans-Mississippi Frontier. By Matthew M. Stith (Baton Rouge: LSU Press, 2016) in *Kansas History: A Journal of the Plains* 40 (Autumn 2017): 225.

Their Last Full Measure. The Final Days of the Civil War. By Joseph Wheelan (Boston: Da Capo Press, 2015) in *The Journal of Military History* 80 (January 2016): 245-246.

Confederate Generals in the Trans-Mississippi, Volume 1: Essays on America's Civil War. Ed. Lawrence Lee Hewitt (Knoxville: University of Tennessee Press, 2013) in *Civil War History* 61 (June 2015): 186-188.

Bleeding Kansas, Bleeding Missouri: The Long Civil War on the Border. Ed. Johnathan Earle and Diane M. Burke (Lawrence: University Press of Kansas, 2013) in *Journal of American History* 101 (September 2014): 585-586.

Richard Taylor and the Red River Campaign of 1864. By Samuel W. Mitcham, Jr. (Pelican Publishing Company, 2012) in *The Civil War Book Review* (Summer 2013), <http://www.cwbr.com/index.php?q=5509&field=ID&browse=yes&record=full&searching=yes&Submit=Search>

The Perfect Lion: The Life and Death of Confederate Artillerist John Pelham. Jerry H. Maxwell. (Tuscaloosa: University of Alabama Press, 2011) in *The Society of Civil War Historians Newsletter* 25 (Fall 2012): 2.

Jayhawkers: The Civil War Brigade of James Henry Lane. Bryce D. Benedict. (Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 2009), in *Army History: The Professional Bulletin of Army History* 84 (Summer 2012): 34-35.

In the Trenches at Petersburg: Field Fortifications and Confederate Defeat. Earl J. Hess. (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2009) in *Journal of Southern History* 77, no. 3 (August 2011): 731-732.

Planting the Union Flag in Texas: The Campaigns of Major General Nathaniel P. Banks In the West, Stephen A. Dupree (College Station, TX: Texas A&M University Press, 2008) in *Louisiana History* 51, no. 2 (Spring 2010): 242-244.

A Crisis in Confederate Command: Edmund Kirby Smith, Richard Taylor and the Army of the Trans-Mississippi, Jeffery S. Prushankin (Baton Rouge: Louisiana State University Press, 2005) in *Civil War History* 55, no. 4 (December 2009): 499-500.

Civil War on the Missouri-Kansas Border, Donald L. Gilmore (Gretna, LA: Pelican Press, 2006) in *History: Review of New Books* 43 (Summer 2006): 109.

And Keep Moving On: The Virginia Campaign, May-June 1864, Mark Grimsley (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 2002; paperback edition, 2005) in H-WAR, an internet sub-group of H-NET, posted April 13, 2006 at <http://h-net.msu.edu/cgi-bin/logbrowse.pl?trx=vx&list=HWar&month=0604&week=b&msg=A1IH64K0CYCE97NfbJBSXQ&user=&pw=>

The Reconstruction of Southern Debtors: Bankruptcy and the Civil War, Elizabeth Lee Thompson (Athens: The University of Georgia Press, 2004) in *The Register of the Kentucky Historical Society*, 103 (Summer 2005): 574-576.

Galvanized Yankees on the Upper Missouri: The Face of Loyalty, Michele Tucker Butts. (Boulder: University Press of Colorado, 2003) in H-CIVWAR, and internet sub-group of H-NET, April 29, 2005. <http://h-net.msu.edu/cgi-bin/logbrowse.pl?trx=vx&list=h-civwar&month=0504&week=d&msg=H0W5NPQxrBLwm6cvQzh5%2bQ&user=&pw=>

Railroads in the Civil War: The Impact of Management on Victory and Defeat, John E. Clark (Baton Rouge: Louisiana State University, 2001) in *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography* 111 (2003): 314-315.

Blood Image: Turner Ashby in the Civil War and the Southern Mind, Paul C. Anderson (Baton Rouge: Louisiana State University Press, 2002) in *Journal of Military History* 67 (April 2003): 572-573.

Civil War Eyewitnesses: An Annotated Bibliography of Books and Articles, 1986-1996, Garold L. Cole (Columbia: University of South Carolina Press, 2000) in *South Carolina Historical Magazine* 103 (Winter 2002): 82-83.

Long Gray Lines: The Southern Military School Tradition, 1839-1915, Rod Andrew Jr. (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2001) in *Military History of the West* 31 (Fall 2001): 139-140.

Buff Facings and Gilt Buttons: Staff and Headquarters Operations in the Army of Northern Virginia, 1861-1865, J. Boone Bartholomees, Jr. (Columbia: University of South Carolina Press, 1998) in *The South Carolina Historical Magazine* 102 (July 2001): 268-269.

A Place Called Appomattox, William Marvel (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2000) in *The Georgia Historical Quarterly* 85 (Spring 2001): 149-150.

Gray Ghost: The Life of Col. John Singleton Mosby, by James A. Ramage (Lexington, KY: The University Press of Kentucky, 1999) in *Journal of Military History* 64 (April 2000): 542- 543.

Grant Wins the War: Decision at Vicksburg, by James A. Arnold (John Wiley and Sons, 1997) in *History: Review of New Books* 27 (1999): 13

Six Armies in Tennessee: The Chickamauga and Chattanooga Campaigns, by Steven E. Woodworth (University of Nebraska Press, 1998) in H-CIVWAR, and internet sub-group of H-NET, September 16, 1998. <http://h-net.msu.edu/cgi-bin/logbrowse.pl?trx=vx&list=h-civwar&month=9809&week=c&msg=UIWk4K%2b74Ml8/NChDhs6AQ&user=&pw=>

Prince John Magruder: His Life and Campaigns, by Paul D. Casdorff (John Wiley and Sons, 1996) in *History: Review of New Books* 26 (Winter 1998): 95.

Winning and Losing in the Civil War: Essay and Stories, by Albert Castel (University of South Carolina Press, 1996) in *History: Review of New Books* 25 (Spring 1997): 112.

Bloody Valverde: A Civil War Battle on the Rio Grande, February 21, 1862, by John Taylor (University of New Mexico Press, 1995) in H-CIVWAR, an internet subgroup of H-NET, May 24, 1996. www.h-net.msu.edu/reviews/showrev.cgi?path=15590846623646

To the Manner Born: The Life of William H. T. Walker, by Russell K. Brown (Athens, GA: University of Georgia Press, 1994) in *History: Review of New Books* 24 (Fall 1995), 6-7.

Lincoln in American Memory, by Merrill D. Peterson (New York, NY: Oxford University Press, 1994) in *Society of Civil War Historians Newsletter* 8 (Fall 1995), 2.

Bloody Dawn: The Story of the Lawrence Massacre, by Thomas Goodrich (Kent, OH: Kent State University Press, 1991) in *Journal of the West* 33 (April 1994), 88.

Dark Friday: The Story of Quantrill's Lawrence Raid, by William C. Pollard (Big Springs, KS: Baranski Publishing Co., 1990) in *Journal of the West* 32 (January 1993), 85.

Damned Yankee: The Life of General Nathaniel Lyon, by Christopher Phillips (Columbia, MO: University of Missouri Press, 1990) in *Journal of the West* 30 (October 1991), 109.

Public Lectures:

"The Price Campaign of 1864," Rufus Barringer CWRT, Pinehurst, NC, November 17, 2022.

"Charleston and the Civil War," *USS Providence* Reunion, North Charleston, SC, October 8, 2022

"The Price Campaign of 1864," Loudoun County (VA) Civil War Roundtable, October 12, 2021.

"Sterling Price's Missouri Raid of 1864: Myths and Realities," Fort Sumter Civil War Roundtable, March 8, 2021.

"Magnolia Cemetery and the Civil War," Del Webb Community History Club (Summerville), May 20, 2019.

"Civil War Charleston," Minnesota Bar Association, Charleston, SC, November 1, 2018.

"Magnolia Cemetery and the Civil War," Daniel Island Historical Society, Daniel Island, SC, September 27, 2018.

"Magnolia Cemetery and the War for Southern Independence," Secession Camp, Sons of Confederate Veterans, Charleston, SC, February 21, 2017.

"Washington without His Reward," Banquet Address, Sons of the American Revolution, Charleston, SC, February 11, 2017.

"Robert E. Lee and Duty," Banquet Address, Fort Moultrie Camp, Son of Confederate Veterans, Charleston, SC, January 19, 2017.

"Magnolia Cemetery and the War for Southern Independence," Star of the West Chapter, Sons of Confederate Veterans, Charleston, December 1, 2016.

"Charleston's War for Southern Independence Cemeteries," Hunley Volunteers, Warren Lasch Conservation Center, North Charleston, September 13, 2016.

"Teaching the History of Weapons at The Citadel," Berkeley County Chapter, Citadel Alumni Association, August 9, 2016.

"Price's Missouri Expedition," Banquet Address, Augusta (GA), Civil War Roundtable, February 15, 2016.

"Price's Missouri Expedition," A.M Pate Award Banquet Address, Fort Worth Civil War Roundtable, January 13, 2016.

"Price's Missouri Expedition," Friends of Daniel Library, The Citadel, October 20, 2015.

"A Little-Known Conflict: The Civil War West of the Mississippi River." Lowcountry Senior Center, James Island, April 10, 2015.

"South Carolina in the Overland Campaign of 1864," Fort Sumter/Moultrie National Monument, May 24, 2014.

Gave two lectures at the Abbeville Institute, Eleventh Annual Summer School, July 22, 2013, Seabrook Island, SC ("Beware the Historians: Ruminations on Secession and War" and "The War for Southern Independence and Other Controversies").

Shiloh, lecture/discussion installment in "Let's Talk About: Making Sense of the Civil War," November 2012.

Sterling Price's Missouri Invasion of 1864, Charleston Civil War Roundtable, November, 2012

Discussant and moderator, *Death and the Civil War*, a preview of an episode in PBS's *American Experience*, September 2012.

"Let's Talk About It: Making Sense of the American Civil War" (5-day lecture program at Charleston County Public Library), October to November 2011.

"Douglas Freeman and Robert E. Lee," Camp 51, Sons of Confederate Veterans, Lexington, SC, October 27, 2011.

"Charleston and the Civil War," Low Country Senior Center, James Island, SC, September 21, 2011.

"The Citadel during the Civil War," Citadel Alumni Association, Edisto Chapter, "Charleston and the Civil War," Palmettos Club, Myrtle Beach, SC, May 12, 2011.

Discussion of Ken Burns' Civil War Episode One, Fort Sumter/Moultrie Trust, Sand Dunes Club, Sullivan's Island, April 10, 2011.

"First Shots of the Civil War," Low Country Civil War Round Table, Bluffton, SC, April 2011.

"The Citadel during the Civil War," Charleston County Library, Otranto, March 15, 2011.

"The Citadel during the Civil War," Kiwanis Club of Charleston, February 11, 2011.

"The Citadel during the Civil War," Friends of Daniel Library, March 23, 2010.

"Why the Civil War?" Rotary Club, April 6, 2010.

"Charleston in the Civil War," Cloud Family Reunion, July 17, 2010

"The Citadel: 1861-1862," Fort Sumter Lecture Series, September 18, 2010.

"Beware the Historians," 50th Anniversary Banquet, Charleston Civil War Round Table, October 15, 2010.

"The Meaning of the Sesquicentennial," Charleston, Archives, Libraries, and Museums Council, December 4th, 2010.

"Secessionville," presented at the Ellison Capers Camp of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, February 18, 2010.

"Robert E. Lee and Duty," presented at the Lee-Jackson Banquet, Sons of Confederate Veterans, Secession Camp #4, January 23, 2010.

"The Battle of Secessionville," presented at 31st Annual Civil War Institute, Virginia Center for Civil War Studies, Campaigning with Lee, Charleston SC, June 26, 2009.

"Douglas Freeman and Robert E. Lee," presented at Lee-Jackson Banquet, Sons of Confederate Veterans, Secession Camp #4, January 19, 2008.

"Fort Sumter and the Secession Crisis," presented at the Jamestowne Society (First South Carolina Company), Annual Luncheon, November 1, 2008.

"The Battle of Secessionville," presented at Senior Scholars, The Citadel, October 17, 2007.

"Assessing Omar Bradley," presented at Library Friends, The Citadel, September 25, 2007

"Sterling Price's Missouri Invasion of 1864," presented at the Ellison Capers Camp of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, March 15, 2007.

"Robert E. Lee and the Historians," Charleston Civil War Round Table, June 13, 2006.

"The Uses and Abuses of Robert E. Lee," presented at the Fort Sumter Camp of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, March 2006.

"Charleston Prepares to Defend Itself," presented at Library Friends, The Citadel, September 26, 2006.

"Myths and Realities of Sterling Price's Missouri Invasion of 1864," presented at a meeting of the Kansas City Civil War Round Table, November 23, 2005.

"The Bombardment of Fort Sumter," presented at Senior Class, East Cooper Regional Medical Center, August 2003.

"Sherman's March and the Burning of Columbia," presented at Library Friends, The Citadel, October 2002.

"The Siege of Charleston in 1863," presented at a meeting of Sertoma, Charleston, SC, April 24, 2002.

"The Firing on Fort Sumter and the Start of the Civil War," presented at Library Friends, January 2002.

"Historians and the Causes of the Civil War," presented at Sons of Confederate Veterans, November 2001.

"The CSS Hunley," presented at Library Friends, The Citadel, September 2001.

"James McPherson and *Ordeal by Fire*," presented at Charleston County Library, February 2001.

"The Sumner-Brooks Affair and the Cause of the Civil War," presented at Citadel Senior Scholars, Spring 1999.

Tour and Staff Ride Lead:

"Magnolia Cemetery," ARCH 8690 (Selected Topics in History, Theory, and Criticism), Clemson University, October 30, 2020.

"An Uncivil War: St. Louis and Southeast Missouri, 1858-1865," Blue and Gray Tours, July 10-13, 2019.

"Secessionville and Bloody Bridge," Blue and Gray Tours, December 1-3, 2019.

“Civil War Charleston,” Staff Ride, 2-2/2 Marines (Camp Lejeune, NC), Charleston, SC, July 26, 2017.

“The Price Invasion of Missouri,” Blue and Gray Tours, June 8-11, 2016.

Staff Ride Leader, 1862 and 1864 Charleston Campaigns, 4th Ranger Training Battalion, December 2012.

Staff Ride Leader, “Secessionville Campaign and Fort Sumter,” 5th Ranger Training Battalion, August 2012.

Staff Ride Leader, “Secession,” 1st Brigade U.S. Army Cadet Command, March 18, 2010.

Miscellaneous Activities:

Member, Board of Directors, Fort Sumter-Fort Moultrie Historic Trust, 2015-present; President of the Board, 2021-present

Member, Board of Directors, Fort Sumter Civil War Roundtable, 2018-present; President of the Board, 2021-present

Member, Board of Directors, American Heritage Association, 2021-present

Member, Advisory Council, National Civil War Museum, Harrisburg, PA, 2009-present

Organized and hosted, Citadel Symposium on American Leaders and Leadership in World War I, The Citadel, Charleston, SC, November 3, 2018.

Consultant and interviewee, Koelker and Associates, videos produced for the South Carolina Department of Natural Resources and South Carolina ETV on the Battle of Secessionville, 2018.

Consultant, Legacy Leadership, LLC, Hilton Head, SC, 2015-2016

Member, Mrs. Simon Baruch University Award Committee, UDC, 2013-2014

Member, Sesquicentennial Advisory Council, Fort Sumter-Fort Moultrie Historical Trust, 2009-2011

Chaired session entitled “Civil War and International Law” at the conference Civil War—Global Conflict, Charleston, SC, March 3-5, 2012.

Chairman, Program Committee, 72nd Meeting of the Society for Military History, 2005

Jury member, The Seaborg Award for Civil War Scholarship, The George Tyler Moore Center for the Study of the Civil War, Shepherd College, 2003

Consultant and Commentator, “The Revolution in South Carolina,” CD-ROM, South Carolina Historical Society, 2000

Consultant, The History Channel, This Day in History, January 9, 1861, The Star of the West, 2000

Member, International Paper Prize Committee, Phi Alpha Theta, 1998-2003

Co-Director, Citadel Conference on the South, 2000

Co-Director, 29th meeting of the Consortium on Revolutionary Europe, 1998-1999

Invited seminar participant, "Liberty in Jacksonian America, Liberty Fund Symposia, Columbia, SC, October 2000

Invited seminar participant, "The Second Amendment and the Bill of Rights," Orlando, FL, October 20-23, 1995.

Teaching

James A. Grimsley Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching, The Citadel, 2006 and 2009

Kappa Delta Pi, International Honor Society in Education, 1998

Undergraduate classes taught

Western Civilization I and II

Honors Western Civilization I and II

US History I and II

Revolutionary America

The Early Republic

Introduction to the Discipline of History

Disunion and the War for Southern Independence

The Civil War in Film

The Civil War in the South Carolina Low Country

The Gilded Age

US History since 1919

World War I: The AEF in France (Study Abroad)

World War II

World War II in the Pacific

World War II in Europe and Africa

World War II in Film

World War II: D Day to the Battle of the Bulge (Study Abroad)

World War II: The Italian Campaign (Study Abroad)

World War II: Market Garden to the Battle of the Bulge

Capstone: World War II

Capstone: The Gilded Age

Capstone: Weapons and Firepower

Weapons and Firepower

Patterns of Warfare since the Eighteenth Century

US Military History

U.S. Constitutional History Since 1865

Tutorials and sponsored research projects in the American Constitution, the American West, Civil War Tactics, the New Military History, the Civil War in the West, Leadership in World War II, History of Weapons and

Firepower, The History of Ballistics, World War I, World II: The Italian Campaign, Market Garden to the Battle of the Bulge, and the Indian Wars

Graduate courses taught

Colonial and Revolutionary America

New Perspectives on US History 1865 to the present

Gilded Age and Progressive Era

Civil War

Civil War Military History

World War II

Historiography

MAT Historiography

Tutorial in the Civil War

Tutorial in World War II

Tutorial in the AEF in World War I

American Military History

Capstone in Military History

Methods and Historiography of Military History

World War II in the Pacific

Independent Study of Operation Market Garden to the Battle of the Bulge

Methods and Historiography of Military History

World War II in the Pacific

World War I