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CURRENT POSITIONS

Rostered Instructor and Honors Program Director for Program in International Affairs, August 2018-present

Rostered Instructor of History and International Affairs for Baker Residential Academic Program, University of Colorado Boulder, August 2015-present

Instructor for Farrand Residential Academic Program, Global Studies Residential Academic Program and Program in International Affairs, University of Colorado Boulder, August 2015-May 2018

Faculty-in-Residence for Baker Residential Academic Program, University of Colorado Boulder, August 2015-present

EDUCATION

University of Colorado Boulder

Ph.D., History, May 2014

Major Field: History of U.S. Foreign Relations

Exam Fields: U.S. History since 1865; U.S. Foreign Relations; Chinese History

Dissertation: "The Indochina Syndrome: War, Memory, and the Franco-American Conflict over Vietnam, 1963–1973"

Dissertation Committee: Dr. Thomas W. Zeiler (Advisor); Dr. Robert D. Schulzinger; Dr. Martha Hanna; Dr. Kenneth Osgood (Colorado School of Mines); Dr. David H. Bearce (Political Science)

Wayne State University

M.A., History, August 2006

Major: History of U.S. Foreign Relations; Minor: Modern European History

M.A. Thesis: "Dissent in Detroit: Anti-Vietnam War Protest at Wayne State University, 1965–1971"

University of Michigan-Ann Arbor

Bachelor in General Studies, April 2004

The Abbey Program, Pontlevoy, Loir-et-Cher, France

Study abroad program, Fall 2002

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of History and International Affairs, University of Colorado Boulder, August 2015-present
(Previously Lecturer of History and International Affairs, August 2014-May 2015)

History 1025: U.S. History since 1865

History 2126: Modern U.S. Politics and Diplomacy: The Road to 9/11

History 2166: The Vietnam Wars

International Affairs 1000: Global Issues and International Affairs (in-person and online)
International Affairs 3000: Special Topics: Humanitarianism
International Affairs 3000: Special Topics: State-building in the 21st Century
International Affairs 4500: The Post-Cold War World: Migration & Refugees
International Affairs 4800 & 4810: Honors in International Affairs

Instructor, Enrichment Program for Lifelong Learning, University of Denver, January-March 2016
Course Title: Lyndon Johnson: Champion of Civil Rights or the Ultimate Politician?

Lecturer, Department of History, University of Denver, March-May 2015
History 2702: The United States and the World since 1898

Instructor, Department of Social Sciences, Front Range Community College, Longmont, CO, January 2013–May 2014
History 121: U.S. History to 1865
History 122: U.S. History since 1865

Graduate Instructor, Department of History, University of Colorado Boulder, August 2010–May 2011, August 2012–May 2013
History 1015: U.S. History to 1865
History 1025: U.S. History since 1865

Teaching Assistant, Department of History, University of Colorado Boulder, August 2007–May 2010
History 1015: U.S. History to 1865
History 1020: Western Civilization II: 1500 to the Present
History 1025: U.S. History since 1865
History 2222: War and Society since the Eighteenth Century
History 4146: U.S. Military History

Teaching Assistant, International Affairs Program, University of Colorado Boulder, August 2006–May 2007, August 2013–May 2014
International Affairs 1000: Global Issues and International Affairs

TEACHING AWARDS

Distinguished Teaching Award, Program in International Affairs, University of Colorado Boulder, conferred May 2017

TEACHING INTERESTS

American History; The U.S. and the World; The Vietnam Wars; The Global Cold War; Transatlantic Relations; Humanitarianism and Human Rights; Migration and Refugees; International Affairs

INVITED LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS

“The Founding of the United Nations,” video interviewee, Boulder County student entry for National History Day 2020: Breaking Barriers, February 28, 2020

“War for Humanitarian Purpose,” commentator, Foreign Policy and Military Strategy event co-sponsored by the U.S. Army War College and the Peace, Conflict & Security Program, University Colorado Boulder, April 25, 2019

“Global Migration and Crimes Against Humanity,” roundtable moderator, Conference on World Affairs, University of Colorado Boulder, April 11, 2019

“Asylum in International Perspective,” presenter, Global Roundtable, University of Colorado Boulder, November 14, 2018

“What It Means to Be a Refugee,” commentator, United Nations Association of Boulder County Annual UN Day, Boulder, CO, October 20, 2018

“Using Statistics to Measure National ‘Greatness,’” moderator, United Nations Association of Boulder County Discussion Series, Boulder, CO, June 28, 2018

“Religion and U.S. Foreign Policy,” moderator, Project Nur Discussion Series, University of Colorado Boulder, April 24, 2018

“Democracy Promotion and U.S. Foreign Policy,” presenter, International Affairs Club, University of Colorado Boulder, October 17, 2017

“Humanitarianism: An Introduction,” lecturer, International Affairs 3000: Law and International Affairs, Julie Arostegui, JD, University of Colorado Boulder, September 22, 2016

“Humanitarianism and the Global Development Goals,” presenter, United Nations Association of Boulder County Discussion Series, Boulder, CO, November 19, 2015

“Primary Elections and International Affairs,” presenter, International Affairs Club, University of Colorado Boulder, Boulder, CO, November 4, 2015

“Freedom of Expression in an Age of Terror,” presenter, International Affairs Club, University of Colorado Boulder, January 27, 2015

“The Islamic State,” presenter, International Affairs Club, University of Colorado Boulder, September 17, 2014

“Secrecy, Transparency, and Privacy in International Relations,” lecturer, International Affairs 1000: Global Issues and International Affairs, Dr. Gregory D. Young, University of Colorado Boulder, April 15, 2014

“Bella Abzug’s Search for Justice,” presenter, Women in History Roundtable, Front Range Community College, Longmont, CO, March 11, 2014

“The Indochina Syndrome: War, Memory, and the Franco-American Conflict over Vietnam, 1963-1973,” presenter, Colorado Foreign Affairs Seminar, Boulder, CO, December 16, 2013

“U.S. Foreign Policy and Presidential Elections in Historical Perspective,” presenter, United Nations Association of Boulder County Discussion Series, Boulder, CO, October 25, 2012

“U.S.-French Relations and the Vietnam War,” presenter, Colorado Foreign Affairs Seminar, Boulder, CO, December 6, 2011

“Jacksonian America,” lecturer, History 1015: U.S. History to 1865, Dr. Eugene R. Tesdahl, University of Colorado Boulder, April 1, 2011

“Escalation in Vietnam,” lecturer, History 3116: Seminar on the U.S. Wars in Vietnam, Iraq, and Afghanistan, Dr. Robert D. Schulzinger, University of Colorado Boulder, September 7, 2010

“The Origins and Effects of the Great Depression,” lecturer, History 1025: U.S. History since 1865, Dr. Thomas W. Zeiler, University of Colorado Boulder, March 1, 2010

“Manifest Destiny, Westward Expansion, and the Mexican-American War,” lecturer, History 1015: U.S. History to 1865, Dr. John Greg Whitesides, University of Colorado Boulder, November 17, 2009

“Robert McNamara, *The Fog of War*, and the Contested Memory of Vietnam,” presenter, International Affairs Club, University of Colorado Boulder, October 20, 2009

“The 9/11 Commission,” lecturer, History 4126: U.S. Diplomatic History since 1940, Dr. Robert D. Schulzinger, University of Colorado Boulder, December 10, 2008

“Global Poverty,” lecturer, International Affairs 1000: Global Issues and International Affairs, Dr. Gregory D. Young, University of Colorado Boulder, April 26, 2007

UNIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Member, Faculty Scholars Group for International Student Success, Center for Teaching & Learning, University of Colorado Boulder, January 2021-present

Co-Advisor, University of Colorado Evans Scholarship Chapter, Boulder, CO, August 2020-present

Member, Faculty Advisory Board to the Academic Advising Center, *ad hoc* committee, Arts & Sciences Council, College of Arts & Sciences, University of Colorado Boulder, September 2019-present

Member, Self-Study Committee, Program in International Affairs, University of Colorado Boulder, September-December 2019

Participant, “Office Hours Simulation Day,” Summer Bridge Program for Student-Athletes, Herbst Academic Center, Department of Intercollegiate Athletics, University of Colorado Boulder, July 2019 and July 2020

Honors Council Representative, Program in International Affairs, College of Arts & Sciences Honors Program, University of Colorado Boulder, August 2018-present

- Assisting 16 IAFS Honors students to receive Spring 2021 Honors
- Assisted 11 IAFS Honors students to receive Spring 2020 Honors
- Assisted 12 IAFS Honors students to receive Spring 2019 Honors

Member, Honors Thesis Advising Committees, Program in International Affairs, University of Colorado Boulder, August 2015-present

- Jakob Rheins, in progress, “Assessing the Political Violence of the French Revolution,” Spring 2021 (Primary Advisor)
- Emily Krizmanich, *summa cum laude*, “Feeding the People: UNICEF, the Peruvian Government, and the Fight to Reduce Undernutrition in Peru,” Spring 2018 (Primary Advisor)

- Allison Dudley, magna cum laude, “Preventing Trafficking, Forced Labor, and Exploitation: Addressing Risk and Vulnerability of Refugees in Jordan and the Middle East,” Fall 2017 (Primary Advisor)
- Derya Senol, cum laude, “Environmental Sustainability and Women’s Rights in Sub-Saharan Africa,” Fall 2017 (Second Reader)
- Katherine Henjum, summa cum laude, “A National Security Threat: Washington’s Conflicting Response to Climate Change in Northwestern Pakistan,” Spring 2017 (Primary Advisor)
- Julia Melasipo, cum laude, “The Brazilian Paradox: LGBT Legislation Improvements vs. High Violence Rates against LGBT People,” Spring 2017 (Second Reader)
- Raleigh Sneeringer, cum laude, “Economic Empowerment for Women in Francophone Africa,” Spring 2017 (Second Reader)
- Jordan Thomas, summa cum laude, “Living Well: A Holistic Approach to Development,” Spring 2017 (Second Reader)
- Magdalen Wagner, cum laude, “The Decline of Women’s Rights in Turkey: Is it Political Islam...or Erdogan?” Spring 2016 (Second Reader)

Member, Residential Academic Program Department Action Team for the Teaching Quality Framework Initiative [formerly a Faculty Learning Community], University of Colorado Boulder, September 2017-present

Member, Merit Evaluation Committee, Farrand Residential Academic Program, University of Colorado Boulder, Boulder, CO, January-May 2018

Board Member and Refugee Education Fundraising Co-Chair, United Nations Association of Boulder County, Boulder, CO, January 2017-present

Advancement of Study Abroad Committee Member, Program in International Affairs, University of Colorado Boulder, December 2016-present

Faculty Mentor, “Sports” Group, Farrand Residential Academic Program, August 2016-May 2018

Faculty Advisor, University of Colorado “Let Girls Learn” Chapter, University of Colorado Boulder, August 2016-present

Baker RAP Book Club Committee Member, Baker Residential Academic Program, University of Colorado Boulder, February 2016-present

Inclusive Excellence Committee Co-chair, Program in International Affairs, University of Colorado Boulder, January 2016-present

Inclusive Excellence Committee Member, Baker Residential Academic Program, University of Colorado Boulder, January 2016-present

Baker RAP Mission Committee Member, Baker Residential Academic Program, University of Colorado Boulder, September 2015-present

Faculty Advisor, University of Colorado “One.org” Chapter, University of Colorado Boulder, September 2015-May 2016

Baker RAP Faculty-in-Residence, Baker Residential Academic Program, University of Colorado Boulder, August 2015-present

Board of Directors, Evans Scholarship Alumni Association, Rocky Mountain Region, August 2015-present

Referee, University Press of Kentucky; *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of American History*; *Immigrants & Minorities*; *Journal of Transatlantic Studies*, 2011–present

Technical Advisor, *Diplomatic History* Contract Committee, Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, 2011

Graduate Student Liaison, Internal Review, Department of Astrophysical and Planetary Sciences, University of Colorado Boulder, Spring 2010

Graduate Resident Advisor, University of Colorado Evans Scholars, August 2006–May 2009

Executive Committee Member and Chair, Rocky Mountain Interdisciplinary History Conference, Department of History, University of Colorado Boulder, 2007–2008

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

“‘Fantastic and Absurd Utterances’: The Vietnam War and Misperceptions of Anti-Americanism in U.S.-French Relations, 1966–1967,” *Journal of Transatlantic Studies* 10, no. 1 (March 2012), 84-103

- Winner of the 2011 Donald Cameron Watt Prize from the Transatlantic Studies Association

PUBLICATIONS IN PROGRESS

The Indochina Syndrome: War, Memory, and the Franco-American Conflict over Vietnam, received interest from Cornell, Harvard, Oxford, and University of California presses

“A Third Paragraph in Each Story? The Memory of the French Indochina War in U.S. Vietnam War Policymaking,” planned for submission to *Cold War History*

EXTERNAL AWARDS AND GRANTS

PCB-AHA Presidents’ Graduate Student Travel Award, Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association, 2012

Donald Cameron Watt Prize, Transatlantic Studies Association, for best paper presented by an early career scholar at the annual TSA Conference, 2011

Samuel Flagg Bemis Dissertation Research Grant, Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, 2011

Moody Research Grant, Lyndon Baines Johnson Foundation, Spring 2010

Kennedy Research Grant, John F. Kennedy Library Foundation, Fall 2009

UNIVERSITY AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND GRANTS

Distinguished Teaching Award, Program in International Affairs, University of Colorado Boulder, 2016-2017

Excellence in Teaching Award Nominee, Graduate School, University of Colorado Boulder, 2012–2013

Gloria and Jackson Main Award for Excellence in Teaching and Academic Performance, Department of History, University of Colorado Boulder, 2012–2013

Woody and Leslie Eaton Graduate Student Travel Grant, Center for Humanities and the Arts, University of Colorado Boulder, Spring 2012

Florence Husted Lowe and F. Rex Lowe Dissertation Fellowship, College of Arts & Sciences, University of Colorado Boulder, 2011–2012

Carl Kisslinger Graduate Student Award, University of Colorado Retired Faculty Association, Graduate School, University of Colorado Boulder, 2011

Beverly Sears Graduate Student Grant, Graduate School, University of Colorado Boulder, 2010, 2011

Roscoe and Dorothea Pile Research Fellowship, Department of History, University of Colorado Boulder, 2009, 2010, 2011

Charles Middleton Research Fellowship, College of Arts & Sciences, University of Colorado Boulder, 2010

Rocky Mountain Interdisciplinary History Conference Fellowship, Department of History, University of Colorado Boulder, 2007–2008

Joe L. Norris Graduate Research Paper Award, Department of History, Wayne State University, 2006

CONFERENCE EXPERIENCE

“Ending the ‘Brutish Quarrel’ but Not the War: Franco-American Relations and Vietnam in the Nixon Years,” Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations Annual Meeting, Arlington, VA, June 27, 2015

“‘It’s Not What Friends Should Do’: France, the United States, and the Vietnam War,” Society for French Historical Studies Annual Conference, Colorado Springs, CO, April 18, 2015

“Certain Ideas of the United States and France: The Fate of Franco-American Discussions of Vietnam,” Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Portland, OR, August 15, 2014

“Plodding toward Peace in Paris: Secret U.S.-French Collaboration to Resolve the Vietnam War,” Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations Annual Meeting, Lexington, KY, June 19, 2014

“A Third Paragraph in Each Story?: The Memory of the French Indochina War in U.S. Vietnam War Policymaking,” Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, August 9, 2013

“*Le Défi Français: Competing Memories of the First Vietnam War and U.S.-French Relations, 1963-1969*,” Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, August 10, 2012

“‘Fantastic and Absurd Utterances’: The Vietnam War and Misperceptions of Anti-Americanism in U.S.-French Relations,” Transatlantic Studies Association Annual Conference, Dundee, Scotland, July 13, 2011

“The Cold War State,” Commentator, Rocky Mountain Interdisciplinary History Conference, Boulder, CO, September 11, 2010

“‘Fantastic and Absurd Utterances’: The Vietnam War and Misperceptions of Anti-Americanism in U.S.-French Relations,” Mid-America Conference on History, Norman, OK, October 2, 2009

“Imperialism and Culture,” Commentator, Rocky Mountain Interdisciplinary History Conference, Boulder, CO, September 13, 2009

“Dissent in Detroit: Anti-Vietnam War Protest at Wayne State University,” Rocky Mountain Interdisciplinary History Conference, Boulder, CO, September 8, 2007

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Assistant Editor, *Diplomatic History: The Journal of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations*, May 2008–August 2011

Research Assistant, Dr. Robert D. Schulzinger, for *American Horizons: U.S. History in a Global Context, Vol. II: Since 1865* (Oxford University Press, 2012) and *An American Idyll: The United States, 1989-2001* (Oxford University Press, forthcoming), July 2007–August 2009

Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations Summer Institute, “Turning Points in the Cold War,” led by Dr. Fredrik Logevall and Dr. Jeremi Suri, Madison, WI, June–July 2009

Summer Institute on Conducting Archival Research, George Washington University, Washington, D.C., May 2009

FOREIGN LANGUAGES

French

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Historical Association; Organization of American Historians; Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations; Society for French Historical Studies; Transatlantic Studies Association