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EDUCATION

OHIO UNIVERSITY, Athens, OH, 9/93–6/00.

CONTEMPORARY HISTORY INSTITUTE

Doctor of Philosophy in U.S. Foreign Relations, June 2000.

Dissertation Topic: “*All Roads Lead to Moscow:*” *The United States, Great Britain, and the Communist Monolith.*

Dissertation Advisor: John Lewis Gaddis

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, New York, NY, 9/90–5/92.

SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Master of International Affairs, May 1992.

TRINITY COLLEGE, Hartford, CT, 9/80-5/84.

Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy, May 1984.

TEACHING

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, Charlottesville, VA, 11/00–Present.

Associate Professor, Miller Center of Public Affairs, 8/08–Present.

Assistant Professor, Miller Center of Public Affairs, 11/01–8/08.

Courses taught: HIST 352, *The Second World War*; HIST 353, *The Cold War*; HIUS 352, *U.S. Diplomatic History since 1914*; HIUS 4501D, *America in Vietnam*; HIUS 612/613, *The Cold War and Civil Rights*, HIUS 614, *The Cold War*; HIUS 617, *U.S. Involvement in World War II*, HIUS 621, *The Cold War*, HIUS 6006, *The Vietnam Tapes*.

OHIO UNIVERSITY Athens, OH, 9/00–11/00.

Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of History.

Courses taught: History 310B, *America, 1928-1945*; History 378, *Espionage and History*.

Instructor, Department of History, 9/95–6/00.

Courses taught: History 211, *America to 1828*; History 310B, *America 1928-1945*.

DARIEN HIGH SCHOOL, Darien, CT, 9/86–6/90.

Teacher, Department of History and the Social Sciences.

Courses taught: *American History*; *America Since 1945*; *The World Since 1945*; *Ancient History*; *Modern European History*; *Points of Conflict*.

PUBLICATIONS

A. BOOKS AND SPECIAL VOLUMES

Constructing the Monolith: The United States, Great Britain, and International Communism, 1945–1950 (Cambridge, Mass.: Harvard University Press, 2009).

The Kennedy Withdrawal: Camelot and the American Commitment to Vietnam (under contract, Harvard University Press).

The Presidential Recordings: John F. Kennedy, vol. IV (New York: W.W. Norton), associate editor, in progress.

The Presidential Recordings: John F. Kennedy, vol. V (New York: W.W. Norton), co-editor, in progress.

The Presidential Recordings of Lyndon B. Johnson, Digital Edition: Lyndon Johnson and the Vietnam War: Escalation, July 1964–July 1965 (Charlottesville, Va.: University of Virginia Press), co-editor, in progress.

“Special Forum: The Politics of Troop Withdrawal,” editor, *Diplomatic History* 34 (June 2010), 3.

B. BOOK CHAPTERS, JOURNAL ARTICLES, ESSAYS, OP-EDS, AND FEATURES

“Vice President Johnson and the Kennedys,” *A Companion to President Lyndon B. Johnson*, ed. Mitch Lerner (New York: Wiley-Blackwell, in progress).

“The Historiography of Anti-Communism,” *OAH Magazine of History* 24, ed. Jeremi Suri (forthcoming, October 2010).

“It’s a Date: Kennedy and the Timetable for a Vietnam Troop Withdrawal,” *Diplomatic History* 34 (June 2010), 3: 485-495.

“Editor’s Introduction: The Politics of Troop Withdrawal,” *Diplomatic History* 34 (June 2010), 3: 461-469.

“A Roundtable Discussion of Marc J. Selverstone’s *Constructing the Monolith: the United States, Great Britain, and International Communism, 1945-1950*,” Author’s Response, *Passport: The Newsletter of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations* 41 (April 2010), 1: 13-16.

“The History Ph.D. as Historical Editor,” *In the Service of Clio*, sarantakes.blogspot.com, March 16, 2010.

“Robert McNamara’s Phone Calls with John F. Kennedy, Lyndon B. Johnson,” *politico.com*, July 7, 2009, <http://www.politico.com/news/stories/0709/24595.html#ixzz0KaFNwZYP&C>.

“Window Into the White House,” co-author, *Social Education* 72 (April 2008), 3: 130-135.

“Ernest Bevin,” in *Encyclopedia of the Cold War*, ed. Ruud van Dijk, et.al., (New York: Routledge, 2008), 89–91.

“Labour Party (British),” *Encyclopedia of the Cold War*, ed. Ruud van Dijk, et. al., (New York: Routledge, 2008), 529–530.

“Getting it Even More Right: The Virtues of Comparative History,” *History Matters!*, May 2006.

“JFK’s Lessons for Iraq,” *The Boston Globe*, March 9, 2006.

“The Past is More than Prologue: Reflections on the Cold War and the War on Terror,” *Passport: The Newsletter of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations* 37 (April 2006), 1: 4–8.

“Policy in the Making: A Look Inside the White House at War,” *OAH Magazine of History* 18 (October 2004), 5: 63–64.

“The Ghost of Tonkin Gulf Still Haunts U.S. Politics,” September 20, 2004, *Ascribe*, <http://www.ascribe.org/>.

“Politics and the Space Program: John F. Kennedy and James Webb Discuss NASA Priorities and the Apollo Program,” *Miller Center Report* 18 (Winter 2002), 1: 29–35.

“Doctrines,” *Encyclopedia of American Foreign Policy*, 2nd edition, Richard Dean Burns, Alexander DeConde, and Fredrik Logevall, eds. (New York: Scribner’s, 2001), 1: 521-541.

“Lyndon Johnson and 1968,” *Now & Then: Newsletter of the Contemporary History Institute* (Athens, OH: Contemporary History Institute, Ohio University, June 1998).

“William Appleman Williams and the Tragedy of Advocacy History,” *Occasional Paper Series* 23 (Athens, OH: Contemporary History Institute, Ohio University, March 1995).

“History and the State Department,” *Thinkpiece Series 37* (Athens, OH: Contemporary History Institute, Ohio University, October 1994).

“By Pressure of Necessity: Complexity and the Origins of U.S. Nuclear Deterrence,” *Occasional Paper Series 18* (Athens, OH: Contemporary History Institute, Ohio University, May 1994).

“Same Old Song, Different Dance: Continuity and Change in American Foreign Policy,” *Thinkpiece Series 29* (Athens, OH: Contemporary History Institute, Ohio University, May 1994).

“Planes, Causal Chains, and Terrorist Zeal: The Bombing of Pan Am Flight 103,” *Thinkpiece Series 26* (Athens, OH: Contemporary History Institute, Ohio University, February 1994).

C. REVIEWS

Creating The National Security State: A History of the Law That Transformed America, by Douglas T. Stuart, *Diplomatic History* 34 (November 2010), 5: 945-948.

The Opportunity: America's Moment to Alter History's Course, by Richard N. Haass, *International Journal* 61 (Spring, 2006), 2: 525-526.

Freedom's War: America's Crusade Against the Soviet Union, by Scott Lucas, *Intelligence Forum*, July 2000. <http://www.intelforum.org/review0001.html>.

Caught Between Roosevelt and Stalin: America's Ambassadors to Moscow, by Dennis J. Dunn, *H-Diplo*, November 2001. <http://www2.h-net.msu.edu/reviews/showrev.cgi?path=36111009477283>.

D. INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

Editor, *University of Virginia Multimedia Guide to the Virginia Standards of Learning: A Joint Report to the Commonwealth of Virginia*, Miller Center of Public Affairs & Virginia Center for Digital History (Charlottesville, Va.: University of Virginia, 2001).

Editor, *A Guide to Primary Sources in U.S. History*, Virginia Center for Digital History and the Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Va. <http://www.vcdh.virginia.edu/solguide/>.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

A. MILLER CENTER OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, 11/00–Present.

Assistant Director for Presidential Studies, Miller Center of Public Affairs, 7/10–Present.

Overseeing programs in Presidential Recordings and Presidential Oral History.

Associate Professor, *Presidential Recordings Program*, 8/08–Present.

Assistant Professor, *Presidential Recordings Program*, 11/00–8/08.

Transcribing and annotating the John F. Kennedy and Lyndon B. Johnson White House tapes as part of the Miller Center’s *Presidential Recordings Program*.

Director, *Digital Classroom Initiative*, March 2006–Present.

Responsible for design and maintenance of Presidential Recordings Program web portal providing teachers with resources for incorporating the secret presidential recordings into the classroom.

Executive Editor, *AmericanPresident.org*, 12/01–7/05.

Coordinated all aspects of content production and implementation for website focusing on the American presidency and contemporary policymaking.

Editor, *AmericanPoliticalDevelopment.org*, 2003–Present.

Advisor for *American Political Development* website on digital primary resources related to the Vietnam War.

Presidential Oral History Program, August–December 2002.

Member of team conducting interviews with William Webster, Annelise Anderson, and George Shultz for the Ronald Reagan Oral History Project, and with James Woolsey for the William Clinton Oral History Project.

Conference Coordinator, 11/07-06/08.

Produced and coordinated all aspects of conference on “The Politics of Troop Withdrawal,” sponsored by the *Presidential Recordings Program*.

B. ADVISING

Dissertation Committee, March–June 2009

Reader of Joshua Botts Ph.D. dissertation, “Neoconservatives, Strategy, and the Cold War.”

Thesis Adviser, September 2008–May 2009

Directed Andrew Ferguson in Distinguished Majors Program thesis, “Out of the Quagmire: Kissinger’s Strategy to Extricate the United States from the Vietnam War.”

C. OTHER

Research Assistant, *Ohio University*, Athens OH, 9/96–6/97.

Conducted research for Distinguished Professor Alonzo Hamby for his book, *For the Survival of Democracy: Franklin Roosevelt and the World Crisis of the 1930s* (New York: Free Press, 2003).

Editorial Assistant, *Foreign Policy Association*, New York, NY, 6/91–8/92.

Authored monthly newsletter, *Foreign Policy Preview*, and two chapters of *Election 1992: Guide to U.S. Foreign Policy Issues*. Researched and ghost-wrote portions of additional manuscripts on Eastern Europe for *FPA's Headline Series*.

Managing Editor, *Journal of International Affairs*, New York, NY, 9/91–6/92.

Oversaw business operations of the journal (circulation of 10,000), coordinated fifty-person intern program, maintained relations with the advisory board and the administration, and assisted in editing and preparing articles for publication.

Research Assistant, *Institute for East-West Security Studies*, New York, NY, 9/90–6/91.

Conducted research for Research Fellows and assisted them in preparing their work for publication. Focused on domestic and transnational aspects of European security.

CONSULTING

A. CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

WGBH, 2008–Present.

Consultant for project to digitize and disseminate “Vietnam: A Television History.”

Soomo Publishing, *Author*, 3/08–8/08.

Wrote curriculum module on the Cuban Missile Crisis, incorporating textual and multimedia exhibits, for use in textbooks intended for Houghton Mifflin Company.

THE TIMESTREAMS GROUP, Ohio University, Athens, OH, 1995–2002.

One of three principals in a consortium, sponsored by the *Contemporary History Institute* and the *Ping Institute for the Teaching of the Humanities*, creating multimedia educational packages for secondary and undergraduate instruction in history.

B. BOOK SERIES

Children’s Press, 7/02–Present.

Historical consultant advising a division of Scholastic, Inc., on *Getting to Know U.S. Presidents*, a young-readers’ series devoted to United States presidents.

C. PUBLISHERS

Oxford University Press, *Book Reviewer*, 11/06–Present.

Historical consultant on books covering U.S. foreign relations and the Cold War being considered for publication.

Routledge, *Book Reviewer*, 4/07–Present.

Historical consultant on books covering U.S. diplomatic history being considered for publication.

D. PROJECT EVALUATION

National Council for History Education, 8/05.

External reviewer for the New Jersey History Partnership Project website, a digital resource constructed as part of NJHPP's "Crossroads of America" Teaching American History Grant.

PRESENTATIONS

A. CONFERENCES/FESTIVALS

Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, Madison, Wisc., 6/26/10.
Annual Meeting, University of Wisconsin, Madison.
Chaired panel on "Kennedy Administration Policies toward the Third World: A Reassessment."

Presidential Sites and Libraries Conference V, National Archives and Records Administration, Charlottesville, VA, 6/22/10.
Quadrennial Meeting, Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia.
Panelist on "Putting Presidents in the Classroom."

American Historical Association, San Diego, Calif., 1/6/10.
Annual Meeting, Manchester Grand Hyatt.
Presented paper, "Exporting the Cold War Consensus: Europe, Main Street, and the American Way of Life," as part of "Constructing and Deconstructing the Cold War Consensus," a panel sponsored by the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations.

Long Island Council for the Social Studies, Melville, N.Y., 10/19/09.
Moderated panel discussion on "Presidential Leadership: Assessing our Chief Executives," and gave presentation on "The Kennedy Tapes."

Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, Falls Church, Va., 06/27/09.
Annual Meeting, Fairview Park Marriott.
Panelist on "Teaching the White House Tapes: An Introduction to the Resources of the Miller Center of Public Affairs."

Virginia Festival of the Book, Charlottesville, Va., 03/20/09.
Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia.
Discussed *Constructing the Monolith* as part of panel on "America in Transition: Between War and . . . War," with James Goldgeier, *America Between The Wars: From 11/9 to 9/11* (New York: Public Affairs, 2008).

Virginia Festival of the Book, Charlottesville, Va., 3/20/09.
Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia.
Moderated panel with James Blight and Janet Lang on their book *Vietnam If Kennedy Had Lived: Virtual JFK* (Lanham, Md.: Rowman & Littlefield, 2009).

"The Politics of Troop Withdrawal," Charlottesville, Va., 6/5/08.
Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia.

Presented paper “It’s a Date: Kennedy and the Timetable for a Vietnam Troop Withdrawal.”

Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, College Park, Md., 6/25/05.
Annual Meeting, National Archives and Records Administration, Archives II.
Commentator for panel, “With Us or Against Us: U.S. Policy towards Neutral States in Europe in the Second World War and the Early Cold War.”

Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, College Park, Md., 6/24/05.
Annual Meeting, National Archives and Records Administration, Archives II.
Presented Paper, “The Past is More than Prologue: Reflections on the Cold War and the War on Terror.”

Watson Institute for International Studies, National Security Archive, and Cold War International History Project, St. Simon’s Island Ga., 4/8–10/05.
Musgrove Conference Center
Panelist on “What Kennedy Decided, October-November 1963,” as part of conference on *Kennedy, Johnson, and Vietnam: The Impact of the Presidential Transition on the Course of the War and its Lessons for U.S. Foreign and Defense Policy*.

Britain and the Culture of the Cold War, London, U.K., 9/13/03.
Institute of Historical Research, University of London.
Presented paper, “The Rise of the Monolith: International Communism in U.S. and British Thought.”

Miller Center Forum, Charlottesville, Va., 7/14/03.
Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia.
Presentation on “The Emergence of the Communist Monolith,” detailing American perceptions of international communism during the early Cold War.

Ohio Academy of History, Westerville, OH, 4/29/00.
Spring Meeting, Otterbein College.
Presented paper, “Gone the Beloved Country: The Story of a Political and Musical Dream Deferred.”

Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, Princeton, N.J., 6/24/99.
Annual Meeting, Princeton University.
Presented paper, “Visions of the Monolith: Imperial Consciousness and International Communism in U.S. and British Foreign Policy.”

Mid-American History Conference, Fayetteville, Ark., 9/18/98.
Annual Meeting, University of Arkansas.
Presented paper, “Britain and the Bear: The Foreign Office Confronts the Monolith.”

Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, College Park, Md., 6/22/98.
Annual meeting, University of Maryland at College Park.
Presented paper, “Hi-Tech History.”

Phi Alpha Theta Conference, Kent, OH, 4/98.
Annual Meeting, Kent State University.
Presented paper, “Why Americans Read Fascism into Red Fascism.”

National Graduate Conference in Cultural Studies, Bowling Green, OH, 2/5/96.
Annual Meeting, Bowling Green State University.
Presented paper, “Rock ‘n’ Soul Review: Race, Music, and Politics in the Sixties.”

Carnegie Council on Ethics and International Affairs, New York, N.Y., 10/21/95.
Conference on *Moral Judgment and Cold War History*.
Presented paper, “Cold War, Just War?”

Baker Peace Studies Conference, Athens, OH, 5/20/94.
Conference on Chaos, Complexity, and Contemporary History at Ohio University.
Panel participant, “So What?: History, Historians and the Virtues of Chaos Theory.”

B. LECTURES/PANELS/SEMINARS/WORKSHOPS

“The White House Tapes and Vietnam,” Charlottesville, VA, 7/22/10.
Presentation to international professor participating in the Institute on American Politics and Political Thought, sponsored by the U.S. Department of State and affiliated with the University of Massachusetts.

“The Vietnam Tapes: The Presidential Recordings of Kennedy, Johnson, and Nixon,” Charlottesville, 7/12-17/10.
Led week-long seminar for Virginia teachers, funded by UVa’s Center for Liberal Arts and the Arthur Vining Davis Foundation, on the White House tapes and Vietnam.

“American Foreign Policy and the Cold War,” Orlando, Fla., 5/21-22/10.
Presentations on the early Cold War, Vietnam, and Cuba to teachers participating in the “American Pride Liberty Fellowship,” coordinated by the American Institute for History Education and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“Presidential Foibles & Scandals: Sounds From the Oval Office,” Charlottesville, VA, 5/18/10.
Presentation for the Thomas Jefferson Society Reunion at the University of Virginia.

“Civil Rights, Vietnam, and the American Presidency,” Cleveland, OH, 4/26-27/10.

Presentations on Presidents Kennedy, Johnson, and Nixon on civil rights and Vietnam to teachers participating in the “Sounds of American History” project, coordinated by Cleveland State and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“Defending Democracy,” Miami, Fla., 04/15-17/09.

Presentations on U.S. foreign relations and presidential rhetoric to teachers participating in the Miami-Dade’s Teaching American History County Liberty Fellowship, coordinated by the American Institute for History Education and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“Vietnam and the Presidential Voice,” Cleveland, OH, 2-24-25/10.

Gave presentations to Cuyahoga County teachers participating in the “Sounds of American History” project, coordinated by the Center for Public History and Digital Humanities at Cleveland State University and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“Voice from the White House: America in the Cold War,” South Boston, VA, 1/22/10.

Gave presentation to Halifax County teachers participating in the “American Origins: Hidden Histories in our Midst” project, coordinated by the Virginia Center for Digital History and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“GBH Presents: *The End of the Tunnel, from Vietnam: A Television History,*” Boston, Mass., 11/11/09.

Participated in panel discussion on episode from the 1983 WGBH series on Vietnam.

“America Becomes a World Power,” Jasper, In., 11/5-6/09.

Gave presentations to teachers participating in the “Living History Liberty Fellowship” fall colloquium, coordinated by the American Institute for History Education and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“Early Cold War and Life in the 1950s,” Boiling Springs, N.C., 10/22-23/09.

Gave presentations to teachers participating in the “Making of America Liberty Fellowship,” coordinated by the American Institute for History Education and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“The White House and Vietnam,” Abingdon, Va., 9/14/09.

Southwest Virginia Public Education Consortium’s 2009 Fall History Conference Presentation to teachers participating in “Immersion in Traditional American History: Colonial Challenges, Civil War Conflicts, and Cold War Confrontations,” funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“Vietnam and the Cold War, From Kennedy to Johnson,” Washington, D.C., 7/29/09.

Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars.

Presentation to high school teachers as part of a colloquium on “The United States and the Cold War.”

“The White House Tapes and Vietnam,” Charlottesville, VA, 7/23/09.

Presentation to international professor participating in the Institute on American Politics and Political Thought, sponsored by the U.S. Department of State and affiliated with the University of Massachusetts.

“Kennedy, Cuba, and Vietnam,” Berkeley Heights, N.J., 6/29/09.

Presentations to teachers participating in the Governor Livingston Liberty Fellowship, coordinated by the American Institute for History Education and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“U.S. Foreign Relations in the Twentieth Century,” Montgomery, Al., 6/8-9/09.

Presentations to teachers participating in the MLK and Rosa Parks Liberty Fellowship, coordinated by the American Institute for History Education and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“The Cold War and Its Legacy: America in the 20th Century,” Albuquerque, N.M., 6/1-5/09.

Presentations to teachers participating in the “East Meets West: Traditional American History for New Mexico Teachers” project, coordinated by the National Council for History Education and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“The White House Tapes: A Tour of the Presidential Recordings,” Charlottesville, Va., 5/12/09.

Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia.

Presentation to Thomas Jefferson Society of Alumni on the secret White House tapes of Presidents Kennedy, Johnson, and Nixon.

“Bearing the Burden: Defending Democracy Through Wars Hot and Cold,” Miami, Fla., 04/16-18/09.

Presentations on U.S. foreign relations and presidential rhetoric to teachers participating in the Miami-Dade’s Teaching American History County Liberty Fellowship, coordinated by the American Institute for History Education and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“Presidential Secret Tapes,” Charlottesville, Va., 03/27/09.

Presentation on the work of the Presidential Recordings Program to the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute.

“The Early Cold War,” Lafayette, La., 02/06-08/09.

Presentations on international dimensions of early Cold War for Jefferson Parish teachers, coordinated by the American Institute for History Education and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“Kennedy, Vietnam, and the Secret White House Tapes,” Princeton, N.J., 12/5/08.

Annual Conference, New Jersey Council for History Education, Princeton University.

Presentation on President John F. Kennedy and the American commitment to Vietnam.

“The Political Presidency,” Charlottesville, Va., 11/06/08.

Presentation to the Albemarle County Rotary Club on the Lyndon B. Johnson presidential recordings.

“The Cold War at Home,” Newport News, Va., 10/10-11/08.

Presentations on the impact of the Cold War on political life, public life, and private life in the United States to teachers participating in the Newport News Public Schools “Defining, Defending, and Diffusing American Democracy” project, funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“Woodrow Wilson as Commander in Chief,” Staunton, Va., 8/12/08.

Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, Woodrow Wilson Presidential Library.

Presentation to teachers participating in summer seminar on “Woodrow Wilson and the War Years.”

“Kennedy and Crisis Management: Cuba and Vietnam,” Washington, D.C., 7/9/08.

Presentations to teachers participating in the West Morris Regional High School District (N.J.) “Defining Freedom—Teachers as Students: Implementing the History Lab” project, funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“The Cold War,” Charlottesville, Va., 6/16/08–6/21/08.

Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia.

Led one-week, one-credit seminar for teachers participating in Roanoke County Public Schools “Perspectives, Identity, Legacy” project, sponsored by UVa’s Center for the Liberal Arts and Virginia Center for Digital History, and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“The White House Tapes: A Tour of the Presidential Recordings,” Charlottesville, Va., 4/12/08.

Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia.

Presentation to Princeton University Class of 1952 as part of its Mini-Reunion.

“At the Water’s Edge? Presidential Politics and Foreign Policy,” Roanoke, Va., 4/9/08.

Presentation to the UVa Club of Roanoke Valley, as part of the University of Virginia’s “Engaging the Mind” faculty lecture series.

“The Camelot Commitment: Kennedy and the Fate of U.S. Troops in Vietnam,” Virginia Beach, Va., 12/01/07.

Presentation to Virginia Beach City Schools teachers participating in the “Where History Occurs” project, sponsored by UVa’s Center for the Liberal Arts and Virginia Center for Digital History, and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“The Sounds of the Presidency,” Cleveland State University, Cleveland, OH, 11/12-13/07.

Two-day seminar for Cleveland area teachers participating in the “The Sounds of American History” project, funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“Is the Troop Withdrawal Deadline a Mistake?,” FORA.tv, 4/27/07 –5/4/07.

Participant in online “Think Tank” discussion, providing historical analogue to proposals for the withdrawal of American troops from Iraq.
<http://www.fora.tv/thinktank.php?archive=19>.

“The Political Presidency,” Charlottesville, Va., 1/10/07.

Presentation to the Blue Ridge Rotary Club on the secret White House presidential recordings.

“The Presidency During Wartime,” Charlottesville, Va., 12/07/06.

Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia.

Presentation to Charlottesville area teachers as part of “The Virginia Experiment: Growing Seeds of Democracy in Four-Hundred Years of American History” project, funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“History and Imagination,” Newport News, Va., 11/2/06.

Presentations to Newport News teachers, coordinated by the National Council for History Education and funded by the Newport News Public Schools and the Richard King Mellon Foundation.

“The Presidency During Wartime,” Roanoke Higher Education Center, Roanoke, Va., 10/3/06.

Presentation to Roanoke area teachers as part of the “Perspectives, Identity, Legacy: Democracy in American History Education” project, funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“U.S. Involvement in World War II,” Southwest Virginia Higher Education Center, Abingdon, Va., 7/13-14/06.

Led two-day, one-credit seminar for teachers participating in “The Foundations Project,” sponsored by UVa’s Center for the Liberal Arts and Virginia Center for Digital History, and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“The Cold War,” Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Va., 6/26/06–7/01/06.

Led one-week, one-credit seminar for teachers from Virginia Beach participating in the “Where History Occurs” project, sponsored by UVa’s Center for the Liberal Arts and Virginia Center for Digital History, and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“Modern Leadership and Foreign Policy Since 1945,” High Point University, High Point, N.C., 6/12-16/06.

Made seven presentations to Davidson County (NC) public school teachers as part of its “Foundations First” project, sponsored by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“The American Presidency,” Lafayette Parish School System, Lafayette, La., 3/24–25/06.

Made three presentations to Lafayette public school teachers as part of its “Frontiers of American History” project, sponsored by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“A Crisis of Credibility: Kennedy, Johnson, and the Dilemmas of Vietnam,” Virginia Beach City Schools, Virginia Beach, Va., 12/13/05.

Presentation to public school teachers as part of its “Where History Occurs” project, sponsored by UVa’s Center for the Liberal Arts and Virginia Center for Digital History, and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“Peeling Back the Curtain: Kennedy, Johnson, and the Secret History of Cold War Liberalism,” Fairfield University, Fairfield, CT, 11/10/05.

Public presentation to students and faculty in the Departments of History and Political Science.

“Presidents and Politics: The White House Tapes,” RESA, Kenansville, NC, 11/2/05.

Workshop for U.S. history teachers on the secret tape recordings made by Presidents Kennedy, Johnson, and Nixon.

“The White House Civil Rights Tapes,” American University, Washington, D.C., 10/17/05.

Workshop for Prof. Jim Percoco's "Methods and Materials in Secondary Education (Social Studies EDU-540(002) on the secret tape recordings made by Presidents Kennedy and Johnson.

"The U.S. in World Affairs, 1914-2005," Davidson County Board of Education, Lexington, NC, 8/10–12/05.

Co-led a National Council for History Education colloquium for Davidson's "Foundations First" project, funded by a U.S. Department of Education "Teaching American History" Grant.

"The Cold War and Civil Rights," Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, 6/26/05–7/02/05.

Coordinated and led a week-long seminar for secondary-school and undergraduate teachers, sponsored by UVa's Center for the Liberal Arts and Virginia Center for Digital History, and funded by grants from the Arthur Vining Davis Foundations and the U.S. Department of Education "Teaching American History" program.

"Eavesdropping on Escalation: Kennedy, Johnson, and the Vietnam Tapes," Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, 1/15/05.

Coordinated and led a colloquium for Virginia secondary-school teachers on the Vietnam-related secret recordings of Presidents Kennedy and Johnson, sponsored by UVa's Center for the Liberal Arts and funded by a grant from the Arthur Vining Davis Foundations.

"Presidential Leadership in Times of Crisis," City Hall Academy, New York, NY, 11/12–13/04.

Co-led to lead a National Council for History Education colloquium, funded by a History Channel "Save Our Schools" Grant.

"Voices From the 20th Century," Thorne Bay, Alaska, 10/22–25/03.

Co-led a National Council for History Education colloquium for the Southeast Island School District's "Teaching American History Improvement Project," funded by a U.S. Department of Education "Teaching American History" Grant.

"The Origins of the Cold War," Southwest Virginia Higher Education Center, Abingdon, VA, 11/8/03.

Lectured on origins of the Cold War for participants in Russell and Scott Counties' "The Foundations Project," sponsored by UVa's Center for the Liberal Arts and Virginia Center for Digital History, and funded by a U.S. Department of Education "Teaching American History" Grant.

"The Cold War Years," Southwest Virginia Higher Education Center, Abingdon, VA, 5/16/03.

Conducted workshop on early Cold War history for participants in Russell and Scott Counties' "The Foundations Project," sponsored by UVa's Center for Liberal

arts and Virginia Center for Digital History, and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“American History and the SOLs,” Southwest Virginia Higher Education Center, Abingdon, VA, 5/16/03.

Conducted workshop on the U.S. and Virginia Standards of Learning for participants in Russell Counties’ “The Foundations Project,” sponsored by UVa’s Center for the Liberal Arts and Virginia Center for Digital History, and funded by a U.S. Department of Education “Teaching American History” Grant.

“American History and the SOLs,” *Shenandoah County Public Schools*, Woodstock, VA, 4/26/02.

Conducted workshop on how to use the *University of Virginia Multimedia Guide to the Virginia and United States History Standards of Learning*.

MEDIA

A. TELEVISION

“For the Record,” *WHTJ Charlottesville PBS*, 7/02–2/04.

Part-time host of public television talk show co-produced by the Miller Center of Public Affairs and WHTJ Charlottesville. Guests interviewed included Ted Koppel, Kati Marton, Frank Sesno, Don Oberdorfer, and Kevin Phillips.

B. RADIO

“Charlottesville Right Now,” *WINA 1070 AM*, Charlottesville, VA, 6/18/09.

Discussed *Constructing the Monolith* with program host Coy Barefoot.

PROFESSIONAL

ACTIVITIES

A. LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

Project Director, Center for Liberal Arts, University of Virginia, 9/09—Present.

Advise and coordinate with the Center for Liberal Arts on content enrichment activities as one of two Project Directors for Miller Center Programs.

Immersion in Traditional American History: Colonial Challenges, Civil War Conflicts and Cold War Confrontations, 7/08–7/11.

Project coordinator for U.S. Department of Education Teaching American History Grant program teaming Norton City Schools and surrounding counties in Southwest Virginia with the University of Virginia in a professional development program for teachers of grades 5-12.

The Virginia Experiment: Growing Seeds of Democracy in Four-Hundred Years of American History, 7/06–7/09.

Scholar liaison for U.S. Department of Education Teaching American History Grant program teaming Charlottesville City Schools and surrounding counties with the

University of Virginia in a professional development program for teachers of grades 5-11.

Perspectives, Identity, Legacy: Democracy in American History, 9/05–9/08.

Project Coordinator for U.S. Department of Education Teaching American History Grant program teaming Roanoke City Schools and surrounding counties with Virginia Polytechnic University and the University of Virginia in a professional development program for teachers of grades 7-12.

The Foundations Project: Settlement, Conflict, and Change in American History, 5/03–5/06.

Executive Board and Faculty Team Member of U.S. Department of Education Teaching American History Grant program teaming Scott and Russell County Schools with Southwest Virginia Public Education Consortium, the University of Virginia, Virginia Tech, a regional history museum, and the Virginia Foundation for the Humanities in a professional development program for teachers of grades 4-11.

B. PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations

Teaching Committee, 2/10–12/12.

Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations

Program Committee Graduate Chair, 9/97–6/99.

Coordinated graduate student panels for annual conference, and participated in final selection of conference panel presentations.

C. MILLER CENTER SERVICE

Concordance Committee, March 2008–Present.

Member of Center-wide committee formed to generate ideas on how best to promote the Miller Center, its scholars, and its work.

Outreach Committee, May–December 2004.

Member of Center-wide committee formed to generate ideas on how best to promote the Miller Center, its scholars, and its work. Generated report on all output produced by Miller Center scholars.

Search Committee, Miller Center Librarian September 2001–March 2002.

Participated in the selection of candidates to fill the spot of Librarian for the new Scripps Library and Multimedia Archive.

Review Committee, Michael Greco, Miller Center Librarian, March–April 2004.

Committee member, reading all relevant documents, writing memoranda, and participating in meetings.

D. ORGANIZATIONS

American Historical Association
 Organization of American Historians
 Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations
 National Council for History Education
 American Institute for History Education

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS

Stuart L. Bernath Book Prize, Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations.
 Awarded for *Constructing the Monolith: The United States, Great Britain, and International Communism, 1945-1950* (Harvard University Press, 2009).

Andrew W. Mellon Fellowship, Massachusetts Historical Society, Boston, Mass.
 Awarded for FY 2011 in support of *The Kennedy Withdrawal: Camelot and the American Commitment to Vietnam* (Harvard University Press, in progress).

“We the People” Challenge Grant, National Endowment for the Humanities.
 Awarded in September 2004 in support of AmericanPresident.org.

John Cady Dissertation Fellowship, Ohio University, 9/97-6/98.

Outstanding Instructor, Ohio University, Department of History, 6/96.

Forschungstipendium, Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst, Bonn, Germany, 9/97-1/98.

Contemporary History Institute Fellowship, Ohio University, 9/93-6/97.

Intellectual Freedom Award, Social Issues Resource Series/Connecticut Educational Media Association, 6/89.

Reiss/MacGregor Teaching Fellowship, Darien (CT) Public Schools, 6/88.

Connecticut Writing Project Fellowship, University of Connecticut, 6/88.

LANGUAGES

German and French.