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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Department of History, the Johns Hopkins University, 1986.
Fulbright Scholar to the United Kingdom, 1985-86.
Visiting Student, St. Catherine's College, Oxford University, 1985-86.
M.A., Department of History, Johns Hopkins, 1984.
B.A., American Culture/Psychology, Northwestern University, 1982.

TEACHING APPOINTMENTS

James Duncan Phillips Professor of Early American History, Department of History, Harvard University, 2006-
Affiliate, Department of the History of Science, Harvard University, 2012-
Visiting Faculty, Maritime Studies, Sea Education Association (in Woods Hole, Mass., and aboard SSV *Corwith Cramer* in North Atlantic), summer 2004 and summer 2005.
Visiting Professor, Department of History, University of Sydney, summer 2004.
Professor, Department of History, Harvard University, 2000-06.
Visiting Associate Professor, Department of History, Harvard University, 1998-99.
Associate Professor, Department of History, Vanderbilt University, 1993-2000.
Visiting Professor, School of History, University of Leeds, 1991-92.
Assistant Professor, Department of History, Vanderbilt University, 1986-1993.
Teaching Fellow, Department of History, Johns Hopkins, 1983.

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Round About the Earth: Circumnavigation from Magellan to Orbit (New York: Simon & Schuster, forthcoming).
(Co-author) *Global America (*New York: W. W. Norton, forthcoming).
Benjamin Franklin's Political Arithmetic: A Materialist View of Humanity (Washington, D. C.: Smithsonian Institution, 2009).
The First Scientific American: Benjamin Franklin and the Pursuit of Genius (New York: Basic Books, 2006).
Finalist, Los Angeles Times Book Prize.
Winner, Annibel Jenkins Prize, American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies.
Subject Matter: Technology, the Body, and Science on the Anglo-American Frontier, 1500-1676 (Cambridge, Mass.: Harvard University Press, 2001).

An Anxious Pursuit: Agricultural Innovation and Modernity in the Lower South, 1730 1815 (Chapel Hill: Institute of Early American History and Culture, 1993).
Winner, Willie Lee Rose Book Prize, Southern Association of Women Historians.

Edited Works

Benjamin Franklin's Autobiography, Norton Critical Edition (New York: W. W. Norton, 2012).

"Benjamin Franklin: A How-to Guide. Catalog of an Exhibition," double issue of the *Harvard Library Bulletin*, vol. 17, no. 1 (2007).

Essays

"Earthsickness: Circumnavigation and the Terrestrial Human Body, 1520-1800," *Bulletin of the History of Medicine*, winter 2012.

"The British Atlantic," in *Oxford Companion to the Atlantic World*, ed. Nicholas P. Canny and Philip D. Morgan (New York: Oxford University Press, 2011).

"1722: Benjamin Franklin's Silence Dogood Letters," in *A New Literary History of America*, ed. Greil Marcus and Werner Sollors (Cambridge, Mass.: Harvard University Press, 2009).

"Franklin's Natural Philosophy," in *The Cambridge Companion to Benjamin Franklin*, ed. Carla Mulford (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2008).

"The Atlantic Ocean and Its Contemporary Meaning," in *Atlantic History: A Critical Reappraisal*, ed. Jack P. Greene and Philip D. Morgan (New York: Oxford University Press, 2008).

"Circulations: Benjamin Franklin's Gulf Stream," in *Science and Empire in the Atlantic World*, ed. James Delbourgo and Nicholas Dew (New York: Routledge, 2007).

"Benjamin Franklin et le Gulf Stream," in *Benjamin Franklin: Homme de science, homme du Monde* (Paris: Paris musées, 2007).

"Roanoke 'counterfeited according to the truth,'" in *A New World: England's First View of America*, ed. Kim Sloan (London: British Museum Press, 2006).
Short-listed for Berger Prize for British Art History.
Japanese translation, 2009.

"Creoles in British America: From Denial to Acceptance," in *Creolization: History, Ethnography, Theory*, ed. Charles Stewart (Walnut Creek, Ca.: Left Coast Press, 2006).

"Benjamin Franklin and Science, Continuing Opportunities for Study," *Perspectives on Science*, 14 (2006).

"Overboard: A Historian's Life at Sea," www.common-place.org (Jan. 2006).

"The Secret Lives of Plants," *Environmental History*, 10 (2005).

"Indian Slavery in Early America: Captivity without the Narrative," in *The Creation of the British Atlantic World*, ed. Elizabeth Mancke and Carole Shammas (Baltimore: the Johns Hopkins University Press, 2005).

"Nature and Nation: Natural History in Context," in *Stuffing Birds, Pressing Plants, Shaping Knowledge: Natural History in North America, 1730-1860*, ed. Sue Ann Prince (Philadelphia: *Transactions* of the American Philosophical Society, 93 [2003]).

"Expansion and Exceptionalism in Early American History," *Journal of American History*, 89 (2003).
"Race," in *The British Atlantic World,1500-1800,* ed. David Armitage and Michael J. Braddick (New York: Palgrave, 2002).
"Mark Catesby, a Skeptical Newtonian in America," in *Nature's Empire: Mark Catesby's New World Vision*, ed. Amy R. W. Meyers and Margaret Beck Pritchard (Chapel Hill: Institute of Early American History and Culture, 1999).
"Natural Philosophy and an Early Racial Idiom in North America: Comparing English and Indian Bodies," *William and Mary Quarterly*, 3d Ser., 54 (1997).
"The Meaning of Wildness in Early English Accounts of America," in *The American Columbiad: "Discovering" America, Inventing the United States,* ed. Mario Materassi and Maria Irene Ramalho de Sousa Santos (Amsterdam: VU University Press, 1996).
"Climate and Southern Pessimism: The Natural History of an Idea," in *The South as an American Problem*, ed. Larry J. Griffin and Don Doyle (Athens: University of Georgia Press, 1995).
"Tidal Rice Cultivation and the Problem of Slavery in South Carolina and Georgia, 1760 1815," *William and Mary Quarterly*, 3d Ser., 49 (1992).
"Creating a Cotton South in Georgia and South Carolina, 1760-1815," *Journal of Southern History*, 57 (1991).
"Slavery and the Principle of Humanity: A Modern Idea in the Early Lower South, *Journal of Social History*, 24 (1990).

HONORS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Member, Colonial Society of Massachusetts (elected 2011).
Pitt Professorship of American History and Institutions, Cambridge University (declined).
Distinguished Lecturer, Organization of American Historians, 2010-
Fellow, Massachusetts Historical Society (elected 2008).
Member, American Antiquarian Society (elected 2007).
Fletcher Jones Distinguished Research Fellow, Huntington Library, 2006-07.
Walter Channing Cabot Fellow, Harvard University, 2006-07.
The Molly and Sidney N. Zubrow Award "in Recognition of the Role of History in Society," Pennsylvania Hospital, 2006.
Charles H. Watts Memorial Fellowship, the John Carter Brown Library (winter 1998).
Mayers Fellowship, Huntington Library (fall 1997).
Fulbright Scholarship to the United Kingdom, 1985-86.

MAJOR LECTURES

Plenary lecture, British Association of American Studies, 2012.
Ward Lecture, University of Sydney, 2010.
Sonia Galletti Lecture, John Carter Brown Library, 2010.
Plenary lecture, National Maritime Museum/Royal Society, London, 2008.
Exhibition lecture, Yale Center for British Art, 2008.
Public interview, Musée des arts et métiers, Paris, 2007.
Colloquium, National Institute of Standards and Technology, 2008.

Dibner Lecture, Smithsonian Institution Libraries, 2006.
Distinguished Lecturer, Houston Museum of Natural Science, 2006.
Wistar Institute Authors Series, 2006.
Zubrow Lecture, Pennsylvania Hospital, 2006.
Crotty Lecture, Huntington Library, 2006.
Hart Institute Lecture, Pomona College, 2005.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Administrative Board, Papers of Benjamin Franklin, Yale University/American Philosophical Society, 2012-
Trustee, Massachusetts Historical Society, 2011-
"World of Possibilities" Educational Panel, Benjamin Franklin House, London, 2011-
Co-editor, "The John Carter Brown Library Series," Oxford University Press, 2010-
Board of editors, *Journal of the History of Ideas*, 2009-
Co-editor, "Early America: History, Context, Culture," monograph series, the Johns Hopkins University Press, 2001-
Director, Charles Warren Center for Studies in American History, Harvard University, 2007-10.
Co-curator, "Benjamin Franklin, a How-to Guide," exhibition at Houghton Library and Collection of Historical Scientific Instruments, Harvard University, 2006.
Joint Committee of the Organization of American Historians and Advanced Placement, "America on the World Stage," series of essays placing U. S. history in global context, 2003-06.
Board of editors, *Environmental History*, 2001-05.
Nominating Committee, American Historical Association, 2001-03 (chair of committee, 2003).
Board of editors, *Journal of Southern History*, 1999-2004.
Co-organizer,"From Bacon to Bartram: Early American Inquiries into the Natural World," conference sponsored by the Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture and the American Museum of Natural History, New York (Mar. 2002).
Founding editor for section on North America, *History Compass* (Blackwell Publishers): www.blackwell-compass.com/subject/history/, 2001-03.
Council, Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture, 1994-96.

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