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Education

B.A., History, 1998, Wichita State University, Wichita, Kansas.

M.A., History, 2001, Wichita State University, Wichita, Kansas.

Ph.D., History [finished ABD], Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Oklahoma. Completed 43 hours.

Honors and Awards

President's Faculty Merit Award, Lamar State College Orange, 2019

Teaching Excellence Award, Lamar State College Orange, 2013

Favorite Faculty Award, Lamar State College Orange, 2011

Teaching Excellence Award, Lamar State College Orange, 2009

Association Memberships

Southwestern Social Science Association

Southwestern Historical Association

Society for History Education

Professional Experience

2006 – present: Lamar State College – Orange, Orange, Texas. Instructor in History (promoted to Assistant Professor in 2012; appointed as Lead Faculty in 2020; appointed as Liberal Arts Program Director in 2021).

2002 – 2006: Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Oklahoma. Graduate Teaching Associate.

2000 – 2002: Cowley County Community College, Arkansas City, Kansas. Adjunct Instructor.

2000 – 2001: Butler County Community College, El Dorado, Kansas. Adjunct Instructor.

2000 – 2001: Wichita State University, Wichita, Kansas. Graduate Research Assistant.

1999 – 2000: Wichita State University, Wichita, Kansas. Graduate Teaching Assistant.

1998 – 1999: Wichita State University, Wichita, Kansas. Graduate Assistant.

Research Interests

My research interests include antebellum political culture and the Thomas Jefferson-Sally Hemings liaison.

Teaching Experience

HIST 1301: US History to 1877

HIST 1302: US History since 1877

HIST 2301: Texas History

HIST 2321: World Civilizations I

HIST 2322: World Civilizations II

Professional Presentations

Southwestern Social Science Association Convention, Houston, TX, 2010; Served as Chair and Discussant of session titled “Perspectives on Cold War Political Culture: Anxiety, Phobia, and Judy Blume.”

Southwestern Social Science Association Convention, Denver, CO, 2009; Served as Chair and Discussant of session titled “Race Relations.”

Southwestern Social Science Association Convention, Las Vegas, NV, 2008; Served as Chair and Discussant of session titled "The Second World War: New Research."

Publications and Papers

Thesis, *Agitators, Travelers, and Scholars: Nineteenth-Century Interpretations of the Jefferson-Hemings Liaison*, Wichita State University (2001).

Article, "Earl Warren's Last Civics Lesson: *Powell v. McCormack*," *Fairmount Folio* 4, published by Gamma Rho Chapter, Phi Alpha Theta, at Wichita State University (2000).

Article, "Jefferson and the Post-War Era: Race, Miscegenation, and History," *Fairmount Folio* 3, published by Gamma Rho Chapter, Phi Alpha Theta, at Wichita State University (1999).

Article, "Quaker Pacifism in Colonial Pennsylvania During King William's War," *E. C. Barksdale Essays in History* 14, published by Phi Alpha Theta chapter at University of Texas-Arlington (1996).

References

References available upon request