**Curriculum Vitae**

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**CURRENTLY**

**Associate Professor and Chair, Department of History,** University of Vermont (First Appointed 2004; Tenured 2008; Appointed Chair 2013) Teaching responsibilities include courses on Britain, Europe, imperialism, sexuality, and gender history

**EDUCATION**

**1996, Ph.D. in History,** University of Toronto

**1992, Visiting Research Student,** Mansfield College, University of Oxford

**1989, M.A. in British History,** University of Toronto

**1987, B.A. in History (with honors and Phi Beta Kappa),** Trinity College, Hartford, CT

**FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS**

**2019, International Conference Travel Grant,** College of Arts and Sciences, University of Vermont ($1000)

**2018, Faculty Research Support Award,** College of Arts and Sciences, University of Vermont ($2900)

**2018, International Conference Travel Grant**, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Vermont ($800)

**2017, Nominee for the Kroepsch-Maurice Excellence in Teaching Award**, University of Vermont (Not Pursued)

**2017, Small Grant Award,** College of Arts and Sciences, University of Vermont ($3,000)

**2016, International Travel Fund Award*,*** College of Arts and Sciences, University of Vermont ($800)

**2014-2015, Finalist for Kroepsch-Maurice Excellence in Teaching Award**, University of Vermont (Not Awarded)

2**013, Lattie Coor Humanities Research Fellowship,** College of Arts and Sciences, University of Vermont ($2,500)

**2010-2011, Nominee for NEH Summer Stipend,** University of Vermont (Not awarded)

**2010,** **Hero Award,** LGBTQA Services, University of Vermont

2**009-2010, Lattie Coor Humanities Research Fellowship,** College of Arts and Sciences, University of Vermont ($2,500)

**2009, Outstanding Ally Award,** Women’s Awards Banquet, University of Vermont

**2008-2009, Faculty Research Support Award**, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Vermont ($14,180)

**2007,** **Instructional Incentive Grant**, Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Vermont ($4,628)

**2007, Faculty Development Award**, Art and Sciences Dean’s Fund, University of Vermont ($2,000)

**2007, Humanities Center Research Assistantship Award**, Humanities Center, University of Vermont ($1,000)

**2007**, **Faculty Leadership Award**, LGBTQA Services, University of Vermont

**2006, Faculty Development Award**, Arts and Sciences Dean’s Fund, University of Vermont ($1,650)

**2005,** **Dean’s Discretionary Fund Award**, Arts and Sciences Dean’s Fund, University of Vermont ($350)

**2002,** **Inductee,** Teaching Academy, Texas Tech University

**2002, Hemphill Wells New Professor Excellence in Teaching Award**, Texas Tech University

**2002, Phi Alpha Theta Outstanding Faculty Award**, Texas Tech University

**2000,** **Research Enhancement Fund Grant,** Arts and Sciences Research Council, Texas Tech University ($5,000)

**1996-97**, **Grant Recipient (for a permanent exhibition on the history of psychiatric treatment),** Connecticut Humanities Council ($125,000)

**1990-95,** **Open Fellowship**, University of Toronto

**1993**, **C.P. Stacey Research Travel Grant**, University of Toronto

**1992**, **School of Graduate Studies Travel Grant**, University of Toronto

**1989-90**, **Special Entrance Fellowship**, University of Toronto

**1987**, **Ferguson Prize in History**, Trinity College

**1987**, **Cooper Prize in Fine Arts—Art History**, Trinity College

**OTHER TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

1999-2004, Assistant Professor of History, Texas Tech University

1998-99, Visiting Assistant Professor of History, Sweet Briar College

1997-98, Visiting Assistant Professor of History, Trinity College

1993-95, Lecturer and Tutor, Department of History, University of Toronto

1989-91, Tutor, Department of History, University of Toronto

**COURSES TAUGHT AT TRINITY COLLEGE, SWEET BRIAR COLLEGE, TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY AND THE UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT (1997-2016)**

College Life: Past and Present (TAP seminar)

Masculinity and Modern Culture (TAP seminar)

Europe, 1815-1945 (first-year survey course)

European Civilization, 1300-1815 (first-year survey course)

Western Civilization II, 1648-Present (first-year survey course)

Introduction to the History of Europe (first-year survey course)

Modern Europe, 1648-Present (first-year survey course)

European Imperialism in the Modern Age (first-year survey course)

Twentieth Century Europe (second/third-year course)

The British Isles, 1350-1688 (second/third-year survey course)

The British Isles to 1688 (second/third-year survey course)

British Society and Culture Since 1688 (second/third-year survey course)

Women in European Civilization: Position, Status and Power, 1500 to the Present (second-year survey course)

Women in European Society, 1750 to the Present (second-year survey course)

History Methods (second-year history methods seminar)

The British Empire Since 1783 (second/third-year survey course)

The British Imperial Experience (third-year thematic course)

London: A Cultural History (third-year thematic course)

Sex in Modern History (third-year thematic course)

The Twentieth Century World (third-year thematic course)

British Culture in the Twentieth Century (joint undergraduate/graduate seminar)

Crime, Scandal, and Popular Culture in Modern Britain (joint undergraduate/graduate seminar)

The Culture of Consumption in Britain, Canada and the United States (joint undergraduate/graduate seminar)

Twentieth Century Britain in Film (fourth year, writing intensive course)

Gender and Sexuality in Britain and America: The 19th and 20th Centuries (graduate seminar)

A Transatlantic History of Masculinity: Great Britain and the United States (joint undergraduate/graduate seminar)

Gender and Sexuality in Modern Europe (joint undergraduate/graduate seminar)

Masculinity in Modern Europe (joint undergraduate/graduate seminar)

Queer Lives: LGBT History (joint undergraduate/graduate seminar)

The Body in History (MA level graduate seminar)

Studies in British History (MA/PhD level graduate seminar)

Historical Methods (MA/PhD level graduate seminar)

The History of Representation and the Methods of the Cultural Historian (MA/PhD level graduate seminar)

Multiple Independent Studies (graduate/undergraduate reading courses on topics including: British Colonialism in India, British Popular Imperialism, European Social and Cultural History, Gender in Early Modern Europe, Modern Anglo-Irish Relations, Sexuality in Modern Europe, Queer History in Britain and the U.S., Early Modern England, Masculinity and Modern Culture, Twentieth Century Sexualities, and Modern British Culture)

**THESIS SUPERVISION**

**Honors Theses**

“`A Schismaticall Party’: New England and the Legacies of the English Civil War” (Main Advisor-University of Vermont)

“All’s Quiet on the Home Front: Rural Dreams and Realities in Britain During the Second World War” (Main Advisor-University of Vermont)

“Americans in London: Travel and Cultural Exchange, 1850-1920” (Main Advisor-University of Vermont)

“A Comparative Study of the Anglo-Scottish Act of Union (1707) and the British-Irish Act of Union (1801)” (Main Advisor—University of Vermont)

“Creating Community: Cultural Experiences of Gay Men in Hartford, Connecticut and Burlington, Vermont, 1969-1981” (Main Advisor—University of Vermont)

“Domestic Servitude in Late-Nineteenth and Early-Twentieth Century Britain” (Main Advisor—University of Vermont)

“Feminized Asians and Masculinized Blacks: The Construction of Gendered Races in the United States” (Main Advisor-University of Vermont)

“Historical, Political, Personal: The Impacts of Sexual Violence and Rape Culture at Prisons and Universities” (Main Advisor-University of Vermont)

“Histories of Consent: Consent Culture and Community in Feminism and BDSM” (Main Advisor—University of Vermont)

“Images of a Sexual Metropolis: Sexuality and Visual Culture in Victorian London” (Main Advisor-University of Vermont)

“`It’s the End of the World and We Know It (And I Feel Fine): MTV, Postmodern Theory, and Generational Shifts in the United States (Main Advisor-University of Vermont)

“`It’s the Principle of the Thing’: Gender, Policy, and Trans Men at Hollins University” (Main Advisor-University of Vermont)

“Mary I: Her Personal Politics and Definitions of Queenship” (Main Advisor-University of Vermont)

“Masculinity and Sexuality in the American College Fraternity” (Main Advisor-University of Vermont)

“Reading Visual Markers: A Glimpse into the Tensions Surrounding Gender in 1920s Britain and France” (Main Advisor-University of Vermont)

“Sex and the Elizabethan: Expressions of Sexuality During the Reign of Elizabeth I (1558-1603)” Main Advisor-University of Vermont)

“Sex Positive Deviance? A Study of the Sexual Attitudes of White, Female-Bodied, College-Educated Individuals Aged 18-26, Living in Burlington, Vermont” (Co-Advisor-University of Vermont)

“The Social Realm of 18th Century British Ambassadors to France” (Advisor-University of Vermont)

“Stories of the Troubles: A Cross Cultural Glimpse” (Main Advisor-University of Vermont)

“Unequal Implementation: The Impact of Government Anti-Plague Policies on the London Poor in 1665” (Main Advisor—University of Vermont)

“Violence in Northern Ireland: Republican and Loyalist Paramilitary Groups” (Main Advisor—University of Vermont)

“William Morris: Political, Social, and Artistic Views of Labor in Victorian England” (Main Advisor—University of Vermont)

“Why Does Modern Science Need a Father? French Cartesianism and the Performance of the Scientific Subject” (Main Advisor—University of Vermont)

**M.A. Theses**

“Aristocratic Aggrandizement: The Role of Etiquette in London Society, 1830-1890 (Main Advisor-University of Vermont)

“The British Occupation of Iraq, 1915-1948” (Main Advisor—University of Vermont)

“Commemoration and Curriculum: The Great War in British Secondary Education” (Main Advisor—University of Vermont)

“London in the 1930s: Changing Notions of Identity” (Main Advisor—Texas Tech University)

“A Matter of Taste: Food and Identity in the Victorian Era” (Main Advisor—Texas Tech University)

“Paying Respects: Death, Commodity Culture, and the Middle Class in Victorian London” (Main Advisor—Texas Tech University)

“The Political Life of Annie Besant” (Main Advisor—Texas Tech University)

**“**Profiling the Pedophile Priest: A Study of Sexological Classification and Declining Catholic Power” (Main Advisor—University of Vermont)

“The Victorian Governess as Spectacle of Pain: A Cultural History of The British Governess as Withered Invalid, Bloody Victim And Sadistic Birching Madam, From 1840 To 1920” (Main Advisor—University of Vermont)

**Ph.D. Dissertations**

“African Americans in World War I: The Struggle for and Emergence of a Black Officer Corps” (Committee Member—Texas Tech University)

“Black College Football in Texas” (Committee Member—Texas Tech University)

‘The Fourth Party and Conservative Evolution, 1880-1885” (Committee Member—Texas Tech University)

“Henry ‘Hank’ Smith: A West Texas Life” (Committee Member—Texas Tech University)

“Jonathan Letterman and the Development of a Battlefield Medical System during the Civil War” (Committee Member—Texas Tech University)

“The Use of Aircraft as a Tool in the Maintenance of the British Empire, 1919-1942” (Main Advisor—Texas Tech University)

**PUBLICATIONS**

**Current Research/Writing in Progress**

General editor for a new 6-volume collection titled *A Cultural History of Beauty* (under contract with Bloomsbury Press and in the writing stage)

Volume editor for *A Cultural History of Beauty in the Modern Age* (under contract with Bloomsbury Press and in the writing stage)

A four-volume edited collection of sources (with interpretive essays) with the working title *Empire, Gender, and Sexuality* (under contract with Routledge and in research stage)

“The Athletic Male Body, Masculinity, and Desire in Twentieth-Century Britain: Some Historical and Methodological Reflections” (book chapter to be included in Matt Houlbrook, Katie Jones, and Ben Mechen, eds., *Masculinities in Modern Britain: Power, Practice, and the Everyday* (to be completed late summer 2019)

Books

*The Culture of Male Beauty in Britain: From the First Photographs to David Beckham* (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, forthcoming 2020)

*Oxbridge Men: British Masculinity and the Undergraduate Experience, 1850-1920* (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2005/Paperback Edition 2015)

Pedagogical Guides

Contributing Author, *AP European History: Course and Exam Description* (New York: The College Board, 2017)

# Articles, Book Chapters, and On-Line Publications

“One British Thing: The Safety Razor,” *Journal of British Studies* (Forthcoming 2020)

“Using Anonymous Sources in Writing About the History and Experience of Sexuality in the Twentieth Century,” in *Sex and Sexuality: A Major Digital Resource* (London: Adam Matthew, Forthcoming Fall 2019)

“Pornography,” in *Global Encyclopedia of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer (LGBTQ) History.* Edited by Howard Chiang. (Farmington Hills, MI: Charles Scribner’s Sons, 2019), pp. 1260-1268

“Situational Homosexuality,” in *Global Encyclopedia of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer (LGBTQ) History.* Edited by Howard Chiang. (Farmington Hills, MI: Charles Scribner’s Sons, 2019), pp. 1501-1508

“Health and Hygiene: Meanings, Images, and Politics,” Chapter 5 in *The Cultural History of Hair in the Modern Age* (Volume 6, 1920-2000) (London: Bloomsbury, 2019), pp. 93-109

“Gender and Education,” in *Gender: Identity and Social Change* (London: Adam Matthew Digital, 2018) <http://www.genderidentityandsocialchange.amdigital.co.uk/Explore/Essays/Deslandes>

“Selling, Consuming, and Becoming the Beautiful Man in Britain: The 1930s and 1940s,” in Erika D. Rappaport, Sandra Trudgeon Dawson, and Mark J. Crowley, eds., *Consuming Behaviours: Identity, Politics, and Pleasure in Twentieth-Century Britain* (London: Bloomsbury, 2015), pp. 53-70

“Visual Victorians: A Response,” *Victorian Studies* 56, 3 (Spring 2014): 470-478

“The Cultural Politics of Gay Pornography in 1970s Britain,” in Brian Lewis, ed., *British Queer History: New Approaches and Perspectives* (Manchester: Manchester University Press, 2013), pp. 267-296

“Exposing, Adorning, and Dressing the Body in the Modern Era,” in Kate Fisher and Sarah Toulalan, eds., *The Routledge History of Sex and the Body in the West, 1500 to the Present* (London: Routledge, 2013), pp. 179-203

“Manly Poses: Identities, Politics, and Lived Experience in the History of Masculinity,” *Journal of*

*Women’s History* 23, 2 (Summer 2011): 187-199

“The Male Body, Beauty, and Aesthetics in Modern Britain,” *History Compass* 8, 10 (October 2010): 1191-1208

“Curing Mind and Body in the Heart of the Canadian Rockies: Empire, Sexual Scandal, and the Reclamation of Masculinity, 1897-1920s,” *Gender and History* 21, 2 (August 2009): 358-379

“Competitive Examinations and the Culture of Masculinity in Oxbridge Undergraduate Life, 1850-1920,” *History of Education Quarterly* 42, 4 (Winter 2002): 546-581

“Visual Literacy: The Image in the Western Civilization Classroom,” in Michael Richards, ed., *An Instructor’s Resource Manual to Accompany The Making of the West: Peoples and Cultures* (New York: Bedford/St. Martin’s Press, 2001), pp. 171-177

“Holding Patterns: Postdoctoral Survival Strategies for British Historians,” published on-line as part of a North American Conference on British Studies Forum on *The Making of the Working British Historian* (<http://www.nacbs.org/forum/work.html>) (January 2000)

“`The Foreign Element:’ Newcomers and the Rhetoric of Race, Nation, and Empire in `Oxbridge’ Undergraduate Culture, 1850-1920,” *Journal of British Studies* 37, 1 (January 1998): 54-90

with Bruce Clouette, “The Hartford Retreat for the Insane: An Early Example of the Use of `Moral Treatment’ in America,” *Connecticut Medicine* 61,9 (September 1997): 521-528

with John McLeod, “Perspectives on Indian Undergraduate Life at `Oxbridge’, 1871-1921,” in Michilynn Dubeau and Louis E. Fenech, eds., *South Asian Symposium: A Reader in South Asian Studies* (Toronto: Centre for South Asian Studies, 1995), pp. 11-13

**Encyclopedia Entries**

“*Gentleman’s Quarterly,*” in Julie Willett, ed., *The American Beauty Industry Encyclopedia* (Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood, 2010), pp. 121-122

“Grooming, Male,” in Julie Willett, ed., *The American Beauty Industry Encyclopedia* (Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood, 2010), pp. 127-132

“Men’s Magazines,” in Julie Willett, ed., *The American Beauty Industry Encyclopedia* (Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood, 2010), pp. 181-185

“*Men’s Health*,” in Julie Willett, ed., *The American Beauty Industry Encyclopedia* (Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood, 2010), pp. 205-206

“Metrosexuals” in Julie Willett, ed., *The American Beauty Industry Encyclopedia* (Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood, 2010), pp. 206-209

“Models, Male,” in Julie Willett, ed., *The American Beauty Industry Encyclopedia* (Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood, 2010), 209-211

“Skin Care Lines, Men’s” in Julie Willett, ed., *The American Beauty Industry Encyclopedia* (Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood, 2010), pp. 258-261

**Published Professional Reports**

“Chief Reader Report on Student Responses: 2018 AP European History Free-Response Questions,” *AP Central Website, College Board* (New York, N.Y.) <https://apcentral.collegeboard.org>. Report address: <https://apcentral.collegeboard.org/pdf/ap18-european-history-chief-reader-report.pdf?course=ap-european-history>

“2017 Document-Based Question: European History,” *AP Central Website, College Board* (New York, N.Y.) <https://apcentral.collegeboard.org>. Report address: <https://secure-media.collegeboard.org/ap/modules/european-history-report-chief-reader-2017/>

“Chief Reader Report on Student Responses: 2017 AP European History Free-Response Questions,” *AP Central Website, College Board* (New York, N.Y.) <https://apcentral.collegeboard.org>. Report address: <https://secure-media.collegeboard.org/ap/pdf/ap17-chief-reader-report-european-history.pdf>

“Student Performance Q & A: 2016 AP European History Free-Response Questions,” *AP Central Website, College Board* (New York, N.Y.) <https://apcentral.collegeboard.org>. Report address: <https://secure-media.collegeboard.org/digitalServices/pdf/ap/ap16_european_hist_student_performance_qa.pdf>

“Student Performance Q & A: 2015 AP European History Free-Response Questions,” *AP Central Website, College Board* (New York, N.Y.) <https://apcentral.collegeboard.org>

“Student Performance Q & A: 2014 AP European History Free-Response Questions,” *AP Central Website, College Board* (New York, N.Y.) <https://apcentral.collegeboard.org>

**Bibliographies**

with Dan Healey, *Queer Cultures, Queer Lives: A Selected Bibliography of Lesbian and Gay History* (Toronto: Toronto Centre for Lesbian and Gay Studies, 1995)

**Exhibitions**

Project Historian and Co-Curator (with Bruce Clouette) for “Myths, Minds and Medicine: Two Centuries of Mental Health Care (A permanent exhibition at the Institute of Living, Hartford, CT, opened on October 4, 1997)

**Review Essays**

“Gay and Lesbian Histories in Modern Britain,” (Review essay on Matt Cook et al. *A Gay History of Britain* and Rebecca Jennings, *A Lesbian History of Britain*), *Journal of British Studies*, 48, 4 (October 2009): 1048-1051

“The Boundaries of Manhood in Eighteenth- and Nineteenth-Century England,” (Review essay on Anna Clark, *Scandal: The Sexual Politics of the British Constitution*, John Tosh, *Manliness and Masculinities in Nineteenth-Century Britain*, and Martin Wiener, *Men of Blood: Violence, Manliness, and Criminal Justice in Victorian England*), *Gender and History*, 19, 2 (April 2007): 376-379

“Making Sense of Oxford and Cambridge: Some New Historical Approaches,” (Review essay on Clare Hopkins, *Trinity: 450 Years of an Oxford College Community* and Stephanie Boyd, *The Story of Cambridge*), *H-Albion/H-Net Reviews*, November, 2006, URL:http://www.hnet.org/reviews/showrev.cgi?path=149971169668683

**Reviews**

“Review of Simon Goldhill, *A Very Queer Family Indeed: Sex, Religion, and the Bensons in Victorian Britain* (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2016),” *Victorian Studies* 60, 3 (Spring 2018), pp. 477-479

“Review of Brian Lewis, ed., *Wolfenden’s Witnesses: Homosexuality in Postwar Britain* (Basingtoke, UK: Palgrave Macmillan, 2016),” *Social History* 43, 2 (May 2018), pp. 291-292

“Review of Laura King, *Family Men: Fatherhood and Masculinity in Britain, c. 1914-1960* (New York: Oxford University Press, 2015),” *American Historical Review* 121, 3 (June 2016), pp. 1025-26

“Review of Matt Cook, *Queer Domesticities: Homosexuality and Home Life in Twentieth-Century Britain* (Basingstoke, UK: Palgrave Macmillan, 2014),” *Journal of British Studies* 54, 3 (July 2015), pp. 766-768

“Review of Judith Walkowitz, *Nights Out: Life in Cosmopolitan London* (New Haven: Yale University Press, 2012),” *Journal of British Studies* 52, 2 (April 2013), pp. 565-567

“Review of Charles Upchurch, *Before Wilde: Sex Between Men in Britain’s Age of Reform* (Berkeley: University of California Press, 2009),” *Journal of the History of Sexuality* 21, 3 (September 2012), pp. 576-78

“Review of Yvonne Ivory, *The Homosexual Revival of Renaissance Style, 1850-1930* (Basingstoke, UK: Palgrave Macmillan, 2009),” *Victorian Studies* 53, 3 (Spring 2011), 593-595

“Review of Clive Emsley, *Hard Men: Violence in England Since 1750* (London: Hambledon and London, 2005),” *Victorian Studies* 49, 2 (Winter, 2007), 333-335

“Review of Morris B. Kaplan, *Sodom on the Thames: Sex, Love, and Scandal in Wilde Times* (Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press, 2005),” *American Historical Review* 111, 5 (December 2006), 1599-1600

“Review of Keith Vernon, *Universities and the State in England, 1850-1939* (London: Routledge Falmer, 2004),” *Journal of British Studies* 45, 1 (January 2006), 196-198

“Review of Peter Cunningham and Philip Gardner, *Becoming Teachers: Texts and Testimonies, 1907-1950* (London: Woburn Press, 2004),” *History of Education Quarterly* 45, 2 (Summer 2005), 301-303

“Review of Andrew Warwick, *Masters of Theory: Cambridge and the Rise of Mathematical Physics* (Chicago, IL: University of Chicago Press, 2003),” *Victorians Institute Journal* 32 (2004), 222-226

**“**Review of Sarah Cole, *Modernism, Male Friendship, and the First World War* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2003),” *Albion* 36, 4 (Winter 2004), 745-746

“Review of Alan Kidd and David Nicholls, eds. *Gender, Civic Culture and Consumerism: Middle-Class Identity in Britain, 1800-1940* (London: Routledge, 1999),” *Victorian Studies* 44, 2 (Winter 2002), 341-343.

“Review of Linda Dowling, *Hellenism and Homosexuality in Victorian Oxford* (Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press, 1994),” *Victorian Studies Newsletter* 55 (Spring 1995), 20-23

**Published Interviews**

“History Compass Interview: Paul Deslandes on the History of Male Beauty,” (Questions by Justin Bengry; Responses by Paul R. Deslandes), *History Compass Exchanges* (2010).

**INVITED PUBLIC LECTURES**

“Personal Reflections on the AP Program: A Former Chief Reader’s Perspective,” AP Reading, Salt Lake City, Utah, 6 June 2019

“Results of the 2018 AP European History Exam,” *Invited Talk* AP Annual Conference, Houston, TX, 20-21 July 2018

“Results of the 2017 AP European History Exam,” *Invited Talk* AP Annual Conference, Washington, D.C., 27-28 July 2017

“The Pleasures and Perils of the Male Body in Late Victorian and Edwardian Britain,” *Invited Lecture* sponsored by the Long Nineteenth Century Colloquium, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL 25 April 2017

“Male Body Aesthetics in 1950s and 1960s Britain,” *Invited Lecture* Yale University, New Haven, CT 17 November 2016

“Overview of Scoring and AP Student Results” and “Workshop and Exploration on the AP European History Exam,” *Featured Speaker,* College Board AP Symposium on History, 21-23 October 2016

“Results of the 2016 AP European History Exam,” *Invited Talk* AP Annual Conference, Anaheim, CA 15-16 July 2016

“Navigating Queer Masculinities,” *Invited Talk*, University at Buffalo, SUNY, Buffalo, NY 6 April 2016

“Visual Culture and Gay Identities in the Twentieth and Twenty-First Centuries,” *Public Lecture*, Fleming Museum, University of Vermont, Burlington, VT 10 February 2016

“Results of the 2015 AP European History Exam,” *Invited Talk*, AP Annual Conference, Austin, TX 24-25 July 2015

“Photographing Men: The Culture of Bodily Display in 1950s and 1960s Britain,” *Invited Paper Presentation*, The Montreal British History Seminar, McGill University, Montréal, Québec, Canada, 25 September 2014

“Results of the 2014 AP European History Exam,” *Invited Talk*, AP Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA 11-12 July 2014

“Models, Idols, and Porn Stars: Selling and Consuming the Beautiful Man in Britain, 1950s-1970s,” *Invited Lecture*, University of California at Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA, 28 October 2013

“Results of the 2013 AP European History Exam,” *Invited Talk*, AP Annual Conference, Las Vegas, NV 18-20 July 2013

“Results of the 2012 AP European History Exam,” *Invited Talk*, AP Annual Conference, Orlando, FL, 20-21 July 2012

“Physique Models, Cinema Idols, and Porn Stars: Selling the Beautiful Man in Britain, 1954-1980,” *Keynote Address*, Milton Plesur Graduate History Conference, University at Buffalo, SUNY, Buffalo, NY, 31 March 2012

“‘One of the Handsomest Englishmen of His Time’: Rupert Brooke, Masculine Attractiveness, and the First World War in British Culture,” *Invited Lecture*, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX, 28 January 2011

“‘That Smile is His Physiognomy’: Masculine Facial Attractiveness and British Culture, 1860-1920,”*Invited Lecture,* Home, Nation, and Empire: Rereading Gender from the Eighteenth Century to the Present, University of Manchester, Manchester, U.K., 16-17 July 2007

“The Beautiful Man in Victorian Culture,” *Keynote Address*, Victorian Studies Association of Ontario Annual Meeting, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, 28 April 2007

“The Culture of Male Beauty in Britain: Some Historical Reflections,” *Invited Lecture*, European History Seminar, College Board AP European History Reading, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, 5 June 2006

“British Masculinity and the Undergraduate Experience at Oxford and Cambridge, 1850-1920,” *Invited Lecture,* The Maynard Redfield Lecture, SUNY Oneonta, Oneonta, NY, 30 March 2006

“The Spectacle of the Face: Masculine Attractiveness and British Culture, 1860-1920,” *Invited Paper Presentation*, The Montreal British History Seminar, McGill University, Montréal, Québec, Canada, 16 February 2006

“Before *The Full Monty*: The Male Body in British Film”, *Invited Lecture*, The Howard Welborn Memorial Lecture, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX, 5 March 2002

## CONFERENCES

“Closing Comments and Reflections,” Pretty Ugly: Early Modern Beauty Conference, Wellcome Collection, London, UK, 10-11 January 2019

Commentator for a session title “Transformations of Masculinity in Late Twentieth-Century Britain,” North American Conference on British Studies, Providence, R.I., 25-28 October 2018

Presenter on a session titled “College Board Symposium on Advanced Placement History,” American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., 4-7 January 2018

Presenter on a session titled “A Roundtable on Erika Rappaport’s *Thirst for Empire: How Tea Shaped the Modern World*,” North American Conference on British Studies, Denver, CO, 2-5 November 2017

Chair and Commentator for a session on “Brave New Worlds? Class and Gender After World War II,” Northeast Conference on British Studies, Endicott College, Beverly, MA, 13-14 October 2017

“`There for the Grace of God Go I!’ Male Body Image and British Masculinities in the 1990s and early 2000s,” Modern British Studies Conference, University of Birmingham, Birmingham, U.K. 5-7 July 2017

Presenter for a session on “Deciphering the Academic Job Search,” American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, 5-8 January 2017

“Gay Men, Body Aesthetics, and the AIDS Crisis in 1980s and 1990s Britain,” North American Conference on British Studies, Washington, DC, 11-13 November 2016

Chair for a session on “`Was it a Dream or was It True?’ Women in the Arts through Wartime and Recovery,” North American Conference on British Studies, Washington, DC, 11-13 November 2016

Commentator for a session on “Welcome to ‘Weirdshire’: Examining Alternative British Modernisms,” Northeast Conference on British Studies, St. Michael’s College, Colchester, VT, 14-15 October 2016

“Queer Aesthetics and the Culture of Bodily Display in 1950s Britain,” LGBT/Queer Visibility Matters, London, U.K. 20-21 June 2016

Presenter on a session titled “Redefining History: Paradigm Shift in the Historical Profession,” American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, 7-10 January 2016

Chair for a session on “Sustenance and Starvation: Food and the Cultural Politics of Welfare in Twentieth-Century Britain,” North American Conference on British Studies, Little Rock, AK, 13-15 November 2015

“The Male Body and Queer Aesthetics in 1950s Britain,” Northeast Conference on British Studies, University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada, 16-17 October 2015

“Reading Visual Primary Sources in AP European History,”AP Annual Conference, Austin, TX 24-25 July 2015

Presenter on a session titled “Measuring Faculty Productivity for Department Chairs,” American Historical Association Annual Meeting, New York, New York, 2-5 January 2015

Chair for a session on “Negotiating the Sacred and the Profane: Catholicism and Anglo-Catholicism and the Secular World, 1850-1995,” North American Conference on British Studies, Minneapolis, Minnesota, 7-9 November 2014

Commentator for a session on “Boys to Men? Home, Community, and Nation in the Lives of Single Men,” North American Conference on British Studies, Portland, Oregon, 8-10 November 2013

Leader and Key Presenter for a Special Seminar titled “Uncovering Victorian Bodies,” North American Victorian Studies Association Annual Conference, Pasadena, CA, 23-26 October 2013

“Physique Models and Cinema Idols: Beautiful Men and the Fashioning of Sexual Identities in 1950s and 1960s Britain,” Northeast Conference on British Studies, University of Connecticut, Storrs, Connecticut, 4-5 October 2013

Commentator for a session on “Deviance and the British Armed Forces in the Late-Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries,” Northeast Conference on British Studies, University of Connecticut, Storrs, Connecticut, 4-5 October 2013

Commentator for a session on “Picturing Women: Images of Femininity, 1945-75,” North American Conference on British Studies, Montréal, Québec, Canada, 9-11 November 2012

“`Personal Appearance Does Count with Other People’: Mass Observation and the Culture of Male Beauty in the 1930s and 1940s,” North American Conference on British Studies, Denver, Colorado, 18-20 November 2011

Commentator for a session on “Trading Companies and Empire, 1670-1930,” Northeast Conference on British Studies, Worcester, Massachusetts, 28-29 October 2011

Commentator for a session on “Searching for Culture (and Sex): Electronic Resources, Users, and Research Methodologies,” North American Conference on British Studies, Baltimore, MD, 12-14 November 2010

“The Cultural Politics of Gay Pornography in 1970s Britain,” British Queer History, McGill University, Montréal, Québec, Canada, 14-16 October 2010

Commentator for a session on “Negotiating Modernity: Cultural Politics of Time and Renewal, c. 1880s-1970s,” Northeast Conference on British Studies, University of Vermont, Burlington, VT, 24-25 September 2010

Chair for a session on “International Comparisons on Same-Sex Marriage,” The Law and Politics of Marriage Equality: Vermont, the Nation, and the World, University of Vermont, Burlington, VT, 15-16 April 2010

Chair for a session on “People, Politics, and Parties in Twentieth-Century Britain,” North American Conference on British Studies, Louisville, KY, 5-8 November 2009

“Masculine Beauty, Physical Attraction, and Desire in the Letters of Phyllis Gardner and Rupert Brooke, 1911-1915,” Midwest Conference on British Studies, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, 9-11 October 2009

Commentator for a session on “The Nineteenth-Century Dilettante and Wildean Identities,” Midwest Conference on British Studies, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, 9-11 October 2009

Commentator for a session on “Three Homoerotic Moments—From the 1880s to the 1990s,” Northeast Conference on British Studies, Brown University, Providence, RI, 2-3 October 2009

Commentator for a session on “People, Politics, and Parties in Twentieth-Century Britain,” Northeast Conference on British Studies, Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA, 14-15 November 2008

“One of the Handsomest Englishmen of His Time”: Rupert Brooke, Masculine Attractiveness, and British Culture in the Early Twentieth Century,” North American Conference on British Studies, Cincinnati, OH, 3-5 October 2008

Chair for a session on “Modernity and Self-Fashioning in Post-World War One Britain,” North American Conference on British Studies, Boston, MA, 17-19 November 2006

Commentator for a session on “Doctoring the Novel, Sanitizing Biography, and Taking Measures: Intertextuality in Victorian Literature and Science,” Northeast Conference on British Studies, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA, 21-22 October 2005

“The Spectacle of the Face: Masculine Attractiveness and British Culture, 1880-1930,” North American Conference on British Studies, Denver, CO, 7-9 October 2005

Commentator for a session on “Cultivating the Spirit of Community: Education, Religion, and Identity in Modern England, 1870-1951,” North American Conference on British Studies, Philadelphia, PA, 29-31 October 2004

Chair for a session on “Monarchy and Power in Medieval and Early Modern England,” Western Conference on British Studies, San Antonio, TX, 8-9 October 2004

Chair for a session on “Political Masculinities in the Long Nineteenth Century,” Northeast Conference on British Studies, Montréal, Québec, Canada, 1-2 October 2004

Commentator for a session on “Edwardian Society and Culture,” Western Conference on British Studies, Tucson, AZ, 31 October-1 November 2003

“Handsomest Men and Music Hall Idols: The Culture of Male Beauty in Britain, 1880-1910, North American Conference on British Studies, Portland, OR, 24-26 October 2003

“Desirable and Undesirable Flirtations: Sexuality and the Oxbridge Undergraduate, 1850-1920,” American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, 2-5 January 2003

Chair for a session on “Crises of Masculinity in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Century Empire,” North American Conference on British Studies, Baltimore, MD, 8-10 November 2002

Commentator for a session on “Looking at Empire,” Western Conference on British Studies, Little Rock, AR, 4-5 October 2002

“Desirable and Undesirable Flirtations: Sexuality and the Oxbridge Undergraduate, 1850-1920,” Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT, 6-9 June 2002

Chair for a session on “Transnational Literatures and Identities,” 35th Annual Texas Tech University Comparative Literature Symposium *(Theme: Transnational Cultures, Diasporas, and Immigrant Identities in France and the Francophone World)*, Lubbock, TX, 21-23 March 2003

Chair for a session on “Circulating Anxieties: Gender, Class, and Imperial Identities, 1850-1950,” North American Conference on British Studies, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, 2-4 November 2001

Commentator for a session on “Race, Power and Identity in the British Empire, 1850-1950,” Western Conference on British Studies, Houston, TX, 12-13 October 2001

Chair for a session on “Linking the British Empire,” American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, 4-7 January 2001

Commentator for a session on “Male and Female Heroism in Twentieth Century Britain,” North American Conference on British Studies, Pasadena, CA, 12-15 October 2000

Chair for a session on “Women’s Stories/Recovering Texas Activism,” All-University Conference on the Advancement of Women in Higher Education, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX, 7 April 2000

“Holding Patterns: Postdoctoral Survival Strategies for British Historians,” North American Conference on British Studies, Boston, MA, November 1999

Chair for a session on “The Culture of Violence and British Masculinities in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries,” North American Conference on British Studies, Boston, MA, November 1999

“Curing Mind and Body in the Heart of the Canadian Rockies: James Outram, Sexual Scandal and the Reclamation of Masculinity, 1897-1925,” Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY, 4-6 June, 1999 and Canadian Historical Association, Université de Sherbrooke, Sherbrooke, Québec 6-8 June 1999

“Competitive Examinations and the Culture of Masculinity in `Oxbridge’ Undergraduate Life, 1850-1920,” Teaching and Learning in Nineteenth Century Cambridge, Trinity College, Cambridge, U.K. 7-8 April 1999

“Impelled to Mountain Heights: The Sexual `Invert’ and the Reclamation of Masculinity, 1897-1925,” North American Conference on British Studies, Colorado Springs, Colorado, 16-18 October 1998

Commentator for a session on “Creating Social Order in Victorian and Edwardian Britain,” Northeast Conference on British Studies, Trinity College, Hartford, CT, 2-3 October 1998

Commentator for a session on “Rethinking Identity: Regional, National, and Gender Perspectives,” New England Historical Association, University of Vermont, Burlington, VT, 17-18 April 1998

“Imperial Leadership and the `Crisis of Masculinity’ in Britain, 1870-1914,” North American Conference on British Studies, Pacific Grove, California, 31 October-2 November 1997

“Those `horrid,’ `holy’ Schools: Examinations, Competition, and Masculinity in `Oxbridge’ Undergraduate Culture, 1850-1920,” Northeast Conference on British Studies, Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT, 11-12 October, 1996 and Canadian History of Education Association/History of Education Society Joint Meeting, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, 17-20 October 1996

“National Identities and the `Oxbridge’ Undergraduate, 1850-1920,” New York State Association of European Historians, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, 30 September-1 October 1994

“Writing on the History of Undergraduate Life and Culture at Oxford and Cambridge: Some Methodological and Theoretical Observations,” Victorian Studies Association of Ontario, Toronto Meeting, 27 January 1994

“Race, Empire and British Nationalism in `Oxbridge’ Undergraduate Culture, 1850-1920,” North American Conference on British Studies, Montréal, Québec, Canada, 1-3 October 1993

“University History as Cultural History,” Milton Plesur Graduate History Conference, SUNY/Buffalo, Buffalo, NY, 1 May 1993

“`A Curious Specimen of the kinds of thoughts and language current among students’: The Student Press in Undergraduate Culture at Oxford and Cambridge,” Canadian History of Education Association, Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada, 23-25 October 1992

**PUBLIC SERVICE PRESENTATIONS**

“Historical Reflections on Downton Abbey: The Movie,” Premier Event Sponsored by Vermont PBS, Williston, Vermont, 18 September 2020

“Exploring London’s History Through Architecture,” *Invited Talk* Education and Enrichment for Everyone Series, South Burlington, VT, 30 November 2018

Panel Presentation on “Scared ‘Straight’ in the Classroom: LGBT Issues in University Teaching,” Blackboard Jungle Symposium, University of Vermont, 26-27 March 2010

“Combat Experiences During the First World War,” Presentation to High School Sophomores at the UVM Sophomore Summit, University of Vermont, 28 October 2009

Panel Presentation on “Coming Out as a Scholar,” Women’s and Gender Studies, Brown Bag Lecture, University of Vermont, April 2008 and 2009

Presentation on “Teaching Effectiveness/Teaching Diversity: LGBT Issues in the UVM Classroom,” for the Faculty Mentoring Program, University of Vermont, 22 February 2007

Lecture on “The Culture of Male Beauty in Britain: Some Historical Reflections,” Women’s and Gender Studies, Brown Bag Lecture, University of Vermont, 4 April 2006

Public talk on “Coming Out as a Scholar” for National Coming Out Week, University of Vermont, October 2005

Public talk on “Interrogating Modern Masculinities” for Men Advocating Change (Student Group), University of Vermont, March 2005

Panel discussion on “What Makes a Man: Masculinities across Cultures,” presented at the University of Vermont, November 2004

Panel discussion on “Continental Drift: Are Europeans and Americans Growing Apart?” presented at Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX, 26 February 2003

Lecture on “British Culture in the 1920s,” delivered at Lubbock High School, Lubbock, TX, 15 October 2001

Lecture on “Contemporary Views of Masculinity,” delivered at Lubbock High School, Lubbock, TX, 4 April 2001

Introduction to the Film `Bent’ (on the Nazi persecution of homosexuals), screening sponsored by the Connecticut Lesbian and Gay Film Festival, Hartford, CT, March, 1998

“Decolonization and the Immigrant Experience in Canada and Great Britain,” paper presented as part of the lecture series “Decolonization: Painful Transitions in the Cold War Period,” Trinity College, Hartford, CT, 5 March, 1998

**MEDIA APPEARANCES**

Source for Radio France story on the release of the Downton Abbey film (24 September 2019): “Downton Abbey: Comment la Série a Montré une Certaine Vision de l’Aristocracie et la Domesticité.” Story by Xavier Demagny

Guest on BBC Radio 5live’s “Men’s Hour” (5 June 2011) for a segment on male beauty and the Sexy MP website

**OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**2013-2018, Chief Reader for Advanced Placement European History Examination**, The College Board and Educational Testing Services (Reading Site: Kansas City, MO)

**2012-2013, Chief Reader Designate for Advanced Placement European History Examination**, The College Board and Educational Testing Services (Reading Site: Kansas City, MO)

**2011-12, Assistant Chief Reader for Advanced Placement European History Examination**, The College Board and Educational Testing Services (Reading Site: Kansas City, MO)

**2007-2010, Question Leader for Advanced Placement European History Examination,** The College Board and Educational Testing Services (Reading Site: Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO)

**2007-2008, Certified Reviewer for Advanced Placement European History Course Audit,** The College Board and Educational Test Services

**2006-2007, Table Leader for Advanced Placement European History Examination,** The College Board and Educational Testing Services (Reading Site: Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO)

**2005-2011, Chair, CLEP Western Civilization I and Western Civilization II Exam Committee,** The College Board and Educational Testing Services

**2002-2005, Member, CLEP Western Civilization I and Western Civilization II Exam Committee,** The College Board and Educational Testing Services

**2000-2006, Reader for the Advanced Placement European History Examination,** The College Board and Educational Testing Services (Reading Site: University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE)

**1996-98, Historian and Exhibit Curator,** Institute of Living, Hartford, CT

**ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIVITIES, COMMITTEE WORK, AND SERVICE**

**2018, Editorial Reviewer,** Co-sponsored (LGBTQA Center and Hillel) Project on “The Pink Triangle: LGBTQ People and the Holocaust,” University of Vermont

**2017-2018, Member,** Reaccreditation Committee for the New England Association of Schools and Colleges 2019 Review, University of Vermont

**2017, Co-Convener,** New Chairs’ Workshop, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Vermont

**2017, Organizer** for a screening and panel discussion of the film *The State of Marriage*, University of Vermont

**2016-Present, Member**, Gender, Sexuality, and Women’s Studies Steering Committee, University of Vermont

**2016-Present, Member**, University of Vermont/Vermont Law School 3+2 Program Admissions Committee, University of Vermont

**2016-Present, Member,** Ad-Hoc Committee on the Daniel-McCarter Award (for student scholarship on LGBT issues), Gender, Sexuality and Women’s Studies, University of Vermont

**2016-17, Panel Chair**, Annual Race, Gender, and Sexuality Conference, Critical Race and Ethnic Studies and Gender, Sexuality, and Women’s Studies, University of Vermont

**2016, Panelist,** Vermont Admitted Student Reception, University of Vermont
**2015-2016, Member,** College of Arts and Sciences Dean Search Committee, University of Vermont

**2015, Member,** College of Arts and Sciences Associate Dean Search Committee, University of Vermont

**2014-Present, Member,** LGBTQA Center Advisory Board, University of Vermont

**2014, Organizer,** On-campus Lecture Delivered by Dr. Erika D. Rappaport (University of California-Santa Barbara), University of Vermont

**2013-Present, Chair**, Department of History, University of Vermont

**2013-2014, Member**, Incentive’ Based Budgeting Subcommittee on Graduate Tuition Revenue and Aid, University of Vermont

**2012-2013, Elected Member**, Faculty Standards Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Vermont

**2012-2013, Chair,** Latin American History Search Committee, Department of History, University of Vermont

**2012, Faculty Marshal**, December Commencement Ceremony, University of Vermont

**2012-2013, Faculty Marshal**, College of Arts and Sciences Commencement Ceremony, University of Vermont

**Fall 2012**, **Appointed Member**, Ad-Hoc Committee on Institutional Grants, University of Vermont

**2011-2014, Elected Member**, Faculty Senate Research, Scholarship, and Creative Arts Committee, University of Vermont

**Fall 2011, Acting Chair,** Department of History, University of Vermont

**2011-2012, Chair,** Ad-Hoc Committee on the Daniel-McCarter Award (for student scholarship on LGBT issues), Women’s and Gender Studies, University of Vermont

**2010-2013, History Department Representative**, Admitted Student Days, University of Vermont

**2010-2012, Faculty Participant,** Office of Admissions ALANA Recruitment Campaign, University of Vermont

**2010, Member,** Faculty Consultation Group (Humanities and Fine Arts) for General Education Planning, University of Vermont

**2009-2010, Member,** Organizing Committee for a Conference (April 2010) on “The Law and Politics of Marriage Equality: Vermont, the Nation, and the World,” Women’s and Gender Studies Program, University of Vermont

**2009-2010, Member,** Women’s and Gender Studies Lecturer Search Committee, University of Vermont

**2008-2010, Chair**, President’s Commission on LGBT Equity, University of Vermont

**2008, Member**, College of Arts and Sciences Faculty Research Support Awards Selection Committee, University of Vermont

**2007-2011, Director,** Graduate Studies, Department of History, University of Vermont

**2007-2010**, **Member**, Executive Committee, Department of History, University of Vermont

**2007-2008, Chair-Elect**, President’s Commission on LGBT Equity, University of Vermont

**2007-2008, Member,** Department of History Chair Search Committee, University of Vermont

**2007-2008, Member,** Director of Women’s and Gender Studies Search Committee, University of Vermont

**2006-2007, Member,** President’s Commission on the Status of Women, University of Vermont

**2006-2007, Member,** Ad-Hoc Committee on Reappointment, Promotion, and Tenure Standards and Guidelines, Department of History, University of Vermont

**2006-2007, Member,** Graduate Studies Committee, Department of History, University of Vermont

**2006-2010, Member,** LGBTQA Services Rainbow Graduation Ceremony Awards Committee, University of Vermont

**2006-2010, Member,** Daniel-McCarter Award Committee, Women’s and Gender Studies, University of Vermont

**2006**, **Coordinator (with Abigail McGowan)**, Teaching Assistant Training Workshop, Department of History, University of Vermont

**2006,** **Co-Host (with Sarah Betzer, Art History)**, Professor Hollis Clayson, Northwestern University (Dan and Carole Burack President’s Distinguished Lecturer), University of Vermont

**2005-2008, Member,** College of Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee, University of Vermont

**2005-2008, Member,** Ad Hoc Committee on Sexuality and Gender Identity Studies Minor, University of Vermont

**2005-2006, Advisor,** History Forum, Department of History, University of Vermont

**2004-2006, Advisor**, Men Advocating Change, University of Vermont

**2003-2004, Member, Women’s Studies Curriculum Committee,** Texas Tech University

**2001-2004, International Education Fee Scholarship Committee,** International Cultural Center, Texas Tech University

**2001-2003, Executive Committee,** Department of History, Texas Tech University

**2002-2003, Advisor,** Queers and Allies (Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender Student Group), Texas Tech University

**2002-2003, Undergraduate Studies Committee,** Department of History, Texas Tech University

**2001-2002, Eastern European Search Committee,** Department of History, Texas Tech University

**2000-2001, Graduate Committee,** Department of History, Texas Tech University

**2000-2001, Advisor,** Western European History Society, Texas Tech University

**1999-2001, Member,** Women’s Studies Council, Texas Tech University

**1999-2000, Library Committee,** Department of History, Texas Tech University

**1997-98, Member,** Women’s Studies Committee, Trinity College

**1997-98, Faculty Participant,** “Decolonization: Painful Transitions in the Cold War Period,” Trinity College (a year-long program of faculty panels, films and social events)

**1997-98, Member,** Committee on Lesbian and Gay Studies, Trinity College

**1996-98, Member,** Hartford Studies Project, Trinity College

**1993-95, Organizer,** British History Discussion Group, University of Toronto

**1992, Member,** Graduate Admissions Policy Committee, University of Toronto

**1992-94, Member,** Planning Committee for Teaching Assistant Training Workshop, University of Toronto

**1989-90, President,** Graduate History Society, University of Toronto

**SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION**

**2019, Faculty Facilitator,** Social Science Research Council-International Dissertation Research Fellowship Workshop, Houston, TX, 21-24 March 2019

**2018-Present,** **Member,** 2020 Annual Meeting Program Committee, American Historical Association

**2018, Participant,** **Department Chair Workshop,** American Historical Association-Sponsored Event in Chicago, Illinois

**2017, External Examiner, Ph.D. (History), Defense for Jacob Bloomfield,** “Male Cross-Dressing Performance in Britain, 1918-1970,” University of Manchester, Manchester, United Kingdom

**2017, External Reviewer of the History Program**, University of South Florida, Sarasota-Manatee

**2017-Present, Consultant Editor,** *Sex and Sexuality* (Digital Source Collection produced by Adam Matthew, U.K.)

**2016-Present, Consultant Editor**, *Gender: Identity and Social Change* (Digital Source Collection produced by Adam Matthew, U.K.)

**2016, External Examiner, Ph.D. (History) Defense for Averill Earls,** “Queering Dublin: Same-Sex Desire and Masculinities in Ireland, 1884-1964”, University at Buffalo, SUNY

**2015-2017, President,** Northeast Conference on British Studies

**2015, External Examiner, Ph.D. (History) Defense for Lauren Goldstein,** “Cooking up a Nation: Perceptions of English Cookery, 1830-1930”, McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario, CANADA

**2014-2017, Screener, International Dissertation Research Fellowship**, Social Science Research Council

**2013-2017, Executive Secretary,** North American Conference on British Studies

**2013-2017, Member, Conference of Administrative Officers**, American Council of Learned Societies

**2013-15, Vice President and Program Chair,** Northeast Conference on British Studies

**2012-2014, Member and Chair (for 2014),** Committee on the Morris D. Forkosch Prize (British History Book Prize), American Historical Association

**2010-2013, Associate Executive Secretary,** North American Conference on British Studies

**2010-Present, Member, Editorial Board,** History Compass

**2010,** **Local Arrangements Coordinator,** Northeast Conference on British Studies (2010 Fall Conference)

**2007-2010, Reviewer, International Dissertation Research Fellowship**, Social Science Research Council

**2007-2010, Member, Dissertation Awards Committee,** North American Conference on British Studies

**2009, External Examiner, Ph.D. (History) Defense for Sheila Hanlon,** “The Lady Cyclist: A Gender Analysis of Women’s Cycling Culture in 1890s London,”York University, Toronto, Ontario, CANADA

**2005-2008, Member, Bibliography Committee of the Victorian Division**, Modern Language Association

**2003-2004, Program Chair,** Western Conference on British Studies

**1997-98, Local Arrangements Coordinator,** Northeast Conference on British Studies (1998 Fall Conference)

**Reviewer** of Articles for the Canadian Historical Review, Cultural and Social History, Gender and History, History Compass, Journal of British Studies, Journal of the History of Sexuality, National Identities, Porn Studies, Victorian Literature and Culture, and Victorian Studies

**Reviewer** of Book Proposals and Manuscripts for Bloomsbury, Boydell and Brewer, Houghton Mifflin, I. B. Tauris, Oxford University Press, Palgrave Macmillan, Pickering and Chatto, Prentice Hall, Stanford University Press, and W.W. Norton

**Reviewer** of Tenure and Promotion cases for the University of Alabama, Auburn University, Bucknell University, Furman University, Grinnell College, Old Dominion University

**Reviewer** of grant applications for Wellcome Trust

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

The North American Conference on British Studies

The Northeast Conference on British Studies

The American Historical Association

The North American Victorian Studies Association

**OTHER LANGUAGES**

### French