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EDUCATION

- 2004 Ph.D. in Modern European History, University of California, Los Angeles
- 1992-1994 M.A. in Modern European and Modern Russian History, University of California, Riverside
- 1987-1991 B.A. in History and Political Science, University of California, Los Angeles

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- Fall 2014-present Chair, Department of History, California State University, Dominguez Hills
- 2012-present Associate Professor, Department of History, California State University, Dominguez Hills
- 2007-2012 Assistant Professor, Department of History, California State University, Dominguez Hills
- 2004-2007 Adjunct Professor, Department of History, Loyola Marymount University
- 2004-2007 Adjunct Professor, Department of Social Science, Santa Monica College
- 2006-2007 Adjunct Professor, Department of History, UCLA
- Fall 2003 Assistant Director, Moscow Study Center, University of California Education Abroad Program
- 2002-2003 Adjunct Professor, California State University, San Marcos

SCHOLARLY AND ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Publications

“The Central Committee Secretariat, the Nomenklatura, and the Politics of Personnel Management in the Soviet Order, 1921-1927,” *The Soviet and Post-Soviet Review*, 39 (2012), 166-191.

“Обследует, инструктирует и направляет работу парткомов’: организационная культура партийного аппарата в период НЕПа” (“To Investigate, Instruct and Direct the Work of Party Committees’: The Organizational Culture of the Party Apparatus during the New Economic Policy”), *Neprikosnovennyi Zapas*, No. 83 (3/2012), 145-154.

Book Review of *Popular Perceptions of Soviet Politics in the 1920s: Disenchantment of the Dreamers*, published in *Revolutionary Russia* 27:1 (2014), 81-83.

Comparative Book Review Essay: Paul Hagenloh, *Stalin's Police: Public Order and Mass Repression in the USSR, 1926-1941*. (Washington, D.C.: Woodrow Wilson Center Press; Baltimore: The Johns Hopkins University Press, 2009) and David R. Shearer, *Policing Stalin's Socialism: Repression and Social Order in the Soviet Union, 1924-1953*. (New Haven, CT: Yale University Press; Stanford, CA: Hoover Institution, Stanford University, 2009), *Journal of Modern History*, 83:1 (March 2011), 235-238.

Book Review of *Intimate Enemies: Demonizing the Bolshevik Opposition, 1918-1928*, published in *The NEP Era: Soviet Russia, 1921-1928*, Vol. 2 (2008)

Selected Conference Presentations

“Stalin and Regional Elites, 1922-1927: Subordinates, Clients, or Allies?” Invited paper presented at a joint workshop of The Perm Center for Historical and Comparative Studies and Bielefeld University, “Political Practices of Friendship, Factionalism and “*Partiinost*” in the pre-Stalinist USSR,” June 21 2014 in Perm, Russia.

“Stalin, Local Party Secretaries, and the Politics of the Lenin Succession.” Paper presented to the 45th Annual Convention of the Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies, Nov. 18, 2013.

“Stalin as a Disloyal Patron, Revisited.” Paper presented to the 43 Annual Convention of the Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies, Nov. 17, 2011.

“Party Secretaries, Central Committee Instructors and Bolshevik Political Culture during the NEP.” Paper presented to the 42nd Annual Convention of the Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies (formerly the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies), Nov. 2010.

“The Central Committee Secretariat as a ‘Labor Exchange’: the Politics of Personnel Assignments during the New Economic Policy, 1921-1928.” Paper presented to the 41st Annual Convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Nov. 2009.

“Potemkinism: Fact and Fiction.” Roundtable discussion participant at the 39th Annual Convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, November 2007.

“Bringing World History Research into the Classroom.” Paper presented to The University of California Multi-Campus Research Unit in World History, May 2002.

“The Smolensk Scandal: Anti-bureaucratism, the Problem of Hegemony, and the End of the New Economic Policy.” Paper presented to the 2000 Annual Convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies.

“Cadres and Chaos in the Soviet 1920s: The Politics of Personnel Distribution Re-visited.” Paper presented to the University of California Graduate History Conference, University of California, Riverside, May 1999.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

University Service

University Program Review Panel, 2008-present

Senator (History Department), CSUDH Academic Senate, 2008-present

University Commencement Committee, 2007-2013

College of Arts and Humanities Curriculum Committee, 2009-2011, 2013-present

Panetta Internship Committee, 2010-2013

Professional Memberships

The American Historical Association (AHA)

The Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies (ASEES)

The World History Association (WHA)

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS AND AWARDS

Lyle E. Gibson Distinguished Teacher of the Year, CSUDH, 2013

Faculty Legacy Research Grant, CSUDH Emeritus Faculty Association, 2012

Center for Teaching and Learning Travel Grant, California State University, Dominguez Hills

Albert Hoxie Dissertation Writing Grant, Department of History, UCLA, 2002-2003

Fulbright-Hays Dissertation Research Fellow, Moscow, Russian Federation, 2000

Dissertation Block Grant, Department of History, University of California, Riverside; Graduate Dean's
Dissertation Research Grant, University of California, Riverside, 1997-1998