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Education

Rutgers College

B.A. History 1983

University of Chicago

M.A. American Colonial History 1984

Ph.D. Early Modern British History 1991

Institute, National Endowment for the Humanities

Codirector, NEH Institute

Space and Society in the Past: Landscape, Power, and Identity in the Early Modern Atlantic World

July 1-August 2, 2002

Projects in Development

Papers

“Scientific Rounders: Britons Play the New York Game, 1871-1877”

“Edmund Spenser and Ecologies of Virtue in *Faerie Queene*, 1590-1596”

Book Manuscripts

Baseball in Comparative History: A Modern Sport in the United States, Cuba, and Japan

Early Modern Literary Geographies: English Forests, 1550s-1720s

Selected Publications

“Baseball, Modernity, and Science Discourse in British Popular Culture, 1871-1883,”

Historical Journal, 65, 5 (2022), 1310-1332.

“Fruits of Unruly Multitudes: Popular Politics and Meanings of Violence in the English

Atlantic, 1623-1625,” *Journal of British Studies*, 59, 2 (2020), 372-395.

“Sovereignty by the Book: English Corporations, Atlantic Plantations, and Literate Order,

1557-1650,” in Jason Peacey and Christopher Kyle (eds.), *Connecting Centre and*

Locality: Political Communication in Early Modern England (Manchester: Manchester University Press, 2020), 157-173.

“Stories and Verdicts: *Maleficium*, Judicial Process, and the Politics of Neighborliness on the Atlantic Margins,” *Social History*, 44, 3 (2019), 296-313.

Giles Geast Charity Account Book, 1558-1891 [an edition of the complete text [> 700 manuscript pages], introduction [> 20,000 words], and notes] (Gloucester: Bristol and Gloucestershire Archaeological Society, 2017).

“Ancient Liberties, Royal Honour, and the Politics of Commonwealth in English Forests, 1558-1625,” in R. Malcolm Smuts (ed.), *The Age of Shakespeare* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2016), 139-155.

“Politics in the Archives: Records, Property, and Plantation Politics in Massachusetts Bay, 1642-1650,” *Journal of Early American History*, 1,1 (2011), 3-25.

Hunting and the Politics of Violence before the English Civil War (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2008).

Parish Communities and Religious Conflict in the Vale of Gloucester, 1590-1690 (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 1998).

Editorial Advisory Board

Early Modern Literary Geographies (Oxford University Press)

Selected Professional Conferences and Invited Lectures

North American Conference on British Studies (1996)

Panel: The Creation of a Metropolis: London and the Provinces in the Seventeenth Century

Paper: "The Great Deer Massacre: Animals, Honor, and Communication in Early Modern England"
Princeton University (1997)
 Paper: "The Great Deer Massacre: Animals, Honor, and Communication in Early Modern England"
University of London (1999)
 Paper: "Bragging and Daring Words': Honor, Property, and the Symbolism of the Hunt in Stowe, 1590-1642"
University of Sheffield (2004)
 Paper: "The "Burning" of William Gardiner: Politics, Violence, and Community in Nazeing Wood, 1622-1623"
Neale Colloquium, University of London: English Revolution and Its Legacies (2004)
 Session 2: The Parish or Micropolitics
 Paper: "Behemoth or Civil War and Revolution in English Parish Communities, 1641-1682"
University of Sheffield (2005)
 Symposium: "Violence in Renaissance Culture: Honor, Sacrifice, and the Carnavalesque"
 Paper: "Hunting and the Meanings of Violence in Early Modern England"
Huntington Library (2009)
 Conference: The Reign of Charles I, 1625-1649
 Paper: "Ancient Liberties, Royal Honor, and the Politics of Commonweal in Windsor and Waltham Forests, 1603-1642"
Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture, Annual Conference (2010)
 Panel: Political Culture and Political Practice in the Atlantic World, 1570-1650s
 Paper: "Politics in the Archives: Gloucester's "Town Book," Property, and Plantation Politics in Massachusetts Bay, 1642-1650"
Ohio State University (2011)
 Early Modern Seminar, Department of History
 Paper: "*Fruits of Unruly Multitudes: Popular Politics and Meanings of Violence in the English Atlantic, 1623-1625*"
Huntington Library (2016)
 Conference: Connecting Centre and Locality: Political Communication in England, 1550-1750
 Paper: "Sovereignty by the Book: Corporations, Plantations, and Literate Order"
Huntington Library (2016)
 Conference: Early Modern Literary Geographies
 Paper: "Politics or Perish? Neighborliness and *Maleficium* on the Atlantic Margins"
Cooperstown Symposium on Baseball and American Culture, National Baseball Hall of Fame (2019)
 Paper: "Field Science: Baseball, Modernity, and Science Discourse in British Popular Culture, 1871-1877"

Awards and Honors

Mellon Fellowship, 1983-1988
 Olin Fellowship, 1988-1989
 CBS Bicentennial Fellowship, 1989-1990
 Participant, NEH Institute on Religion and Society in Early Modern England, 1993
 Josephine Berry Weiss Fellowship, Pennsylvania State University, 1994-1995
 Mayers Fellowship, Huntington Library, 1997
 Fellow, Royal Historical Society, 2001
 Codirector, NEH Institute, Space and Society in the Early Modern Atlantic World, 2002
 Neale Colloquium: English Revolution and Its Legacies, University of London, 2004
 Fellow, Penn State Institute of Arts and Humanities, 2005-2006