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EDUCATION:

Ph.D. (history)	University of Kentucky, Lexington	1987
M.A. (history)	University of South Carolina, Columbia	1980
B.S. (biology)	Allegheny College, Meadville, PA	1974

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

January 2010—present	George Winfree Professor of American History, Penn State University, University Park, PA
July 2006—January 2010	Professor of Military History, Penn State University, University Park, PA
August 1999—June 2000	Visiting Professor of History, United States Military Academy, West Point, NY
October 1999—present	Scholar-in-residence, George and Ann Richards Civil War Era Center, Penn State University, University Park, PA
July 1996—June 2006	Associate Professor of History, Penn State University, University Park, PA
Sept. 1997—June 2004	Adjunct Faculty, Marine Corps Command and Staff College, Quantico, VA

July 1993—June 1994	General Harold K. Johnson Visiting Professor of History, U.S. Army War College and U.S. Army Military History Institute, Carlisle Barracks, PA
August 1991-June 1996	Assistant Professor of History, Penn State University, University Park, PA
August 1989-June 1991	Visiting Assistant Professor of History, University of Georgia, Athens, GA
July 1987-July 1989	Associate Editor, <u>The Papers of Henry Clay</u> Documentary Editing project, University of Kentucky, Lexington

SCHOLARSHIP:

BOOKS:

Launch the Intruders: A Naval Attack Squadron in the Vietnam War, 1972. University Press of Kansas, 2005. A volume in the Modern War Studies series, and a primary selection of the Military Book Club. Second printing, April 2006. Paperback edition, August 2009.

Pickett's Charge in History and Memory. University of North Carolina Press, 1997. Winner of the 1998 Forrest C. Pogue Prize sponsored by the Eisenhower Center for American Studies; winner of the 1998 Philip S. Klein Prize sponsored by the Pennsylvania Historical Society; History Book Club selection; in third hardback printing; paperback edition printed December 2002; a Book-on-Tape, 2001.

"I Have Been A Soldier All My Life": General James Longstreet, CSA. Farnsworth House Impressions, 1997.

The Papers of Henry Clay, Volume 10. With Melba Porter Hay. University Press of Kentucky, 1991.

Soldiers and Scholars: The U.S. Army and the Uses of Military History, 1865-1920. University Press of Kansas, 1990. A volume in the Modern War Studies series. Paperback edition, 2001.

Two additional monographs currently in preparation.

ARTICLES, CHAPTERS, and PUBLISHED SPEECHES:

“Gettysburg: A Turning Point in Memory,” in James A. Rawley and Kenneth Winkel, eds., Turning Points of the Civil War. Rawley commemorative edition. (Lincoln, NB: University of Nebraska Press, forthcoming).

“Vietnam Military Personnel” in Vietnam War Era: People and Perspectives. A volume in the Perspectives in American Social History series. (Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2009), pp. 41-60.

“William T. Sherman in Postwar Georgia’s Collective Memory, 1864-1914” in Joan Waugh and Gary W. Gallagher, eds., Wars within a War: Controversy and Conflict over the American Civil War (Chapel Hill, NC: University of North Carolina Press, 2009), pp. 223-248.

“Reimagining Military History in the Classroom” and “View from the Ranks: Social and Cultural History of the American Armed Forces,” in Organization of American Historians Magazine of History 22 (October 2008): 5-7, and 11-16; served as guest editor for this issue focusing on the teaching of Military History in the K-12 classroom.

“Binding the Wounds of War,” in Larry M. Logue and Michael Barton, eds., The Civil War Veteran: A Historical Reader (New York: New York University Press, 2007), pp. 397-406.

“An Interview with Carol Reardon on Civil War History, Literature, and Public Memory,” The Ambrose Bierce Project Journal 3 (Fall 2007), an on-line journal, accessible at <http://www.ambrosebierce.org/journal3reardon.html>.

“Writing Battle History: The Challenge of Memory,” Civil War History 53 (September 2007): 252-263.

“Billy Yank and Johnny Reb Take on the World: Civil War Veterans’ Views on War, Liberty, and Empire, 1880-1940,” in Lawrence Sondhaus and A. James Fuller, eds, America, War, and Power: Defining the State, 1775-2005 (Routledge Press, 2007), pp. 64-87.

“William Tecumseh Sherman” and “Philip Henry Sheridan,” in The Encyclopedia of the Midwest, (Columbus, OH: Ohio Humanities Council, 2006), 1770-1772.

“The Civil War Military Effort: The Union Perspective,” in Lacy K. Ford, Jr., editor, Companion to Civil War and Reconstruction (Malden, MA: Blackwell Publishers, 2005), 223-238.

“Sergeant Major David Johnston, 7th Virginia Infantry: The Life of an Infantryman in the Army of Northern Virginia,” in James C. Klotter, ed., The Human Tradition in the Old South (Wilmington, DE: Scholarly Resources, 2003), 169-185.

“The American Civil War,” 16,000-word narrative and prototypes for 25 maps, in James C. Bradford, ed., The Oxford Atlas of American Military History (New York: Cynthia Parsych Publishing, for Oxford Press, 2003), 60-93.

“Why We Still Care: The Civil War in History and Memory.” The Ninth Annual Dwight D. Eisenhower Memorial Lecture in War and Peace. Manhattan, KS: Kansas State Press, 2002. [Published speech]

“‘We Are All in This War’: The 148th Pennsylvania and Homefront Dissension in Centre County during the Civil War,” in Paul A. Cimbala and Randall Miller, eds., Union Soldiers and the Northern Home Front: Wartime Experiences, Postwar Adjustments (New York: Fordham University Press, 2002), 3-29.

“Emory Upton” and “Private Military Schools,” in John Whiteclay Chambers II, ed., The Oxford Companion to American Military History (New York: Oxford, 1999), 639-40 and 745.

“Malin Craig” and “William Hood Simpson,” in American National Biography (New York: Oxford, 1999).

Foreword to “Gettysburg: Regimental Leadership and Command, special issue of Civil War Regiments: A Journal of the American Civil War 6, No. 3 (1999): i-v.

“James Longstreet’s Virginia Friends,” in Gary W. Gallagher, ed., Three Days at Gettysburg: Essays on Confederate and Union Leadership (Kent, OH: Kent State University Press, 1999), 245-269.

“From Antietam to the Argonne: The Maryland Campaign’s Lessons for Future Leaders of the American Expeditionary Force,” in Gary W. Gallagher, ed., The Antietam Campaign (Chapel Hill, NC: University of North Carolina Press, 1999), 289-315.

“A Hard Road to Travel: The Impact of Continuous Operations on the Army of the Potomac and Army of Northern Virginia in May 1864,” in Gary W. Gallagher, ed., The Spotsylvania Campaign (Chapel Hill, NC: University of North Carolina Press, 1998), 173-202.

“Enshrining the Memory of Pickett’s Charge,” Columbiad 1 (Fall 1997): 63-92.

“The Pickett’s Charge Nobody Knows,” in Gabor S. Boritt, ed., The Gettysburg Nobody Knows (New York: Oxford University Press, 1997), 122-143.

“Lessons in Generalship: Robert E. Lee’s Military Legacy for the Twenty-First Century,” in John David Smith and Thomas H. Appleton, eds., A Mythic Land Apart: Reassessing Southerners and Their History (New York: Greenwood Press, 1997), 103-24.

“The Other Grant: Brig. Gen. Lewis A. Grant and the Vermont Brigade in the Wilderness,” in Gary W. Gallagher, ed., The Wilderness Campaign (Chapel Hill, NC: University of North Carolina Press, 1997), 201-35.

“The Valiant Rearguard: Winfield S. Hancock’s Division at Chancellorsville,” in Gary W. Gallagher, ed., Chancellorsville: The Virginia Campaign of Spring 1863 (Chapel Hill, NC: University of North Carolina Press, 1996), 134-75.

“From ‘King of Spades’ to ‘First Captain of the Confederacy’: Robert E. Lee’s First Six Weeks with the Army of Northern Virginia,” in Gary W. Gallagher, ed., Lee, The Soldier (Lincoln, NE: University of Nebraska Press, 1996), 309-330.

“‘The Forlorn Hope’: Humphreys’s Pennsylvania Division at Fredericksburg,” in Gary W. Gallagher, ed., The Fredericksburg Campaign: Decision on the Rappahannock (Chapel Hill, NC: University of North Carolina Press, 1995), 80-112.

“Pickett’s Charge: The Convergence of Myth and History in the Southern Past,” in Gary W. Gallagher, ed., The Third Day at Gettysburg and Beyond (Chapel Hill, NC: University of North Carolina Press, 1994), 56-92.

“From Genius to Intellect: A New Orthodoxy in the American Civil War,” in B.J.C. McKercher and Hamish Ion, eds., Military Heretics: The Unorthodox in Policy and Strategy (New York: Praeger Press, 1993), 57-81.

“Chipping Away at the ‘Marble Man’: Robert E. Lee and Civil War History,” Reviews in American History 21 (September 1993): 415-23.

“The Emergence of a Modern Army and Navy, 1903-1917,” in Charles R. Shrader, ed., Reference Guide to American Military History, 1865-1920 (New York: Facts on File, 1993), 87-103.

“John C. Calhoun,” a signed entry; and “Lewis A. Armistead,” “George W. Crawford,” “William H. Crawford,” “Ethan A. Hitchcock,” and “George E. Pickett,” unsigned entries, in Charles R. Shrader, ed., Reference Guide to American Military History, 1816-1865 (New York: Facts on File, 1993), pp. 158, 167-168, 170-171, 189, 212.

“Charles Cornwallis,” “Peace of Paris (1783),” and “Yorktown, Campaign and Battle (May-October 1781),” signed entries; and “Jean Baptiste Charles Henri Hector d’Estaing,” “Francois Joseph Paul de Grasse,” and “Isaac Shelby,” unsigned entries in Charles R. Shrader, ed., Reference Guide to American Military History, 1607-1815, (New York: Facts on File, 1990), pp. 153-155, 158, 161, 187-198, 244-245, 261-263.

“Bruce Catton” and “Roy F. Nichols” in Clyde N. Wilson, ed., The Dictionary of Literary Biography, Vol. 17: Twentieth-Century American Historians (New York: Gale Research Co., 1982), 98-102, 328-32.

MEDIA PRESENTATIONS:

“West Point,” developed for PBS, first aired January 30, 2002 (2 hours).

“Colonel Norman J. Hall: A Forgotten Hero of Gettysburg,” C-SPAN’s “About Books” aired July 2000. (1 hour)

“Sergeant William McKinley at Antietam,” interview included in “William McKinley,” in C-SPAN’s “The American Presidents” series, first aired September 1999. (15 minutes)

“The Legacy of Pickett’s Charge,” C-SPAN’s “About Books,” first aired July 1999 (1 hour).

“Pickett’s Charge in History and Memory: A Pennsylvania Perspective,” on “Pennsylvania Books” for Pennsylvania Cable Network, first aired July 3, 1998 (1 hour).

“Pickett’s Charge in History and Memory,” on “Booknotes,” C-SPAN, first aired on 8 February 1998 (1 hour).

“History and Memory,” National Public Radio, “Talk of the Nation” (interviewed with Prof. Joyce Appleby), December 16, 1997. (1 hour)

“Pickett’s Charge, History, and Memory,” WPSX Radio, University Park, PA, November 5, 1997. (1 hour)

“Ken Burns’s The Civil War: The Historians Respond,” first shown on PBS, July 2, 1996. (1 hour)

“The Great Commanders: U.S. Grant,” aired first on A&E on July 27, 1993; consultant for entire six-episode six-hour series.

BOOK REVIEWS:

More than forty signed book reviews have appeared in The Journal of Military History, The Journal of American History, Civil War History, The New England Quarterly, Air Power History, The Journal of Southern History, The Public Historian, Register of the Kentucky Historical Society, Georgia Historical Quarterly, Alabama Review, Michigan Historical Review, Arkansas Historical Quarterly, American Nineteenth Century History (U.K.), World War II, and The Society of Civil War Historians Newsletter.

INVITED NAMED LECTURES OR CONFERENCE KEYNOTES:

“Beyond Jomini: Reflections on Civil War Military Thought, Generalship, and Soldiers,” the three-lecture Steven and Janice Brose Lectures on the Civil War Era, Penn State University, 19-21 March 2009.

“VA-75 and the Air War in Vietnam, 1972,” keynote for the First Annual Military History Symposium, Central Missouri State University, Warrensburg, MO, 28 March 2005; presented as an OAH Distinguished Lecturer.

“Pickett’s Charge in History and Memory,” the Lambros Lecture, Weber State University, 23 September 2004.

“Gettysburg in History and Memory,” the Colonel John W. McKinney Lecture, Center for War and Society, Department of History, University of Tennessee, September 25, 2002.

“Soldiers and Scholars: Military Education and Officer Professionalism in the U.S. Army,” the Colonel Robert Roberge Memorial Lecture, US Army War College, September 19, 2001.

“Civil War History Today,” Fourth Annual Harmon Lecture on the Civil War History, Lehigh University, October 25, 2000.

“Why We Still Care: The Civil War in History and Memory,” Ninth Biennial Dwight D. Eisenhower Lecture, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS, October 17, 2000.

“Pickett’s Charge: A Historical Mystery,” Eleazer Wood Memorial Lecture on American Military History, Bowling Green State University, March 23, 2000.

“Pickett’s Charge: History, Memory, and Historical Dilemmas,” keynote address for the History of War and Society Symposium, Ohio State University, November 7, 1999.

“Pickett’s Charge in History, Myth, and Memory,” keynote address, as scholar-in-residence, at the George Tyler Moore Civil War Center, Shepherd College, Shepherdstown, WV, June 25, 1998.

“Pickett’s Charge in Northern Memory,” Military Studies Institute Scholars’ Lecture, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, September 11, 1996.

PROFESSIONAL PAPERS AND PANELS (selective, to illustrate intellectual range):

“I Was There and You Weren’t”: A Naval Aviation Squadron’s Vietnam Experience in History and Memory,” University of Tennessee Aftermath of War Lecture Series, Knoxville, TN, 26 March 2010.

“The Future of Civil War Military History,” panelist, Society of Civil War Historians annual meeting, Philadelphia, PA, 16 June 2008.

“The New (American) Military History,” moderator and panelist, Organization of American Historians annual meeting, Washington, DC, 21 April 2006.

“Not Just B-52s: Naval Attack Squadron 75 and the 1972 Linebacker Campaigns,” Perspectives in Military History, U.S. Army Heritage and Education Center, Carlisle Barracks, 19 April 2006.

“Military Historians in a Time of War,” moderator and panelist, American Historical Association annual meeting, Philadelphia, PA, 8 January 2006.

“Billy Yank and Johnny Reb Take on the World: Civil War Veterans’ Views on Liberty and Empire, 1880-1940,” University of Indianapolis Military History Seminar, 23 September 2005.

“A Forgotten Page in Naval History: The Sunday Punchers in Linebacker I and II,” Naval Historical Center, Washington, DC, 18 April 2005.

“A Revolution in Military (History Education) Affairs: What Are We Teaching Thousands of Soldiers Anyway?” commentator, Organization of American History annual meeting, Boston, MA, March 28, 2004.

“Writing Battle History,” presented at the Southern Historical Association annual meeting, Houston, TX, 8 November 2003.

“Nineteenth Century American Military Historiography,” presented at a “State of the Art” panel at the Organization of American History annual meeting, Washington, DC, April 13, 2002.

“The Civil War: The Strategic, Operational, and Tactical Perspective,” invited class lecture at the Marine Corps Command and Staff College, Quantico, VA, August 16, 2001; August 15, 2002; August 19, 2003, August 18, 2004.

Chair and commentator, “The Civil War: A People’s War,” Society for Military History annual meeting, Calgary, Alberta, May 25, 2001.

“Jomini and the American Civil War,” invited class lecture at the Marine Corps Command and Staff College, Quantico, VA, August 14, 2000; August 17, 1998; August 11, 1997; and August 15, 1996.

Panelist, “General James Longstreet and the Battle of Gettysburg,” Civil War Institute, Gettysburg College, June 30, 1998.

“The Contributions of African-Americans to Victory in World War II,” Pennsylvania Military Museum Conference on the African-American Military Experience, April 4, 1998.

“The Civil War, 1863-65,” ROTC Fellowship, U.S. Military Academy, West Point, NY, June 13, 1996.

“The Third Day at Gettysburg: Taking the Battlefield into the High School Classroom,” battlefield tour and lecture for the Gilder-Lehrman Institute’s American History Summer Seminar, Gettysburg College, July 14, 1995.

“I Think the Union Army Had Something to Do with It’: The Pickett’s Charge Nobody Knows,” Civil War Institute, Gettysburg College, June 30, 1995.

Commentator, “Post-Civil War Recovery: The Veterans’ Transition to Civilian Life,” Society for Military History annual meeting, Gettysburg, PA, May 12, 1995.

“The State of Military History in the Academic World,” U.S. Army Training and Doctrine Command Historians Conference, Fort Monroe, VA, May 10, 1995.

“World War II on the Pennsylvania Homefront,” Harrisburg Community College Senior Education Program, Harrisburg, PA, May 17, 1994.

“World War II on the Homefront,” and “New Directions in Teaching about World War II in the Classroom,” Pennsylvania Department of Education High School Teachers Professional Development Seminar, Carlisle Barracks, PA, July 26 and July 28, 1993.

“From Genius to Intellect: The Emergence of a New Orthodoxy during the American Civil War,” 18th Military History Symposium, Royal Military College of Canada, Kingston, Ontario, March 19, 1992.

“The Study of Military History and the Rise of Professionalism in the U.S. Army,” a “Perspectives in Military History” lecture, U.S. Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, PA, January 17, 1992.

“Women in Military History,” part of a panel on “Non-traditional Specialists in the Historical Profession,” Mid-American Conference on History, Southwest Missouri State University, September 18, 1991.

MILITARY STAFF RIDES (professional military education exercises, at a minimum equivalent to a day-long academic seminar):

I have led staff rides on the following Civil War battlefields: Gettysburg, Antietam, South Mountain, Fredericksburg, First Manassas, Second Manassas, Chancellorsville, Wilderness, Spotsylvania, and the Seven Days.

Clients include: Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Manpower and Reserve Affairs; Office of the Chief of Naval History; Office of Marine Corps Logistics and Installations; Marine Corps Combat Development Command senior-level command element; U.S. Army War College and U.S. Naval War College seminars; U.S. Military Academy Military History Fellowship; U.S. Army Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Intelligence; Command, Control, and Signal Division of the U.S. Army's Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations; Joint Warfare Analysis Center; the U.S. Army Night Vision Project Manager's Office; Program Executive Office for Intelligence, Electronic Warfare, and Sensors; faculty cadres from Air War College, U.S. Military Academy, and the Marine Corps Command and Staff College; military science classes from the U.S. Military Academy, the Marine Corps Command and Staff College, the Marine Corps Amphibious Warfare School, the Marine Corps Command and Control Signal School, the National War College, and the Marine Corps War College; the U.S. Navy Reserve's Combat Documentation Team 206; the officer and noncommissioned officer cadres of several operational commands; and the Army, Air Force, and Navy ROTC detachments from Penn State and several other colleges and universities.

UNIVERSITY-LEVEL COURSES TAUGHT:

U.S. History to 1877 (undergraduate survey course)
U.S. History since 1877 (undergraduate survey course, and Honors course)
Civil War and Reconstruction (lower- and upper-division lecture courses, graduate seminar, and undergraduate majors methodology course)
U.S. Military History (upper-division lecture course)
Vietnam in War and Peace (undergraduate lecture course)
U.S. Naval History (undergraduate lecture course)
Readings in American Military History (graduate course)
Military Thinkers and Theorists (graduate course)
The Homefront during American Wars (methods seminar)
Antiwar Movements in American History (methods seminar)
Evolution of the Art of War (military history survey course, USMA)
Undergraduate Internship Supervisor (Pennsylvania Military Museum, Boalsburg, PA; Friends of the National Parks at Gettysburg; Lancaster Historical Society; Marine Corps Research Center, Quantico, VA)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:

SERVICE TO PENN STATE: (excludes annual appointments to department committees)

Director of Graduate Studies, Department of History, 2000-2003, 2008-2010

Search Committee, 19th Century American Literature search, Department of English, 2006-2007

Advisory Board, Institute for the Arts and Humanities, 2005-2007

Member, Department of History Committee on the Evaluation of the Office of the Department Head, Fall 2000

Participant, Penn State Mont Alto Civil War Conference, 1992-1998; presented papers and took part in the field study on a variety of Civil War battlefields.

Chief of faculty, Penn State Mont Alto Civil War Conference, 1998-2007

Participant, Penn State Alumni Civil War Weekend, 1993-1998

Chief of faculty, Penn State Alumni Civil War Weekend, 1998-present

Penn State Alumni College faculty, June 1998, June 2006.

Penn State University Alumni Huddle program, September 1998 and September 2001

Gettysburg tour guide, Penn State Roads Scholar tour, May 2000, May 2002, May 2006, May 2007

Gettysburg tour guide, Penn State International Scholars Program, March 2001, March 2004, March 2005, March 2006, March 2007, April 2008.

Member, McCabe-Greer Chair in the Era of the Civil War faculty search, Spring 1998.

Member, head search committee, Department of History, 1995

Member, College of Liberal Arts Dean's Committee, 1995-97

PUBLIC OUTREACH TO CIVIL WAR ROUND TABLES AND SIMILAR GROUPS:

Over fifty talks to Civil War Round Tables in Chicago, IL; Washington, DC; New York City; Atlanta, GA; Western Connecticut; Albany, NY; Harrisburg, PA; New Orleans, LA; Jackson, MS; Houston, TX; Madison County, KY; Lexington, KY; Central Pennsylvania (State College); St. Louis, MO; Lehigh Valley, PA; and others.

Over forty talks to public historical-interest groups including the American Press Institute, Smithsonian Institution, Descendants of Civil War Veterans; Museum of the Confederacy; Friends of the Pennsylvania Military Museum; Friends of the National Parks at Gettysburg; The Association of Licensed Battlefield Guides at Gettysburg; Friends of the West Point Library; the Pennsylvania Heritage Society; the Longstreet Memorial Fund; the Longstreet Society; Congress on the American Military Past chapters and more.

GOVERNMENT SERVICE:

Secretary of the Navy's Advisory Subcommittee on Naval History, 2007-2008

Board of Visitors, Marine Corps University, Quantico, VA, 1996-2000; reappointed by the Secretary of the Navy for an additional term, 2000-2004; reappointed for 2004-2008; reappointed for 2008-2012

---Chair of the Board, 1998-1999

---Chair, Research Committee, 1996-1998

---Executive Committee, 1999-2002

---Member, Facilities and Finance Committee, 2001—2003

---Member, Faculty and Faculty Policies Committee, 2004--present

Department of the Army Historical Advisory Committee, 1994-1996; reappointed, 1996-1998; reappointed, 1998-2000.

SERVICE TO PROFESSIONAL HISTORICAL ASSOCIATIONS:

President, Society for Military History, 2005-2007, re-elected, 2007-2009; vice president, 2003-2005

Member, Board of Trustees, Society for Military History, elected, 1993-1997; re-elected, 1997-2001.

Chair, 1999 Annual Meeting, Society for Military History, hosted by Penn State University, April 1999.

Organization of American Historians Distinguished Lectureship, 2004-2007; reappointed, 2007-2010; reappointed, 2010-2013.

Membership Committee, Southern Historical Association, 1993; reappointed, 1994; reappointed, 1997; reappointed, 1998.

Program Committee, 1995 annual meeting, Society for Military History; chairman of the Program Committee, 1999 annual meeting.

Program Committee, 2010 annual meeting, Society of Civil War Historians

CONSULTING AND ADVISORY SERVICE:

Consultant, NEH "Crossroads of War" grant, Catocin Center for History, Frederick Community College, 2004-present

Historical Advisory Board, Gettysburg Foundation, 2006—present

Vice-chairman for Education, Friends of the National Parks at Gettysburg, 2001-03; chair of the Summer Scholars Program, 1998-2001.

National Advisory Board, Civil War Preservation Trust, 2001—present

National Advisory Board, George Tyler Moore Civil War Center, Shepherd University, Shepherdstown, WV, 1998—present.

Advisory Board, Center for Oral History, United States Military Academy, West Point, 2008--present

Advisory Board, National Museum of the Civil War, Harrisburg, PA, 2007—present

National Advisory Board, Society of Civil War Historians, 1997-2006

Advisory Board, Army Heritage Foundation, Carlisle, PA, 2007—present

Advisory Fellow, Military History Center, University of North Texas, 2006—present

Advisory Board, Ambrose Bierce Papers On-line Project, 2004—present

Advisory Board, Lincoln Prize, Civil War Institute, Gettysburg College, 1996—present.
---Member of the three-person Lincoln Prize Jury, 2000 competition.

EDITORIAL BOARD SERVICE:

Editorial Board, The Journal of the Civil War Era, 2010—present

Editorial Board, War and Society [professional military history journal based at the Australian Defense Force Academy, Canberra, Australia], 2009—present

Editorial Board, Vulcan [a professional journal on the history of military technology], 2008—present

Editorial Board, Pennsylvania History: A Journal of Mid-Atlantic Studies, 2003—2007

Editorial Board, Modern War Studies series, University Press of Kansas, 1999—present.

Editorial Board, The Journal of Military History, 1992-1993; reappointed, 1995-1998.

Editorial Board, Civil War Regiments: A Journal of the American Civil War, 1998—2000.

Editorial Board, Columbiad Magazine, 1999—2000.

Advisory Board, “The North’s Civil War” series, Fordham University Press, 1997—present.

PROFESSIONAL HONORS:

Helen Dortch Longstreet Prize for service to Civil War preservation and education efforts, sponsored by the Longstreet society, November 2009.

Victor Gondos Memorial Service Award, Society for Military History, April 2009.

George W. Atherton Award for Excellence in Teaching, Penn State University, 2007.

William Woods Hassler Award for Excellence in Civil War Education, sponsored by the Civil War Education Association, June 2004.

Susan Welch Alumni Relations Award, Penn State University, March 2003.

Class of 1933 Distinction in the Humanities Award, Penn State University, March 2000.

Department of the Army Outstanding Civilian Service Medal, May 2000.

Department of the Army Commander’s Award for Public Service, June 1994; second award, November 1997.

Visiting Professorship in History, U.S. Military Academy, 1999-2000.

General Harold K. Johnson Visiting Professorship in Military History, U.S. Army Military History Institute and U.S. Army War College, 1993-1994.

Forrest C. Pogue Prize, 1998, for Pickett’s Charge in History and Memory, sponsored by the Eisenhower Center for American Studies, University of New Orleans.

Philip S. Klein Prize, 1998, for Pickett’s Charge in History and Memory, sponsored by the Pennsylvania Historical Society.

U.S. Army Military History Institute Advanced Research Grant, 1992.

U.S. Army Military History Institute Director’s Grant, 1992.