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RESUME

PERSONAL DATA

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EDUCATION AND DEGREES

Ph.D./M.A.: University of Nebraska, Lincoln
Major Field - United States History

B.A.: Thiel College, Greenville, Pennsylvania,
Major - History, Degree awarded cum laude

POST-DOCTORAL AWARDS/HONORS

National Endowment for the Humanities Post-doctoral summer seminar on "Constraints on the Presidency," at New York University, 1979

Fulbright-Hays Award, State University, Azerbaijan Republic, U.S.S.R., 1980-81

Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching Awards, 1989, 1994

Walter Prescott Webb Lecture Series, University of Texas at Arlington, March, 1996.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

1964-65	Teaching Intern, American History, Reynolds High School, Pennsylvania
Summer 1966	American/European History Teacher, Shadyside Academy, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
1965-1970	Teaching Assistant, University of Nebraska
1970-1974	Assistant Professor, University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida
1974-1985	Associate Professor, University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida
1980-1981	Visiting Professor, Azerbaijan State University, U.S.S.R.
1986 -	Professor, University of South Florida, Tampa
Spring 1987, 1990 1994, 2003, 2007.2010	Visiting Professor, Florida State University in London, England

PUBLICATIONS

Books/Monographs

George Mifflin Dallas: Jacksonian Patrician (Pennsylvania State University Press, 1977).

Let the Eagle Soar: The Foreign Policy of Andrew Jackson, (University of Nebraska Press, 1985) (Nominated by the Press for the Bancroft Prize).

Divided We Fall: Essays in the Problems of Confederate Nationalism (edited by John M. Belohlavek and Lewis N. Wynne, St. Leo College Press, 1991).

Broken Glass: Caleb Cushing and the Shattering of the Union (Kent State University Press, 2005)

CURRENT RESEARCH

A study of the role of women and their support/opposition to the Mexican War, manuscript to be completed in the fall of 2013.

A compact biography of Andrew Jackson--contracted with Routledge for 2014.

Articles

"John B. Floyd and the West Virginia Campaign of 1861," West Virginia History, July 1968, 283-291.

"The Politics of Scandal: John B. Floyd as Secretary of War, 1857-61," West Virginia History, April 1970, 145-160.

"John B. Floyd as Governor of Virginia," West Virginia History, October 1971, 14-26.

"Dallas, the Democracy and the Bank War of 1832," Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography, July 1972, 377-390.

"Humanizing History," Social Science Trends, Summer 1973, 20-24 (reprinted, 1979).

"Dallas, Pennsylvania and the Election of 1844," Pennsylvania History, October 1974, 391-412.

"Andrew Jackson and the Malaysian Pirates," Tennessee Historical Quarterly, Spring 1977, 19-29.

"Let the Eagle Soar: Democratic Constraints on the Foreign Policy of Andrew Jackson," Presidential Studies Quarterly, Winter 1980, 36-50.

"The Philadelphia and the Canal: The Charles Biddle Mission to Panama, 1835-36," Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography, October 1980, 450-461.

"Assault on the President: The Randolph-Jackson Affair of 1833," Presidential Studies Quarterly, Summer 1982.

"Economic Interest Groups and the Formation of Foreign Policy in the Early Republic," Journal of the Early Republic, Winter 1994, 476-484.

Chapters

"Stephen Mallory and the Confederate Navy" in John M. Belohlavek and L.N. Wynne, ed., Divided We Fall (St. Leo College Press, 1991), 11-38.

"Pennsylvania, 1789-1850," in Dennis Downey and Francis J. Bremer, ed., A Guide to the History of Pennsylvania (Greenwood, 1993), 149-200.

"Race, Progress and Destiny: Caleb Cushing and the Quest for American Empire," in Sam Haynes, ed., Manifest Destiny and Empire (Texas A & M, 1997), 21-47.

"George M. Dallas," Edward Purcell, ed., The Vice Presidents (Facts on File, 1998), 102-112.

- "U.S. Foreign Policy, 1800-1867" in William Barney, ed., Blackwell Companion to Nineteenth Century America (Blackwell, 2001), 89-104.
- "U.S. Foreign Policy: 1815-1860," in Robert Beisner, ed. American Foreign Relations: A Guide to the Literature (ABC-Clio Press, 2003), 258-298.
- "John Forsyth" and "Martin Van Buren" in Edward Mihalkanin, ed., American Secretaries of State (Greenwood Press, 2004), 200-212 and 504-511, .
- "Texas Annexation," in William Shade, ed., Encyclopedia of U.S. Political History, 3: Expansion, Divison, and Reonstruciton, 1841-1877 (CQ Press, 2010)
- "Anthony Butler," in Thomas Leonard, ed., Encyclopedia of United States-Latin American Relations (Sage/CQP Press, 2012)
- "U.S. Military and Diplomatic Affairs during the Antebellum Period," in the Oxford Encyclopedia of American Military and Diplomatic History (Oxford, 2012),
- "In Defense of Doughface Diplomacy: The Foreign Policy of James Buchanan," in John Quist and Michael Birkner, eds., James Buchanan and the Coming of the Civil War (University Press of Florida, 2013) 111-130..
- "John Quincy Adams Diplomacy and American Empire," in David Walstreicher, ed., A Companion to John Adams and John Quincy Adams (Wiley-Blackwell, 2013), 281-304.

REVIEW ESSAYS

- Robert Tucker and David Hendrickson, Empire of Liberty: The Statecraft of Thomas Jefferson in Diplomatic History, Fall, 1991, 599-605.
- Robert Remini, Henry Clay: Statesman for the Union in Florida Historical Quarterly, April 1993, 481-491.
- Louis Masur, Lincoln's Hundred Days, Harold Holzer, Emancipating Lincoln, John Fabian Witt, Lincoln's Code in Reviews in American History, December 2013

BOOK REVIEWS

- John S. Wright, Lincoln and the Politics of Slavery in the Florida Historical Quarterly, July 1971, 80-81.
- E. Merton Coulter, William G. Brownlow: Fighting Parson of the Southern Highlands in Tennessee Historical Quarterly, Fall 1971, 331-32.

Morton M. Rosenberg, Iowa on the Eve of the Civil War: A Decade of Frontier Politics in Nebraska History, Winter 1972, 550-52.

John Schroeder, Mr. Polk's War: Opposition and Dissent in the Mexican War, 1846-48 in Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography, July 1974, 407-08.

American Philosophical Society Symposium, Crucial American Elections in Journal of Southern History, August 1974, 473-74.

John F. Coleman, The Disruption of the Pennsylvania Democracy, 1848-60 in Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography January 1976, 137-39.

Michael Birkner, Samuel Southard: Jeffersonian Whig in American Historical Review, April 1985, 187-88.

Charles Wiltse, ed., The Papers of Daniel Webster, VI in Journal of the Early Republic, Spring 1985, 1987-88.

Richard K. Matthews, Radical Politics of Thomas Jefferson in Presidential Studies Quarterly, Fall 1985, 851-53.

Hendrik Booraem, The Formation of the Republican Party in New York: Politics and Conscience in the Antebellum North in Presidential Studies Quarterly, Winter 1986, 125-26.

Charles Wiltse, ed., The Papers of Daniel Webster, Speeches, and Formal Writings, I in Journal of the Early Republic, Winter 1987.

Richard Ellis, The Union at Risk in The Historian, November 1988, 134-35.

Thomas Schott, Alexander H. Stephens in Florida Historical Quarterly, April 1989, 494-96.

Robert Remini, The Legacy of Andrew Jackson in Register of the Kentucky Historical Society, Autumn 1988, 382-83.

Paul Bergeron, The Presidency of James K. Polk in Civil War History, Spring 1990, 79-80.

John Niven, John C. Calhoun and the Price of Union in Florida Historical Quarterly, January 1990, 363-64.

E.B. Smith, The Presidencies of Zachary Taylor and Millard Fillmore in The Historian, February 1990, 339.

Kenneth Stevens, Border Diplomacy: The Caroline and McLeod Affairs in Anglo-American-Canadian Relations, 1837-42 in Register of the Kentucky Historical Society, Autumn 1990, 469-470.

John Johnson, A Hemisphere Apart: The Foundations of United States Policy toward Latin America in American Historical Review, June 1991, 837-838.

David Zarefsky, Lincoln, Douglas, and Slavery: In the Crucible of Public Debate in Register of the Kentucky Historical Society, Spring 1992, 194-195.

John Taylor, William Seward in Florida Historical Quarterly, Summer 1992, 99-101.

Harold Moser, ed., The Papers of Andrew Jackson: Vol. 3 and Clyde N. Wilson, ed., The Papers of John C. Calhoun: Vol. 20 in Register of the Kentucky Historical Society, Winter 1993, 90-92.

William Weeks, John Quincy Adams and American Global Empire in Journal of the Early Republic, Winter 1993.

Melba Hay, ed. The Papers of Henry Clay: Supplement in the Florida Historical Quarterly, January 1994. 373-74.

Donald B. Cole, The Presidency of Andrew Jackson in Georgia Historical Quarterly, Fall, 1994, 623-624.

Forrest McDonald, The American Presidency: An Intellectual History in the Register of the Kentucky Historical Society, Autumn, 1994, 417-419.

The Papers of James Madison, Secretary of State, Vol. 3: 1802 in the Journal of the Early Republic, 1995.

Frederick M. Binder, James Buchanan and American Empire in the American Historical Review, June, 1996. 916-917.

Greg Russell, John Quincy Adams and the Public Virtues of Diplomacy in the Journal of American History, September, 1996.

The Papers of Andrew Jackson, Vol. 5: 1821-24 in the Register of the Kentucky Historical Society, Winter, 1997, 96-98.

Gary Gallagher, ed., R.E. Lee: The Soldier in the Florida Historical Quarterly, Spring, 1997, 478-480.

Howard Jones, Prologue to Manifest Destiny: Anglo-American Relations in the 1840s in the Journal of the Early Republic, Winter, 1997.

The Papers of Salmon P. Chase, Vol. 4: 1863-64 in the Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography, Fall, 1998, 310-312.

- John Marszalek, The Petticoat Affair: Manners, Mutiny, and Sex in Andrew Jackson's White House in the American Historical Review, December, 1998, 1694-1695.
- Charles Hubbard, The Burden of Confederate Diplomacy in Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Fall, 1998, 220-221.
- Donald Frazier, ed., The United States and Mexico at War: Nineteenth-Century Expansion and Conflict (New York: Simon and Schuster, 1998) AND
Iris H.W. Engstrand and Richard Griswold del Castillo, eds., Culture y Cultura: Consequences of the U.S.-Mexican War, 1846-1848 (College Station: Texas A & M University Press, 1998) in the Journal of the Early Republic, Spring 1999, pp. 151-153.
- James L. Lewis, Jr., The American Union and the Problem of Neighborhood: The United States and the Collapse of the Spanish Empire, 1783-1829 (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 1998) on the H-SHEAR NET on March 23, 1999.
- Kirk Savage, Standing Soldiers, Kneeling Slaves: Race, War, and Monument in Nineteenth-Century America (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1997) in the Florida Historical Quarterly, Summer, 1999, pp. 130-132.
- Lawrence Kaplan, Thomas Jefferson: Westward the Course of Empire (Wilmington, DE: Scholarly Resources, 1999) on line for AMERICAN DIPLOMACY in September, 1999.
- Carroll Van West, ed., The Tennessee Encyclopedia of History and Culture (Nashville: Tennessee Historical Society, 1990, in the Register of the Kentucky Historical Society, Spring 1999, pp. 234-235.
- J. Tracy Power, Lee's Miserables: Life in the Army of Northern Virginia from the Wilderness to Appomattox (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 1998) in the Florida Historical Quarterly, Winter, 2000, pp. 380-382.
- David Pletcher, The Diplomacy of Trade and Investment: U.S. Economic Expansion in the Western Hemisphere. 1865-1900 (Columbia: University of Missouri Press, 1998) for the H-DIPLO Roundtable On-line.
- Thomas Leonard, James K. Polk: A Clear and Unquestionable Destiny (Wilmington: Scholarly Resources, 2001) for H-Net On-line
- Jane Landers, ed., Colonial Plantations and Economy in Florida, (Gainesville: University of Florida Press, 2000) in Journal of American Ethnic History, Summer 2001, 122-123.
- Robert E. May, Manifest Destiny's Underworld: Filibustering in the Nineteenth Century, Chapel Hill: U. of North Carolina Press, 2002) in American Historical Review, Fall 2003.

Don Cole, A Jackson Man: Amos Kendall and the Rise of American Democracy (LSU, 2004) in Journal of American History (2005)

The Papers of Andrew Jackson, Vol. 6 (University of Tennessee Press, 2002) in East Tennessee Historical Review (2005)

Gretchen Murphy, Hemispheric Imaginings: The Monroe Doctrine and Narratives of U.S. Empire (Duke, 2005) in H-SHEAR internet review, February 2006

H.W. Brands, Andrew Jackson: His Life and Times (Doubleday, 2005) in Register of the Kentucky Historical Society (Winter, 2006), pp. 143-44

William Dusinberre, James K. Polk: Slavemaster President (Oxford, 2003) in Tennessee Historical Quarterly (Spring, 2006)

Ed Crapol, John Tyler: The Accidental President (North Carolina, 2006) in the Journal of American History (March 2007), p. 1235

Mark Cheatham, Andrew Jackson Donelson (LSU, 2007) in the Journal of Southern History (November 2008) 965-66.

Brian DeLay, War of a Thousand Deserts in Diplomatic History (2009)

Joan Waugh, Ulysses S. Grant: American Hero, American Myth in History Teacher, February 2010, 312-313.

James R. Boylston and Allen J. Weiner, David Crockett in Congress: The Rise and Fall the Poor Man's Friend in Journal of East Tennessee History, 2010,125-26.

Timothy Mason Roberts, Distant Revolutions: 1848 and the Challenge to American Exceptionalism H-Diplo Roundtable, February 2011.

Robert W. Merry, A Country of Vast Designs: James K. Polk, the Mexican War and the Conquest of the American Continent in Register of the Kentucky Historical Society (Spring 2011), 234-236.

Felice Flanery Lewis, Trailing Clouds of Glory: Zachary Taylor's Mexican War Campaign and His Emerging Civil War Leaders, H-Net/ H-Civil War, May 2011.

Fiona Deans Halloran, Thomas Nast: The Father of American Political Cartoons in The History Teacher (2013)

PROFESSIONAL PAPERS/CONFERENCES

- Great Plains Historical, Grand Forks, North Dakota, Paper on "The Politics of Scandal: John B. Floyd as Secretary War," October 1970.
- Florida conference of Social Science Teachers, Tampa, Florida, Paper on "Humanizing History," April 1973.
- Southwestern Historical Association, Ft. Worth, Texas, Commentator, March 1979.
- Southwestern Historical Association, Houston, Texas, Paper on "The Charles Biddle Mission to Panama, 1835-36," March 1980.
- Southwestern Historical Association, Dallas, Texas, Commentator, March 1981.
- Southwestern Historical Association, San Antonio, Texas, Chairman, March 1982.
- Southwestern Historical Association, Houston, Texas, Commentator, March 1983.
- Southwestern Historical Association, Ft. Worth, Texas, Paper on "Jacksonian Foreign Policy: A Reappraisal," March 1984.
- Southwestern Historical Association, Houston, Texas, Commentator, March 1985.
- Southwestern Historical Association, San Antonio, Texas, Commentator, March 1986.
- Society for Historians of the Early Republic, Philadelphia, Commentator, July 1987.
- Mid America, Springfield, Missouri Chair/Commentator, September 1987.
- Southwestern Historical Association, Little Rock, Ark., Commentator, March 1989.
- Society for Historians of the Early Republic, Charlottesville, Va., Commentator, July 1989.
- Society for Historians of the Early Republic, Toronto, Canada, Commentator, August 1990.
- Southwestern Historical Association, San Antonio, Texas, Commentator, March 1991.
- Mid America Conference, Springfield, Missouri, Commentator, September, 1991.
- Southwestern Historical Association, Austin, Texas, Prize Committee, March 1992.
- Society for Historians of the Early Republic, Gettysburg, PA, Commentator, July 1992.
- Society for Historians of the Early Republic, Chapel Hill, NC, Paper on "Economic Interests and American Foreign Policy," July 1993.
- Society for Historians of the Early Republic, Boston, Commentator, July 1994.

- Southwestern Historical Association, Dallas, Texas, Commentator, March 1995.
- "Race, Progress, and Destiny" Walter Prescott Webb Lecture Series, University of Texas at Arlington, March, 1996.
- Society for Historians of the Early Republic, Nashville, Commentator, July 1996
- Southwestern Historical Association, New Orleans, Commentator, March 1997.
- Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, State College, Pa., Commentator, July 1997.
- Southern Historical Association, Atlanta, Commentator, November 1997.
- Southwestern Historical Association, Corpus Christi, Texas, Commentator, March 1998.
- Organization of American Historians, Indianapolis, Commentator, April 1998.
- Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, Washington, D.C., Commentator, July 1998.
- Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, Lexington, KY, Commentator, July 1999.
- Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, Buffalo, NY, Commentator, July 2000.
- Southern Historical Association, Louisville, KY, Commentator, November 2000.
- Southwestern Historical Association, Fort Worth, Commentator, March 2001
- Organization of American Historians, Los Angeles, CA, Commentator, April 2001.
- Southwestern Historical Association, San Antonio, Commentator, April 2006
- Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, Commentator, July 2007
- Organization of American Historians, NY, Paper on "Women and the Mexican War" March 2008
- Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, Commentator, July 2008
- President James Buchanan National Symposium, Lancaster, PA, Paper on "A Re-examination of the Foreign Policy of James Buchanan," September 2008

Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, Paper/Panel Discussion on
“Teaching the Early American Republic,” Springfield, IL, July 2009

Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, “The Role of Public Opinion in
U.S. Foreign Policy in the Early Republic,” Commentator, June 2010

Organization of American Historians, “Andrew Jackson: A Historical Perspective,”
Chair, Washington, D.C., April 2010.

DEPARTMENT, COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Member, Library Committee, 1970-1971; 1975-1976

Member/Chair, Department Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, 1982-1984, 2003-2007

Member, Executive Council (Department Tenure and Promotion Committee), 1971; 1975-
1976, 1991-1993, 1994-1995, 2003-2005, 2009

Chairperson, Executive Council, 1976-1977, 1992-93, 1994-95

Chairperson, Ph.D. Development Committee, 1991, 2004

Graduate Coordinator (M.A. program), 1984-1989

Chairperson, Department of History, 1995-2001

Member, Dean's Search Committee, College of Social and Behavioral Sciences, 1974-1975

Chairperson, Faculty-Staff Scholarship - Library Campaign, College of Arts and Sciences,
1977

Chairperson, College Student Evaluations Committee, 1977

Member, Faculty Advisory Committee (College Tenure and Promotion Committee), 1983-
1984

Member, College Graduate Council, 1985-86, 1988-89, 1991-1993

Member, College Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, 1990-91

Member, Arts and Sciences/Education Articulation Committee, 1992-93, 2005-

Member, University Disciplinary Committee, 1973-1974

Member, Faculty Senate, 1973-1976

Chairperson, University Freshman Experience Committee, 1992
Chair, Steering Committee, College of Arts and Sciences Chairs, 1999-2000
Chair, U.S.F. Search Committee for Lakeland Campus Dean, 1999
Member, U.S.F. Search Committee for Provost and Vice President, 2001
Member, USF Fees Committee, 2011-
Faculty Athletic Representative to the NCAA, 2011-
Chair, USF Athletics Council, 2011-

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

ACT, Testing Service, Program Development, 1977-1988
ETS, Testing Service, Evaluation Member, 1978-
Chief Faculty Consultant, ETS, AP U.S. History, 1994-1997
Chair, Test Development Committee, ETS, AP U.S. History, 1997- 2000
Prepared and taught Radio/TV course based on "The Adams Chronicles," 1976-1977
Workshops for secondary school teachers on the U.S.S.R. and comparative economic systems for the Center for Economic Education, U.S.F., 1981-1982
Professional Development Seminars for secondary school teachers in Pinellas, Pasco, and Lee Counties (Florida) on Soviet economics and culture, 1982-83
Teaching American History Grant Coordinator, Pinellas County Middle Schools, 2006-2008
ETS Workshops for Advanced Placement Teachers, 1989-2004
Florida Membership Chair, Southern Historical Association, 1990
Editorial Board, Journal of the Early Republic, 1995-1998
Organization of American Historians, Council of Chairs, Newsletter, "The Role of the Table Leader at the Advanced Placement Reading," 1991
Member, Organization of American Historians Committee to select the "*Ten Best Essays in American History*" published annually, 2006-2008

Member, Organization of American Historians, Pelzer Prize Committee, to select the best article by a graduate student to be published in the JAH, 2009-2011
Member, Editorial Board, University Press of Florida, 2009-

Manuscript reviews for the following professional journals between 1983-2011:
Journal of the Early Republic, Journal of Southern History, Diplomatic History,
Journal of American History, American Historical Review, Civil War History

Manuscript review for the following university/commercial presses: University of Nebraska Press, University of Alabama Press, University of Tennessee Press, Kent State University Press, A.A. Knopf, McGraw-Hill, Longmans, Oxford

Consultant to the College of Education, U.S.F., Department of Education, State of Florida, Grant involving the development of history units for public school teachers. Formulated units on "Greatness in History," utilizing the lives and careers on Thomas Jefferson, Alexander Hamilton, and Tecumseh, 1984

Phi Alpha Theta Book Award Committee (Member/Chair), 1998-

Advisory Board, *The Papers of James Monroe* and *The Papers of Andrew Jackson*

COMMUNITY SERVICE (INCLUDES ONLY THE LAST TWENTY YEARS)

Board Member, State Board of Community Colleges, 1992-2000
Vice Chair, State Board of Community Colleges, 1995-96
Chair, State Board of Community colleges, 1996-97

Campaign advisor/coordinator to Governor/Senator Lawton Chiles, 1990, 1994

Board Member, Foundation for Florida Colleges, 2000-

Board Member, City of Tampa Ethics Commission, 2004-

Member, Florida Humanities Council, 2005-

Chair, Florida Humanities Council, 2011-2013

Numerous television and radio broadcasts on current state and national political issues and foreign affairs, and speaking engagements (i.e. Newburyport (MA) Literary Festival, Historical Society of Old Newbury, DAR and Daughters of the Confederacy, Friends of the Lutz Library, Florida Historical Society Annual Banquet)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Organization of American Historians
Society for Historians of the Early Republic
Southern Historical Association

