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EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor, Indiana State University, 2003-present

Courses taught: United States since 1865; US Diplomacy; Modern Asian History, History and Historians; Southeast Asian History; Graduate Proseminar in U.S. History, Graduate Research Seminar

Assistant Professor, Saint Anselm College, 1997-2003

Coordinator, Research Center on International Affairs, New Hampshire Institute of Politics at Saint Anselm College, 2001-2003

Adjunct Assistant Professor, SUNY-Cortland, 1995-1996

Lecturer, Cornell University, 1994, Course taught: United States and Vietnam

Teaching Assistant, Cornell University, 1989-1991, 1993

Research Historian, History Associates, Inc., 1987-1988, research for the official history of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission

Research Associate, Miranda Associates, Inc., part-time during 1985-1987, co-author citizenship textbooks (*American History* and *United States Government*) for Immigration and Naturalization Service

EDUCATION

Cornell University, PhD in History, 1995; MA in History 1991

American University, BA in History and International Relations, 1987

PUBLICATIONS

Projections of Power: The U.S. in Colonial Southeast Asia, 1919-1941, under contract with Duke University Press.

“Prohibiting Opium in the Philippines and United States: Creation of an Interventionist State,” book chapter in Al McCoy and Francisco Scarano, eds. *Colonial Crucible*, University of Wisconsin Press, publication scheduled for March 2009.

“Avoiding the Status of Denmark: Dutch Fears about Loss of Empire in Southeast Asia,” solicited chapter forthcoming in Chris Goscha and Christian Ostermann, eds. *Connected Histories: Decolonization and the Cold War in Asian International History*.

“The Practice of History in Community,” *Engaged Teaching and Learning* 1 (Spring 2007) pp. 1-4.

“Timing, Balance of Power, and the Decision in Vietnam,” article for Roundtable on Gareth Porter’s *Perils of Dominance: Imbalance of Power and the Road to War in Vietnam*, solicited article *Passport*, the newsletter for the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations (August 2006).

co-editor, *The American Colonial State in the Philippines: Global Perspectives*, including my

- essay, "Models for Governing: Opium and Colonial Policies in Southeast Asia, 1898-1910," (Duke University Press, 2003; Philippine edition by Anvil Press, 2005).
- "Before the War: Legacies from the Early Twentieth Century in United States-Vietnam Relations," in Marilyn Young and Robert Buzzanco, eds., *Blackwell Companion to the Vietnam War* (Blackwell Publishers, 2002).
- "Prohibition as Superiority: Policing Opium in South-East Asia, 1898-1925," *International History Review* (June 2000).
- "Secret Police Cooperation and the Coming of the Cold War in Southeast Asia," *Journal of American-East Asian Relations* (December 1995).
- "French, Dutch, British and U.S. Reactions to the Nghe-Tinh Rebellions of 1930-1931," in Stein Tonnesson and Hans Antlov, eds. *Imperial Policy and Colonial Revolt* (Copenhagen, 1995).

BOOK REVIEWS

- The Blood of Government: Race, Empire, the United States and the Philippines* by Paul A. Kramer, review forthcoming in *Journal of Southern History* and commentary forthcoming for H-Diplo Roundtable discussion
- Troubled Relations: The United States and Cambodia since 1870* by Kenton Clymer, for H-Diplo Roundtable discussion, October 2008
- Facing the Pacific: Polynesia and the U.S. Imperial Imagination* by Jeffrey Geiger, in *Journal of American History*, June 2008
- Secret Trades, Porous Borders: Smuggling and States along a Southeast Asian Frontier, 1865-1915* by Eric Tagliacozzo, *The Social History of Alcohol and Drugs*, Spring 2006
- Assuming the Burden: Europe and the American Commitment to War in Vietnam* by Mark Atwood Lawrence, for H-Diplo Roundtable discussion, May 2006
- The Historical Dictionary of the Philippines* edited by Artemio Guillermo, under preparation for H-Asia
- Southeast Asia: A Concise History* by Mary Somers Heidhues for *Journal of Asian Business*, 2005 (volume 21, number 1)
- Cold War Orientalism: Asia in the Middlebrow Imagination, 1945-1961* by Christina Klein, *Journal of Asian Studies*, February 2004
- Bargaining with the State from Afar: American Citizenship in Treaty Port China, 1844-1942* by Eileen P. Scully, *Intelligence and National Security*, Winter 2003
- American Vision of the Netherlands East Indies/Indonesia: US Foreign Policy and Indonesian Nationalism, 1920-1949* by Frances Gouda and Thijs Brocades Zaalberg, *Journal of American History*, June 2003
- Constructing a Security Community in Southeast Asia: ASEAN and the Problem of Regional Order*, by Amitav Acharya for *Peace and Change*, January 2003
- Drug Diplomacy in the Twentieth Century: An International History* by William B. McAllister for *International History Review*, December 2002
- American Tragedy: Kennedy, Johnson, and the Origins of the Vietnam War* by David E. Kaiser, *The Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography*, January/April 2001

- “Beginning and Ending War: The United States and the Vietnam War,” review of *Choosing War: The Lost Chance for Peace and the Escalation of War in Vietnam* by Fredrik Logevall and *Peace Now! American Society and the Ending of the Vietnam War* by Rhodri Jeffreys-Jones, *Reviews in American History*, December 2000
- The Scar that Binds: American Culture and the Vietnam War* by Keith Beattie for *The Journal of American History*, June 1999
- At War in the Shadow of Vietnam: U.S. Military Aid to the Royal Lao Government, 1955-1975* by Timothy N. Castle for *Journal of Southeast Asian Studies*, (29,2) 1998
- Indochina in the 1940s and 1950s*, edited by Takashi Shiraishi for *Journal of Southeast Asian Studies*, September 1995

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED LECTURES

- “Imperialism and the United States: Colonial Power in 20th Century Southeast Asia,” inaugural lecture in the speaker series United States in the World: New Perspectives, Department of History, University of Iowa, October 29-30, 2008
- “Still the Worst Chapter?” US Imperialism and Narratives of US History,” Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, Columbus, OH, June 26-28, 2008
- “Prohibiting Opium in the Philippines and United States: Creation of an Interventionist State,” presented at Global Approaches to the History of Alcohol and Drugs, Guelph, Canada, August 9-12, 2007
- “Opium and the Civilizing Mission: New Approaches to Imperialism in Southeast Asia,” invited speaker, Southeast Asia Program, Northern Illinois University, DeKalb IL, March 2, 2007.
- “Prohibiting Opium in the Philippines and United States: Creation of an Interventionist State,” presented at Transitions and Transformations in the U.S. Imperial State, Madison, WI, November 2006.
- “Opium and the Civilizing Mission: A Relationship of Dependence,” Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, College Park, MD, June 23-25, 2005.
- “Building Nations after Failure: The Philippines and Vietnam Compared,” Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, Austin, Texas, June 24-27, 2004
- “Protecting Filipinos from their Neighbors: Opium in the Philippines,” 7th International Conference on Philippine Studies, International Institute for Asian Studies, Leiden, the Netherlands, June 16-19, 2004
- “Is There a New Imperial History?: Looking for Answers in Unlikely Places,” keynote address, Contested Terrains: Empires, Borders, Control and Resistance, Graduate Student Conference, Department of History, Indiana University-Bloomington, April 2004.
- “Opium Restriction in U.S.-British Relations in Colonial Asia, 1899-1931,” Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, June 2001, Washington, D.C.
- “From Red Menace to Yellow Peril: Changing Perceptions of the Threat to Southeast Asia in the 1930s,” Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, June 2000, Toronto, Canada

- “Race and the Foreign Policies of Opium Suppression, 1900-1940,” Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, June 1999, Princeton, New Jersey
- “Americanizing an Unready World: U.S. Relations with Colonial Asia, 1898-1940,” invited speaker for the 56th Foreign Policy Seminar, December 4, 1998, University of Connecticut at Storrs
- “From Opium to Aspirin: Consuming Morality in Colonial Southeast Asia,” Annual Meeting of the American Historical Association, January 1998, Seattle, Washington
- “Explaining *Merdeka*: Indonesian Attempts to Influence U.S. Policy toward the Indonesian Revolution,” Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, June 1997, Washington, D.C.
- “The Project of the Police: Colonial Police Forces in the Philippines and the Netherlands Indies, 1900-1940,” Annual Meeting of the Association of Asian Studies, March 1997, Chicago, Illinois
- How It Looked to Them: Power in Interwar Indonesia,” Annual Meeting of the Organization of American Historians, April 1995, Washington, D.C.
- “Old Strategies for a Changing World: Foreign Relations in Southeast Asia between the World Wars,” Brown Bag talk for Cornell University Southeast Asia Program, Sept. 15, 1994
- “Tomorrow It Could be Us: Political Cooperation among Colonial Powers in Southeast Asia, 1919-1939,” Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, June 1993, Charlottesville, VA
- “French, Dutch, British, and U.S. Reactions to the Nghe-Tinh Rebellions of 1930-1931,” Workshop on Colonial Power and Asian Nationalism,” Nordic Institute of Asian Studies, May 14-15, 1993, Copenhagen, Denmark

GRANTS AND AWARDS

- Liberal Learning in Action, for project “Connections to the Nation: The Wabash Valley in United States History,” September 2008-May 2009
- Liberal Learning in Action/Focus Indiana Grant, for project “Memories of the Holocaust: Oral Histories from the Wabash Valley,” September 2005-May 2006
- University Research Grant, for project “Colonial Opium Policies in Southeast Asia, 1850-1940: Challenges to Imperial Power and Moral Authority,” September 2005-July 2006
- Liberal Learning in Action/Focus Indiana Grant, for project “Learning and Living our Past: Oral Histories of the Wabash Valley,” September 2004-May 2005
- Faculty Summer Research Grant, Saint Anselm College, Summer 1999
- Visiting Fellow, Cornell University Southeast Asia Program, 1995-1997
- Dissertation Completion Year Fellowship, awarded by History Department, Cornell University, funding from Mellon Foundation, September 1993-August 1994
- Grant Recipient, Program on Peace and International Cooperation, John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation, January 1992-January 1993
- Post-examinations Semester Fellowship, awarded by History Department, Cornell University, funding from Mellon Foundation, Fall 1992
- Sage Graduate Fellowship, Cornell University, Fall 1988-Spring 1991

SERVICE AT INDIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

Service to the University

Member, Faculty Advisory Committee, Career Center

Member, Graduate Academic Integrity Council (2 cases heard), 2004-2005

Service to the College of Arts and Sciences

Member, Liberal Studies Task Force, September 2007-present

Departmental representative, Council of Academic Advisors, January-December 2005, August 2006-present

Service to the Department of History

Curriculum Committee, August 2007-present

Graduate Committee, 2006-2007

Salary Committee, 2006-2007

Curriculum Committee, Fall 2005

Budget Committee, Fall 2005

Search Committee, Russia/East Europe position, 2004-05

Search Committee, Continental Europe position, 2004-05

Graduate, September 2004-2005

Grievance, September 2004-2005

Salary, September 2004-2005

Budget Committee, 2003-04

Curriculum Committee, 2003-04

Search Committee, Ancient/Medieval position, 2003-04

REVIEWER FOR ACADEMIC JOURNALS

Journal of American History, International History Review, Journal of the Gilded Age and Progressive Era

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

program committee member, annual meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, June 2009 meeting

committee chair, Willi Paul Adams Award for the best book on U.S. History published in a foreign language, Organization of American Historians, 2007-2009

presenter, "Executive Power, Foreign Relations, and the Constitution," on panel for Constitution Day Celebration, Indiana State University, September 17, 2007

chair and commentator, "New Histories of Race and US Empire," Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, Lawrence, KS, June 23-35, 2006

committee member, Stuart L. Bernath Scholarly Article Prize, Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, 2005-06 academic year

presenter, "Teaching and the Job Search," panel for Preparing Future Faculty, Department of History, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN, April 15, 2005

committee member, Stuart L. Bernath Scholarly Article Prize, Society for Historians of Americans Foreign Relations, 2004-05 academic year

chair and commentator, "Identity and Remembrance in Filipino-American Relations," Annual

Meeting for the Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations, Austin, Texas, June 24-27, 2004

- chapter contributor, *American Foreign Relations since 1600: A Guide to the Literature*, 2nd edition, edited by Robert L. Beisner, chapter titled "United States, Asia, the Pacific, the Middle East and Africa, 1899-1919," (ABC-Clio, 2003)
- committee chair, Holt Graduate Fellowship committee, Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, 2002-2003 academic year
- contributor (10 entries), *Historical Dictionary of U.S.-East Asian Relations*, ed. by James I. Matray, (Greenwood Publishing Inc., 2002)
- committee member, Holt Graduate Fellowship committee, Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, 2001-2002 academic year
- workshop presenter, "Living with War in Southeast Asia, 1945-2000," at the Highlights Conference of the World History Symposium at Northeastern University's World History Center, October 26, 2001
- workshop presenter, "Living with War in Southeast Asia, 1945-2000," at World History Symposium, Northeastern University's World History Center, May 2001
- committee member, Holt Graduate Fellowship committee, Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, 2000-2001 academic year
- workshop presenter Ethics of Trade and Ownership in Southeast Asia: The Ethnic Chinese and Europeans, at World History Symposium, Northeastern University's World History Center, May 4, 2000
- commentator, "Indochina in the Early Cold War: From European Colonialism to American Commitment," Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, June 1999, Princeton, New Jersey
- presentation "Effects of Economic Change on Everyday Life in Southeast Asia," teacher training workshop sponsored by The Asia Society, New York, NY, November 5, 1996
- "National Resource Centers for the Study of Asia," resource article in *Education about Asia*, Fall 1996
- presentation "Religious Influence in Southeast Asia," at workshop "Religion in Asia" sponsored by The Asia Society, New York, NY, June 26, 1996
- presentation "Teaching Continuity and Change in Southeast Asia," at conference "Asia in our Schools" sponsored by The Asia Society, New York, NY, April 18, 1996
- chair and commentator, "U.S. Foreign Policy in the 1920s," Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, June 1995, Annapolis, MD

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- American Historical Association
- Organization of American Historians
- Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations
- Society for History of Alcohol and Drugs

LANGUAGES

Dutch: Read, Write–good; Speak–fair
French: Read, Write–good; Speak– fair
German: Read–fair