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Education: Ph.D. History 2001 – **University of North Carolina**

Chapel Hill, North Carolina

M.A. History 1994 – **University of North Carolina**

Chapel Hill, North Carolina

B.A. History and English 1991 – **University of Illinois**

Urbana-Champaign, Illinois

Current Position: University of Southern Maine

Interim Provost and Vice-President of   
Academic Affairs, 2022-2023

Dean, College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences, July, 2017-Present

Interim Dean, College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences, October, 2015 – July, 2017

Chief of Staff, President’s Office, July 2015 – October 2015

Associate Dean, College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences, November, 2010 – June, 2015

Associate Professor of History, August 2007 – Present

Assistant Professor of History, August 2001 – August 2007

Dissertation: “‘Horace Greeley’s Lost Book’: The *New-York Tribune* and the Origins of Social Democratic Liberalism in America”

Director – Charles Capper

Publications:

Books:

*Horace Greeley’s New-York Tribune: Civil War-Era Socialism and the Crisis of Free Labor* (Cornell University Press, November 2009)

*Walking*, Henry David Thoreau (Tilbury House, 2017), Editor and Introduction

Articles and Essays:

“‘Dreams of Wild and Magnificent Scenery’: Elizabeth Oakes Smith’s Katahdin,” *Maine History* (Forthcoming).

“‘Woman and Her Needs’: Elizabeth Oakes Smith and the Divorce

Question,” *Journal of Women’s History* 28(Spring 2016): 38-59.

“Fourierism in America,” *Encyclopedia of the American Enlightenment* (Thoemmes Continuum, February 2015).

“‘More Anon’: American Socialism and Margaret Fuller’s 1848,” *Margaret Fuller and Her Circles*, edited by Brigitte Bailey, Katheryn P. Viens, and Conrad Edick Wright (University of New Hampshire Press, 2013).

“‘The Bourgeoisie Will Fall and Fall Forever’: The *New-York Tribune*, the 1848 French Revolution, and the Evolution of Social Democratic Discourse in the United States,” *Journal of American History* 92 (September 2005): 470-97.

“‘Her Cause Against Herself’: Margaret Fuller, Emersonian Democracy, and the Nineteenth-Century Public Intellectual,” *American Nineteenth Century History* 5 (Spring 2004): 66-99.

“Frederic Hudson” and for *The Encyclopedia of the American Civil War: A Political, Social, and Military History* (Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2001).

“Samuel Gridley Howe” for *The Encyclopedia of the American Civil War: A Political, Social, and Military History* (Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2001).

Book Reviews and Other Publications:

Ann L. Tucker, *European Nationalist Movements and the Making of the Confederacy* for *The Journal of Southern History* 87 (November 2021), 727-28.

Carl J. Guarneri, *Lincoln’s Informer: Charles A. Dana and the Inside Story of the Union Civil War*, for *American Nineteenth Century History* 21 (Winter 2020): 318-20.

Daniel S. Malachuk, *Two Cities: The Polotical Thought of American Transcendentalism*, for *American Political Thought* (Winter 2018): 171-74.

Gary R. Entz, *Llewellyn Castle: A Worker’s Cooperative on the Great Plains*, *Journal of American History* 101(December 2014): 951-52.

Mark J. Noonan, *Reading* The Century Illustrated Monthly Magazine*: American Literature and Culture, 1870-1893* for *The American Historical Review* 117(February 2012): 207-08.

David Work, *Lincoln’s Political Generals* for *The Historian* 73 (Fall 2011): 592-94.

Joan Waugh, *U.S. Grant: American Hero, American Myth* for *The Journal of Southern History* 77 (August 2011): 713-15.

Robert C. Williams, *Horace Greeley: Champion of American Freedom* for *Journalism History* 32 (Winter 2007): 252.

Paola Gemme, *Domesticating Foreign Struggles: The Italian Risorgimento and Antebellum American Identity* for *The Journal of American History* 93 (September 2006): 516-17.

Jeremiah E. Goulka, ed., *The Grand Old Man of Maine: Selected Letters of Joshua Lawrence Chamberlain, 1865-1914* for *The Journal of Southern History* 71 (December 2005): 900-01.

Mark Voss-Hubbard, *Beyond Party: Cultures of Antipartisanship in Northern Politics before the Civil War* for *American Nineteenth Century History* 4 (Fall 2003):133-35.

Peter H. Buckingham, *All’s for the Best: The Civil War Reminiscences and Letters of Daniel W. Sawtelle, Eight Maine Volunteer Infantry* (Knoxville: University of Tennessee Press, 2001), for the *Journal of Southern History* 69 (August 2003): 717-718.

Jay Winik, *April 1865: The Month That Saved America* (New York: Harper Collins, 2001) for *Maine History* 40 (Winter 2001-2002): 340-42.

H. Edward Richardson, *Cassius Marcellus Clay: Firebrand of Freedom* for *Southern Historian* (Spring 1998).

Professional Presentations:

Chair and Comment, “The Civil War and its Legacies,” New England Historical Association Meeting, Portland, Maine, April 13, 2019

Chair and Comment, “The Union, the Confederacy, and Latin America in Transnational Perspective,” Southern Historical Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, November 13-16, 2014

Comment, “The Construction of Radical Networks in the Antebellum Era.” Meeting of the Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, July 17-20, 2014.

“The Administration of Advising: The Case for Specialization and Investment,” World Universities Forum, Lisbon, Portugal, University of Lisbon, January 9-10, 2014.

“Carl Schurz and the Liberal Revolt: Imperialism and the Dilemmas of Reconstruction.” UnCivil Wars, University of Georgia, October 24-27, 2013.

“Ralph Waldo Emerson and the Political Economy of *English Traits*.” Conversazioni in Italia, “Emerson, Hawthorne, Poe, and Transatlantic Literary Culture,” Florence, Italy, June 6-8, 2012. (Accepted but not delivered.)

“To Neither Play nor Study but to Earnestly Live”: Using Thoreau and Outdoor Education in the First Year Experience,” co-author with Lynn Kuzma, 23rd International Conference on The First-Year Experience, June 7-10, 2010 in Maui, Hawaii.

“Roots of Liberal Republicanism: Santo Domingo, Anti-imperialism, and the Fate of Reconstruction” "Race, Politics, Prostitution and the Collapse of Reconstruction in the American

South” for the Historical Society’s 2010 Conference “Historical Inquiry in the New Century,” George Washington University, Washington, DC, June 3-5, 2010. (Accepted but not delivered.)

“‘More anon’: American Socialism and Margaret Fuller’s 1848.’” “Margaret Fuller and Her Circles,” for the Massachusetts Historical Society, Boston, MA, April 8-10, 2010.

Comment, “The Revolutionary Legacy in the 1850s Writings of Melville, Douglass, and Delany.” Meeting of the Society for Historians of the Early American Republic, Springfield, Illinois, July 16-19, 2009.

“Spirits Bound to the Same Haven”: American Fourierists, Marriage, and the Political Economy of Love.” Co-authored with Kathryn Tomasek, Wheaton College. Les socialistes et le mariage - Socialists and Marriage, Laboratoire de Démographie historique de l'Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales, Paris, France, October 5-7, 2006.

Chair, “The Long Reconstruction and the Hidden Politics of Race.” Homeland In/Security, New England American Studies Association Meeting, Portland, Maine, September 15-16, 2006.

“The Death of Radicalism: Liberalism, the Market, and the Making of Modern Republicanism.” Homeland In/Security, New England American Studies Association Meeting, Portland, Maine, September 15-16, 2006.

“Liberal Ambiguities: The 1872 Republican Revolt and the Antebellum Free Labor Tradition.” The Louisiana Historical Association Meeting, Lafayette, Louisiana, March 17-19, 2005

“‘Umbilical Cords to Marx’: The *New-York Tribune* and the Liberal Socialist Tradition.” Organization of American History Meeting, Boston, MA, March 25-28, 2004.

Chair, “Otherworlds in Orlando.” The Society for Utopian Studies, annual meeting, Orlando, FL, October 24-27, 2002.

“‘Those Dim New Yorkers’: Transcendentalism, Utopianism, and the Public Intellectual.” The Society for Utopian Studies, annual meeting, Orlando, FL, October 24-27, 2002.

“‘The Bourgeoisie Will Fall and Fall Forever’: The *New-York Tribune*, the l848 French Revolution, and the Evolution of Social Democratic Discourse in the United States.” The American Historical Association meeting, Boston, MA, January 4-7, 200l.

Invited Lectures:

“The History of American Political Parties and Partisanship,”

Panelist, Elevating the Chat, May 19, 2021

Interview, Paul Santommena, “Horace Greeley and American

Socialism,” Podcast, March 10, 2021

“Agriculture and History,” Hall Elementary School, May 18, 2018.

“Invisible New England: The Real New England,” Maine Humanities Council,” West Buxton Library, January 13, February 17, March 24, April 28, June 2, 2018.

“Thoreau and Maine,” Artist Panel Discussion, Maine Museum of Photographic Arts, November 16, 2017.

Co-organizer, Henry David Thoreau and Maine: A Symposium, October 17, 2017, Glickman Library, University of Southern Maine.

“The American Revolutionary Generation,” Maine Humanities Council, Berwick Public Library, October 18, November 15, December 20, 2017; January 17, February 21, 2018.

“Radical Reconstruction: A Short History,” Midcoast Senior College, Brunswick, Maine, October 18, 2017.

“Somehow Slavery Was the Cause of the War,” Durham Community Church, Durham, New Hampshire, September 22, 2016.

“Defining Wilderness, Defining Maine,” Maine Humanities Council,” Bonney Memorial Library, Cornish Maine, June 16, 30; July 21; August 4, 18, 2016.

“One Book, One Community,” Maine Humanities Council, Scarborough Public Library, March 8, 2015.

“One Book, One Community,” Maine Humanities Council, Windham Public Library, March 18, 2014.

“One Book, One Community,” Maine Humanities Council, Westbrook Public Library, March 12, 2014.

“Charitable Giving,” Interview, “Maine Calling,” Maine Public Broadcasting Network, November 27, 2012.

“Slavery, Free Labor, and the Problem of Civil War Causation,” Yarmouth Historical Society, April 16, 2012.

“Introduction,” Michael Kazin, Machiah Center Lecture, University of Southern Maine, April 11, 2012. Broadcast on MPBN, “Speaking in Maine,” April 20, 2012.

“Walt Whitman’s America,” Teaching American History, Funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities and the Maine Humanities Council, Oxford Hills High School, South Paris, Maine, October 5, 2011.

“The Problem of Reconstruction,” Teaching American History Institute, Funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities, Fresno State University, March 11, 2011.

“The Rise and Fall of Radical Reconstruction,” Teaching American History Institute, Funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities, Fresno State University, March 11, 2011.

Seminar Leader: “The Cartoons of Thomas Nast,” Teaching American History Institute, Funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities, Fresno State University, March 11, 2011.

“Transcendentalism in the Age of the Market Revolution,” National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Travel Institute for Teachers, Boston, Massachusetts, June 18, 2010.

“American History Workshop,” Hall Elementary School, May 21, 2010.

“Varieties of Antislavery Thought,” Louisiana Endowment for the Humanities, New Orleans, LA, June 7, 2007

“Incorporating Research in the Undergraduate Classroom,” Southern Maine Community College Summer Institute, August 14, 2006

“What Is It Like to Be an Historian?” Falmouth Middle School History Club, January 20, 2006

“Tocqueville’s America: The United States in the Age of Market Revolutions,” National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute for Teachers, Bowdoin College, July 13, 2004.

“From Away: Plays Without Playwrights,” Portland Stage Company, November 10, 2003.

“Slave Narratives,” Amistad Project, King Middle School, Portland, ME, April 10, 2003.

“Birth of a Nation: The Civil War, Race, and the Consolidation of American Nationalism.” Portland Public Library, Portland, ME, February 6, 2002.

“Reconciliation and the Civil War.” Scholars on the Stage, Portland Stage Company, Portland, ME, February 3, 2002.

“War and Dissent in American History.” September 11th Teach-In, University of Southern Maine, Portland, ME. September 26, 2001.

Manuscript Review:

The Johns Hopkins University Press

University of Illinois Press

Southern Illinois Press

Journal of the History of Ideas

Journal of the Early Republic

ESQ: A Journal of Nineteenth-Century American Literature and Culture

Teaching/Professional Experience:

University of Southern Maine, Associate Professor of History, August 2007 to present

University of Southern Maine, Assistant Professor of History, August 2001 to August 2007

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Instructor, August 2000 to May 2001

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Academic Advisor, August 1998 to May 2001

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Teaching Assistant, August 1993 to May 2000

Awards and Grants:

Learning by Giving, Thoughtful Giving, 2012, 2013-15

Finalist, Kappa Tau Alpha National Honor Society in Journalism and Mass Communication, Frank Luther Mott Research Award for Best Book on Journalism/Mass Communication, 2009

USM Faculty Senate Teaching Award, 2007