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### **Education**

- Ph.D. 2004 The University of Iowa. Iowa City, Iowa.  
Department of History.  
Dissertation: “Strangers and Neighbors: The Tactics of Toleration in the Dutch Exile Community of Wesel, 1550–1590.” Advisors: Benjamin J. Kaplan and Sarah Hanley (awarded the Fritz Stern Prize by the German Historical Institute for best dissertation in German history in 2004).
- M.Litt. 1998 The University of St. Andrews. St. Andrews, Scotland.  
Reformation Studies Institute. Department of History.  
With distinction. Advisor: Andrew Pettegree.
- B.A. 1996 Reed College. Portland, Oregon.  
Department of History.

### **Professional Positions**

- Professor. Washington State University. Fall 2019–present.
- Director. History for the Twenty-First Century. Fall 2021–present.
- Honorary Fellow. Amsterdam Center for the History and Heritage of Protestantism.  
Summer 2021–present.
- Director. The Roots of Contemporary Issues Program. Washington State University. Fall 2012–Spring 2021.
- Researcher in Church History. Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam. Spring 2015–Summer 2021.
- Associate Professor. Washington State University. Fall 2012–Spring 2019.
- Scholar in Residence. Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam. Fall 2013–Summer 2014.
- Assistant Professor. Washington State University. Fall 2007–Spring 2012.

Visiting Assistant Professor. Grinnell College. Fall 2004–Spring 2007.

Instructor/Teaching Assistant. University of Iowa. Fall 1998–Spring 2004.

## **Research**

### **Books**

With Mirjam van Veen. *Dutch Reformed Protestants in the Holy Roman Empire, c.1550–1620: A Reformation of Refugees*. Rochester, NY: University of Rochester Press, 2024.

*Ruptured Lives: Refugee Crises in Historical Perspective*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2021.

*The Convent of Wesel: The Event That Never Was and the Invention of Tradition*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2017. Paperback edition, 2020. Winner of the 2018 DAAD/GSA Book Prize and the 2018 Albert C. Outler Prize in Church History. Subject of a podcast on the New Books Network at <https://newbooksnetwork.com/the-convent-of-wesel>.

*Archeologies of Confession: Writing the German Reformation, 1517–2017*, co-edited with Carina Johnson, David M. Luebke, and Marjorie E. Plummer. New York: Berghahn Books, 2017. Paperback edition, 2019.

*Exile and Religious Identity, 1500–1800*, co-edited with Gary Waite. *Religious Cultures in the Early Modern World*. London: Pickering and Chatto, 2014. Paperback edition: London: Routledge, 2018.

*The Tactics of Toleration: A Refugee Community in the Age of Religious Wars*. Newark, DE: University of Delaware Press, 2011. Paperback edition: University of Virginia Press, 2019. Winner of the 2012 Gerald Strauss Book Prize, awarded by the Sixteenth Century Society.

### **Series Co-editor**

*The Roots of Contemporary Issues: Connecting the Global Past and Present*. Oxford University Press. Five volumes in press.

### **Research Articles**

“Transnational Refugee Networks and the Politics of the Early Dutch Republic, 1568–1590.” *Refugee Politics in Early Modern Europe*, edited by Geert Janssen and David de Boer. London: Bloomsbury, forthcoming.

“Constitutional Dynamism and Demographic Diversity in Early Modern Confessional Coexistence: Dutch Reformed Refugees in the Holy Roman Empire, 1554–1596.” In *Early Modern Toleration: New Approaches*, edited by Benjamin J. Kaplan and Jaap Geraerts, 133–52. London: Routledge, 2024.

“A Response to Philip Benedict’s ‘Of Church Orders and Postmodernism.’” As a part of a *Discussiedossier* dedicated to my book, *The Convent of Wesel: The Event that Never was and the Invention of Tradition*. *BMGN-The Low Countries History Yearbook*, 136, no. 1 (2021): 78–90.

“Reformed Exiles and the Calvinist International in Reformation-Era Europe: A Reappraisal.” *The Oxford Handbook of Calvin and Calvinism*, edited by Bruce Gordon and Carl Trueman, 237–52. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2021.

“Religious Diversity during Europe's Age of Religious Wars (1550–1650).” In *The Wiley Blackwell Companion to Religious Diversity*, edited by Kevin Schilbrack. Malden, MA: Wiley-Blackwell. Peer-reviewed and accepted, but the project was cancelled.

With Clif Stratton, “Connecting Past and Present.” An introduction to each volume of *The Roots of Contemporary Issues* book series, published by Oxford University Press, 2020.

“The Polyphonies of Microhistories: Yair Mintzker and The Many Questions of Historical Perspective.” *Central European History*, 53, no. 1 (2020): 221–27.

“Refugees.” In *John Calvin in Context*, edited by R. Ward Holder, 143–51. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2020.

“Exile Experiences and the Transformations of Religious Cultures in the Sixteenth Century: Kleve, England, East Friesland, and the Palatinate.” *Journal of Early Modern Christianity*, 6, no. 1 (2019): 43–67.

“Social Fiction and Diversity in Post-Reformation Germany.” *Bulletin of the German Historical Institute* 61 (Fall 2017): 1–17.

With Mirjam G. K. van Veen, “The Disputed Origins of Dutch Calvinism: Religious Refugees in the Historiography of the Dutch Reformation.” *Church History* 86, no. 2 (2017): 398–426.

“Invented Memories: The ‘Convent of Wesel’ and the Origins of German and Dutch Calvinism.” In *Archeologies of Confession: Writing Histories of Religion in Germany, 1517–2017*, edited by Carina Johnson, David M. Luebke, Marjorie E. Plummer, and Jesse Spohnholz, 284–303. New York: Berghahn, 2017.

“Archiving and Narration in Post-Reformation Germany and the Netherlands.” *Past and Present* 230, suppl. 11 (2016): 330–48.

With Mirjam G. K. van Veen. “Calvinists vs. Libertines: A New Look at Religious Exile and the Origins of ‘Dutch’ Tolerance.” In *Calvinism and the European Mind*, edited by Gijsbert van den Brink and Harro M. Höpfl, 76–99. Leiden: Brill, 2014.

With Gary K. Waite. Introduction to *Exile and Religious Identity, 1500–1800*, 1–7. London: Pickering and Chatto, 2014.

“Instability and Insecurity: Dutch Women Refugees in Germany and England, 1550–1600.” In *Exile and Religious Identity, 1500–1800*, edited by Jesse Spohnholz and Gary Waite, 111–25. London: Pickering and Chatto, 2014.

“Toleration.” In *Oxford Bibliographies in Renaissance and Reformation*, edited by Margaret King. New York: Oxford University Press, 2014 (<http://www.oxfordbibliographies.com/>). DOI: 10.1093/OBO/9780195399301-0109.

“Calvinism and Religious Exile during the Revolt of the Netherlands (1568–1609).” *Immigrants and Minorities* 32, no. 3 (2014): 235–61.

“Turning Dutch? Conversion in Early Modern Wesel.” In *Conversion and the Politics of Religion in Early Modern Germany*, edited by David Warren Sabean, David M. Luebke, Jared Poley, and Daniel Ryan, 49–68. New York: Berghahn, 2012.

“Confessional Coexistence in the Early Modern Low Countries.” In *Multiconfessionalism in the Early Modern World*, edited by Thomas Max Safley, 47–73. Leiden: Brill Publishers, 2011.

“Multiconfessional Celebration of the Eucharist in Sixteenth-Century Wesel.” *Sixteenth Century Journal* 39, no. 3 (2008): 705–29. Winner of the 2009 Harold J. Grimm Prize for the best journal article in Reformation Studies from the Sixteenth Century Society & Conference.

“Olympias and Chrysostom: The Debate over Wesel’s Reformed Deaconesses, 1568–1609.” *Archive for Reformation History/Archiv für Reformationsgeschichte* 98 (2007): 84–106.

“Strangers and Neighbors: The Tactics of Toleration in the Dutch Exile Community of Wesel, 1550–1590.” *Bulletin of the German Historical Institute* 38 (2006): 81–88.

“Overlevend non-conformisme. Anabaptistische tradities en hun regulering in laat zestiende-eeuws Wezel.” *Doopsgezinde Bijdragen* 29 (2003): 89–109.

### Teaching Publications

With Brenna Miller. “Collaboratively Reforming General Education History Teaching and Learning: A Roadmap for the 21st Century.” *H-Net Teaching Conference Proceedings*, forthcoming, 2023.

“Refugees in the Early Modern Atlantic World.” Peer-reviewed teaching module for the *History of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century* project ([www.history21.com](http://www.history21.com)), 2023.

### **Digital Projects**

*History for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*. Offering free, digital, peer-reviewed, students-centered, inquiry-based lessons plans for introductory college history classes.

*Rijn Religies*. A smartphone app introducing history of religious refugees to travelers of the Rhine River Valley. In German and Dutch. With Mirjam van Veen. Sponsored by the Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Dutch National Organization for Scientific Research, and the municipal government of Wesel, Germany Unveiled October, 2018.

[https://itunes.apple.com/app/id1439764200?fbclid=IwAR2kefh3UGFViPrLAazyBA45QYqggvwyHm4D5j4J7\\_Skz2NMZRuzP3ZyMA](https://itunes.apple.com/app/id1439764200?fbclid=IwAR2kefh3UGFViPrLAazyBA45QYqggvwyHm4D5j4J7_Skz2NMZRuzP3ZyMA).

Podcast interview on *The Convent of Wesel: The Event that Never was and the Invention of Tradition* on the *New Books Network*. January 4, 2021.

<https://newbooksnetwork.com/the-convent-of-wesel>.

### **External Research Honors and Awards**

- 2024 Research Fellowship. Institut für vergleichende Städtegeschichte. Universität Münster.
- 2019/20 Research Fellowships, Amsterdam Center for the History and Heritage of Protestantism.
- 2018 Albert C. Outler Prize, for the best book published in church history in the past two years, awarded by the American Society of Church History.
- 2018 DAAD/GSA Book Prize, for the best book published in German history or the social sciences published in the past two years, awarded by the Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst (DAAD) and the German Studies Association.
- 2014 Research Grant (Free Competition) from the Dutch Research Council (€750,000), with Mirjam van Veen (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam).
- 2013 Research Grants (departmental, college, and university). Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam.
- 2012 Gerald Strauss Book Prize for the best book in Reformation History, awarded by the Sixteenth Century Society.
- 2009 Harold J. Grimm Prize for the best journal article in Reformation studies, awarded by the Sixteenth Century Society.
- 2005 Fritz Stern Prize for best dissertation in German history in 2004, awarded by the Friends of the German Historical Institute.

2003 Research Fellowship. H. Henry Meeter Center for Calvin Studies.

### **Internal Research Awards**

- 2020 Creative Activity, Research, and Scholarship Award. Office for Research.  
Washington State University.
- 2019 International Travel Grant. College of Arts and Sciences. Washington State  
University.
- 2016 Humanities Block Grant. College of Arts and Sciences. Washington State  
University.
- 2014 Humanities Block Grant. College of Arts and Sciences. Washington State  
University.
- 2014 International Travel Grant. College of Arts and Sciences. Washington State  
University.
- 2011 Meyer Project Grant. College of Liberal Arts, Washington State University.
- 2010 Travel Grant. College of Liberal Arts, Washington State University.
- 2006 Faculty Research Fellowship. Grinnell College.
- 2003 Prange European History Research Fellowship. University of Iowa.  
Travel Fellowship. Department of History, University of Iowa.
- 2002 Travel Fellowship. Department of History, University of Iowa.
- 2005 Faculty Research Fellowship. Grinnell College.
- 2004 Research Fellowship. Graduate Student Senate, University of Iowa.  
Travel Fellowship. Department of History, University of Iowa.
- 2001 T. Anne Cleary Research Fellowship. University of Iowa.  
Research Fellowship. Graduate College, University of Iowa.  
Aydelotte Fellowship. University of Iowa.
- 2000 Research Grant, University of Iowa Student Government.
- 1996 William J. Lankford III Memorial Humanities Award.  
Certificate of Excellence in Scholarship. Reed College.  
Phi Beta Kappa.

### **Teaching Honors and Awards**

- 2022 Sahlin Faculty Excellence Award for Instruction. Office of the Provost.  
Washington State University.
- 2017 William F. Mullen Memorial Teaching Award. College of Arts and Sciences.  
Washington State University.
- 2017 University Distinguished Teaching Fellowship. Washington State University.
- 2017 Recognition for Leadership in Assessment. Vice Provost for Undergraduate  
Education. Washington State University.
- 2012 Eric W. Bell Learning Communities Excellence Award in Teaching. University  
College, Washington State University.
- 2011 Faculty Thesis Advisor of the Year. Honors College, Washington State  
University.

### **Reviews and Service Publications**

- Review of Thomas Kaufmann, *The Sacred and the Damned: A History of the Reformation* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2023), *Austrian History Yearbook*, in progress.
- Review of David de Boer and Geert Janssen (eds.), *Vluchtelingenrepubliek: Een migratiegeschiedenis van Nederland* (Amsterdam: Prometheus, 2023), *BMGN – Low Countries Historical Review*, forthcoming.
- Review of Maximilian Miguel Scholz, *Strange Brethren: Refugees, Religious Bonds, and Reformation in Frankfurt, 1554–1608* (Charlottesville: University of Virginia Press, 2022). *Sixteenth Century Journal*, forthcoming.
- Review of Erik de Bom, Randall C.H. Lesaffer and Werner Thomas (eds.), *Early Modern Sovereignties: Theory and Practice of a Burgeoning Concept in the Netherlands* (Leiden: Brill, 2021), *Renaissance Quarterly*, 76, no. 2 (2023): 698–99.
- Review of Jeannette Kamp, *Crime, Gender and Social Control in Early Modern Frankfurt am Main* (Leiden: Brill, 2019), *Renaissance Quarterly*, 74, no 3 (2021): 995–96.
- Review of Adam Teller, *Rescue the Surviving Souls: The Great Jewish Refugee Crisis of the Seventeenth Century* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2020), *Studia Rosenthaliana*, 47, no. 1 (2021): 111–13.
- Review of Colette H. Winn (ed.), *The Huguenot Experience of Persecution and Exile: Three Women's Stories* (Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 2019), *Sixteenth Century Journal*, 51, no. 4 (2020): 1252–54.
- Review of Liesbeth Corens, *Confessional Mobility and English Catholics in Counter-Reformation Europe* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2019), *Historische Zeitschrift*, 310, no. 3 (2020): 740–42.
- Review of Kyle Dieleman, *The Battle for the Sabbath in the Dutch Reformation: Devotion or Desecration* (Göttingen: Vandenhoeck & Ruprecht, 2019), *Church History* 88, no. 3 (2019): 831–33.
- Review of Susanne Pohl-Zucker, *Making Manslaughter: Process, Punishment, and Restitution in Württemberg and Zurich, 1376–1700* (Leiden: Brill, 2017), *Renaissance Quarterly* 72, no. 4 (2019), 1495–96.
- Review of Ulrich A. Wien and Volker Leppin (eds.), *Kirche und Politik am Oberrhein im 16. Jahrhundert* (Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck, 2015). *German Quarterly* 92, no. 2 (2019): 283–84.

- Review of Ulinka Rublack, *Reformation Europe*, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2017). *Sixteenth Century Journal*, 49, no. 4 (2018): 1310–12.
- Review of Linda Gottschalk, *Pleading for Diversity: The Church Caspar Coolhaes Wanted* (Göttingen: Vanderhoeck & Ruprecht, 2017). *Church History*, 87, no. 3 (2018): 895–97.
- Review of Violet Soen, Dries Vanysacker, and Wim François (eds.), *Church, Censorship and Reform in the Early Modern Habsburg Netherlands* (Tournhout: Brepols, 2017). *Reading Religion: A Publication of the American Academy of Religion*, <http://readingreligion.org/books/church-censorship-and-reform-early-modern-habsburg-netherlands>, July 6, 2018.
- Featured review of Nicholas Terpstra, *Religious Refugees in the Early Modern World: An Alternative History of the Reformation* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2015). *Riforma e Movimenti religiosi*, 4 (2018): 283–88.
- Review of Frances Courtney Kneupper, *The Empire at the End of Time: Identity and Reform in Late Medieval German Prophecy* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2016). *Reading Religion: A Publication of the American Academy of Religion*, <http://readingreligion.org/books/empire-end-time>, May 8, 2017.
- Review of Elizabeth A. Sutton, *Capitalism and Cartography in the Dutch Golden Age* (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2015). *The Canadian Journal of History/Annales canadiennes d'histoire*, 51, no. 3 (2016): 575–77.
- Review of Thomas Kirchner, *Katholiken, Lutheraner und Reformierte in Aachen, 1555–1618* (Tübingen: Mohr Siebeck, 2015). *Sixteenth Century Journal*, 47, no. 4 (2016): 1094–95.
- Review of Victoria Christman, *Pragmatic Toleration: The Politics of Religious Heterodoxy in Early Reformation Antwerp, 1515–1555* (Rochester: University of Rochester Press, 2015). *Renaissance Quarterly* 69, no. 4 (2016), 1547–49.
- “The Contexts of Innovative Ideas: The Scholarship and Mentoring of David Harris Sacks.” Essay upon the retirement of David Harris Sacks from Reed College, May 2015.
- Review of August den Hollander, et al. (eds.), *Religious Minorities and Cultural Diversity in the Dutch Republic: Studies Presented to Piet Visser on the Occasion of his 65<sup>th</sup> Birthday* (Leiden: Brill, 2014). *Sixteenth Century Journal* 46, no. 2 (2015): 446–48.
- Review of Timothy G. Fehler et al. (eds.), *Religious Diaspora in Early Modern Europe: Strategies of Exile* (London: Pickering & Chatto Publishers, 2014). *American Historical Review*, 120, no. 1 (2015): 322–23.



- Discussant: "How Archives Make History." University of Cambridge Research Discussion Forum <<http://www.cam.ac.uk/research/discussion/qa-how-archives-make-history>>. Spanish translation <<http://archinfo20.es/como-hacen-historia-los-archivos/>>.
- Review of Christine Kooi, *Calvinists and Catholics during Holland's Golden Age: Heretics and Idolaters* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2012). *The Journal of Modern History*, 85, no. 4 (2014): 947–49.
- Review of Maria R. Boes, *Crime and Punishment in Early Modern Germany: Courts and Adjudicatory Practices in Frankfurt am Main, 1562–1696* (Farnham: Ashgate, 2013). *Renaissance Quarterly*, 67, no. 4 (2014): 1367–68.
- Review of Marjorie Elizabeth Plummer, *From Priest's Whore to Pastor's Wife: Clerical Marriage and the Process of Reform in the Early German Reformation* (Aldershot: Ashgate, 2012). *Central European History* 46, no. 3 (2013): 642–45.
- Review of Carina L. Johnson, *Cultural Hierarchy in Sixteenth-Century Europe: The Ottomans and Mexicans* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2011). *The Journal of Modern History* 84, no. 4 (2013): 922–24.
- Review of Els Stronks, *Negotiating Differences: Word, Image and Religion in the Dutch Republic* (Leiden: Brill, 2011). *Renaissance Quarterly* 64, no. 4 (2012): 1313–14.
- Review of Karen E. Carter, *Creating Catholics: Catechism and Primary Education in Early Modern France* (Indiana: University of Notre Dame Press, 2011). *Renaissance and Reformation/Renaissance et Reforme* 35 no. 1 (2012): 200–202.
- Review of Jan G.J. van Booma (ed.), *Communio clandestina. Archivalien der Konsistorien der heimlichen niederländischen reformierten Flüchtlingsgemeinden in Goch und Gennep im Herzogtum Kleve 1570–circa 1610*, 2 vols. (Bonn: Verlag Dr. Rudolf Habelt, 2011). *Church History and Religious Culture* 92, no. 2/3 (2012): 387–89.
- Review of David Worthington (ed.), *British and Irish Emigrants and Exiles in Europe, 1603–1688* (Leiden: Brill, 2010). *Sixteenth Century Journal* 62, no. 1 (2012): 196–97.
- Review of William Bradford Smith, *Reformation and the German Territorial State: Upper Franconia, 1300–1630* (Rochester: University of Rochester Press, 2008). H-German, H-Law, H-Holy Roman Empire, February 7, 2011.
- Review of Judith Becker, *Gemeindeordnung und Kirchengzucht: Johannes a Lasco's Kirchenordnung für London (1555) und die reformierte Konfessionsbildung* (Leiden: Brill, 2007). H-German, June 17, 2008.

Review of Maarten Prak, *The Dutch Republic in the Seventeenth Century*, trans. Diane Webb (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2005). *Renaissance Quarterly* 59, no. 3 (2006): 921–23.

Review of Arie-Jan Gelderblom, Jan L. de Jong, and Marc van Vaeck (eds.), *The Low Countries as a Crossroads of Religious Beliefs* (Leiden: Brill, 2004). *Sixteenth Century Journal* 37, no. 2 (2006): 472–73.

Conference Report: Sixteenth Century Society & Conference 2006. Session 54: Negotiating Confession and Community in the Holy Roman Empire. H-German, November 17, 2006.

Review of Willem Frijhoff, *Embodied Belief: Ten Essays on Religious Culture in Dutch History* (Hilversum: Verloren, 2002). *Calvin Theological Journal* 39, no. 1 (2004): 203–205.

Co-editor, with Martin Wilhelm Roelen and Doris Rulofs-Terfurth. *50 Jahre Städtepartnerschaft Wesel-Hagerstown, 1952–2002*. Nordhorn: BVB-Verlagsgesellschaft mbH, 2002. A local history in English and German commemorating cross-Atlantic connections.

### **Conference Papers/Research**

“Defining and Preserving Community in Exile: Baptismal Practices of Dutch Reformed Refugees in Cologne.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 26–29, 2023. Baltimore, MD.

Chair for panel on “The Church of the Dead: Indigenous Survivance and the Re-Creation of Early Modern Catholicism.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference. October 26–29, 2023. Baltimore, MD.

“Being Home and Away: The Social Integration of Refugees in the Holy Roman Empire.” Frühe Neuzeit Interdisziplinär, March 2–5, 2023. Tucson, AZ.

“The Regionalism, Transregionalism, and Transnationalism of Sixteenth-Century Dutch Reformed Refugee Churches.” Annual Meeting of the American Society of Church History, January 5–8, 2023. Philadelphia, PA.

“Or Am I a Dutchman? Recategorizing Sixteenth-Century Dutch Protestant Refugees.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 27–30, 2022. Minneapolis, MN.

Roundtable Discussant. “Crisis and Refuge: Historical Reflections on War, Persecution, and Exile.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 27–20, 2022. Minneapolis, MN. Sponsored by the Society for Reformation Research.

Chair and commenter for panel “The Loose Ends of History 2.5: New Sources for Reformation Historians.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 27–20, 2022. Minneapolis, MN.

“International Protestantism in the Sixteenth Century: Frustrations, Failures, and Perseverance.” Annual Meeting of the American Historical Association. January 7–10, 2021. Seattle, WA. [Accepted, but canceled due to COVID-19. Accepted again for January 6–9, 2022. New Orleans, LA and then cancelled again due to COVID-19.].

“The Loose Ends of Church Discipline: The Use of Attestations in the Netherlandish Reformed Diaspora.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference October 27–31, 2021. San Diego, California.

Chair for panel on “Migration Management and Imperialism.” Conference on “Refugee Politics in Early Modern Europe.” University of Amsterdam. June 17–18, 2021. Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

“The Construction of Transnational Religious Networks: Netherlandish Reformed Protestants in Diaspora, 1550-1600.” Conference on “Refugee Politics in Early Modern Europe.” University of Amsterdam. June 17–18, 2021. Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

Chair and commenter for panels “The Loose Ends of History 3: Applying new Sources, Making the Invisible Legible” and “The Loose Ends of History 5: Applying new Methodologies to Familiar Sources.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference. October 29–November 1, 2020. Baltimore, MD. [Accepted, but cancelled due to COVID-19].

“Constitutional Change and Religious Worship in Netherlandish Refugee Communities in the Holy Roman Empire.” Annual Conference of the Society for Reformation Research. March 31–April 2, 2020. Cambridge, UK. Paper written, but conference was Cancelled due to COVID-19. Rescheduled via Zoom, 6–8 April, 2021.

“Fractured Lives: The Challenges of Sixteenth-Century Netherlandish Exiles in German Urban Communities.” Conference on “Urban Heterarchies: Changing Religious Authority and Social Power in Cities.” Max Weber Centre/Augustinerkloster, December 11–13, 2019. Erfurt, Germany.

Roundtable Discussant. “Theorizing Global Early Modernity.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 17–20, 2019. St. Louis, MO.

- “Homes Away from Homes: Dutch Reformed Refugees in Imperial Cities, Territorial Cities, and Hometowns in the German Rhineland.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 17–20, 2019. St. Louis, MO.
- Roundtable Discussant for a panel dedicated to Jesse Spohnholz, *The Convent of Wesel: The Event That Never Was and the Invention of Tradition* (Cambridge University Press, 2017). German Studies Association, October 3–6, 2019. Portland, OR.
- Chair for panel on “Religious Plurality at Princely Courts I: Dynastic Marriage.” German Studies Association, October 3–6, 2019. Portland, OR. Part of a panel series: “Religious Plurality at Princely Courts.”
- “Early Modern Refugees in Global Perspective: Reformation Exiles, African Maroons, and Amerindian Displacements.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, November 1–4, 2018. Albuquerque, NM. Part of a panel series, “Transnational Reformations,” sponsored by the Society for Reformation Research.
- Roundtable Discussant. “Early Modern History and the Future of Graduate Training.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, November 1–4, 2018. Albuquerque, NM.
- Chair for panel on “Sharing Sacred Spaces (II): Transformations of Confessional Regime.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, November 1–4, 2018. Albuquerque, NM.
- “The Quest for Religious Purity in the Reformation.” Workshop on “Konfession, Religion, Wissen und Migration in der frühe Neuzeit.” University of Bayreuth, June 12–14, 2018. Bayreuth, Germany.
- Roundtable Discussant. “Reflecting on Renaissance Refugees and Forced Migrations in the Era of the Muslim Ban.” Annual Meeting of the American Historical Association, January 4–7, 2018. Washington, DC.
- “The Quest for Confessional Purity: The Failures of Petrus Dathenus.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 26–29, 2017. Milwaukee, WI.
- Roundtable Discussant. “Confessionalization: The State of Play 2017.” German Studies Association, October 5–8, 2017. Atlanta, GA.
- Roundtable Discussant. “David Luebke’s *Hometown Religion: Regimes of Coexistence in Early Modern Westphalia*.” German Studies Association, October 5–8, 2017. Atlanta, GA.
- “Exile Experiences and the Transformations of Religious Cultures in the Sixteenth Century: England, East Friesland, Cleves, and the Palatinate.” Plenary Lecture at an international conference on “Religious Refugees and the Creation of Confessional Identities in Early Modern Europe.” Sponsored by Johannes a

- Lasco Bibliothek, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven and RefoRC, June 28–30, 2017. Emden, Germany.
- “Victims, Zealots, and Compromisers: Religious Refugees from the Netherlands and History of Toleration.” Annual Meeting of the American Historical Association, January 5–8, 2017. Denver, CO.
- “French and Dutch Migrants in Early Modern Germany.” Conference on “Navigating Diversity: Narratives, Politics and Practices.” Sponsored by the German Historical Institute, April 14–15, 2016. Montreal, QC.
- “Rhineland Exiles and the Religious Landscape of the Dutch Republic (c.1550–1618).” Expert Meeting on “Religious Migration during Europe’s Confessional Age.” Sponsored by European Cooperation in Science and Technology, March 21, 2016. Amsterdam, Netherlands.
- “Writing the History of Confessional-Era Refugees.” Plenary Lecture. Training School on “Religious Migration during Europe’s Confessional Age.” Sponsored by European Cooperation in Science and Technology, March 22, 2016. Amsterdam, Netherlands.
- “International Calvinism and Protestant Religious Identities in the Early Modern World.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, Vancouver, BC. October 22–25, 2015.
- “The Naming of a Reformation Document: Archiving and Narrating in Post-Reformation Germany and the Netherlands.” Frühe Neuzeit Interdisziplinär, March 5–7, 2015. Nashville, TN.
- “The Origins of Dutch Intolerance: Exile and the Long-Term Historiography of the Dutch Reformation.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 16–19, 2014. New Orleans, LA.
- “Following the Paper Trail: The Divergent Tales of Two Documents from the Reformation.” Conference on “Transforming Information: Record Keeping in the Early Modern World.” The British Academy, April 9–10, 2014. London, UK.
- Public Panel Discussion on “Archives and Society: Record Keeping in Historical and Contemporary Perspective”. Conference on “Transforming Information: Record Keeping in the Early Modern World.” The British Academy, April 9–10 2014. London, UK.
- Chair for panel on “Record Keeping and the Experience of Rupture.” Conference on Transforming Information: Record Keeping in the Early Modern World. The British Academy, April 9–10, 2014. London, UK.
- “Multiconfessionalism and the Problem of Confessionalism: A Microhistory.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 24–27, 2013. San Juan, Puerto Rico.

- “Invented Memories: The ‘Convent of Wesel’ and the Origins of German and Dutch Calvinism.” German Studies Association, October 4–7, 2012. Milwaukee, WI. As a part of a series of papers co-organized with David Luebke on “Forgetting Plurality: Writing Confessional Histories after the Reformation.”
- “The Other Face of Religious Refugees: Dutch Women Living in Germany and England, 1550–1600.” Conference on “Early Modern Migrations: Exiles, Expulsion, and Religious Refugees, 1400–1700,” April 19–21, 2012. University of Toronto. Toronto, ON.
- “Dutch Refugee Churches and the ‘Consolidation’ of Calvinism.” Annual Conference of the Renaissance Society of America, March 24–26, 2011. Montreal, QC. As part of a series of papers organized by Nicholas Terpstra on “Exile, Expulsion and Religious Refugees in the Renaissance.”
- “Solving the Mystery of the Convent of Wesel: Refugees and the Building of the Dutch Reformed Church.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 14–17, 2010. Montreal, QC.
- “‘They No Longer Plot, They Only Dream’: The Shift from Temporary to Permanent Exile among Dutch Calvinists in Sixteenth-Century Germany.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 23–26, 2008. St. Louis, MO. Panel sponsored by the Society for Reformation Research.
- “Turning Dutch? Conversion in Early Modern Wesel.” German Studies Association, October 2–5, 2008. St. Paul, MN. As part of a series of papers organized by David Warren Sabean on “Conversion in the German Lands.”
- “Multiconfessional Celebration of the Eucharist in Sixteenth-Century Wesel.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 26–29, 2006. Salt Lake City, UT. Panel sponsored by Frühe Neuzeit Interdisziplinär.
- “Olympias and Chrysostom: The Debate over Reformed Deaconesses in Dutch Refugee Communities, 1568–1609.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 28–31, 2004. Toronto, ON.
- “The Demise of Toleration?: The Siege of Wesel, 1586–1590.” Missouri Valley History Conference, March 4–5, 2004. Omaha, NE.
- “Strangers and Neighbors: Confessional Relations in the Exile Community of Wesel, 1550–1578.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 30–November 2, 2003. Pittsburgh, PA.

“Calvinist Discipline and the Boundaries of Religious Tolerance: The Exile Church in Wesel, 1568–1578.” Transatlantic Doctoral Seminar. German Historical Institute, April 9–12, 2003. Washington, DC.

“A Strategy for Coexistence: Church Unity and Communion in the Exile Center of Wesel, 1570–1590.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 24–27, 2002. San Antonio, TX.

### **Conference Papers/Education and Assessment**

“Designing and Teaching Inquiry-Driven Student Teaching.” Annual Meeting of the American Historical Association, January 4–7, 2024. San Francisco, CA.

Organizer and Facilitator for the Workshop “How Can *History for the 21st Century* Help You in Your World History Course?” World History Association, June 22–24, 2023. Pittsburgh, PA.

Roundtable Discussant. “World History in Graduate Education.” World History Association, June 22–24, 2023. Pittsburgh, PA.

“The Ethics of Reforming History Education at the Postsecondary Level.” Annual Meeting of the American Historical Association, January 5–8, 2023. Philadelphia, PA.

Roundtable Discussant. “World History and the Curriculum: A Conversation.” Annual Meeting of the American Historical Association, January 5–8, 2023. Philadelphia, MA.

“Facilitating Faculty Collaboration for Student-Centered Learning for the 21st Century.” H-Net Teaching History Conference, September 1, 2022. Via Zoom.

“History for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century.” Workshop on first-year General Education pedagogy at the World History Association, July 23–35, 2022. Bilbao, Spain. Accepted, but cancelled due family emergency.

“Student Ownership of Learning in the General Education World History Classroom.” Conference on History for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century (<http://www.history21.com>), August 16–17, 2019. San Francisco, CA.

“Building and Enriching Enduring Co-Curricular Assessment Partnerships.” Conference on General Education and Assessment. Association of American Colleges and Universities, February 23–25, 2017. Phoenix, AZ.

Roundtable Discussant. “Re-Imagining the Role of World History in the First-Year College Experience.” World History Association, July 2–5, 2016. Ghent, Belgium.

Chair for panel on “Teaching Historical Understanding of Contemporary Global Issues at Washington State University: A Model for General Education.” World History Association, July 2–5, 2016. Ghent, Belgium.

“Revitalizing the First-Year Undergraduate Classroom with an Emphasis on Active Learning and Guided Independent Research.” Conference on Action to Evidence: Empowering and Inclusive General Education Program. Association of American Colleges and Universities, February 19–21, 2015. Kansas City, MO.

### **Invited Talks**

“A Reformation of Refugees: Dutch Protestant Escapees to the Holy Roman Empire, 1550–1600.” Max Kade Center for European and German Studies. Vanderbilt University. October 7, 2022.

“Family Life in Sixteenth-Century Dutch Calvinist Refugee Communities.” Invited plenary lecture for the conference “Calvin, Gender, and Women,” held by the Calvin Studies Society. Wheaton College. March 31–April 2, 2022.

“Reformation Conversations Webinar.” This Zoom webinar was focused on new scholarship on Reformation-era refugees. I was asked to give a presentation commenting on Maximilian Scholz’s new book on the topic. Meeter Center for Calvin Studies. January 13, 2022.

“Protestantse mythen.” A public symposium centered on my book *The Convent of Wesel: The Event that Never was and the Invention of Tradition* (Cambridge University Press, 2017), sponsored by Amsterdam Centre for the History and Heritage of Protestantism.” June 20, 2018. Amsterdam, Netherlands.

“Remembering and Forgetting the Reformation, 1517–2017.” German Historical Institute, November 2, 2017. Washington, DC.

“Are Migrants a Threat to Europeans Today? Europe’s Refugee Crisis in Historical Perspective.” Martin-Springer Institute, Northern Arizona University, March 31, 2016. Flagstaff, AZ.

“The Art of Lying and the Practices of Religious Toleration during Europe’s Age of Religious Wars.” Keynote lecture at Toleration, Discrimination, and (In)equality. WSU Graduate Student Interdisciplinary Conference, April 25, 2015. Pullman, WA.

“The Fashioning of a Historical Myth, 1618–1768.” Department of Church History, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, March 26, 2014. Amsterdam, Netherlands.



- “Seeing Like a Church: Solving a 450-Year-Old Mystery and Rethinking the Dutch Reformation.” Low Countries History Seminar, Institute of Historical Research, University of London, January 24, 2014. London, UK.
- “Forgetting Plurality and Re-inventing the Reformation: Archival Power and Religious Culture in Early Modern Europe.” Early Modern Interdisciplinary Seminar, University of Cambridge, January 22, 2014. Cambridge, UK.
- “Confessional Categories and the Uncovering of Confessional Diversity in the Sixteenth Century.” Faculty of Theology, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam. November 24, 2013. Amsterdam, Netherlands.
- “Seeing Like a Church: Archival Power and the Problem of Confessionalism in Reformation History.” Seminar in European History, 1300–1700. University of Leiden, November 22, 2013. Leiden, Netherlands.
- “Forgetting Plurality and Re-inventing the History of the Reformation: A Tragedy in Four Acts.” Keynote lecture at the Annual Meeting of the Association of Washington Historians, April 20, 2013. Seattle, WA.
- “Invented Memories: The 'Convent of Wesel' and the Origins of German and Dutch Calvinism.” Invited talk at New Saint Andrews College, November 9, 2012. Moscow, ID.
- “Abandoned Wives and Desperate Widows: Women Refugees during the Age of Religious Wars.” Invited talk at the Phi Alpha Theta Inauguration Ceremony. University of Idaho, March 23, 2012. Moscow, ID.
- “Cloaking Dissent.” Invited talk in association with production of the inquisition-era play, *Lazarillo*. Milagro Theater Company. Sponsored by Oregon Humanities, an affiliate of the National Endowment for the Humanities. May 11, 2011. Portland, OR.
- “Twisting & Twisting & Twisting the Truth: Dissimulation as a Strategy for Preserving Peace during Europe's Age of Religious Wars.” Invited talk at Reed College, November 1, 2010. Portland, OR.
- “The Line between Toleration and Concord in Reformation-era Wesel.” Annual Symposium of the Friends of the German Historical Institute, November 18, 2005. Washington, DC.
- “Practicing Tolerance: Religious Life in Wesel, 1550–1578.” Invited talk at the H. Henry Meeter Center for Calvin Studies, June 13, 2003. Grand Rapids, MI.

“Surviving Persecution: Women’s Roles in Preserving the Faith in Early Modern Europe.” Invited talk as part of the Guest Lecture Series at St. Ambrose University, April 19, 2001. Davenport, IA.

## **Teaching**

### **Courses Taught**

#### Washington State University

GenEd 110: World Civilizations to 1500.

History 101: Classical and Christian Europe, 1000 B.C.E.–1650 C.E.

History 105: The Roots of Contemporary Issues.

History 120: World History I.

History 300: Writing in History (Topic: Family, Gender, and Sexuality in Pre-industrial Europe).

History 300: Writing in History (Topic: Refugees in World History).

History 444: The Renaissance, 1300–1550.

History 445: The Reformation, 1500–1650.

History 469: Seminar in History (Topic: Crime and Punishment in Europe, 1500-1800).

History 540: Seminar in History.

History 561: Field Course in Early Modern European History (Topic: Religion in Early Modern Europe).

History 561: Field Course in Early Modern European History (Topic: Methods in Social and Cultural History).

History 580: Historiography.

Honors 270/History 290: History as a Way of Knowing (Topic: Religious Toleration and Violence in Europe, 1450–1750).

Honors 330: Development of Western Civilization (Topic: The Enlightenment in a Global Context).

#### Other courses taught:

Europe in the Renaissance and Reformation, 1350–1650.

Basic Issues in European History: 1650 to the Present.

Medieval Europe, 500–1500.

Europe during the Enlightenment.

History of the European Family, 1500–1800.

### **Doctoral Theses Supervised**

Daniel Fogt. Preliminary Examination. “The Reformation Across Borders: The Struggle for Marital Purity in Netherlandish Refugee Communities, 1550–1590.” Fall 2014–Spring 2023. Defended April 3, 2023. Winner of 2018 Grant from the Catharina Halkes Foundation

2019 Graduate Student Fellowship at the H. Henry Meeter Center for Calvin Studies.

Peter Gorter. Co-supervisor for a dissertation at Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam.

*“Gereformeerde migranten: De religieuze identiteit van de Nederlandse gereformeerde migrantengemeenten in de rijkssteden Keulen, Aken en Frankfurt (1555–1600)”* (“Reformed Migrants: The Religious Identity of the Dutch Reformed migrants congregations in the imperial cities of Cologne, Aachen, and Frankfurt (1555–1600).” Defended June 30, 2021. Winner of

2018 Graduate Student Fellowship at the H. Henry Meeter Center for Calvin Studies.

Inge Schipper. Co-supervisor for a dissertation at Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam. “Across the borders of belief: Netherlandish Reformed migrants and confessional boundaries in the duchy of Cleves, c. 1550-1600.” Defended January 18, 2021.

Jennifer Binczewski. “Solitary Sparrows: Widowhood and the Catholic Community in Post-Reformation England, 1570–1620.” Fall 2011–Fall 2016. Defended November 13, 2017. Winner of

2014 David Rogers Research Award from the Catholic Record Society

2015 Honorable Mention for the Founders’ Dissertation Fellowship from the Western Association of Women Historians

2016 John Tracy Ellis Dissertation Award from the American Catholic Historical Association

2017 Carl S. Meyer Prize from the Sixteenth Century Society for the best conference presentation by a graduate student or early career faculty.

2019 Visiting Research Fellowship from Durham University

2019 Michael Williams Research Award from the Catholic Record Society

2019 Founders Prize from the Sixteenth Century Society (\$10,000)

2021 Harold J. Grimm Prize from the Sixteenth Century Society for best article in Reformation Studies.

2022 Pacific Coast Conference for British Studies Article Prize

Gertjan Glismeijer. Co-supervisor for a dissertation at Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam.

*“Onrustighe geesten' en de Nederlandse Reformatie”* (“‘Disturbed Spirits’ and the Dutch Reformation”). Spring 2013–present.

### **Master’s Theses Supervised**

Joshua Johnson. “When Brothers Dwell Together in Unity: Jewish Representations in Sixteenth-century Convert, Reformed, and Hebraist Literature.” Defended April 12, 2019.

Amanda Svehla. “Communication and Power: Letter Writing and the Elizabethan Court.” Defended April 12, 2018.

Jacob Wells. “The Devotio Moderna and the Lutheran, Reformed, and Radical Traditions: Continuity or Discontinuity?” Defended April 17, 2015.

Alexander Gannon. “The Pursuit of the ‘Middle Way’ in the Second Leipzig Colloquy of 1539.” Defended May 9, 2012.

Craig VanBuskirk. "Conflict, Accommodation: Survival Strategies of English Reformed Communities in the Early Dutch Republic." Defended November 17, 2009.

### **Other Graduate Student Committees**

Daniel Scalberg. Master's Committee Member, 2022–2023.

Madison Barben. Master's Thesis Committee Member, 2022–2023.

Zach Hagadone. Master's Thesis Committee Member, 2018–2019.

Caitlin Holmes (English Department). Preliminary Examination. Secondary Field Advisor. 2007–2010. PhD committee member, 2007–2013. Defended March 18, 2013.

Torsten Homberger. Preliminary Examination. Secondary Field Advisor. 2008–2009. PhD committee member, 2009–2014. Defended January 9, 2014.

Laurie Turner. Preliminary Examination Secondary. Field Advisor 2008–2009. PhD committee member, 2009–2014.

Christopher Schlect. Preliminary Examination. Secondary Field Advisor. 2008–2011. PhD committee member, 2011–2015. Defended April 22, 2015.

Jennifer Oliphant. Preliminary Examination. Secondary Field Advisor, 2011–2012.

Benjamin Smith. Preliminary Examination. Secondary Field Advisor. 2008–2011.

Leslie Moerschel. Preliminary Examination. Secondary Field Advisor. 2007–2008.

Heidi Kyle. Preliminary Examination. Secondary Field Advisor. 2007–2008.

Nathan Sowry. Master's Thesis Committee Member. 2010–2011.

Lewis Paterson. Master's Thesis Committee Member. 2008–2009.

Elizabeth Nodolf (Department of Apparel, Merchandising, Design and Textiles). Master's Thesis Committee Member. 2009–2010.

### **Undergraduate Student Advising**

Ana Barnes. Honors Thesis Advisor. "Re-Imagining Women Alone: The Uses of Social Networks at a Tool for Survival for Early Modern Widows." Summer 2016–present. Awarded a College of Arts and Science Undergraduate Summer Mini-grant, 2016 (\$2,800). Crimson Award (first place) at WSU's Showcase for Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities, March 2017. Presented at the Northwest Undergraduate Research Conference in the Humanities, Coeur d'Alene, November 2017. Outstanding German Student Scholarship, 2018. Outstanding Senior, Department of History, 2018.

Natalie Kallish, "National Security and Nuclear Containment in the Cold War." Presented at WSU's Showcase for Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities, April 2018.

Kyle Schulz. Advanced Undergraduate Research Project Advisor. "Religious Violence and Toleration in the Dutch Revolt: Pasquier de le Barre." Fall 2014.

Jeffrey Turner. Advanced Undergraduate Research Project Advisor. "Prussian Shadows Cast on Reformation Historiography: Gustav Droysen and the Case for the Counter Reformation." Fall 2012. Presented at WSU's Undergraduate Research Symposium, April 2013.

- Kristen Howard (Coan). Advanced Undergraduate Research Project Advisor. “Gender and Exile in the French Reformation, 1541–1544.” Spring 2010–Spring 2012. Awarded the Phi Alpha Theta, Gamma Psi Chapter, Prize for best history paper of 2011. Awarded the Auvil Fellowship for Undergraduate Research, Fall 2011. Second place at WSU’s Showcase for Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities, Spring 2011.
- Emily Dethloff (Fradkin). Honors Thesis Advisor. “Menasseh ben Israel and the Re-admission of Jews to England, 1650–1660.” Spring 2010–Spring 2011. Awarded the 2011 WSU Emeritus Society Undergraduate Research Award. Presented at WSU’s Undergraduate Research Symposium, April 11, 2011. Awarded an Honors College Distinction, Spring 2011.
- Caryssa Murphy (Gilmore). Honors Thesis Advisor. “Deciphering the Bible: Reading and Religion in Eighteenth-Century England.” Spring 2010–Spring 2011. Awarded the Auvil Fellowship for Undergraduate Research, Fall 2010. Runner-up, WSU Library Research Award, Spring 2010. Presented at the WSU Undergraduate Research Symposium, April 11, 2011.
- Julia Stabler. Advanced Undergraduate Research Project Advisor. “Brotherly Love during the Age of Religious Wars: The Trials and Errors of Antonio del Corro.” Fall 2010. Awarded the Phi Alpha Theta, Gamma Psi Chapter Prize for best history paper of 2010.
- Merik Hunter Metos. Honors Thesis Advisor. Spring 2008–Spring 2009. “The Vanishing Pope.” Awarded the Auvil Fellowship for Undergraduate Research, Fall 2008. Presented at the WSU Academic Showcase, Spring 2009. Awarded an Honors College Distinction, Spring 2009.
- Supervised 19 senior thesis projects at Grinnell College, 2004–2007.

### **Guest Lectures**

- “Archives and Historians.” History 540: Seminar in History. WSU. January 16, 2023.
- “Refugee Crises and the Origins of America: A New History.” Public lecture for the Latah County Historical Society’s speaker series, “How It’s Going, How It Started.” Moscow, ID. February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022.
- “Archives and Historical Memory.” History 101: Western Civilization I. Gonzaga University. March 19, 2021.
- “Preparing for the Academic Job Market.” History Graduate Student Association Colloquium. November 16, 2020.
- “Refugees & the Origins of America: A New History.” Common Readings Lecture Series, Washington State University. November 13, 2019. Pullman, WA.
- “Promoting Effective Teaching.” Chairs and Directors Workshop. Provost’s Office WSU, February 12, 2019.
- Workshop Leader. Roots of Contemporary Issues: An Innovative Approach to Core Humanities Curriculum. A Workshop for Chairs and Instructors. 9 colleges or universities represented. WSU-Vancouver September 22, 2018.
- “Research Stars.” New Faculty Orientation. WSU, August 18, 2015.
- “Publishing Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles.” History 540: Seminar in History. WSU, April 13, 2015.

- “Securing External Funding for Graduate Students in History.” History Graduate Student Colloquium. WSU, October 30, 2014.
- “Lying for Peace during Europe’s Age of Religious Wars.” Master Seminar, Faculty of Theology. Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, April 1, 2014.
- “Research in Reformation History.” Honors Interdisciplinary Course on “Religion, Identity and Conflict.” Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, October 1, 2013.
- “Research Opportunities and Expectations.” Honors College Advisors’ Training.” Honor College, WSU. August 15, 2012.
- “Navigating the Academic Job Search.” History Department Graduate Student Colloquium. WSU, April 3 and 9, 2013.
- “Understanding Martin Luther in Global and Local Perspectives.” History 101: Classical and Christian Europe. WSU, April 4, 2012.
- “Writing an Academic Journal Article.” History 540: Seminar in History. WSU, April 6, 2011.
- “Academic Job Preparation.” History 595: The Teaching of History in College. WSU, January 26 and February 2, 2011.
- “From John Calvin to Mary Rowlandson: International Calvinism and European Expansion.” History 435: European Expansion Overseas, 1400–1800. WSU-Vancouver, November 1, 2010.
- “Entering the Job Market.” Department of History Colloquium. WSU, September 26, 2007.
- “Modern Expansion of Christianity 1500–1900,” “Christian Reformation; Wars of Religions (1500–1650),” “Christianity, Judaism, and Modernity (1650–1900),” and “Christians, Jews, and Muslims (1500–1800).” History 571: Topics in World History: Religious Change and Conflict in the Modern World. WSU, September 4, 18, 25 and October 16, 2007.
- “The Print Revolution of the Sixteenth Century.” English 492: From Manuscript to E-book. WSU, September 17, 2007.

### **Teaching and Learning Projects Directed**

- First-year Student Research Project Assessment Study, 2014–2018, 2020–2021
- Student Failure Rates in the First-Year General Education Classroom, 2015–2016
- The Learning of Diversity and Social Equity in a First-year World History Course, 2016–2017, 2019–2020
- Promoting Social Justice and Equity in Scaffolded First-year Student Research, Spring 2021

### **Service**

#### **Departmental Service**

##### *Committee Assignments*

- Mentoring Program Oversight Committee, Chair, 2022–2023
- Faculty and Staff Awards Committee. Chair. 2021–2022.
- The Roots of Contemporary Issues Steering Committee. Chair. Fall 2012–Spring, 2013, Fall 2014–Spring 2021.

Hiring Committee Chair. Roots of Contemporary Issues Teaching Postdoc. Spring 2015, Spring 2016, Spring 2017, Spring 2018, Spring 2019, Spring 2021.  
Hiring Committee Chair. Pre-1500 European and World History Clinical Assistant Professor. Spring 2016.  
Faculty Productivity Subcommittee Chair. Department Strategic Planning. Fall 2015.  
Hiring Committee Chair. Roots of Contemporary Issues Visiting Instructors. Spring 2013.  
Hiring Committee Chair. Roots of Contemporary Issues Instructor. Spring 2012.  
Roots of Contemporary Issues Development Committee. Fall 2011–Spring 2012.  
World Civilizations Committee. Fall 2011–Spring 2012.  
Graduate Studies Committee. Fall 2007–Spring 2010.  
Graduate Student Professional Development Committee. Fall 2009–Spring 2015. Chair, Fall 2011–Spring 2015.  
Early Modern Europe Preliminary Field Coordinator. Fall 2009–Spring 2010. Spring 2011–present.  
Assessment Committee. Spring 2008–Spring 2009. Co-chair starting Fall 2008. Prepared Graduate Student Assessment Plan and Rubric and Undergraduate Assessment Plan and Rubric.  
Hiring Committee. Africa/World Historian. Fall 2007–Spring 2008.

*Faculty Mentoring*

Luz María-Gordillo, Summer 2023–present.  
Eugene Smelyansky, Fall 2018–Spring 2023.  
Brenna Miller, Fall 2018– present.  
Ben Nobbs-Thiessen, Fall 2018–Spring 2020.  
Sarah Walsh, Fall 2018–Spring 2020.  
Michelle Mann, Fall 2017–Fall 2019.  
George Njung, Fall 2017.  
Clif Stratton, Fall 2016–Spring 2023.  
Ken Faunce, Fall 2016–Spring 2023.  
Katy Whalen, Fall 2016–Spring 2023.  
Charles Weller, Fall 2016–present.  
Rebecca Ellis, Fall 2016–Spring 2023.  
Julian Dodson, Fall 2016– Spring 2023.  
Sean Wempe, Fall 2016–Spring 2018.  
Matthew Unangst, Fall 2016–Spring 2018.  
Phillip Guingona, Fall 2016–Spring 2017.  
Karoline Cook, Fall 2013–Spring 2016.  
Ashley Wright, Fall 2013–present.  
Sung-eun Choi, Fall 2012–Spring 2013.  
Lawrence Hatter, Fall 2012–Spring 2023.

**College of Arts and Sciences Service**

Graduate Student Recognition Awards Committee, Spring 2021, Spring 2022, Spring 2023.

Scholarship Committee, Spring 2022

Advisory Board Member, Center for the Arts and Humanities, Spring 2019–Spring 2020.  
Center for the Arts and Humanities Planning Group, Fall 2012–Spring 2014. Fall 2018–  
Spring 2019.

Tenure and Promotion Committee. Department of Philosophy and Political Science. Fall  
2012.

### **Honors College Service**

Honors Thesis Advisor. 2008–2009, 2010–2011, 2017–18.

Language Evaluator (Dutch). Fall 2017, Spring 2022

Honors Thesis Evaluator. Fall 2007, Spring 2009, Spring 2011.

“Research Opportunities and Expectations.” Panel for Honors College Facilitators  
Training. August 15, 2012.

Designed course template for Honors College Curriculum (UH 270: Principles and  
Research Methods in Social Science). Fall 2007.

### **Washington State University Service**

Transforming the Syllabus for Equity Project. BaCE Pedagogy Summer Academy. June  
19–26, 2020.

Provost’s Leadership Academy. Fall 2016–Spring 2017.

Institutional Effectiveness Council, Transformative Student Experience Subcommittee.  
Fall 2015.

University Common Requirements (UCORE) Committee Member. Fall 2014–Spring  
2015.

First-Year Experience Planning Group Member. Fall 2014–Spring 2015.

Richard G. Law Excellence Award for Undergraduate Teaching Selection Committee.  
Spring 2015.

Faculty Senate. Fall 2007–Spring 2008, Fall 2009–Spring 2013.

Fellowship Application Evaluator. Auvil Scholar Fellows Program for Undergraduate  
Research. Fall 2011, Fall 2012.

### **Other Professional Service**

Director, *History for the 21<sup>st</sup> century*, a collaborate project designed to serve students and  
instructors in introductory college courses. Fall 2021–present. Editorial Board  
Member. Fall 2020–Summer 2021. Advisory Board Member. Spring 2019–Spring  
2020.

Panel Organizer. “History for the 21st Century: Centering Student Learning Experiences  
in World History.” Annual Meeting of the American Historical Association,  
January 4–7, 2024. San Francisco, CA.

Research and Prize Committee, American Society for Church History, 2019–present.  
Chair, 2020–21. Awards three book prizes and two article prizes for research on  
the history of Christianity and its relationships to other cultures, locations, and  
contexts.



- Executive Committee and Council, American Society for Church History, 2020–2021.
- Leo Gershoy Award Committee, American Historical Association, 2020–2021. Awards a prize for the most outstanding book published in English on any aspect of 17<sup>th</sup>- and 18<sup>th</sup>-century western European history.
- Gerald Strauss Book Prize Committee, Sixteenth Century Society & Conference. Chair, 2019. Awards a prize for the best book in German Reformation history. 2017–2020.
- Advisory Board Member, The Netherlands Organization for Scientific Research VIDI Project, “The Invention of the Refugee in Early Modern Europe.” 2018–2023.
- Co-organizer of Two-Panel Series. “History for the 21st century: Inquiry Based Learning for the World History Classroom.” Annual Meeting of the World History Association, June 22-24, 2023. Pittsburgh, PA.
- Co-organizer of a Series of Five Panels. “The Loose Ends of History 2.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference. October 27–30, 2022. Minneapolis, MN.
- Panel Organizer. “Building Collaborative History Education for the 21st Century.” H-net Teaching History Conference. Zoom. August 29–September 2, 2022.
- Research Associate, “Shared Churches Project.” University of Arizona. 2020–2022.
- Co-organizer of a Series of Five Panels. “The Loose Ends of History.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 20–November 1, 2020. Baltimore, MD. Cancelled due to COVID-19. Organized again for 28–31, October 2021. San Diego, CA.
- Panel Organizer, “Rhineland Refugees and the Religious Cultures of the Early Dutch Republic.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 17–20, 2019. St. Louis, MO.
- Panel Organizer, “Experiencing Early Modern Exile,” sponsored by the Society for Reformation Research and “Ascribing Meaning to Early Modern Exile,” sponsored by the Amsterdam Centre for History and Heritage of Protestantism. Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, November 1–4, 2018. Albuquerque, NM.
- External Review Panel Member, Faculty of Theology Review. Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam. Summer 2017.
- Editorial Board Member, *Persecution, Toleration and Coexistence*. Fall 2014–Spring 2016.
- Harold J. Grimm Prize Committee, Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, 2013–2015. Chair, 2014. Awards a prize for the best journal article in Reformation Studies.
- Fritz Stern Dissertation Prize Committee, German Historical Institute, 2013–2015. Chair 2014. Awards a prize for the best dissertation in German history completed the previous year.
- Panel Organizer, “Historicizing Persecution and Toleration: Dutch exiles in the Rhineland.” Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 16–19, 2014. New Orleans, LA.
- Conference Session Coordinator for Medieval, Early Modern, and Eighteenth-Century Papers, German Studies Association, October 4–7, 2012. Milwaukee, WI.
- Co-organizer of a Series of Four Panels. “Forgetting Plurality: Writing Confessional Histories after the Sixteenth Century.” German Studies Association, October 4–7, 2012. Milwaukee, WI.

Panel Organizer. "Religious Refugees and the Dutch Revolt." Sixteenth Century Society & Conference, October 14–17, 2010. Montreal, QC.  
Co-organizer of an Interdisciplinary Religious Studies Working Group. Washington State University and University of Idaho. Fall 2008–present.  
Hiring Committee, Medieval/Early Modern Historian. History Department. Grinnell College. Spring 2007.  
Camery/Okey/Honors Prize Committee. Grinnell College. Fall 2006–Spring 2007.  
Ten-Year Departmental Review Committee. Grinnell College. Fall 2006–Spring 2007.  
Coordinator. Committee for Faculty Teaching "Basic Issues in European History, 1650–present." Grinnell College. Fall 2005–Spring 2007.  
Director. Teaching and Writing Center. History Department. University of Iowa. Fall 2003–Spring 2004.  
Hiring Committee. European Historian since 1450. History Department. University of Iowa. Fall 2002–Spring 2003.

### **Peer-Reviewer**

#### *Books*

Berghahn Books  
Brill Publishers  
Cambridge University Press  
Oxford University Press  
Routledge  
University of Amsterdam Press  
University of Toronto Press  
University of Virginia Press

#### *Journals*

Church History: Studies in Christianity and Culture  
Church History and Religious Culture  
Journal of Early Modern Christianity  
Journal of Early Modern History  
Sixteenth Century Journal  
Parergon: Journal of the Australian and New Zealand Association for Medieval and Early Modern Studies

#### *Funding Agencies*

American Academy in Berlin  
American Council of Learned Societies  
Dutch Research Council (NWO)  
Fulbright Council (U.S. Scholar Program)  
Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study

### **Professional Affiliations**

American Historical Association

American Society for Church History  
Sixteenth Century Society & Conference  
World History Association

**Additional Experience**

Office of History and Archaeology, State of Alaska. June 1996–September 1997.  
Research trips, archaeological excavations, historical evaluation surveys, and oral interviews in Alaska history. Catalogued historic/prehistoric sites for state historical agency.