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Title: Associate Professor of History, University of North Texas, Denton, TX

Areas of Academic Interest: early American history, Atlantic history, military history, British history

Degrees: Ph.D., Yale University, 2001
M.Phil., Yale University, 1998
M.A., Yale University, 1996
B.A. with Honors, Haifa University, Israel, 1994

Membership in Professional Associations: Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture
Society for Military History

Professional activities: Manuscripts Referee, Oxford University Press (2009).
Participant in NEH grant with the Denton Public Library (2007-09).
Manuscripts Referee, University of Virginia Press (2008).
Adviser, PBS Mountain Lake "Forgotten War" documentary (2008-09).
Articles Referee for *War and Society* (2007).
Manuscripts Referee, NYU Press (2007).
Project Reviewer, NEH Interpreting America's Historic Places Program (2005).
Chair, Colonial Wars panel ("War Without Professionals"), The Society for
Military History Annual Meeting (February, 2005).
Articles Referee, *The William and Mary Quarterly* (2004-2006).
Manuscripts Referee, Palgrave Macmillan UK (2004-06)

Teaching:

Graduate American Exceptionalism – Graduate Readings
The Military Revolution in Europe – Graduate Readings
The Military Revolution in Europe – Research Seminar
The American Revolution – Graduate Readings
The American Revolution – Research Seminar
Early-Modern Military History – Teaching American Military History Program
Theories and Methods of History – special problems
Colonial America – Special Problems
The Early Republic – Special Problems
The Military History of England and its Colonies – Special Problems
Military History of the American Revolution – Special Problems
American Colonial Administration – Special Problems
Undergraduate Atlantic Encounters: Cultural Contact and Classification
Class and Culture in Early America
American History to 1865
The American Revolution
American Colonial History
The Military History of England and its Colonies
Causes of World War I
Rome's Jewish Wars and the Roman Near East
American Colonial Culture – Special Problems

American Republicanism – Special Problems
The American Colonial Wars – Special Problems
The American Revolution – Special Problems
The American Revolution – Causes and Consequences

Grants and Awards:

Faculty Research Grant, University of North Texas, 2008
Faculty Research Grant, University of North Texas, 2007
Franklin Research Grant, The American Philosophical Society, 2006
Faculty Research Grant, University of North Texas, 2005
Teaching American Military History Program (Federal grant), University of North Texas, 2005
Faculty Research Grant, University of North Texas, 2004
Faculty Research Grant, University of North Texas, 2002
SGP Grant, University of North Texas, 2001
Smith-Richardson Fellowship, International Security Studies Program, Yale University, 2000
Society of Colonial Wars of Massachusetts Research Fellowship, Massachusetts Historical Society, 2000
Andrew W. Mellon Dissertation Fellowship, Yale University, 1999
Helen Watson Buckner Fellowship, John Carter Brown Library , Brown University, 1999
Enders Grant, Yale University, 1999
John Perry Miller Fellowship, Yale University, 1998
Andrew W. Mellon Fellowship, Yale University, 1998
University Fellowship, Yale University, 1997
Andrew W. Mellon Fellowship, Yale University, 1997
University Fellowship, Yale University, 1996
University Fellowship, Yale University, 1995
The Humanities Faculty Prize, Haifa University, 1994

Talks and Conference Papers:

“Light Infantry and the Narrative of American Exceptionalism: Competing Interpretations of Conventional Warfare in British America” (The Conquest of Canada in Historical Perspective, University of London, UK, September 2009).

“Warfare and Expansion in British North America: Colonial Failures, Imperial Triumphs and the Loss of the American Colonies” (The Experience of War in the United States, Tubingen University, Germany, June 2007).

“The Literary and Military Career of Benjamin Church: Change and Continuity in Early American Warfare” (The Omohundro Institute for Early American History and Culture, Knoxville, TN, October 2006).

“Piracy and Atlantic History” (10th Anniversary Conference of the Atlantic History Seminar, Harvard University, August 10th, 2005)

“British Administrators Against the Wilderness” (Fort Ticonderoga War College of the Seven Years’ War, Fort Ticonderoga, NY, May 23rd, 2004)

“Anglo-American Counter Insurgency in the North Atlantic” (Dallas Area Social History Group, Southern Methodist University, Dallas TX, April 30th, 2004)

“The Transmission of English Military Culture to the American Colonies” (The Society for Military History Annual Conference, Knoxville TN, May 2003)

Invited Lectureship Series on Early American History, Western Galilee College, Israel, May 26-30, 2002

“Imprudence and Ineptitude: ‘American Tactics’ in Colonial New England” (The Ohio State Conference on Military History: The Military and Society VI, Ohio State University, November, 1999)

“Tactical Inertia in Colonial New England” (The John Carter Brown Library, Brown University, July, 1999)

“English Military Tactics in the American Colonies: Innovation and Convention” (British Studies Colloquium, Yale University, December, 1998)

Publications:

books and articles

“The Literary and Military Career of Benjamin Church: Change or Continuity in Early American Warfare,” *Historical Journal of Massachusetts* 35:2 (Summer 2007): 105-112.

Co-editor, *Our Nation’s Heritage* volume I, fifth edition (Mason, Ohio: Thomson Learning, 2005)

Conquering the American Wilderness: The Triumph of European Warfare in the Colonial Northeast (Amherst: University of Massachusetts Press, 2003)

miscellaneous scholarly publications

“Assault and Arson: The Quest for Offensive Success Against Fortified Positions”, *Colonial Fortifications in North America (1541-1763)*, ed. Veronique Deplanne (Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, expected 2010)

“The War of the Grand Alliance, 1688-1697”, *Reader’s Guide to Military History*, ed. Charles Messenger (London: Fitzroy Dearborn Publishers, 2001)

“Starting Over: The Transformation of European Warfare in Colonial New England”, *Proceedings of the International Seminar on the History of the Atlantic World, 1998* (Cambridge, Massachusetts: International Seminar on the History of the Atlantic World, 1998)

book reviews

Multiple reviews in *The American Historical Review*, *Journal of American History*, *Journal of Military History* and *William and Mary Quarterly*.