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EDUCATION:

University of Iowa
Iowa City, Iowa
Ph.D., American history, 1995
Dissertation: "Striving for a Square Deal: The Roots, Formation, Early Years and Transformation of the Iowa Farm Bureau Federation"

University of Iowa
Iowa City, Iowa
M.A., American history, 1987
Essay: "The Populists of Southern Iowa: Davis and Van Buren Counties, 1890-1895"

Central College
Pella, Iowa
B.A., history, summa cum laude, 1984

EMPLOYMENT (PERTINENT):

August 2002-present
University of North Dakota
Grand Forks, North Dakota
associate professor of history

August 1996-August 2002
University of North Dakota
Grand Forks, North Dakota
assistant professor of history

LEADERSHIP AND ADMINISTRATION:
As Chair of the Department of History, responsible for all administrative duties related to the functioning of the department, including, but not limited to:

- Preparation of Strategic Plan
- Preparation of Annual Report
- Preparation of Undergraduate Program Review
- Preparation of Graduate Program Review
- Preparation of Space Study Report
- Setting and supervising all Department committees
- Chairing Department meetings, setting agendas
- Supervision and evaluation of staff, adjuncts and student employees
- Scheduling of all classes
- Preparation of all faculty files for Tenure-Retention-Promotion (TRP) purposes
- Scheduling and chairing of all TRP meetings
- Negotiating individualized contracts with faculty members
- Obtaining funding for Undergradutate Teaching Assistant positions
- Supervision of hiring of visiting assistant professors:
  Jonathan York
  William Caraher
  Richard Jones
- Securing funding for maintenance of visiting assistant professor: Jonathan York
- Supervision of hiring of assistant professor:
  William Caraher
- Negotiating new budget lines with the Administration
- Observation of classrooms
- Assist Graduate Director in Teaching Assistant assignments
- Assist Graduate Director with graduate program
- Conduct Teaching Assistant orientation
- Attend meetings on behalf of the Department: Strategic Planning; Annual Report; Development; hiring; Chairs' Council; etc.
- Liaison with Grand Forks Public School District: Teaching American History grant
- Preparation of paperwork regarding Registrar issues: new courses, catalog copy, graduate courses
- Preparation of Teaching Award nominee packets
- Preparation of numerous letters of support:

grants, leave, Office of Instructional Development, Office of Research and Compliance, etc.

- Preparation of productivity benchmarks
- Communication of requests from “above”
- Liaison with graduate students and faculty
- Liaison with Department and Administration: hiring; assorted complaints; funding; etc.
- Liaison with NDSU on issues related to Ph.D. program
- Signing authority
- Report departmental productivity
- Handle complaints by students with regard to faculty
- Ensure Harassment Training completed by all
- Handle all student requests: grade appeals, new class assignments, Plan B alterations, etc.
- Crisis Management

Extra-departmental:

- University Planning and Budget Committee,
  2004-
- Administrative Intern,
  Dean Martha Potvin, College of Arts and Sciences,
  2002-03
- Honors,
  1999-
  Chair, 2001-03, 2004-
- Faculty Senate,
  2001-03
- Faculty Ambassador, Freshman Orientation
  1997, 1998, 2001, 2002, 2004
- Multicultural Student Services,
  advisory panel, 2002-
- President’s Advisory Council on Women,
  representative, 2002-
- Salaries Committee,
  2000-03
- Professional:
  Consortium of Oral History Educators,
    Great Plains regional director, 2003-
    national board of directors, 2003-
    associate director, national, 2004-
  Northern Great Plains Historical Conference,
    board of governors, 1998-

North Dakota National History Day,
board member, 1998-2003
regional coordinator, 2000-03
faculty member of record, 2001-03
fundraising, 2000-03

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

oral history; oral history pedagogy; 1920s America; agriculture; Midwest and Great Plains

CURRENT RESEARCH:

oral history theory;
Iowa/American Farm Bureau Federation

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA

United States to 1877
United States since 1877
History of North Dakota
Historian's Craft
Making History: An Oral History Experience
American Family in Historical Perspective
Rise of Industrial America, 1877-1920
United States, 1920-1945
Introduction to Public History
Public History Practice
Seminar: Modern American History
Seminar: Oral History
Readings: Public History
Readings: Oral History
Mini-courses: Lewis and Clark
Theodore Roosevelt

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA (Graduate Assistant/Adjunct)

American Survey, 1492-1877
American Survey, 1877-present
Conquest and Colonization
Great Plains (Guided Correspondence Studies)

PUBLICATIONS:

Books:
Uncommon Heroes: The City of Grand Forks Flood Fight, 1997. Grand Forks, North Dakota: North Dakota Museum of Art, 2001.

Legacy in the Sand: The United States Army Armament, Munitions and Chemical Command in Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm. Rock Island, Illinois: GPO, 1992.

Articles:

"Documenting Another Disaster: North Dakotans and the Red River Flood of 1997," *OAH News,* 36.3 (Winter 2005): 10-15.

"Hero in Our Midst: Edward J. Bebb and the Congressional Medal of Honor," *New Sharon Area Historical Society Newsletter,* 13.4 (Winter 2004): 2

"'Why Don't I have My Attorney Look at That?': Lessons Learned from Frustrating Interviews," *Words and Silences: The International Journal of Oral History*, 2.2 (Spring/Summer 2004): 45-54.

"At History's Knee," *Oral History Review* 29.2 (Summer/Fall 2002): 75-77.

"Oral History as an Approach to State History," *Journal of American History* 86.2 (September 2000): 606-609.

"Embracing the Pluralist Perspective: The Iowa Farm Bureau Federation and McNary-Haugen," *Agricultural History* 74.2 (Spring 2000): 381-392.

"Mill Grove," *New Sharon Area Historical Society Newsletter* 4.1 (Spring 1995): 1.

Chapters/component parts of books:

""North Dakota," in *Dictionary of United States History*. Temecula, CA: New Library Press, forthcoming.

"Oral History: Authentic Task Learning in the College Classroom," *Preparing the Next Generation of Oral Historians: An Anthology of Oral History Education*, Barry A. Lanman and Laura Wendling, editors. Walnut Creek, CA: AltaMira Press, forthcoming.

"A History of Oral History Education in the United States," *Preparing the Next Generation of Oral Historians: An Anthology of Oral History Education*, Barry A. Lanman and Laura Wendling, editors. Walnut Creek, CA: AltaMira Press, forthcoming.

Curriculum guide:
An In-Depth Examination of Domestic Violence in America: A Curriculum Module for North Dakota College History Classrooms. Kimberly K. Porter, with T. Joy Greger. Grand Forks, North Dakota: Community Violence Intervention Center, 2003.

Editor:
North Dakota. Rebecca Stromstad Glasser. Land of Liberty Series. Mankato, Minnesota: Capstone Publishing, 2003.

Associate Editor:
Behind the Scenes: The Inside Story of Fighting the Flood. Eliot Glassheim, editor; Kimberly K. Porter, associate editor. Grand Forks, North Dakota: North Dakota Museum of Art, 2002.

Edited Work:
"Civil Rights in North Dakota," in *Civil Rights in the United States*. Waldo E. Martin, Jr. and Patricia Sullivan, editors. New York: Macmillan Reference, 1999.

Editorial Review:
The Return of Lake Agassiz: The University of North Dakota and the Flood of 1997. Jan Orvik and Dick Larson. Grand Forks, North Dakota: University of North Dakota, 1998.

Book Afterward:
"How the Voices were Saved: A Methodological Comment," in *Voices from the Flood: An Oral History of the 1997 Flood of the Red River of the North*. Eliot Glassheim, editor. Grand Forks, North Dakota: North Dakota Museum of Art, 1999.

Encyclopedia Entries:
"Agriculture," "Alben Barkley," "David F. Houston," and "Peggy Lee," *Encyclopedia of the Home Front: World War I and World War II*. New York: Oxford/ABC-CLIO, forthcoming.

"American Society of Equity," and "Nonpartisan League," *Encyclopedia of the Midwest*. Bloomington: Indiana University Press, forthcoming.

"American Farm Bureau Federation," *Encyclopedia of the Great Depression*, Robert McElvaine, Editor. New York: Macmillan Reference USA, 2003.

"A.C. Townley," and "Nonpartisan League," *Encyclopedia of the Great Plains*, David J. Wishart, editor. Lincoln: University of Nebraska, 2004.

"Thomas E. Watson," *Dictionary of the Gilded Age*, Leonard Schlup and James Ryan, Editors. New York: M.E. Sharpe, 2003.

Book Reviews:
Voices of the Knox Mine Disaster: Stories, Remembrances, and Reflections on the Anthracite Coal Industry's Last Major Catastrophie, January 22, 1959. Robert P. Wolensky, Kenneth C. Wolensky, and Nicole H. Wolensky. Harrisburg: Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, 2005. *Oral History Review.* Forthcoming.

Citizens as Soldiers: A History of the North Dakota National Guard. Jerry Cooper with Glenn Smith. Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 2005. *Armed Forces and Society: An Interdisciplinary Journal*. Forthcoming.

Flood Stage and Rising. Jane Varley. Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 2004. *Annals of Iowa*. Forthcoming.

Every Farm a Factory: The Industrial Ideal in American Agriculture. Deborah Fitzgerald. New Haven, CT: Yale University Press, 2003. *Great Plains Quarterly.* Forthcoming.

Harder than Hardscrabble: Oral Recollections of the Farming Life from the Edge of the Texas Hill Country. Thad Sitton, editor. Austin: University of Texas Press, 2003. *Oral History Review*. Forthcoming.

Down and Out on the Family Farm: Rural Rehabilitation in the Great Plains, 1929-1945. Michael Grant Johnston. Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 2002. *North Dakota History*. Forthcoming.

Red River Rising: The Anatomy of a Flood and the Survival of an American City. Ashley Shelby. St. Paul: Borealis Press, 2003. *North Dakota Quarterly.* Forthcoming.

Heads Above Water: Gender, Class and Family in the Grand Forks Flood. Alice Fothergill. Albany: State University of New York Press, 2004. Forthcoming.

Time to Every Purpose: The Four Seasons in American Culture. Michael Kammen. Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2004. *Journal of Canadian History*. Forthcoming.

Red River Rising: The Anatomy of a Flood and the Survival of an American City. Ashley Shelby. St. Paul: Borealis Press, 2003. *Grand Forks Herald*. April 18, 2004, 4D.

The North Dakota State Constitution: A Reference Guide. James E. Leahy. Westport, CT: Praeger, 2003. *North Dakota Quarterly*. 71.4 (Fall 2004): 170-72.

Creating Abundance: Visionary Entrepreneurs of Agriculture. Hiram M. Drache. Danville, IL: Interstate Publishers, 2001. *Agricultural History*. 78.3 (Summer 2004): 371-73.

The Oral History Manual. Barbara W. Sommer and Mary Kay Quinlan. Walnut Creek, CA: Altamira Press, 2002. *Annals of Iowa*. 62.2 (Spring 2003): 274.

The Haymakers: A Chronicle of Five Farm Families. Steven R. Hoffbeck. St. Paul: Minnesota Historical Society Press, 2000. *South Dakota History*. 33.3 (Fall 2003): 281-82.

Prairie Populist: The Life and Times of Usher Burdick. Edward Blackorby. Janet Daley, editor. Fargo: North Dakota Institute for Regional Studies, 2001. *North Dakota Quarterly*. 69.4 (Fall 2002): 153-56.

The Family Farmers' Advocate: The South Dakota Farmers Union, 1914-2000. Lynwood E. Oyos. Sioux Falls: Center for Western Studies, 2000. *Annals of Iowa*. 61.4 (Fall 2002): 461-62.

Dakota Circle: Excursions on the True Plains. Tom Isern. Fargo: North Dakota Institute for Regional Studies, 2001. *Great Plains Quarterly*. 22.1 (Winter 2002): 62-63.

Nearby History: Exploring the Past Around You. David E. Kyvig and Myron A. Marty. Walnut Creek, CA: Altamira Press, 2000. *Annals of Iowa*. 61.1 (Winter 2002): 103.

Cooperative Commonwealth: Co-ops in Rural Minnesota, 1859-1939. Steven J. Keillor. St. Paul: Minnesota Historical Society Press, 2000. *Agricultural History.* 75.3 (Summer 2001): 368-70.

Mixed Harvest: The Second Great Transformation in the Rural North, 1870-1930. Hal S. Barron. Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 1997. *Michigan Historical Review*. 26.2 (Fall 2000): 162-163.

Rising Tide: The Great Mississippi Flood of 1927 and How it Changed America. John M. Barry. New York: Simon and Schuster. *Oral History Review*. 27.1 (Winter/Spring 2000): 163-166.

Mixed Harvest: The Second Great Transformation in the Rural North, 1870-1930. Hal S. Barron. Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 1997. *Journal of Interdisciplinary History*, 30.2 (Autumn 1999): 348-349.

Iowa History Reader. Marvin Bergman, editor. Ames: Iowa State University Press, 1996. *South Dakota History*, 28.3 (Fall 1998): 202-03.

Standing at the Crossroads: Southern Life in the Twentieth Century. Pete Daniel. Baltimore: The Johns Hopkins University, 1996. *Journal of Mississippi History*, 57.3 (Fall 1997): 369-70.

Cultivating Cooperation: A History of the Missouri Farmers' Association. Raymond A. Young. Columbia: University of Missouri Press, 1995. *Annals of Iowa*, 55.4 (Fall 1996): 413-14.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS:

November 2005
"Serving Our Communities: Experiential Education and the Oral Historian,"
National Oral History Association Annual Meeting
Providence, Rhode Island

September 2005
"Taking the University to the People: Experiential Education and Oral History,"
Northern Great Plains History Conference
Eau Claire, Wisconsin

September 2005
"Fit and Fine: The Northern Great Plains History Conference Turns 40,"
Northern Great Plains History Conference
Eau Claire, Wisconsin

August 2005
"Disastrous History: Reflections on Oral History and the Red River Flood of 1997,"
Oral History in Canada
Winnipeg, Manitoba

October 2004
Northern Great Plains History Conference
"Using Oral History in the College Classroom,"
Bismarck, North Dakota

October 2004
Northern Great Plains History Conference
"Teaching North Dakota,"
Bismarck, North Dakota

October 2004
National Oral History Association Annual Meeting
“Oral History: Authentic Task Learning in the College Classroom,”
Portland, Oregon

September 2004
Agricultural History Symposium
“Iowa’s War Duty: Agricultural Extension and Food Production in the Great War,”
Ithaca, New York

March 2004
Missouri Valley History Conference
“’All is Excitement Here’: Murder in Poweshiek County, Iowa,”
Omaha, Nebraska

October 2003
Northern Great Plains History Conference
“Oral History on the Great Plains,”
Fargo, North Dakota

October 2003
Northern Great Plains History Conference
“Agriculture and the Environment—A Comment,”
Fargo, North Dakota

September 2003
University of North Dakota
Reflecting on Teaching: An All-Campus Colloquium
presented as part of a panel:
“Liberal Learning at UND: What is it? How does it happen?”
Grand Forks, North Dakota

April 2003
“The Wartime Ideal: Extension in the First World War”
Western Social Science Association
Las Vegas, Nevada

October 2001
“Documenting Disaster: The Red River Flood of 1997”
Northern Great Plains History Conference
(invited—keynote session)
Grand Forks, North Dakota

September 2001
“Uncommon Heroes: Documenting the Grand Forks Flood of 1997”
Museums in North Dakota Conference
Grand Forks, North Dakota

April 2001
“’A Deed Bloodthirsty and Cowardly’: The 1864 Copperhead Murders of Poweshiek County, Iowa”
Iowa History Forum
Des Moines, Iowa

October 2000
“Flooded Memories: The Grand Forks Oral History Project” (invited)
2000 Governor’s Conference on North Dakota History
Bismarck, North Dakota

June 1999
"Embracing the Pluralist Perspective: The Iowa Farm Bureau Federation and McNary-Haugen"
80th Anniversary Symposium of the Agricultural History Society
Mississippi State, Mississippi

October 1998
"Memories of the Flood: Gathering Oral History in the Aftermath of a Natural Disaster"
National Oral History Conference
Buffalo, New York

April 1998
"Flooded Memories: Preserving the Pain of the Nation's Worst Natural Disaster"
Southwest Oral History Association Annual Meeting
Albuquerque, New Mexico

March 1998
"Forging the Farm Bureau: Iowa Extension during the First World War"
Missouri Valley Historical Conference
Omaha, Nebraska

March 1997
"Embracing the Pluralist Tradition: The Iowa Farm Bureau Federation and the McNary-Haugen Movement"
Missouri Valley Historical Conference
Omaha, Nebraska

June 1996
"The Iowa Farm Bureau Federation and the Organization of an Associationalist Ideal: The Farmers' Grain Marketing Committee of Seventeen"
Iowa Heritage Exposition
Des Moines, Iowa

June 1995
"Striving for a Square Deal: The Formation of the Iowa Farm Bureau Federation"
Iowa Heritage Exposition
Des Moines, Iowa

PUBLIC LECTURES:

November 2005
“Germans from Russia: The Value of Oral History,”
Gackle, North Dakota

October 2005
“Germans from Russia: The Value of Oral History,”
Wishek, North Dakota

December 2004
“The Most Important Event: Lewis and Clark in North Dakota,”
North Dakota Museum of Art
Grand Forks, North Dakota

February 2003
“Grabbing the Capitol”
Greater Grand Forks Rotary Club
Grand Forks, North Dakota

April 2002
“The Heritage of the Flood”
Longview Fibre
Grand Forks, North Dakota

April 2001
“The Heritage of the Flood”
North Dakota Barbers’ Convention
Grand Forks, North Dakota

September 2000
“Grandma’s Trunk”
Icelandic State Park
Cavalier, North Dakota

March 2000
“The Heritage of a Flood”
Greater Grand Forks Rotary Club
Grand Forks, North Dakota

November 1999
“The Plow that Broke the Plains: A Comment”
Greater Grand Forks Symphony Orchestra
Grand Forks, North Dakota

April 1999
"A Woman in Politics: Mary Elizabeth Lease and the People's Party"
Daughters of the American Revolution
Grand Forks, North Dakota

October 1998
"Bismarck--Heritage of a City"
German America Day
Grand Forks, North Dakota

September 1998
"The Buffalo Commons Revisited"
North Dakota State Historical Conference
Bismarck, North Dakota

August 1998
"Preserving Our Past: Grand Forks Oral History"
Optimists Club
Grand Forks, North Dakota

June 1998
"Heritage of a Flood,"
Elderhostel--Empire Arts Center
two presentations
Grand Forks, North Dakota

November 1997
"Developing an Oral History Program"
Minnkota Genealogical Society
Grand Forks, North Dakota

August 1997
"The Value of Oral History"
North Dakota Museum of Art
Grand Forks, North Dakota

June 1997
"The Value of Oral History"
North Dakota Museum of Art
Grand Forks, North Dakota

April 1997
"The Cedar County Cow War: A Portrait of Agricultural Conservatism"
Phi Alpha Theta banquet
East Grand Forks, Minnesota

March 1997
"Mary Elizabeth Lease"
University of North Dakota, Department of History
Brown Bag Lunch
Grand Forks, North Dakota

May 1995
"The Farm Bureau in Iowa"
Rock Island Arsenal Historical Society
Rock Island, Illinois

November 1992
"AMCCOM in Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm"
Rock Island Arsenal Historical Society
Rock Island, Illinois

FILM CONSULTANT:

Prairie Public Television
“Germans from Russia” (working title)
consultant
Fall 2005

The Weather Channel
"Storm Stories--The Grand Forks Flood"
consultant
Spring 2004

Prairie Public Television
“Shattered Lives”
commentator/consultant on film regarding Gordon Kahl
Spring/Summer 2003

Four-Eyes Production
advised producers on historical accuracy of
manuscript regarding Theodore Roosevelt in North
Dakota
Winter 1997

Iowa Public Broadcasting System
with Stamats Corporation
researched Iowa agriculture for sesquicentennial
film "Iowa: An American Portrait"
Spring 1996

Harvest Films Corporation
researched 1950s Iowa farming and farm life
for "Miles from Home," starring Richard Gere,
Kevin Anderson, and Laurie Metcalf
Summer 1987

SERVICE:

University:

- Teaching and Learning,
  - Portfolio Review, Social Studies, 2005
- Honors,
  - 1999-
  - Chair, 2001-03, 2004-
- Assessment,
  - 2001-03
- Student Academic Standards,
  - 1997-2000
- Faculty Senate,
  - 2001-03
- Enrollment Services, Grand Forks Outreach,
  - Fall 1998
- Faculty Ambassador, Freshman Orientation
  - 1997, 1998, 2001, 2002, 2004
- Student Recruitment/Retention,
  - Summer 1997
- Merrifield Prize,
  - jurist, 2000, 2001
- Alice T. Clark Mentoring Program,
  - Graduate Advising,

January 2005

Alice T. Clark Mentoring Program,
"What I Know Now that I Wish I'd Known Then," panelist,
November 2002

Alice T. Clark Mentoring Program Ambassador,
representative to South Dakota State,
Summer 1997

10% Society,
faculty advisor, 1999-2003

Multicultural Student Services,
advisory panel, 2002-

Safe Zone,
project coordinator, 2002-

Campus Climate and Complexion Conference,
project coordinator, 2003

President's Advisory Council on Women,
representative, 2002-

Panelist,
"Hate for LGBT Populations,"
2003 Theatrical Event
April 2003

College:

Administrative Intern,
Dean Martha Potvin,
2002-03

Arts and Sciences Phonathon,
Spring 1999

Balloting Committee, 1996-2000
Chair, 1998, 1999

Honors Essays Committees,
1998: Christopher Carlson, chair
Maria Hamilton, member
1999: Karissa Haugeberg, chair
Ryan Hartman, member
2001: Jennie Stannard, chair
2002: Tanya Alm, chair
Athena Schritz, member
2003: Jessica Nelson, chair
Katie Burgum, member
Andrea Domaskin, member
Margaret Olson, member
2005: Paul Cline, member
Dan Carlson, member
Heidi Gould, member
Erienne Graten, member

Geoffrey Vandrovec, member
2006: Katie Argianetto, member
Amanda Nagel, member
Rachel Schlegel, member
Derek Swensen, chair

Salaries Committee,
2000-03

Student Appeals Committee,
1997-2000

Department:

Chair,
2004-

Associate Chair,
2001-03

Robert Wilkins Lecture Committee,
1997, 1998, 1999, 2000-03 (Chair)

Library/Undergraduate Committee,
1997-99, Chair, 1998
2000-01

Salaries,
2001-03

Fundraising,
2001-03

Undergraduate Assessment,
2002-03

Professional Development Fund,
2002-03

Secretary,
2000-03

Graduate Committee,
1999-2000

Cooperative Education Coordinator,
1999-

Search Committees,
colonial Americanist, 2000
pre-1877 Americanist, 1999

Masters Candidate Committees,
Stacey Jay Bendish, chair
David Betz, chair
Peter Bohlman, member
Anastasia Bowe, member
Amber Bryant, member
Danny Edward Butcher, chair
Leah Byzewski, chair
Gregory Carlson, chair

Jay Durgin, member
David E. Dyrud, chair
Mark El-Dweek, chair
Anders Edwardsson, member
Jeffrey C. Hart, member
Christian Hunter, member
Russell D. Lindvall, chair
Todd Pelfry, chair
Eric Rogness, chair
Richard Stenberg, chair
Jeffrey Stotts, chair
Steve Mallory, member
Roland Marmon, member
Shane Molander, member
Brian K. Russell, member
Carolyn Van Mackelberg, member

Mathew Gerike, member
(Geography Department)
Gordon Robertson, member
(Geography Department)

Doctoral Candidate Committees,
Jessica Clark, member
Suzzanne Kelley, member
Miles Lewis, member
Tanis Lovercheck-Saunders, member
Nelson P. Rosit, chair
Kenneth Smith, member

Profession:
Consortium of Oral History Educators,
Great Plains regional director, 2003-
national board of directors, 2003-
associate director, national, 2004-
Northern Great Plains Historical Conference,
board of governors, 1998-
North Dakota National History Day,
board member, 1998-2003
regional coordinator, 2000-03
faculty member of record, 2001-03
fundraising, 2000-03
judge,
various levels, 1998-
Annals of Iowa,
article referee, 2003
Great Plains Quarterly,

article referee, 1999
North Dakota History,
article referee, 1999, 1999
Agricultural History,
article referee, 1999, 2000
Northern Illinois University Press,
book referee, 2004
AltaMira Press,
book referee, 2004
Bedford/St. Martin's,
manuscript review, 2001
manuscript review, 2000
manuscript review, 1999
Capstone Publishing,
manuscript review, 2003
Enlow Publishers, Inc.,
manuscript review, 2002
manuscript review, 2002
manuscript review, 2002
Wadsworth Publishing,
manuscript review, 2002
United States Department of Education,
Teaching American History grant peer review,
2003, 2004, 2005
Daughters of the American Revolution,
Outstanding Teacher of American History,
jurist, 2002, 2003, 2004
North Dakota History Teacher of the Year,
jurist, 2004

Community:
Town Square Farmers' Market,
manager, 2001-02
North Dakota Museum of Art,
volunteer, 2000-
North Valley Arts Council,
board of directors, 1998-
Empire Arts Center,
volunteer, 1998-

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS:

Who's Who in America, 59th and 60th editions
2004, 2005
Who's Who in American Education,
2006-07 edition
Herbert Hoover Presidential Fellowship,
Roman Hruska Foundation Fund, 2005

Roman Hruska Foundation Fund, 2003
UND Outstanding Faculty Advisor, 2003
UND Foundation/McDermott Award for Individual Excellence in Teaching, nominee, 1999, 2002
R.C. Maguire Fellowship, Rock Island Arsenal, 1994, 1995
Elizabeth Bennett Ink Fellowship, 1994
State Historical Society, Inc., Fellowship, 1993, 1994
Achieving AMCCOM Excellence Award, 1992
Helen K. Fairall Fellowship, 1992
University of Iowa, Department of History, Teaching Assistant of the Year, nominee, 1987

ADVISOR:

National Public Radio, Story Corps, local advisor, 2005-
San Haven Society, National Endowment for the Humanities, via North Dakota Endowment for the Humanities, tuberculosis sanatorium oral history project, 2005-
Germans from Russia, National Endowment for the Humanities, via North Dakota Endowment for the Humanities, 2005-
Oral History Association/Veterans' History Project, North Dakota/Minnesota director, 2002-
The History Makers, 2002
North Dakota Museum of Art/City of Grand Forks, oral history program, 1997-2001
Walsh County [ND] Historical Preservation Commission, oral history program, 1999-2000

MEMBERSHIPS:

Agricultural History Society
American Historical Association
Consortium of Oral History Educators
Oral History Association
Organization of American Historians