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CURRICULUM VITAE**EDUCATION**

Emory University, Atlanta, Ga. Fields: Colonial & Revolutionary American and Early Modern European History	Ph.D.	2007
Emory University, Atlanta, Ga.	M.A.	2000
University of Augsburg, Germany Fields: Medieval, Early Modern, and Modern German Linguistics and Literature	Intermediate Examination (B.A.)	1999
University of Augsburg, Germany Fields: Modern German and Ancient Roman & Greek History	Intermediate Examination (B.A.)	1998

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor of History Fields: Colonial & Revolutionary America and Military History	University of Louisville, Ky.	Since 2013
Assistant Professor of History Fields: Colonial & Revolutionary America and Military History	University of Louisville, Ky.	2007 – 2013
Online Course Instructor	Norwich University	Summer 2013

AWARDS AND PRIZES

Nominated as <i>Faculty Favorite</i> by the Delphi Center for Teaching and Learning at the University of Louisville	2009
Parker-Schmitt Dissertation Award for the Best Dissertation in European History, European History Section of the Southern Historical Association	2008
J. Russell Major and Blair Major Dissertation Award in Early Modern European History, Department of History, Emory University	2005
Francis S. Benjamin Prize for the Best Research Paper by a Graduate Student, Department of History, Emory University	2002

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Donald L. Saunders Postdoctoral Research Fellowship at the John Carter Brown Library, Brown University, Providence, R.I.	Spring 2010
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U.S. Military Academy Summer Seminar in Military History, West Point, N.Y.	Summer 2008
Research Initiation Grant, University of Louisville	2008
Society of the Cincinnati & Friends of the MCEAS Dissertation Fellowship, McNeil Center for Early American Studies, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa.	2005 – 2006
The David Library of the American Revolution Research Fellowship, Washington Crossing, Pa.	Summer 2005
Andrew Mellon Dissertation Research Fellowship at the Virginia Historical Society, Richmond, Va.	Summer 2005
German Historical Institute Dissertation Fellowship, Washington, D.C.	Fall 2004
Emory University Fund for Internationalization Research Grant	2003 – 2004
The Nanovic Institute at Notre Dame, University of Wisconsin at Madison, and the German Historical Institute in Washington, D.C., Travel Grant for the German Historical Institute Summer Seminar in Germany	Summer 2003
Emory University Graduate Fellowship	2001 – 2005
University of Augsburg and Emory University Tuition Grant for Graduate Studies as an Exchange Student in U.S. History at Emory University	1999 – 2000
Konrad-Adenauer-Foundation Fellowship for Gifted Students, Germany	1998 – 2000

BOOKS

A Generous and Merciful Enemy: Life for German Prisoners of War during the American Revolution (Norman: Oklahoma University Press, 2013)

JOURNAL ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS

"Warfare in Colonial North America – A Review of Recent Historiographical Trends." In *Lebenswelt - Gewaltökonomie - Herrschaftsinstrument: Was bedeutet Militär in der frühen Neuzeit?* (Experience – Economy of Violence – Instrument of Power: The Military in the Early Modern Era), edited by Ralf Pröve, Andrea Pühringer, Markus Meumann. Münster: LIT Verlag. (Forthcoming)

"Wertvoll und Brauchbar: Kriegsgefangene deutsche Soldaten im Amerikanischen Unabhängigkeitskrieg, 1776 – 1783" (Valuable and Useful: German Prisoners of War during the American War of Independence, 1776 - 1783). *Die "Hessians" im Amerikanischen Unabhängigkeitskrieg (1776-1783) – Neue Quellen, Neue Medien, Neue Forschungen*, ed. Holger Gräf, Andreas Hedwig, Annegret Wenz-Haubfleisch, 203 – 222. Marburg: Historische Kommission für Hessen, 2014.

"Useful Enemies: The Treatment of German Prisoners of War During the American War of Independence." *The Journal of Military History* 77,1 (2013): 9 – 39.

"Desperate for Soldiers: American Recruitment of German Prisoners of War during the Revolutionary War." In *Transnational Soldiers: Foreign Military Enlistment in the Modern Era*, edited by Bruce Collins and Nir Arielli, 15 – 32. London: Palgrave-Macmillan, 2013.

- "Ritual Performance: Surrender during the American War of Independence." In *How Fighting Ends: A History of Surrender*, edited by Hew Strahan and Holger Afflerbach, 169 – 178. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2012.
- "Recruiting German Subsidy Troops for British Service during the American War of Independence: Patterns, Policies, and Practice." *The Hessians: Journal of the Johannes Schwalm Historical Association* 12 (2009): 36 – 43.
- "The King's Soldiers or Continental Servants? German Captives in American Hands, 1775 – 1783." In *Krieg, Militär und Migration in der Frühen Neuzeit* (Warfare, the Military, and Migration in Early Modern Europe), edited by Matthias Asche, Michael Herrmann, et al., 117 – 140. Münster: LIT-Verlag, 2008.
- "The Making of Prisoners of War: Rituals of Surrender in the American War of Independence, 1776 – 1783." *Militärgeschichtliche Zeitschrift* 64, no. 1 (2005): 1 – 28.
- "Deutsche Kriegsgefangene im Amerikanischen Unabhängigkeitskrieg" (German Prisoners of War during the American War of Independence). *Militär und Gesellschaft in der Frühen Neuzeit* 5, no. 1 (2001): 72 – 79.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- "Transatlantic Military Migration: German Prisoners of War during the American Revolution." 19th *Conference of the Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture*, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md., June 15, 2013.
- "Kriegsgefangene gemeine deutsche Soldaten im Amerikanischen Unabhängigkeitskrieg – Forschungsansätze und Fallbeispiele" (Common German Prisoners of War during the American War of Independence – Research Methods and Case Studies), *Internationale und Interdisziplinäre Konferenz zu den "Hessians" im Amerikanischen Unabhängigkeitskrieg* (International and Interdisciplinary Conference on the "Hessians" during the American War of Independence), Wilhelmsbad (Germany), March 8, 2013.
- "Usable Enemies: German Prisoners of War during the American War of Independence, 1776 – 1783." *John Carter Brown Library*, Brown University, Providence, R.I., April 7, 2010.
- "The Making of German Prisoners and National Citizens during the American Revolution." 33rd *Annual Conference of the German Studies Association*, Washington, D.C., October 11, 2009.
- "Kriegsgefangene gemeine deutsche Soldaten im Amerikanischen Unabhängigkeitskrieg, 1776 – 1783: Forschungsansätze und Fallbeispiele" (Common German Prisoners of War during the American War of Independence, 1776 – 1783: Research Approaches and Case Studies). *Forschungskolloquium der Abteilung für die Geschichte der Frühen Neuzeit* (Research Colloquium on Early Modern European History), University of Marburg, Germany, July 2, 2009.
- "Surrender during the American War of Independence, 1776 – 1783." *International Conference on "How Fighting Ends: A History of Surrender"*, University of Leeds, England, June 27, 2009.
- "Recruiting the German 'Mercenaries' of the American Revolution." *Annual Conference of the Society for Military History*, Ogden, Utah, April 19, 2008.
- "The Making of Prisoners and National Citizens during the Revolutionary War." *Annual Conference of the Southeastern Society for American Studies*, Auburn University, Ala., February 15, 2008.
- "Captives as Capital: German Prisoners during the American War of Independence, 1776 – 1783." *McNeil Center for Early American Studies*, University of Pennsylvania, Pa., March 16, 2007.

- "German Soldiers and Their Experiences in American Captivity during the Revolutionary War." 2006 *Omohundro Institute of Early American History & Culture Conference on "Warfare and Society in Colonial North America and the Caribbean,"* University of Tennessee, Tenn., October 7, 2006.
- "Gefangen in Amerika: Deutsche Soldaten im amerikanischen Unabhängigkeitskrieg, 1776 – 1783" (Imprisoned in America: German Soldiers during the American War of Independence). *6. Jahrestagung des Arbeitskreises Militär und Gesellschaft in der Frühen Neuzeit, Universität Potsdam, und des Sonderforschungsbereich 437: Kriegserfahrungen, Universität Tübingen* (6th Annual Conference of the Study Group on War and Society in Early Modern Europe, University of Potsdam, and the Research Project 437 on the Experiences of Warfare at the University of Tübingen) *on "Krieg, Militär und Migration in der Frühen Neuzeit"* (War, the Military, and Migration in Early Modern Europe), University of Tübingen, Germany, November 17, 2005.
- "Rituale der Kapitulation im amerikanischen Unabhängigkeitskrieg, 1776 – 1783" (Rituals of Surrender During the American War of Independence). *2003 Doktorandenkolloquium* (Dissertation Research Colloquium), University of Bielefeld, Germany, October 17, 2003.
- "Bullfrogs and Prisoners: Captive German Soldiers in the American War of Independence, 1776 – 1783." *Annual Conference of the British Association for American Studies*, University of Oxford, England, April 7, 2002.
- "'Aller Mut und Herzhaftigkeit ist uns entfallen' – German Prisoners of War during the American War of Independence." *2002 Young Scholars Forum on War and Society*, German Historical Institute, Washington, DC, March 22, 2002.
- "Deutsche Kriegsgefangene im Amerikanischen Unabhängigkeitskrieg" (German Prisoners of War during the American War of Independence). *5th Forschungskolloquium zu Neueren Forschungen der Militärgeschichte* (5th Colloquium on New Research in Military History), University of Potsdam, Germany, May 30, 2001.

REVIEWS, CONFERENCE REPORTS, NEWSPAPER ARTICLES

- Review of B. Ann Tlusty, *The Martial Ethic in Early Modern Germany: Civic Duty and the Right of Arms* (New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2011). *H-Net Reviews*. (Forthcoming)
- Review of Claudia Schnurmann, *Europa trifft Amerika: Zwei Alte Welten bilden eine neue atlantische Welt, 1492 – 1783*. Berlin: LIT Verlag, 2009 (Europe Meets America: Two Old Worlds Form a New Atlantic World); and Hermann Wellenreuther, ed. *Jacob Leisler's Atlantic World in the Later Seventeenth Century*. Berlin: LIT Verlag, 2009. *Zeitschrift für Historische Forschung* 39, 3 (2012): 504 – 507.
- Op-Ed: "The American Revolution, Prussia and POW Treatment." *The Providence Journal*, April 19, 2010.
- Review of Joseph S. Tiedemann, Eugene R. Fingerhut, and Robert W. Venables, eds. *The Other Loyalists. Ordinary People, Royalism, and the Revolution in the Middle Colonies, 1763-1787*. Albany: State University of New York Press, 2010. *Wiener Zeitschrift zur Geschichte der Neuzeit* 10, no. 1 (2010): 186 – 188.
- Review of Clive L. Lloyd, *A History of Napoleonic and American Prisoners of War, 1756 – 1816*. Woodbridge: Antique Collectors Club, 2007; and Clive L. Lloyd, *The Arts and Crafts of Napoleonic and American Prisoners of War, 1756 – 1816*. Woodbridge: Antique Collectors Club, 2007. *Zeitschrift für Historische Forschung* 37, no. 2 (2010): 371 – 373.

Report on "Krieg und Migration in der Frühen Neuzeit (War, the Military, and Migration in the Early Modern Period)." *6. Jahrestagung des Arbeitskreises Militär und Gesellschaft in der Frühen Neuzeit, Universität Potsdam, und des Sonderforschungsbereich 437: Kriegserfahrungen, Universität Tübingen* (6th Annual Conference of the Study Group on War and Society in Early Modern Europe, University of Potsdam, and the Research Project 437 on the Experiences of Warfare at the University of Tübingen).

<http://hsozkult.geschichte.hu-berlin.de/tagungsberichte/id=977> (published on December 15, 2005).

Report on "War in an Age of Revolution: The Wars of American Independence and the French Revolution, 1775 – 1815." *International Conference at the German Historical Institute, Washington, D.C., March 10 – 12, 2005. Militär und Gesellschaft in der Frühen Neuzeit* 9, no. 2 (2005), 192 – 195.

Review of Jürgen Macha und Andrea Wolf, eds. *Michael Zimmer's Diary. Ein deutsches Tagebuch aus dem Amerikanischen Bürgerkrieg* (A German Diary from the American Civil War). Frankfurt a. M. und Berlin: Peter Lang, 2001. *Militär und Gesellschaft in der Frühen Neuzeit* 7, no. 1 (2003): 113 – 116.

Review of Stephen Brumwell, *Redcoats: The British Soldier and War in the Americas, 1755 – 1763*. Cambridge and New York: Cambridge University Press, 2002. *Militär und Gesellschaft in der Frühen Neuzeit* 6, no. 1 (2002): 81 – 84.

INVITED LECTURES

"Captives in a Foreign Land: German Prisoners of War during the American Revolution." *Texas A&M University*, College Station, TX. November 20, 2014.

"The Origins of *Mission Command* and the German *Auftragstaktik* (Mission-type Orders)." McConnell Center – U.S. Army Strategic Broadening Seminar, June 16, 2013.

"Life for German Prisoners of War during the American Revolution." *Military Officers Association of America – Louisville Chapter, Audubon Country Club*, Louisville, Ky., July 10, 2013.

"Colonial America and the Coming of the American Revolution." *Sons of the American Revolution*, Louisville, Ky., March 19, 2012.

"The War of 1812." *Ohio Valley Education Cooperative*, Shelbyville, Ky., February 25, 2012.

"Economy in Early America." *Ohio Valley Education Cooperative*, Shelbyville, Ky., November 2, 2011.

"A Struggle for Empire: Colonial America during the Eighteenth Century." *McConnell Center*, University of Louisville, October 26, 2011.

"The State of Our Profession: Military History." *Military Officers Association of America – Louisville Chapter, Audubon Country Club*, Louisville, Ky., October 12, 2011.

"The Seven Years' War: How Great Britain Won the War and Lost the Peace." *Society of Colonial Wars - Kentucky*, Pendennis Club, Louisville, Ky., June 2, 2011

"Military History in the United States." *Military Order of the World Wars – Louisville Chapter, Audubon Country Club*, Louisville, Ky., March 4, 2011.

"Germany – History and Culture" *Global Nights – World Affairs Council*, Louisville, Ky., February 8, 2011.

"The Spanish, French, and English Colonial Empires in the Atlantic and North America." *Ohio Valley Educational Cooperative*, Louisville, Ky., August 25, 2010.

"The American War of Independence – Path to Victory." *McConnell Center*, University of Louisville, June 8, 2010.

- "The United States During the Second World War." *McConnell Center*, University of Louisville, June 17, 2009.
- "Visual Historian: John Trumbull's Revolutionary War Paintings." *Speed Art Museum*, Louisville, Ky., September 25, 2008.
- "The Battle of Trenton, 1776." *Alexander Hamilton Historical Society*, Louisville, Ky., March 29, 2008.
- "German Soldiers during the American War of Independence." *Pennsylvania Society of the Cincinnati Annual Meeting*, Philadelphia, Pa., February 20, 2006.
- "Hessian Soldiers and Prisoners of War in Pennsylvania, 1776 – 1783." *Sons of the American Revolution – Washington Crossing Chapter*, Washington Crossing, Pa., April 4, 2006.

TEACHING

Upper-Division/Graduate courses on <i>Studies in Western and American Military History</i>	2009 – 2014
Upper-Division/Graduate courses on the <i>Era of the American Revolution</i>	2009 – 2013
Upper-Division/Graduate courses on <i>Colonial America</i>	2008 – 2012
Online Graduate course on <i>Colonial and Early America</i>	2013
Survey courses on <i>American History To 1877</i>	2008 – 2013
Survey courses on <i>American and U.S. Military History, 1600 – Present</i>	2007 – 2013
Survey courses on the <i>History of Civilizations, 1200 – 1850</i>	2007 – 2009
Survey courses on the <i>History of Civilizations, 1450 – Present</i>	2013 – 2014
Survey course on the <i>Foundations of American Society To 1877</i>	Spring 2005

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Chair, Vietnam War Commemoration Committee, University of Louisville	2014
Director of Graduate Studies, History Department, University of Louisville	2013 – 2014
Deputy Chair, Program Committee for the 2014 <i>Annual Conference of the Society for Military History</i> in Kansas City, MO, April 3-6, 2014.	2013 – 2014
Chair, 2014 Gottschalk Lecture Committee, History Department, University of Louisville	2013 - 2014
Member, University of Louisville, Veterans and Military Affairs Committee	2012 – 2014
Member, University of Louisville, College of Arts & Sciences Planning and Budget Committee	2012 – 2014
Member, Undergraduate Committee, History Department, University of Louisville	2008 – 2013
Organization of a two-day campus visit by the <i>U.S. War College</i> as part of the Eisenhower Series College Program, April 2-3, 2012	Spring 2012
Member, Search Committee, University of Louisville, History Department	2011 – 2012
Research and TV consultant/expert for <i>Who Do You Think You Are?</i> (Third Season). Produced for NBC by Shed Media U.S.; the show aired on April 27, 2012	2010 – 2012

Member, U.S. Army Cadet Command Military History Curriculum Review Board	2011 – 2012
Faculty Advisor, Phi Alpha Theta (History Honor Society), University of Louisville	2009 – 2012
Primary Instructor (Colonial and Revolutionary American History) for a <i>Teaching American History Grant</i> from the U.S. Department of Education for the Jefferson County Public School System (in conjunction with the <i>McConnell Center</i> at the University of Louisville)	2011 – 2012 & 2008 – 2009
Internships as Research and Editorial Assistant at the <i>Militär-geschichtliches Forschungsamt der Bundeswehr</i> (German Army Institute for Military History) in Potsdam, Germany	1998 and 2001

ONGOING RESEARCH INTERESTS

Soldiers in the Early Modern and Colonial Era – Rituals, Symbols

German participation in the American War of Independence, 1775 – 1783

Surrender and Prisoners of War in Western Military History

A German "Atlantic World" – The Holy Roman Empire and the Americas, 1492 – 1806