

CURRICULUM VITAE  
Jordan Kellman

EDUCATION

- Ph.D., History, 1998, Princeton University  
Dissertation: *Discovery and Enlightenment at Sea: Maritime Exploration and Observation in the Eighteenth-century French Scientific Community*
- M.A., History, 1994, Princeton University
- M.A., History, 1992, University of California, Berkeley
- B.A., History and Philosophy of Science, 1990, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA AT LAFAYETTE:

- Dean, College of Liberal Arts, July 1, 2012 – present
- Interim Director, Office of Academic Planning and Faculty Development, Fall 2010 – Spring 2012
- Associate Dean, College of Liberal Arts, Spring 2009 - Summer 2010
- Emma Louise LeBlanc Burguières/BORSF Endowed Professor in Social Sciences, 2008-2011
- Professor of History, Fall 2013-Present
- Associate Professor of History, Fall 2007- Spring 2012
- Assistant Professor of History, Fall 2002 - Spring 2007

LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY, Instructor, Fall 1998-Spring 2002

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY, Lecturer, Fall 1997-Spring 1998

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

AS DEAN OF LIBERAL ARTS, FALL 2012-PRESENT

- Oversee largest college at the University, 9 departments, 14 majors, 3,000 students and 175 continuing faculty
- Oversee all University study abroad programs
- Chair, University Strategic Plan Implementation Committee, Fall 2016-Present
- Chair, 2020 SACS-COC Reaffirmation Committee and Director, SACS-COC Compliance Certification
- Chair, 2015 SACS-COC 5<sup>th</sup>-year Report Committee
- Director, 2010 SACS-COC Compliance Certification Chair
- Member, General Education committee
- Member, University Athletics Committee
- Chair, General Education Humanities review committee
- Upon appointment as dean, began implementing College Globalization Initiative, including:
  - Increasing Study Abroad Participation
  - Stabilize Modern Language offerings and language education in the College
  - Increasing scholarships for international study
  - Forging MOU's for research and student exchange with international Universities
- Developed new M.S. in Criminal Justice program
- Developed online Professional Writing post-baccalaureate certificate program
- Currently developing online Professional Writing Master's program
- Currently Developing Psychology Ph.D. program
- Developed and hosted College of Liberal Arts Showcase community access cable network interview series

- Instituted Annual College-wide faculty and staff Meeting
- Instituted monthly College “Doughnuts with the Dean” informal discussion meeting
- Instituted monthly College Faculty Research Seminar
- Instituted Faculty and Staff College newsletter

AS INTERIM DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF ACADEMIC PLANNING AND FACULTY DEVELOPMENT, FALL 2010-PRESENT:

- Managed planning, application, selection and award processes for Endowed Professorships and Chairs, Summer Research Awards, Sabbaticals and Summer Sabbaticals
- Maintained campus undergraduate degree inventories
- Managed all changes to courses and curricula of existing programs
- Managed all changes to and electronic and print publication of the Faculty Handbook and Undergraduate Catalog
- Managed all articulation agreements, including serving as Board of Regents Articulation officer
- Coordinated and preside over New Faculty Orientation
- Planned and coordinate Faculty Development Workshops
- Coordinated, with the Office of Institutional Research, Student Evaluation of Instruction, including serving as Chair of the faculty Student Evaluation of Instruction Committee, and administer administrator evaluations
- Managed ongoing SACS communication and compliance, including submitting 25-page substantive change prospectuses for new programs (four in 2011-2012)
- Oversaw UNIV 100: Freshman Seminar and UNIV 200: Information Literacy, including 7 new faculty offices and two new computer classrooms
- Coordinated University’s nationally-funded Win-Win project to help SLCC retroactively award associates degrees to qualified transfer students
- Member, Grad Act compliance team and Grad Act co-author
- Co-chair (with Chip Jackson, Director, Enrollment Services), Transfer Student Task Force
- Oversaw decisions concerning University-wide adoption of electronic resources such as textbook portals, clickers, etc.
- Produced weekly Academic Affairs Newsletter
- Had administrative oversight of Academic Success Center, University College, including dual enrollment programs, Transfer Coordinator
- Served as member of the General Education Committee, STEP committee
- Proofread all faculty and staff vacancy announcements
- Designed and maintain University-wide faculty credentials database
- Verified credentials of all faculty hired
- Managed office with two administrative assistants, three student workers, and seven budgets

AS DIRECTOR OF SACS COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATION, 2007-2010

- Overall responsibility for decennial reaffirmation of SACS accreditation, 2010
  - final result: unconditional reaffirmation with no monitoring reports
- Assigned and coordinated team of 23 compliance authors and editors
- Designed and oversaw SACS War Room with a part-time administrative assistant and two student workers
- Produced Compliance Certification Report (406 pages and 1,259 supporting documents); Focused Report (75 pages, 314 supporting documents) and Response Report (112 pages, 45 supporting documents), in printed, USB, CD-ROM, and Web versions.

- Co-responsible, with Paula Carson, for developing, maintaining and documenting campus-wide assessment process including 254 separate units; designing and implementing two assessment management systems (Moodle and WEAVEOnline); running assessment workshops for faculty, staff and administrators.

#### AS ASSOCIATE DEAN, FALL 2009-SUMMER 2010

- Worked with College Department Heads on assessment
- Worked with Department Heads and Faculty in Curriculum Review
- Worked with Development Office to design College alumni development strategy
- Assisted Associate Dean Dr. Sandra Duhé in developing new Faculty Workload evaluation system

#### STUDY ABROAD

- ADMINISTRATIVE OVERSIGHT OF ALL STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS AT UL LAFAYETTE, 2012-2017
- STUDY ABROAD COMMITTEE MEMBER, 2002-PRESENT
- INTERIM CHAIR, STUDY ABROAD COMMITTEE, 2004-2005
- CO-DIRECTOR, UL PARIS PROGRAM, SUMMER 2004
- TEACHING ABROAD:
  - UL FRANCE, PARIS, SUMMER 2004:
    - HIST 327: Modern European Nations. The City of Light in Words and Stone: The History of Paris From Roman Outpost to Post-modern Capital
    - HIST 371: Topics and Themes. Castles, Cathedrals and Culture of Medieval France
  - LSU IN IRELAND, SUMMER 2001:
    - HIST 2012: Britain from 1689 to the Present
  - LSU IN PARIS, SUMMER 2000:
    - HIST 2196: Special topics in European History: City of Light in Words and Stone: An Integrated Course in the History and Architecture of Paris

#### DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

- Presenter, History Department Professional development brown bag lunch, "Faculty Summer Research Fellowships", October 2011
- Interim Graduate Coordinator, Spring 2008
- Member, U.S. Foreign relations Search Committee, Fall 2007- Spring 2008
- Member, Department Outcomes Assessment Committee, Fall 2007-Fall 2008
- Chair, Modern British History Search Committee, Fall 2006 - Spring 2007
- Co-leader, Phi Alpha Theta workshop for undergraduates interested in graduate history programs, Fall 2006
- Coordinator of undergraduate History Advising, Spring 2006 – Spring 2008
- Chair, Amos E. Simpson graduate essay award selection committee, 2005-2007
- Creator, History 101 departmental digital image bank (Faculty Development mini-grant), Fall 2003
- Undergraduate History Advisor, Spring 2003-2008
- Chair, Medieval Search Committee, 2005-6
- Participant, Graduate Workshop on Ph.D. Programs, Fall 2005
- Modern German Search Committee, 2004-5
- Co-creator and participant, Master's Thesis Workshop, Fall 2003, Fall 2004, Fall 2005
- Graduate Orientation Speaker, Fall 2004, 2005, 2006
- History Department Graduate Committee, Fall 2002 – Fall 2008
- Long-term Planning Committee, ULL, Fall 2004-Fall 2006
- History Department Curriculum Committee, Fall 2002-Fall 2008

#### COLLEGE SERVICE

- Closing Remarks, Louisiana Conference on Literature, Language and Culture, Lafayette, March 6, 2010; April 2, 2011
- Organizer, Campus visit including lecture by Godon Sayre, The University of Oregon, "Shamanism, Providence, and the Picaresque in Dumont de Montigny's *Mémoires de L. D.*: Quebec and Louisiana 1716-1720," December 13, 2006
- Organizer, Campus visit by Robert Darnton, Princeton University, including lecture, "The Devil in the Holy Water: the Art and Politics of Slander, Paris and London, 1771-1793," graduate student seminar, graduate student dinner, January 24, 2005. Organized in cooperation with the Department of Modern Languages
- Organizer, Campus visit including lecture by Shannon Dawdy, The University of Chicago, "Empire and Misadventure in French Colonial Louisiana: Rediscovering the Memoir of Dumont *dit* Montigny," April 6, 2005. Organized in cooperation with the Anthropology Department
- Volunteer Preview Day leader, March 2003, March 2004
- Organizer, lecture by Harlow Unger, "Lafayette", October 15, 2002
- Creator and Organizer, West Laville film series, LSU, 1999-2002
- Faculty Mentor for students at the LSU Honors College, East Laville Dormitory, 1998-2002

#### UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- Provost Search Committee, Spring 2013
- Committee on Academic Affairs and Standards, 2010-Present
- Chair, Minors subcommittee, Fall 2012-present
- General Education Committee, 2010-present
- Ernest Gaines Center Board, 2012-present
- Service/Outreach/Unity/Leadership(SOUL) Camp faculty volunteer, Fall 2011
- Member, SACS steering Committee, Fall 2007-Fall 2010
- Faculty Mentor, UL mentoring program, Spring 2006 - present
- Presenter on UL Studies Abroad Programs, Board of Supervisors meeting, Baton Rouge, August 24, 2006
- ULL Studies Abroad Committee: Member, Fall 2002-present; Acting Director and Chair, Fall 2004 and Spring 2005; Assistant Director, Fall 2005 and Spring 2006
- Member, Editorial Board, UL Lafayette Press, 2004 – present
- French Archival Acquisitions Director, Center for Louisiana Studies, 2002-2008
- Phi Beta Delta: Member, Fall 2002-2008, Vice President for Programming, 2004-2005, President, 2005-2006
- Co-Organizer, with Rose Honneger, International Student Center, International Student Week Film: "Hotel Rwanda", November 2005
- Co-Organizer, with Leslie Bary, MODL, campus and Lafayette visit of University of Nelly Bregeon, Stephen Morrison, and Salwa Nacuzi, delegation from the University of Poitiers, including meetings with Modern Languages, Anthropology and History and Geography to establish faculty and student exchange agreements, April 11-15, 2005
- Canadian Studies Committee, Fall 2002-present
- University Emissary to the University of Poitiers, to formalize student and faculty exchanges, June 2005
- Co-Organizer and Participant, Campus Studies Abroad Fair, Fall 2004, Fall 2005
- Organizer and participant, Studies Abroad workshop for College of Business, Fall 2005
- Organizer and participant, Studies Abroad faculty workshop for course proposals, Fall 2004
- Student Evaluation of Instruction Committee, Fall 2004-present

## PUBLIC AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- University representative and Chair, Act 851 (Immersion High School in Lafayette) Committee Member, South Louisiana Community College Dean of Liberal Arts Search Committee Member, Lafayette Consolidated Government International Trade and Development Group board, 2010 - present
- Evaluator, Chateaubriand Fellowships, Spring 2006, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2013
- National Endowment for the Humanities Evaluator for Collaborative Research and Scholarly Editions and Translations Programs, February 16, 2010
- Public lecture, "Memory and Identity: The Marquis de Lafayette in Local and National History," Conversations in the Humanities Series, February 27, 2008
- Volunteer chair, 53<sup>rd</sup> annual French Historical Studies Conference, Houston, TX, March 15-17, 2007
- Organizer, *Lafayette in History* lecture series for the celebration of the 250<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the birth of the Marquis de Lafayette, Spring 2006
- Historical consultant and interviewee (five interviews) for film "Le Marquis de La Fayette: Le Fils Adoptif d'Amérique ["The Marquis de Lafayette: America's Adoptive Son"], ULL Cinematic Arts Workshop, released for statewide educational and broadcast distribution, Fall 2007
- University liaison to the Lafayette Consolidated Government Marquis Committee: coordinating numerous joint activities involving Dupre Library, the History and Geography and Modern Language Departments, and the Center for Louisiana Studies, 2006-2007
- Interview on the Marquis de Lafayette for the ULL *Society of Professional Journalism Magazine*, appeared February, 2007
- Organizer, presentation and discussion of "L'Auberge Espagnole," (Cédric Klapisch, 2002), February 2007
- Interview on the Marquis de Lafayette for the Lafayette *Vermillion* newspaper, 11/17/2006, to appear January 17, 2007
- Organizer, Campus visit by Gordon Sayre, The University of Oregon, "Shamanism, Providence, and the Picaresque in Dumont de Montigny's Mémoires de L. D.: Quebec and Louisiana 1716-1720," December 13, 2006
- Lecture, "The Marquis de Lafayette in heritage and history," Lafayette Genealogical Society meeting, December 6, 2006
- Volunteer Respondent, Ithaca study of the effects of new electronic resources on American higher education, September 2006
- Lecture, "Marquis de Lafayette and the American Revolution," Galvez chapter, Louisiana Society Daughters of the American Revolution meeting, November 9, 2006.
- Interview for article on the UL-Studies Abroad Program in the UL-Lafayette *Vermillion*, January 17, 2006
- Radio interview in French, *FrancoMix* with Olivier Marteau, KRVS, Lafayette, LA, distributed internationally in multibroadcast through the French Consulate Network, October 27, 2005
- "'James Kirk is James Cook!' And Other Reflections on Scientific Exploration from the Age of Sail to the Space Age," ULL Faculty Forum lecture, April 2004
- "The Changing Face of Ireland" Panel discussion participant, Phi Beta Delta Chapter Meeting, February 2004
- "Professor: Looted art 'treasures for us all'," Interview on looting of historical artifacts in Iraq, Lafayette Daily Advertiser, April 15, 2003; reprinted in the *Museum Security Network*
- "Researching History Abroad," Phi Beta Delta Meeting featured speaker, Spring 2003
- "The Role of Islam in the History of Astronomy," Islamic Civilization and its Importance to Modern Science and Current Events Series, Highland Road Observatory, Baton Rouge, March 2002

Co-organizer, Islamic Civilization and its Importance to Modern Science and Current Events Series,  
Highland Road Observatory, Baton Rouge, March 7-21, 2002  
“The Words of the First Astronomer in Louisiana: Antoine de Laval and French Colonial Travel  
Narratives,” Phi Alpha Theta initiation ceremony, guest speaker, LSU, December 2000  
Anonymous Referee for *American Historical Review*  
Anonymous Referee for *Louisiana History*

#### COMMUNITY SERVICE

Episcopal School of Acadiana parent volunteer, 2008-present  
Prairie elementary parent volunteer: classroom helper, August 2005; French reader, January 2006  
FamilyNet volunteer: drove four Katrina displaced New Orleanians to Mississippi, September 2005  
CODOFIL volunteer: housed Katrina displaced French student from New Orleans, September 2005  
Judge, Region VI Social Studies Fair, March 2002; March 2003; March 2004

#### PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Society for French Historical Studies  
Society for French Colonial History  
History of Science Society  
Renaissance Society of America  
American Historical Association  
American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies  
Phi Beta Delta Honor Society for International Scholars  
Phi Alpha Theta History Honors Society

#### LANGUAGES

French - fluent  
Spanish – reading, basic conversation  
German - reading

#### PUBLICATIONS

##### BOOKS:

Co-editor, *Creolization in the French Atlantic*, University of Louisiana Press, 2016  
Editor, *Lafayette in Transnational Context: Identity, Travel and Nationalism in the Revolutionary Atlantic World*, in press, University of Louisiana at Lafayette Press, 2015  
Editor, “Beyond Center and Periphery: New Currents in the French and Francophone Atlantic World,” Special Issue of *Atlantic Studies: Literary, Cultural, and Historical Perspectives*, vol 10, issue 1, March 2013  
Co-editor, with Julia Frederick, *Travels in a Changing World: Readings in Global Civilization*, second edition, Volume I, Vaughan Baker, general editor, Dubuque, Kendall-Hunt, 2005

##### REFEREED ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS:

“Recollet Naturalism and the Colonial Order in Seventeenth-century New France,” *Les Récollets en Amérique : Traces et Mémoire*, Quebec, Presses de l’Université Laval, 2019.  
“Encounter and Environment in La France Equinoxiale: Franciscans and Tupinamba in Maranhão, Brazil,” in *Creolization in The French Americas*, ed. Jean-Marc Masseaut, Michael Martin and

- Jordan Kellman, University of Louisiana at Lafayette Press, 2016. Also published in translation as "Rencontre et environnement dans La France Equinoxiale : Franciscains et Tupinambas à Maranhão, Brésil," in *Créolités Aux Amériques Françaises*, special issue of *Cahiers des Anneaux de la Mémoire* 15 (2014)
- "Environmentalism, Ethnography and Franciscan Natural Theology on the French Colonial Frontier: Claude D'Abbeville's Tupinambá Encounter, 1612-1613," *Proceedings of the Western Society for French History* 37, 2011
- "Beyond Center and Periphery: New Currents in the French and Francophone Atlantic World," *Atlantic Studies: Literary, Cultural, and Historical Perspectives*, vol 10, issue 1, March 2013, 1-12
- "Nature, networks, and Expert Testimony in the Colonial Atlantic: The Case of Cochineal," *Itineraries of Atlantic Science – new questions, new approaches, new directions*, special issue of *Atlantic Studies: Literary, Cultural and Historical Perspectives*, 7:4 (2010), 373 – 395
- "Colonial Exploration Revolutionized: The Lost Voyage of Jean-François de Galaup, Comte de Lapérouse and the French Revolution" *Proceedings of the Consortium on Revolutionary Europe: 2003*, University of Florida Press, 2007
- "Throwing Good Research after Bad: Le Gentil's Eclipses and the Seven Years' War," *Proceedings of the Consortium on Revolutionary Europe: 2005*, University of Florida Press, 2007
- "Navigation entre le savoir et l'amour en Louisiane Coloniale: Identité, autorité et la quête de l'authentique dans trois récits d'un voyage de 1720," *Etudes Francophones*, 21, 1&2, 2006
- "Jean-Mattieu de Chazelles et la naissance d'une science d'observation maritime," in *Défense des côtes et cartographie historique*, ed. Jean-Pierre Bois, Paris, Editions du Comité des Travaux Historiques et Scientifiques, 2002, pp. 265-274

#### ENCYCLOPEDIA, MAGAZINE AND REVIEW ARTICLES

- "Rapport de l'institution Centre de Folklore Acadien et Créole," *Rabaska: Revue D'ethnologie de l'Amérique française* 16 : 2017, 339-41.
- UL Lafayette," "Seeking the Promised Land in Louisiana: The African Diaspora Heritage Trail Conference, 2013," *Kreol Magazine*, London, UK, Issue 7, December 2013
- "1462: Johannes Regiomontanus' Epitome of Ptolemy's Almagest," *Great Events from History: 1454-1600*, Salem Press, 2005, pp. 48-50
- "Scientific Expeditions" in *Berkshire Encyclopedia of World History*, Berkshire, MA, 2005, pp. 707-712
- "Sailing Ships," in *Berkshire Encyclopedia of World History*, Berkshire, MA, 2005, pp. 1649-1653
- "French Empire," in *Tobacco in History and Culture: An Encyclopedia*, ed. Jordan Goodman, Charles Scribner's Sons, 2004, pp. 240-245
- "George-Louis Leclerc, Comte de Buffon," in *Reader's Guide to the History of Science*, London, Fitzroy Dearborn, 2001, pp. 109-110

#### TRANSLATIONS

Maurice Olander, "L'Europe, ou comment échapper à Babel," *History and Theory: Studies in the Philosophy of History*, Beiheft 33, *Proof and Persuasion in History*, 1994, pp. 5-25

Jacques Royal, "The Marquis de Lafayette, Apôtre de la Liberté," for presentation at the African Diaspora Heritage Week panel discussion, "Human Rights and the Marquis de La Fayette", Jean Lafitte Acadiana Cultural Center, April 19, 2007

Translation consultant, Charles Royster, *Garrison Tales from Tonquin and other Writings of James O'Neill*, Baton Rouge, Louisiana State University Press, 2006

#### BOOK REVIEWS

James Delbourgo and Nicholas Dew (eds.), *Science and Empire in the Atlantic World* (London and New York: Routledge, 2009), in *International Journal of Maritime History*, 22, 2 (December, 2010), pp. 427-9

Mary Terrall, *The Man Who Flattened the Earth: Maupertuis and the Sciences in the Enlightenment* (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2002), in *History and Philosophy of the Life Sciences*, 28, 1 (2006), pp. 92-94

A. R. T. Jonkers, *Earth's Magnetism in the Age of Sail*, Baltimore, Johns Hopkins University Press, 2003, in *Journal of Maritime History*, XVII, 1 (June, 2005)

John Dunmore, *The Pacific Journal of Louis-Antoine de Bougainville 1767-1768*, Third Series, Vol. 9, London: Hakluyt Society, 2004, in *International Journal of Maritime History*, 16, 1 (June, 2004), pp. 281-2

Gilles-Antoine Langlois, *Des Villes pour La Louisiane Française: Théorie et pratique de l'urbanistique coloniale au 18e siècle*, Paris, l'Harmattan, 2003, in *Louisiana History*, Vol. XLV, No. 4 (Fall, 2004), pp. 474-477

Essay review of *Romanticism and Colonialism: Writing and Empire, 1780-1830*, ed. T. Fulford and P. J. Kitson, Cambridge, England, Cambridge University Press, 1998, and S. Makdisi, *Romantic Imperialism: Universal Empire and the Culture of Modernity*, Cambridge, England, Cambridge University Press, 1998, in *Endeavour*, Vol. 23, No. 2, 1999, pp. 84-85

"Where Yeast met West: Bread, a Key to Cultural History," review of Steven Laurence Kaplan, *The Bakers of Paris and the Bread Question*, Duke University Press, 1997, in *Princeton Alumni Weekly*, Vol. 99, no. 1, September 9, 1998

#### CONFERENCES

##### INVITED

"Discipline, Observation, et Naturalisme parmi les voyageurs monastiques français au nouveau monde," St. Boniface University, Winnipeg, January, 2018

Participant, "Fire and Water: Entangled Histories of Empire and Science in the Early Modern Americas Symposium," John Carter Brown Library, Providence, RI, September 23-24, 2017

"Recollet Naturalism and the Colonial Order in Seventeenth-century New France," *Les Récollets en Amérique : Traces et Mémoire*, Institut du Patrimoine Culturel (IPAC), Université de Laval, Québec, 11-13 June, 2015



- “The Order of the New World: Sexuality, Violence and Nature in the Early French Franciscan Accounts of Maragnan, Brazil,” Mellon French Atlantic History Workshop:  
 “De l’observation à l’inscription : les savoirs sur l’Amérique entre 1600 et 1830 dans les textes d’expression française,” Musée de Pointe-à-Callière, Montreal, May 31 – June 1, 2013
- “Nature, Commodities and Expert Testimony in the French Colonial Atlantic: the Case of Cochineal,” Mellon French Atlantic History workshop: “Knowledge and Science in the French Atlantic world (c. 1540-c.1800),” McGill University, Montreal, Canada, April 27-28, 2007
- “French Colonial Settlement Models from Sainte Croix to Maranhão,” NEMOS (New Model Scholarship) Conference, Washington, D.C., October 15-16, 2006
- “The Art of Seeing: Craft Practice and Theory in the Naturalist Voyages of Charles Plumier and Joseph Pitton de Tournefort, 1689-1702,” Naturalist Voyagers: Symposium in Honor of Chip Burkhardt, Center for Advanced Study, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, November, 2005
- “From Capital to Calamity: Negotiating the Frontiers of Knowledge in the Botanical Voyages of Joseph Pitton de Tournefort and Charles Plumier, 1689-1702,” European Capitals and the Globalization of Knowledge (Paris and London: 17<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> Centuries) Conference, Centre national de la recherche scientifique, Université de Paris X-Nanterre, au Maison Française d’Oxford, Oxford, England, June 2005
- “From Observation to Data: J. D. Cassini and the Early French Scientific Voyages,” Workshop on Ships as Laboratories, Wellcome Trust Centre for the History of Medicine at University College, London, September, 2001

#### OTHER PAPERS

- “Confident Men and Confidence Men: Taxonomy and Local Agents in Joseph Pitton de Tournefort’s Eastern Mediterranean Voyage, 1700–1702,” History of Science Society, Chicago, IL, November 6-9, 2014
- “The Paradox of Paradise: Natural History in Claude D’Abbeville’s *Histoire de la mission des pères capucins en l’isle de Maragnan et terres circonvoisines* (1613),” French Colonial Historical Society, New Orleans, LA, May 30 – June 2, 2012
- “Monasticism, Sexuality and Violence in New World Ethnography: Claude D’Abbeville’s Tupinamba Encounter, 1612-1615,” American Historical Association, Chicago, Illinois, January 5-8, 2012
- “Environmentalism and the Birth of Ecology on the French Colonial Frontier: Claude D’Abbeville’s Tupinamba Encounter, 1612-1613,” Western Society for French History, Portland, Oregon, November 10-13, 2011
- “Knowledge and Translation in Colonial Travel: European and Brahmanic Astronomy in the Indian Ocean, 1750-1800,” American Historical Association annual meeting, Washington, D.C., January 3-6, 2008
- “Changing Images and Perceptions of Lafayette,” The Marquis de Lafayette: from Washington’s aide to Historical Icon, The Library at Hattiesburg, Hattiesburg, MS, October 26, 2007
- “Le Gentil meets les Gentils: Astronomical Calculation from the Paris Observatory to Pondicherry,” Western Society for French History, Newport Beach, CA, October 19-21, 2006
- “Highly Mutable Mobiles: Guillaume Le Gentil’s Passage to Brahmanic Astronomy as a Response to Disaster,” History of Science Society annual meeting, Vancouver, Canada, November 3-5, 2006

- “Throwing Good Research after Bad: Le Gentil’s Eclipses and the Seven Years’ War,” Consortium on the Revolutionary Era, Atlanta, GA, February 2006
- “Travel, Taxonomy and the Art of Woodturning: Charles Plumier and Colonial Botany in the 17<sup>th</sup>-Century French Caribbean,” 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Society for French Historical Studies Conference, Paris, France, June 2004
- “Colonial Exploration Revolutionized: The Lost Voyage of Jean Francois de Galaup, Comte de Lapérouse and the French Revolution,” Consortium on Revolutionary Europe, Lafayette, LA, February 2003
- “Crossing the Pond: Charles Plumier and Colonial Botany in the 17<sup>th</sup>-century French Caribbean,” History of Science Society national meeting, Milwaukee, November 2002
- “Jean Mattieu de Chazelles and the Birth of Naval Science in 17<sup>th</sup>-century France,” History of Science Society National meeting, Vancouver, Canada, November 2000
- “Jean Mattieu de Chazelles, *Marin Scientifique*,” 124<sup>th</sup> Annual Congrès des Sociétés Historiques et Scientifiques, Nantes, France, April 19, 1999
- “Maritime Travel and the Early Paris Academy of Sciences,” History of Science Society National meeting, Kansas City, October 1998
- “Astronomy, Geography and French Colonial Exploration: Laval in the Louisiana Territory,” History of Science Society annual meeting, La Jolla, November 1997
- “Jean De Lozier-Bouvet and the Search for *Terra Australis*,” Rutgers University Workshop in History of Science, New Brunswick, November 1994
- “Science, Exploration and the Politics of Discovery: Louis XVI and the Voyage of Lapérouse,” History of Science Society annual meeting, Santa Fe, November 1993

#### OTHER CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES

- Chair and Commentator, “Trans-Atlantic Conduits: Circulating Scientific Knowledge in Early Modern Empires,” History of Science Society, Chicago, IL, November 6-9, 2014
- Chair, “Geography in Practice: Making Place, Space, and Nation in the Eighteenth Century,” American Historical Association Meeting, New Orleans, LA, January 3-6, 2013
- Co-organizer, African Diaspora Heritage Trail Conference (400 attendees anticipated), October 9-12, 2013
- Commentator, “Longer-Term Trajectories,” Consortium on the Revolutionary Era, 1750-1850, Baton Rouge, LA, February 23-25, 2012
- Chair and Commentator, “Transnational Cosmopolitanism in Myth and Practice,” Western Society for French History, Portland, Oregon, November 10-13, 2011
- Local Organizer, Western Society for French History, October 21-24, 2010, Lafayette, LA
- Chair, “Unfamiliar Texts of the Eighteenth-Century Caribbean,” American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, Albuquerque, NM, March 18-21, 2010
- Commentator, “Neo-classical Attitudes and Liberal Values: Lafayette and the Transatlantic Revolutionary Era,” Southern Historical Association, Louisville, KY, November 5-8, 2009

- Chair and Organizer, "The Shackles of Memory: A reflection on the Atlantic Slave Trade and its Consequences," Colloquium at the University of Louisiana at Lafayette, October 25, 2008
- Organizer, "The Shackles of Memory : The Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade in French and American History," lecture by Jean-Marc Masseaut, École des hautes études en sciences sociales, April 21, 2008
- Co-organizer and Chair, African Diaspora Heritage Week panel discussion, "Human Rights and the Marquis de La Fayette," Jean Lafitte Acadiana Cultural Center, April 19, 2007
- Chair, "Democracy in France: Criticism from Within and Abroad," 53<sup>rd</sup> annual meeting of the Society for French Historical Studies, Houston, TX, March 15-17, 2007
- Co-Organizer (with Philippe Gustin), Conferences on the Marquis de Lafayette in local history (Dupre Library, August, 2007) and on Adrienne de Noailles, Mme de Lafayette, (University Art Museum, December, 2007)
- Commentator, "Race in the Eighteenth-century Caribbean," Southwestern Social Science Association Meeting, New Orleans, April 2005
- Invited Respondent, "Scientific Consumers," The Early Modern Travel Narrative: Production and Consumption, USC-Huntington Library Early Modern Studies Institute, May 2004
- Session organizer, "From Code Noir to Fern Collecting: Taxonomies of Nature and Culture in the Colonial French Caribbean," 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Society for French Historical Studies Conference, Paris, June 2004
- Chair, "Louisiana Creoles," Louisiana Historical Association Meeting, Hammond, LA, March 2004
- Chair, "Race, Gender and Identity in Colonial and Postcolonial Louisiana," Western Society for French History, Newport, CA, October 2003
- Chair, "Men Making History," Phi Alpha Theta Regional Meeting, Lafayette, LA March 2003
- Chair and Commentator, "How the Enlightenment Happened: Communications and Community Building in Central Europe, 1760-1830," Consortium on Revolutionary Europe, Lafayette, LA, February 2003
- Session organizer, "French Enlightenment Science," Consortium on Revolutionary Europe, Lafayette, LA, February 2003
- Planning committee member and audio-visual coordinator, Consortium on Revolutionary Europe, Lafayette, LA, February 2003
- Session Chair, "Science in Motion: Expectation and Experience in Scientific Travel," History of Science Society National meeting, La Jolla, November 1997

## TEACHING

### UNDERGRADUATE COURSES AT ULL

HIST 101: *World Civilizations to 1600*

HIST 313: *The Birth of Modern Europe*

HIST 315: *Early Modern Europe*

HIST 327: *European Nations: Travel and Exploration in the Francophone World*

HIST 327: *European Nations: European Encounters in the New World*

HIST 497: Independent Study: *Historiography* (Fall 2004)

HIST 497: Independent Study: *Power and belief in the Carolingian Court* (Fall 2005)

Historical lectures in HUMN 310: *Introduction to Canada* (Fall 2004, Fall 2005)

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES AT LSU

HNRS 1001/1002: *Honors Classical Civilization*

HNRS 2002/2004: *Honors Medieval European Civilization*

HNRS 3001: *Honors European Civilization: Renaissance to the French Revolution*

HIST 1001: *Western Civilization, Origins to 1500*

HIST 4195: Special Topics: *History of Scientific Ideas and Practices from Antiquity to 1700*

HIST 4195: Special Topics: *History of Scientific Ideas and Practices from 1700 to the present*

GRADUATE COURSES AT ULL

HIST 505: *Research and Writing*

HIST 590: *Historiography*

HIST 597: Independent Study: *Women and Gender in the Philosophies of the French Enlightenment*

HIST 597: Independent Study: *French Colonial Historiography*

HIST 597: Independent Study: *Knowledge and Power: History and Theory in the Post-Modern Age*

HIST 515: Graduate sections of all 300-level history courses

FREN 521: *Le Siècle des Lumières: Images de l'être humain dans la biologie et la philosophie des lumières*, taught entirely in French

FREN 521: *Le Siècle des Lumières: La France dans le Monde : Découvertes, Esclavage, Empire*, taught entirely in French

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES AT PRINCETON UNIVERSITY

Taught sections of the following courses:

*Western Civilization to 1500*, Professor Anthony Grafton

*Diseases and Doctors in the Modern West*, Professor Gerald Geison

*The History of Witchcraft*, Professor Teofilo Ruiz

Directed two junior papers

COMPREHENSIVE EXAM COMMITTEES

Master's: Chair: 2 in history

Member: 11 in history, 1 in Francophone Studies

Ph.D.: Member: 10 in Francophone Studies, 2 in English

QUESTION PROBATOIRE (FRANCOPHONE STUDIES)

MEMBER: 5

THESIS COMMITTEES

Chair: William Wood (Neiheisel award for best thesis recipient)

Annalise Walkama (Outstanding Master's graduate in College of Liberal Arts)

Member: 8 in history, 1 in Architecture and Design

DISSERTATION COMMITTEES

Member: 4 in Francophone Studies, 2 in English

TEACHING AWARDS

Phi Alpha Theta Spirit of Eternity Award for Meritorious Service Award, 2002-2003

Tiger Athletic Foundation Undergraduate Teaching Award, LSU, 2000-2001

LSU Honors College Student Council Robert L. Amborski Distinguished Honors Professor Award, 1999-2000

Alpha Lambda Delta Freshman Honors Society Acknowledgement for Superior Instruction of Freshman Students, Fall 1998; Fall 1999

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS AND RESEARCH GROUPS

Member, Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society (2012-)

Louisiana Endowment for the Humanities Public Humanities Grant, Fall 2007: *Lafayette in History*, a lecture and discussion series celebrating the 250<sup>th</sup> birthday of the Marquis de Lafayette (\$6,630)

*Independent Weekly* grant for *Lafayette in History* Series, Spring 2007 (\$2,000)

Lafayette Consolidated Government Marquis Committee Grant for *Lafayette in History* series, Fall 2006 (\$5,000)

Co-author, NEH collaborative Research Grant Proposal for Project Atlantic World Encounters (Crandall Shifflett, Project Director), a Digital book initiative focusing on the colonial Atlantic world (not granted, revising for resubmission), Fall 2006

Member, *Groupe de recherche des lieux de savoir dans l'espace colonial de l'Europe moderne, XVIe-XVIIIe siècle* (Research group on sites of knowledge in the modern European colonial world, sixteenth to eighteenth centuries), sponsored by the *Centre national de la recherche scientifique*, Paris, directed by François Regourd, Université de Paris-X, Nanterre, 2006-present

Newberry Library Short-term Resident Research Fellowship, Summer 2006

ULL Faculty Development Grant, Fall 2004

NEH Summer Institute for College and University Teachers Fellowship, "French Travel Writing in the Americas, 1500-1800," Newberry Library, Chicago, Summer 2003

Mellon Dissertation Writing Fellowship, Fall 1997

National Science Foundation Research Grant, 1995-1996

Princeton University Fellowship, 1992-1995

Center for Excellence in French Studies Fellowship, Summer 1995

Mellon Seminar Fellowship, Summer 1994

Center of International Studies Research Fellowship, Summer 1994 and Summer 1995

Center for European Studies Research Fellowship, Summer 1994

Office for the History of Science and Technology Tuition Fellowship, 1990-92