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EDUCATION:

Ph.D. December 1998	University of Wisconsin-Madison, Department of History Major: Ancient History Minor: Byzantine History, Greek and Latin Literature Dissertation Title: <i>Militans Pro Deo: The Christianization of the Roman Army</i>
MA December 1996	University of Wisconsin-Madison, Department of Classics Thesis: <i>Homer and the Bronze Age</i>
February–June 1994	Research Associate, Dipartimento di Scienze dell’Antichità, Università degli studi di Padova
MA January 1994	University of Delaware, Department of History Thesis: <i>Hannibal’s Mules</i>
MBA June 1988	Bernard M. Baruch College Major: Finance Thesis: <i>The Informational Content of Insider Trades</i>
BA February 1979	Hunter College Majors: History; Russian Literature Thesis: <i>St. Petersburg: A Study in Comparative Literature</i>

EMPLOYMENT:

Fall 2012–present
Professor, Department of Social Science, **Fiorello H. LaGuardia Community College**, CUNY

Fall 2009–Spring 2012
Associate Professor, Department of Social Science, **Fiorello H. LaGuardia Community College**, CUNY

Fall 2004–Fall 2009
Assistant Professor, Department of Social Science, **Fiorello H. LaGuardia Community College**, CUNY

EMPLOYMENT (cont'd):

Fall 2003–Spring 2004

Substitute Assistant Professor, Department of History, **College of Staten Island**, CUNY

September 1999–May 2001

Visiting Assistant Professor of Greek and Latin, Department of Classical Studies, **University of Michigan**

August 1998–May 1999

Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of History, **Clarion University of Pennsylvania**

September 1996–May 1997

Associate Lecturer, Department of History, **University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee**

Other Employment

March 1979–August 1991

Head of Trademark Infringement Research, Ladas & Parry Law Firm, New York

PUBLICATIONS:

Books:

'Soldiering for God': Christianity and the Roman Army (Leiden & Boston: E. J. Brill, 2010).

Articles:

"The Destruction of the Serapeum in 391: Religious Violence and Intolerance in an Imperial Age," *Journal of Religion and Violence*, 9.2-3 (2021): 149-170.

"Spiteful Zeus: Religious Ideology in Axial Age Greece," *Revue Internationale de Philosophie*, 70 (2016) no 276: 151-170.

"The Church and the Duties of the Christian Soldier" in *Confrontation in Late Antiquity: Imperial Presentation and Regional Adaptation*, Linda Jones Hall, ed. (Cambridge: Orchard Academic Press, 2003): 79-88.

"Christian Literature and the Ancient Historian: A Broader Perspective on Late Antiquity," *The Ancient World*, 33.1 (2002): 27-35.

"The Religious Iconography of Septimius Severus and His Wife Julia Domna," accepted for publication in *Gli imperatori Severi: Biblioteca di Scienze Religiose*, E. dal Covolo and G. Rinaldi (eds.), LAS-Roma, 138 (1999): 47 pp.

"Hannibal's Mules: The Logistical Limitations of Hannibal's Army and the Battle of Cannae, 216 B.C.," *Historia*, 45.2 (1996): 159-87.

PUBLICATIONS (cont'd):

Published abstracts

“Byzantine Military Saints: A Diversity of Types,” *Abstracts of Papers- Byzantine Studies Conference, 31st Annual Conference at the University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia, 2005.*

“The Byzantine Bogomil: Dualist or Strawman?,” *Abstracts of Papers- Byzantine Studies Conference, 29th Annual Conference at Bates College, Lewiston, ME, 2003.*

“Assimilation and Christianization in the Early Byzantine Army,” *Abstracts of Papers- Byzantine Studies Conference, 26th Annual Conference at Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, 2000.*

“Bogomilism: A Monastic Dualist Development?,” *Abstracts of Papers- Byzantine Studies Conference, 23rd Annual Conference at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI, 1997.*

Review articles:

“‘Venice and the Islamic World, 828–1797,’ Metropolitan Museum of Art,” *Live Wire*, 60 (June 2007).

“‘Hatshepsut: From Queen to Pharaoh’ at the Met,” *Live Wire*, 52 (June 2006).

Book reviews:

Christians, the State, and War by Gordon L. Heath, *Church History* (forthcoming).

Making Sense of Old Testament Genocide by Christian Hofreiter, *Journal of Religion and Violence*, 7.1 (2019): 71-75.

Constantine and the Cities: Imperial Authority and Civic Politics by Noel Lenski, *The NYMAS Review*, 65 (Winter, 2016): 3-4.

The Generals by Thomas J. Ricks, *The NYMAS Review*, 56 (Fall, 2013): 2-3.

Weber On America. Review of Max Weber in America by Lawrence A. Scaff, *Journal of Classical Sociology*, 12.3-4 (August–November 2012): 553-558.

Constantine: Roman Emperor, Christian Victor, by Paul Stephenson, *The NYMAS Review*, 51 (Winter–Spring, 2012): 1-2.

Largely Absent. Review of Ancient Greece in Film and Popular Culture, by Gideon Nisbet, *Film & History: An Interdisciplinary Journal of Film and Television*, 39.2 (Fall, 2009): 85-6.

The Greco-Persian Wars, by Peter Green. *The Journal of Military History*, 61.3 (1997): 604-5.

Information and Frontiers: Roman Foreign Relations in Late Antiquity, by A.D. Lee. *The Journal of Military History*, 58.3 (1994): 519.

PUBLICATIONS (cont'd):

Encyclopaedia articles:

“Military,” and “Militia,” *Brill Encyclopedia of Early Christianity Online*, David G. Hunter, Paul J.J. van Geest, and Bert Jan Lietaert Peerbolte, eds. (Brill, Leiden, 2024).

“Basil II, Emperor,” “John I Tzimiskes, Emperor,” “Justinian I, Emperor,” “Romanos I, Emperor,” and “Paulicians,” *Encyclopedia of Greece and the Hellenic Tradition*, Graham Speake, ed. (Fitzroy Dearborn Publishers, Chicago, 2000): 220-2, 846-7, 866-8, 1269-70, 1464-5.

“Euphrosyne” and “Hipparchia,” *Women in World History*, Deborah Klezmer, ed. (Yorkin Publications: Waterford, CN, 1999).

“Philip II of Macedon,” “Slaves & Construction of Pyramids,” “Slaves & Construction of Roman Roads,” and “Slavery in Sumer,” *The Historical Encyclopedia of World Slavery*, 2 vols., J.P. Rodriguez, ed. (ABC-CLIO Press: Santa Barbara, CA, 1997): 506, 529-30, 553-4, 619-20.

Textbook:

Study Guide for History U448-110: Ancient Civilization, Joseph N. Jansen, co-author, University of Wisconsin-Extension: Madison, WI, 1999.

Web-based Course Portfolio

Reacting to the Past: Engaging Students Through Historical Simulation, The Carnegie Seminar on Scholarship, Teaching & Integration, 2007-08, LaGuardia Community College Center for Teaching and Learning:

<http://199.219.150.37/masterfile6/templatewlo/masterfile/35730552C7E4A9B493C5997E59EC9E12F75F04E/163055/eportfolio/index.html>.

Television Interview

May 2010, Interviewed for History Channel documentary entitled *Secrets of Christianity, Episode 5: Selling Christianity* on location in Ravenna and Rome. Simcha Jacobovici, interviewer and producer. Originally broadcast on the History Channel, Dec 22nd, 2010.

URL for film: <http://www.simchajtv.com/movie-secrets-of-christianity-selling-christianity/>

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:

October 2021, “Religious Violence and Intolerance in an Imperial Age: The Destruction of the Serapeum in 391,” talk given at the *Classical Association of the Atlantic States Annual Meeting*, scheduled for New Brunswick, NJ; session held on-line, Oct. 15th.

April 2018, “Teaching the Saints: Using Early Martyr Accounts in the Classroom,” talk given at the *Friends of the Saints Hagiography Workshop: Teaching the Saints: Hagiography in the Classroom*, CUNY Graduate Center, NY, April 18th.

October 2015, “The Gods That Failed: Mystery Religions and the Last Pagan Revival,” talk given at the *Classical Association of the Atlantic States Annual Meeting*, Wilmington, DE, Oct. 10th.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (cont'd):

November 2014, "Byzantine Bogomilism: A Monastic Dualist Development?" talk given at the *Community College Humanities Association Eastern Regional Conference 2014: Becoming What We Need to Be: The Future of the Humanities*, Baltimore, MD, Nov. 15th.

March 2013, "Spiteful Zeus: Religious Ideology in Axial Age Greece," talk given at the *2013 Annual Meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society*, Boston, MA, March 22nd.

November 2012, "Reacting to the Past: Identities in the French Revolution," talk given at the *Community College Humanities Association Meeting: Forging Identities through the Humanities*, Boston, MA, November 17th.

May 2012, "Patrolling the Religious Frontier: The Roman Army and Religious Change," talk given at the *2012 Annual Meeting of the Society for Military History*, Arlington, VA, May 12th.

August 2011, "What Happened to the Late Roman Army?" talk given at the University College Dublin Schools of Archaeology and Classics conference entitled *Warfare in Antiquity: Approaches and Controversies*, Dublin, Ireland, August 13th.

July 2011, "What Happened to the Late Roman Army?" talk given at the *2011 Conference of Army Historians: Armies in Persistent Conflict*, Arlington, VA, July 28th.

May 2009, "Alexius Comnenus, Defender of the Faith" talk given at the *Forty-fourth International Congress on Medieval Studies*, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI, May 9th.

April 2008, "The Army and Christianization," talk given at the *New England Historical Association Spring, 2008 meeting*, Northeastern University, Boston, MA, April 26th.

April 2008, "Reacting to the Past," talk given at the 2008 Colloquium of the CUNY League of Active Speech Professors (CLASP), LaGuardia Community College, Long Island City, NY, April 4th.

April 2007, "Reacting to the Past: Student Reenactment of Historic Political Roles and Goals," talk given at the *New York State Political Science Association annual meeting*, Marist College, Poughkeepsie, NY, April 21st.

February 2007, "Speaking of Religion: Difficult Dialogues on Religion and Public Life," workshop presented with Vanessa Bing, Rosemary Talmadge, and Kyoko M. Toyama at *Teachers College Winter Roundtable on Cultural Psychology and Education* held at Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, NY, Feb. 16th.

April 2006, "The Religious Policy of the Severans," talk given at the *New England Historical Association Spring, 2006 meeting*, Bridgewater State College, Bridgewater, MA, April 22nd.

October 2005, "Byzantine Military Saints: A Diversity of Types," talk given at the *31st Annual Byzantine Studies Conference*, University of Georgia, Athens, GA, October 30th.

April 2005, "Mars Ultor and the Wimp Factor," talk given at the *New England Historical Association Spring, 2005 meeting*, Regis College, Weston, MA, April 16th.

October 2003, “The Byzantine Bogomil: Dualist Or Strawman?” talk given at the 29th *Annual Byzantine Studies Conference*, Bates College, Lewiston, ME, October 19th.

October 2000, “Assimilation and Christianization in the Early Byzantine Army,” talk given at the 26th *Annual Byzantine Studies Conference*, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, October 29th.

April 1999, “A New Type of Christian Hero: The Military Martyr,” talk given at the 1999 Annual Meeting of the *Classical Association of the Middle West and South*, Cleveland, OH, April 17th.

April 1998, “Herodotus and Athenian Imperialism,” talk given at the 1998 Annual Meeting of the *Classical Association of the Middle West and South*, Charlottesville, VA, April 17th.

September 1997, “Bogomilism: A Monastic Dualist Development?” talk given at 23rd *Annual Byzantine Studies Conference*, University of Wisconsin-Madison, WI, September 27th.

March 1997, “The Church and the Duties of the Christian Soldier,” talk given at *Shifting Frontiers II: The Transformation of Law and Society in Late Antiquity*, University of South Carolina, SC, March 14th (see publications).

June 1996, “The Religious Iconography of Septimius Severus and His Wife Julia Domna,” talk given at *1st International Conference of the Center for Severan Studies*, Albano Laziale, Italy, June 1st (see publications).

July 1993, “The Evidence of Mystery Cults in the Epigraphic and Archaeological Record of the Fourth Century,” talk given at *Pagans and Christians in the Fourth Century*, National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Seminar at Columbia University, NY, Alan Cameron, director.

INVITED TALKS:

November 2019, “The Symbolic Significance of the Berlin Wall,” *The 30th Anniversary of the Fall of the Berlin Wall*, Student Affairs, Social Science Department, Psychology Club, and Psi Beta, LaGuardia Community College, Long Island City, NY, Nov. 13th.

October 2014, “Under the Sign of the Cross: The Roman Army and Christianity,” Department of History, St. Mary’s College of Maryland, St. Mary’s City, MD, Oct. 30th.

March 2014, “Bogomilism: A Monastic Dualist Development?” Friends of the Saints, Department of History, CUNY Graduate Center, NY, March 14th.

November 2012, “Late Roman Military Saints,” Friends of the Saints, Department of History, CUNY Graduate Center, NY, Nov. 9th.

February 2011, “The Sociology of Early Christianity,” Department of Sociology, CUNY Graduate Center, NY, *Comparative Historical Sociology*, John Torpey, instructor, Feb. 15th.

June 2010, “The Christianization of the Roman Army,” New York Military Affairs Symposium, New York, NY, June 18th.

September 2009, Invited Speaker, Grant Writing Workshop, Professional Development Committee, Department of English, LaGuardia Community College, Sept. 22nd.

INVITED TALKS (cont'd):

January 2009, Session leader, *Grant Writing Strategies for Success*, Borough of Manhattan Community College, Jan. 30th.

October 2008, Invited speaker, Grant Writing Workshop, Department of English, LaGuardia Community College, Oct. 2nd.

June 2008, "Facilitating Difficult Dialogues on Religious Diversity," with Michele Piso, Heidi Johnsen and Felicia Rose, *Society for Values in Higher Education* Institute on Religion in Curriculum and Culture in Higher Education, Trinity Conference Center, West Cornwall, CT, June 17th.

February 2008, "'Reacting to the Past' pedagogy," *Oral Communication Across the Curriculum Seminar Midyear Institute*, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY, February 21st.

February 2008, Session leader, *Grant Writing Strategies for Success*, Research Foundation of CUNY, Feb. 15th.

October 2007, Panel participant, "Student Behaviors for Success," Instructional Staff meeting, LaGuardia Community College, Oct. 31st.

March 2007, "'Reacting to the Past' pedagogy," *Oral Communication Across the Curriculum* seminar meeting, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY, March 9th.

February 2007, Featured speaker, *Community College Grant Writing Workshop*, CUNY Graduate Center, Feb 16th.

November 2006, "Teaching 'Class' in the Classroom," with Nancy Berke and Karen Miller, Brown Bag Discussion, Center for Teaching and Learning, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY, Nov. 7th.

October 2006, "'Reacting to the Past' pedagogy," Brown Bag Discussion, Center for Teaching and Learning, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY, Oct. 3rd.

May 2005, Guest speaker at workshop entitled "Informational Session About Careers in the Social Sciences," Janet Michello, organizer, Social Science Dept., LaGuardia Community College, CUNY, May 25th.

March 2005, "The Christianization of the Roman Army," Social Science Department, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY, March 9th.

March 2003, "Greek and Roman Political Thought and the Making of the Constitution of the United States," talk given at the Department of History, Kean University, NJ, March 25th.

June 2001, "Roman Religious Attitudes," talk given at the Department of History, Queens College, NY, June 14th.

March 2001, "The Roman Army," guest lecture given at the *Michigan Junior Classical League Spring Meeting*, Ann Arbor, MI, March 17th.

March 2000, "The Archaeology of the Roman Army," guest lecture given for *Classical Archaeology 222*, Department of Classical Studies, University of Michigan, MI, Susan Alcock, instructor, March 27th.

INVITED TALKS (cont'd):

February 2000, "The Roman Empire as a Cosmopolitan Community," talk given at the Department of History, Illinois Wesleyan University, IL, February 14th.

January 2000, "Christian Literature and the Ancient Historian: A Broader Perspective on Late Antiquity," talk given at the *American Historical Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, IL, January 7th (see publications).

November 1998, "*Militans Pro Deo*: The Christianization of the Roman Army," History Department Colloquium, Clarion University of Pennsylvania, PA, November 19th.

October 1997, "The Early Christian Attitude Towards War," Department of History, University of Michigan, *History 638*, Raymond Van Dam, instructor, October 20th.

May 1997, "Emperor Julian's Expedition against the Persians," Department of History, University of Wisconsin-Madison, WI, *History 110*, Frank Clover, instructor, May 2nd.

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND SCHOLARSHIPS:

Spring, 2023 PSC CUNY Award (66594-00 54), "The Last Pagans of Rome," April 17th, 2023.

Spring, 2022 PSC CUNY Award (65466-00 53), "The Last Pagans of Rome," April 15th, 2022.

Spring, 2020 PSC CUNY Award (63734-00 51), "The Destruction of the Serapeum," April 16th, 2020.

Spring, 2018 PSC CUNY Award (# 61672-00 49), "The Christian Revolution," April 13th, 2018.

Spring, 2017 PSC-CUNY Award (# 60695-00 48), "The Christian Revolution," April 14th, 2017.

Spring, 2014 Chancellor's Research Fellowship, City University of New York, 2014-2015.

Spring, 2014 PSC CUNY Award (#67654-00 45), "The Christian Revolution," April 15th, 2014.

Spring, 2013 PSC CUNY Award (#66535-00 44), "The Christian Revolution," April 15th, 2013.

Spring, 2013 LaGuardia Community College, Educational Development Initiative Team Professional Development Grant, "Reacting to the Past: Identities in the French Revolution," Spring 2013 Cycle.

Spring, 2012 LaGuardia Community College, Educational Development Initiative Team Professional Development Grant, "What Happened to the Late Roman Army?" Spring 2012 Cycle.

Fall, 2011 LaGuardia Community College, Educational Development Initiative Team Professional Development Grant, "What Happened to the Late Roman Army?" Fall 2011-12 Cycle.

Spring, 2010 LaGuardia Community College, Educational Development Initiative Team Professional Development Grant, "Monasticism," Spring 2010 Cycle.

Fall, 2009 LaGuardia Community College, Educational Development Initiative Team Professional Development Grant, "Alexius Comnenus, Defender of the Faith," Fall 2009 Cycle.

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND SCHOLARSHIPS (cont'd):

- Spring, 2008 LaGuardia Community College, Educational Development Initiative Team Professional Development Grant, "The Army and Christianization," Spring 2008 Cycle.
- Spring, 2007 PSC CUNY Award (#69430-00 38), "The Epigraphic Evidence for Mystery Cults in the Fourth Century," April 16th, 2007.
- Spring, 2006 PSC CUNY Award (#68459-00 37), *Militans Pro Deo: The Christianization of the Roman Army*, April 14th, 2006.
- Fall, 2005 LaGuardia Community College, Educational Development Initiative Team Professional Development Grant, "The Religious Policy of the Severans," Fall 2005 Cycle.
- 2005–2006 PSC-CUNY Out-of Cycle Award (#60113-35 36), *Militans Pro Deo: The Christianization of the Roman Army*, April 29th, 2005.
- Spring, 2005 LaGuardia Community College, Educational Development Initiative Team Professional Development Grant, "Byzantine Military Saints: A Diversity of Types," Spring 2005 Cycle.
- Fall, 2004 LaGuardia Community College, Educational Development Initiative Team Professional Development Grant, "Mars Ultor and the Wimp Factor," Fall 2004-2005 Cycle.
- 1999 National Endowment for the Humanities Grant, "Society and Culture in Roman Egypt," Roger Bagnall, director, June 14th-July 23rd.
- Fall, 1997 Dissertation Fellowship, Department of History, University of Wisconsin-Madison.
- 1996–1997 Travel Grant, Department of History, University of Wisconsin-Madison.
- 1995–1997 Lovina Edson Fellowship in Ancient History.
- 1996 Travel Stipend, Centro Internazionale di Studi sulla Età dei Severi.
- 1993 National Endowment for the Humanities Grant, "Pagans and Christians in the Fourth Century," Alan Cameron, director, June 7th-July 16th.
- 1992–1993 Hagley Fellow, University of Delaware.
- 1992 Summer Research Grant, "Hannibal's Mules," University of Delaware.

COURSES TAUGHT:

SSH 171: The World Since 1900

SSH 121: Ancient Greek Civilization

SSH 122: History of the Roman State and People

LIB 200: Pagans, Christians, Jews and Moslems in the Roman World

SSH 103: Western Civilization: From Ancient Times to the Renaissance

SSH 104: Western Civilization: From the Renaissance to Modern Times

SSH 101: Themes of United States History to 1865

COURSES TAUGHT (cont'd):

SSH 102: Themes in American History Since 1865
History 292: The West and the World: Cross-Cultural Encounters in the Medieval World
COR 100: United States: Issues, Ideas, and Institutions
SLS 301: Humanities I: Ancient Culture
History 201: History of Western Civilization, Antiquity to 1500
History 239: World Civilization II
History 100: Past and Present
History 203: The World Since 1914
Global Studies, Sections D, F and H
Latin, Section B, Fall, 2001
Classical Civilization 120: Seminar: Human and Divine in the Ancient World
Classical Civilization 454: The Roman Army
Classical Civilization 120: Seminar: Herodotus, The Father of Lies?
Latin 231: Introduction to Latin Prose
Latin 101: Elementary Latin
Classical Civilization 120: Seminar: Pagans, Christians, and Jews in the Roman Empire
History 112: Early Modern Civilization, 1300-1815
History 111: Ancient and Medieval Civilization
History 315: Ancient Religion and the Early Church
History 215: The Ancient Near East
History 201: The Ancient World: The Near East and Greece
History 308: A History of Rome: The Empire
History 202: The Ancient World: The Roman Republic and Empire
History 303: A History of Greek Civilization: The Greek City-State
History 112: Ancient History: Roman Republic and Empire
History 111: Ancient History: The Near East and Greece

SERVICE:**Current:**

Vice President, Social Science Fund, Social Science Department, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY (June 2008–present).

Past:

Coordinator for History, Social Science Department, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY (June 2015–June 2019).

Member, Personnel and Budget Committee, Department of Social Science, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY (June 2015-June 2018).

Reviewer, *Harvard Theological Review* (HTR), Summer, 2018.

Grant reviewer, Chancellor's Research Fellowship Program, City University of New York (Spring 2016).

Reviewer, *Community College Humanities Review* (CCHR), Spring 2016.

SERVICE (cont'd):

Organizer, 43rd Linguistic Symposium on Romance Languages held at the CUNY Graduate Center Department of Linguistics, April 17-19th, 2013.

Chair, College Wide Curriculum Committee, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY (Spring 2009–Spring 2012).

Chair, Working Group for Educational Offerings chapter #11, Middle States Self-Study, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY (Fall 2009–Spring 2012).

Member, Steering Committee for Middle States Self-Study, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY (Fall 2009–Spring 2012).

Coordinator for History, Social Science Department, LaGuardia Community College, CUNY (2009–2010).

Senator, University Faculty Senate, CUNY (LaGuardia Community College Rep.) (May 2005–2011).

Member, CUNY Community College Collaborative Incentive Research Grant Program Committee (Fall 2004–2010).

Faculty Council (Social Science Dept. Rep.), LaGuardia Community College, CUNY (Fall 2004–2009).

Member, Developmental Advising Committee (Social Science Dept. Rep.) (Fall 2006–2008).

Member, Honors Program Advisory Committee (Social Science Dept. Rep.) (Fall 2007–2008).

Reviewer for *In Transit: The LaGuardia Journal on Teaching and Learning* (Fall 2008).

Chaired paper session entitled “Monasticism,” Claudia Rapp, David A. Michelson, Heather Badamo, and Robert Romanchuk, participants. *35th Annual Byzantine Studies Conference*, Florida State University, Sarasota, FL, November 7th, 2009.

Organized panel entitled “Church and State in Late Antiquity,” Michael Proulx, John F. Shean, and Justin Stephens, participants. *New England Historical Association Spring, 2008 Meeting*, Northeastern University, Boston, MA, April 26th, 2008.

Organized and Chaired paper session entitled “Ancient History at the Crossroads of a New Millennium: New Directions for Research” under the auspices of *Association of Ancient Historians*, Robert M. Frakes, Thomas R. Martin, Mark W. Chavalas, and Kenneth Sacks, participants. *115th Annual Meeting of the American Historical Association*, Boston, MA, January 4–7, 2001.

Chaired paper session entitled “The Byzantine Military,” Michael Kulikowski, E. Warren Perry, Jr., John F. Shean, and Dimiter G. Angelov, participants. *26th Annual Byzantine Studies Conference*, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, October 29th, 2000.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

Association of Ancient Historians
Byzantine Studies Association of North America
Community College Humanities Association
Classical Association of the Atlantic States
Society for Classical Studies
Society for Military History
Society for Late Antiquity
American Historical Association
New England Historical Association
American Academy of Religion

LANGUAGES:

Reading knowledge in French, Italian, Spanish, German, Latin, and Classical Greek.