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EDUCATION

1999 **Ph.D.** Northeastern University, Boston, MA, world history with a specialization in the American Revolution and Early American Republic
1992 **B.A.** SUNY Plattsburgh, Plattsburgh, NY.

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

2004-present **Associate Professor, U.S. History, Colorado Mesa University (formerly Mesa State College)**
1999-2004 **Assistant Professor, U.S. History, Mesa State College.**
1997-1999 **Adjunct Faculty, History and Women's Studies, Northeastern University.**

CAMPUS SERVICE

Salary and Benefits, 2009; sec'y 2010-13 Lectures & Forums, 2004-2008
Human Resources Council 2004-2005 Academic Policies, 2004-2006
Distinguished Faculty Awards, sec'y, 2006-13 Anti Violence (ad hoc), 2012
Tenure and Promotion, 2006-2009, 2011-2012 Diversity Working Group, 2012-13
Degree Distinction/Liberal Arts (ad hoc), 2009

GRANTS

National Endowment for the Humanities Seminar – Summer 2011. The Early American Republic and the Problem of Governance.

New England Regional Fellowship Consortium Fellowship – Summer 2005. Research topic: Creating Emotional Landscapes in New England, 1780-1830.

PUBLICATIONS

Articles:

“Teaching Colonial American History,” *The Middle Ground* 5 (Fall 2012).
“Teaching Women’s History: I Offered Social History, They Took Away Heroes,” *History Compass* 2 (2004): 1-7.
"The Popular Culture of Depression in the Early American Republic," *Journal of American and Comparative Cultures* 23 (Fall 2000): 43-47.

Encyclopedia Entries:

Death and Dying; Social History of American Families: 1777 to 1789 in Lawrence Ganong, Marilyn Coleman, J. Geoffrey Golson, eds., *The Social History of the American Family*. Forthcoming.

Frances Wright in Tiffany K. Wayne, ed., *Feminist Writings from Ancient Times to the Modern World: A Global Sourcebook and History* (Greenwood Press, 2011).

"Novels and Romantic Love," in Joyce Appleby, Eileen Chang, and Joanne Goodwin, eds., *Encyclopedia of Women in American History*, volume 1 (M.E. Sharpe, November 2001).

Book Reviews:

Adams Family Correspondence, in *New England Quarterly* 7 (June 2006): 316-318.

Janet Siskind, *Rum and Axes: The Rise of a Connecticut Merchant Family, 1975–1850*, in *New England Quarterly* (December 2002): 682.

Paul W. Winters, ed., *The Civil Rights Movement*, in *Teaching History: A Journal of Methods* 27 (September 2002): 110.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS, 2004-present

Roundtable participant, "Graduate Preparation for the Coming Generation: the Graduate Curriculum and Professional Development." Society for Historians of the Early American Republic. St. Louis, Missouri. July 2013.

"The Social Individual or the Lunatic?" Northeast American Society for Eighteenth Century Studies. Middletown, Connecticut. October 2012.

"American Exceptionalism? Transatlantic Medical Culture in the Early American Republic." Four Corners Conference on Globalization. Grand Junction, Colorado. October 2012.

"Global since 1492." Four Corners Conference on Globalization. Grand Junction, Colorado, October 2010.

"Teaching the American Revolution: Periodization and Organization," Front Range Early American Consortium. Boulder, Colorado, September 2009.

Roundtable organizer and participant, "Teaching to the Top or Teaching to the Bottom?" Western Social Science Association. Albuquerque, New Mexico, April 2009.

Roundtable chair, "Teaching the American Revolution." Berkshire Conference on the History of Women. Minneapolis, Minnesota, June 2008.

Comment, "Emotional Life in the Early Republic." Society for Historians of the Early Republic. Worcester, Massachusetts, June 2007.

"Women's Emotional Suffering in the Early American Republic." Western Association of Women Historians. Phoenix, Arizona, May 2005.

"Too strongly agitated by grief": Reactions to Mourning Behavior in Private Writings in the Early American Republic." American Society for Eighteenth Century Studies. Boston, Massachusetts, March 2004.

PUBLIC HISTORY

Currently developing a five-week program entitled, "Talking 'bout Our Revolution," for the Glenwood Springs Public Library to be presented in Fall 2013.

Scholar/presenter for "Making Sense of the American Civil War," a five-week National Endowment for the Humanities/American Library Association program celebrating the sesquicentennial of the American Civil War.

Silt, Colorado: October - November 2012

Glenwood Springs, Colorado: March - April 2013.