
Education

PhD, History, University of South Carolina, 2000
(fields in European, Military, and Russian history)
Graduate Certificate, Women's Studies, University of South Carolina, 1997
MA, History, University of South Carolina, 1993
(fields in Russian and European history)
BA, Soviet Area Studies, with honors, University of Louisville, 1978

Publications

theses/

dissertations

PhD dissertation: "Limited Skies: Women and Aviation in World War II
(A Comparative Study of Women Aviators in the USA and USSR, 1941-1945)"
University of South Carolina (2000)
MA thesis: "Wings, Women and War: Soviet Women's Military Aviation Regiments
in the Second World War," University of South Carolina (1993)

work in progress

What Russia Can Teach Us About War (in first draft)
"The Death of Liliia Litviak: Rumor, Hearsay, and Evidence about the World's First
Female Fighter Ace" (submitted to a peer-reviewed journal)

books

Amazons to Fighter Pilots: A Biographical Dictionary of Military Women, Reina
Pennington, editor; Robin Higham, advisory editor; foreword by Gerhard
Weinberg, Greenwood Press (2003)
Wings, Women and War: Soviet Airwomen in World War II Combat, foreword by John
Erickson, University mPress of Kansas, Modern War Studies Series (2001)

refereed articles/ book chapters

"The Red Army, 1922-1945," for *The Culture of Military Organizations*, ed. Pete
Mansoor and Williamson Murray, Cambridge University Press (2019)
"Offensive Women: Women in Combat in the Red Army" in the *Journal of Military
History*, vol 74 no 3 (July 2010)
"Our Women Know the Price of War and Peace," in *The Soviet Union at War, 1941-
1945*, ed. David R. Stone, Pen & Sword Press (2010)
"Minerva--The Past, the Present and the Future," *Minerva Journal of Women and War*,
Volume 1, Number 1 (Summer 2007)
"Women and the Battle of Stalingrad," in *Russia: War, Peace and Diplomacy, Essays in
Honour of John Erickson* (Wiedenfeld and Nicolson, 2005)
"Do not speak of the services you rendered: Women Veterans of Aviation in the
Soviet Union," *Journal of Slavic Military Studies* (1996) reprinted in *A Soldier and A
Woman: Women in the Military*, ed. Gerard J. DeGroot, Longman (2001)
"Stalin's Falcons: the 586th Fighter Aviation Regiment," *MINERVA: Quarterly Report
on Women and the Military* Volume XVIII, Numbers 3-4 (Fall/Winter 2000)
"From Chaos to the Eve of the Great Patriotic War," in *Russian Aviation & Air Power*,
ed. Robin Higham, Frank Cass Publishers (1998)
"Offensive Women: Women in Combat in the Red Army" in *Time to Kill: The Soldier's
Experience of War in the West*, ed. Paul Addison, Pimlico Press (1997)
"The Propaganda Factor and Soviet Women Pilots in World War II," *MINERVA:
Quarterly Report on Women and the Military* (Summer 1997)
"Prophets, Heretics, and Peculiar Evils," *Airpower Journal* vol 10 no 2 (Summer 1996)
"Pilot Initiative in the Soviet Air Forces," in *The Soviet Air Forces*, ed. Paul J. Murphy,
McFarland & Company (1984)

**reference
contributions**

- "The Battle for Moscow," for *Russia at War: An Encyclopedia*, ABC-CLIO (2014)
- "Russian Military History," "Women in Military History," and "Battle of Stalingrad," for Oxford Bibliographies Online, <http://www.oxfordbibliographies.com> (2011)
- "Military, Modern Militaries and Warfare" and "Military, Overview," in *Oxford Encyclopedia of Women in World History*, Oxford University Press (2008)
- "Polina Gelman," "Liliia Litviak," "Caterina Sforza," "Women in Siege Warfare," "Valentina Tereshkova," in *Women in World History: A Biographic Encyclopedia*, eds. Anne Commire and Deborah Klezmer, Gale Group (1999-2002)
- "Aviation, Soviet Military" in *The Supplement to the Modern Encyclopedia of Russian, Soviet, and Eurasian History*, vol. 2, ed. Edward Lazzerini, Academic International Press (1997)

book reviews

- Review of *The Red Army and the Second World War* by Alexander Hill for *Parameters: US Army War College Quarterly* (forthcoming)
- Review of *Broken Wings: The Hungarian Air Force, 1918–1945* by Stephen L. Renner for *Slavic Review* (2018: 77, no. 2)
- Review of *Soviet Women on the Frontline in the Second World War* by Roger Markwick and Euridice Cardona, for *Slavic Review* (2014: vol 73 no 1)
- Review of *The Damned and the Dead: The Eastern Front through the Eyes of Soviet and Russian Novelists* by Frank Ellis, for *Journal of Military History* (2013: vol 77 no 1)
- Review of *Little Soldiers: How Soviet Children Went to War 1941-1945* by Olga Kucherenko, for *Slavic Review* (2012: vol 71 no 3)
- Review of *Soviet Women in Combat* by Anna Krylova, for *The Journal of Military History* (2012: vol 76 no 1)
- Review of *Red Sky, Black Death: A Soviet Woman Pilot's Memoir of the Eastern Front* by Anna Timofeeva-Egorova, for *The Journal of Military History* (2010: vol. 74 no 4)
- Review of *To the Gates of Stalingrad: Soviet-German Combat Operations, April-August 1942* by David M. Glantz & Jonathan M. House, for *Slavic Review* (2010: vol. 69 no. 4)
- Review of *Dragons on Bird Wings: The Combat History of the 812th Fighter Regiment* by Vladislav Antipov and Igor Utkin, for *The Journal of Military History* (2010: vol. 74 no 2)
- Review of *Dictatorship of the Air* by Scott Palmer, for *Slavic Review* (2008: vol. 67 no. 3)
- Review essay, "Women and War and related books," *Journal of Military History* (2007: vol. 71 no 4)
- Review of *Clipped Wings: The Rise and Fall of the Women Airforce Service Pilots (WASPs) of World War II* by Molly Merryman, H-Net (for H-Minerva, May 1998) and for *Air & Space/Smithsonian* (October/November 1998)
- Review of *Women and the Military* by John and Maria Dever, for H-Net (1998)
- Review of *Female Tars: Women Aboard Ship in the Age of Sail* by Suzanne J. Stark, *HMGS Military and Naval History Forum Proceedings* (1998)
- Review of *Hitler's Nemesis: The Red Army, 1930-1945* by Walter S. Dunn, (originally published in *HMGS Military and Naval History Forum Proceedings*, No 2. 1995; reprinted on *History Reviews On-Line*)
- Review of *The Sorcerer As Apprentice: Stalin As Commissar of Nationalities, 1917-1924* by Stephen Blank (originally published in *HMGS Military and Naval History Forum Proceedings*, No 2. 1995; reprinted on *History Reviews On-Line*)

**reviews of
my work**

- Reviews of *The Soviet Union at War, 1941-1945* (mentioning Pennington chapter):
Jonathan M House, *The Journal of Military History* (July 2011)
T. Kunikov, *WWII and other Book Reviews Blog*:
<http://kunikovsreviews.blogspot.com/2010/12/soviet-union-at-war-1941-1945-edited-by.html>
- Reviews of *Amazons to Fighter Pilots: A Biographical Dictionary of Military Women*:
Lance Janda, *The Journal of Military History* (Jan 2004)
Hayden Peake, *Studies in Intelligence* 47.4 (2003)
Eugenia C. Kiesling, *H-Minerva* (May, 2005)
<http://www.h-net.org/reviews/showrev.cgi?path=77931121185764>
- Reviews of *Wings, Women, and War: Soviet Airwomen in World War II Combat*:
Petra Rau, *Women: A Cultural Review* (2005)
Richard R. Muller, *Air & Space Power Journal* (Winter 2003)
Sally W. Stoecker, *The Slavic Review* 62.1 (Spring 2003)
Roger Reese, *American Historical Review* (Feb 2003)
Denise J. Youngblood, *The Journal of Military History* (July 2002)
Kathryn Spurling, *H-Minerva*, *H-Net Reviews* (July 2002)
<http://www.h-net.msu.edu/reviews/showrev.cgi?path=131321029303154>
Nameeta Mathur, *History: Reviews of New Books* (Summer 2002)
Ben Shephard, *The Times Literary Supplement* (24 May 2002)
Julie Dear, *The Washington Post Book World* (13 Jan 2002)
- Review of *Time to Kill: The Soldier's Experience of War in the West* (mentioning Pennington chapter):
John Ferris, *The Journal of Military History* vol 62 no. 2 (1998)
- Reviews of *The Soviet Air Forces* (mentioning Pennington chapter):
David R. Jones, *Slavic Review* vol. 44 no. 4 (Winter 1985)
Ralph S. Clem, *Air University Review* (1985)

**additional
publications**

- "More than Just Night Witches," *Air Force Magazine* (October 2014)
- "Reaching for the Sky," *MHQ: The Quarterly Journal of Military History* (Autumn 2009)
- "The FLY Chromosome," *Air & Space/Smithsonian* (April/May 1999)
- "Tankers!" *Air & Space/Smithsonian* (October/November 1997), reprinted in *60th Anniversary United States Air Force, 1947-2007: Heritage to Horizons... Commemorating 60 years of Air & Space Power*. Las Vegas, NV: Aviation Nation Foundation, 2007.
- "Grounded: The Aggressor Squadrons," *Air & Space/Smithsonian* (Feb/March 1995)
- "Wings, Women and War," *Air & Space/Smithsonian* (December 1993/January 1994)
- "Eagles Over the Icecap," *Air Force Magazine* (July 1987)
- "Yukon Lightning," *Air Force Magazine* (March 1987)
- "Another Look at the Soviet Pilot," *Air Force Magazine* (April 1985)
- "Closing the Tactics Gap," *Air Force Magazine* (March 1984) (reprinted in *Signal, Journal of the Armed Forces Communications and Electronics Association*, vol 39. no 4, December 1984)
- "Behind the Green Door," *USAF Fighter Weapons Review* (Summer/Fall 1983); reprinted in *USAF Fighter Weapons Review* Spring/Summer 1999 "USAF Weapons School 50th Anniversary Issue"
- "A Soviet View of Air Combat," *USAF Fighter Weapons Review* (Spring 1981)

**web
publications**

"Was The Russian Military A Steamroller? From World War II To Today," for War on the Rocks (2016): <https://warontherocks.com/2016/07/was-the-russian-military-a-steamroller-from-world-war-ii-to-today/>

**Papers presented
(academic)**

- "Winter War: the Russian experience" Society for Military History annual conference, Washington, DC (2020)
- "Male and Female Heroism in the European Bombing War", Humboldt University, Berlin (2019)
- "Scorched Earth as Tactic and Strategy: the Russian experience" Society for Military History annual conference, Louisville, KY (2018)
- "Red Army, 1922-1945," working conference at the Mershon Center for International Security Studies (2017)
- "A Quality of Its Own: Hordes, Quantity and Ways of War": Quantity vs. Quality: The Russian Experience" Society for Military History annual conference, Ottawa, Canada (2016)
- "Communists, Fascists, and the Western Way of War: The Soviet Union and Nazi Germany in the Second World War" Society for Military History annual conference, Wheaton, IL (2011)
- "What Russia Can Teach Us About War" International Conference on Victory Over Fascism In 1945: Its Significance for the CIS Nations and the World, Moscow, Russia (2010)
- "Gender, War and Military History in Russia's Twentieth Century" American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies annual conference, Philadelphia, PA (2008)
- "The Military History of Russia and the Soviet Union: Where We Stand, Where We're Going" Society for Military History annual conference, Ogden, UT (2008)
- "World War II Reconsidered," roundtable on "Allied Airpower Strategies" Williams College Conference (2008)
- "The State of the Field of Military History: Where We Are, Where We're Going" The Mershon Center at The Ohio State University (2005)
- "Offensive Women: Women in Combat in the Red Army" The Center for the Study of War and Society (University of Tennessee), annual Colonel John B. McKinney lecture (2004)
- "Women in War" United States Commission on Military History (part of the International Commission of Military History) in Washington, DC (2004)
- "A Revolution in Military History Instruction Affairs" Organization of American Historians annual conference, Boston, MA (2004)
- "What War Can Teach Us About Russia" American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, 35th National Convention, Toronto, Canada (2003)
- "Wings, Women and War: Soviet Women in Combat Aviation in World War II" Texas Women's University, Women in Aviation conference (2003)
- "The Red Air Force and The Eastern Front: A Reappraisal" Society for Military History annual conference, Knoxville, TN (2003)
- "Women in Combat; Generalizing from the Russian Experience of World War II" for the University of Kansas Hall Center for the Humanities Seminar on War, Peace, and Diplomacy (2002)
- "Teaching the Second World War" Society for Military History annual conference, Madison, WI (roundtable discussant) (2002)

"The Military History of Women: Amazonian Past or PC Propaganda?" Society for Military History annual conference, Wheaton, IL (roundtable discussant) (1998)

Naval Historical Center Colloquium on Contemporary History: *Women In Combat: The Modern Experience*, Washington, DC, "Wings, Women and War: Soviet Women in Combat Aviation in World War II" (1997)

10th Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, University of North Carolina (Chapel Hill), "The Soviet Experience of Women in Combat" (1996)

Speaker's Conference on The Soldier's Experience of War, 1939-1945, University of Edinburgh, "Offensive Women: Women in Combat in the Red Army" (1995)

Society for Military History annual conference, Gettysburg, PA, "War Termination and Women Veterans of Aviation in the Soviet Union" (1995)

American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, 26th National Convention, Philadelphia, PA, "Wings, Women and War: The Propaganda Factor and Soviet Women in Combat Aviation in WWII" (1994)

**Panel
commentator**

Society for Military History annual conference, Calgary, Alberta, "World War Two: War, Society and the Eastern Front and After" Papers by James Sterrett, Roger Reese, Paul Wanke, Alex Statiev (2001)

Naval Postgraduate School's conference on *Interservice Rivalry and the American Armed Forces*, "Interservice Rivalry and the Rise of Jointness" Papers by Paul Stockton, Peter Roman, Harold R. Winton, Richard Szafranski (1996)

**Panel chair/
moderator**

"Stalin's Revenge" panel moderator International Conference on World War II (The National WWII Museum), New Orleans, LA (2014)

"Winning Isn't Everything: Military Failure and Politics in the Early Twentieth Century" Society for Military History annual conference, Alexandria, VA (2012)

"Teaching Military History to Soldiers in a Time of War" Society for Military History annual conference, Murfreesboro, TN (2009)

"Gender integration in the armed services" Society for Military History annual conference, Knoxville, TN (2003)

**Panels
organized**

Society for Military History annual conference, Louisville, KY, "Scorched Earth as Tactic and Strategy" moderator: Ty Seidule; panelists: Kelly DeVries, Mark Grimsley, Geoffrey Megargee, Reina Pennington (2018)

Society for Military History annual conference, Ottawa, Canada, "A Quality of Its Own: Hordes, Quantity and Ways of War," moderator: Russell Hart; panelists: Gian Gentile, Peter Lorge, David Stahel, Reina Pennington (2016)

Society for Military History annual conference, Wheaton, IL, "Reconsidering the Western Way of War," moderator: Lawrence Sondhaus; chair: Graydon Tunstall; panelists: David Graff, Kelly DeVries, Reina Pennington (2011)

Society for Military History annual conference, Ogden, UT, "The Military History of Russia and the Soviet Union: Where We Stand, Where We're Going," moderator/chair: Reina Pennington; roundtable discussants: David Glantz, Evan Mawdsley, Roger Reese, Joshua Sanborn, David Stone (2008)

American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, annual conference, Philadelphia, PA, "Working at the Intersections of Military History, Gender History, and Slavic Studies," moderator/chair: Reina Pennington; roundtable discussants: Anna Krylova, Joshua Sanborn, Laurie Stoff (2008)

Society for Military History annual conference, Knoxville, TN, "Gender integration in the armed services" moderator/chair: Reina Pennington; papers: Tina Davidson,

Katherine Comer, and M. C. Devilbiss; commentator: Lance Janda (2003)
 Society for Military History annual conference, Madison, WI,
 "Teaching the Second World War" (cosponsored by the World War II Studies
 Association), moderator/chair: Peter Maslowski; roundtable discussants: Reina
 Pennington, Mark Parillo, Mark Grimsley, John Guilmartin, Allan Millett (2002)
 Society for Military History annual conference, Wheaton, IL
 "The Military History of Women: Amazonian Past or PC Propaganda?"
 moderator/chair: John Lynn; roundtable discussants: Reina Pennington,
 Paul Davis, Valerie Eads, James Hoover, DeAnn Blanton (1998)
 American Historical Association, 111th Meeting, New York: "Women in Combat:
 The Slavic Experience," moderator: Carol Reardon; papers: Christine White,
 Reina Pennington, James Dixon; commentator: David Glantz (1997)
 10th Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, "Women in Combat:
 The Slavic Experience," moderator: Marcia Synnott; papers: Reina Pennington,
 James Dixon; commentator: Christine White (1996)

Papers presented (military) Presentations to two Chairmen/Joint Chiefs of Staff (Department of Defense),
 Central Intelligence Agency, National Security Agency,
 Aviation/Space Writers Association, German Strategy Forum, and
 United States Senate, Armed Services Committee (1978-87)

Miscellaneous presentations

"Operation Bagration, 1944," International Conference on World War II (The
 National WWII Museum), New Orleans, LA (2019)

"What Russia Can Teach Us about War" The New York Military Affairs Symposium,
 NYC (2018) URL: http://nymas.org/podcasts/Reina%20Pennington%20-%20Russia%20edited_320%20kbps.mp3

"The Manchurian Strategic Offensive Operation: August 1945" International
 Conference on World War II, 1945: To the Bitter End" (The National WWII
 Museum), New Orleans, LA (2015)

"Key Points of 1944" commentary for Conference Wrap-Up Panel, International
 Conference on World War II, 1944: Beyond All Boundaries (The National
 WWII Museum), New Orleans, LA (2014)

"Surviving Total War at Home in the Soviet Union" International Conference on
 World War II, 1943: Victory in the Balance (The National WWII Museum),
 New Orleans, LA (2013)
 URL: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1irLH308cvY&spfreload=10>

Army War College Perspectives lecture, "Wings, Women, & War" U.S. Army
 Heritage and Education Center, Carlisle, PA (2009)
 URL: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4uObDK4gslU&spfreload=10>
<http://www.carlisle.army.mil/AHEC/mediagallery/videogallery.cfm?id=32>

"Effects of the Second World War on the Soviet Union" International Conference on
 World War II (The National WWII Museum), New Orleans, LA (2006)

Guest lecturer to classes on Russian history and women's history, UVM (2006)

Presentation on the battle of Stalingrad, to class on History of the Second World
 War, and general presentation on "Offensive Women: Women in the Red
 Army" United States Military Academy at West Point (2005)

"Women in Military History," keynote speaker, United States Council on Military
 History, Washington, DC (Nov 2004)

William E. Colby Military Writer's Symposium panels and presentations: Chicago (2004) and Norwich University (2001, 2002)
 McCormick Tribune Foundation (Chicago), invited participant in the Cantigny Conference Series, "Urban Operations in War and Peace" (2004)
 Northfield Ladies Reading Circle, Northfield, VT, "The Making of Wings, Women, & War" (2004)
 "Wings, Women and War: Soviet Women in Combat Aviation in World War II," National Women in Aviation Conference, Orlando, FL (1994)

Consultations and interviews

Joint US/Russian production of proposed film, *The Night Witches*, with screenwriter Greg Howard (*Remember the Titans*) (2013-2014)
 BBC radio production on Soviet women pilots (2004)
 Portal Productions/Old Flying Machine Company/BBC Film, proposed theatrical film about Soviet women pilots in the Second World War (1998-2001)
 Nineteenth Star, LLC (documentary producers), "Women Warriors" (1997-98)
 Aviator Films, LLC (theatrical producers), proposed theatrical film about Soviet women pilots in the Second World War (1997-98)
Mother Jones magazine (telephone consultation w/fact checker regarding Soviet female snipers in the Second World War, in connection with their article, "Great Gun Toting Women;" 1997)
 CNN "Crossfire" (telephone consultation w/fact checker regarding the Aberdeen scandal; November 1996)
 Ken Magid (public television documentary producer), proposed documentary film about Soviet women pilots in the Second World War (1995-96)

Professional Memberships

Society for Military History (SMH); World War II Studies Association; Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies (ASEEES); American Historical Association (AHA); Association for Women in Slavic Studies (AWSS); Internet lists (H-WAR, H-RUSSIA, H-MINERVA, H-WOMEN, H-TEACH)

Professional Service

The Journal of Slavic Military Studies Editorial Board (2019-present)
 Society for Military History, Long-Range Planning Committee (2016-present)
 Oxford Bibliographies Online, Military History: Founding Editorial Board, Continuing Editorial Board (2011-present)
 University of Nebraska Press, Editorial Board, Studies in War, Society, and the Military series (2006-present)
 National World War II Museum, New Orleans, Presidential Counselor (2007-2017)
 Society for Military History, Board of Trustees (2007-2015)
 Department of the Army Historical Advisory Committee (DAHAC) (2003-2011; chair 2008-2011)
Aerospace Power Journal Board of Reviewers (2001-present)
 Society for Military History, Northeast Regional Coordinator (2005-2007)
 Society for Military History, Program Committee, 2002 and 2006 annual conferences
Minerva Journal of Women and War, editor (2001-present)
 H-MINERVA editorial board (part of the History-NET group, focusing on issues concerning women and the military) (1996-present)

Peer review of manuscripts: books

Waging War: A World History from Prehistory to the Present, by Wayne E. Lee (Oxford University Press) 2010 (proposal), 2011 (chapters)

Why Stalin's Soldiers Fought: The Red Army's Military Effectiveness in World War II, Roger Reese (University Press of Kansas) 2010

I Returned from Captivity, Aleksei Maslov (University Press of Kansas) 2008

800 Days on the Eastern Front: A Russian Soldier Remembers World War II, Nikolai Litvin trans. Stuart Britton (University Press of Kansas) 2006

Understanding War, Frederick Kagan (Yale University Press) 2005

Voices of Hitler's Jewish Soldiers, Bryan Mark Rigg (Columbia University Press) 2005

Soviet Air Force Operational Theory 1918-1945, James Sterrett (Frank Cass Publishers) 2005

They Fought for the Homeland: Russia's Women Soldiers in World War I, Laurie Stoff (University Press of Kansas) 2004

Peer review of manuscripts: articles

"No Nastas'ias on the Volga: Soviet Women Veterans and Folkloric Self-Representations" for *Folklorica*, the journal of the Slavic and East European Folklore Association (2012)

"German Women Pilots at War, 1939-1945" for *Air Power History* (2009)

"Soviet Women Under Arms" for *The Russian Review* (2008)

Teaching**Courses taught**

History 101, European Civilization to the Mid-17th century

History 102, European Civilization from the Mid-17th century

History 107, World Civilization to 1500

History 235-236, Military History I/II, chronological survey

History 235, Military History I, revised topical course

History 300, The Battle of Stalingrad

History 300, Critical Issues of the 1990s in Historical Perspective

History 326, Nazi Germany and the Holocaust

History 326, Russia and the Soviet Union since 1881

History 329, Modern Russian History, 1917 to the Present

History 352, Early Modern Europe

History 353, Nineteenth Century Europe

History 354, Twentieth Century Europe

History 355, The Second World War

History 361, The First World War

History 403/431, senior seminar on Women and War

History 403, senior seminar on European Wars

History 405, internship in oral history

History 431, senior seminar on The Eastern Front in Two Wars

additional courses developed

"Race and Gender in Military History," seminar for the Masters in Military History degree program at Norwich University (co-authored with Dr. John Morrow)

Honors projects directed

- 2018-19: Alastair Huntley, "Scorched-Earth: Russia's Misunderstood Last Resort"
- 2017-18: Connor LaFontaine, "From Competition to Cooperation: The Apollo-Soyuz Test Project"
- 2013-14: Parker Carroll, "The impact of the Spanish Civil War on shaping the course of the air war during World War II in France and the Soviet Union", and Benito Murray, "Educating an Army: The Prussian Military Reforms of 1806-1812"
- 2012-13: Nathan Driscoll, "Liberating Leningrad: Artillery and The Red Army's Military Effectiveness"
- 2011-12: Zach Stokes, "August Storm and Desert Storm"
- 2010-11: Kent Barrios, "The Role of the NKVD in the Katyn Massacre"
- 2009-10: Kevin Klemens, "Behind the Red Fleet: Soviet Naval Credibility By the End of the Cold War, 1985-1991"
- 2008-09: Michael Anton, "Man's Inhumanity to Man: Japanese Biological Experiments during World War II"
- 2004-05: Dereck Clark, "Women's Experiences in POW and Concentration Camps, 1939-1953"
- 2003-04: Michael Westermeier, "The Sand Creek Massacre of 1864"
- 2002-03: Kate Comer, "What's This About A Few Good Men?: The Trials and Tribulations of Gender Integration in Military Academies"
- 2001-02: Trevor Albertson, "Public Perception of the Strategic Air Command, 1950-1963"

University service**administrative duties**

- Program Director, Studies in War and Peace (1999-2007, 2018-present)
- Director, Center for the Study of War and Peace (2005-2007)
- Director, Colby Military Writers' Symposium (2005-2007)
- Program Originator and Curriculum Developer, Masters in Military History degree program (2004-2005)

standing committees

- Faculty Senate (At-Large representative 2006-2011, 2017-2020; Vice Chair 2011-2014)
- Committee on Academic Technology (2002-2006, 2012-2013)
- Oversight Committee for the Master in Military History degree program (2005-2007)
- Oversight Committee for the Master of Arts in Diplomacy degree program (2002-2007)
- Russian School Committee (1999-2000)
- Faculty advisor, Norwich University Tactical Society (1999-2006)

ad hoc committees and task forces

- Online Pedagogy Committee (2019)
- Faculty Senate Working Group on Sexual and Gender Based Misconduct Policy (2018)
- Committee on Merit Pay and Post-Tenure Review (chair, 2009-2010)
- Program/curriculum design, Master's in Military History (2004-2005)
- ad hoc committee on Information Technology Acceptable Use Policy (2004-2005)
- Departmental NEASC Self-Study Task Force (2000-2002)
- Divisional Task Force on Facilities (Humanities/Social Sciences Divisions) and Sub-Task Force to collate and draft suggestions (2002)
- PWAD Program Revision (2002)
- Search committee for Vice President of Academic Affairs (2006)
- Search committee for Chief Information Officer (2002-2003)
- Search committee for Commandant/Vice President of Student Life (2001)

**on-campus
lectures and
presentations**

"What Russia Can Teach Us About War," COLA Colloquium presentation (2019)

"Legacies of the Russian Revolution, 100 years later," presentation for the College of Graduate and Continuing Studies Residency Week, Norwich University, 2017; also presented as part of Veterans Day/First World War Centenary Panel, 2019

"The Manchurian Strategic Offensive Operation: August 1945," COLA Colloquium presentation (2016)

Faculty Development Roundtable: time and productivity while on ISL (2016)

"The Legacy of World War II," faculty panel presentation for the College of Graduate and Continuing Studies Residency Week, Norwich University, 2015

"What's True about World War II," presentation for Sullivan Museum (2011)

"The Uses and Abuses of Military History: The Army and Academe"
(Dana I lecture, April 2009)

"Race and Gender in military history," faculty panel presentation for the College of Graduate and Continuing Studies Residency Week, Norwich University, 2007

"Wings, Women and War a researcher's story," guest lecture for NU Art History course (2007, 2009)

"The Aggressor article fiasco," guest lecture for NU Criminal Justice course (2007)

"Herding Cats: The Story of How One Harried Editor and One Hundred Scholars Made a Book," presentation for Faculty Scholarship Celebration (2004)

"What's New with History: Young Professors Re-examine Old Events," presentation for Faculty Scholarship Celebration (2003)

"Offensive Women: Women in Combat in the Red Army," for the Humanities Colloquium in recognition of Women's History Month (2002)

"The Making of Wings, Women and War: A Historian's Work," for book-signings sponsored by the Norwich University Friends of the Library (FONUL) (2002)

"Air Combat On The Eastern Front: Myths and Misperceptions,"
Dana Lecture Series (2002)

"Anatomy of Terror: Origins and Implications," History and Political Science Department Forum, panelist (2001)

**service to Corps
of Cadets/ROTCs**

Participation in Corps of Cadets Promotion Boards (2002, 2005, 2006, 2008)

**Fellowships,
Grants &
Prizes**

Amazons to Fighter Pilots: A Biographical Dictionary of Military Women: a Booklist 2003 "Editor's Choice" and a New York Public Library reference work of the year

Wings, Women and War: Soviet Airwomen in World War II Combat, Founder's Prize, Colby Military Writer's Symposium (2003)

Student/Faculty Summer Research Grant (Summer 2009)

Independent Study Leave, Norwich University (Fall 2007; Fall/Spring 2014-15)

Charles A. Dana Category I Grant (2001-2002, 2008-2009)

Charles A. Dana Faculty Development Fellowship (2000, 2003, 2004, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2013)

Air Force Historical Research Agency Fellowship (1996)

Graduate fellowships: USC Department of History Dissertation Writing Fellowship (1998); James A. Morris Carolina Fellowship (1991-92); CC Royal Fellowship (1994-95); Rhude M. Patterson Graduate Fellowship (1992-94); USC Research Foundation Fellowship (1992-93); Graduate School Research Grant (1992); USC Department of History Teaching Assistantship (1991-97)

**Honors
professional**

2013 Charles A. Dana Professor of History
2003 Homer L. Dodge Faculty Award for excellence in teaching

graduate

1998 and 1995 University of South Carolina Graduate School, Award for Outstanding Teaching by a Graduate Assistant (university-wide)
1998 and 1993 Award for Outstanding Research Paper (Humanities)
Professional Women on Campus, University of South Carolina
1993 Award for Best Paper by a USC student, 5th Annual Spring Symposium, University of South Carolina Graduate History Association

undergraduate

Omicron Kappa Delta Outstanding Senior Award; Mortar Board Senior Honorary; Dobro Slovo National Russian Honorary; Woodcock Society Award
Air Force ROTC awards: Distinguished Graduate; Dr. Philip G. Davidson Service Award; Arnold Air Society Medal; American Legion ROTC Award for Scholastic Excellence; Air Force ROTC Scholarship
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Employment

2012- Professor of History, Department of History, Norwich University
2005-2012 Associate Professor of History, Department of History, Norwich University
1999-2005 Assistant Professor of History, Department of History, Norwich University
1998-99 Lecturer, Department of History, University of North Carolina at Wilmington
1991-98 Graduate student/teaching assistant, Department of History, University of South Carolina, Columbia, South Carolina
1989-91 Technical Writer, CompuSystems, Inc., Columbia, South Carolina
1987-88 Director of Technology Integration, SunRise Springs Resort, Santa Fe, New Mexico
1985-87 Chief of Intelligence Research and Analysis, Alaskan Air Command Headquarters, Elmendorf Air Force Base, Alaska
1982-85 Soviet Tactics Analyst, Soviet Air Forces Division, Defense Intelligence Agency, Washington, DC
1980-82 Aggressor Intelligence Officer, 57th Fighter Weapons Wing, Nellis Air Force Base, Nevada
1978-80 Chief of Intelligence Training, 388th Tactical Fighter Wing, Hill Air Force Base, Utah