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**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**POSITIONS HELD**

Emory University	
Director, Ctr. For Russian and Eastern European Studies	2007-present
Associate Professor, Department of History	2001-present
Assistant Professor, Department of History	1995-2001
University of Illinois at Chicago, Visiting Professor, Russian History	1995

**EDUCATION**

University of Chicago	Ph.D.	1995
University of Chicago	MA	1988
University of Chicago	BA (Phi Beta Kappa)	1985

**PRESENT RESEARCH**

*Soviet Steppe: Modernization and Genocide in Kazakhstan, 1890 to 1941.*

**PUBLICATIONS**

BOOK

*Stalin's Railroad: Turksib and Building Socialism.* University of Pittsburgh Press. 2001.

ARTICLES

- “The Movie *Turksib* and Soviet Orientalism.” *The Historical Journal of Film, Radio, and Television*, Vol. 21, Number 1 (March 2001).
- “The Making of a Kazakh Proletariat? The Unexpected Russification of Nativization Policies on the *Turksib*,” Peer reviewed article in Ronald Suny and Terry Martin, eds., *A State of Nations: The Soviet State and its Peoples in the Age of Lenin and Stalin* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2001)
- “Muscovy as the Basis for a Bureaucratic State?: A Critique of Maryanne Ozernoy’s “A Political History of the Russian Bureaucratic State.” *Soviet and Post-Soviet Review*, 23, no. 1 (1996): 15-36.
- “The *Turksib*: First-born of the Five-Year Plan.” *Russian History* 15, nos. 2-4 (1988): 353-415.

IN PREPARATION

“Seeing Like a Soviet State: Settlement of Nomadic Kazakhs, 1928-1934.” In Golfo Alexoupolas, ed., *Sovietica; A Festschrift in Honor of Sheila Fitzpatrick.* (Final revision submitted May 2008)

BOOK REVIEWS

- Felix Patrikeef and Harold Shukman, *Railways and the Russo-Japanese War: Transporting War*, *Slavic Review* 68/2 (Summer 2009): 435.
- Jeffrey J. Rossman, *Worker Resistance under Stalin: Class and Revolution on the Shop Floor*, *The Journal of Modern European History*, 80/1 (2008): 213.
- Diane Koenker, *Republic of Labor; Russian Printers and Soviet Socialism, 1918-1930* and Kevin Murphy *Revolution and Counterrevolution; Class Struggle in a Moscow Metal Factory*, *Social History* 32/4 (2007): 475-477.
- Francine Hirsch, *Empire of Nations: Ethnographic Knowledge and the Making of the Soviet Union*, *Central Eurasian Studies Review*, 5/2 (2006): 56-57.

“Speaking of Books: *Veiled Empire*,” [Review of Douglas Northrop’s *Veiled Empire: Gender and Power in Stalinist Central Asia* (Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press, 2004)], The Journal of the Historical Society, 4/4 (2004): 409-415.

Kenneth M. Straus, *Factory and Community in Stalin’s Russia, The Making of an Industrial Working Class*, Journal of Modern History, 71/4 (December 1999): 1028-1030.

David R. Shearer, *Industry, State, and Society in Stalin’s Russia, 1926-1934*, ISIS: Journal of the History of Science Society, 90/1 (March 1999): 153-154.

#### RECENT PAPERS PRESENTED:

“False Activists and True Misery’: Local Resistance to Stalin’s Order to de-Socialize Cattle in Kazakhstan, 1932-1934,” 41<sup>st</sup> National Convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Boston, MA, November 14, 2009.

“The Soviet State and Kazakh Nomads, 1927-1935,” 10<sup>th</sup> Annual conference of the Central Asian Studies Society, Toronto, ON (University of Toronto), October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2009.

Participant, “Where is Stalinism; Hannah Arendt, Kazakh Nomads and Situating the Totalitarian Politics”, 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Southern Conference on Slavic Studies, Charlottesville, Virginia (University of Virginia), March 27, 2009.

“The “*Chayanoshchina*”; The Debate on Settling the Kazakh Nomads, 1923-1929,” 40<sup>th</sup> National Convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, November 22, 2008.

“Soviet Torture and the Psychologists,” Participant in Discussion Group, "The Experience of Psychoanalysts Living in the Age of Terror". 97<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Psychoanalytic Association, Atlanta, GA. June 18, 2008. (Invited).

“Seeing Like a Soviet State: Settlement of Nomadic Kazakhs, 1928-1934. The Melbourne Conferences on Soviet History and Culture. Melbourne, Australia. July 4, 2006 (Invited paper).

“To Be or *NOT* to be: The Not So Strange Fate of Scientific Management on the Turksib, 1927-31.” 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Southern Conference on Slavic Studies, Roanoke Virginia, March 19, 2004.

“An Empty Land, A Superfluous People: The Kazakh Steppe and Geographical Visions of the Soviet Regime during Forced Sedentarization, 1928-1934.” 35<sup>th</sup> National Convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies Toronto, Ontario, Canada, November 22, 2003.

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

The Emory College Center for Teaching and Curriculum Award for Excellence in Teaching in the Social Sciences	2002
Crystal Apple, The William H. Fox Award for Emerging Excellence in Teaching and Service	2002

#### FELLOWSHIPS

ICIS International Research Program Grant (Almaty)	2007
University Research Council Grant (Almaty, Moscow)	2002
Social Sciences Research Council, Eurasian Post-Doctoral Fellowship, Alternate	1998-99
Halle Institute on Global Learning Fellow (Moscow)	1998
IREX Short-term Research Grant (Moscow)	1996
Mellon Dissertation Write-up Grant	1992-1993
International Research and Exchanges Board Long-term Soviet Research Grant (Alma-Ata, Republic of Kazakhstan)	1991-1992

#### NATIONAL SERVICE

##### Organizations:

Executive Committee, Southern Conference on Slavic Studies	2008-present
Chair, Accommodations Committee, Southern Conference on Slavic Studies,	2007-2008
Chair, Nominations Committee for 2004 Southern Conference on Slavic Studies	2004
Co-Chair, Program Committee for 2000 Conference, Southern Conference on Slavic Studies	2004

Grant Referee:		
	International Dissertation Field Research Fellowship Screener, Social Science Research Council.	2002-2006
	American Councils for International Education (ACTR/ACCELS), Title VIII Selection Committee (Spec'l Initiatives; Rsrch Schlr; Combined Rsrch/Lang) Research Scholar Program Grant in Central Asia.	2009 2002
Consultant:		
	Historical Advisor, Martin Luther King Center Exhibit on Soviet Gulag	2007
Peer Reviewer:		
	Outside Reviewer, Tenure candidacy of David Brandenberger, University of Richmond	2009
	Outside Reviewer, Tenure candidacy of Matthew Lenoe, Rochester University (resubmit)	2009
	Alexander Morrison, "British India, Russian Central Asia, and the Usefulness of Oriental Knowledge," for <i>Comparative Studies in Society and History</i>	2008
	"Maternity and Modernity: Soviet Women Teachers and the Contradictions of Stalinism" for <i>Women's History Review</i> .	2008
	"New Losses, New Opportunities: Russia Women in the Shuttle Trade." for <i>Women's History Review</i> .	2008
	Jeffrey Jones, <i>Everyday Life and the Reconstruction of Soviet Russia, 1943-1948: A Case Study of Rostov-on-Don</i> for Wildman Series of Slavica Publishers	2007
	Outside Reviewer, Tenure candidacy of Matthew Lenoe, Rochester University	2006
	Christopher Ward, <i>Brezhnev's Folly, The Baikal-Amur Mainline Railway (BAM), 1974-1984</i> for Pittsburg University Press	2006
	Philip Longworth's manuscript, <i>Russia's Empires: Their Rise and Fall from Prehistory to Putin</i> for Yale University Press.	2005
	Outside Reviewer, Tenure candidacy of Marianne Kemp, University of Wyoming.	2004
	"Governing Soviet Central Asia: The Central Asian Bureau and the Creation of the Republics," for <i>Carl Beck Papers</i> . (Author Confidential).	2002
	"Print Nationalism in the Kazakh Steppe: Kazakh Intellectuals, Publishing, and the Search for National Unity," <i>Nationalities Papers</i> . (Author Confidential).	2000
	"Answering for Bacchanalia: Management, Authority and the Putilov Tractor Program, 1928-1930," <i>Carl Beck Papers</i> . (Author Confidential).	2000
	John Keep, <i>The Destalinization of the Soviet Union, 1945-1991</i> (Routledge Press).	1998
	David Sneath and Caroline Humphrey, <i>The End of Nomadism? Culture and Environment in Central Asia</i> (Duke University Press).	1997

### UNIVERSITY SERVICE (RECENT)

#### COLLEGE

Faculty Advisory Committee, Office of Undergraduate Education	2008-present
Director, Center for Russian and Eastern European Studies	2007-present
Divisional Representative, Social Science Division, SIRE Program	2004-2006
GER Task Force	2007
College Review Committee, Carnegie Junior Fellows Program	2002-2006
Institute for Comparative and International Studies (ICIS) Committee on International Travel	2005-present

#### GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

TATTO Summer Course	2001-present
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#### HISTORY DEPARTMENT

Director of Undergraduate Studies	2002-2005, Spring 2008
Honors Advisor	2002-present
Honor Council Liaison	2002-2005
Departmental SIRE Representative	2002-2006

TATTO Coordinator	2001/02-2003, 2006-present
Undergraduate Affairs Committee	1996-present
Member, Lockmiller Seminar Committee	2006-2008

**RUSSIAN AND EASTERN EUROPEAN STUDIES CENTER (REES) (RECENT)**

Director, Center for Russian and Eastern European Studies	2007-present
<b>Committees</b>	
Subcommittee on Undergraduate Certification	2000-2007
Subcommittee on Undergraduate Teaching	2001-2007

**TEACHING**

**GRADUATE**

Major Field Comprehensive Examiner:  
    Rhiannon Evangelista, Modern European History (Spring, 2009)  
    Melissa Gayan, Modern European History (Spring 2009)  
    Rory Hart, Modern European History (Spring 2009)

Prospectus Committee:  
    Rhiannon Evangelista, Modern European History (Fall 2009)  
    Melissa Gayan, Modern European History (Spring 2009)

**UNDERGRADUATE**

Honors Theses:  
    Thesis Advisor, Natalie Waryck, "Everything but the Olive Branch: MAYFLOWER, MARIGOLD, SUNFLOWER and the Seeds of Detente, 1964-1967" (Highest Honors awarded in History, Spring 2009).  
    Committee, Leila Mustafina, "Factors Determining Firms' Price-Cost Margins in Transition Economies," (High Honors awarded in Economics, Spring 2009)

**COURSES TAUGHT SINCE LAST REPORTING**

Fall 2009		
The Silk Road and Inner Asia, 1750 BCE-1750 CE (History 206)		28
Summer 2009		
The Making of Modern Europe (History 202)		5
Spring 2009		
The West in the World (History 203):		18
Directed Study (REES 497R)		1
Fall 2008		
Central Asia Under Russian Domination (History 385)		6
Introduction to College Teaching (History 786A):		10

**COURSES TAUGHT IN RECENT ACADEMIC YEARS**

2004-2005:  
    Four classes (includes History 494, two interns): 16 credits, 63 students

2005-2006:  
    Five classes (does not include Professionalization workshop): 20 credits, 70 students

2006-2007:  
    Three classes: 16 credits, 41 students.

2007-2008:  
    Four Classes: 18 credits, 64 students.

2008-2009:  
    Five Classes: 14 credits, 40 students.

2009-2010:

One Class: 4 credits, 28 students (half year).

#### **RECENT COURSE DEVELOPMENT**

Fall, 2009: The Silk Road and Inner Asia, 1750 BCE-1750 CE (History 206).

Fall, 2008: Central Asia Under Russian Domination, 1730-present (History 328).

Fall, 2007: Russian Borderlands/Soviet Empire (History 585).

#### **COURSES TAUGHT AT EMORY**

Introduction to Russian Area Studies (REES 200), Making of Modern Europe (History 202), The West in World Context (History 203), The Silk Road and Inner Asia, 1750 BCE-1750 CE (History 206), Imperial Russia (History 319), The Soviet Union (History 320), Medieval and Muscovite Russia (History 326), Central Asia Under Russian Domination 1863-2008 (History 328), Russian Intellectual History (History 385), Women in Russia (History 487), Stalinism (History 487), Violence in Russia (History 487), Soviet Social History, 1917-1939 (History 487L), Russia in Revolution (History 487Q), Biography and Revolution (History 498R), Internship in History (History 494), Studies in European History (History 500), Seminar on the Comparative History of Labor, Industrialization, Technology and Society (History 537), History and Social Theory (History 581), Peasants in Russia (History 585), Russian Borderlands/Soviet Empire (History 585), Reading Course in East European History (History 597R), Reading Course in Russian/Soviet Public Health (History 597R), Introduction to College Teaching (History 786A).