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### ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

1996- Assistant (1996-2002) and Associate (2002- ) Professor of History,  
University of South Carolina  
1996-2007 Assistant (1996-2002) and Associate (2002-2007) Director,  
Institute for Southern Studies, University of South Carolina  
1995-1996 Lecturer on History, Harvard University

### EDUCATION

Ph.D. 1995 Harvard University, History of American Civilization  
J.D. 1984 Harvard Law School (*magna cum laude*)  
A.M. 1981 Harvard University  
A.B. 1981 Harvard University (*magna cum laude*)

### PUBLICATIONS

#### Book

*Dorothea Dix, New England Reformer* (Harvard University Press, 1998).

#### Edited Books

*American Eras: Civil War and Reconstruction, 1850-1877* (Gale Research, 1997).

*City of the Silent: The Charlestonians of Magnolia Cemetery*, by Ted Ashton  
Phillips, Jr. (forthcoming January 2010).

*Hope and Glory: Essays on the Legacy of the 54<sup>th</sup> Massachusetts Regiment*, with  
Martin H. Blatt and Donald Yacovone (University of Massachusetts Press, 2001;  
paperback ed. 2009).

*The Public Art of Civil War Commemoration: An Introduction with Documents*  
(Bedford/St. Martin's, 2004).

*Reconstructions: New Perspectives on the Postbellum United States* (Oxford University  
Press, 2006; paperback ed., 2008). A Choice Outstanding Academic Title

#### Articles and Chapters

"Civil War Remembrance as Reconstruction," in *Reconstructions: New Perspectives on  
the Postbellum United States*, ed. Thomas J. Brown (Oxford University Press, 2006),  
206-236.

- “The Confederate Retreat to Mars and Venus,” in *Battle Scars: New Essays on Gender and the Civil War*, ed. Catherine Clinton and Nina Silber (Oxford University Press, 2006), 189-213.
- “Franklin Pierce’s Land Grant Veto and the Kansas-Nebraska Session of Congress,” *Civil War History* 42 (June 1996): 95-115.
- “The Monumental Legacy of Calhoun,” in *Memory of the Civil War in American Culture*, ed. Alice Fahs and Joan Waugh (University of North Carolina Press, 2004), 130-156.
- “Reconstructing Boston: Civic Monuments of the Civil War,” in *Hope and Glory: Essays on the Legacy of the 54<sup>th</sup> Massachusetts Regiment*, ed. Martin H. Blatt, Thomas J. Brown, and Donald Yacovone (University of Massachusetts Press, 2001), 130-155.
- “*Thomas Sims’s Case After 150 Years: A Motion to Reconsider*,” *Massachusetts Legal History* 7 (2001): 95-117.

#### Reference Essays

- “Confederate Monuments,” in *The New Encyclopedia of Southern Culture*, vol. 4: *Myth, Manners, and Memory*, ed. Charles Reagan Wilson (University of North Carolina Press, 2006), 43-48
- “New England,” in *Encyclopedia of American Cultural and Intellectual History*, ed. Mary Kupiec Cayton and Peter W. Williams (Charles Scribner’s Sons, 2001), 2: 473-483.
- “War Memorials,” in *Encyclopedia of War and American Society*, ed. Peter Karsten (Sage Publications, 2005).

#### Book Reviews

*American Historical Review, Civil War History, Common-Place, Georgia Historical Quarterly, History News, History Teacher, Journal of American History, Journal of Interdisciplinary History, Journal of Southern History, Journal of the Early Republic, Law and Social Inquiry, Massachusetts Historical Review, New England Quarterly, The New Republic, Public Historian, Reviews in American History, South Carolina Historical Magazine, Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*

#### **FELLOWSHIPS**

National Endowment for the Humanities Faculty Fellowship, 2008-2009  
 Associate Professor Professional Development Award, University of South Carolina, 2007  
 Gilder Lehrman Fellowship, Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, 2006  
 Kate B. and Hall J. Peterson Fellowship, American Antiquarian Society, 2004  
 Research and Productive Scholarship Award, University of South Carolina, 2004  
 Ailsa Mellon Bruce Senior Visiting Fellowship, Center for Advanced Study in the Visual Arts, National Gallery of Art, 2003  
 Mellon Fellowship, Virginia Historical Society, 2003  
 College of Liberal Arts Scholarship Support, University of South Carolina, 2001  
 Mrs. Giles M. Whiting Fellowship, Harvard University, 1992-1993

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Organization of American Historians Distinguished Lecturer, 2004-

Organization of American Historians Avery Craven Award Committee, 2006-2007