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Consulting Editor, Organization of American Historians, *Magazine of History*, special issue: “The Cold War Revisited” 24 (October 2010).

Co-Editor, *Encyclopedia of the Cold War*, 2 volumes (London: Routledge, 2008), sections on ideas, concepts, and institutions; general introduction.

Content Consultant for student textbooks: *Totalitarianism: Exploring World Governments* (Edina, Minn.: ABDO Publishing, 2011); *Dictatorships: Exploring World Governments* (Edina, Minn.: ABDO Publishing, 2011).

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2006 Class of 1955 Distinguished Teaching Award from the University of Wisconsin.

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2003 Phi Alpha Theta Best First Book Award.

2001 John Addison Porter Prize for the best dissertation in the humanities, Yale University.

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“Franklin Roosevelt and the Making of the American Century,” lecture for One Day University, Chicago, 19 February 2017.

“Five Turning Points that Changed U.S. History,” lecture for One Day University, Washington D.C., 12 February 2017.

“President Obama’s Struggle to End the Cold War (again),” invited keynote lecture, scholarly conference on the presidency of Barack Obama, Texas State University, San Marcos, Texas, 2 February 2017.

“Three Turning Points that Changed U.S. History,” lecture for One Day University, Austin, Texas, 29 January 2017.

“Russia Versus the West: From Lenin to Putin,” invited lecture for the Tocqueville Forum on American Ideas and Institutions and the University of Houston Honors College, Houston, Texas, 27 January 2017.

“Foreign Policy Under President Trump: What Should We Expect?” Austin Council on Foreign Affairs, Austin, Texas, 26 January 2017.

“The Rise and Fall of Presidential Power: From FDR to Obama,” invited speaker, Houston Bar Association Luncheon, Houston, Texas, 24 January 2017.

“Ronald Reagan and the Transformation of Global Politics in the 1980s,” panel chair and commentator, “Global Issues,” Clements Center for National Security, University of Texas at Austin, 19 January 2017.

Austin Forum on Diplomacy and Statecraft, co-directed (with Robert Hutchings) a three-day intensive workshop on diplomacy, strategy, and future threats with twenty-one rising mid-career diplomats from the United States, Latin America, and Europe, Austin, Texas, 12-14 January 2017.

“Three Turning Points That Changed U.S. History,” lecture for One Day University, Los Angeles, California, 10 December 2016.

“Reflections on the 2016 Presidential Election,” Austin Women’s Club, Austin, Texas, 1 December 2016.

“Rise and Decline of the American Presidency,” lecture for One Day University, Kansas City, Kansas, 5 November 2016.

“The Impossible Presidency,” invited lecture, Town and Gown Forum, Austin, Texas, 20 October 2016.

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“The Strange Career of Nation-Building in the American Imagination,” presentation as part of a scholarly panel, Society of US Intellectual History annual conference, Stanford University, Stanford, Calif., 14 October 2016.

“The Past and Future of International Diplomacy,” presentation with Robert Hutchings, Texas Foreign Service Group, Austin, Texas, 11 October 2016.

“Pivotal Elections in American History,” presentation as part of a National Endowment for the Humanities “Public Square” grant, in cooperation with Humanities Texas and the University of Houston, Houston, Texas, 6 October 2016.

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“Abraham Lincoln and the Second American Revolution” and “Franklin Roosevelt and the American Century,” lectures for One Day University, Dallas, Texas, 1 October 2016.

“The Uses and Misuses of Historical Knowledge in Policy-Making,” invited presentation, Foreign Policy Initiative, Washington D.C., 29 September 2016.

“Five Turning Points That Changed U.S. History,” lecture for One Day University, New York City, 24 September 2016.

“Four Turning Points That Changed U.S. History,” lecture for One Day University, Burlington, Vermont, 18 September 2016.

“The Crisis Challenge: Leadership in the Twenty-First Century,” invited keynote lecture, “Crisis Incident Response Workshop,” Capital Area Council of Governments, Austin, Texas, 16 September 2016.

“What is Special in the Israeli-American ‘Special Relationship,’” invited keynote address, international conference on the history of Israeli-American relations, University of Sussex, Brighton, England, 12 September 2016.

“Fifteen Years Since 9/11: Leadership and America’s Future,” invited lecture at annual donor event, College of Liberal Arts, University of Texas at Austin, 9 September 2016.

“The Rise and Decline of the American Presidency,” invited lecture to season subscribers, Boston Symphony Orchestra, Tanglewood, Lenox, Massachusetts, 28 August 2016.

“The History of the Public University and its Enduring Role Today,” New Faculty Orientation, University of Texas at Austin, 16 August 2016.

“Rethinking the Lessons of World War II: Veterans, the New Left, and Human Rights Activists, 1940s-1970s,” chaired a scholarly panel and commented on three papers, annual meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, San Diego, California, 25 June 2016.

“Franklin Roosevelt and the Making of the American Century,” lecture for One Day University, Richmond, Virginia, 18 June 2016.

“The Rise and Decline of Presidential Power,” lecture for One Day University, Charlotte, North Carolina, 4 June 2016.

“The Energy Crisis and the Transformation of American Politics in the 1970s,” presentation as part of a scholarly roundtable discussion, Policy History Conference, Nashville, Tennessee, 3 June 2016.

“Reassessing Cold War Threats,” chaired and commented on a scholarly panel as part of an interdisciplinary conference, “Reassessing Threat Assessment,” Tobin Project, Washington D.C., 20 May 2016.

“Frontiers of the Mind: The Past and Future of Higher Education in America,” keynote address, annual conference of University of Texas System Planning and Construction Personnel, Austin, Texas, 19 May 2016.

“The Promise of the United Nations: Reflections on the First Seventy Years of Global Governance,” keynote address, Annual Model United Nations Conference, University of Texas at Austin, 18 May 2016.

“Uses and Abuses of History: The Power of the Past,” invited public lecture and scholarly panel presentation, Geneva Centre for Security Policy, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva, Switzerland, 11-12 May 2016.

“Theories of Diplomacy and the Dynamics of Crisis Management in Europe and Beyond,” invited lecture, German Institute, University of Amsterdam, Netherlands, 10 May 2016.

“Peace by Other Means: Diplomacy’s Potential for Solving International Crises in the 21st Century,” invited public lecture, University of Amsterdam, Netherlands, 9 May 2016.

“American Participation in the First World War: A Historical Debate,” Dionysium quarterly arts and intellectual festival, Austin, Texas, 4 May 2016.

“Strategic Thinking and Thinking Big,” lecture for One Day University Business School, New York City, 29 April 2016.

“The Rise and Fall of Presidential Power, From FDR to Obama,” lecture for One Day University, Sacramento, California, 24 April 2016.

“The Revolution of 1800,” introductory lecture for public workshop on “Pivotal U.S. Elections, Then and Now,” Humanities Texas, Austin, Texas, 19 April 2016.

“Understanding and Combatting ISIS,” keynote lecture, Texas International Law Journal 2016 Symposium, University of Texas School of Law, Austin, Texas, 15 April 2016.

“The Rise and Fall of Presidential Power, From FDR to Obama,” lecture for One Day University, Washington D.C., 10 April 2016.

“The Changing Nature of Presidential Power,” invited lecture, LAMP lecture series, Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, University of Texas at Austin, 8 April 2016.

“The History and Future of the Transatlantic Relationship,” invited conference presentation, annual Transatlantic Policy Dialogue, Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, Austin, Texas, 4 April 2016.

“Lost Paths to U.S.-Russian Cooperation after World War II,” invited keynote address, “Russia and the West” conference, Transatlantic Academy, Center for Russian, East European, and Eurasian Studies, Clements Center for National Security, Center for European Studies, University of Texas at Austin, 4 April 2016.

“The Limits of System and Structure: Reinserting the Individual in Global Histories,” invited presentation for international workshop on “The Historian and the World,” German Historical Institute, Washington D.C., 1 April 2016.

“The Islamic State and Terrorism in Historical Context,” radio presentation with Professors Stephennie Mulder and Yoav Di-Capua, KUT Public Radio, “Views and Brews” public forum, Austin, Texas, 29 March 2016. Podcast available at: <http://kutpodcasts.org/views-and-brews/vb-isis-in-context>.

“The Transatlantic Trade Investment Partnership as a Foreign Policy Tool,” commentary at scholarly and policy conference, Council on Foreign Relations, Maurice B. Greenberg Center for Geoeconomic Studies, Washington D.C., 28 March 2016.

“Franklin Roosevelt and the Making of the American Century,” invited lecture, One Day University, Boca Raton, Florida, 20 March 2016.

“The Legacies of the Second World War for our Contemporary World,” invited lecture, World Affairs Council of Hilton Head, Hilton Head, South Carolina, 18 March 2016.

“The Past and Future of Diplomacy,” public lecture, with Robert Hutchings, Aspen Institute, Aspen, Colorado, 10 March 2016.

“Reinventing Diplomacy for the 21st Century,” half-day workshop, co-led with Robert Hutchings, Aspen Institute, Aspen, Colorado, 10 March 2016.

“Entrepreneurship as a Way of Life,” keynote lecture, Longhorn Entrepreneurship Conference, University of Texas at Austin, 1 March 2016.

“The Reactive American Presidency and Its Perils,” invited scholarly presentation to the Bill Graham Centre for Contemporary International History, Munk School of Global Affairs, University of Toronto, 11 February 2016.

“What Does It Mean to be a Global Leader Today?” invited presentation to the Metropolitan Breakfast Club, Austin, Texas, 10 February 2016.

“The Great Society: From the 1960s to the Obama Era,” invited presentation to the inaugural conference for the Center for the Study of Race and Democracy, Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, University of Texas at Austin, 8 February 2016.

“The Future of Higher Education in Texas,” chaired a scholarly panel and participated in a conference summary panel, annual meeting of the Philosophical Society of Texas, “Preparing the Next Generation: From Infancy Through Professional Education,” Houston, Texas, 5-7 February 2016.

“ISIS and the History of the Middle East,” invited presentation as part of a scholarly panel on “ISIS: Who Are They, What Do They Want?,” sponsored by the Center for Middle East Studies, University of Texas at Austin, 28 January 2016.

Austin Forum on Diplomacy and Statecraft, co-directed (with Robert Hutchings) a three-day intensive workshop on diplomacy, strategy, and future threats with twenty-one rising mid-career diplomats from the United States, Latin America, and Europe, Austin, Texas, 14-16 January 2016.

“Détente and its Discontents: Politics and Diplomacy in the 1970s,” chaired and commented on a scholarly panel of original research papers, annual meeting of the American Historical Association, Atlanta, Georgia, 10 January 2016.

“Making Strategic Choices” and the “Art of Problem Solving,” presented lectures and led discussions in a day-long workshop at the Executive Leadership Academy, Health and Human Services Commission, State of Texas, Austin, Texas, 11 December 2015.

“Frontiers of the Mind: The Past and Future of Higher Education in the United States,” invited keynote lecture, annual meeting of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities (AASCU), Austin, Texas, 10 December 2015.

“Restoring Civility and Faith in Progress to American Society,” invited keynote lecture, annual dinner gala, Executive Women in Texas Government, Austin, Texas, 6 December 2015.

“The Evolution of Diplomacy and the Future of American Foreign Policy,” invited presentation, Dallas World Affairs Council, Dallas, Texas, 5 December 2015.

“The Past and Future of International Diplomacy: Historical Lessons,” invited presentation, Woodrow Wilson School, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey, 3 December 2015.

“The Art of Strategic Thinking,” invited presentation, Governor’s Executive Development Program, Austin, Texas, 2 December 2015.

“Liberal Internationalism since the Second World War,” invited presentation to a symposium on James Cronin’s book, *Global Rules: America, Britain, and a Disordered World*, Boston College, Boston, Mass., 18 November 2015.

“British Influences on the Rise of the Humanities in the United States,” invited presentation to a symposium on the fiftieth anniversary of the National Endowment for the Humanities, Harry Ransom Center, University of Texas at Austin, 16 November 2015.

“Franklin Roosevelt and the Making of the American Century,” lecture for One Day University, New York City, 15 November 2015.

“What Does It Mean to be a Global Leader Today?” presentation to the Business Honors Society, McCombs School of Business, University of Texas at Austin, 11 November 2015.

“The Rise and Fall of Presidential Power: From FDR to Obama,” lecture for One Day University, Austin, Texas, 8 November 2015.

“The Evolution of Diplomacy and the Future of American Foreign Policy,” invited lecture, Center for International Studies, Department of History, Texas State University, San Marcos, Texas, 5 November 2015. See video: <http://www.txstate.edu/history/news-events/speakers/jeremi-suri.html>

“ISIS and the Future of American Foreign Policy in the Middle East and Africa,” invited presentation to the Hamilton Society, University of Texas at Austin, 29 October 2015.

“The History of American Technical Aid to Eastern Europe,” presentation to the Texas Rangers in preparation for their Ukrainian assistance efforts, funded by the U.S. State Department, Austin, Texas, 29 October 2015.

“New Frontiers in Higher Education,” invited keynote lecture, annual southern regional conference, Society of College and University Planners, Fort Worth, Texas, 12 October 2015.

“The Rise and Decline of the American Presidency, From the Founders to the 2016 Election,” invited lecture for One Day University, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington, 10 October 2015.

- “Foreign Policy Breakthroughs: Rethinking International Diplomacy for a New Age,” presentation to scholars and practitioners, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington D.C., 7 October 2015.
- “The Future of American Strategy and Diplomacy: Historical Lessons,” invited presentation to the U.S. State Department Policy Planning Staff, Washington D.C., 7 October 2015.
- “Foreign Policy Breakthroughs: Cases in Successful Diplomacy,” invited book talk, Institute for Historical Studies, Department of History, University of Texas at Austin, 2 October 2015.
- “New Directions in Research on Diplomacy, Strategy, and Foreign Policy-Making,” presentation to the Ph.D. colloquium, Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, University of Texas at Austin, 1 October 2015.
- “Franklin Roosevelt as War Leader,” Scholarly Roundtable on the History of the Second World War, Institute for Historical Studies, Department of History, University of Texas at Austin, 30 September 2015.
- “The Rise and Decline of the American Presidency, From the Founders to the 2016 Election,” invited lecture for One Day University, Dallas, Texas, 19 September 2015.
- “What Does It Mean To Be a Global Leader?” invited lecture, Executive Women in Texas Government luncheon, Austin, Texas, 26 August 2015.
- “Foreign Policy Breakthroughs: The History and Future of American Diplomacy,” invited lunch presentation with Dr. Robert Hutchings, Austin Council on Foreign Affairs, Austin, Texas, 25 August 2015.
- “The History and Future of Public Universities,” presentation to the New Faculty Symposium, University of Texas at Austin, 21 August 2015.
- “Melvin Laird and the Transformation of American Society and National Security in the 1970s,” invited presentation in a scholarly roundtable sponsored by the U.S. Department of Defense, Washington D.C., 14 July 2015.
- “Counterinsurgency Legacies and American Empire,” chaired a scholarly panel and commented on scholarly paper presentations, Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations annual meeting, Washington D.C., 27 June 2015.
- “American Critics of U.S. Empire,” chaired a scholarly panel and commented on scholarly paper presentations, Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations annual meeting, Washington D.C., 27 June 2015.
- “The Enduring Value of a Four Year College Degree,” invited presentation and participation in a public debate, Voice and Exit Ideas Festival, Austin, Texas, 20 June 2015.
- “Strategic Thinking and Thinking Big” and “Pattern Recognition: Using the Past to Anticipate the Future,” two invited lectures for One Day University Executive Education, Dallas, Texas, 13 June 2015.
- “Recent Revolutions in Historical Perspective: 1968, 1989, and 2011,” keynote address for the Southern Oregon Arts and Research Week, Southern Oregon University, Ashland, Oregon, 12 May 2015.
- “The Rise and Fall of Presidential Power from FDR to Obama,” invited lecture for One Day University, The Academy of Natural Sciences, Drexel University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 3 May 2015.

- “Challenges of Presidential Leadership,” invited lecture for the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, UT Quest lecture series, University of Texas at Austin, 28 April 2015.
- “The Rise and Fall of Presidential Power from FDR to Obama,” invited lecture for One Day University, Minneapolis, Minnesota, 26 April 2015.
- “The Humanities and the Future of American Society,” Honors Day Keynote Address, University of Texas Honors Convocation, Austin, Texas, 18 April 2015.
- “National Histories are Moribund: Finding New Borders in Cold War History,” chaired and commented on scholarly papers presented as part of an Organization of American Historians annual meeting, St. Louis, Missouri, 17 April 2015.
- “The Rise and Fall of Presidential Power” and “The Global Disruption of 1968 and the Origins of Détente,” invited lectures at Amherst College, Amherst, Massachusetts, 13 April 2015.
- “The Rise and Fall of Presidential Power from FDR to Obama,” invited lecture for One Day University, New York University, New York, 12 April 2015.
- “Presidential Strategy Development and Decision-Making,” invited presentation to the Aspen Business Leaders Group, Austin, Texas, 10 April 2015.
- “U.S. Cold War Aid Policies in the Philippines and South Vietnam, 1950-1975,” invited presentation for an international conference on “Economic Aid, Developmentalism, and the Transformation of the International Order in Asia during the 1960s and 1970s,” Meiji University, Tokyo, Japan, 28-29 March 2015.
- “History, Empire, and Peace: Reflections on the Scholarly Legacies of Geir Lundestad on the Occasion of his Retirement,” invited presentation for a scholarly symposium in honor of Professor Geir Lundestad, Director of the Norwegian Nobel Institute, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington D.C., 13 February 2015.
- “Lessons from the Cold War for the Current Crisis in Ukraine,” invited presentation to the Policy Planning Staff, U.S. Department of State, Washington D.C., 13 February 2015.
- “The Promise of the United Nations: Reflections on the First Seventy Years of Global Governance,” keynote lecture for the Model United Nations Conference, Institute for Historical Studies, Department of History, University of Texas at Austin, 4 March 2015.
- “Evolving Visions of Transatlantic Security,” invited presentation to a conference on “Seeking Security: The Emerging Coherence of Europe’s Foreign and Security Policy Architecture,” co-sponsored by the Center for European Studies and the Robert S. Strauss Center for International Security and Law, Austin, Texas, 23 February 2015.
- “The Living Legacies of the Greatest Generation,” invited lecture to the Sun City Democrats monthly meeting, Georgetown, Texas, 21 February 2015.
- “The Judeo-Christian Tradition and U.S. Foreign Policy since the Second World War,” presentation to a conference on “Religion and Foreign Policy in the United States and Europe,” co-sponsored by the German Marshall Fund, the Transatlantic Council, the Center for Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies, and the Clements Center for History, Strategy, and Statecraft, Austin, Texas, 12 February 2015.

“The International History of the Cold War and Its Legacies,” presentation to the history faculty research seminar, New York University Abu Dhabi, 2 February 2015.

“The Rise and Decline of the American Presidency,” invited public lecture, New York University Abu Dhabi Institute, Abu Dhabi, 1 February 2015.

Austin Forum on Diplomacy and Statecraft, co-directed (with Robert Hutchings) a three-day intensive workshop on diplomacy, strategy, and future threats with sixteen rising mid-career diplomats from the United States and Europe, Austin, Texas, 15-17 January 2015.

“Frontiers of the Mind: The Past and Future of Higher Education in America,” invited lecture to the National Vice Presidents Group, Association of American Universities, Austin, Texas, 9 January 2015.

“Barack Obama and Vladimir Putin: From Reset to Renewed Rivalry,” guest lecture for REE 301 survey course, “Introduction to Russia, Eastern Europe, and Central Asia,” University of Texas at Austin, 2 December 2014.

“Exporting America: The Hazards of Nation-Building,” invited lecture for One-Day University, Tampa, Florida, 23 November 2014.

“The Role of the Humanities in Contemporary Society,” hosted televised discussion with Julius Glickman and Gordon Appleman, KLRU Public Television, Austin, Texas, 18 November 2014.

“The Arab Spring in Historical Context,” opening remarks for a conference on “The Arab Spring: Pathways of Repression and Reform,” Robert S. Strauss Center for International Security and Law, University of Texas at Austin, 17 November 2014.

“The Future of Security and War in North America,” invited presentation for a conference on “Navigating the Strategic Dark: Framing the Security Environment for the Next Decade,” Institute for 21st Century Questions, University of Toronto, Canada, 15 November 2014.

“Legacies of the Greatest Generation,” keynote lecture for the George L. Ruder Forum, annual dinner for the Community Foundation of North Central Wisconsin, Wausau, Wisconsin, 13 November 2014.

“25th Anniversary of the Fall of the Berlin Wall,” presented and participated in a day-long symposium, Council on Foreign Relations, New York City, 4 November 2014. Video available: <http://www.cfr.org/wars-and-warfare/session-two-conduct-cold-war/p33714>.

“Transformational Leadership,” invited morning-long presentation to statewide public officials, Governor’s Executive Development Program, Galveston, Texas, 3 November 2014.

“The Future of Research and Teaching at a World Class University,” presentation to the Board of Advisers, College of Undergraduate Studies, University of Texas at Austin, 24 October 2014.

“Nation-Building, History, and Maps,” invited keynote presentation, Texas Global Information Systems Forum, Austin, Texas, 22 October 2014.

“Leadership and Strategy,” presentation to the Dean’s Council of Department Chairs, College of Natural Sciences, University of Texas at Austin, 13 October 2014.

“The Rise and Decline of Presidential Power,” presentation to the graduate research colloquium, Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, University of Texas at Austin, 9 October 2014.

“The Future of Leadership and the Role of University Education,” presentation to Forty Acres Scholarship Students, University of Texas, Austin, 1 October 2014.

“Leadership, Strategy, and the University,” invited presentation to the University of Texas Development Staff, Austin, Texas, 26 September 2014.

Commentary on public discussion of President Richard Nixon and the newly transcribed *Nixon Tapes*, with Professors Douglas Brinkley, Luke Nichter, William Inboden, and Mark Lawrence, Institute for Historical Studies, University of Texas, Austin, 24 September 2014.

“Exporting America: The Hazards of Nation-Building,” invited public lecture, sponsored by One Day University, Boston, Massachusetts, 21 September 2014.

“Becoming a Strategic Change Agent,” invited presentation for the University of Texas Employee Engagement Series, Austin, Texas, 16 September 2014.

“Nation-Building Lessons for Contemporary Military Strategy,” invited presentation to the Chief of Staff of the U.S. Army, Strategic Studies Group, Washington D.C., 12 September 2014.

“The Rise and Fall of Presidential Power, From FDR to Obama,” public lecture, University of Melbourne, Australia, 29 August 2014.

“Masterclass on Leadership, History, and International Affairs,” presentation to faculty and students, University of Melbourne, Australia, 28 August 2014.

“Historical Thinking for Strategic Leadership,” led a day-long leadership development workshop for high-level public employees from South Australia and Texas, Adelaide, Australia, 26 August 2014.

“History, Leadership, and the Modern Executive,” presentation and led discussion with scholars and government officials, Leadership Laboratory, University of Adelaide Business School, Adelaide, Australia, 25 August 2014.

“Frontiers of the Mind: The Past and Future of Higher Education in America,” invited keynote address, annual meeting of the Association for Physical Plant Administrators (APPA), San Diego, California, 21 July 2014.

“The Civil Rights Act of 1964 in Global Perspective,” invited presentation, State Bar of Texas Annual Meeting, Austin, Texas, 27 June 2014.

“American Responses to Global Revolution in the 1960s,” presentation on a panel, “America’s Response to Foreign Revolutions,” Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, Lexington, Kentucky, 20 June 2014.

“The American Nation-Building Creed,” presentation on a panel, “What’s in a Name: Empire, Umpire, or Nation-Builder,” Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, Lexington, Kentucky, 19 June 2014.

“The Greatest Generation: History, Memory, and Contemporary Legacies,” opening lecture for museum exhibition: “Our Lives, Our Stories: America’s Greatest Generation,” Bell County Museum, Belton, Texas, 14 June 2014.

“The Strange Career of Nation-Building as a Concept in U.S. Foreign Policy,” keynote address for a conference on “Intellectual Histories of American Foreign Policy,” Queen Mary University of London, England, 5 June 2014.

“Historical Perspective on the Contemporary Crisis in Ukraine,” presentation for Women Vote, civic organization for women in Austin, Texas, 12 May 2014.

“What Would the Founding Fathers Say About America Today?” lecture for “UT in a Day” symposium, Midland, Texas, 2 May 2014.

“Leadership as Imagination,” keynote lecture to the McCombs Leadership Program, Senior Graduation Banquet, McCombs School of Business, Austin, Texas, 22 April 2014.

“President Obama’s Reactive Foreign Policies: Explaining the Departure from Liberal Expectations,” invited presentation to a conference, “Barack Obama and American Democracy,” sponsored by the Center for the Study of Race and Democracy, Tufts University, Medford, Massachusetts, 18 April 2014.

“Making Strategic Choices” and the “Art of Problem Solving,” presented lectures and led discussions in a day-long workshop at the Executive Leadership Academy, Health and Human Services Commission, State of Texas, Austin, Texas, 7 April 2014.

“The National Security Agency in Historical and Diplomatic Perspective,” moderated a panel discussion as part of the conference: “The National Security Agency at the Crossroads,” co-sponsored by the Robert S. Strauss Center for International Security and Law and the Clements Center for History, Strategy, and Statecraft, University of Texas at Austin, 3 April 2014.

“Nation-Building: From George Washington to Barack Obama,” invited public lecture, sponsored by One Day University, Phoenix, Arizona, 29 March 2014.

“Leadership in Big and Small Organizations: Historical Lessons,” invited lecture to the Division of Housing and Food Service Leadership Institute, University of Texas, Austin, 18 March 2014.

“State Finance and National Power: Historical Lessons for Contemporary Policy Leadership,” invited presentation to the Security Studies Colloquium, Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey, 6 March 2014.

“Transforming Leadership: Becoming a Change Agent in a Complex and Uncertain World,” invited lecture as part of the Texas Enterprise Speakers Series, McCombs School of Business, University of Texas at Austin, 27 February 2014. See:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iEFFQS0qYtM&list=UUbvAO15Wq4XVpC7MUrLF2Gw&feature=share>

“The Promise of the United Nations: Reflections on the First Sixty Years of Global Governance,” keynote address to a Model United Nations Conference, Institute for Historical Studies, University of Texas at Austin, 26 February 2014.

“A Depressed and Self-Destructive President: Richard Nixon in the White House,” invited presentation for a scholarly conference, “When Life Strikes the White House: Death, Scandal, Illness, and the Responsibilities of a President,” Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas, 19 February 2014.

“Nation-Building: From George Washington to Barack Obama,” invited public lecture, sponsored by One Day University, New York City, 8 February 2014.

“State Finance and National Power: Great Britain, China, and the United States in Historical Perspective,” presented scholarly paper and participated in panel discussion on “Sustainable National Security Strategy,” co-sponsored by the Bridging the Gap Project, the Stimson Center, the American University School of International Service, and the Tobin Project, Washington D.C., 31 January 2014.

“Financial Power and Foreign Policy,” presented paper and participated in discussion with members of the Policy Planning Staff, U.S. Department of State, Washington D.C., 30 January 2014.

“State Finance and National Power: Great Britain, China, and the United States in Historical Perspective,” presented scholarly paper and participated in panel discussion on “Sustainable National Security Strategy,” co-sponsored by the Brookings Institution and the Tobin Project, Washington D.C., 30 January 2014.

“Nuclear Arms Control and Climate Change Negotiations: Shared Lessons and Possibilities,” co-organized a two-day conference with international scholarly experts, sponsored by the University of Texas Law School, Department of History, Robert S. Strauss Center for International Security and Law, and the Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, Austin, Texas, 16-17 January 2014.

“No Easy Answers: Leading Through Change and Challenge,” participated in a panel discussion and audience question-and-answer session, Leadership Austin Community Engage Breakfast, Austin, Texas, 8 January 2014.

“New Historical Insights about the U.S. Opening to China,” presented research and chaired a scholarly panel: “Historians, Journalists, Documentary Editors, and the Challenges of Getting it Right: Nixon and China,” annual meeting of the American Historical Association, Washington D.C., 3 January 2014.

“Social Unrest in the Middle East and Future Directions for American Policy,” invited lecture to the Board of Directors of Humanities Texas, Austin, Texas, 22 November 2013.

“Global Reactions to President Kennedy’s Assassination,” presentation for a panel discussion: “A Nation Traumatized: The Assassination of John F. Kennedy and its Aftermath,” sponsored by the Institute for Historical Studies, University of Texas, Austin, 18 November 2013.

“Forty Years Since Watergate: How the Politics of the Early 1970s Continue to Shape our Society,” Alfred E. Golz Endowed Memorial Lecture, Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Maine, 14 November 2013.

“U.S. Views of Europe after 2008,” presentation on panel: “American Views of Europe and Lessons for America,” at an international conference: “Can the Eurozone be Saved?,” Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, University of Texas, Austin, 5 November 2013.

“The Past and Future of American Leadership, At Home and Abroad,” invited presentation to the Lakeway Rotary Club, Lakeway, Texas, 24 October 2013.

“The Yom Kippur War in History,” opening remarks at an international conference on “The Yom Kippur War: 40 Years Later,” University of Texas, Austin, 21 October 2013.

“Looking Back to Think Forward: History and Strategy,” invited lecture in “Transformational Leadership Lecture Series,” University of Adelaide Business School, Adelaide, Australia, 4 October 2013.

“Historical Thinking for Strategic Leadership,” led a day-long leadership development workshop for high-level public employees from South Australia and Texas, Adelaide, Australia, 3 October 2013.

“The Fragmented Presidency: The Evolution of the Most Powerful Office in the United States from FDR to Obama,” invited presentation at the United States Studies Centre, University of Sydney, Sydney, Australia, 30 September 2013.

“American Diplomacy and Nation-Building in the Early Republic,” invited presentation to advanced undergraduates, Department of History, Texas State University, San Marcos, Texas, 12 September 2013.

“Nation-Building Lessons for Contemporary Military Strategy,” invited presentation to the Chief of Staff of the U.S. Army, Strategic Studies Group, Washington D.C., 29 August 2013.

“Arms Control and Climate Negotiations: Historical Comparisons and Lessons for Contemporary Diplomacy,” presentation to a joint group of Japanese and American students enrolled in a course on “Preparing Professionals for Climate Negotiations,” Graduate School for International Development and Cooperation, Hiroshima University, Hiroshima, Japan, 7 August 2013.

“The Fragmented Presidency: The Evolution of the Most Powerful Office in the World, From Franklin Roosevelt to Barack Obama,” invited lecture to faculty at Hiroshima City University and the Hiroshima Peace Institute, Hiroshima, Japan, 25 July 2013.

“Contemporary American Nation-Building and Development Activities in Asia since the Cold War,” invited presentation to the Asian Studies Seminar at the Graduate School for International Development and Cooperation, Hiroshima University, Hiroshima, Japan, 22 July 2013.

“New Scholarship on the International History of the Cold War,” invited presentation and comments at a research symposium on the Cold War, Kyoto University, Kyoto, Japan, 18 July 2013.

“The History of U.S. Nation-Building Overseas,” invited lecture to faculty and students, Kyoto University of Foreign Studies, Kyoto, Japan, 17 July 2013.

“The History of American International Nation-Building and Development Activities: Legacies from Two Centuries of History for Current Policies,” invited presentation to the Asian Studies Seminar at the Graduate School for International Development and Cooperation, Hiroshima University, Hiroshima, Japan, 12 July 2013.

“Diffuse Threats and Resource Constraints: U.S. Strategy Dilemmas,” presentation to a special meeting of NATO parliamentarians, Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, Austin, Texas, 24 June 2013.

“The Past and Future of American Global Leadership,” University of Texas Alumni College, Austin, Texas, 20 June 2013.

“A Framework for Leadership and Strategy in Complex Organizations,” invited presentation to the Big 12 Annual Human Resources Conference, University of Texas at Austin, 10 June 2013.

“Henry Kissinger, the Study of History, and the Modern Statesman,” presented a scholarly paper and co-organized a conference on “History and Policy,” co-sponsored by the Sanford School of Public Policy at Duke University, the Clements Center for History, Strategy, and Statecraft, and the Robert Strauss Center for International Security and Law, Durham, North Carolina, 16-17 May 2013.

“What Would the Founding Fathers Say About American Society Today?” invited lecture, One Day University, co-sponsored by the Dallas Morning News, Dallas, Texas, 11 May 2013.

“From Isolation to Engagement: American Diplomacy and the Opening to China, 1969-1972,” presented a scholarly paper and co-organized an international conference on “Reinventing Diplomacy,” co-sponsored by the Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, the Institute for Historical Studies, the Department of History, and the Center for European Studies, University of Texas at Austin, 10-11 May 2013.

“State Finance and National Power: Great Britain, China, and the United States in Historical Perspective,” presented a scholarly paper and co-organized a scholarly workshop on “Sustainable Security,” co-sponsored by the Tobin Project and the Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, Austin, Texas, 3-4 May 2013.

“Cultivating Future Leaders, Improving Our Society,” invited keynote lecture to the Phi Beta Kappa Alumni Society Annual Meeting, Austin, Texas, 5 May 2013.

“The Humanities and the Future of American Society,” lecture to University of Texas alumni, sponsored by the Dean’s office, University of Texas at Austin College of Liberal Arts, Midland, Texas, 1 May 2013.

“Historical Consciousness, Realism, and Public Intellectuals in American Society,” invited presentation at a conference on “Public Intellectualism in Comparative Context: Different Countries, Different Disciplines,” Notre Dame Institute for Advanced Study, University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana, 24 April 2013.

Chaired and commented on a panel of four scholarly papers on “Orphans of Empire: Chinese Refugees” as part of a conference on “Trans-Pacific China in the Cold War,” sponsored by the Institute for Historical Studies, University of Texas at Austin, 18 April 2013.

“Frontiers of the Mind: Universities and American National Strength since the Nineteenth Century,” invited presentation in the University of Texas at Austin NOVA lecture series, sponsored by the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, Austin, Texas, 10 April 2013.

“The Historiography on Human Rights and its Meanings for Contemporary Activism,” presentation to the White Rose Society, University of Texas at Austin, 9 April 2013.

“The Past and Future of American Leadership,” presentation to University of Texas alumni, New York, 4 April 2013.

“The Impact of Immigration Restrictions on University Scholarship and Innovation,” invited presentation to the Global Innovation Forum, sponsored by the National Foreign Trade Council, the Austin Chamber of Commerce, and the Partnership for a New American Economy, Austin, Texas, 3 April 2013.

“What’s Next for the Middle East?” presentation to the South Austin Rotary Club, Austin, Texas, 20 March 2013.

“Why the Korean War was the Most Important and Enduring Cold War Conflict: Contemporary Lessons,” invited lecture, Institute for Korean Studies, Mershon Center for International Security Studies,

Ohio State University, 8 March 2013.

“Political Economy, Institutions, and other New Directions in International History,” invited presentation to the Diplomatic History Research Seminar, Mershon Center for International Security Studies, Ohio State University, 7 March 2013.

“China and the United States since 1860,” invited presentation to students, Otterbein College, Columbus, Ohio, 7 March 2013.

“Leadership Thinking,” presentation to Texas state and private sector leaders and managers, Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, Austin, Texas, 5 March 2013.

“The Past and Future of American Leadership,” keynote address, Texas Independence Day Celebration, Texas Exes Fort Worth Chapter, Fort Worth, Texas, 1 March 2013.

“Arms Control and Climate Diplomacy: Historical Lessons and Contemporary Intersections,” organized a day-long workshop, co-sponsored by the Institute for Historical Studies and the Law School, University of Texas, Austin, 22 February 2013.

“Lessons from a Fallen Empire: Foreign Policy from the late Twentieth Century to Today,” Lakeway Men’s Breakfast Club, Austin, Texas, 20 February 2013.

“Strategic Decision-Making Under Uncertainty,” presented and led a half-day workshop with University of Texas employees, Austin, Texas, 10 January 2013.

University of Texas History Department Service:

Executive Committee, 2016-18.

Chair, Post-Tenure Review Committee, 2016-17.

Teaching Assessment Committee, 2016-17.

Third-Year Review Committee for Assistant Professor Lina Del Castillo, 2016-17.

Comprehensive Faculty Review Committee, 2015-16.

Social Media Committee, 2015-16.

Guest Lecture Committee, 2014-16.

Executive Committee, 2012-14.

Chair, Full Professor Promotion Committee for Associate Professor Mark Metzler, 2013.

Chair, Tenure Review Committee for Assistant Professor John Mckiernan-Gonzalez, 2012.

Nomination Committee for a New History Department Chair, 2013-14.

Steering Committee, Institute for Historical Studies, 2011-13.

Co-leader of “Rethinking Diplomacy” cross-campus initiative, 2011-13.

Graduate Student Prize Committee for Best Paper in U.S. History, 2012.

Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs Service:

Faculty Director, Executive Master in Public Leadership (EMPL) Program, 2013-17.

Peer Observation of Teaching Committee, 2016-17.

Emerging Model Working Group, 2016-17.

Co-Chair/Organizer, Austin Forum on Diplomacy and Statecraft, 2015-17.

Member, Faculty Strategic Hiring Committee, 2015-16.

Member, Comprehensive Faculty Review Committee, 2015-16.

Chair, Search Committee in International Trade and the Davila Endowed Chair, 2014-15.

Member, Search Committee for a Senior Faculty Hire in Civil Rights and Race Policy, 2015.
 Co-Director (with Robert Hutchings) of Austin Forum on Diplomacy and Statecraft, 2014-16.
 Member, Faculty Research Award Selection Committee, 2013-15.
 Chair, Full Professor Promotion Committee for Eugene Gholz, 2014.
 Member, Faculty Merit Review Committee, 2013-14.
 Member, Comprehensive Post-Tenure Faculty Review Committee, 2013-14.
 Chair, Tenure Review Committee for Assistant Professor Joshua Busby, 2011-12.
 Member, Tenure Review Committee for Assistant Professor William Inboden, 2012.
 Chair, Executive Masters in Public Affairs Committee, 2012-13.
 Bridging Disciplines Program Committee for the Undergraduate Certificate in Public Policy, 2013.
 Executive Education Committee, 2012-13.
 Admissions Committee, 2011-12.
 Ad Hoc Committee on Faculty Accountability, 2012.
 Chair, Graduate Studies Committee, Masters in Global Policy Studies Program, 2012-13.
 Global Policy Studies Program Review Committee, 2011-12.
 Undergraduate Program Committee, 2011-12.

University of Texas, University-Wide Service:

Member, President's Executive Compliance Committee, 2014-17.
 Participant, Eyes on Teaching Program, Provost's Teaching Fellows, 2017.
 Chair, Provost's University-Wide Faculty Working Group on the Future of Undergraduate Education, 2014-16.
 Research and Educational Technology Committee, 2013-15.
 Hiring Committee for University Communications, Media Relations Manager, Op-Ed Specialist, 2013.

External Professional Committees:

Co-Chair, Tobin Project Planning Committee for National Security Research and Policy, 2010-17.
 Historical Advisor, National World War II Museum, New Orleans, Louisiana, 2016.
 Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, Advisory Board, 2015-16.
 Historical Advisor, WGBH Public Television, Educational Materials on the Cold War, 2015-16.
 Historical Advisor for Online Learning Video Lessons on "Shaping the Postwar World" and
 "1968: A Time of Change," 2016. See: <http://www.pbslearningmedia.org/credits/clw-soc-ush-postwar>.
 D. B. Hardeman Prize Committee for the Best Book on the U.S. Congress, LBJ Foundation, 2013-16.
 Henry Ransom Center, World War I Exhibition Advisory Committee, 2012-13.
 New York Historical Society, Fellowship Selection Committee, 2012.
 Wisconsin Veterans Museum, Search Committee for a New Museum Director, 2010.
 Local Arrangements Chair, Annual Meeting of the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations,
 Madison, Wisconsin, 2010.
 National Endowment for the Humanities, Fellowship Evaluation Committee, 2007.
 Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, Governing Council, 2007-09.
 Membership Subcommittee, 2007-09.
 Organization of American Historians, Committee on Research and Access to Historical
 Documentation, 2006-10.
 American Historical Association, George Louis Beer Prize Committee, 2005-07.

Professional Outreach Activities (since 2013):

"The History of American Foreign Policy since 1898," directed a week-long summer institute for nationwide teachers, sponsored by the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, Humanities Texas, the Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, and the Institute for Historical Studies at the University of Texas, Austin, 19-25 June 2016.

“The Origins of the Cold War,” lectured and led discussion with fifty history teachers from the state of Texas, as part of a teacher workshop on “Postwar America, 1945-1960,” sponsored by Humanities Texas, the Lyndon B. Johnson Presidential Library, and the College of Liberal Arts at the University of Texas, Austin, 14 June 2016.

“The Great Iranian Revolution and its Unfinished Legacies,” invited presentation at professional development workshop for high school teachers, Liberal Arts and Science Academy, Austin, Texas, 18 August 2015.

Led a day-long leadership workshop for K-12 teachers, school administrators, and school board members, Montgomery Academy, Montgomery, Alabama, 13 August 2015.

“The History of American Foreign Policy since 1898,” directed a week-long summer institute for nationwide teachers, sponsored by the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, Humanities Texas, the Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, and the Institute for Historical Studies at the University of Texas, Austin, 21-27 June 2015.

“Nixon-Kissinger Diplomacy,” lectured and led discussion with fifty-five history teachers from the state of Texas, as part of a teacher workshop on “American Presidents and the Nation, 1970-2000,” sponsored by Humanities Texas, the Lyndon B. Johnson Presidential Library, and the College of Liberal Arts at the University of Texas, Austin, 8 June 2015.

“The Global Cold War,” organized and led online course for international teachers on the history of the Cold War, including six original filmed online lectures, sponsored by the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, January-April 2015. See: <http://www.gilderlehrman.org/programs-exhibitions/global-cold-war>

“American Foreign Policy since September 11, 2001,” lectured and led discussions with teachers from New Jersey, as part of a Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History workshop, Newark, New Jersey, 13 January 2015.

“Strategic Leadership,” led day-long workshop for emerging government leaders, Health and Human Services Commission for the State of Texas, Austin, Texas, 8 September 2014.

“American Foreign Policy since 1898,” led day-long professional development workshop for social studies teachers, Pasadena, Texas, 14 August 2014.

“The History of American Foreign Policy since 1898,” directed a week-long summer institute for nationwide teachers, sponsored by the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, Humanities Texas, the Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, and the Institute for Historical Studies at the University of Texas, Austin, 22-28 June 2014.

“The Vietnam War and American Society,” lectured and led discussions with teachers from Texas, as part of a Humanities Texas teacher institute on “America in the 1960s,” University of Houston, Texas, 13 June 2014.

“The Vietnam War and American Society,” lectured and led discussions with teachers from Texas, as part of a Humanities Texas teacher institute on “America in the 1960s,” Lyndon B. Johnson Presidential Library, Austin, Texas, 12 June 2014.

“A Long Century of War: History and Legacies,” keynote lecture, Hemispheres Summer Teachers’ Institute, University of Texas at Austin, 10 June 2014.

“The United States and the Modern Middle East” and “American Foreign Policy since September 11, 2001,” lectured and led discussions with teachers from Oklahoma, as part of a Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History workshop, Tulsa, Oklahoma, 3 May 2014.

“How can Americans Make a Positive Difference in the Middle East,” keynote lecture at a workshop on “Global Professional Training for the Middle East,” sponsored by the Department of Middle Eastern Studies at the University of Texas at Austin, 5 April 2014.

“September 11, 2001 and the War on Terror,” lectured and led discussions with teachers from Milwaukee, Wisconsin, as part of a Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History workshop, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 11 February 2014.

“American Foreign Policy from the Civil War to the Cold War,” lectured and led discussions with teachers from Oklahoma, as part of a Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History workshop, Tulsa, Oklahoma, 25 January 2014.

“Understanding American Foreign Policy with Iran and Other Countries,” presentation and discussion with students and faculty at Lyndon B. Johnson High School, Austin, Texas, 16 December 2013.

“How Does the Study of History Help Explain the Mess in Washington,” invited lecture for the Texas Exes Alumni San Angelo Chapter, San Angelo, Texas, 7 November 2013.

“Leadership Thinking,” led half-day workshop for Texas state agency executives as part of the Governor’s Executive Development Program, Galveston, Texas, 4 November 2013.

“Historical Perspectives on the Crisis in Syria,” presentation at a public forum on “Syria: Path to Peace and Security,” sponsored by the Conflict and Peace Studies Program, Austin Community College, 20 September 2013.

“The History of American Foreign Policy since 1898,” directed a week-long summer institute for nationwide teachers, sponsored by the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, the Lyndon B. Johnson Presidential Library, Humanities Texas, the Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, and the Institute for Historical Studies at the University of Texas, Austin, 23-29 June 2013. See: <https://storify.com/TheLBJSchool/2013-gilder-lehrman-institute-seminar>.

“The Vietnam War and the Media,” lectured and led discussions with teachers from Texas, as part of a Humanities Texas teacher institute on “America at War,” University of Texas at San Antonio, 21 June 2013.

“The Origins of the Cold War,” lectured and led discussions with teachers from South Carolina, as part of a Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History workshop, Washington D.C., 18 June 2013.

“Strategic Leadership in Times of Uncertainty,” led two day-long workshops for University of Texas Police Command Staff and First-Line Responders, Austin, Texas, 12 and 19 June 2013.

“The Cold War,” lectured and led discussions with teachers from New York City, as part of a Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History workshop, co-sponsored by the Intrepid Sea, Air, and Space Museum, New York, 6 June 2013.

“Leadership Thinking,” led a day-long workshop for twenty-six high-ranking State of Texas agency employees, sponsored by the Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs, Governor’s Center for Management Development, 9 May 2013.

“The History of the Cold War,” lectured and led discussions with teachers from the Catholic School Archdiocese of Newark, as part of a Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History workshop, Newark, New Jersey, 8 May 2013.

“U.S. Foreign Diplomacy and the End of the Cold War,” lectured and led discussions with teachers from the Edmonds School District in Washington State, as part of a co-sponsored U.S. Department of Education Teaching American History and Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History workshop, Lynnwood, Washington, 29 April 2013.

“How Great Leaders Can Guide a Nation through Adversity,” invited lecture to the University of Texas Quest Program, Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, Austin, Texas, 26 March 2013.

“The Promise of the United Nations: Reflections on Global Governance since 1945,” presentation to high school students attending a Model U.N. conference, sponsored by the Institute for Historical Studies, University of Texas, Austin, 6 March 2013.

“Restoring American Greatness: A New Generation of Leaders,” delivered keynote address and led two workshop discussions for the 2013 Southern Division Leadership Conference, Delta Tau Delta Fraternity, Orlando, Florida, 23 February 2013.

“The U.S. Role in Global Democratization,” presented and led a breakout group for the 2013 Leadership Institute Annual Conference, Dean of Students Office, Texas State University, San Marcos, Texas, 16 February 2013.

“Developing the Character for Contemporary Leadership,” delivered keynote address and led two workshop discussions for the 2013 Northern Division Leadership Conference, Delta Tau Delta Fraternity, Columbus, Ohio, 9 February 2013.

“The Future Leadership of the United States: What will it look like? Who should lead?” delivered keynote address and led two workshop discussions for the 2013 Western Plains Division Leadership Conference, Delta Tau Delta Fraternity, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, 1 February 2013.

“The Cold War,” lectured and led discussions with teachers from the Deer Valley Unified School District as part of a co-sponsored U.S. Department of Education Teaching American History and Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History workshop, Phoenix, Arizona, 25-26 January 2013.

Frequent lectures to student groups, high schools, museums, and bookstores, 2001 to 2017.

Frequent appearances on public radio and television, 2001 to 2017.

Manuscript Reviewer for the Following Publishers/Journals:

Blackwell Publishers.

Cambridge University Press.

Columbia University Press.

Harvard University Press.

German Historical Institute.

Houghton Mifflin.

Longman Publishers.
 Oxford University Press.
 Potomac Books.
 Princeton University Press.
 Reaktion Books.
 Red Line Editorial.
 Routledge Press.
 Stanford University Press.
 University of Chicago Press.
 University of Massachusetts Press.
 University of North Carolina Press.
 University of Wisconsin Press.
 Wiley Publishers.
 Wisconsin Historical Society Press.
 Yale University Press.
American Historical Review.
American Jewish History.
Cold War History.
Diplomatic History.
International Security.
Journal of American History.
Journal of Cold War Studies.
Journal of Contemporary History.
Journal of Transatlantic Studies.
Journal of Strategic Studies.
Millennium: Journal of International Studies.
Security Studies.
Studies in American Political Development.

External Assessor for the Following Organizations:

Israel Science Foundation.
 National Endowment for the Humanities.
 Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada.
 Swiss National Science Foundation.

External Reviewer of Tenure Candidates for:

American University of Kuwait.
 Bar-Ilian University, Israel.
 Binghamton University.
 Boston College.
 Brandeis University.
 Brigham Young University.
 Bucknell University.
 City College of New York.
 Colgate University.
 Dartmouth College.
 Drew University.
 Harvard University.
 Hoover Institution.
 John F. Kennedy School of Government.

Johns Hopkins University.
 Marquette University.
 New Mexico State University.
 New School.
 New York University.
 Northwestern University.
 Ohio State University.
 Princeton University.
 Queen's University, Canada.
 Southern Methodist University.
 Stanford University.
 Tufts University.
 University of California, Berkeley.
 University of California, San Diego.
 University of California, Santa Barbara.
 University of Cincinnati.
 University of Connecticut.
 University of Missouri.
 University of Oklahoma.
 University of Virginia.
 Vanderbilt University.
 Washington University in St. Louis.
 Yale University.

Fellowships and Grants:

National Endowment for the Humanities "Public Square" Grant, in partnership with Humanities Texas, to sponsor programming on "Citizenship, Elections, and American Democracy," 2015-16.
 Visiting Research Fellowship, Graduate School for International Development and Cooperation, Hiroshima University, Japan, 2013.
 Visiting Research Fellowship, Center for Advanced Studies, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, Munich, Germany, 2012.
 Visiting Research Fellowship, Nobel Institute, Oslo, Norway, 2011.
 Senior Fellow, Heidelberg Center for American Studies, Heidelberg, Germany, 2010.
 Hertog Foundation Grant for the Study and Teaching of Grand Strategy, 2009-11.
 Senior Fellow, Legatum Institute, London, England, 2009.
 Visiting Research Fellowship, Nobel Institute, Oslo, Norway, 2008.
 H. I. Romnes Faculty Fellowship, University of Wisconsin, 2008-2013.
 U.S. Department of Education Teaching American History Grant for work with teachers in Wisconsin, 2008-2011.
 Andrew W. Mellon Foundation Interdisciplinary Workshop Grant, administered through the Center for the Humanities, University of Wisconsin, Madison, 2006-2008.
 Vilas Associateship, University of Wisconsin, 2005-2007.
 Collaborative Research Grant, Center for World Affairs and the Global Economy (WAGE), University of Wisconsin, 2005-2008.
 Innovation and Development Grant, International Institute, University of Wisconsin, 2005.
 National Fellowship, Hoover Institution, Stanford University, 2003-2004.
 Research Travel Grant, German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD), 2004.
 Faculty Travel Grant, Center For European Studies, University of Wisconsin, 2003-2004.
 Rockefeller Archives Center Research Grant, 2004.
 Postdoctoral Fellowship, Center for International Security and Cooperation, Stanford University, 2000-2001.

United States Institute for Peace Research Fellowship, 1999-2000.
 Jacob K. Javits United States Department of Education Doctoral Fellowship, 1994-1998.
 A. Bartlett Giamatti Yale University Graduate Fellowship, 1996-1998.
 Yale Center for International and Area Studies Dissertation Fellowship, 1998-1999.
 Smith Richardson Dissertation Fellowship in International Studies, 1998-1999.
 Friends of Princeton University Library Manuscript Research Fellowship, 1998.
 Yale International Studies Summer Travel Grant, 1997.
 Ohio University Contemporary History Institute Russia Travel Grant, 1996.
 Stanford University Undergraduate Research and Travel Grant, 1994.
 Harvard University John M. Olin Fellowship in International Studies, 1999-2000, declined by recipient.
 Fellowship in Public Affairs, Miller Center, University of Virginia, 2000-01, declined by recipient.

Languages:

French: reading and speaking fluency.
 German: advanced reading and speaking competence.
 Russian: advanced reading and speaking competence.

Professional Affiliations:

American Committees on Foreign Relations, invited lecturer.
 American Historical Association.
 Austin Council on Foreign Affairs.
 Organization of American Historians.
 Philosophical Society of Texas.
 Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations.
 Tuesday Club, Austin.
 Faculty Affiliate, Center for Middle Eastern Studies, University of Texas at Austin.
 Faculty Affiliate, Center for European Studies, University of Texas at Austin.

Hobbies:

Recreational hiking, classic cinema, bicycling, basketball, and tennis.