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# **Employment**

Ronald S. Lauder Endowed Term Associate Professor of History, University of Pennsylvania (2017-2022)

Associate Professor, Department of History, University of Pennsylvania (2006-2017), modern Russia.

Associate Professor, Department of History, Cornell University (July 2002-2006), modern Russia.

Assistant Professor, Department of History, Cornell University (1996-2002), modern Russia

Visiting lecturer, Department of History, Yale University, Spring 1995.

Founding Editor, *Kritika: Explorations in Russian and Eurasian History*, published quarterly since January 2000 by Slavica Publishers.

Electronic versions published by Project Muse, Johns Hopkins University Press, <a href="http://muse.jhu.edu">http://muse.jhu.edu</a> and Humanities Full Text, Mega, Omni Select databases (<a href="http://www.hwwilson.com/">http://www.hwwilson.com/</a>). *Kritika* Website: <a href="http://www.slavica.com/kritika/">http://www.slavica.com/kritika/</a>. Editorial Board, *Journal of Modern History*, 2016-2019.

#### **Education**

Ph.D. (awarded with Distinction), Columbia University, Department of History, 1995. Thesis: A Russia Vendée: The Practice of Politics in the Don Countryside, 1917-1921

M.Phil. (awarded with Excellence), Columbia University, Department of History, 1990. M. A., Columbia University, Department of History, 1989.

B.A. (awarded with High Distinction), History Department and the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures, Indiana University, Bloomington, 1986.

### **Teaching Awards**

Ira H. Abrams Memorial Award for Distinguished Teaching, School of Arts and Sciences, University of Pennsylvania, April 2018.

Richard S. Dunn Award for Distinguished Teaching, History Department, University of Pennsylvania, Spring 2017

Robert and Helen Appel Fellowship for Humanists and Social Scientists, recognizing "excellence in teaching, scholarly promise, and dedication to advancing knowledge," Cornell University (competitive university award to recognize

undergraduate teaching among recently-tenured faculty, granting one half year's salary and benefits), 2003-2004.

## Awards and Fellowships (since 2008)

- Research Fellow, The Helsinki Collegium, Finland, 1 Sept. 2018-31 July 2019. (Salary: \$84,590 (= 6248 euros/month x 11 months). [ACCEPTED: Fall 2018 term; DECLINED: Spring 2019 term.]
- Axel Spring Fellow/Berlin Prize, The American Academy in Berlin, Spring 2019. (Prize for term: \$60,000).
- Foreign Visiting Fellow, The Slavic-Eurasian Research Center, Sapporo University, Hokkaido Japan, Fall 2018 (Salary for term: \$17,240). [DECLINED]
- Andrew W. Mellon Foundation Fellow, Dorothy and Lewis B. Cullman Center for Scholars and Writers, New York Public Library, 2013-2014 (\$65,000 stipend; one of 15 awardees out of 313 applicants).
- "Distinguished Editor" Award from the Council of Editors of Learned Journals for my work on the journal *Kritika: Explorations in Russian and Eurasian History* (2010).
- Edwin C. and Elizabeth A. Whitehead Fellow at the School for Historical Studies, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, New Jersey, 2008-2009 (membership and stipend of \$35,138).

# **Current Project:**

"By Right of War": The Discipline and Practice of International Law in Imperial Russia, 1868-1917. Monograph project.

#### **Publications:**

#### I. Books

- 1. Making War, Forging Revolution: Russia's Continuum of Crisis, 1914-1921 (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2002), 352 pp.
  - Also made available as an "ACLS Humanities E-Book"

### **II. Edited Volumes**

- 1. Co-edited with Michael David-Fox and Marshall Poe, *The Resistance Debate in Russian and Soviet History*, vol. 1 of *Kritika* Historical Studies (Bloomington, IN: Slavica Publishers, 2003).
- 2. Co-edited with Michael David-Fox and Marshall Poe, *After the Fall: Essays on Russian and Soviet Historiography after Communism*, vol. 2 of *Kritika* Historical Studies (Bloomington, IN: Slavica Publishers, 2004).
- 3. Co-edited with Michael David Fox and Alexander Martin, *Orientalism and Empire*, vol. 3 of *Kritika* Historical Studies (Bloomington, IN: Slavica Publishers, 2006).
- 4. Associate Editor, Europe since 1914 Encyclopedia of the Age of War and Reconstruction (New York: Thomson Gale and Sons, 2006), 5 vols., under the general editorship of John Merriman and Jay Winter.

- 5. Co-edited with Michael David-Fox and Alexander Martin, *Fascination and Enmity:* Russia and Germany as Entangled Histories, 1914-1945 (Pittsburgh: University of Pittsburgh Press, 2012).
- 6. Co-edited with Michael David-Fox and Alexander Martin, *The Holocaust in the East:* Local Perpetrators and Soviet Responses (Pittsburgh: University of Pittsburgh Press, 2014).

### **III. Refereed Publications in Journals:**

- 1. "In accord with State Interests and the People's Wishes': The Technocratic Ideology of Imperial Russia's Resettlement Administration," *Slavic Review* 69, no. 1 (Spring 2010), 151-79.
  - Reviewed by Igor' Fediukin, "От частника к общему," *Коммерсант- Власть: Аналатический еженедельник* по. 47 (850), Nov. 30, 2009.
- 2. "The Dilemmas of an 'Official with Progressive Views': Baron Boris Nolde," *Kritika* 7, no. 2 (Spring 2006), 241-73.
  - Republished in: *Baltic Yearbook for International Law*, vol. 7 (2007), 211-49.
- 3. "Violent Russia, Deadly Marxism: Russia in the Epoch of Violence," *Kritika: Explorations in Russian and Eurasian History* 4, no. 3 (Summer 2003): 627-52.
  - Republished in Russian translation: "Россия в эпоху насилия, 1905 1921 гг." [Russia in the Age of Violence, 1905-1921], in *Опыт России в мировых войнах: Сборник статей* [Russia's Experience in the World Wars], ed. I. V. Narskii *et al.* (Cheliabinsk: Izdatel'stvo "Kamennyi poias," 2007), 461-87.
- 4. "'Information is the Alpha and Omega of Our Work': Bolshevik Surveillance in its Pan-European Perspective," *Journal of Modern History* 69, no. 3 (1997): 415-450.
  - Republished in: *The Structure of Russian History: Essays and Documents*, ed. Ronald Suny (New York: Oxford University Press, 2003).
  - Republished as a Russian translation: "'Osvedomlenie -- eto al'fa i omega nashei raboty" in Michael David-Fox, George Majeska and Petr Kabytov, eds., Amerikanskaia Rusistika: Vekhi noveishei istoriografii poslednikh let (Sovetskii period) [American Studies of Russia: Landmarks in Recent Historiography (The Soviet Period)] (Samara: Samara University, 2001), pp. 45-93