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EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy, Ancient History University of Missouri, Columbia, MO Dissertation: "Animals in Ancient Greek Warfare" Dissertation director: Ian Worthington	May 2020
Master of Arts: History University of Missouri, Columbia, MO Master's Thesis: "Just Rage:" Causes of the Rise in Violence in the Eastern Campaigns of Alexander the Great	May 2014
Bachelor of Arts, Major: History Minors: Spanish, French <i>Summa Cum Laude</i> University of Evansville, Evansville, IN	May 2012

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Assistant Professor of History University of Colorado, Colorado Springs	Fall 2024 - present
Post-doctoral Fellow of Ancient Mediterranean History University of Colorado, Colorado Springs	Fall 2022-Spring 2024
Visiting Professor of Ancient History & Classical Languages Westminster College, Fulton, Missouri	Fall 2021-Spring 2022
Visiting Professor of History Department of History, Honors College University of Missouri, Columbia Missouri	Summer 2020- Spring 2022
Visiting Professor of History Moberley Area Community College, Columbia, Missouri	Spring 2020- Fall 2020

FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS

University of Colorado, Colorado Springs Postdoctoral Fellowship in Ancient Mediterranean History	Fall 2022- Spring 2024
University of Missouri Dissertation Fellowship	Fall 2019--Spring 2020
CAMWS Honorable Mention Presidential Award for the Best Graduate Student Paper (2 nd place)	Spring 2019
Association of Ancient Historians Subvention Grant For AAH at Atlanta, GA	Spring 2019

RESEARCH & PUBLICATIONS

“‘Just Rage:’ Causes of the Rise in Violence in the Eastern Campaigns of Alexander the Great.”
Anticipated in *Arctos: Acta Philologica Fennica* vol. 53 (2019).

Currently in progress for submission to AHB: “Soldier Dog:” The Dog in the Ancient Greek Military.”

Currently in progress for submission to ZOA: “Special-Ops Camels in the Army of Alexander the Great.”

Proposal for “War Elephants” submitted to OUP; sample chapters being revised.

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Coordinated and Co-Hosted Digital Pedagogy Roundtable
LAS, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs April 2024

Mentored and oversaw development of MA candidates’ theses
University of Colorado, Colorado Springs Fall 2022-Spring 2023

Pedagogical mentorship of graduate student TAs
University of Colorado, Colorado Springs Fall 2022; Fall 2023

Coordinated and Co-hosted Job Market Panel Roundtable
Teaching Committee, Association of Ancient Historians Fall 2023

Coordinated and Co-hosted “Syllabus Examination for Inclusivity”
Roundtable, Teaching Committee, Association of Ancient Historians Summer 2021

Coordinated “Pandemic Pedagogy” Roundtable Conference
Teaching Committee, Association of Ancient Historians Summer 2020

Facilitated Syllabus Repository Project for Ancient History, Classics
Teaching Committee, Association of Ancient Historians Spring 2019

PRESENTATIONS (recent selection)

“A Friendly Wall: Elephants in Macedonian Warfare”
War & Writing: Animals in War
4th Annual Seminar Hosted by Dept. of English
University of South Africa July 2024

“Philip, Alexander, and Macedonia”
By invitation of PI Roy Jo Sartin
University of Colorado, Colorado Springs Fall 2023

“Dogs of War: Reevaluating Dogs in Greek Warfare”
On “New Approaches to Ancient History” Panel
Many Faces of War Conference VII
South Dakota State University Fall 2022

Presider over “Ancient Animals Panel”
Presenter of “A Friendly Wall: Re-evaluating the Military
Use of Elephants during the Diadoch Wars” Spring 2021

CAMWS, University of Columbus

- “Elephants in War & Politics” Spring 2021
ZOA: Animals in Greco-Roman Antiquity Panel
Arranged by Prof. and Presider Branko van Oppen
International via Zoom
- “Elephants and Ancient Combat: The Macedonian Example” Spring 2021
By Invitation of Prof. Jeff Rop, University of Minnesota
Duluth, MN
- “Animals & Ancient Greek Warfare: The Soldier Dog.” Spring 2020
Public Lecture by invitation of the University of Evansville (IN)
Department of History and Department of Archaeology.
- “Camels and Environmental Challenges in Alexander’s Campaigns:
The Cases of Siwah and Nautaca.” Spring 2020
AAH 2020, Zoom-Conference hosted by the University of Iowa.
- “A Friendly Wall: Re-evaluating the Military Use of Elephants
during the Diadoch Wars (322-281 BCE).” Fall 2019
The Many Faces of War V Conference
Brookings, ND
- “Συστρατιώτης Κύων: The Dog in the Ancient Greek Military” Spring 2019
115th CAMWS National Conference
Lincoln, NE

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Fields

Ancient Greek and Roman history; classical studies; ancient socio-military history;
human-animal studies and ancient animal culture; gender in antiquity, ancient myth and
literature.

Introductory Latin, Greek

Courses Taught:

- History 1010: Ancient World Fall 2023
University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
- History 3000 OL: The Experience of Ancient Greek Combat Fall 2023
University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
- History 3170: The History of Ancient Greece Fall 2023
University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
- History 1010 (Two Sections): Ancient World (Mediterranean) Spring 2023
University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
- History 7690: Special Topics Research (Graduate) Spring 2023
University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
- History 6690: Special Readings Seminar (graduate) Fall 2022
Alexander the Great, Philip II, and Macedonian Imperialism

University of Colorado, Colorado Springs	
History 3000: The Experience of Ancient Combat (online)	Fall 2022
University of Colorado, Colorado Springs	
History 1010: Ancient World	Fall 2022
University of Colorado, Colorado Springs	
This is Sparta!: A History of Greek Warfare	Spring 2022
Honors College	
University of Missouri	
Latin 102: Introduction to Latin	Spring 2022
Westminster College	

Teaching Development:

“Start Here: Online Course Design Basics Workshop.”	Summer 2020
Through the University of Missouri	
“Canvas Instructor Training Course.”	Fall 2020
Through Moberly Area Community College	
“Marginalization in the Classroom as Instructors”	Fall 2020
Through the University of Missouri, Dept. of History	