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EDUCATION:

Public Schools in State of Washington.

A.B. Northwest Nazarene College (Nampa, Idaho), history and literature, 1960 (magna cum laude).

M.A. University of Oregon, American literature emphasis, 1962.

Ph.D. University of Oregon, American history and literature, 1966.

DHL (Honorary Doctorate of Humane Letters), Northwest Nazarene University, 2000.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Lowell Union High School, Lowell, Oregon, 1961-62. University of Oregon, teaching assistant and fellow, 1963-66.

Northwest Nazarene College, Nampa, Idaho, Assistant Professor, 1966-68. Eastern Nazarene College, Quincy, Mass., Visiting Associate Professor, 1968-69. Dartmouth College, Daniel Webster Papers, 1969-70.

Idaho State University, Associate Professor, 1970-76.

Professor, 1976-79.

Department Chairman, 1972-74.

University of Oregon, Visiting Associate Professor, Summer 1973. Visiting Professor, Spring 1978.

UCLA, Visiting Professor, Winter Quarter 1978.

University of New Mexico, Professor, 1979-2001. Professor emeritus, 2001--.

Editor, New Mexico Historical Review, 1979-1985; acting editor, 1991.

Director, Center for the American West, 1989-2001.

Visiting Lecturer: Sheldon Jackson College (1982); Buffalo Bill Historical Center (1983, 1993);

Emporia State University (1983); Pepperdine University, summer 1997.

Portland State, summer 2008

Hilliard Distinguished Professor of Humanities, University of Nevada, Reno, Fall 1985

Exchange Professor of American Studies, University of Canterbury, Christchurch,

New Zealand, February-June 2000 Fulbright

Professor, Ukraine, January-February 2004

University of the Basque County, Vitoria, Spain, May 2008

Portland State University, Summer 2008

Centennial Historian, Northwest Nazarene University, September 2008-12
Aspinall Professor of History, Mesa State College, spring 2010
Adjunct Professor of History, George Fox University, fall 2010

FELLOWSHIPS, RESEARCH GRANTS, HONORS, AND POSITIONS:

National Historical Publications Commission, Advanced Fellow in Historical Editing,
Daniel Webster Papers, Dartmouth College, 1969-70
National Endowment for the Humanities, Study Fellowship in American Cultural and Ethnic
Minorities, University of Nevada, Reno, 1973-74
NHPC Summer Seminar in Historical Editing, University of Virginia, 1974
Huntington Library Fellow, Summer 1974
Association for the Humanities in Idaho, 1972-77 Northwest
Nazarene College Alumnus of the Year, 1975
American Philosophical Society Research Grant, 1976-77, 1980-81
Idaho State University Research Committee Grants, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1974, 1975, 1976;
Monograph Award, 1977
NEH Summer Seminar in History and Literature, University of Oregon, 1976
United States Information Agency, American Specialist, Lecturer in the Philippine Islands,
September 1977
NEH Grant, Crossing Frontiers, Banff, Canada, April 1978
Falkenstein Seminar, Lecturer on the Literature and Culture of the American West, Frankfurt,
Germany, July 1978
University of New Mexico, Research Allocation Grants, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1984, 1986, 1988,
1993, 1994, 1997
Huntington Library Fellow, May-June 1984
Western Literature Association, Executive Council, 1965-68, 1975-80
Vice-President, 1976-77
President-Elect, 1977-78
President, 1978-79
Rocky Mountain Popular Culture Association, President, 1975-79
Board of Editors, Pacific Historical Review, 1976-79
Editorial Advisors, Idaho Yesterdays, 1976-81
Executive Council, Rendezvous, 1976-79; Chairman, 1976-77
Western History Association, Board of Editors, Western Historical Quarterly, 1978-80;
Program Committee, 1995-96
Western History Association, Council, 1983-86
President-Elect, 1997 Incoming
President, 1998
President, 1998-99
Pacific Coast Branch of the AHA, Nominating Committee, 1982-84
Board of Editors, Idaho State University Press, 1976-79
Advisory Board, Sun Valley Center, Institute of the West, 1976-79

Board of Editors, Great Plains Quarterly, 1979-2000 Board of Editors, Journal of Regional Cultures, 1981-1990 Advisory Editor, Journal of American Culture, 1978-1990
Board of Editors, Montana: The Magazine of Western History, 1985-2001
Editorial Consultant, California History, 1986-95
Board of Editors, Journal of the West
Louis Knott Koontz Award, Best article in Pacific Historical Review, 1976
Western History Association, best western history essay published in 1976
Hilliard Distinguished Professor of Humanities, University of Nevada, Reno, Fall 1985
USIA Lecturer, Norway, September 1985; India, February 1986; Mauritius, April 1986; Poland, August 1987; Algeria, May 1990; Morocco, September 1991; India, January 1992
Board of Regents, Point Loma College, 1987-1989
Director, Center for the American West, University of New Mexico, 1989-2001
New Mexico Endowment for the Humanities, 1989-1993
Advanced Placement, reader, 1990
Dean's Alumni Achievement Award, University of Oregon, 1991
Annual Research Lecturer, University of New Mexico, 1991
Pettyjohn Distinguished Lecturer, Washington State University, Spring 1992
Commencement Speaker, Idaho State University, May 1994
Research Semester, University of New Mexico, Fall 1996
Western Heritage Award, Best Nonfiction Book of 1996
John Caughey Award for Best Book in Western History for 1996
Calvin Horn Lecturer in Western History and Culture, University of New Mexico, October 1998
President, Western History Association, 1998-99
USIA Lecturer, Mexico City, December 1999
Lecture of the Year, New Mexico State University, March 1999
Doctorate of Humane Letters, Northwest Nazarene University, 2000
Villagra Award for Best Book in Southwestern History, 2001
Richard Etulain Lecture in Western Regional Cultures, University of New Mexico, 2002--
Northwest Nazarene University, Board of Trustees, 2003-6
Fulbright Senior Specialist Award, Ukraine, 2004
Article of year award, South Dakota History, 2005
Centennial Professor, Northwest Nazarene University, 2008—
Coeditor, Concise Lincoln Library, 2008--
Aspinall Professor, Mesa State College, spring 2010
Ericksen Distinguished Lecturer, Linfield College, February 2012

PUBLICATIONS: BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS

WESTERN AMERICAN LITERATURE: A BIBLIOGRAPHY OF BOOKS AND ARTICLES.
Vermillion, South Dakota: Dakota Press, 1972.

- INTERPRETIVE APPROACHES TO WESTERN AMERICAN LITERATURE. Pocatello: Idaho State University Press, 1972 (coeditor and contributor).
- OWEN WISTER. Western Writers Series, 7. Boise: Boise State University, 1973.
- THE POPULAR WESTERN: ESSAYS TOWARD A DEFINITION. Bowling Green, Ohio: Popular Press, 1974 (coeditor and contributor)
- THE IDAHO HERITAGE: A COLLECTION OF HISTORICAL ESSAYS. Pocatello: Idaho State University Press, 1974 (coeditor).
- IDAHO HISTORY: A BIBLIOGRAPHY. Pocatello: Idaho State University Press, 1974; second edition, 1979 (coeditor).
- THE FRONTIER AND AMERICAN WEST. Goldentree Bibliography Series. Arlington Heights, Illinois: AHM Corporation, 1977 (coeditor).
- ANGLO-AMERICAN CONTRIBUTIONS TO BASQUE STUDIES. Reno: Desert Research Institute, 1977 (coeditor and contributor).
- JACK LONDON ON THE ROAD: THE TRAMP DIARY AND OTHER HOBO WRITINGS. Logan: Utah State University Press, 1979 (editor); second printing, 1988.
- THE AMERICAN LITERARY WEST. Manhattan, Kansas: Sunflower University Press, 1980 (editor and contributor).
- "Cultural History of the American West." Journal of American Culture 3 (Summer 1980). Editor and contributor.
- BASQUE AMERICANS. Ethnic Information Series, 6. Detroit: Gale Publishers, 1981 (coeditor and contributor).
- FIFTY WESTERN WRITERS: A BIO-BIBLIOGRAPHICAL GUIDE. Westport, Connecticut: Greenwood Press, 1982 (coeditor and contributor).
- A BIBLIOGRAPHICAL GUIDE TO THE STUDY OF AMERICAN LITERATURE. Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 1982 (editor); 2nd edition (coeditor with N. Jill Howard) Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press, 1995.
- CONVERSATIONS WITH WALLACE STEGNER ON WESTERN HISTORY AND LITERATURE. Salt Lake City: University of Utah Press, 1983; rev. ed., 1990; University of Nevada Press, 1996.

- WESTERN FILMS: A BRIEF HISTORY. Manhattan, Kansas: Sunflower University Press, 1983 (editor and contributor).
- FAITH AND IMAGINATION: ESSAYS ON EVANGELICALS AND LITERATURE. Albuquerque: Far West Books, 1985 (editor and contributor).
- ERNEST HAYCOX. Western Writers Series. Boise: Boise State University, 1988.
- THE TWENTIETH-CENTURY WEST: HISTORICAL INTERPRETATIONS. Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press, 1989 (coeditor and contributor).
- THE AMERICAN WEST: A TWENTIETH-CENTURY HISTORY. Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 1989 (coauthored with Michael P. Malone). A History Book Club Main Selection.
- RELIGION AND CULTURE: HISTORICAL ESSAYS. Albuquerque: Far West Books, 1991 (coeditor and contributor).
- RELIGION IN THE TWENTIETH-CENTURY AMERICAN WEST: A BIBLIOGRAPHY. Occasional Papers, No. 4. Albuquerque: Center for the American West, University of New Mexico, 1991.
- WRITING WESTERN HISTORY: ESSAYS ON MAJOR WESTERN HISTORIANS. Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press, 1991 (editor and contributor); reprinted, Reno: University of Nevada Press, 2002.
- BASQUES OF THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST: A COLLECTION OF ESSAYS. Pocatello: Idaho State University, 1991 (editor).
- CONTEMPORARY NEW MEXICO 1940-1990. Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press, 1994 (editor).
- THE AMERICAN WEST IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY: A BIBLIOGRAPHY. Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 1994 (coeditor).
- RE-IMAGINING THE MODERN AMERICAN WEST: A CENTURY OF FICTION, HISTORY, AND ART. Tucson: University of Arizona Press, 1996. (Caughey Award for Best Book in Western History for 1996; Western Heritage Award for Best Nonfiction Book in 1996; Spur Award Finalist for Nonfiction, 1996)
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RELIGION IN MODERN NEW MEXICO. Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press, 1997 (coeditor with Ferenc M. Szasz).

NEW MEXICO RESOURCE BOOK. New York: Glencoe McGraw-Hill, 1997 (consultant and editor).

BY GRIT AND GRACE: ELEVEN WOMEN WHO MADE THE AMERICAN WEST.

Golden, Colo.: Fulcrum Publishing, 1997 (coeditor with Glenda Riley).

MYTHS AND THE AMERICAN WEST. Manhattan, Kans.: Sunflower University Press, 1998.

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PORTRAITS OF BASQUES IN THE NEW WORLD Reno: University of Nevada Press,

(coeditor with Jeronima Echeverria), 1999.

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Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press, 1999. Villagra award, 2001.

WITH BADGES AND BULLETS: LAWMEN AND OUTLAWS IN THE OLD WEST.

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DOES THE FRONTIER EXPERIENCE MAKE AMERICA EXCEPTIONAL?

Boston: Bedford Books, 1999 (editor)

THE HOLLYWOOD WEST: LIVES OF FILM LEGENDS WHO SHAPED IT. Golden, Colo.:

Fulcrum Publishing, 2000 (coeditor with Glenda Riley)

SHEEP AND SHEEPMEN OF THE AMERICAN WEST: A BIBLIOGRAPHY (Albuquerque:

Center for the American History, University of New Mexico, 2001).

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of New Mexico Press, 2002 (editor).

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THE AMERICAN WEST IN 2000: ESSAYS IN HONOR OF GERALD D. NASH.
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Colo.: Fulcrum Publishing, 2004 (coeditor).

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University of New Mexico Press, 2006. Choice Best Books, 2007

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Michael P. Malone). Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 2007); second edition of
Malone and Etulain THE AMERICAN WEST, 1989.

LINCOLN LOOKS WEST: FROM THE MISSISSIPPI TO THE PACIFIC. Carbondale:
Southern Illinois University Press, 2010.

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CENTENNIAL HISTORY. Nampa, ID: Northwest Nazarene University, 2012.

LINCOLN AND OREGON COUNTRY POLITICS IN THE CIVIL WAR ERA. Corvallis:
Oregon State University Press, 2013.

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Press, 2014.

CALAMITY JANE: A READER'S GUIDE. Norman: University of Oklahoma Press,
2015.

ERNEST HAYCOX AND THE WESTERN. Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 2017.

Presidents Who Shaped the American West. Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 2018
(coauthor Glenda Riley).

Thunder in the West: The Life and Legends of Billy the Kid. Norman: University of
Oklahoma Press, 2020.

Billy the Kid: A Reader's Guide. Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 2020.

Abraham Lincoln: A Western Heritage. Pierre, SD: South Dakota State Historical Society Press, 2020.

SERIES EDITOR

THE AMERICAN WEST: THE FRONTIER ERA. A series of twelve taped lectures. Deland, Florida. Everett/Edwards, 1976 (editor and contributor)

THE POPULAR WESTERN. Series on popular Western writers for Popular Press, Bowling Green University (coeditor). One volume appeared in 1978.

THE NEW FRONTIER: TWENTIETH-CENTURY WEST. A series of twelve taped lectures. Deland, Florida: Everett/Edwards, 1979 (editor and contributor)

OKLAHOMA WESTERN BIOGRAPHIES SERIES. Editor, 1985--. University of Oklahoma Press. 27 volumes published.

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OCCASIONAL PAPERS. Editor. Center for the American West. Albuquerque: University of New Mexico, 1990-2001. 22 vols. in print

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THE AMERICAN WEST: A HISTORY. Editor. Six-volume series. Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 1996--. First volume published in 2003; second volume in 2011.

THE MODERN AMERICAN WEST. Coeditor. Tucson: University of Arizona Press, 1997— 2011; 9 volumes published in series

NOTABLE WESTERNERS. Coeditor. Golden, Colo.: Fulcrum Publishing, 1997-2004; 5 volumes published in series

CONCISE LINCOLN LIBRARY, coeditor, Southern Illinois University Press, 2008--; 8 volumes published; several others under contract

VOLUME EDITOR:

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- "Ernest Haycox: The Historical Western." *South Dakota Review* 5 (Spring 1967): 35-54.
- "St. Joseph's Church in Idaho City." *Idaho Yesterdays* 11 (Spring 1967): 32-36.
- "John Cotton and the Anne Hutchinson Controversy." *Rendezvous* 2 (Winter 1967): 9-18. "John Cotton: A Checklist of Relevant Materials." *Early American Literature* 4 (No. 1): 64-69. "A. B. Guthrie, Jr.: A Bibliography." *Western American Literature* 4 (Summer 1969): 133-38. "Recent Views of the American Literary West." *Journal of Popular Culture* 3 (Summer 1969): 144-53.
- "H. L. Davis: A Bibliographical Addendum." *Western American Literature* 5 (Summer 1970): 129-35.
- "A Dedication to... Zane Grey." *Arizona and the West* 12 (Autumn 1970): 217-20. "Literary Historians and the Western." *Journal of Popular Culture* 4 (Fall 1970): 518-26. "Ernest Hemingway and His Interpreters of the 60s." *Rendezvous* 5 (Winter 1970): 53-70. "Three Western Novels." *Journal of the West* 10 (April 1971): 389-90.
- "Richard Bradford's *Red Sky at Morning: New Novel of the Southwest*." *Western Review* 8 (Spring 1971): 57-62.
- "The White Man's Road: An Appreciation." *Southwestern American Literature* 1 (May 1971): 88-92.
- "Peter Harvey: Confidant and Interpreter of Daniel Webster." *Vermont History* 39 (Winter 1971): 21-30.
- "Frontier and Region in Western Literature." *Southwestern American Literature* 1 (September 1971): 121-28; reprinted in William T. Pilkington, ed. *Critical Essays on the Western American Novel*. Boston: G. K. Hall, 1980, pp. 86-92.
- "The New Puritan: Recent Views of John Cotton." *Rendezvous* 7 (Spring 1972): 39-51. "Historians, Archivists, and American Popular Culture." *New Archivist* 1 (March 1972): 3-4. "Mary Hallock Foote (1847-1938)." *American Literary Realism 1870-1910* 5 (Spring 1972): 145-50.
- "Josephus Goes to Rome--64 A.D." *Historical Musings* 1 (Spring 1972): 27-31.
- "Origins of the Western." *Journal of Popular Culture* 6 (Spring 1972): 799-805; reprinted in Ray B. Browne, ed. *Popular Culture and the Expanding Consciousness*. New York: John Wiley, 1973, 61-67; John Nachbar, ed. *Focus on the Western*. Englewood Cliffs, N. J.: Prentice-Hall, 1974, 19-24; Conal Furay and Michael J. Salevouris, eds., *History: A Workbook of Skill Development*. New York: New Viewpoints, 1979, 175-79; William T. Pilkington, ed., *Critical Essays on the Western American Novel*. Boston: G.K. Hall, 1980, 56-60.
- "Western American Literature: A Selective Annotated Bibliography." *Rendezvous* 7 (Winter 1972): 67-78.
- "Novelists of the Northwest: Needs and Opportunities for Research." *Idaho Yesterdays* 16 (Summer 1973): 24-32.
- "Research Opportunities in Western Literary History." *Western Historical Quarterly* 4 (July

1973): 263-72.

- "The Pacific Northwest as a Cultural Region: Comment." *Pacific Northwest Quarterly* 64 (October 1973): 157-59.
- "The Historical Development of the Western." *Journal of Popular Culture* 7 (Winter 1973): 717- 26.
- "Riding Point: The Western and Its Interpreters." *Journal of Popular Culture* 7 (Winter 1973): 647-51.
- "The Mountain Man in Literature." Taped lecture, *Western American Literature Series*. Deland/Florida: Everett/Edwards, 1974.
- "Basque Beginnings in the Pacific Northwest." *Idaho Yesterdays* 18 (Spring 1974): 26-32; reprinted in *Boletín del Instituto Estudios Vascos* 26 (January-March 1975): 152-61; J. R. Halseth and Bruce R. Glasrud, eds., *The Northwest Mosaic...* Boulder, Colorado: Pruett Publishing Company, 1977, 57-67; Etulain, *Basques of the Pacific Northwest*, 1-5.
- "A Virginian in Utah Chooses the Union: Col. Philip St. George Cooke in 1861." *Utah Historical Quarterly* 42 (Fall 1974): 381-85.
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- "The Search for Community in Idaho." *Land and the Pursuit of Happiness*, eds. Elinor Lenz and Alice Le Bel. Los Angeles: Western Humanities Center, 1975, 61-69.
- "The Lives of Jack London." *Western American Literature* 11 (Summer 1976): 149-64; reprinted in Jacqueline Tavernier-Courbin, *Critical Essays on Jack London*. Boston: G. K. Hall, 1983.
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- "The Closing Frontier." Taped lecture. *The American West: The Frontier Era Series*. Deland, Florida; Everett/Edwards, 1976.
- "The American Literary West and Its Interpreters: The Rise of a New Historiography." *Pacific Historical Review* 45 (August 1976): 311-48. Louis Knott Koontz Award for the best essay published in the PHR in 1976 and the Western History Association's prize for the best essay in western history during 1976. Reprinted in James K. Folsom, ed., *The Western*. Englewood Cliffs, N. J.: Prentice-Hall, 1979, 137-71.
- "The Works of Jack London." Taped lecture. Deland, Florida: Everett/Edwards, 1976.
- "The Basques in Western American Literature." *Anglo-American Contributions to Basque Studies*. Reno: Desert Research Institute, 1977, 7-18.
- "Western History and Literature: A Re-examination." *The American West: A Reappraisal*, ed. Jerome Steffen. Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 1979, 152-74; Anthony Arthur, ed. Wallace Stegner... Boston: G. K. Hall, 1982, 146-63.
- "Ernest Haycox: Popular Novelist of the Northwest." *Northwest Perspectives: Essays on the Culture of the Pacific Northwest*, eds. Edwin R. Bingham and Glen A. Love. Seattle: University of Washington Press, 1979, 132-50.
- "The Western." *A Handbook of American Popular Culture*, ed., M. Thomas Inge. Westport, Conn: Greenwood Press, 1978, 1979, 355-76.
- "The Modern Literary West." Taped lecture. *The New Frontier: The Twentieth-Century West*.

- Deland, Florida: Everett/Edwards, 1979.
- "Introduction," to Alan Le May, *The Searchers*. Boston: Gregg Press, 1978, v-ix.
- "Summing Up." *Crossing Frontiers: Papers in American and Canadian Western Literature*, ed. Dick Harrison. Edmonton: University of Alberta Press, 1979, 131-37. "Introduction," to Max Brand, *Destry Rides Again*. Boston: Gregg Press, 1979, v-xi. "Introduction," "Western American Literature: The Colonial Era," and "Western Literary History: A Brief Bibliographical Essay." *Journal of the West* 19 (January 1980): 3-5, 6-8, 71-73.
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- "Introduction," to A. B. Guthrie, *The Big It and Other Stories*. Boston: G. K. Hall, Gregg Press, 1980, v-x.
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Session Chair: "Western Local Color Writing." Western American Literature Association, Austin, Texas, October 1973.

Program Committee: Pacific Northwest History Conference, Pullman, Washington, April 1974.

Session Chair: Pacific Northwest American Studies Association, Moscow, Idaho, April 1974. Board Member: Association for the Humanities in Idaho, 1972-77; Executive Committee, 1974-76.

Humanist Consultant: Federation of Rocky Mountain States, 1975-76.

Session Chair: "The Western." Western Popular Culture Association, Pomona, California,

February 1975; Las Vegas, February 1976.

Session Chair: "The Current Status of Western Literary Studies." Western Literature Association, Bellingham, Washington, October 1976.

Session Chair: Western Literature Association, Sioux Falls, October 1977.

Program Committee: Pacific Coast Branch of the AHA, 1977-78.

Session Chair: Western Literature Association, Park City, Utah, October 1978; Albuquerque, October 1979; St. Louis, October 1980; Boise, September 1981.

Program Chair: Western Literature Association, Albuquerque, October 1979.

Session Chair: Western History Association, San Diego, October 1979.

Panel Discussant: Western Literature Association, St. Louis, October 1980. Program Committee: Western History Association, 1980-81.

Session Chair: Southwest Labor Conference, Albuquerque, May 1980.

National Committee Member: Committee to evaluate the future of historical editing in the United States, 1980-81.

Panel Discussant: NEH Conference on the American West, Salinas, California, September 1981.

Session Commentator: Western History Conference, San Antonio, October 1981.

Session Chair: "Is There a Pacific Northwest?" Pacific Coast Branch of the AHA, Eugene, Oregon, August 1981.

Session Chair: The New Mexico History Conference, Albuquerque, May 1982.

Session Chair: Western American Literature, Denver, October 1982.

Session Chair: Western History Association, Salt Lake City, October 1983. NEH Review Panelist: Washington, D. C., October 1983.

"The Making of the Wild West." Colorado College, Colorado Springs, June 1984.

"Women in Western Literature." Idaho Library Association, Sun Valley, Idaho, October 1984. "New Developments in Western American Literature." Banquet Address, Sun Valley, Idaho, October 1984.

"Charlie Russell: Western Artist," "The Making of Western Legendary Heroes," and "Popular Images of the American West." Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas, October 1984.

"The Cowboy in History and Culture," and "Women in the West." Western New Mexico University, May 1985.

"California Literature." Life and Literature of the Southwest, New Mexico Junior College, Hobbs, New Mexico, June 1985.

NEH Review Panelist, State-Based programs, Washington, D.C., June 1985.

"Western Cattleman and Cowboys," "Western Literature and Art, 1865-1900," "American Studies as an Approach to Scholarship," "Women in the West," and "Basques in Nevada and the West." Hilliard Professorship class lectures, University of Nevada, Reno, September-October 1985.

Session Chair: "Literature of Heritage." Montana History Conference, November 1985. Session Chair: "Western History and Archeology." Western American Literature Conference, Durango, Colorado, October 1986.

Session Chair: "Alternative Visions of Western Film." Western History Association, Billings, Montana, October 1986.

Session Chair: Contours of Western Culture, Western History Association, Los Angeles, October 1987.

Session Chair: Western American Literature, Eugene, Oregon, October 1988. "Literature of the Northern West," Centennial West, Billings, Montana, June 1989.

Session Chair: Western History Association, Reno, Nevada, October 1990.

"The American West" and "Recent American Culture." 13 presentations, Morocco, September 1991.

"The Closing Frontier" and "Recent American Culture." 10 presentations, India, January 1992.

"The Magic West on Film," and "Billy the Kid: Man and Mystery," New Mexico Endowment for the Humanities-sponsored lectures throughout New Mexico, 1991-93.

Session Chair: Interpretive Biographies of Western Women, Western History Association, Tulsa, October 1993.

"Rethinking Regionalism." Keynote Presentation, Casper, Wyoming, October 1993. "Evangelicals and Higher Education." Northwest Nazarene College, Nampa, Idaho, April 1994. Commentator: Building the West Conference, Albuquerque, November 1994.

Chair and Session Commentator: Thomas Jefferson and the West, St. Louis, November 1994. Chair and Session Commentator: Popular Culture and the American West, Gene Autry Museum, Los Angeles, June 1995.

Session Chair: Western Regionalism, Pacific Coast Branch of the AHA, San Francisco, August 1996.

Session Chair: Western History and Western Literature, Western History Association, Lincoln, Nebraska, October 1996.

Evaluator: New PhD Program in History, University of Texas, El Paso, May 1999.

Evaluator: Idaho Council for the Humanities, Boise, May 1999.

Panel participant: Western History Association, Sacramento, October 1998.

Cuarto Centenario Presentations, Ration, Silver City, Gallup, Clovis, Hobbs, and Santa Fe, New Mexico, 1998-2000.

Presenter: Calamity Jane, Pioneer Museum, Lander, Wyoming, September 2000. Session Chair: Wallace Stegner session, Brigham Young University, March 2000. Evaluator, Department of History, Washington State University Pullman, Spring 2002. Teaching American History grants, Washington, D.C., 2002, 2003.

Session Chair: Masculine Frontiers and Western Heroes, Western History Association, Fort Worth, October 2003.

Session Chair: Many Westerns, Many Scripts. Western History Association, Las Vegas, 2004.

Short courses: Lewis and Clark, Oasis and Oregon Historical Society, 2003-2005: 4 courses.

Chautauqua presenter: "Basques: Mystery People of the American West," (2003-6), "The Magic West on Film" (2004-7), and "Abraham Lincoln: With Charity for All" (2006--), Oregon Council for the Humanities. Multiple presentations.

Session Chair: Immigration, Ethnicity and Labor. Western History Association, Scottsdale, 2005.

Seminar Presentation: "Abraham Lincoln: With Charity for All." Presentation for teachers seminar, Idaho Humanities, Caldwell, Idaho, June 2006.

Session Chair: Western Women and Biographies, Western History Association, St. Louis, 2006.

"Telling Western Stories," keynote address to South Dakota historical restoration conference, Deadwood, April 2007.

“Telling Western Stories: From Triumph to Conflict to Complexity,” keynote presentation at Texas Humanities Seminar for teachers, Lubbock, June 2007.

Session Chair: Religion in the West, Western History Association, Oklahoma City, 2007. Session participant: Pacific Northwest literature, Western Literature Association, Tacoma, 2007. Visiting lecturer: The American West and its literature, Basque National University, Spain 2008. Session participant, Western History Association, Salt Lake City, October 2008.

Idaho humanities: “Abraham Lincoln and the American West.” 2008-9.

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Presenter: Neither North or South: The Pacific Northwest in the Civil War Era, TAH Seminar, 6 March 2010, Ft. Vancouver

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Phi Delta Lambda annual presentation, Northwest Nazarene University, Nampa, Idaho, 7 May 2010

"Abraham Lincoln and the American West," Civil War Roundtable, Portland, Oregon, 19 May 2010; Ada County Community Library, Boise, 12 July 2010

"Occupation and Work in PNW Literature," Oregon Humanities Teacher Seminar, Portland, 10 July 2010

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The American West and Music. Four presentations, Conway, Arkansas, 8-12 March 2011
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Workshop on Historical Writing, Burns, Oregon, 22 April 2011.

"Abraham Lincoln and the American West." Fort Robinson, Nebraska, 29 April 2011.

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