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Curriculum Vitae
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Education

B.A., summa cum laude, Carleton College, 1965
M.A., Columbia University, 1967
Certificate, European Institute, Columbia University, 1973
Ph.D., Columbia University, 1973

Teaching and Professional

Interim chair, Department of Economics and Business, 2020-present
Dean of the College/Dean of the Faculty, Colorado College, 2005-2012
Professor of History, Colorado College, 1986-2019
Chair, History Department, Colorado College, 1988-1997; 2003-4
Associate Professor of History, Colorado College, 1979-1986
Assistant Professor of History, Colorado College, 1973-1979
Instructor in History, Colorado College, 1970-1973

Academic Director, Associated Colleges of the Midwest Florence and London-Florence programs,
Florence, Italy, 1984-85, Co-Director, 1991-92 and 1999-2000.

Visiting Assistant Professor, Denver University, Graduate School of International Studies, Winter-Spring,
1973.

Publications:

Books:

The Block Plan: An Unrehearsed Educational Venture. Colorado Springs, CO: Colorado College, 2021.

“Misfits” in Fin-de-siècle France and Italy: Anatomies of Difference, New York: Bloomsbury Academic,
2017.

Making Liberalism Work: The Italian Experience, 1860-1914, Westport Conn.: Praeger, 2003.

Articles, book chapters (2005 to present):

“Fin de Siècle Theories of Invention: Originality and Chance.” *French History and Civilization: Papers
from the George Rudé Seminar*, 8:51-64.

Extended review of Aaron Freundschuh, *The Courtesan and the Gigolo: The Murders in the Rue
Montaigne and the Dark Side of Empire in Nineteenth-Century Paris*, *H-France Review* 17 (No. 184)
(October 1917):1-4. <http://www.h-france.net/vol17reviews/vol17no184Ashley.pdf>

“Service,” ADFL (Association of Departments of Foreign Languages), *Bulletin*, vol. 44, no. 1 (2016),

“Decision Making: Share It or Share It Out?” ADFL, *Bulletin*, vol. 43, no.1 (2014).
“The Colorado College Block Plan,” in *The College Curriculum: A Reader*, edited by Joseph L. DeVitis, New York: Peter Lang, 2013.

“Enforcing Justice: The Controversial Case of Giuseppe Musolino,” in *Festschrift for Janet Smith*, 2012.

“Machiavelli the Revolutionary: A Modern Reinterpretation,” in *Seeking Real Truths: Multidisciplinary Perspectives on Machiavelli*, edited by Patricia Vilches and Gerald Seaman, Boston: Brill, 2007.

Conference Papers: (2005 to present)

“Fin de Siècle Theories of Invention: Originality and Chance,” George Rudé Seminar, Australian National University, July 4-7, 2018.

“The Body Politic Reimagined,” Society for French Historical Studies. Washington DC, April 20-23 2017.

“Evaluating Service,” Association of Departments of Foreign Languages, June 25, 2015.

“Social Debris: Taking Care of Deviants in *Fin-de-Siècle* France,” Western Society for French History, San Antonio Texas, November 13-15, 2014.

“The Civilized Mind: What Is It About Self Control?” Western Society for French History, Atlanta, Georgia, October 24-27, 2013.

“Street Noise: Finding the Past in the Present,” ACM-Mellon FaCE Conference on The Power of Place, March 10, 2012, Ripon College.

“Who’s Running This Place? A Roundtable on Shared Governance,” Modern Languages Association meeting, Seattle, January 6, 2012.

“Managing the Department: A Roundtable,” ADFL Summer Seminar West, June 17-20, 2010.

Grants and invited conferences: (2005 to present)

Associated Colleges of the Midwest and Mellon Foundation grant to develop a collaborative interdisciplinary faculty seminar (SAIL): Mediterranean Trivium: Earth, Sea, and Culture, 2012-2014. Research Grant, Colorado College, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015.

Colorado College-Mellon Course Development grant, 2013.

Liberty Fund: “Academic Freedom and Scholarly Responsibility in a Free Society” (August 12-15, 2010)

American Council of Education-Luce Foundation: Internationalization CAO Forum (2007-08)

American Council of Education: Institute for New Chief Academic Officers (2006-07)

Honors and Awards

Phi Beta Kappa

William R. Hochman Professor of History, Colorado College, 2000-04

Carlton Professor of the Social Sciences, Colorado College, 1994-97

Gresham Riley Award for Teaching (CC Alumni Association)

Colorado College, Advisor of the Year, 1997-98; 1998-99; 2005-06; Outstanding Service Award, 1998-99.