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Education:

Ph.D (May 2013), American History, University of Cincinnati

MA (June 2005), Interdisciplinary, University of Chicago

BA (June 2004), History, Northern Michigan University

Publications:

Selected Publications:

Article: "The Murder of a Mason: The Death and Life of William Morgan," in *Thanatos: The Finnish Journal of Death Studies*, 2013.

Article: "The Pure Lava of Anti-Masonry: The First Congregationalist Church of Thetford, Vermont and the Anti-Masonic Struggle, 1829-1833," *FCH Annals*, 2017.

Article: "Claiming the Skies: The Wright Brothers and Autistic Representation," *All Of Us*, 2019

Article: "None Should Be Diminished By Another: The Southern Baptist Convention and The Americans With Disabilities Act," *All Of Us*, 2021

Article: "Today's Santa Is Rooted in Early American Mythology," *Washington Post*, 2022

Article: "All Too Human: Abraham Lincoln and Star Trek," *Historifans*, 2023

Article: "The War for Uranus," *Age of Revolutions*, 2023.

Article: "The Power of the Purse: The Deep Roots of Shutdown," *TIME*, 2023

Article: "First Lady in Motion: Betty Ford and Dance", *Nursing Clio*, 2024 (forthcoming)

Book Chapter: "Outsider Art: A History of American Anti-Secretism," in *The History of*, 2019

Book Chapter: "From A Plague Year To A Plagued World: Plagues and Apocalypse in The 18th and 19th Centuries," in *The Palgrave Handbook of the Zombie*, forthcoming, 2024

Book Chapter: "Optimistic Atomic Apocalypse: Operation Eggnog and the Failure of Wartime Consensus," in *Wars We Never Fought*, forthcoming, 2024

Book Review: "Between the Pew and the Picket Line," in *Fides et Historia* (2018)

Book Review: "Conditions Are Favorable - For Love!" in *Nursing Clio* (2020)

Digital Humanities: "[American Denominational Periodical Guide](#)," 2017

Encyclopedia Article: "The Apocalypse in Popular Culture," in *End of Days: Encyclopedia of the Apocalypse* (ABC-CLIO), 2016

Encyclopedia Article: "Captain Britain," in *The Planetary Republic of Comics* (ed. Frederick Luis Aldama), 2017

Encyclopedia Article: "Spiderman-India," in *The Planetary Republic of Comics* (ed. Frederick Luis Aldama), 2017

Encyclopedia Article: "Abortion," in *The Encyclopedia of American Religion* (ABC-CLIO), 2020

Encyclopedia Article: "Frederick Muhlenberg," in *The Encyclopedia of American Religion* (ABC-CLIO), 2020

Encyclopedia Article: "The War of 1812," in *The Encyclopedia of American Religion* (ABC-CLIO), 2020

Encyclopedia Article: "Kitchenaid Appliances," in *Energy in American History* (Palgrave), 2024

Encyclopedia Article: "Nikola Tesla," in *Energy in American History* (Palgrave), 2024

Encyclopedia Article: "Thomas Edison," in *Energy in American History* (Palgrave), 2024