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### Employment

Associate Professor, Department of History, University of Pennsylvania, (2006-present), 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.

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,

<http://muse.jhu.edu> and Humanities Full Text, Mega, Omni Select databases

(<http://www.hwwilson.com/>). *Kritika* Website: <http://www.slavica.com/kritika/>.

Editorial Board, *Journal of Modern History*, 2016-present.

### 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.

### Visiting Positions and Awards

Hooker Visiting Distinguished Professor, McMaster University, Canada, September 23-25, 2015.

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).

Senior Fellow, Davis Center, Harvard University, 2008-2009 (stipend of \$25,000) [declined].

Robert and Helen Appel Fellowship for Humanists and Social Scientists, Cornell University (competitive university award to recognize undergraduate teaching among recently-tenured faculty, granting one half year’s salary and benefits), 2003-2004.

National Research Fellow, Hoover Institution, Stanford University, 1999-2000.

Title VIII Research Scholar, Kennan Institute for Advanced Russian Studies, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington D.C., 1995-1996.

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

### **Fellowships and Grants**

ACLS/SSRC/NEH International and Area Studies Grant, 2008-2009 (\$40,000 stipend; there were 65 ACLS awards in 2008 out of 1034 applicants; of these 65, ten were appointed as ACLS/SSRC/NEH International and Area Studies grants).

Harry Frank Guggenheim Research Grant, 2008-2009 (\$15,000 in salary and \$10,000 in research).

National Council for Eurasian and East European Research (NCEEER) grant, 2002 National Research Competition, 2003-2004 (\$38,000).

Social Science Research Council (SSRC) Eurasia Grant Award, 2000-2001 (\$24,000).

International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX) Long-Term Advanced Research fellowship, 1991-1992.

Hofstadter Graduate Scholar, Columbia University, 1986-1991 (stipend and tuition for five years of graduate study).

### Current Projects:

*“By Right of War”: The Discipline and Practice of International Law in Imperial Russia, 1870-1917.* Monograph project; estimated date of completion, 2019

### 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”

#### Reviews of *Making War, Forging Revolution*:

Robert Legvold in *Foreign Affairs* 82, no. 2 (March-April 2003): 159.

Daniel W. Graf in *Military History* (April 2003), 589-90.

Peter Gatrell in *Russian Review* 62, no. 3 (July 2003), 476-77.

Nathalie Moine in *Cahiers du Monde russe* 44, no. 4 (October-December 2003), 707-710.

Joshua Sanborn in *Revolutionary Russia* 16, no. 2 (December 2003), 115-118.

Peter Kenez in *American Historical Review* (February 2004), 285-86.

Igor Narskij and Julia Khmelevskaya for “H-NET Liste fuer Sozial- und Kulturgeschichte” [“H-SOZ-U-KULT”], 31 March 2004

<<http://hsozkult.geschichte.hu-berlin.de/rezensionen/2004-2-085>>.

Lars Lih in *Slavic Review* 63, no. 2 (Summer 2004), 408-409.

Lewis Siegelbaum in *Journal of Modern History* 76, no. 2 (June 2004), 492-94.

Andrei V. Ganin in *Voprosy istorii*, no. 10 (2004), 173-75.

Daniel Beer, in *The Historical Journal* 47, no. 4 (2004), 1055-1067.

Robert B. McKean, in *History: Journal of the Historical Association*, vol. 90, Issue 297 (January 2005), 157-58.

Serhy Yekelchuk, in *Social History* 30, no. 1 (February 2005), 91-93.

Francesco Bevenuti, in *Kritika: Explorations in Russian and Eurasian History* 6, no. 3 (Summer 2005), 535-557, here at 551-55.

Susanne Schattenberg, in *Jahrbücher für Geschichte Osteuropas* 53, no. 4 (Winter 2005)

L. G. Novikova, “Grazhdanskaia voina v Rossii v sovremennoi zapadnoi istoriografii,” *Otechestvennaia Istoriiia* no. 6 (2005).

Alexandra de Hoop Scheffer, “La Grande Guerre a-t-elle brutalisé les sociétés européennes?,” *Sens Public* (Lyons), 6 March 2005.

Benjamin Guichard in *Le Mouvement Social*, no. 218 (January-March 2007): 99-102.

## 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 частного к общему,” *Коммерсант-Власть: Аналитический еженедельник* no. 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

#### IV. Chapters in Refereed Volumes

1. "Forms of Violence during the Russian Occupation of Ottoman Territory and in Northern Persia (Urmia and Astrabad), October 1914-December 1917," in *Shatterzone of Empires: Coexistence and Violence in the German, Habsburg, Russian and Ottoman Borderlands*, eds. Eric Weitz and Omer Bartov (Bloomington, IN: Indiana University Press, 2013), pp. 334-61.
2. "The Politics and Practice of the Russian Occupation of Armenia, 1915-Feb. 1917," in *A Question of Genocide, 1915: Armenians and Turks at the End of the Ottoman Empire*, eds. Ronald Grigor Suny, Fatma Muge Gocek, and Norman Naimark (New York: Oxford University Press, 2011), pp. 151-74.
3. "The Role of Personality in the First (1914-1915) Russian Occupation of Galicia and Bukovina" in Jonathan Dekel-Chen, ed., *Anti-Jewish Violence: Rethinking the Pogrom in European History* (Bloomington, IN: Indiana University Press, 2010), pp. 52-73.
4. "State Violence as Technique: the Logic of Violence in Soviet Totalitarianism" in Amir Weiner, ed., *Modernity and Population Management* (Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2003), pp. 19-45.

Republished in: David Hoffmann, *Stalinism: The Essential Readings* (New York: Blackwell, 2003).

5. "To Count, to Extract, To Exterminate: Population Statistics and Population Politics in Late Imperial and Soviet Russia" in Terry Martin and Ron Suny, eds., *A State of*

*Nations: Empire and Nation-Making in the Age of Lenin and Stalin* (New York: Oxford University Press, 2001), 111-144.

Republished in Russian translation: «‘Исчислить, изъять, истребить’»: Статистика населения и политика населения в позднеимперской и советской России» in *Государство наций* (forthcoming with Novoe Literaturnoe Obozrenie, Moscow)

## V. Non-Refereed Book Chapters and Journal Articles

1. “Bureaucratic Diaries and Imperial Experts. Autobiographical Writing in Tsarist Russia in the late Nineteenth Century: Fëdor Martens, Dmitrii Miliutin, Pëtr Valuev,” in *Imperial Subjects. Autobiografische Praxis in den Vielvölkerreichen der Habsburger, Romanovs und Osmanen im 19. und frühen 20. Jahrhundert*, eds. Martin Aust and Frithjof Benjamin Schenk (Böhlau Verlag: Köln, forthcoming autumn 2015), pp. 205-232.
2. “The World Turned Upside Down: Refugee Crisis and Militia Massacres in Occupied Northern Persia, 1917-1918,” in *Le Génocide des Arméniens: Cent ans de recherche, 1915-2015*, ed. Conseil scientifique international pour l’étude du génocide des Arméniens (Paris: Armand Colin, 2015), pp. 130-54.
3. “Les violences de l’armée russe à l’encontre des Juifs en 1915: Causes et limites,” in *Vers la guerre totale: le tournant de 1914-15*, ed. John Horne (Paris: Tallandier, 2010), pp. 191-219.
4. “Kak kazaki stali kontrrevoliutsionerami: anti-sovetskoe vosstanie na Donu v aprele-mae 1918 g.,” [“How Cossacks became Counterrevolutionaries: The anti-Soviet Uprising on the Don, April-May 1918”] in *Novaia politicheskaia istoriia: sbornik nauchnykh rabot* [The New Political History] [=Istochnik. Istorik. Istoriiia. vol. 4], ed. M. M. Krom (St. Petersburg: Aleteiia, 2004), 98-128.
5. “New Terrains and New Chronologies: The Interwar Period through the Lens of Population Politics,” *Kritika: Explorations in Russian and Eurasian History* 4, no. 1 (Winter 2003): 163-175.
6. “A Tocquevillian ‘Archival Revoluion’? Archival Change in the Longue Durée,” *Jahrbücher für Geschichte Osteuropas* 51, no. 1 (2003): 77-83.
7. “Making Cossacks Counter-Revolutionary: The Don Host and the 1918 Anti-Soviet Insurgency” in Igal Halfin, ed., *Language and Revolution: Making Modern Political Identities* (London: Frank Cass, 2002), 83-103.

8. Tools for Revolution: Wartime Mobilization in State-Building, 1914-1921,” *Ab Imperio*, no. 4 (2001): 209-227.
9. “La société contre l’État, la société conduisant l’État: la société cultivée et le pouvoir d’État en Russie, 1914-1921,” *Le mouvement social*, no. 196 (July-September 2001), 21-40.

This special issue of *Le mouvement social* was republished as a separate volume: Jean-Paul Depretto, ed., *Pouvoirs et société en Union soviétique*, (Paris: Editions de l’atelier, 2002), 21-40.

Republished in *Guerres, paix et sociétés, 1911-1946*, ed. Antoine Prost (Paris: Editions de l’atelier, 2003), 107-126..

Republished in Russian translation as “Общество против государства, общество, сплывающее государство: Образованное общество и государственная власть в России в 1914-1921 гг.,” in “Смена парадигмы: Современная русистика” [“A Change in Paradigms: Contemporary Russian Studies”], special issue of the historical journal *История: Журнал истории и культуры России и Восточной Европы* (St. Petersburg: Nestor-Istoriia), no. 11 (2007): 248-66.

10. (with Michael David-Fox and Marshall Poe), “Zhurnal ‘Kritika’ i novaia, nadnatsional’naia istoriografiia Rossii” (The Journal ‘Kritika’ and the New, Supranational History of Russia), *Novoe literaturnoe obozrenie* (New Literary Review) [Moscow], no. 50 (2001), 403-407.
11. “La Question de la violence,” in Claudio Sergio Ingerflom, ed., *Le siècle des communismes* (Paris: Les éditions d l’Atelier, 2000), 123-143.
12. “What’s So Revolutionary About the Russian Revolution?: Political Practice and the New-Style Politics, 1914-1921” in David Hoffmann and Yanni Kotsonis, eds., *Russian Modernity: Politics, Knowledge, Practices* (New York: Macmillan, 2000), 87-111.
13. “Rossiiskaia katastrofa (1914-1921) v evropeiskom kontekstse: total’naia mobilizatsiia i ‘politika naseleniia”” [“The Russian Catastrophe in its European Context: Total Mobilization and ‘Population Politics””], *Rossii: XXI vek* (Moscow) no. 11/12 (1998): 26-54.

Republished in N. N. Smirnov, ed., *Rossii i pervaiia mirovaia voina* (St. Petersburg: Dmitrii Bulanin, 1999), 83-101.

14. "Russia's Deluge (1914-1921) and the Russian Revolution," in *Aktual'nye problemy prepodovaniia rossiiskoi istorii v universitetakh Rossii i S.Sh.A.* (Samara: Samarskii universitet, 1998): 34-39.
15. "From Estate to Ethnos: the Changing Nature of Cossack Identity in the Twentieth Century" in Nurit Schleifmann, ed., *Russia at a Crossroads: Historical Memory and Political Practice* (London: Cass, 1998), 89-123
16. "Anti-Soviet *svodki* from the Civil War: Surveillance as a Shared Feature of Russian Political Culture," *Russian Review* 56, no. 3 (1997): 445-450.
17. "'Conduct Merciless, Mass Terror': Decossackization on the Don, 1919," *Cahiers du Monde russe* 38, no. 1-2 (1997): 127-162.
18. "The Primacy of Politics: Ideology and Modern Political Practices in the Russian Revolution," *Cornell Institute for European Studies Working Paper* no. 96.2. (1996) [25 pp.]
19. "Kruglyi stol: sovremennye voprosy v kazachem dvizhenii" [Roundtable: Current Issues in the Cossack Movement], *Sotsiologicheskie issledovaniia [Sociological Studies]* (Moscow), no. 9 (1992).

## V. Reviews

Featured review of Joshua Sanborn, *Imperial Apocalypse: The Great War and the Destruction of the Russian Empire* (NY: Oxford University Press, 2014), in *Slavic Review* 73, no. 3 (Fall 2015): 600-603.

Review of Brian Boeck, *Imperial Boundaries: Cossack Communities and Empire-Building in the Age of Peter the Great* in *Journal of Interdisciplinary History* 41, no. 3 (Winter 2010): 461-63.

Review of Anatolii Vasil'evich Smolin, *Beloe dvizhenie na Severo-zapade Rossii [The White Movement in Russia's North-West]* (St. Petersburg: Dmitrii Bulanin, 1999), in *Slavic Review* 60, no. 3 (2001): 651.

Review of Ian Kershaw and Moshe Lewin, eds. *Stalinism and Nazism: Dictatorships in Comparison.* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1997), in *Russian Review* 58, no. 2 (April, 1999): 334-35.

Review of Vladimir Brovkin, ed., *The Bolsheviks in Russian Society* (New Haven: Yale, 1997) in *Journal of Modern History* 71, no. 1 (1999): 259-61.



Review of Jonathan Aves, *Workers Against Lenin: Labour Protest and the Bolshevik Dictatorship* (London: I.B. Tauris, 1996) in *Europe-Asia Studies* 49, no. 6 (1997): 1122-1123.

Review of Anna Geifman, *Thou Shalt Kill* (Princeton: Princeton, 1993) in *Nationalities Papers* 25, no. 2 (1997): 353-354.

Review of S. S. Sekirinskii and V. V. Shelokhaev, *Liberalizm v Rossii: Ocherki istorii (seredina XIX-nachalo XX v.)* [*Liberalism in Russia: Studies in History (from the mid-19th to the beginning of the 20th centuries)*] (Moscow: Pamiatniki istoricheskoi mysli, 1995) in *Russian Review* 55, no. 4 (1996): 715-716.

Review of David Scheffel, *In the Shadow of the Antichrist: The Old Believers of Alberta* (Lewiston: Broadview Press, 1991) in *Slavic Review* 52, no. 4 (1993): 915-916.