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WORK EXPERIENCE

2009- present Associate Professor of English, Cornell College, Mount Vernon, Iowa

2003-2009 Assistant Professor of English, Cornell College, Mount Vernon, Iowa

EDUCATION

Ph.D. University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, 2003

Major field: Restoration. Dissertation: "The Subject of Constancy: Sex, Politics, and Women's Speech in the Works of Aphra Behn." Directed by Harold Weber.

Ph.D. fields: Seventeenth and Eighteenth-century poetry, Restoration Drama, Milton Studies.

M.A. California State University, Sacramento, California, 1995

Major field: English Renaissance

B.A. (English) Earlham College, Richmond, Indiana, 1992

RESEARCH & SCHOLARLY ACTIVITY

PUBLICATIONS

"Crusoe's Friday." *Inhabited by Stories*. Ed. Nancy Barta-Smith and Danette Dimarco. New York: Cambridge Scholars P, 2012.

"Entering the Chaos of the Human Mind: The Clark Library's Collection of Commonplace-books." *The Center and Clark Newsletter* 52 (2010): 9-11.

"Layering Knowledge: Information Literacy as Critical Thinking in the Literature Classroom." with Kirilka Stavreva. *Pedagogy* 6.3 (2006): 435-452.

"The Journey from Graduate School to the Liberal Arts College, or I Wasn't Supposed to Get a Job." *ADE Bulletin* 138-139 (2005-2006): 76-81.

Book Review. *The Bawdy Politic in Stuart England, 1660-1714: Political Pornography and Prostitution*. By Melissa M. Mowry. *Renaissance Quarterly* 58 (2005): 1421-1422.

"Who Is Afraid of the Pardoner?" *Journal x* 5.1-2 (Autumn 2000-Spring 2001): 109-116.

PRESENTATIONS

Panel Organizer. "Reading Texts and Contexts in the Eighteenth Century." Society for the History of Authorship, Reading, and Publishing panel. American Society for Eighteenth-century Studies Annual Conference. San Antonio, Texas. March 21-24, 2012.

"The Enactment of Theory: Literary Commonplace-books in the Eighteenth Century." Society for the History of Authors, Readers, and Publication panel. American Society for

Eighteenth-century Studies Annual Conference. Vancouver, British Columbia. March 16-19, 2011.

"An Appetite for *English* Words: The Commonplace-Book and English Authority in the Eighteenth Century." Appetite, Desire, and Gargantuan Pleasures. Group for Early Modern Cultural Studies. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. November 20-23, 2008.

"'Grasping the Can(n)on in His Arms': Touchstones, Tempests, and the Limits of Empathy." Worlds, Texts, Critics. University of KwaZulu-Natal, Durban, South Africa. July, 2007.

"Eighteenth Century to Africa." Literatures in English. St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minnesota. June, 2007.

"Can(n)onizing Women." Humanities and Arts Interest Group Lecture. Cornell College. September, 2005.

"Class Mobility and the Profession, or, I wasn't supposed to get a job." Presentation. Organizer of the Session "Tales from the Promised Land: The Transition from Graduate School to the Tenure Track" with David Laurence, Director, Associated Departments of English. Modern Language Association Conference. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. December 27-30, 2004.

"From Consumption to Production: The Dynamics of the Commonplace Book in Early Modern and Postmodern Pedagogy." With Dr. Sheree Meyer, California State University. Group for Early Modern Studies. Orlando, Florida. November 18-21, 2004.

"Imposing nought but constancy': Women, Wit and the Body." Group for Early Modern Cultural Studies. Newport Beach, California. October 23-26, 2003.

"What do these not-very-good texts teach us?': The Ugly Question of Aesthetics in Early Modern Women's Writing." Presentation. Organizer of the Session "Performing Pedagogy: (Re)-Productions of Early Modern Culture in the Classroom" Group for Early Modern Cultural Studies. Tampa, Florida. November 14-17, 2002.

"Creating a Space for Women in Politics: Aphra Behn and the Pastoral Landscape." Group for Early Modern Cultural Studies, Ninth Annual Conference. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. November 15-18. 2001.

"*Less Weight. less Constancy, in thee is born/Than in the slender mildew'd Ears of Corn'*: The Shepherd-King and the Constant Female Subject." Aphra Behn Society for Women in the Arts, 1660-1830 Annual Conference. Daytona Beach, Florida. October 25-28, 2001.

"She Did, *She* Didn't and He Could Have: Desiring Agency in the Eighteenth-Century Novel." 33rd Annual Comparative Literature Symposium, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas. January 27-29, 2000.

"Learning Disabled Students in the Composition Classroom." 4th Annual Northern California Writing Centers Association Conference. California State University, Stanislaus. March 1995.

INVITED LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS

"The Idea of Ireland and the Place of Scotland in Restoration Pastoral." Rupture and Rebirth in Irish Literature and Culture. South Central Modern Language Association Annual Conference. Fort Worth, Texas. October 28-30, 2010.

"Milton's Conversational Marriage." University of Namibia, Windhoek. October 2008.

"Globalizing English Studies in Iowa: Good Intentions, Faulty Assumptions and the Problem of Empathy." Brown-Bag Lecture Series. The African Studies Center, Michigan State University. 9 November 2006.

"Negotiating the Job Market and Becoming a Professor." Job Information Series. University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa. 26 October 2006.

"Common-place Books and Information Literacy." Information Literacy Workshop for Literature Faculty. Cornell College. June 2004.

HONORS, GRANTS & AWARDS

Mayers Fellowship, Huntington Library, Pasadena, California, (one month appointment) 2009-2010

Clark Short-term Fellowship, William Andrews Clark Center for Seventeenth- and Eighteenth-Century Studies, Los Angeles, California (one-month appointment) 2009-2010

National Endowment for the Humanities grant to attend "Anglo-Irish Identities," NEH summer seminar, Notre Dame University, Summer 2009

Campbell-McConnell Grant, Cornell College, 2009-2010

Faculty Development and McConnell Grant, Cornell College, March 2007 for travel to South Africa and Namibia for course development

Visiting Fellow, Africa Studies Center, Michigan State University, November 2006

Dimensions Course Development Grant, Summer 2005

Cornell College Faculty Development Grant, 2003-2004

Hudson Strode Fellowship for the Study of Renaissance Literature, University of Alabama, Spring 1999

University of Alabama Graduate Council Fellowship, 1996-1997

COLLEGE SERVICE

External member, Reappointment, Tenure, and Promotions Sub-committee for Pre-tenure reviews in 2013, 2012; for tenure review in 2009

Trip leader, Aoyama Gakuin exchange, Tokyo, Japan October 2012

Student Success Team, 2010-present

Academic Programs Sub-committee, Academic Affairs, 2005-2006; 2010-2011

Faculty Mentor for tenure-track professors in Education (2010-2012) and French (2008-2010)

Assistant Editor, *International Journal of the Humanities* and *International Journal of the Book*, 2008-2009

Vice-chair, Advisory Committee on the First Year and Advising, 2008-2009

Writing Program Committee Member, 2007-2009

Advisor, Literary Society, 2007-2009

Advisory Committee on the First Year and Advising 2007-2008

Dimensions Advisory Committee 2006-2008
Ad Hoc Committee on Curriculum Enhancement, Untenured representative, 2005-2007
Advisor to Womyn's Action Group, 2004-2007
Internship Coordinator, English Department, 2004-present
Academic Standing Sub-committee, Academic Affairs, 2004-2005
Off-campus Study subcommittee of the Strategic Planning Committee, 2004-2005

TEACHING

ENG 411 Senior Seminar: Reading the Other in Anglophone Literature from the Eighteenth to the Twenty-first Century
ENG 329 Eighteenth-Century English Fiction
ENG 328 Eighteenth-Century English Literature: Satire
ENG 326 Milton
ENG 321 Medieval English Literature
ENG 319 Advanced Critical Writing
ENG 311 Grammar and the Politics of the English Language
ENG 211 Survey of English Literature I: 800-1800
ENG 201 Introduction to the Study of Literature
ENG 111 Writing Intensive Course for First-Year Students
Topics: The Cultural Uses of Censorship and Literature; Exiles, Immigrants and Nationalists; Science, Fiction, and Culture
ENG 379 Southern African art, literature, and culture (in South Africa and Namibia)
ENG 379 Advanced Writing in Social and Natural Sciences
ENG 379 Advanced Writing in the Humanities
WST 304 Women on the Verge: Investigating the Rhetoric of Difference and Oppression
WST 485 Individual Senior Project

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

Chair, Department of English and Creative Writing 2010 – present
Responsibilities include: oversee and plan budget; hire, supervise, and mentor Distinguished Visiting Writers and adjunct faculty; supervise program assistant; develop and implement department assessment plan; mentor junior colleagues; plan course schedule; coordinate department goals and objectives with institutional mission and strategic plan.

Chair, Committee on Student Life 2012-present
Responsibilities include setting agenda and chairing meetings for the sub-committee chairs' meetings and the full committees; oversee sub-committee on Athletics, Student Governance, and Student Engagement and Retention; present updates and legislation to faculty meeting; provide guidance to Vice Presidents of Academic and Student Affairs

Chair, First Year Experience and Academic Advising Advisory Committee 2008-2009
Responsibilities included: researching first-year programs; gathering and using data about Cornell's first-year students, including satisfaction and retention; developing a first-year program; coordinating with the library, Student Affairs, and Admissions; setting the agenda and facilitating meetings; ushering the final proposal through the faculty committee structure to approval.

Organizer and Chair, First-year Experience Reading Group 2005-2007

Responsibilities included: inviting interested faculty to meet and begin investigating possible first-year programs for Cornell College; selecting appropriate readings; facilitating meetings; working with faculty and institutional committees to pilot first-year seminars; coordinating with Student Affairs.

ADMINISTRATIVE TRAINING & DEVELOPMENT

Participant, Institute on College Futures, Associated Colleges of the Midwest
Chicago, Illinois. June 19-21, 2013

Participant, Iowa Network for Women in Higher Education Conference
St. Ambrose University, Davenport, Iowa. April 4-5, 2013

Participant, Noel-Levitz National Conference on Student Recruitment, Marketing, and Retention
Chicago, Illinois. July 24-26, 2012

Participant, Council on Independent Colleges Department Chairs Workshop
Portland, Oregon. June 5-7, 2012

Participant and Presenter, 28th Annual Conference on the First-Year Experience
Orlando, Florida. February 6-9, 2009

Participant, Associated Colleges of the Midwest, Committee on the Status of Women, Workshop
on Women and Authority. Chicago, Illinois. 2008

Participant, Associated Colleges of the Midwest, Conference on Racial and Ethnic Diversity.
Colorado College, Colorado Springs, Colorado. September 28-30, 2007

MEMBERSHIPS

National Council of Teachers of English

COMMUNITY SERVICE

2012-present Treasurer for Board of Directors, Emma Goldman Clinic, Iowa City, Iowa
Chatauqua Course: Why We Like Literary Characters. Cornell College, Mount Vernon, Iowa
March 18-April 8, 2013

2003-present Volunteer, Legion Arts, Cedar Rapids, Iowa

REFERENCES

R. Joseph Dieker, Vice President for Academic Affairs and Dean of the College
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