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Education:

Ph.D., History, Stanford University, January 1983 .
A.M., History, Stanford University, September 1972 .
A.B., History, Stanford University, September 1971 .

Teaching Experience:

2006-present Professor, Sam Houston State University.
Spring-Summer 2005, Summer 2006 Visiting Professor, Middle East Technical University
1996-2006 Associate Professor, Sam Houston State University
1990-1996 Assistant Professor, Sam Houston State University
1987-1990 Assistant Professor, Norwich University
1985-1987 Assistant Professor, New Mexico State University
1983-1985 Assistant Professor, University of Nevada-Reno
Fall 1980 Substitute Instructor, Menlo College
1979-1982 Adjunct Instructor, Stanford University 1976-1979
Graduate Teaching Assistant, Stanford University

Library, Editorial and Administrative Experience:

Athens Institute for Education and Research: Vice-President of Academics and Head of the History and Philosophy Research Units. (2004-Present). I help organize the International Conferences on History and Philosophy, as well as co-ordinate over 20 International Conferences over the summer European Affairs.

Hoover Institution Press: Proofreader and indexer for the books: *Russia and Asia*, Wayne S. Vucinich, ed. (1972); and *The Soviet Union and the Middle East*, Ivo J. Lederer and Wayne S. Vucinich, eds. (1974). Referee Reader for the book, *Greek Politics at the Crossroads* by Roy C. Macridis (1983)

Center for Russian and East European Studies, Stanford University: Student representative in the Committee for Russian and East European Studies. Assisting in the organization of lectures and conferences (1979-1983) .

Catalog Department, Hoover Institution: Library Specialist, cataloging of Greek, Russian and other materials (3/79-9/80) .

Soviet and East European Collection, Hoover Institution: Research Assistant, processor of newlydonated collections (6/74-9/74). Research Assistant, collection development of materials from Albania, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Greece, Hungary, Romania and Yugoslavia (6/76-10/76). Research Assistant on the revision of the book, *The Communist Regimes of Eastern Europe*, by Richard Staar (1976). Library Specialist, collection development of materials from Albania, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Greece, Hungary, Romania and Yugoslavia (6/77-1/78) .

Middle East Collection, Hoover Institution: Occasional consultant and processor of Greek and western language materials (1972-1976) .

American Historical Association: Student Assistant to the chairmen of the program committee for the 1973 AHA meeting. Processing of correspondence concerning the AHA program, in particular, session and paper proposals (1-12/1973) .

Center for Russian and East European Studies, Stanford University: Student representative in the Committee for Russian and East European Studies. Assisting in the organization of lectures and conferences (1979-1983) .

Courses taught:

Undergraduate: Western Civilization to 1660; Western Civilization Since 1660; World History to 1500; World History 1500 to 1914; World History Since 1914; Russian History to 1917; Russian 2 History Since 1917; Middle East History; Ancient History; American Military History; Byzantine Civilization; Ancient and Medieval Military history, The Modern Middle East; Europe from 1815 to 1914; The Traditional Middle East .

Graduate: Soviet Nationalities; The Eastern Question; The Origins and Early Phases of the Cold War; The Later Phases and End of the Cold War; The Diplomacy of the Middle East; Balkan History; Ancient and Medieval Military history; The Military Revolution in Early Modern Europe; The Rise of the Early Modern European State; Global Ethnic Conflict in the 20th Century; Resistance and Revolution in Southeastern Europe, 1941-1945; Nationalism and Communism in Southeastern Europe; Topics in Islamic Civilization; Medieval Anatolia; Western Historical Writing and the Problem of "Orientalism"; The Ancient World in the Cinema; History and Archaeology of the Bronze Age; Traditional Russian History and Culture in Post-Soviet Russian Cinema.

Fellowships and grants:

2005 Fulbright Teaching Fellow to Turkey 2001 Fulbright Study Tour Fellowship to Turkey

1991 United States Military Academy Military History Fellowship .

1988 Dana Faculty Fellowship, Norwich University.

1987 Research Fellowship, New Mexico State University Arts and Science Research Center .

Publications: Books:

Greeks in Russian Military Service in the Late Eighteenth and Early Nineteenth Centuries (Thessalonike, Greece: Institute for Balkan Studies, 1991). 425 pages .

Associate editor, *An Ethnohistorical Dictionary of the Russian and Soviet Empires*, James Olson, editor (Greenwich, Connecticut: Greenwood Press, 1994). 840 pages .

Editor, *Antiquity and Modernity: A Celebration of European History and Heritage in the Olympic Year 2004. Essays from the 1st International Conference on European History* (Athens: The Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2004). 384 pages .

Co-Editor, along with Michael Aradas, *Themes in European History. Essays from the 2nd International Conference on European History* (Athens: The Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2005). 453 pages .

Co-Editor, along with Angeliki Lazaridou and Gregory T. Papanikos, *Education Concepts and Practices* (Athens: The Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2004). 776 pages .

Editor, along with Gregory T. Papanikos, *European History: Lessons for the 21st Century. Essays from the 3rd International Conference on European History* (Athens: The Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2006). 400 pages.

Editor, along with Kenneth E. Hendrickson, *Interpreting the Past: Essays from the 4th International Conference on European History*, (Athens: Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2007). 324 pages.

Editor, along with Kenneth E. Hendrickson,, *From the Remote to the Recent Past: Essays from the 5th International Conference on European History* (Athens: Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2008). 250 pages.

Editor, along with Gregory T. Papanikos, *Horizons in Education*. (Athens: Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2010). 494 pages.

Editor, along with Gregory T. Papanikos, *Problems and Prospects in Higher Education* (Athens: Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2010). 454 pages.

Editor, along with Yayoung Che. *The Traditional Mediterranean; Essays from the Ancient to the Early Modern Era*. (Athens: Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2011). 384 pages.

Articles and Essays:

"Balkan Foreign Legions in Eighteenth-Century Italy: The *Reggimento Real Macedone* and its Successors," in *Nation and Ideology: Essays in Honor of Professor Wayne S. Vucinich*, Ivo Banac, John G. Ackerman, Roman Szporluk, Eds. (Boulder, CO; East European Monographs and Columbia University Press, 1983), 35-59 .

- "The Soviet-Yugoslav Conflict and the Greek Civil War," in *At the Brink of War and Peace: The Tito-Stalin Split in Historic Perspective*, Wayne S. Vucinich, ed. (New York: Brooklyn College Monographs and Columbia University Press, 1983), 35-59. chapter 9, pp. 219-237, 324-332 .
- "The Origins of the Modern Olympics: A Reinterpretation," in *Halcyon: A Journal of the Humanities*, volume 9 (1987): 167-183 .
- "Guerrilla Warfare in the Balkans, 1941-1945: A Historiographic Essay," in *Papers of the U.S.M.A.-R.O.T.C. Military History Fellowship, 1991*. (West Point, NY: U.S.M.A. Publication, 1991) .
- "The Ottoman View of the Battle of Kosovo" (co-authored) in *Kosovo: Legacy of a Medieval Battle*, (University of Minnesota: Minnesota Mediterranean and East European Monographs, 1991), chapter 3, pp. 41-59 .
- "Between Two Empires: Serbian Survival in the Years After Kosovo," in *Serbia's Historical Heritage*, Alex Dragnich, editor (Boulder, CO: East European Monographs, 1994), chapter 2, pp. 17-37 .
- "Developing New Evaluation Systems for In-Class and Take Home Examinations," in *Sam Houston State University. Across-the- University Writing Program Newsletter* , volume 12 (May 1995) .
- Reprinted in the writing program newsletter of the University of Southwestern Louisiana .
- "The Precursors of the Modern Olympics," in *Antiquity and Modernity: A Celebration of European History and Heritage in the Olympic Year 2004. Essays from the 1st International Conference on European History* (Athens, Greece: The Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2004), chapter 7, pp. 69-88
- "Η Φρουρά των Βαραγγών: Αγγλοσαξωνες προσφυγες στο Βυζαντινο Στρατο" (The Varangian Guard: English Refugees in the Byzantine Army), in *Ιστορική Θεματά (Historical Themes)*, 41 (Athens, Greece, 2005): 34-49 .
- "Greece and the Russian- Ottoman War of 1877-1878," in *Ottoman-Russian War of 1877-1878* (Ankara: Middle East Technical University Press, 2006).
- "Έλληνες Μισθοφόροι στην Ιταλία: Η ενοπλη προεργασία της εθνεγερσίας," *Ιστορικά Θεματά* 86 (Ιούλιος- Αυγούστος 2009): 20-37. "Greek Mercenaries in Italy: The Armed Prelude to the National Rising," *Historical Themes* 86 (July-August 2009): 20-37.

Other Publishing activities (contributor, book reviews, series editorships, etc.)

- The book review of *The Quest for Orthodox Unity in America: A History of the Orthodox Church in America in the Twentieth Century*, by Archimandrite Seraphim Surrency, in *Russian Review* volume 34, number 2, (April 1975): 240-241.
- The sections on Albania (co-authored) and Greece for the book, *Russia , the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe. A Survey of Holdings at the Hoover Institution on War, Revolution and Peace*, Joseph D . Dwyer, ed. (Stanford, CA: Hoover Institution Press, 1981), pp. 1-8, 55-73 .
- Contributor of articles on Aurangzeb, Chetniks, Coup d'Etat, Ethnicity and the Military, Irregulars, Paramilitary Groups, Persian Afghan Wars, and Persian-Ottoman Wars in *The International Encyclopedia of Military History*, James Bradford (London, UK: Routledge, 2004). 2 vols .
- Series Editor of George Kaloudis, *The Greek Military Dictatorship: Lessons Learned* (Athens: The Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2004). 170 pages.
- Interview in the quarterly Greek journal *Οικονομία και Αθλητισμός (Economy and Athletics)*, volume 4, number 2 (Athens, Greece: April 2004): 7-10.
- Series Editor of Kenneth E. Hendrickson and Glenn M. Sanford, *Historical Dictionary of the Darwin Controversy* (Athens: The Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2006). 370 pages.
- Contributor on the textbook, Craig A. Lockhard, *Societies, Networks, and Transitions: A Global History*. New York: Houghton Mifflin Company, 2006.

Publications edited and produced for curricular purposes

- Ancient History: Sources and Documents*, Part I. *The Ancient Near East, India and China*. (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 1994). .
- Ancient History: Sources and Documents*, Part II. *Oriental Empires and the Rise of Greece*. (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 1994) .
- Ancient History: Sources and Documents*, Part III. *Classical and Hellenistic Greece* (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 1994) .
- Sam Houston State University, 1994) .
- Texts in World History*. (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 1995) .

Readings in the History of Early Modern Europe. Parts I-X. (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 1996). .

Readings in Medieval History. Part 1-14. (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 1997) .

Text in World History (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 2006)

Scholarly papers (* indicates subsequent use in publications):

"The American Motion Picture Social: The Form, Its Demise and its Revival," At the 7th International Conference on Communication and Mass Media, 19 May 2009 in Athens, Greece.

"Eastern and Western Antecedents for the Modern Olympic Games," At the 8th International Conference on Sports: Economic, Management and Marketing. Aspects, 29-30 May 2008, in Athens, Greece.

"The Image of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in the American Motion Picture Serial," co-authored by Robert Shadle and myself, at the 4th International Conference on History, 28-31 December 2007 in Athens, Greece..

*"Greece and the Russian- Ottoman War of 1877-1878," in Presented at the International Conference on the Ottoman-Russian War of 1877-1878 in December 2005 at the Middle East Technical University in Ankara, Turkey .

"The Precursors of the Modern Olympics," Presented at the 1st International Conference on European History in December 2003 in Athens, Greece .

"The Image of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in American Film and Television," at the meeting of the Southeast Association for Canadian Studies on 22 August 2003 at in Atlanta, Georgia .

"The Image of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in American Film and Television," Presented at the meeting of the Southwest Association for Canadian Studies in February 2003 at Texas Women's University in Denton, Texas .

"Turkmenistan," Presented at the Central Asian Conference at the university of Minnesota, April 1996 .

"The Image of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in the American Motion Picture Serial," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southwest Association of Canadian Studies. Held at Denton, Texas in February 1995 .

"The Land of a Thousand Cities: Turkmenistan in Antiquity," a lecture and slide presentation copresented with Lee M. Pappas entitled under the auspices of the Archaeological Association of America. Held at Rice University in Houston Texas on April 19, 1994 .

*"Guerrilla Warfare in the Balkans, 1941-1945: A Historiographic Essay," a paper presented at the 1991 *U.S.M.A.-R.O.T.C. Military History Fellowship*, held at West Point, New York, June 2-28, 1991 .

*"Between Two Empires: Serbian Survival in the Years After Kosovo," a paper presented at the Symposium, *Serbian Historical Heritage--Kosovo to Present*, held at the 1990 Convention of the American Serbian Heritage Foundation. Held in Washington, D. C., Sunday, June 22, 1990.