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POSITIONS

Distinguished Professor, College of Letters & Science, Montana State University, 2013-
Michael P. Malone Professor of History, Department of History and Philosophy, Montana State University, 2005-2010
Professor, Department of History and Philosophy, Montana State University, 2003-
Associate Professor, Department of History and Philosophy, Montana State University, 1996-2003
Assistant Professor, Department of History and Philosophy, Montana State University, 1990-1996
Visiting Instructor, University of Wyoming, 1989-1990
Affiliate Research Associate of History, Museum of the Rockies, 2002-2008

EDUCATION

Ph.D., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 1990
M.A., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 1983
B.A., *summa cum laude*, University of Massachusetts at Boston, 1977. Department Prize for Distinction in Political Science

BOOKS-IN-PROGRESS

-Gender, Culture, and the Politics of Food on the Northern Borderlands, 1914-1941.
-Co-author with Molly Kruckenberg, Zoe Ann Stoltz, and Jan Zauha, Cooking Up the Past: a Montana Culinary History. Under contract with Montana Historical Society Press.

PUBLICATIONS

Books and Book chapters:

"Remember Me: A History of Work and Beauty in Montana Quilts" in *Border to Border: Quilts and Quiltmakers of Montana*, Annie Henshew. Helena: Montana Historical Society Press, 2009. pp. 1-21.
"Latitudes and Longitudes: Teaching the History of Women in the U.S. and Canadian Wests," in *One Step over the Line: Toward a History of Women in the North American West*, eds. Elizabeth Jameson and Sheila McManus. Edmonton: University of Alberta Press, 2008, pp. 411-25.
"Elizabeth Davey Lochrie: A Well-Ordered Life," in *Motherlode: Legacies of Women's Lives and Labors in Butte, Montana*, eds., Janet L. Finn and Ellen Crain. Livingston, Montana: Clark City Press, 2005, pp.184-96.
Hope in Hard Times: New Deal Photographs of Montana, 1936-1942. Helena, Mont.: Montana Historical Society Press, 2003. Recipient of Montana Book Award, 2003.
Montana Legacy: Essays on History, People, and Place. Co-editor with Harry W. Fritz and Robert R. Swartout, Jr. Helena, Mont: Montana Historical Society Press, 2002.
Like A Family, The Making of a Southern Cotton Mill World. Co-author with Jacquelyn Dowd Hall, James Leloudis, Robert Korstad, Lu Ann Jones and Christopher B. Daly. Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 1987, 2nd edition, with Afterword, (pp. 364-383) 2000. Recipient of

the 1988 Albert J. Beveridge Award, 1988 Merle Curti Social History Award, the 1987 Philip Taft Labor History Award, the 1988 North Carolina Society of Historians Merit Award of Recognition, and 1988 Honorable Mention for the John Hope Franklin Prize.

Mining Cultures: Men, Women, and Leisure in Butte, 1914-41. Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 1997. Recipient of 1998 Barbara Sudler Award, Colorado Historical Society; 1998 Spur Award Finalist in Contemporary Nonfiction, Western Writers of America; 1997 Choice Outstanding Academic Book.

"Making Men in the West: The Coming of Age of Miles Cavanaugh and Martin Frank Dunham," in *Over the Edge: Remapping the American West,* eds., Valerie J. Matsumoto and Blake Allmendinger. Berkeley: University of California Press, 1998, pp. 133-47.

"Searching for an Angle of Repose: Women, Work, and Creativity in Early Montana," in *Many Wests: Place, Culture & Regional Identity*, eds., David M. Wrobel and Michael C. Steiner. Lawrence: University Press of Kansas, 1997, pp. 156-76.

"Confronting the Demons of Feminist Public History: Scholarly Collaboration and Community Outreach." Co-author with Laurie Mercier in *Women's Words: The Feminist Practice of Oral History*, eds., Sherna Gluck and Daphne Patai. NY: Routledge Press, 1991, pp. 175-87.

Refereed Articles:

"When Jeannette Said 'No': Montana Women's Response to World War I," *Montana Magazine of Western History* 65:1 (Spring 2015): 3-23.

"Montana Quilts and Quiltmakers: A History of Work and Beauty," *Montana Magazine of Western History* 58:3 (Autumn 2008): 23-25, 33-47.

"'Educate, Organize and Agitate': Reading and Writing the Working Class," *Frontiers: A Journal of Women Studies* 18:3 (1997): 155-58.

"'. . . And All That Jazz': Changing Manners and Morals in Butte after World War I," *Montana Magazine of Western History* 46 (Winter 1996): 50-63.

"Bootlegging Mothers and Drinking Daughters: Gender and Prohibition in Butte, Montana," *American Quarterly* 46 (June 1994): 174-94. Reprinted in *Montana Legacy: Essays on History, People, and Place*, eds., Harry M. Fritz, Mary Murphy, Robert R. Swartout, Jr. Helena, Mont: Montana Historical Society Press, 2002. Reprinted in *Western Women's Lives: Continuity and Change in the Twentieth Century*, ed., Sandra K. Schackel. Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press, 2003.

"Messenger of the New Age: Station KGIR in Butte, Montana," *Montana the Magazine of Western History* 39 (Autumn 1989): 52-63. Reprinted in *Retracing the Past: Readings in the History of the American People*, 3rd ed., eds., Gary Nash and Ron Schultz. NY: HarperCollins, 1994.

"'I Give the Best Part of My Life to the Mill': An Oral History of Icy Norman," *Frontiers, A Journal of Women Studies*, 9:3 (1987): 83-90. Reprinted in *Women's Oral History: The Frontiers Reader*, eds., Susan Armitage et al. University of Nebraska Press, 2002.

"The Private Lives of Public Women: Prostitution in Butte, Montana, 1878-1917," *Frontiers, A Journal of Women Studies*, 7:3 (1984): 30-35. Reprinted in *The Women's West*, eds., Susan Armitage and Elizabeth Jameson, Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 1987, and in *History of Women in the United States,* vol. 9, ed., Nancy Cott. Munich: K.G. Saur, 1993.

Solicited Articles:

Reprint "Copper Metropolis," in *Vernacular Architecture Forum 2009 Field Guide.,* ed. Richard I. Gibson, VAF Montana, 2009, pp. 47-57.

"Men in Hats," *Drumlummon Views* 3:1 (Spring 2009): 315-320.

"Remembering Dave Walter," *Montana Magazine of Western History* 56:3 (Autumn 2006): 68-69.

"Romancing the West: Photographs by Marion Post Wolcott,"(a photo essay) *Frontiers, A Journal of Women Studies*, 25:1 (2004): 165-171.

"Falling in Love with Montana: John Vachon's Photographic Sojourn," *Montana Magazine of Western History*, 54:1 (Spring 2004): 2-13.

"Picture/Story: Representing Gender in Montana Farm Security Administration Photographs," *Frontiers, A Journal of Women Studies* 22:3 (2001): 93-115. Honorable Mention, Jensen-Miller Prize, 2002.

"Votes and Violets: Montana Women in the Twentieth Century," in *Twentieth Century Montana*, ed., Michael Malone. Helena, Mont: Falcon Publishing, Inc., 1999, pp. 93-109.

"Butte: Resilient City with an Unforgettable Past*," Montana Magazine of Western History*, introduction to special issue 48 (Autumn 1998): 2-3.

"Elizabeth Davey Lochrie" in *Elizabeth Lochrie: Portraits of a People*, exhibit catalog. Helena, Montana: Holter Museum of Art, 1997.

"A Place of Greater Opportunity: Irish Women's Search for Home, Family, and Leisure in Butte, Montana," *Journal of the West*, 31 (April 1992): 73-78. Reprinted in *The Irish in the West*, eds., Timothy J. Sarbaugh and James P. Walsh, Manhattan, KS: Sunflower University Press, 1993.

"Women's Work in a Man's World," *The Speculator* 1(Winter 1984): 18-25.

Encyclopedia entries and miscellaneous publications:

Entries, "Me, Me, Me, Me: Butte's Bohemian, Mary MacLane," "Jeannette Rankin: Suffragist, Congresswoman, Pacifist," and "The Women's Protective Union," Montana Historical Society blog, *Women's History Matters*, http://montanawomenshistory.org, 2014.

Entries on "Mary Rowlandson," "Mary Jemison," and "Spinsters," Billy G. Smith, ed., *Encyclopedia of American History: Colonization and Settlement (1608-1760)* vol. 2, Facts on File, Inc., 2002.

Entry on "Jeannette Rankin," p. 945, Howard Lamar, ed., *The New Encyclopedia of the American West*, New Haven: Yale University Press, 1998.

Entry on "Butte, Montana" for Robert H. Ferrell and Joan Hoff, eds., *Dictionary of American History*, Supplement, Part I. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, 1996.

Entries on "Mary MacLane," pp. 923-24, and "Jeannette Rankin," p. 1355, Charles Phillips and Alan Axelrod, eds., *Encyclopedia of the American West*, vol. 3. NY: Simon & Schuster Macmillan, 1996.

Entries on the "Industrial Workers of the World," "Elizabeth Gurley Flynn," the "Women's Protective Union," and the "Montana Federation of Negro Women's Clubs," ed., Angela Howard Zophy, ^. Garland Publishing, 1990; 2nd edition, 2000.

Molders and Shapers, Montana Women as Community Builders, An Oral History Sampler and Guide. Co-author with Laurie Mercier, Linda Peavy, Diane Sands, and Ursula Smith. Molders & Shapers Collective, 1987.

Butte, Montana, A Select Bibliography. Co-author with Bill Walker, Published with the support of the National Endowment for the Humanities and the Montana Committee for the Humanities, 1980.

Book & Exhibit Reviews

Sandra K. Schackel, Working the Land: Stories of Ranch and Farm Women in the Modern American West (Lawrence: University Press of Kansas, 2011) *Oregon Historical Quarterly*, 113:1(Spring 2012): 120-21.

Chaudhuri, et al., eds. Contesting Archives: Finding Women in the Sources (Champaign: University of Illinois Press, 2010) *Pacific Historical Review* 81:1 (February 2012): 147-48.

Frank H. Goodyear III, Faces of the Frontier: Photographic Portraits from the American West (Norman: University of Oklahoma Press; Washington, D.C.: National Portrait Gallery, 2009), *Great Plains*

Quarterly 30 (Fall 2010): 322-23.

Verlaine Stoner McDonald, The Red Corner: The Rise and Fall of Communism in Northeastern Montana (Helena: Montana Historical Society Press, 2010), *South Dakota History* 40 (Winter 2010): 366.

Dana Frank, Local Girl Makes History: Exploring Northern California's Kitsch Monuments (San Francisco: City Lights Foundation, 2007) in *Western Historical Quarterly* 41 (Spring 2010): 113-14.

Dennis L. Swibold, Copper Chorus: Mining, Politics, and the Montana Press, 1889-1959 (Helena: Montana Historical Society Press, 2006) in *Western Historical Quarterly* 39:1(Spring 2008): 78-79.

"Cultural Fences: The Intersecting Material World of American Indians and Euro-Americans," (exhibit Museum of Rockies) in *Journal of American History* 94:1 (June 2007): 209-212.

Sheila McManus, The Line Which Separates: Race, Gender, and the Making of the Alberta-Montana Borderlands (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 2005) in *Western Historical Quarterly* (Spring 2007): 70-71.

John Vachon, Miles Orvell, John Vachon's America: Photographs and Letters from the Depression to World War II (Berkeley: University of California Press, 2003) in *Montana Magazine of Western History* 55:2 (Summer 2005): 81-2.

Catherine Gilbert Murdock, Women, Men, and Alcohol in America, 1870-1940 (Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, 1999) in *Annals of Iowa* 60:2 (Spring 2001) 185-86.

Dee Garceau, The Important Things in Life: Women, Work, and Family in Sweetwater County, Wyoming, 1880-1929 (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 1997) in *Pacific Historical Review* 69:1 (February 2000): 109-111.

Marion K. Barthelme, ed., Women in the Texas Populist Movement: Letters to the Southern Mercury (College Station: Texas A & M Press, 1997) in *Pacific Historical Review* 68:3 (August 1999): 476-77.

Ronald M. James and C. Elizabeth Raymond, eds., Comstock Women: The Making of a Mining Community (Reno: University of Nevada Press, 1998) in *Western Historical Quarterly* (Summer 1999): 222-23.

Karen J. Blair, ed., Northwest Women: An Annotated Bibliography of Sources on the History of Oregon and Washington Women, 1787-1970 (Pullman: Washington State University Press, 1997) in *Pacific Northwest Quarterly* 89 (Summer 1998): 155-56.

Caroline James, Nez Perce Women in Transition, 1877-1990 (Moscow, ID: University of Idaho Press, 1996) and Judy Yung, Unbound Feet: A Social History of Chinese Women in San Francisco (Berkeley: University of California Press, 1995) in *Feminist Collections: A Quarterly of Women's Studies Resources*, 18 (Summer 1997): 9-10.

Gary M. Fink and Merl E. Reed, eds., Race, Class, and Community in Southern Labor History (Tuscaloosa: University of Alabama Press, 1994) in *Journal of Southern History*, 62 (November 1996): 846-47.

Benson Tong, Unsubmissive Women: Chinese Prostitutes in Nineteenth Century San Francisco (Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 1994) in *The Historian*, 58 (Winter 1996): 415-16.

Virginia Bernhard, et al., eds., Hidden Histories of Women in the New South (Columbia: University of Missouri Press, 1994) in *Journal of American History*, 82 (September 1995): 761-62.

Kristie Miller, Ruth Hanna McCormick: A Life in Politics, 1880-1944 (Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press, 1992) in *Montana Magazine of Western History* 44 (Autumn 1994): 85-86.

Florence C. Gould and Patricia N. Pando, Claiming Their Land: Women Homesteaders in Texas (El Paso: Texas Western Press, 1991); Suzann Ledbetter, Nellie Cashman: Prospector and Trailblazer (El Paso: Texas Western Press, 1993); and Mary Kidder Rak, A Cowman's Wife (Austin: Texas State Historical Association, 1993) in *Southwestern Historical Quarterly* 98 (July

1994): 161-62.

Mary H. Blewett, The Last Generation: Work and Life in the Textile Mills of Lowell, Massachusetts, 1910-1960 (Amherst: University of Massachusetts Press, 1990) in *Oral History Review* 20 (Spring-Fall 1992): 138-40.

Ted Ownby, Subduing Satan: Religion, Recreation and Manhood in the Rural South, 1865-1920 (Chapel Hill: UNC Press, 1990) in *Journal of Church and State* 34 (Autumn 1992): 890-91.

Jeffrey Leiter, et al, eds., Hanging by a Thread: Social Change in Southern Textiles (Ithaca: ILR Press, 1991) in *Journal of American History* 79 (June 1992): 264-65.

Virginia E. McCormick, ed., Farm Wife: A Self-Portrait, 1886-1896 (Ames: Iowa State University Press, 1990) in *Western Historical Quarterly* 23 (May 1992): 226-27.

Janet Robertson, The Magnificent Mountain Women: Adventures in the Colorado Rockies (Lincoln: University of Nebraska, 1990) in *Pacific Historical Review* 61 (February 1992): 147-48.

Joseph R. Conlin, Bacon, Beans, and Galantines: Food and Foodways on the Western Mining Frontier (Reno: University of Nevada Press, 1986) in *Journal of the Southwest* 32 (Spring 1990): 113-15.

David M. Emmons, The Butte Irish: Class and Ethnicity in an American Mining Town, 1875-1925 (Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 1989) in *Montana Magazine of Western History* 40 (Winter 1990): 81.

Jerry W. Calvert, The Gibraltar: Socialism and Labor in Butte, Montana, 1895-1920 (Helena: Montana Historical Society Press, 1988) in *Annals of Iowa* 50 (Fall 1989/Winter 1990): 285-86.

Victoria Byerly, Hard Times Cotton Mill Girls: Personal Histories of Womanhood and Poverty in the South (Ithaca: ILR Press, 1986) in *Labour/Le Travail* 22 (Fall 1988): 328-29.

Keith C. Peterson, Company Town: Potlatch, Idaho and the Potlatch Lumber Company (Pullman: Washington State University Press, 1987) in *Columbia* 2 (Fall 1988): 46.

Grace McClure, The Bassett Women (Athens: Swallow Press/Ohio University Press, 1985) in *Western Historical Quarterly* 17 (July 1986): 337-38.

Sandra L. Myres, ed., Ho for California! Women's Overland Diaries from the Huntington Library (Henry E. Huntington Library & Art Gallery, 1980) in *Oral History* 9 (Autumn 1981): 70-71.

Tom E. Terrill and Jerrold Hirsch, eds. Such As Us: Southern Voices of the Thirties (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 1978) in *WDBS Guide* (September 1979): 45.

INVITED LECTURES

"Beef Fudge, Pork Cake, and Huckleberry Pie: What can food tell us about Montana history?" Luncheon address, Montana History Conference, Bozeman, Montana, September 26, 2015.

"The Dark Side of Montana Children's History," Keynote, MEA-MFT Educator's Conference, Belgrade, Montana, October 2013.

"Food, Power, and War," Keynote, Montana History Conference, Missoula, Montana, September 23, 2011.

"A Rich Man's Harvest and a Poor Man's Struggle: Montanans' Response to World War I," Bringing the U to You, Great Falls, Montana, January 25, 2007.

"Elizabeth Lochrie: Researching the Elusive Trail of a Western Artist," Keynote, Northwest Archivists Annual Meeting, Butte, Montana, May 19, 2006.

"Hope in Hard Times: New Deal Photographs of Montana, " Montana Tech, Butte, March 30, 2004; & for the Montana Council of Social Science Teachers, Helena, October 21, 2004.

"Courting the Plains: Marion Post Wolcott's Photographs of the American West," Central Washington University, April 5, 2004.

"Telling Stories of Community: Sources and Meanings," Old Town History Project, Portland, OR, June 28, 2001.

"Body Language: Reading the Gendered Landscape of 1930s Documentary Photography," Keynote,

Gender Research Symposium, University of Calgary, March 8, 2001.

"Political Hopes and Ethical Quandaries: Reflections on Oral History," University of Calgary, March 9, 2001.

"Picturing Montana: Photographs from the Great Depression," Montana Committee for the Humanities Speakers Bureau, presentations in White Sulphur Springs, Virginia City, Billings, Whitefish, Livingston, Deer Lodge, Bozeman, Helena, Roundup, Butte, Simms, Kalispell, Great Falls, Plentywood, Scobey, Missoula, Glendive, Lewistown Chinook.

"Mining the Mountain: A Look at Butte's Boom and Bust Past," Mountains and Rivers Lecture Series, sponsored by MSU College of Letters and Science & Headwaters Group of the Sierra Club, Bozeman Public Library, November 29, 2000.

"Butte: Montana's Copper Metropolis," Museum of the Rockies, December 1, 1998.

Lectures on "Photographers of the Farm Security Administration in Montana," and *Mining Cultures* at St. John Fisher College, Rochester, NY, November 3-4, 1997.

"Flappers, Flirts, and Feminists: Western Women in the 1920s," Colorado Historical Society, March 18, 1997.

"Manners, Morals & Moonshine: Butte Women in the 1920s," luncheon address at the Montana History Conference, Butte, MT, October 18, 1996.

"Searching for an Angle of Repose: Women, Work, and Creativity in the American West," Phi Alpha Theta Luncheon, Western History Assoc. Conference, St. Paul, MN, October 16, 1997. An early version of this was presented by invitation at the Montana Historical Society, March, 1996.

"The Promises and Problems of Feminist Oral History" and "Women's Voluntary Associations and Community Building," Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, March 2, 1995.

"Coming of Age on the Frontier--or Making Men in the West," presented at "American Dreams, Western Images: Mapping the Contours of Western Experiences," a symposium at the William Andrews Clark Memorial Library, Los Angeles, December 11, 1993.

"Searching for the Angle of Repose: Women in Turn-of-the-Century Montana," presented at 'Thrown So Often on Her Own Resources': A Look at the Western Woman's Life at the Turn of the Twentieth Century, a symposium held at the Livingston Depot, May 1992.

CONFERENCE PAPERS

"Bittersweet: Gender, Food & the State in the U.S. & Canadian Wests During World War I," Food Across Borders Symposium, Part 2, Phoenix, AZ, February 19-21, 2015.

"Bittersweet: Gender, Food & the State in the U.S. & Canadian Wests During World War I," Food Across Borders Symposium, Part 1, Taos, NM, September 18-21, 2014.

"Cooking Up the Past: Writing the Food History of an Agricultural State," Roundtable participant, Agricultural History Society Meeting, Provo, Utah, June 19-21, 2014.

"Lunch Buckets and Dinner Pails: America's Industrial Lunch Box," Roger Smith Conference on Food, New York City, April 3-5, 2014.

"Coalition for Western Women's History Roundtable participant, From Sun Valley to Tucson: Three Decades of Growth in Western Women's History," Western History Assoc. meeting, Tucson, October 9-12, 2013.

"A Century of Suffrage," Museums Association of Montana Annual Conference, Bozeman, MT, March 22-24, 2012.

"Teaching Gender in the American West," Roundtable participant, Western History Assoc. meeting, Lake Tahoe, October 13-16, 2010.

"In Light of Gender: Geraldine Moodie's Photographic Legacy," Place and Replace, A Meeting of Western Canadian Studies & St. John's College Prairies Conference, Winnipeg, September 16-18, 2010.

"Birds and Beasts: Evelyn Cameron and L.A. Huffman in Montana," Organization of American Historians, Seattle, March 26-28, 2009.

"Legislating Loyalty: State Prosecution of World War I in the Pacific Northwest," at Western History Assoc. meeting, Salt Lake City, October 22-25, 2008.

"Whaling and Ethnography in the North American Arctic," International Maritime Economic History Association Congress, 2008, Greenwich, England, June 23-27, 2008.

"Reconsidering the Relationship between Native American Women and Horses," Western History Assoc. Conference, Fort Worth, Texas, October 8-11, 2003.

"Courting the Plains: Marion Post Wolcott's Montana Photographs," Montana History Conference, Helena, MT, October 24, 2003.

"Latitudes and Longitudes: Teaching the History of Women in the U.S. and Canadian Wests," Unsettled Pasts: Reconceiving the West through Women's History Conference, University of Calgary, June 13-16, 2002.

"The Inarticulate Photograph," 5th Women's West Conference, Pullman, WA, July 27-30, 2000.

"Unruly History: Gender in *Roaring Camp: The Social World of the California Gold Rush*," Southwest Labor Studies Assoc. Conference, Long Beach, CA, May 4-6, 2000.

"Narratives of the Great Depression and Regional Consciousness," Oral History Assoc. Conference, Anchorage, Alaska, October 7-10, 1999.

Roundtable participant, "The Status of Twentieth Century Western Women's History," Pacific Coast Branch American Historical Assoc. Conference, Portland, OR, August 8, 1997.

"'Educate, Organize and Agitate': Tillie Olsen, Reading and Writing the Working Class," part of "The Work of Tillie Olsen: A Roundtable Discussion," joint session of the Western Literature Assoc. and the Western History Assoc., Lincoln, NB, October 3, 1996.

"Searching for an Angle of Repose: Women, Work, and Creativity in the American West," 10th Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, June 6-9, 1996.

"Gender, Politics, and the Meaning of War: Women's Response to Jeannette Rankin's Pacifism," Organization of American Historians Conference, Atlanta, April 14-17, 1994. An earlier version of this paper was presented as an invited lecture during "A Symposium: Women in the West Telling Their Stories" at the University of Montana, March 5, 1994.

"In the Light of Gender: Recent Efforts to Reconceptualize the History of Labor in the South," Southern Historical Assoc. Conference, Fort Worth, TX, November 13-15, 1991.

"A War for the Rich Fought by the Poor: Montana Workers' Response to World War I," Montana History Conference, Helena, October 25, 1991.

"Telling Stories to Shape Our Lives: Oral History and Western Mining," Oral History Assoc. Conference, Cambridge, MA, November 8-11, 1990.

"'Plant and Pray': Adapting Women's Clubs to a Western Mining Life," Georgia Assoc. of Historians Conference, Rome, GA, April 20-21, 1990.

"Class, Gender, and Leisure in the Mining West: The Case of Butte, Montana, in the 1920s," Centennial West, Celebrations of the Northern Tier States' Heritage, Billings, MT, June 22-24, 1989.

"Kindred Spirits in a New Land: Women's Clubs in Butte, Montana, 1889-1930," First Southern Conference on Women's History, Converse College, SC, June 10-11, 1988.

"The 'New Woman' in the Urban West: A Look at Butte, Montana," Organization of American Historians Conference, Reno, NV, March 24-27, 1988.

"Only Those of Good Moral Character Need Apply: Women and Community Building in Butte, Montana, 1889-1920," Molders & Shapers, Montana Women as Community Builders Conference, Helena, MT, November 13-15, 1987. Also presented as an invited lecture during Women's History Month at Idaho State University in 1989.

"'With Love and For Freedom': Western Women in the I.W.W.," 7th Berkshire Conference on the

History of Women, Wellesley College, June 19-21, 1987.

"Life in a Radical Community: Women in the I.W.W.," Western Historical Assoc. Conference, Billings, MT, October 15-18, 1986.

Women's Work on the Mining Frontier," Pacific Coast Branch American Historical Assoc. Conference, Stanford University, June 25-28, 1985.

"Women in the Boomtown West: A History of Continuity," The Women's West, Park City, UT, July 11-14, 1984.

"Women on the Line: Prostitution in Butte, Montana, 1878-1917," The Women's West, Sun Valley, ID, August 10-13, 1983.

Commentary:

Comment on "Unrest in the West in the First World War Era," at Western History Assoc. meeting, Denver, October 4-7, 2012.

Comment on "Peace, Parties, and Pieces: Memories and Activism in Mormon Women's Circles, at Mormon History Conference, Calgary, Alberta, June 28-30, 2012.

Comment on "The Risky Business of Managing Miners and Capital in Colorado's Coal Fields" at Western History Assoc. meeting, Salt Lake City, October 22-25, 2008.

Comment on "Men, Women, and the Creation of Identity in the American West, 1860-1920," at Western History Assoc. meeting, St. Louis, MO, October 12, 2006.

Comment on "Women's Activism & Popular Struggles in Latin America" at Oral History Assoc. Conference, Portland, OR, October 2, 2004.

Comment on "Legacies of Conflict: Violent Images & Historical Realities of the Rocky Mountain Labor Wars," at Western History Assoc. meeting, Las Vegas, NV, October 15, 2004.

Comment on "Class in the Atlantic World II" at Class and Class Struggles in North America and the Atlantic World, Bozeman, Montana, September 18-21, 2003.

Comment on "Women and Western Landscapes," Western History Assoc., San Diego, October 4-7, 2001.

Comment on "Purple Mountains Majesty, Amber Waves of Grain: New Perspectives on Rural Women and Landscape," 5th Southern Conference on Women's History, Richmond, VA, June 15-17, 2000.

Comment on "Gender, Family & Community in Montana's Coppertowns: The WWII & Post-War Eras," Western History Assoc. Conference, St. Paul, MN, October 15-18, 1997.

Comment on "Brits Go West," Western History Assoc. Conference, Denver, CO, October 11-14, 1995.

Comment on "Ethnic Labor Unions in the Pacific Northwest," Western History Assoc. Conference, Tulsa, OK, October 13-16, 1993.

Comment on "Worlds Upside Down: Gender Relations in South African, British and North American Mining Communities," 9th Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, Vassar College, June 11-13, 1993.

Comment on "Oral History and the Story of Battle," Public History and the Gulf War Symposium, Montana State University, April 25, 1992.

Comment on "Social Mobility in Two Societies: Two Continents," Oral History Assoc. Conference, Snowbird, UT, October 10-13, 1991.

Comment on "Reform, Community, and the Pastoral Ideal: Midwestern Women Writers and the Politics of Change," Western History Assoc. Conference, Reno, NV, October 17-20, 1990.

Comment on "Some Consequences of Technological Change in the Mining West," Pacific Northwest History Conference, Spokane, WA, April 23-25, 1987.

AWARDS

Vivian A. Paladin Award, best article, *Montana Magazine of Western History*, 2015.

Distinguished Speaker, Western History Association, 2015-
Outstanding Academic Advising Award, Montana State University, 2015.
Governor's Humanities Award, Montana, 2013.
Humanities Hero Award, Humanities Montana, 2012.
Mortar Board, Professor of the Month, January 2010.
James and Mary Ross Provost Award for Excellence, Montana State University, 2007.
Phi Kappa Phi, 2007.
Montana Book Award, 2003.
Honorable Mention, Jensen-Miller Prize, Coalition for Western Women's History, 2002.
Betty Coffey Award for Contributions on behalf of Women at Montana State University, Women's Studies Minor Committee, 2000.
Charles & Nora L. Wiley Faculty Award for Meritorious Research, Montana State University Foundation, 1999.
Barbara Sudler Award, Colorado Historical Society, 1998.
Spur Award Finalist in Contemporary Nonfiction, Western Writers of America, 1998.
Choice Outstanding Academic Book, 1997.
Mortar Board Certificate of Recognition, 1992.
Albert J. Beveridge Award, American Historical Assoc., 1988.
Merle Curti Social History Award, Organization of American Historians, 1988.
Merit Award of Recognition, North Carolina Society of Historians, 1988.
Honorable Mention, John Hope Franklin Publication Prize, American Studies Assoc., 1988.
Philip Taft Labor History Award, New York School of Industrial and Labor Relations, 1987.

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS & INVITED SEMINARS

Scholar-in-Residence, Grey Towers National Historic Site, 2015.
Andrew W. Mellon Foundation Fellowship, Huntington Library, 2015 (declined).
Food Across Borders Symposium, William P. Clements Center for Southwest Studies, SMU, 2014-2015.
Reading Historic Cookbooks Seminar, Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study, Harvard University, 2014.
Sabbatical, Montana State University, 2014-2015.
Scholarship & Creativity Grant for the Advancement of the Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences, Office of Provost, MSU, 2014-15.
Humanities Montana Research Fellowship, 2014.
NSF Dissertation Improvement Grant, co-PI Diane M. Smith, 2008.
CLS Research Enhancement Award, 2008.
Beinecke Fellowship, Yale University, 2008.
Cody Institute for Western American Studies Fellowship, Buffalo Bill Historical Center, 2007.
NEH Summer Institute, American Maritime People, Mystic Seaport, 2006.
Scholarship & Creativity Grant for the Advancement of the Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences, Office of Vice President for Research & Creativity, MSU, 2006-2007.
Sabbatical, Montana State University, 2006-07.
CLS course enhancement grant to use Jones Art collection, 2006.
CLS Research Enhancement Award, MSU, 2005. (for speaker) and (for research).
Scholarship & Creativity Grant for the Advancement of the Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences, Office of Vice President for Research & Creativity, MSU, 2004-2005.
CLS Research Enhancement Award, MSU, 2004.
BEST Award, MSU, 2003.
Short Term Professional Development Leave Grant, MSU Provost office, 2003.
CORE 2.0 grant, MSU, 2003.
Robert G. Dunbar Award, Dept. of History & Philosophy, MSU, 2002.

Scholarship & Creativity Grant for the Advancement of the Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences, Office of Vice President for Research & Creativity, MSU, 2001.
NEH Summer Institute, "The History of Popular Cartography," The Newberry Library, 2001.
Research & Creativity Grant, College of Letters and Science, Montana State University, 1999-00.
Ucross Foundation, Writing Residency Fellowship, 1999.
Research & Creativity Grant, College of Letters and Science, Montana State University, 1998-99.
Sabbatical, Montana State University, 1998-99.
Research & Creativity Grant, College of Letters and Science, Montana State University, 1997-98.
NEH Summer Institute, "The Thirties: American Literature, Art and Culture in Interdisciplinary Perspective," University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 1995.
Research & Creativity Grant, College of Letters and Science, Montana State University, 1995-96.
American Council of Learned Societies Fellowship, 1994-95.
Robert G. Dunbar Award, Dept. of History & Philosophy, MSU, 1994.
Research & Creativity Grant, College of Letters and Science, Montana State University, 1993-94.
Canadian Studies Faculty Enrichment Grant, Academic Relations Office, Canadian Government, 1993.
Teaching & Learning Grant, Office of Academic Affairs, Montana State University, 1992-93.
National Endowment for the Humanities Travel to Collections Grant, 1991-92.
Western Assoc. of Women Historians Graduate Fellowship, 1988.
Southern Assoc. of Women Historians Conference Fellowship, 1988.
George Mowry Research Award, University of North Carolina, 1988.
James H. Bradley Fellowship, Montana Historical Society, 1987.
Henry J. Kaiser Family Foundation Research Grant, Walter P. Reuther Archives of Labor & Urban Affairs, 1987.
Alice E. Smith Fellowship, State Historical Society of Wisconsin, 1986-87.
Duke-UNC Women's Studies Research Center Summer Research Grant, 1984.
Duke-UNC Women's Studies Research Center Summer Research Grant, 1983.
National Endowment for the Humanities Youthgrant, 1979-80.

GRADUATE STUDENTS, degrees completed
Chaired PhD committees for Diane Smith (PhD, history, 2012); Bradley Snow (PhD, history 2012); Jennifer Hill (PhD, American Studies, 2013).
Chaired over 40 MA committees.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE
Undergraduate Courses:
History & Culture of Food in America
America and the World before 1865
Trans-Mississippi West
Montana and the West
Gender in America
Gender in the U.S. & Canadian Wests
Gilded Age to 1941
Twentieth Century American West
Oral History
History of Wyoming
Women's Studies Seminars:
Women in American Social Movements
Women's Camera Work
Gender and Regionalism: the South & the West

Graduate Seminars:

The American West
Historical Methods
Writing History
Gender & Regionalism
Public History
Teaching Assistant Training seminar

PUBLIC HISTORY

Guest Curator, "Hope in Hard Times: New Deal Photographs of Montana," Montana Historical Society, 2001-2002.

Member, Montana Historical Society Board of Trustees, 1997-2005.

Member, Montana Committee for the Humanities, 1992-1995.

Speakers Bureau, Montana Committee for the Humanities, 1999-2012.

Director, Butte-Silver Bow Public Archives, March 1986-January 1989.

Oral Historian: consultant and interviewer for Montana Historical Society on projects researching New Deal workers on the Fort Peck Dam and women in voluntary organizations, 1987.

Research assistant/interviewer, Southern Oral History Program, UNC: interviewed former textile workers for an NEH-funded project on industrialization in the Carolina Piedmont, reported on research and fieldwork; conducted photographic research, 1979-1987.

Oral Historian, Glacier Natural History Assoc., West Glacier, Montana: implemented a MCH project, "Early Development of Glacier National Park and the Surrounding Communities," December-June 1982.

Project Co-director, Butte Oral History Project, January-June 1980.

Workshop Leader: oral history workshops in Anaconda, Kalispell, and Pony, Montana; Durham, North Carolina, 1982, 1983, 1985.

Architectural Historian, Butte Historical Society, summers, 1981, 1984, 1985.

SERVICE ACTIVITIES, 1990-2015

Department

--Chair, Promotion & Tenure Committee, 2015-, 2012, 2003-2004; Member, 1990-93, 1997-98
--Member, Awards Committee, 2015-
--Member, Latin America Search Committee, 2012
--Chair, Outcomes and Assessment Committee, 2011-2014
--Member, Asia/World History Search Committee, 2011
–Member, Islamic World Search Committee, 2008
–Director, Graduate Program, 2007-2008, 2004-2006; 1992-1998
–Chair, Latin American History Search Committee, 2002
–Salary Committee, 2002-2004
–Chair, 19th Century American History Search Committee, 2000-01
–Phi Alpha Theta adviser, Spring 2000, Spring 1991
–History of Science/European History Search Committee, 1999
--Latin American History Search Committee, 1996
--Travel Committee, 1996-97
--Philosophy Search Committee, 1995
--History Committee to Waive the Language Requirement, 1991-94

College

--Western Lands & People Initiative Advisory Committee, 2014-

–CLS Promotion and Tenure Committee, 2004-2008, 2001
–Committee to review NEH proposals, 2007
--Committee to review Research & Creativity Grants, 2003
–Promotion and Tenure Committee, Political Science Department, 2002
–Promotion and Tenure Committee, Native American Studies Dept., 2002
–Chair, Third Year Review Committee, Political Science Department, 1999
--Committee on Teaching, 1993-94
--Committee to review applicants for Rockefeller Brothers Fund Fellowships, 1993, 1995
--Committee to review NEH Summer Stipend Grant Proposals, 1991

University
--Strengthening Research & Scholarly Work Task Force, 2016
--Faculty Advising Award committee, 2015
--Presenter at 2015 MSU Graduate Student Summit
--University Graduate Council, 2013-2014
--Faculty Advisor, Triota, 2014
--VP Research Search Committee, 2013
--President's Commission on the Status of University Women, 2012-2013
--co-chair, Women and Gender Studies Committee, 2012-2014
–chair, FLOC for History for the Transfer Initiative, ongoing
--chair, Scholarship and Creativity Committee, 2007-2011
–chair, Women & Gender Studies Committee, 2007-2008
–Vice Provost for Graduate Education Search Committee, 2005-2006
–favorite faculty lecture, MSU Parents Weekend, 2005
–conducted CATS teaching review for School of Art, 2003
–Dean of College of Engineering Search Committee, 2000-01
–AAUW luncheon presentation on publishing in the humanities, October 1999
–Vice President for Research, Faculty Advisory Committee, 1999-2000
--University Grievance Committee, 1997-2000
--Women's Studies Committee, 1996-2000, 2005-2008
--College of Graduate Studies Task Force, 1997
--Presented "Searching for an Angle of Repose: Women, Work and Creativity in Early Montana" for National Women's History Month, sponsored by MSU Women's Center, March 4, 1997
–Dean of Graduate College Search Committee, 1996-1997
--Promotion Review Committee, Dept. of Media & Theater Arts, 1996-1997
--Commentary on students' public presentations for "Many Faces of Mexico," MSU Great Expeditions Honors course, 1996
--Speaker for New Faculty Orientation, 1996
--Presented "Gender, Politics and the Meaning of War: Women's Responses to Jeannette Rankin's Pacifism," for Women's History Month, sponsored by MSU Women's Center, March 10, 1994
--Wallace E. Stegner Chair of Western American Studies Committee, 1993
--CLS representative to Graduate Council, 1992-93
--CLS representative to Library Committee, 1992-93
--Graduate Studies Committee, 1991-its dissolution
--"MSU for a Day": Hardin, 1991; Butte, 1992 address to County Home Extension Club in Bozeman, 1994
--Montana Committee for the Humanities evaluator for MSU Native American Awareness Week, 1991
--Presented "Recovering Women's Past Through Oral History" for National Women's History Month, sponsored by MSU Women's Center, 1991

--Participated in panel on Women's Rights on Martin Luther King Day, sponsored by MSU Affirmative Action, 1991

Museum of the Rockies

--Docent Training, 2015
–Advisor, "Weathering the Years," NEH planning grant, 2006
–Member, Museum of Rockies Capital Campaign History Advancement Task Force, 2005
–Juror, "Over the Top: Story Quilts" exhibition, 2005
--Guest Curator, "Hope in Hard Times: New Deal Photographs of Montana" exhibition, 2004-2005
–Docent training, 2005, 2003, 2002, 2000, 1999
--Consultant, "Patterns on the Land: Homesteading and Agriculture in the American West" exhibition, 2002
--Consultant, "Quilted Memories" exhibition, 1994
–Public lecture, "Homesteading and Frontier Life," Annual Members' Meeting, 1990

Professional Service

Publication, Grant & Promotion reviews

--Refereed book manuscripts and prospectus for University of Oklahoma Press, 2015, Mountain Press, 2015; Pickering & Chatto Press, 2013; Montana Historical Society Press, 2010, 2007, 2006, 1999; Harvard University Press, 2008; University of Nebraska Press, 2004, 2003; University of Calgary Press, 2003; Palgrave Press, 2003; University of Arizona Press, 2005, 2004, 2003, 2001; University of California Press, 2000, 1996; Routledge, 2005, 1995; HarperCollins, 1994, 1992; D.C. Heath, 1994; University of Illinois Press, 2005, 1993; Washington State University Press, 1992
--Refereed manuscripts for *Pacific Northwest Quarterly*, 2006; *Western American Literature*, 2002; *Pacific Historical Review*, 2012, 2010, 2002, 1999; *Journal of American History*, 2003, 2001; *Oral History Review*, 2000; *Frontiers: A Journal of Women Studies*, 2003, 1997, 1996; *Great Plains Quarterly*, 1995; *The Historian*, 1994; *Journal of Women's History*, 2005, 1995, 1993; *Western Historical Quarterly*, 2008, 2000, 1998, 1996, 1990; and *Montana Magazine of Western History*, 1997, 1996, 1990
--Reviewed grant proposals for NEH Division of Public Programs, 2010; NEH Division of Preservation and Access, 2000, 1996, 1995; NEH Division of Research and Education, 2001, 1998; National Historical Publications and Records Commission, 1998; Idaho Board of Education, 1996
–Member, Editorial Board, *Montana Magazine of Western History*, 2008-
–Member, Editorial Board, *The World of the American West*, Routledge Press, 2008-
--Member, Board of Editors, *Western Historical Quarterly*, 1997-2000
–Reviewed fellowship proposals for American Council of Learned Societies, 1999, 1997
–Reviewed fellowship proposals for James H. Bradley Fellowships, Montana Historical Society, 1992
--Outside reviewer, Promotion & Tenure Committees:
Dept. of History, University of Lethbridge, 2016
Dept. of History, University of Wyoming, 2014
Dept. of History, University of South Dakota, 2013
Dept. of History, Rhodes College, 2013
Dept. of History, Bucknell University, 2009
Dept. of History, Indiana University-Purdue, 2006
Dept. of History, University of Wisconsin, 2001
Dept. of History, New Mexico State University, 2002, 2001
Dept. of History, University of Wyoming, 2000
Dept. of History, University of Colorado, 2000

Dept. of History, Arizona State University, 1998

Professional Organization Activities

--Member, Robert G. Athearn Prize Committee, Western History Association, 2015-
--Member, Armitage-Jameson Book Prize Committee, Coalition for Western Women's History, 2014-
--Member, Billington Prize Committee, Western History Association, 2009-2011
–Member, Oral History Association Book Prize Committee, 2007
–Member, Merle Curti Book Award Committee, Organization of American Historians, 2006-2007
–Member, Pacific Coast Branch Book Award Committee, Pacific Coast Branch of American Historical Assoc., 2005-2006
–Member, Ray Allen Billington Prize Committee, Organization of American Historians, 2005
–Member, Montana Historical Society Board of Trustees, 1997-2005; Executive Committee, 2000-2005; Search Committee for Publications Director, 2000-2001; Chair, Trustees Award Committee
–Member, Program Committee, Western History Assoc., 2001-2002
--Co-chair, Program Committee, Oral History Assoc. 35th Annual Conference, 1999-2000
–Member, Nominating Committee, Pacific Coast Branch of American Historical Assoc., 2005,1998-2000
–Chair, Ray Allen Billington Award Committee, Western History Assoc., 1998; member 1996, 1997
--Member, Jensen-Miller Prize Committee, Coalition for Western Women's History, 1997-99, Chair 1991
--Chair, Article Award committee, Oral History Assoc., 1995-96
--Member, Dissertation Prize Committee, Western Assoc. of Women Historians, 1996
--Member, Montana Committee for the Humanities, 1992-1995. Chair of the Fellowships subcommittee and Grants subcommittee, Member of Tribal Voices subcommittee, Long-range planning subcommittee, and Search committee for new executive director
--Selection committee for "Gallery of Outstanding Montanans," Montana Historical Society, 1994
--Member, program committee, Oral History Assoc. Conference, 1991
--Moderated Plains Indian Seminar, Buffalo Bill Historical Center, Cody, Wyoming, 1996
--Chaired sessions at the Montana History Conference, 1990, 1993, 1995, 2001; Mining History Assoc. Conference, 2001; Women's West Conference, 2000; Oral History Assoc. meeting, 1991; Berkshire Women's History Conference, 1993

Historical Advisor

--Advisor, Montana Women's History Mural, Montana State Capitol, 2013-2014
--Advisor, Keewenaw National Historical Park visitor center, 2009-2011
--Advisor, "The World of K.D. Swan: Early 20th Century Photographer and Conservationist," a film by Marcia Hogan and Libby Langston, 2010
--Advisor for "Butte, America: The Saga of an American Mining Town," a film by Pam Roberts, 2009
–Lecture on "Women's History in Butte" for Montana Heritage Project, Butte, June 23, 1998
--Lecture on Oral History & Montana Voluntary Associations for Montana Heritage Project, MSU, 1996
--Advisory Board, "A Humanities Magazine of the Air: 'Speaking of That . . . " Pat Williams, director, radio program funded by MCH, 2001
–Advisor for "Feeding Our People: A KUSM Special Report on Hunger in Montana," 1992
–Advisor for "I'll Ride That Horse: Montana Women Bronc Riders," a film by Doris Loeser, 1993-94
–Advisor for mining park plan for Butte-Anaconda, 1992

Community

--Wonderlust "side trip" course, 2015
--Humanities Montana Speakers Bureau, 2000-2012
--Public presentations for National Folk Festival (Butte), Gallatin Quilt Guild, Piecemakers Quilt Guild, Bozeman Newcomers, Forsyth Public Library, Sheridan County Public Library, Daniels County

Public Library, 2010
--Public presentations for Quilting in the Country, showing of film “Butte, America,” Homer Club (Butte), National Endowment for the Arts Big Read Program (Gardiner, Roundup, Opheim), 2009
–Presentations for the Montana Historical Society, Bozeman Business & Professional Women, Bozeman Public Library, Belgrade Public Library, Western Heritage Center, Wonderlust (adult ed), 2008
--Presentations at the Meagher County Book Festival; Missouri Headwaters State Park; Quilting in the Country; Bozeman Public Library, 2006
--Presentations at the High Plains Book Festival in Billings; Helena Book Festival; Butte-Silver Bow Public Archives, 2003
–Presentations at Montana Festival of the Book, 2000
--Public lecture, “Searching for an Angle of Repose: Women, Work, and Creativity in Early Montana," Bozeman Public Library, March, 2000
–Luncheon addresses on “Women in Butte” at Bozeman Rotary Club, June 9, 1998 and at the Chester Public Schools Adult Education program, February 7, 1998
--Presentation on *Mining Cultures* at Members Annual Meeting of Gallatin County Historical Society, April 24, 1997
--Public lecture, "Montana Women Write & Read," Glendive Public Library, March 6, 1997
--Contest judge for Norwest Bank high school student history essay contest, 1997, 1998
--Public lecture, "Bootlegging Mothers and Drinking Daughters," Butte Historical Society, Sept. 21, 1995
--Public lecture, "Women's Work in a Man's Town," Labor Heritage Celebration, Butte, Montana, June 10, 1995
--Public lecture, "Women's Voluntary Work in Butte," Homer Club luncheon, Butte, Montana, May 1, 1995
--Interviews on my work and aspects of Montana and women's history for “Speaking of That . . .” (KEMC & KUFM); High Plains News radio (KUFM); Great Falls Tribune, KXLF-tv (Butte); "Montana This Morning," (statewide CBS affiliate); MSU's "Imagine That!" radio program; Montana Standard, 1994, 1995, 1997
--Moderated discussion of Linda Peavy & Ursula Smith's presentation, "Triumph and Tragedy in the Gallatin Valley," Pioneer Museum, Bozeman, 1994
--Public lecture, "Bootlegging Mothers & Drinking Daughters: Prohibition and Gender in Butte, Montana," Montana Historical Society, March, 1994
--Chaired panel discussion with women rodeo performers at film screening, "I'll Ride That Horse," Myrna Loy Center, Helena, 1994
--Public lecture, "The History of Butte's Women's Clubs," Butte-Silver Bow Arts Chateau, 1993
--Presentation on Laurel Ulrich's *A Midwife's Tale*, Bozeman Women's Book Club, 1992
--Address on Jeannette Rankin, Bozeman chapter of PEO, 1992
--Public lecture, "Prohibition: Saloons and Speakeasies in Butte," Butte-Silver Bow Arts Chateau, 1992