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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Columbia University, January 1988
Major field: American history
Minor field: Sociology of race and ethnicity
M. Phil. Columbia University, 1983
M.A. Columbia University, 1981
A.B. Princeton University, 1980 *summa cum laude*

EMPLOYMENT

2006- : Paul E. Raether Distinguished Professor of History, Trinity College, Hartford, CT
fields: African American history; Race and ethnicity; U.S. cultural history
2008: Visiting Professor, Renvall Institute, University of Helsinki, Helsinki, Finland
2002-2003: Fulbright Distinguished Chair: Bicentennial Chair in American Studies, Renvall
Institute, University of Helsinki, Helsinki, Finland
2000 - 2006: Professor of History, Trinity College
1998-2000: Director, American Studies Program, Trinity College
1992-2000: Associate Professor of History, Trinity College
1996-1997: Visiting Associate Professor, Dept. of Afro-American Studies, Harvard
University, Cambridge, Massachusetts
1986-1992: Assistant Professor of History, Trinity College

HONORS, AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS

Saul Viener Prize for best book in American Jewish history for *Troubling the Waters*,
American Jewish Historical Society, 2007
Trinity College Trustee Award for Faculty Excellence, 2007
Trinity College Faculty Summer Research Grants, 2007; 1992; 1988
Fulbright Bicentennial Chair in American Studies, University of Helsinki, 2002-03
Trinity College Faculty Research Grants: Spring 2001; Spring 1997; 1993-94 (declined)
Carlton C. Qualey Memorial Article Award, Immigration History Society, for best article in
Journal of American Ethnic History, 1995-96 (awarded 1997)
Fellow, W. E. B. Du Bois Institute for Afro-American Research, Harvard University, 1996-97
Working Group on Black-Jewish Relations, Du Bois Institute, Harvard U., 1994-1998
Fellow, Charles Warren Center for Studies in American History, Harvard U., 1993-94
Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt Institute, Research Grant, 1993-94
Amer. Council of Learned Societies, Fellowship for Recent Recipients of the Ph.D., 1990-91
Second Prize, Dakota History (for conference paper), April 1988
Danforth Fellow, 1980-86
Phi Beta Kappa, 1980

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

- To Ask for an Equal Chance: African Americans in the Great Depression*, Rowman and Littlefield, 2009.
- Troubling the Waters: Black-Jewish Relations in the American Century*, Princeton University Press, 2006.
- Editor, *A Circle of Trust: Remembering SNCC*, Rutgers University Press, 1998.
- Or Does It Explode? @ Black Harlem in the Great Depression*, Oxford University Press, 1991.

ARTICLES, BOOK CHAPTERS

- Separated at Birth? Henry Roth's *Call It Sleep* and James Baldwin's *Go Tell It on the Mountain*, @ Catherine Rottenberg, ed., forthcoming
- We Contain Multitudes: Arguments for African American Equality, @ *Reviews in American History*, forthcoming
- The History of Communities is the History of the Nation, @ *Communities and Connections*, Ari Helo, ed., U. of Helsinki Press, 2007
- Harold Cruse on Blacks and Jews, @ *Black Intellectual in Crisis*, Jerry Watts, ed. Routledge 2004
- Political Consumer Action: Some Cautionary Notes from African American History, @ *Politics, Products and Markets: Exploring Political Consumerism Past and Present*, Michele Micheletti, Andreas Follesdal, Dietland Stolle, eds., Transaction, 2003
- Liberalisms, @ *Making Sense of the 20th Century*, Harvard Sitkoff, ed., Oxford U. Press, 2000
- The Southern Jewish Community and the Struggle for Civil Rights, @ *African Americans and Jews in the Twentieth Century*, V.P. Franklin, Nancy Grant, Harold Kletnick, Genna Rae McNeil, eds., U. of Missouri Press, 1998, 123-164
- Pluralism and Its Discontents, @ *Insider/Outsider: American Jews and Multiculturalism*, David Biale, Susannah Heschel, Michael Galchinsky, eds., U. of Ca. Press, 1998, 55-87
- Negotiating Coalition: Black and Jewish Civil Rights Agencies in the 20th Century, @ *Struggles in the Promised Land*, Cornel West and Jack Salzman, eds., Oxford U. Press, 1997, 153-176
- Black and Jewish Responses to Japanese Internment, @ *Journal of American Ethnic History* (Winter 1995): 3-37
- Ambivalent Allies, @ *Black Resistance Movements in the U.S. And Africa*, Felton Best, ed., Edward Mellen Press, 1995, 159-194
- God and Man in Harlem, @ *Journal of Urban History* (May 1995): 518-526
- The Politics of Disorder: Re-examining Harlem's Riots of 1935 and 1943 @ *Journal of Urban History* (August 1992): 395-441
- A Failed Attempt to Regain Balance: The Ghost Dance and the Wounded Knee Massacre, @ in *Proceedings of the Twentieth Annual Dakota History Conference*, Madison, SD, 1989
- Textbook Treatments of the Roles of Ritual and Women in Judaism, @ *Jewish Social Studies* 46 (Winter 1984)

BRIEF ARTICLES, EXTENDED BOOK REVIEWS in (edited but accepted w/o peer review)

- Encyclopedia of African American History*, Joe Trotter, ed., forthcoming
- Encyclopedia Judaica*, Michael Berenbaum, ed., forthcoming
- Greenwood Encyclopedia of the Great Migration*, Steven Reich, ed., 2006

Encyclopedia of American Studies, George Kurian, Miles Orvell, et al., eds., Grolier, 2001
Civil Rights in the United States, Waldo Martin, Patricia Sullivan, eds., Macmillan, 2000
Jewish Currents (February 2001; February 1992; December 1989; February 1989)
Making It In America, Elliot Barkan, ed., A.B.C Clio, 2001
Organizing Black Americans, Nina Mjagkij, ed., Garland Press, 2000
Jewish Women in America, Paula Hyman and Deborah Dash Moore, eds., Routledge, 1998
A Companion to Amer. Thought, Richard Fox and James Kloppenberg, eds., Blackwell 1995
Encyclopedia of New York City, Kenneth Jackson, ed., Yale University Press, 1995
Journal of American Ethnic History (Fall 1994)
Historical Dictionary of Civil Rights in the United States, Charles Lowery and John Marszalek, eds., Greenwood Press, June 1992 (revised 2002)

BRIEFER (UNTITLED) BOOK REVIEWS IN:

Journal of American History; *American Historical Review*; *American Jewish History*; *Jewish Currents*; *Journal of American Ethnic History*; *The Historian*; *Journal of Southern History*; *Shofar Interdisciplinary Journal of Jewish Studies*; *Southern Jewish History*; *Pennsylvania History*; *Studies in Contemporary Jewry*

OTHER WRITINGS

ATaking Questions: Harlem During the Great Depression,@ *NY Times CityRoom* blog, Feb.2009
ALeftists and the Civil Rights Movement,@ *Jewish Currents* (Jan-Feb 2008): 19-23, 36-37
AReviewing and Renewing the Black-Jewish Alliance,@ *Jewish Currents* (Jan-Feb 2005): 10-16
ALet My People Go: Blacks, Jews, and the Exodus Story,@ in *The Women=s Seder Sourcebook*, Catherine Spector, Tara Mohr, Sharon Cohen Ainsfeld, eds., Jewish Lights Publishing, 2003
ABlack-Jewish Relations and the Rise and Fall of Liberalism,@ *USA Today Magazine*, May 2000
ADiscrimination Remains for Nonwhites,@ *Hartford Courant* Commentary, July 4, 1999

INVITED LECTURES (since tenure)

92nd St. Y, New York, N.Y., 2009
Spertus Museum and Institute of Jewish Studies, Chicago, 2009
Plenary, Conference: AA Conversation on Race, Religion and Rhetoric in a Diverse America,@ American Jewish Committee and Archdiocese of N.Y., New Orleans, 2009
Fairfield University, 2009
Master=s Programme in English, University of Uppsala, Sweden, 2008
Center for North American Studies, University of Tampere, Finland, 2008
Crossroads Theatre, Indiana University, 2007
Morris Schappes Lectures, Workmen=s Circle and *Jewish Currents*, New York, N.Y., 2007
University of Pittsburgh, 2007
Keynote, Southern Jewish Historical Society, Little Rock, AK, 2006
Keynote, Maple Leaf and Eagle Conference on American Studies, U. of Helsinki, 2006
Bard College, 2006
Connecticut College, 2006
Connecticut Historical Society, 2006
Brown University, 2003
Keynote, Conference: ARace and Ethnicity: Close Encounters of Another Kind,@ U. of Joensuu, Finland, 2003

University of Turku, Finland, 2003
 Black History Month lecture, University of Odense, Denmark, 2003
 Black History Month lecture, University of Helsinki and U.S. Embassy, 2003
 University of Tampere, Finland, 2002
 Inaugural Lecture, Bicentennial Fulbright Professor in American Studies, U. of Helsinki, 2002
 Boston Seminar on Immigration and Urban History, Massachusetts Historical Society, 2002
 Stanley Kutler Lectures in American Jewish History, University of Wisconsin, Madison, 2002
 International Seminar on Political Consumerism, Stockholm, Sweden, 2001
 Sandals Memorial Lecture, Temple Beth Shalom, Manchester, CT, 2000
 University of New Hampshire, 1999
 National Conference on Black-Jewish Relations, 10th Anniversary Forum, Dillard U., 1999
 Florida International University, 1999
 W. E. B. Du Bois Institute Colloquium, Harvard University, 1997
 Spindel Memorial Lecture, Bowdoin College, 1996
 Seminar on Jewish Religion and Culture in the American Diaspora, U. of Pennsylvania, 1996
 New England Seminar on Black Religion, Cambridge, MA, 1996
 Center for the Study of American Religion, Princeton University, 1996
 Connecticut History Seminar, Hartford, CT, 1995
 W.E.B. Du Bois Institute Working Group on Black-Jewish Relations, Cambridge, MA, 1994
 German Historical Institute Conference, *A Race and Ethnicity: Relations between African Americans and Ethnic Groups in American Society*, @ Washington, D.C., 1994
 American Studies Speaker Series, Boston University, 1994
 Charles Warren Center for Studies in American History, Harvard University, 1994
 African American Studies Series, Central Connecticut State University, 1993

PUBLIC INTERVIEWS

PBS NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, May 2009; Finnish Broadcasting System YLI (radio), 2008; *The Jewish State* (N.J.), 2008; *Jewish Ledger* (CT), 2004, 2006; *Baltimore Jewish Times*, 2006; Colin McEnroe, WTIC (radio), 2006; Alan Snitow, *Ambivalent Allies* (radio), 1994; Ric Burns, *A New York* (documentary), 1999

CONFERENCE PAPERS (since 2000)

A Jews and Race, @ World Jewish Congress Annual Meeting, Jerusalem, Israel, 2009
 Roundtable on Black-Jewish Relations, Amer. Jewish Studies Ann. Mtg., Wash., D.C., 2008
A Attitudes toward Intermarriage and Group Self-Identity, @ Maple Leaf and Eagle Conference on North American Studies, Helsinki, Finland, 2008
A Funny, You Don't Look American: Integrating American Jewish History Into the History of the U.S., @ Jewish Studies Association Annual Meeting, Toronto, 2007
A Cheryl Greenberg's Troubling the Waters (Respondent), Association for the Study of African American Life and History Annual Conference, Savannah, GA, 2007
A Identity and Modernism, @ Modernist Studies Assoc. Annual Mtg., Tulsa, OK, 2006
A The Wrong Means to the Right Ends? Jewish Ambivalence Toward Black Civil Rights Action, @ American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, 2005
A Transatlantic Discourses: The U.S. and Europe after 9-11, @ American Studies Association

- Annual meeting, Hartford, CT, 2003
- AComparative Diasporas: African Americans and Jewish Americans Ponder Their Homelands,@ 6th International Conf. on North-Amer. Studies, U. of Tartu, Estonia, 2003
- AThe Great Ebonics Debate: Struggles Over Language and Learning,@ American Studies Seminar, AUSA: Culture and Diversity,@ Jyvaskyla, Finland, 2002.
- AAmerican Jihad? U.S. Politics Since September 11,@ American Voices Seminar, U. of Turku, Finland, 2002 (similar: North American Studies Program, U. of Helsinki).
- AThe Economics of Race Relations: Jewish Businesses, Black Neighborhoods, 1930-1950,@ Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, 2002.
- AProductive Partnerships in the Liberal Arts,@ National Conference on Community Learning, Hartford, CT, 2001.
- AJews, Interracial Coalitions, and the Challenges to Liberalism,@ Organization of American Historians Annual Meeting, St. Louis, MO, 2000.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE: BOARDS, COMMITTEES (sample)

Treasurer, Immigration and Ethnic Hist. Soc., 2009-11; Assessor, Jane and Aatos Erkkö Visiting Professorship in Studies on Contemporary Soc., Collegium for Advanced Studies, Finland, 2008; National Hist. Ctr., Teagle Foundation, Working Group on Hist. and the Liberal Arts, 2007-08; Academic Council, Amer. Jewish Hist. Soc., 2001-07; Ed. Board, Southern Jewish Hist., 2002-06; Documentary Advisory Boards: AHarlem: The Greatest Negro City in the World,@ ABlacks and Jews,@ AJews in the Civil Rights Movement@; Prize committees: Org. of Amer. Hist.; Immig. and Ethnic Hist. Soc.; Amer. Jewish Hist. Soc.

COURSES TAUGHT

Introductory and Intermediate Courses:

African-American History (also at University of Helsinki)	Everybody=s Protest Novel
Immigration and Ethnicity in America: The Urban Crucible	Star Trek and the 1960s
The Debates over Affirmative Action (at Harvard University)	Historiography
Reform Movements of Twentieth Century America	United States Since 1945
The 1960s (at U. of Helsinki)	Women in America
The Struggle for Civil Rights in America (also at U. of Helsinki)	

Senior and Masters seminars, colloquia:

America=s Most Wanted: True Crime and the Amer. Imagination	Civil Rights
Subcultures in American History (also at U. of Helsinki)	American Cultures
Native American Histories and Cultures	The Invention of Race
Race and Ethnicity in Twentieth Century America	Prejudice and Discrimination
U.S. Race Relations (at U. of Helsinki)	Comparative Slavery
Studies in Progressive Amer. Social Movements	Blacks and Jews (at Harvard)
The Homefront: Life During Wartime	Race and Identity

First Year seminars:

Social Critics in American History	Star Trek as Social Text
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Tutorial College (year-long Sophomore program):

Full-time program: intensive reading, writing, research, discussion; 5 faculty, 50-60 students

COMMUNITY SERVICE (since 2000)

Housing Discrimination Tester, CT Fair Housing Center, 1998- ; Trainer, AA World Of Difference@ (workplace, school diversity), 2000- ; Faculty Mentor, Posse Foundation, 2009-2011; Board, West Hartford Initiative on Racial and Ethnic Diversity, 2005- (Vice-chair 2006-09); Board, Jewish Commun. Relations Council of Greater Hartford, 1992-2000, 2007- ; JCRC Social Justice Task Force 2007- ; Leader, Library Discussion Series: Jewish Identity and Autobiography, 2008; CT State Board, Anti-Defamation League, 1992-2004; CT ADL Civil Rights Task Force, 2004-; Jewish Council for Public Affairs, National Comm. on Race and Public Pol., 1998-2000; Public school teacher training: Newberry Teachers Consortium, Chicago, 2009; New England Teachers Assoc., Storrs, CT. 2009; ATeaching American History,@ Hartford, 2008; ATeaching is Central,@ 2006; Gotham Fellows Program, NYC, 2004, 2006; ATeaching American History Project,@ 2005; ATeachers as Scholars,@ Harvard Graduate School of Education, 2002

COMMUNITY LECTURES (since 2000)

On Black-Jewish relations:

Seabury Adult Education Program, CT, 2008; Springfield MA. Jewish Community Center, 2007; Falmouth Jewish Congregation, MA, 2007; Beth El Temple, 2006; Congregation Beth Am, Windsor, CT, 2006; Congregation B=nai Israel, 2005; Greater Phila. Jewish Federation, 2005; ADL, New Haven JCRC, 2004; Congregation Beth Shalom, Rodfe Tsedek, Chester, CT, 2003; Ezra Academy, New Haven 2002; Greater Hartford Jewish Film Festival, 1998, 2001; Quinnipiac University, 2001; Temple Beth Israel, 2000

On African American history and civil rights:

Hartford Stage, 2008, 2009; W. Hartford Public Library, 2009; New Haven Public Library, 2008; MacDougal Correctional Facility, Suffield, CT, 2005; Finnish American Club, Helsinki, 2003; CityConnections, Helsinki, 2003; Trinity Coll. Human Rights Program, 2001

On twentieth century American history:

Harriet Beecher Stowe Center Salon, 2009; Klubi of the North American Studies Program, U. of Helsinki, 2002, 2008; MacDougall Correctional Institution, Suffield, CT, 2004; Trinity HS Colloquium Series, 2003, 2004; Trinity Coll. Human Rights Program, 2001

On American culture:

U. of Helsinki School of Business, 2002; League of Finnish-American Societies, Helsinki, 2003; American Women=s Club in Finland, Helsinki, 2003; ASLA-Fulbright Alumni Association, Helsinki, 2003; Toolo Gymnasium (High School), Helsinki, 2003

On American Jewish history:

Congregation B=nai Israel, 2006; Jewish Historical Society of Greater Hartford, 2005; Temple Beth Shalom, Manchester, CT, 2005

On teaching and learning:

Trinity Ctr. on Teaching and Learning, 2008, 2009; U of CT Grad Program, 2003, 2005; Berlin HS, 2000, 2001, 2002; Johns Hopkins U. Inst. for the Acad. Advancement of Youth Awards, 2000