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Faculty affiliations at Emory:

Faculty, Department of History

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Historical Studies in Theology and Religion)

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Associated faculty, Center for the Study of Law and Religion

I. EDUCATION:

1987: Stanford University, PhD in Classics

1978-9: American School of Classical Studies in Athens (no degree given)

1978: Emory University, B.A. in Greek and English with Highest Honors

II. PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

2010 - Betty Gage Holland Professor, History, Emory University

2004-2010 Professor, Classics, Washington University in St. Louis

1987-2004 Assistant Prof. to Professor, Classical Studies, Sweet Briar College

1985-87 and 1983-84: Teaching Fellow in Classics, Stanford University, CA

1984-85 Lecturer, Intercollegiate Center for Classical Studies in Rome

III. MAJOR HONORS AND AWARDS:

2019-20: Loeb Classical Library Foundation Fellowship

2019-20: Dorothy Tarrant Fellowship, Institute for Classical Studies (London)[on hold]

Spring 2017: University Research Committee grant for course release for 2 classes

2012-13: John Simon Guggenheim Fellowship

2004-5: National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship for College Teachers

1997-8: National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship for College Teachers

1995: NEH Summer Seminar for College Teachers, American Academy, Rome

1993-94: National Humanities Center Fellow (Jessie Ball Dupont Fellowship)

1988: National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) Summer Stipend
1988: Mednick Grant from the Virginia Foundation for Independent Colleges
1979-83: Graduate Fellowship at Stanford University
1978-79: ITT International Fellowship for study in Greece
1974-78: National Merit Scholarship, Emory University
1977: Elected to Phi Beta Kappa, Emory University (junior year)

IV. PUBLICATIONS

Books:

Law and Family in Late Antiquity: The Emperor Constantine's Marriage Legislation. Oxford University Press at the Clarendon Press, 1995. Reviews: *American Historical Review* Oct. 1997 (S. Dixon); *Bryn Mawr Classical Review* 96.8.12 (B. Shaw), *Classical Review* 1996 (G. Clark). Nominated for the Gerard Boulvert Prize for Roman Law 1997.

Women and the Law in the Roman Empire. A sourcebook on marriage, divorce, and widowhood. Routledge Press, 2002. Reviews: *Classical Review* 2003 (J. Harries); *Journal of Roman Studies* 2004 (M. Harlow); *Bryn Mawr Classical Review* 2005.07.14 (M. Sigismund).

The Oxford Handbook of Childhood and Education in the Classical World, co-editor with Tim Parkin. Oxford University Press, 2013. A collection of 32 articles by leading scholars of ancient childhood, one of the Oxford Handbook series.

IN PROGRESS: *Children without Fathers in Roman Law and Society: Paternity, Legitimacy, and Freedom*. Under contract with Oxford University Press. Completion expected December 2020.

Articles and chapters in edited collections:

(forthcoming) "Child Enslavement in Late Antiquity and the Middle Ages." *In The Cambridge World History of Slavery*, vol. 2, ed. D. Eltis, S. Engerman, C. Perry, and D. Richardson. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press (Accepted; in copyedit).

(forthcoming) "Sinner, Slave, Bishop, Saint: the social and religious vicissitudes of St. Patrick." *In Slavery in the Late Antique World, 200-700 CE*, ed. C. de Wet, M. Kahlos, and V. Vuolanto. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press (accepted, in editing).

(2020) "Slave and Free at the End of Antiquity." In *Living the End of Antiquity*, ed. S. Huebner. Berlin/Munich: Walter de Gruyter, pp. 179-192.

(2019) "Not the Marrying Kind: Exclusion, gender, and social status in late Roman

- law." In *La construction du sujet exclu. L'individu, la société et l'exclusion au haut Moyen Age (IVe-XIe s.)*, ed. S. Joye, C. La Rocca, and S. Gioanni. Turnhout (Belgium): Brepols (Collection HAMA), pp. 241-257.
- (2019) "Singles, Sex, and Status in the Augustan Marriage Legislation." In *The Single Life in the Roman and Later Roman World*, ed. Sabine Huebner and Christian Laes. Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press, pp. 105-124.
- (2018) "Diocletian's Private Law: the Family." In *Diocleziano: la frontiera giuridica dell'impero*, ed. Salvatore Puliatti and Werner Eck. Pavia University Press: CEDANT (Centro di studi e ricerche di Diritti Antichi), pp. 345-424.
- (2017) "Emperor Constantine" in *Christianity and Family Law: An Introduction*, ed. J. Witte and G. Hauk. Cambridge University Press, 52-68.
- (2015) "Making the Private Public: Illegitimacy and Incest in Roman Law" in *Public and Private in Ancient Mediterranean Law and Religion*, ed. C. Ando and J. Rüpke. Religionsgeschichtliche Versuch und Vorarbeiten, de Gruyter (Berlin), 115-141.
- (2014) "Illegitimacy and Inheritance Disputes in the Later Roman Empire" in *Inheritance, Law, and Religions in the Ancient and Mediaeval Worlds*, ed. B. Caseau and S. Huebner. Centre de recherche d'Histoire et Civilisation de Byzance, Monographies 46 (Paris), 25-49.
- (2013) "Between Slavery and Freedom: Disputes over Status and the Codex Justinianus" *Roman Legal Tradition* 9 (2013), 31-93.
- (2013) "Infant Exposure and Infanticide" in *The Oxford Handbook of Childhood and Education in the Classical World*, ed. J. Evans Grubbs and T. Parkin. Oxford U. Press, 83-107.
- (2013) "Introduction" in *The Oxford Handbook of Childhood and Education in the Classical World*, ed. J. Evans Grubbs and T. Parkin. Oxford U. Press, 1-13 (with Tim Parkin).
- (2011) "The Dynamics of Infant Abandonment: Motives, Attitudes and (Unintended) Consequences" in *The Dark Side of Childhood in Late Antiquity and the Middle Ages*, ed. Katariina Mustakallio and Christian Laes. Oxbow Books, 21-36.
- (2011) "Promoting *Pietas* through Roman Law" in *A Companion to Families in the Greek and Roman Worlds*, ed. Beryl Rawson, Blackwell, 377-392.
- (2010) "Hidden in Plain Sight: *Expositi* in the Community" in *Children, Memory, and Family Identity in Roman Culture*, ed. Véronique Dasen and Thomas Spaeth, Oxford U. Press, 293-310.
- (2010) "Marriage Contracts in the Roman Empire" in *Ancient Marriage in Myth and Reality*, ed. L. Larsson Lovén and A. Strömberg, Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 78-101.
- (2009) "Church, State, and Children: Christian and imperial attitudes toward infant

- exposure in Late Antiquity" in *The Power of Religion in Late Antiquity*, ed. A. Cain and N. Lenski, Ashgate Publishing, 119-131.
- (2009) "Marriage and Family Relationships in the late Roman West" in *A Companion to Late Antiquity*, ed. Philip Rousseau (Blackwell), 201-219.
- (2008) "Christianization of Marriage? Christianity, Marriage and Law in Late Antiquity" in *Ehe-Familie-Verwandschaft: Vergesellschaftung zwischen Religion und sozialer Lebenswelt*, ed. A. Holzem and I. Weber (Paderborn: Ferdinand Schoeningh), 105-119.
- (2007) "Marrying and Its Documentation in Later Roman Law" in *To Have and To Hold: Marrying and its Documentation in Western Christendom, 400-1600*, ed. P. Reynolds and J. Witte (Cambridge: Cambridge U. Press), 43-94.
- (2006) "The Family" in *The Blackwell Companion to the Roman Empire*, ed. D. Potter (Oxford: Blackwell Publishers, 2006), 312-326.
- (2005) "Children and Divorce in Roman Law" in *Hoping for Continuity: Childhood, Education and Death in Antiquity and the Middle Ages*, ed. K. Mustakallio, J. Hanska, H.-L. Sainio, and V. Vuolanto (Rome: Acta Instituti Romani Finlandiae vol. 33), 33-47.
- (2005) "Parent - Child Conflict in the Roman Family: the evidence of the Code of Justinian" in *The Roman Family in the Empire: Rome, Italy, and Beyond*, ed. M. George (Oxford: Oxford University Press), 93-128.
- (2002) "Stigmata Aeterna: A Husband's Curse" in *Vertis in usum. Studies in Honor of Edward Courtney*, ed. C. Damon, J. Miller, and K.S. Myer (Leipzig: K.G. Saur Verlag), 230-42.
- (2001) "Virgins and Widows, Show-girls and Whores: Late Roman Legislation on Women and Christianity" in *Law, Society and Authority in Late Antiquity*, ed. R. Mathisen (Oxford: Oxford University Press), 220-241.
- (2000) "The Slave Who Avenged her Master's Death," *Ancient History Bulletin* 14, 81-88.
- (1994) " 'Pagan' and 'Christian' Marriage: the State of the Question", *Journal of Early Christian Studies*, vol. 2, 361-412.
- (1993) "Constantine and Imperial Legislation on the Family" in *The Theodosian Code*, ed. J. Harries and I. Wood. Duckworth and Cornell U. Press, 120-42.
- (1993) "'Marriage more Shameful than Adultery': Slave/Mistress relationships, 'mixed marriages' and late Roman Law", *Phoenix* 47, 125-54.
- (1989) "Abduction Marriage in Antiquity: a law of Constantine and its Social Context," *Journal of Roman Studies* 79 (1989), 59-83.
- (1987) "An Identification in the Latin Anthology", *Classical Philology* 82, 238-9.
(with Edward Courtney)

Book Reviews:

- Childhood in History: Perceptions of Children in the Ancient and Medieval Worlds* (ed. R. Aasgard and C. Horn), *Journal of the History of Childhood and Youth* 13 (2020), 127-8.
- Adoption in the Roman World* (by H. Lindsay), *Classical Review* 61 (2011), 229-31.
- Women's Letters from Ancient Egypt 300 BC-AD 800* (by R.S. Bagnall and R. Cribiore), *Bulletin of the American Society of Papyrologists* 47 (2010), 403-8.
- The Relationship between Roman and Local Law in the Babatha and Salome Komaise Archives* (by Jacobine Oudshoorn), *Review of Biblical Literature* (on-line) August 2009.
- The Age of Marriage in Ancient Rome* (by Arnold Lelis, William Percy, and Beert Verstraete), *Mouseion* series III, vol. 7 (2007), 67-71.
- Augustus and the Family at the Birth of the Roman Empire* (by Beth Severy), *New England Classical Journal* 32 (2005), 277-9.
- Children and Childhood in Roman Italy* (by Beryl Rawson), *New England Classical Journal* 31 (2004), 456-9.
- Laying Down the Law: a Study of the Theodosian Code* (by John Matthews) *American Historical Review*, Oct. 2003.
- Perpetua's Passion: the Death and Memory of a Young Roman Woman* (by Joyce Salisbury), *American Historical Review*, Feb. 1999.
- The Virgin and the Bride: Idealized Womanhood in Late Antiquity* (by Kate Cooper), *Classical Philology* 93 (1998), 201-209.
- Patriarchy, Property and Death in the Roman family* (by Richard Saller), *Classical Philology* vol. 93 (1998), 90-100.
- Consent and Coercion to Sex and Marriage in Ancient and Medieval Societies* (ed. A. Laiou) in *Journal of Roman Studies* 85 (1995), 260.
- The Roman Mother* (by Suzanne Dixon), *Classical Philology* 84 (1990), 333-38.
- Women in Roman Law and Society* (by Jane Gardner), *Classical Outlook* 65 (1988), 136-7.

Encyclopedia Articles:

- (2013) "Marriage" in *The Virgil Encyclopedia*, ed. R. Thomas and J. Ziolkowski (Wiley-Blackwell).
- (1999) "Concubinage", "Divorce", and "Marriage" in *Late Antiquity: A Guide to the Postclassical World*, edited by Glen Bowersock, Peter Brown and Oleg Grabar (Cambridge: Harvard University Press).

V. COURSES TAUGHT AT EMORY UNIVERSITY (2010-2020)

History 241: Sex, Love, and Marriage in the Roman World

History 302: History of Rome
History 304: Emperors, Barbarians and Monks
History 385W: Roman Imperialism: Emperor, Senate and Provinces
History 385W: Rise and Fall of the Roman Republic (as writing intensive course)
History 385W: Women in Roman Law and Life (as writing intensive course)
History 487: Women and the Family in Roman Law and Life
History 487: Roman Imperialism: Emperor, Senate and Provinces
History 585: The Later Roman Empire (graduate seminar)
History 585: Ancient Slavery: A Comparative Perspective (graduate seminar, co-taught
With Cynthia Patterson, Prof. of History)
History 585: After Rome's Fall (graduate seminar)
History 585: Slavery in the Roman World (graduate seminar)
Art History 729/History 585: Late Antique Rome: Traditions and Transformations
(graduate seminar, co-taught with Eric Varner, Assoc. Prof. of Art History)
Latin 320: Medieval Latin (with an additional graduate student section)
Latin 487: The Conspiracy of Catiline (Sallust and Cicero)

VI. DISSERTATION COMMITTEES AT EMORY UNIVERSITY:

In History:

Cassandra Casias (Director of dissertation; received degree May 2019)

Mary Grace DuPree (Co-director of dissertation, in progress)

Luke Hagemann (Director of dissertation, in progress)

Anthony Sciubba (Director of dissertation, in progress)

In Art History:

Joanna Mundy (Member of dissertation committee; received degree Dec. 2018)

In the Graduate Division of Religion:

Zane McGee (Member of dissertation committee, in progress)

Marie-Ange Rakotainiana (Member of dissertation committee, received degree Aug. 2020)

Robyn Neville (Member of dissertation committee; received degree July 2020)

Sarah Bogle (Member of dissertation committee; received degree Dec. 2017)

John Boyles (Member of dissertation committee; received degree Aug. 2016)

VII. SERVICE AT EMORY UNIVERSITY

Director of Medieval Studies 2013-2019

Organizing Committee for annual meeting of the Association of Ancient Historians (to be held at Emory April 2019), sponsored by Ancient Mediterranean Studies Program

Program Committee for annual meeting of the Medieval Academy of America, held at
Emory University Conference Center, March 1-4, 2018
Laney Graduate School Executive Committee 2018-
Laney Graduate School Appointments Committee 2014-2016
History Dept. Faculty Review Committee, 2018-19 and 2019-20
History Dept. Undergraduate Committee, 2014-2016; 2017-18
History Dept. Ad Hoc Committee on By-laws, fall 2013
History Dept. Outreach Committee (in charge of Alumni Relations) spring 2011- 2012
Major advising spring 2011-19
Freshman advising (PACE), 2011-19

VIII. COURSES TAUGHT AT WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY IN ST LOUIS (2005-2010):

Classics/History 341: History of the Roman Republic
Classics/History 342: History of the Roman Empire
Classics 371: The Ancient Family (Writing Intensive)
Classics 442/History 4322: Later Roman Empire: Constantine to Justinian
Latin 316: Introduction to Latin Literature II
Latin 317: Literature of the Roman Republic
Latin 318: Literature of the Roman Empire
Latin 401: Medieval Latin
Latin 495: Topics in Republican Latin (Sallust and Cicero)
Latin 4961/Latin 520: Being a Roman Governor (Tacitus and Pliny)

IX. SERVICE AT WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY IN ST. LOUIS (2004-2010):

Chair of Classics Department, 2009-2010
Director of Undergraduate Studies for Classics Department, fall 2006-2009
Undergraduate major advising, 2005-2010.
Faculty sponsor for Eta Sigma Phi society, Wash. U. chapter, fall 2006-2009
New Curriculum Review Committee, 2008-9.
Biggs Chair Search Committee, 2004-5.
Greek Historian Search Committee, 2006-7.
Greek Literature Search Committee, 2007-8.
Search Committee for position in Ancient Mediterranean Religions, 2008-9.
Reader for MA Thesis of Emily Olson (Art History) and Heather Elomaa (Classics).
Director for Honors Thesis of Lucia de Erausquin (2008); Philip Katz and Beth Pfohl (2010).
Institutional representative to Intercollegiate Center for Classical Studies (ICCS).

X. COURSES TAUGHT AT SWEET BRIAR COLLEGE (1987-2004):

Latin, all levels (including courses on Catullus, Vergil, Ovid, Pliny, medieval)
Greek, all levels (including courses on Homer, Herodotus, and tragedy)
Greek History and Roman History
Greek Literature in translation and Latin Literature in translation
From the Bronze Age to the Persian Wars (Greek Civilization I)
The Golden Age of Greece (Greek Civilization II)
The Rise and Fall of the Roman Republic (Roman Civilization I)
Society and Culture in the Roman Empire (Roman Civilization II)
Christians in the Roman Empire, AD 112-312
Roman Archaeology
The Ancient Novel (senior seminar)
Women in Antiquity
Gender and Sexuality in the ancient Mediterranean (advanced level)
Household and Family in Roman Law and Society (advanced level)
The Later Roman Empire: Religion, Law, and Society (advanced level)
Sexual Constructs and Gender Roles in Late Antiquity (Honors Seminar)
Women and the Law in the Roman Empire (Honors Seminar)
Religion and Society in the Roman Empire (Honors Seminar)
Women, Law, and Family Values: A Comparative Perspective (Honors
Seminar taught with Dr. Lynn Laufenberg, SBC History Dept)

XI. SERVICE AT SWEET BRIAR COLLEGE (1987-2004):

Chair, Classical Studies Department, 1994-2004 (except fall 1997 and fall 2000)
Director of College Honors Program 1995-6 (half-time administrative position)
Personnel Committee (promotion and tenure), fall 2003
Archaeology Advisory Committee, 2000-2004
Sweet Briar Museum Strategic Planning Committee, 2002-2004
Eligibility Committee 2001-02
Teacher Education Committee, 2001-2003
Honors Program Committee, 1987-91; 1994-7; 1998-9
Admissions Committee 1995-96 (ex officio as Honors Director)
Enrollment Committee 1995-96 (ex officio as Honors Director)
International Studies Advisory Committee, 1995-7
Faculty Grants Committee, 1992-5 (on sabbatical 1993-94).

Women and Gender Studies Committee, 1991-3, 1996-7 .
Judicial Committee, 1992-3; spring 1998 (alternate).
Interdisciplinary Studies Committee, 1991-2.
Secretary-Treasurer, Sweet Briar Chapter, Phi Beta Kappa, 1990-92.
Housing Committee, 1989-91.
Faculty advisor to Collegium (the Classics Club) and to Eta Sigma Phi
Advisor to Classics majors, 1994-2004
Advisor to freshmen/sophomores: 1988-93;1996-7; 1998-1999
Director of Honors Thesis of Beth Brodie, Caroline Stark, and Becky Cefaratti
Institutional representative for the Virginia Consortium to the Intercollegiate Center of
Classical Studies at Rome, 1991-2004.
Institutional representative to Managing Committee of the American School of
Classical Studies, 1998-2004.

XII. SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION:

Associate Editor, *Journal of Late Antiquity*
Program Committee, Classical Association of the Middle West and South, 2007-2010
Managing Committee of the Intercollegiate Center for Classical Studies in
Rome (representing Washington University), 2007-2009.
Lionel Pearson Fellowship Committee of the American Philological Assoc., 2008-2011.
Committee on Education of the American Philological Association, 1996-2000.
Committee on the Gennadion Library of the Managing Committee to the American School
of Classical Studies, 2000-2004.
Anonymous reviewer for: *American Journal of Philology*, *Classical Journal*, *Classical Philology*,
Comparative Studies in Society and History, *Echos du Monde Classique/Classical Views*, *Helios*,
Historical Relections/Réflexions historiques, *Journal of Late Antiquity*, *Journal of Women's
History*, *Phoenix*, *TAPA*, Blackwells Press, Cambridge U. Press, Cornell U. Press,
Oxford U. Press, National Endowment for the Humanities, and the Guggenheim
Foundation.
External member of dissertation committee of University of Texas PhD student Caroline
Vandervelde (defended August 2003).
External reviewer for Department of Classics at Kenyon College (spring 2004).
Ad hoc committee to consider candidate for a tenured position at Harvard U. (spring 2006).
External reviewer for Dept. of Classical Studies at Duke University (spring 2007).
External reviewer for fellowship applications, National Humanities Center (2010-2014).
External reviewer for tenure cases:

Temple University (fall 2011)
University of Pennsylvania (fall 2012)
Washington University in St. Louis (fall 2013)
City University of New York (fall 2014)
University of Hawaii (fall 2015)
University of Indiana (fall 2020)

Internal reviewer for tenure cases, Emory GDR (New Testament Studies), fall 2016

Member of Jury for l'Habilitation of Dr. Sylvie Joye, Sorbonne (Paris), fall 2016

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

American Historical Association

American Society of Papyrologists

Association of Ancient Historians

North American Patristics Society

Society for Classical Studies (formerly the American Philological Association)