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EDUCATION

2001: **Ph.D. History**, Dalhousie University (Halifax, Canada)
1996: **M.A. History**, University of Toronto (Toronto, Canada)
1995: **Honors B.A. History**, Glendon College, York University (Toronto, Canada)

TEACHING

Professional Experience

2008 to present: Associate Professor, Loyola University New Orleans
Sabbatical: academic year 2012-13
2004 to 2008: Assistant Professor, Loyola University New Orleans
2002 to 2004: SSHRC Post-doctoral Fellow, Saint Mary's University (Halifax, Canada)
2000 to 2001: Visiting Assistant Professor, Dalhousie University
1998 to 2004: Part-time Instructor for various medieval and early modern classes at Dalhousie University, Mount Saint Vincent University and Saint Mary's University, all located in Halifax, Canada

Courses at Loyola

First-Year Seminars:

“Creating Monsters: Constructions of the ‘Other’ in Medieval Society”
“Encounters with the Supernatural”

Common Curriculum:

HIST T122 “The History of World Civilization, until 1650”
HIST W140 “Between Eve and Mary: Women in Medieval Europe”
HIST W155 “Medieval Sex and Gender”
HIST W156 “The Crusades” – team-taught with Lori Ranner

Major Courses:

HIST A202 “Historical Methods”
HIST A305 “Medieval Crime and Community”
HIST A306 “The Middle Ages”
HIST A307 “Saints & Demons in Med. Europe”
HIST A381 “English History to 1688”
HIST A394 “Medicine in the Ancient and Medieval Worlds”
HIST A394 “Common Law in the Making”

Honors Theses I have Supervised

“‘The Common Man is Learning to Think’: Religion, Rebellion, and the Communal Revolution in the German Lands, 1300-1525,” Jason Straight, History Honors, 2010.

- “A Woman’s Place: Investigations into the Societal Roles of Early Medieval Women through the Law,” Lauren Cherneski, *Ancient-Medieval Studies, Honors*, 2010.
- “The Oddity of Medieval England and Scotland: the Origins of National Consciousness,” Mary Kate Delaney, *History Honors*, 2009.
- “Neoplatonism and the Islamic Origins of Medieval Universities,” Michelle Garcia, *University Honors*, 2009.
- “Wycliffe and Lollard Perceptions of Eucharistic Theology,” Bill Horne, *History Honors*, 2008.

RESEARCH

Under Review

- Anatomy of a Crime: Death Investigation in Medieval England*. Under review for the Routledge Research in Medieval Studies Series.
- “Medieval Singlewomen in Law and Practice.” In *The Problem and Place of the ‘Margins,’ 1400-1800*. Ed. Jane Stevens Crawshaw and Andrew Spicer. Routledge Studies in Cultural History Series. New York and London: Routledge, 2014. Invited.

Under Contract

- Medicine and the Law in Medieval Europe*, co-edited with Wendy J. Turner. Law and Society Series. Leiden: Brill, 2014. Includes: “Portrait of a Surgeon in Fifteenth-Century England,” and co-authored with Wendy J. Turner, “Medicine and Law: the Confluence of Art and Science in the Middle Ages.”

Forthcoming

- Review of Caroline Dunn, *Stolen Women in Medieval England: Rape, Abduction, and Adultery, 1100-1500*, in *Journal of British Studies* 52.4 (Oct. 2013).
- “Discourse on the Nature of Coverture in the Later Medieval Courtroom.” In *Married Women and the Law: Coverture in England and the Common Law World*. Ed. Tim Stretton and Krista Kesselring. McGill-Queen’s University Press. December, 2013. By invitation.
- Review of Susan A. McDonough, *Witnesses, Neighbors, and Community in Late Medieval Marseille*, in *Medieval Feminist Forum*.

Books

- Divorce in Medieval England: From One to Two Persons in Law*. Routledge Research in Medieval Studies Series. New York: Routledge, March 2013. ISBN 978-0-415-82516-0
- The Language of Abuse: Marital Violence in Later Medieval England*. The Later Middle Ages Series. Leiden: Brill, February 2007. ISBN 978-90-04-15634-0

Journal Articles

- “Sacred People, Sacred Spaces: Evidence of Parish Respect and Contempt for the Pre-Reformation Clergy.” *Canadian Journal of History* 47.1 (2012): 1-27.
- “Abortion Medieval Style? Assaults on Pregnant Women in Later Medieval England.” *Women’s Studies: An Inter-disciplinary Journal* 40.6 (2011): 778-799.
- “Medicine on Trial: Regulating the Health Professions in Later Medieval England.” *Florilegium* 28 (2011): 71-94. By invitation.
- “A Case of Indifference? Child Murder in Later Medieval England.” *Journal of Women’s History, Special Issue: Domestic Violence in History*, 19.4 (2007): 59-82. By invitation.
- “Cultures of Suicide? Regionalism and Suicide Verdicts in Medieval England.” *The Historian* 69.3 (2007): 427-49.
- “Runaway Wives: Husband Desertion in Medieval England.” *Journal of Social History* 40.2 (2006): 337-

59.

- “Women, Suicide, and the Jury in Later Medieval England.” *Signs: Journal of Women in Culture and Society* 32.1 (2006): 141-66.
- “Local Concerns: Suicide and Jury Behavior in Medieval England.” *History Compass* 4.5 (2006): 820-35.
- “Degrees of Culpability: Suicide Verdicts, Mercy, and the Jury in Medieval England.” *Journal of Medieval and Early Modern Studies* 36.2 (2006): 263-90.
- “Abortion by Assault: Violence against Pregnant Women in Thirteenth- and Fourteenth-Century England.” *Journal of Women’s History* 17.4 (2005): 9-31.
- “‘I will never consent to be wedded with you!’: Coerced Marriage in the Courts of Medieval England.” *Canadian Journal of History* 39.2 (2004): 247-70.
- “The Law as a Weapon in Marital Disputes: Evidence from the Late Medieval Court of Chancery, 1424-1529.” *Journal of British Studies* 43.3 (2004): 291-316.
- “Spousal Abuse in Fourteenth-Century Yorkshire: What can we learn from the Coroners’ Rolls?” *Florilegium* 18.2 (2001): 61-78.

Book Chapters

- “Representing the Middle Ages: The Insanity Defense in Medieval England.” In *The Treatment of Disabled Persons in Medieval Europe: Examining Disability in the Historical, Legal, Literary, Medical, and Religious Discourses*. Ed. Wendy Turner and Tory Vandeventer. Wales: Edwin Mellen Press, 2011. Pp. 117-34.
- “Maintenance Agreements and Male Responsibility in Later Medieval England.” In *Boundaries of the Law: Geography, Gender and Jurisdiction in Medieval and Early Modern Europe*. Ed. A.J. Musson. London: Ashgate Publishing, 2005. Pp. 68-83.
- “Lies, Damned Lies, and the Life of Saint Lucy: Three Cases of Judicial Separation from the Late Medieval Court of York.” In *Trompe(-)l’œil: Imitation & Falsification*. Ed. P. Romanski and A. Sy-Wonyu. Rouen: Publications de l’Université de Rouen, 2002. Pp. 1-16.

Shorter Pieces

- “Coroner,” “Art of Dying,” “Clericis Laicos,” “Dictatus Papae,” and “Pope Joan.” In *Oxford Dictionary of the Middle Ages*. Ed. Robert Bjork. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2010. On-line.
- “Abortion,” “Divorce,” “Domestic Violence,” and “Marriage.” In *The Greenwood Encyclopedia of Love, Courtship, and Sexuality through History* (6 vols.), Vol. 2: *The Medieval Era*. Ed. William Burns. Westport, Connecticut: Greenwood Publishing Group, 2008. Pp. 4-6, 69-71, 71-72, 147-149.
- “Ludovico Sforza,” “Filippo Maria Visconti,” and “João II, King of Portugal.” In *The Late Medieval Age of Crisis and Renewal, 1300-1500*. Ed. Clayton J. Drees. Westport, CT: Greenwood Publishing Group, 2001. Pp. 253-5, 445-6, and 491-3.
- “Askahistorian.com: a New Kind of History for a New Millennium.” *Canadian Historical Association Bulletin*, 26.2 (2000): 1-2.

Book Reviews

- Sara McDougall, *Bigamy and Christian Identity in Late Medieval Champagne*, in *Catholic Historical Review* 99.2 (2013): 348-49.
- Gwen Seabourne, *Imprisoning Medieval Women: the Non-Judicial Confinement and Abduction of Women in England, c. 1170-1509*, in *Journal of British Studies* 51.3 (July, 2012): 743-44.
- Janet S. Loengard, *Magna Carta and the England of King John*, in *Journal of British Studies* 50.4 (October, 2011): 977-78.
- Susanna A. Throop and Paul R. Hyams, eds, *Vengeance in the Middle Ages: Emotion, Religion and Feud*, in *The Medieval Review* 11.02.16, <http://www.hti.umich.edu/tmr>
- Maryanne Kowaleski and P.J.P. Goldberg, eds, *Medieval Domesticity: Home, Housing and Household in*

- Medieval England*, in *Canadian Journal of History* 45.2 (Autumn, 2010): 353-355.
- Cordelia Beattie, *Medieval Single Women: The Politics of Social Classification in Late Medieval England*, in *Speculum* 84 (2009): 115-117.
- Virpi Mäkinen and Petter Korkman, eds., *Transformations in Medieval and Early-Modern Rights Discourse*, in *Human Rights Review* 10.1 (March, 2009): 127-29.
- Philip L. Reynolds and John Witte, Jr., eds., *To Have and to Hold: Marrying and its Documentation in Western Christendom, 400-1600*, in *Canadian Journal of History* 43.3 (Winter, 2008): 516-18.
- Sandy Bardsley, *Venomous Tongues: Speech and Gender in Late Medieval England* in *Medieval Feminist Forum* 44.1 (Spring, 2008): 148-151.
- Karen Jones, *Gender and Petty Crime in Late Medieval England: The Local Courts in Kent, 1460-1560*, in *The Medieval Review* 08.04.20, <http://www.hti.umich.edu/t/tmr>
- Gene Brucker, *Giovanni and Lusanna: Love and Marriage in Renaissance Florence, with a new preface*, in *Medieval Feminist Forum* 43.1 (2007): 138-40.
- Lisi Oliver, ed., *The Beginnings of English Law*, in *Mediaevistik: Internationale Zeitschrift für interdisziplinäre Mittelalterforschung* 20 (2007): 244-6.
- Rosemary Horrox and W. Mark Ormrod, eds., *A Social History of England 1200-1500* in *The Medieval Review*, 07.05.15, <http://www.hti.umich.edu/t/tmr>
- Sherry Roush and Cristelle L. Baskins, eds., *The Medieval Marriage Scene: Prudence, Passion, Policy* in *Medieval Feminist Forum* 42 (Winter, 2006): 142-45.
- Mathew Kuefler, ed., *The Boswell Thesis: Essays on Christianity, Social Tolerance, and Homosexuality* in *Canadian Journal of History* 41.3 (Winter, 2006): 537-539.
- Mary C. Erler and Maryanne Kowaleski, eds., *Gendering the Master Narrative: Women and Power in the Middle Ages*, in *Gender and History* 18.1 (April, 2006): 167-169.
- Nigel Saul, ed., *St. George's Chapel Windsor in the Fourteenth Century*, in *Journal of British Studies* 45.2 (April, 2006): 390-1.
- R.H. Helmholz, *The Oxford History of the Laws of England, Volume 1: The Canon Law and Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction from 597 to the 1640s*, in *Journal of British Studies* 45.3 (July, 2006): 628-29.
- Chris Given-Wilson, *Chronicles: the Writing of History in Later Medieval England*, in *Speculum* 81.3 (July, 2006): 852-3.
- P.J.P. Goldberg, *Medieval England: A Social History, 1250-1550*, in *The Medieval Review*, 05.07.19, <http://www.hti.umich.edu/t/tmr>.
- Barbara Ross, ed., *Accounts of the Stewards of the Talbot Household at Blakemere 1392-1425*, in *The Medieval Review*, 05.03.08, <http://www.hti.umich.edu/t/tmr>.
- Ruth Mazo Karras, *From Boys to Men: Formations of Masculinity in Late Medieval Europe*, in *Medieval Feminist Forum* 37 (Spring, 2004): 51-53.
- Julius R. Ruff, *Violence in Early Modern Europe 1500-1800* in *Violent Crime in North America*, ed. Louis A. Knafla (Westport, Connecticut: Greenwood Publishing Group, 2003), pp. 211-4.
- Chris Given-Wilson, ed., *The Fourteenth Century II*, in *The Medieval Review*, 03.07.25, <http://www.hti.umich.edu/t/tmr/>.
- Keechang Kim, *Aliens in Medieval Law: the Origins of Modern Citizenship* in *Law and History Review* 20.3 (2002): 645-7.
- Anne Winston-Allen, *Stories of the Rose: The Making of the Rosary in the Middle Ages* in *Canadian Journal of History*, 34.1 (1999): 91-2.
- Anna Roberts, ed., *Violence against Women in Medieval Texts* in *The Medieval Review*, 99.04.01, <http://www.hti.umich.edu/t/tmr/>.

Anthony Musson, *Public Order and Law Enforcement: The Local Administration of Criminal Justice in American Journal of Legal History*, 41.4 (1997): 509-11.

Conferences, Presentations, Public Appearances

- “Professional Jurors, Crown Officials, and Medical Men: Who were Coroners’ Jurors in Medieval England?,” *Twenty-First British Legal History Conference*, University of Glasgow, July 12, 2013.
- “Feminism and Medievalism: Not such an Odd Couple,” Women’s History Month Lecture Series, Southeastern Louisiana University, Mar. 5, 2013.
- “Medieval Singlewomen in Law and Practice,” *On the Margins in Medieval and Early Modern Europe*, Oxford Brookes University (UK), Mar. 28, 2012. Invited.
- “Coverture and Unity of Person in Later Medieval England,” *Louisiana Consortium of Medieval and Renaissance Scholars*, Pensacola (FL), Oct. 21, 2011.
- “Portrait of a Surgeon in Fifteenth-Century England,” *Law and Governance in Pre-Modern Britain*, London (ON), Oct. 14, 2011. Invited.
- “The Legal Discourse of Coverture in Later Medieval England,” *Married Women and the Law Workshop*, Halifax, June 23, 2011. Invited; expenses covered by the conference.
- Discussion of “Contracting for a Cure: the Business of Medicine in Late Medieval England,” on *Relevant or Irrelevant*, KALA-FM Radio 88.5, St. Ambrose University, May 19, 2011. www.historygrinders.com
- “Contracting for a Cure: The Business of Medicine in Late Medieval England,” *86th Annual Medieval Academy of America*, Scottsdale (AZ), April 15, 2011. Panel organizer.
- “Anti-clerical, or Pro-clerical? English Parishioners and their Priests before the Reformation,” *Canadian Society of Medievalists*, Montreal, May 31, 2010. Panel organizer.
- Discussion of: “Runaway Wives: Husband Desertion in Medieval England,” on *Relevant or Irrelevant*, KALA-FM Radio 88.5, St. Ambrose University, Feb. 4, 2010. www.historygrinders.com
- Discussion of: “A Case of Indifference?: Child Murder in Later Medieval England,” on *Relevant or Irrelevant*, KALA-FM Radio 88.5, St. Ambrose University, October 22, 2009. www.historygrinders.com
- Discussion of: “Abortion by Assault: Violence against Pregnant Women in Thirteenth- and Fourteenth-Century England,” on *Relevant or Irrelevant*, KALA-FM Radio 88.5, St. Ambrose University, May 15, 2009. www.historygrinders.com
- “Representing the Middle Ages: Insanity Defenses in Later Medieval England,” invited lecture with honorarium at Tulane University, Medieval and Early Modern Studies Program, Apr. 3, 2009.
- Discussion of: “Cultures of Suicide? Regionalism and Suicide Verdicts in Medieval England,” on *Relevant or Irrelevant*, KALA-FM Radio 88.5, St. Ambrose University, November 30, 2007. www.historygrinders.com
- “Murdering Mothers in Medieval English History and Historiography,” *Northeastern Conference on British Studies*, Halifax, (NS), Oct. 12, 2007.
- “Pleading Insanity in the Courts of Later Medieval England and France,” *Law and Governance in Britain, 1350-1850*, London (ON), Nov. 16, 2007. Invited.
- “Frenzied, Furious and Possessed: The Insanity Defense in Medieval England,” *Forty-Second International Congress on Medieval Studies*, Kalamazoo, May 10, 2007.
- “A Case of Indifference? Child Murder in Later Medieval England,” *Louisiana Consortium of Medieval and Renaissance Scholars*, Northwestern State University, Natchitoches (LA), October 14, 2006.
- “Separate Lives: Women, Spousal Desertion, and Non-cohabitation in Medieval England,” *Canadian Society of Medievalists at the Congress of Social Sciences and Humanities*, University of Western Ontario, London (ON), May 29, 2005.
- “Abortion by Assault: Violence against Pregnant Women in Thirteenth- and Fourteenth-Century England,” *Thirty-Ninth International Congress on Medieval Studies*, Kalamazoo, May 9, 2004.

- “Violence against Pregnant Women in Later Medieval England,” *The Canadian Historical Association*, at the *Congress of Social Sciences and Humanities*, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, June 3, 2004. Panel organizer.
- “Women, the Jury and Suicide in Later Medieval England,” *The Canadian Law and Society Association*, at the *Congress of Social Sciences and Humanities*, Dalhousie University, Halifax, June, 2003.
- “Local Values, Local Concerns: Suicide and the Jury in Later Medieval England,” *Thirty-Eighth International Congress on Medieval Studies*, Kalamazoo, May 8, 2003.
- “The Burden of Being Male: Maintenance Agreements and Male Responsibility in Later Medieval England.” *‘Mapping the Law:’ Second International Legal History Conference*, University of Exeter, April 3, 2003.
- “Degrees of Culpability: Suicide Verdicts, Mercy, and the Jury in Medieval England,” *Graduate-Faculty Seminar Paper Series*, Dalhousie University, Halifax, January 17, 2003.
- “Suicide and the Jury in Medieval England,” Dept. of History, *Saint Mary’s University* (Halifax), Nov. 2002.
- “*Non Compos Mentis* or *Felo de se*? The Role of the Jury in Suicide Verdicts in Later Medieval England,” *Thirty-Seventh International Congress on Medieval Studies*, Kalamazoo, May 2nd, 2002.
- “‘She works hard for the money’: Separation Agreements and Male Responsibility in Late Medieval England,” *Thirty-Sixth International Congress on Medieval Studies*, Kalamazoo, May 5th, 2001.
- “‘To speke of wo that is in mariage’: Attitudes towards Spousal Abuse in the Church Courts of Later Medieval England,” *Thirty-Fifth International Congress on Medieval Studies*, Kalamazoo, May 6th, 2000.
- “Love on the Rocks: the Acceptability of Marital Violence in Later Medieval York,” *‘History across the Disciplines’: Atlantic Graduate Student History Conference at Dalhousie University*, Halifax, March 21st, 1999. Panel organizer.
- “Spousal Abuse in Fourteenth-Century Yorkshire,” *Graduate-Faculty Seminar Paper Series*, Dalhousie University, Halifax, March 10th, 1999.
- “Spousal Abuse in Fourteenth-Century Yorkshire: What Can we Learn from Coroners’ Rolls?” *North American Conference on British Studies in Conjunction with the Western Conference on British Studies, Annual Meeting*, Colorado Springs, Oct. 16th, 1998.

AWARDS

- “Degrees of Culpability: Suicide Verdicts, Mercy, and the Jury in Medieval England.” *Journal of Medieval and Early Modern Studies* 36.2 (Spring, 2006): 263-90. *Awarded the Sutherland Prize by the American Society for Legal History for the Best Article in English Legal History.
- “‘I will never consent to be wedded with you!’: Coerced Marriage in the Courts of Medieval England.” *Canadian Journal of History* 39.2 (August, 2004): 247-70. *Voted article of the month (October, 2006) by *Feminae: Medieval Women and Gender Index*.

SUCCESSFUL GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

2012: Loyola Research Grant, \$2,615; Bobet Fellowship, \$1,300

2011: Bobet Fellowship, \$2,500

2010: Loyola Research Grant, \$2,465

2009: Loyola Research Grant, \$2,500

2008: Bobet Fellowship, \$5,000

2007: Marquette Fellowship, \$7,500 with \$500 travel

2006: Loyola Course Development Grant, \$2,500

2005: Loyola Research Grant, \$2,500

2003: 2nd International Legal History Conference Travel Award, University of Exeter, \$1,400

2002-04: Social Sciences & the Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC) Post-doctoral

Fellowship, \$35,028/year, with \$5,000 research award
2002: Special Travel Grant Award, History Dept., Dalhousie University, \$1,500
2000-01: Research and Development Fund Awards, Dalhousie University, \$3,500 and \$1,500
1999-2000: Peter Fraser Scholarship for British Historians, Dalhousie University, \$500;
Research and Development Fund Award, Dalhousie University, \$1,500
1998-2000: SSHRC Doctoral Fellowship, \$16,670 / year
1998-99: Research and Development Fund Award, Dalhousie University, \$500
1996-98: Dalhousie University Graduate Scholarship, \$13,500 / year

SERVICE:

Outside Loyola

North American Conference of British Studies

- Ben Snow Book Prize Committee: 2009, Member; 2010, Chair; 2011, Member
- Nominating Committee: Member, 2008-2010

Occasional Outside Reviewer:

- *Brill*
- *Florilegium*
- Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada
- CQ Press
- Bedford St Martin's
- *Journal of Medieval Religious Cultures*
- *American Historical Review*

Summer 2013: external review for tenure/promotion of Susan Alice McDonough, University of Maryland, Baltimore County

At Loyola

History Dept.

- World Civilizations Committee: 2004-present, Member; Participation in the World History Faculty Academy, Summer 2011.
- Dept. Liaison to the Library: 2009-present
- Program Review Committee: 2009-10, Member
- Search Committee for South Asian History Position: 2011-12, Member
- Search Committee for Asian History Position: 2009-10, Chair
- Search Committee for African History Position: 2008-09, Chair
- Search Committee for Ancient History Position: 2007-08, Member
- Search Committee for Middle Eastern Position: 2006-07, Member

Medieval Studies Minor Committee: 2005-07, and 20-13 to present Chair
2004-05 and 2007-08, Member

- Co-coordinator for the Louisiana Consortium of Medieval and Renaissance Scholars (LCMRS), hosted at Loyola University New Orleans, October 2007.

Women's Studies Minor Committee: At present, Member; 2009-2011: Chair

- Women's Studies Steering Committee: 2007-present, Member
- Curriculum Committee for Women's Studies: 2006-2009, Member
- By-laws Committee for Women's Studies: 2006-2009, Member
- Search Committee for a Women's Resource Center Director: 2008, Member
- Nominating Committee for Women's Studies: 2006, Member

Legal Studies Minor Committee: 2009-2011: Chair and Founder

First Year Seminar Faculty Academy: student, summer 2009; teacher, summer 2010

Current College & University Committee Positions:

- College Conciliation Committee: 2013-present, Member
- WAC Steering Committee: 2011-present, Member
- College Rank and Tenure Committee: 2009-present, Member
- Interdisciplinary Studies Committee: 2009-present, Member

Previous University Committee Positions:

- Common Curriculum Implementation Committee: 2009-2012, Member
 - Chair of Foreign-Language Subcommittee
 - Member, FYE Working Group
 - Chair, Pre-modern Working Group
- FYE Steering Committee: 2011-2012, Member
- Bieber Grants Committee: 2008-2011, Chair
- Course Development / Faculty Development Committee: 2006-2009, Member
- Faculty Excellence Committee: 2009-2011, Member
- Fulbright Selection Committee: Member, October 2008 – one applicant
- College Elections Committee: 2006-07, Chair; 2007, Member
- QEP Faculty and Staff Development Committee: 2006-2007, Member

Webmaster for:

- History Department, 2005-2011
- Legal Studies Program, 2009-2011
- Women's Studies Program, 2008-2011
- Bieber Lecture Series, 2008-2011
- Belgium Abroad Program, 2006-2009
- London Abroad Program, 2006

Adjudicator for Study Abroad Interviews: 2010, 2011

Loyola Presentations and Publications

- "Medievalism and Feminism: Not such an Odd Couple." Loyola's *The Last Lecture* series. March 18, 2012.
- Guest Editorial: "History is Still Needed," *The Maroon*, April 27, 2012.
- *First Monday Brown Bag Lunch* presentation: "Runaway Wives in Medieval England," Women's Resource Center, Feb. 1, 2010.
- Guest Lecture: "Women Artists from Renaissance to Baroque," *National Museum of Women in the Arts*, Washington, D.C., Loyola Alumni Event, April 12, 2007.
- Guest Editorial: "Women Should be able to have both Careers and Children without Hassle,"

- The Maroon*, April 15, 2005.
- *Phi Alpha Theta* presentation: “Suicide and the Jury in Medieval England,” History Dept., April 2005.
 - *Soup and Substance* panel presenter: “Balancing Work and Family,” Women’s Resource Center, March 10, 2005.
 - *First Monday Brown Bag Lunch* presentation: “Abortion by Assault: Violence against Pregnant Women in Later Medieval England,” Women’s Resource Center, January 31, 2005.

Sponsored Lectures / Presentations

- Margaret McGlynn, “The End of an Era? The Rite of Sanctuary in the Reign of King Henry VIII,” Apr. 12, 2012 – a Biever Lecture Series Grant.
- Tiffany Jones, “Apartheid Madness: Deconstructing Allegations of Human Rights Abuse in Psychiatric Institutions During Apartheid South Africa,” Mar. 5, 2012 – a Biever Lecture Series Grant.
- Krista Kesselring, “The Northern Rebellion of 1569: Faith, Politics, and Protest in Elizabethan England,” February 25, 2010 – a Biever Lecture Series Grant.
- Baba Brinkman, “The Rap Canterbury Tales,” December 2008 – a Biever Lecture Series Grant.
- Jace Stuckey, “Charlemagne the Crusader: An Analysis of a Legend in the Making,” November 2008 – a Biever Lecture Series Grant.
- Cynthia J. Neville, “Ceremony and Ritual in the Baronial Courts of Medieval Scotland, 1100-1400,” April 2008 – a Biever Lecture Series Grant.