

Curriculum Vitae

Position

Brock University, St. Catharines, Canada Professor of Russian History (2007 -)

Education

Ph.D., Russian History, Yale University (1997) M.Phil., History, Yale University (1994) B.A. Cum Laude, Russian & East European Studies, Yale University (1988) Honours Secondary School Diploma, University of Toronto Schools (1975)

Work In Progress

“Russia’s Great Game: The Politics of Tsarist Central Asian Conquest”
with Marie Betteley, “Beyond Fabergé: Imperial Russian Jewellery”
Edited with with Oleg Budnitskii, Michael Hughes and David McDonald, “The International and Diplomatic History of Russia’s Great War and Revolution”

Books

ed. w/ Nikolaos Chrissidis, Cathy Potter & Jennifer Spock, *Religion and Identity in Russia and the Soviet Union: A Festschrift for Paul Bushkovitch*.

Columbus: Slavica, Forthcoming in 2010.

Russian Orientalism: Asia in the Russian Mind from Peter the Great to the Emigration. New Haven: Yale University Press, 2010.

Навстречу восходящему солнцу. Moscow: Novoe Literaturnoe Obozrenie, 2009. Translation of *Toward the Rising Sun*.

Remembering Their Gallantry in Former Days: A History of the Queen’s York Rangers. Toronto: QY Rang Officers’ Association, 2006, reprinted in 2010

ed. w/ John Steinberg, Bruce Menning, David Wolff & Shinji Yokote, *World War Zero: The Russo-Japanese War in Global Perspective* 2 vols. Leiden: E.J. Brill, 2005-7

ed. w/Bruce Menning, *Reforming the Tsar’s Army: Military Innovation in Imperial Russia from Peter the Great to the Revolution*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2004.

Toward the Rising Sun: Russian Ideologies of Empire on the Path to War with Japan. DeKalb, IL: Northern Illinois University Press, 2001.

Other Publications

“The Imperial Roots of Soviet Orientology,” in Michael Kemper and Stephan Conermann, eds., London: Routledge, forthcoming in 2011.

“The East,” in William Letherbarrow & Derrek Offord, eds., *A History of Russian Thought*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, Forthcoming in 2010, 217-240.

“Know Thine Enemy: The Travails of the Kazan School of Russian Missionary Orientology,” in ed. w/ Nikolaos Chrissidis, Cathy Potter & Jennifer Spock, *Religion and Identity in Russia and the Soviet Union: A Festschrift for Paul Bushkovitch*. Columbus: Slavica, Forthcoming in 2010.

“Vasilij V. Vereshchagin’s Canvases of Central Asian Conquest,” *Cahiers d’Asie centrale* 17/18 (2010), 179-210.

- “Mirza Kazem-Bek and the Kazan School of Russian Orientology,” *Comparative Studies of South Asia, Africa and the Middle East*. Vol 28, no. 3 (2008), 443-458.
- “Rewriting the Russo-Japanese War: A Centenary Retrospective,” *The Russian Review* 67 (2008), 78-87.
- “Russia’s Relations with Japan before and after the War: An Episode in the Diplomacy of Imperialism,” in *The Treaty of Portsmouth and Its Legacies*, ed. Steven Ericson and Allen Hockley (Hanover, NH: Dartmouth College Press, 2008), 11-23.
- “Д. А. Милютин и военная разведка России,” (tr. of “Reforming Military Intelligence”), in L. G. Zakharova, S. V. Mironenko & T. Emmons, eds, П. А. Зайончковский: Сборник статей и воспоминаний к столетию историка (P. A. Zaionchkovskii: Essays and Memoirs in Honour of the Centenary of his Birth) Moscow: Izd-vo MGU, 2008, 691-700.
- “An Invitation to the Aquarium: Sergei Witte and the Origins of the War with Japan,” in Rotem Kowner, ed., *Rethinking the Russo-Japanese War, 1904-5*. Vol. I Centennial Perspectives. London: Global Oriental, 2007, 31-45.
- “Catherinian Chinoiserie,” in Michael David-Fox, Peter Holquist & Alexander Martin, eds., *Orientalism and Empire in Russia*. Kritika Historical Studies 3 Columbus: Slavica, 2006, 63-86.
- “Foreign Policy: 1815-1917,” in D.C.B. Lieven, ed., *The Cambridge History of Russia*, vol. 2: 1682-1917 (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2006), 554-575.
- “Roshia rikugun no manshu sakusen” (The Russian Field Army in Manchuria,” in *Gunji Shigaku* (Quarterly), vol. 2, no. 1 & 2 (June 2005), 130-146.
- “Russian Intelligence and the Younghusband Expedition to Tibet,” in P. Jackson & J. Siegel, eds., *Intelligence and Statecraft: The Use and Limits of Intelligence in International Society*. Westport, CT: Greenwood 2005, 109-125.
- “The Immediate Origins of the War,” in John Steinberg, Bruce Menning, David Schimmelpenninck van der Oye, David Wolff & Shinji Yokote, eds., *World War Zero: The Russo-Japanese War in Global Perspective* (Leiden: E.J. Brill, 2005), vol. 1, 23-44.
- “Инцидент в Оцу” (Incident in Otsu), *Rodina*, No. 10, 2005, 19-22.
- “Мирза Казем-Бек и Казанская школа востоковедения,” (tr. of Mirza Kazem-Bek and the Kazan School of Orientology), I. Gerasimov, et al., eds., *Новая имперская история России и Евразии* (A New Imperial History of Russia and Eurasia) Kazan: Centre for the Study of Nationalist and Empire, 2004) 243-270
- “Русская военная разведка на Маньчжурском фронте, 1904-1904 “ (Russian Military Intelligence on the Manchurian Front), Oleg Airapetov, ed., *Русско-Японская война 1904-1905: Взгляд через столетие* (The Russo-Japanese War Viewed a Hundred Years Later) Moscow: Tri Kvadrata, 2004, 139-149.
- “Reforming Russian Military Intelligence,” in co-edited with Bruce Menning, *Reforming the Tsar’s Army*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2004, 133-150.

- “Шапками не закидали” (tr. of Russian Military Intelligence on the Manchurian Front), *Rodina* 1 (Jan. 2004), 34-37.
- “Kuropatkin, Aleksei Nikolaevich,” James R. Millar, ed., *Encyclopedia of Russian History*. New York: Macmillan Reference, 2004, v. 2, 801-802.
- “Military Intelligence,” James R. Millar, ed., *Encyclopedia of Russian History* New York: Macmillan Reference, 2004, v. 3, 933-935.
- “Азиатский соблазн России” (tr. of “Russia’s Asian Temptation”) *Cosmopolis* 2 (Winter 2002-2003), 19-32.
- “To Build a Great Russia: Civil-Military Cooperation in the Third Duma,” in E. Lohr & M. Poe, eds., *Military and Society in Russian History*. Leiden: E.J. Brill, 2002, 293-321.
- “Orientalismi Venäjällä” (tr. of “Orientalism is a Complicated Question”), *The Finnish Review of East European Studies* 9:2 (2002), 3-10.
- “Несостоявшийся Кортес” (The Unrealised Cortez), *Rodina* 6 (2002), 36-40.
- “Russia’s Great Game in Tibet?” *Toronto Studies in Central and Inner Asia* 5 (2002), 35-52.
republished in Alex McKay, ed., *The History of Tibet*. Richmond: Curzon Press, 2003, vol. 3, 43-56.
- “Ориентализм- дело тонкое” (Orientalism is a Complicated Question), *Ab Imperio* 1 (2002), 249-264.
- “Отношения между военными и гражданскими в III Думе, 1907-1912,” (tr. of “To Build a Great Russia: Civil-Military Cooperation in the Third Duma”) in Oleg Airapetov, ed., *Последняя война императорской России* (Imperial Russia’s Last War) Moscow: Tri kvadrata, 2002, 10-42.
- “The Russo-Japanese War,” in Frederick Kagan and Robin Higham, eds, *The Military History of Russia*. New York: Palgrave, 2002, 183-201.
- “Идеологи империи России имперского периода” (Imperial Ideologies in Tsarist Russia), *Ab Imperio* 1/2 2000, 211-224.
- “The Genesis of Russian Sinology” (review essay of Petr Denisov, *Zhizn Monakha Iakinfy Bichurina* and Sergei Tikhvinskii, *Istoriia Rossiiskoi Dukhovnoi Missii v Kit* (Winter 2000), 355-364.
- “Russia’s Ambivalent Response to the Boxer Rebellion,” *Cahiers du Monde russe* 41,1 (Jan-Mar 2000), 57-78.
- “Russia’s Asian Temptation,” *International Journal* LV,4 (Fall 2000), 603-623.
- “The Fall of the Russian Empire?” (review essay of John Dunlop, *Russia Confronts Chechnya*; C. Gall and T. de Wall, *Chechnya*; Anatol Lieven, *Chechnya; Prisoner of the Mountains*, dir. by Sergei Bodrov), *International Journal* LV,1 (Winter 2000), 137-145.
- “Russia’s Intelligence History,” (review essay of E.M. Primakov, *Ocherki istorii Rossiiskoi vneshnei razvedki*, v. 1), *Intelligence and National Security*, 14, 1 (Spring 1999), 220-223.
- “The Tsar’s Black Chamber,” *Cryptologia* XXII,4 (Oct. 98), 342-353.
- “From Cooperation to Confrontation?: The Russo-American Encounter on the Pacific,” *Itinerario* XXII, 3 (1998), 39-50.
- “Неизвестный Пржевальский” (The Unknown Przhevalskii), *Aryavarta* 1 (1997), 207-226.

- “The Asianist Vision of Prince Ukhtomskii,” in Catherine Evtuhov et al, eds., *Kazan, Moscow, St. Petersburg: Multiple Faces of the Russian Empire* Moscow: ITS-Garant, 1997, 188-201.
- “A First Look at Russia’s Codebreakers” (review essay of T.A. Soboleva, *Tainopis v istorii Rossii*), *Cryptologia*, XXI, 1 (Jan 97), 39-41.
- “Russian Military Intelligence on the Manchurian Front,” *Intelligence and National Security* XI,1 (Jan. 96), 22-31.
- “Researching Chinese History in Russian Archives,” *Itinerario* XIX, 3 (Summer 95), 196-199.

AWARDS

- Social Science and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC) Standard Research Grant (2010-2013)
- Visiting Professor, Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales, Paris (2009)
- National Humanities Center Fellowship (2003)
- Brock Chancellor’s Chair in Research Excellence (2002-2005)
- SSHRC Standard Research Grant (2001-2004)
- Brock Travel to International Scholarly Conferences Grant (Nov. 99)
- Kennan Institute for Advanced Russian Studies Short-term Grant (1999)
- Brock University SSHRC GRC Award (1998)
- Harvard University Olin Institute for Strategic Studies National Security Fellow (1997-98)
- United States Institute of Peace Peace Scholar Fellowship (1996-97)
- Andrew W. Mellon Dissertation Fellowship (1996-97, declined)
- Smith Richardson Foundation Dissertation Research Grant (Summer 1996)
- IREX Individual Advanced Research Grant (1995-96)
- Bradley Foundation Research Grant (Summer 1994)
- SSHRC Doctoral Fellowship (1993-95)
- Smith Richardson Foundation Dissertation Travel Grant (Summer 1993)

PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT

- BROCK UNIVERSITY, St. Catharines, Canada
History Department Chair (2006-9)
- BROCK UNIVERSITY, St. Catharines, Canada
Associate Professor, Russian & East Asian History (2002-8)
- BROCK UNIVERSITY, St. Catharines, Canada
Assistant Professor, Russian & East Asian History (1997-2002)
- ENSKILDA SECURITIES, London
Head of European Corporate Finance Research (1989-90)
Hard-Currency Stock Analyst (1988-9)
- MIDLAND DOHERTY LIMITED, Toronto
Government Finance Associate (1986-7)
Government Finance Analyst (1982-5)
- ROYAL CANADIAN ARMOUR CORPS RESERVE, Toronto (Part-time)
Reconnaissance Troop Officer (1975-6)

AFFILIATIONS

Fellow - Centre for European, Russian and Eurasian Studies, University of Toronto

Member - American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Canadian Association of Slavists, Southern Conference on Slavic Studies, Royal Canadian Military Institute.

LANGUAGES

Fluent Russian, French, Dutch, German.