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EDUCATION

Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD

Ph.D. in Near Eastern Studies (2006)

Dissertation: "Cooks and Kitchens: Centralized Food Production in Late Third Millennium Southern Mesopotamia"

Advisor: Prof. Jerrold S. Cooper

University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK

M.A. in History (1999)

Thesis: "Old Babylonian Economic Texts from Emory University"

Advisor: Prof. Daniel C. Snell

University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

B.A. in Asian and Middle Eastern Studies (1995)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Cornell University, Ithaca, NY

Postdoctoral Associate (2006-Present)

University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

Research Associate, Pennsylvania Sumerian Dictionary (2005-2006)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Cornell University, Ithaca, NY

Introduction to Akkadian

Introduction to Sumerian

The Origins of Writing

Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD

Ancient Medicine (Teaching Assistant)

Catholic University, Washington, DC

Introduction to Akkadian

Reading Akkadian Texts

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PUBLICATIONS

- “The Cuneiform Collection of the Clinton Historical Society.” With Alhena Gadotti. *Cuneiform Digital Library Bulletin* 2007:2.
- “Labor Assignments from the City of Girsu.” In *On the Third Dynasty of Ur: Studies in Honor of Marcel Sigrist*, ed. Piotr Michalowski. Boston: American Schools of Oriental Research. In press.
- “The aga₃-us₂ and gar₃-du During the Reign of Amar-Suena.” *Journal of Cuneiform Studies*. Forthcoming.
- “Cuneiform Texts in a Private Collection.” With Alhena Gadotti and Alexandra Kleinerman. Forthcoming.

PAPERS PRESENTED

- “Beer and Women in Mesopotamia.” Presented at the 218th Meeting of the American Oriental Society, March 14-18, 2008, Chicago, IL.
- “The Kitchen of the Kings of Ur: History through Administrative Records.” Presented at the 29th Annual Mid-America Conference on History, September 27-29, 2007, Tulsa, OK.
- “Getting the Word Out: Letter-Orders and Ur III Administration.” Presented at the 217th Meeting of the American Oriental Society, March 16-19, 2007, San Antonio, TX.
- “The Kitchen at Garšana.” Presented at the 52^e Rencontre Assyriologique Internationale, July 17-21, 2006, Münster, Germany.
- “Provisioning the aga₃-us₂ in the Ur III Period.” Presented at the 216th Meeting of the American Oriental Society, March 17-20, 2006, Seattle, WA.
- “The ‘Kitchen’ in the Ur III State.” Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Schools of Oriental Research, November 16-19, 2005, Philadelphia, PA.