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- **Contact Detail**

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- **Teaching Areas**

International Business, Human Resources Management, International History and Politics, Foreign Policy Elites, The Contemporary World, Film Appreciation, English

- **Research Area / Research Interests**

Asia-Western relations; US-European relations; Cold War; modern international diplomacy and business; military history; foreign policy elites; foreign policy think tanks; Macau and the Portuguese-speaking countries

- **Academic Qualifications**

Ph.D, King's College, Cambridge

M.A., King's College, Cambridge

B.A., King's College, Cambridge

- **Work Experience**

2017/01-present, Associate Professor, Faculty of Business, City University of Macau

Fall 2016, Member, School of Historical Studies, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton

1984-2016, Lecturer, later Associate Professor of History, University of Hong Kong

1983-1984, Visiting Research Fellow, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC

1983, J. Franklin Jameson Fellow, Library of Congress and American Historical Society;

1981-1983, Visiting Scholar, University of Maryland at College Park;

1980-1981, Rotary Graduate Fellow, Princeton University'

- **Professional Society Membership**

Life member, American Historical Association

Life member, Organization of American Historians

Life member, Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations;

Founding member, Transatlantic Studies Association

- **Professional Certification/Qualification**

2018, Founding editorial board member, *Diplomatica: A Journal of Diplomacy and Society* (Brill)

Summer 2015, joined Editorial Advisory Board of *Journal of American-East Asian Relations*

2014, founding member of editorial board of the *Chinese Quarterly of Strategic Studies*, launched by the Shanghai Institute of International Studies in early 2015.

2011/10-present, Academic Adviser to US-China Education Trust. Have edited 5 themed collections of essays, largely by mainland Chinese scholars, resulting from USCET meetings, making current Chinese scholarship available to the broader academic community

Past member and chair, 2 Bernath Prize and Fellowship Committees and Nominating Committee, Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, United States

2009/02-present, Member, Editorial Advisory Board, H-Diplo

2007/03-present, Member of ABC-CLIO American Military History Advisory Board

- **Awards**

July 2020, Outstanding Teaching Award, City University of Macau

December 2019, Macau Foundation Grant MF1912, “Anglo-American Think Tanks and the Making of China Policy, 1950-1995.”

2019, Macau Higher Education Fund Grant H1902, “Constructing an East Timor/MSAR Database for Research.”

December 2017, Macau Foundation Grant MF1718, “International Financial Diplomacy and World Order and Development Since 1900”

Summer 2017, Short-Term Travel Fellowship, University of Illinois at Chicago

2000-2017, 21 academic awards, including 2 Choice Outstanding Academic Titles and the 2016 Booklist Editors’ Choice Best Reference Title of 2016, awarded to 10 multi-volume military history encyclopedias, of which I was a co-editor and sole editor of the documents volumes

2015, SAGE Prize for Best *International Journal* Article on International Affairs, for: "A Century of International Affairs Think Tanks in Historical Perspective." *International Journal* 70:4 (December 2015): 535-555.

1997, Arthur Miller Prize for the best British article in American studies, British Association of American Studies, for “The Anglo-American Theme: American Visions of an Atlantic Alliance, 1914-1933.” *Diplomatic History* 21:3 (Summer 1997), 333-364.

1977, First Prize, Cecil Peace Prize Competition; 1993, runner-up, Arthur Miller Prize for best British article in American studies, British Association of American Studies: “‘All the Right People’: The Historiography of the American Foreign Policy Establishment.” *Journal of American Studies*, 26:3 (Dec. 1992).

1976, Doncaster Prize for History, King’s College, Cambridge

1975, Senior Scholarship and Doncaster Prize for History, King’s College, Cambridge

- **Publications (Books)**

1. Co-editor (with Odd Arne Westad). *China, Hong Kong, and the Long 1970s: Global Perspectives*. Palgrave Macmillan, 2017. [Author of "Introduction," 1-30, and Chapter 13, "Bringing the Chinese Back In: The Role of Quasi-Private Institutions in Britain and the United States," 303-325]
2. Editor. *Hong Kong and the Cold War*. Hong Kong: Hong Kong University Press, 2016. xii + 253 pp. [Author of Prologue, "Cold War Hong Kong: The Foundations," 15-25; Chapter One, "Cold War Hong Kong: Juggling Opposing Forces and Identities," 26-59; and Afterword, "Cold War Hong Kong: A Path to the Future?," 231-237]
3. Editor. *The Power of Culture: Encounters between China and the United States*. Newcastle: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2016. xlvii + 556 pp. [Author of "Introduction," xvi-xlvii.]
4. Editor. *Going Soft? The US and China Go Global*. Newcastle: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2014. lxi + 576 pp. [Author of "Introduction," xvi-lxi; and "Soft Power in Sino-American Relations," 122-140.]
5. *Voices of World War II: Contemporary Accounts of Daily Life*. Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood Press, 2012. xxxix + 236 pp.
6. Editor (with Mei Renyi and Yan Xunhua), *China Views Nine-Eleven: Essays in Transnational American Studies*. Newcastle: Cambridge Scholars Publishers, 2011. xi + 525 pp. [Author of "Introduction," 1-36; and "9/11 as Diplomatic Milestone and Turning Point," 111-125.]
7. Ed. *Lord Lothian and Anglo-American Relations, 1900-1940*. Dordrecht, Netherlands, Republic of Letters Press, 2010. x + 282 pp. [Author of "Introduction: Philip Kerr, The Making of an Atlanticist, 1882-1921," 1-43; "Chapter Three: The Interwar Philip Lothian," 79-105; and "Conclusion: The Final Stage," 229-245.]
8. Ed. *Bridging the Sino-American Divide: American Studies with Chinese Characteristics*. Newcastle: Cambridge Scholars Publishers, 2007. xvi + 541 pp. (Author of "Introduction: American Studies with Chinese Characteristics," 1-39.)
9. Ed. (with He Peiqun). *Bonds Across Borders: Women, China, and International Relations in the Modern World*. Newcastle: Cambridge Scholars Publishers, 2007. x + 300 pp. (Author of "Introduction: Women and International Relations: A Historian's View," 1-32.)
10. Ed. *Behind the Bamboo Curtain: China, Vietnam, and the World Beyond Asia*. Washington, DC: Woodrow Wilson Center Press, and Stanford, CA: Stanford University Press, 2006. xviii + 559 pp. (Author of "Introduction: The Vietnam War in Its International Setting," 1-52.)
11. Ed. *Window on the Forbidden City: The Beijing Diaries of David Bruce, 1973-1974*. Centre of Asian Studies, University of Hong Kong, 2001. 653 pp. [Chinese translation: *Zijinchengzhichuang*. Beijing: Central Culture and Literature Press, 2006. 639 pp.]
12. *The Cold War*. Sutton Pocket History Series. Stroud: Sutton Publishing, 2000. xix + 108 pp.

13. Ed. *Sino-American Relations in the Twentieth Century*. Hong Kong: Centre of Asian Studies, University of Hong Kong, 1991. vii + 563 pp. (Author of Introduction, pp. 1-14.)

- **Publications (Reference Works)**

1. Assistant editor and editor of documents volume, Spencer C. Tucker et al, eds., *The Cold War: The Definitive Encyclopedia and Document Collection*. 5 vols. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO. Forthcoming, October 2020.
2. Compiler/editor of Documents Volume, Vol. 4 of Spencer C. Tucker, ed., *Middle East Conflicts from Ancient Egypt to the 21st Century*. 4 vols. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2019. xii + 1405-1774 pp.
3. Editor and compiler, *The Cold War: The Definitive Document Collection*. 2 vols, Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood, 2018. xxxvii + 941 pp.
4. Author/compiler. *The Arab-Israeli Conflict: A Documentary and Reference Guide*. Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood, 2017. xvii + 349 pp. Named *Library Journal* Best Reference Source for 2017.
5. Editor (with Spencer Tucker), author of 101 short articles, sole compiler/editor, Vol. 5 (Documents Volume). *World War II: The Definitive Encyclopedia and Document Collection*. 5 vols. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2016. Named *Booklist*, Editors' Choice Top Reference Title for 2016.
6. Editor (with Spencer Tucker), author of 33 short articles, sole compiler/editor, Vol. 5 (Documents Volume). *World War I: The Definitive Encyclopedia and Document Collection*. 5 vols. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2014. lxvi + 2307 pp. Named *Booklist*, Editors' Choice: Reference Sources, 2014.
7. Editor. *Arab-Israeli Conflict: The Essential Reference Guide*. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2014. xxxiii + 377 pp.
8. Editor. *World War II: The Essential Reference Guide*. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO. 2012. xxvi + 410 pp.
9. Editor. *Cuban Missile Crisis: The Essential Reference Guide*. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2012. xix + 278 pp. [Author of "Introduction" and 45 out of 73 entries.]
10. Editor (with Spencer Tucker et al.), author of 7 short articles, editor/compiler of Vol. 5 (Documents Volume), *The Encyclopedia of Middle East Wars: The United States in the Persian Gulf, Afghanistan, and Iraq Conflicts*. 5 vols. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2010. xxxv+1887 pp. *Choice* Outstanding Academic Title for 2011; *Booklist*, Editors' Choice, 2011.
11. Editor (with Spencer Tucker et al.), author of 5 short articles, editor/compiler of Vol. 4 (Documents Volume). *The Arab-Israeli Conflict: A Political, Social, and Military History*. 4 vols. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2008. Xxviii + 1554 pp. Named Outstanding Reference Source, 2008, by RUSA-American Library Association; Distinguished Achievement Award for Social Studies Instruction (Reference Category), June 2009; Editors' Choice, 2008, *Booklist*; Best Reference Choice, 2008, Pennsylvania School Librarians Association.

12. Assistant editor (with Spencer Tucker et al.), author of 52 short articles, editor/compiler of Vol. 5 (Documents Volume). *The Cold War: A Student Encyclopedia*. 5 vols. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2007. xxxviii + 2969 pp. Association of Educational Publishers, Distinguished Achievement Award for Social Studies Instruction (Reference Category), June 2008.
13. Assistant editor (with Spencer Tucker et al.), author of 66 short articles, editor/compiler of Vol. 5 (Documents Volume). *The Encyclopedia of The Cold War: A Political, Social, and Military History*. 5 vols. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2007. xxxviii + 1969 pp. Named Editors' Choice, 2007, by *Booklist*; Distinguished Book Award, 2007, Society for Military History.
14. Assistant editor (with Spencer Tucker et al.), author of 24 short articles, and editor/compiler of Volume 5 (Documents Volume). *World War I: A Student Encyclopedia*. 5 vols. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2005. 1 + 2454 pp. [Also published as e-book] Both print and e-book versions received the American Association of Educational Publishers Distinguished Achievement Award, 2006.
15. Assistant editor (with Spencer Tucker et al.), author of 32 articles, and editor/compiler of Volume 5 (Documents Volume). *The Encyclopedia of World War I: A Political, Social, and Military History*. 5 vols. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2005. xlviii + 1661 pp. Named Outstanding Reference Source, 2005, by RUSA-American Library Association; *Choice* Outstanding Academic Title, 2006; Editors' Choice, 2006, by *Booklist*.
16. Assistant editor (with Spencer Tucker et al.), author of 50 short articles, and editor/compiler of Volume 5 (Documents Volume). *World War II: A Student Encyclopedia*. 5 vols. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2005. lvi + 1795 pp.
17. Assistant editor (with Spencer Tucker et al.), author of 106 articles, and editor/compiler of Volume 5 (Documents Volume). *The Encyclopedia of World War II: A Political, Social, and Military History*. 5 vols. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2004. lxii + 2251 pp. Named Editors' Choice, 2004, by *Booklist*; *Library Journal* 2005, Best Reference Title.
18. Assistant editor (with Spencer Tucker et al.), and author of 90 short articles. *Encyclopedia of the Korean War: A Political, Social, and Military History*. 3 vols. xliii + 1123 pp. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-Clio, 2000. Named Best Reference Source, 2000, by *Library Journal*; Editors' Choice, 2000, by *Booklist*; Society of School Librarians International Best Book, 2000. [One-volume version: *Encyclopedia of the Korean War: A Political, Social, and Military History*. New York: Checkmark Books, 2002. xliii + 851 pp.]

- **Print Publications (Others)**

36 refereed journal articles
 18 book chapters (and one in press)
 1 occasional paper
 24 lengthy review essays (and one in press)
 41 shorter reviews

Numerous short encyclopedia and historical dictionary articles

- **Selected Electronic Publications**

"Intersecting Global Atlantics from Lisbon to Macao: The Lusophone World, the Anglosphere, and Asia." *Transatlantic Studies Association Newsletter* (July 2019), 5-20. <https://static1.squarespace.com/static/5a0b34bc2aeba59c71469345/t/5d8b46f57c1cc52e138c4724/1569408833352/TSA+Newsletter-2019.pdf>

"Hong Kong: Neoliberal heaven or Neoliberal nightmare?" *Asia Dialogue: The Online Magazine of the University of Nottingham Asia Research Institute* (June 3, 2019). <https://theasiadialogue.com/2019/06/03/hong-kong-neoliberal-heaven-or-neoliberal-nightmare-part-i/>

"The Forgotten Director? Frank Aydelotte at the Institute for Advanced Study, 1939-1947." Institute for Advanced Study Website: Ideas Section (November 30, 2018). <https://www.ias.edu/ideas/roberts-aydelotte>.

"A Poisoned Chalice? The Kavanaugh Affair and U.S. Politics." *Krasno Analysis* 1 (October 9, 2018), 1-6. <https://www.krasnoevents.com/krasno-analysis.html>.

"Donald Trump: The View from the Asia Pacific. Loose Nukes and Loose Cannons." H-Diplo/International Studies Security Forum on America and the World—2017 and Beyond (June 29, 2017). <http://tiny.cc/PR-1-5AQ>

"Defense and Acquiescence: Alexander Grantham, Hong Kong, and China." Cold War International History Project: Sources and Methods Blog (June 28, 2017). <https://www.wilsoncenter.org/blog-post/defense-and-acquiescence-alexander-grantham-hong-kong-and-china>

2005-2013: 124 Articles for ABC-CLIO database "The United States at War: Understanding Conflict and Society" www.usatwar.abc-clio.com. [Now World at War, <http://worldatwar.abc-clio.com/>] [Awarded Software Information Industry Association CODiE Award for Best Education Reference, 2007; Software Information Industry Association CODiE Award for Best Social Studies Instruction Solution, 2007; *Technology and Learning Magazine* Award of Excellence, 2006; Education Software Review Award (EDDIE) for US History Website, from *ComputED Gazette*, 2006; American Reference Books Annual, Distinguished Achievement Award for an Educational Website, 2006; Best Software in High School (BESSIE) Award for a Social Studies Website, from *ComputED Gazette*, 2006. Release 2.0 (2008) awarded *Technology and Learning Magazine* Award of Excellence, 2008; Education Software Review Award (EDDIE), from *ComputED Gazette*,

2008; Best Software in High School (BESSIE) Award for a Social Studies Website, from *ComputED Gazette*, 2008. Release World at War: Understanding Conflict and Society (2013) awarded 2014 Education Software Review Award (EDDIE), for Best High School Social Studies Website, from *ComputEd Gazette*, 2014]

2008: 84 articles for electronic database, *American History Online* (New York: Facts on File, 2008). <http://www.fofweb.com>.