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Current Position:

Associate Professor, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, University College of the North, Thompson, Manitoba, August 2010 to present.

Previous Positions:

Assistant Professor, Department of History, Nipissing University, August 2008 to June 2009.

Sessional Lecturer in History at the Irving K. Barber School of Arts and Sciences, UBC Okanagan, September 2007 to April 2008

Citizenship: Canadian

Education:

1999-2004 Ph.D. (History) McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario
Dissertation: "Suburban Dilemmas: The Development and Amalgamation of Ontario Suburban Municipalities, 1853-1897," (supervisor: Ken Cruikshank)
Major Field: Canadian History
Minor Fields: 20th Century American History
 20th Century British History

1998-1999 MA (History) University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario
Thesis: "The Maintenance of Suburban Autonomy: The Story of the Village of Petersville-London West, Ontario 1874-1897," (supervisor: Roger Hall)

1994-1998 BA Honours (History) University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario

Publications:

Refered Publications:

“The Development of a Suburban City in the Midst of the Boreal Forest: Thompson, Manitoba, Canada, 1956–1970.” *The Urban History Review/ revue d’histoire urbaine* 46, (Fall 2017): 45-56.

“Poetic Justice: Corruption in Lambton County, Canada West, 1854-1858.” *Ontario History* 105 (Autumn 2013): 160-182.

“In Reply to Your Advertisement . . .’: Local Influences on the Hiring of Teachers, Arkona, Ontario, 1882-1884.” *Historical Studies in Education* 20 (Fall 2008): 1-21.

“Enhancing Status Through Incorporation: Suburban Municipalities in Nineteenth- Century Ontario.” *Journal of Urban History* 33 (September 2007): 885-910.

“The Persistence of Family: A Study of a Nineteenth Century Canadian Family and their Correspondence.” *Journal of Family History* (April 2006): 190-207

“‘The Chicago of the Dominion’?: The Development of Port Franks, Ontario.” *Ontario History* 45 (Spring 2003): 22-37

“Safeguarding ‘The Frog Pond’: London West and the Resistance of Municipal Amalgamation, 1883-1897.” *The Urban History Review/ revue d’histoire urbaine* 29 (October 2000): 53-63

Book Chapter:

“The Pas and ‘The Greatest War in Our World’s History,’” *Horizons North: Contact, Culture and Education in Canada*. Sue Matheson and John Anthony Butler, eds. Newcastle upon Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2013: 20-38.

Other Publications:

Widder Thou Goest: A History of the Pine Hill Settlement, Lambton County, Canada West, 1850-1870. Arkona, Ontario: Anokra Press, 2018.

“A Great Old Tramp: Letters from a Canadian Sojourner in British Columbia, 1873-1875.” *The British Columbia Review (formerly The Ormsby Review)* (April 22, 2017).

The Stott Family of Island Pond. Arkona, Ontario: Anokra Press, 2016

The Aunt Hill and Its Family: The Lutmans of London, Ontario. Arkona, Ontario: Anokra Press, 2013.

Arkona: A History of an Ontario Community. Arkona, Ontario: Anokra Press, 2011.

Passing Into Oblivion: The Diaries of William Porte, Lucan, Ontario, 1864-1898. Arkona, Ontario: Anokra Press, 2009. Co-edited with Glenn Stott.

"I Think I Have the Dunham Pedigree": The Story of the Robert and Louisa (Green) Dunham Family. Arkona, Ontario: G. Stott Publishing, 2006

"Been To North Ekfrid Lately?": The Story of a Crossroads Community in Ontario (Arkona, Ontario: G. Stott Publishing, 2003

"Come in and Have a Chair": The Story of Martin Pettit and Margaret Frances Hutcheson and Their Families. Arkona, Ontario: G. Stott Publishing, 2000.

"Yon Sand-Beaten Shore": The Story of Port Franks, Ontario. Arkona, Ontario: G. Stott Publishing, 1998

Warwick Township History Committee. *The Township of Warwick: A Story Through Time.* Aylmer, Ontario: The Aylmer Express, 2008. Chapters, "From Slate to Laptop (Education," (pp. 97-122), "My Kona, Your Kona, Arkona' (Arkona)," (pp. 137-142), "From Farm Field to Battlefield World War I," (pp. 249-263), "Good Times and Bad Times (The Great Depression)," (pp. 263-270), and "Home Front to Battlefield (World War II)," (pp. 271-284).

Reviews:

The Films of Fogo Island by Derek Norman, Jeff Webb. *The Canadian Historical Review* 101 (March 2020), 159-160.

Ottawa's Streetcars: The Story of Electric Railway Transit in Canada's Capital, by Bill McKeown (Montreal: Railfare DC Books, 2006) in *Ontario History* 99 (Autumn 2007); 257-259.

Hamilton: A People's History, by Bill Freeman, and the accompanying tele-documentary, *Hamilton: Where the Rubber Meets the Road.* In the *Canadian Historical Review* (December 2002); 624-626.

Conference Papers:

"The Development of a Suburban City in the Midst of the Boreal Forest: Thompson, Manitoba, 1956-1970," Urban History Association Conference, Loyola University, Chicago, Illinois, October 15, 2016

"Taming the Sensationalist Sentiment: William Porte's Diaries and Lucan, Ontario, 1864-1899," presented at the Canadian Historical Association, at Brock University, St. Catherines, Ontario, May 28, 2014

- “Transplanting the Suburban Dream: The Emergence of the Planned Northern Resource-Extraction Town of Thompson, 1956-70,” presented at the Northern Atlantic Connection: Canada and the Nordic Countries, Aarhus, Aarhus University, August 12, 2011
- “Changing Expectations: The Transformation of Lake Huron Villages into Summer Cottage Communities, 1880-1930,” presented at the Congress of Humanities and Social Sciences, Canadian Historical Association, at Carleton University, Ottawa, Ontario, May 25, 2009
- “The Travails of a Poet: Robert McBride’s Exposé of Corruption and Conspiracy in Lambton County, Canada West, 1854-1858,” presented for the History Department Seminar Series, Nipissing University, North Bay, Ontario, October 8, 2008.
- “Competing Interests and the Emergence of Summer Cottage Communities in Ontario, 1870 to 1920,” presented at the Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences, Canadian Historical Association, at Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, May 30, 2007
- ““In Reply to Your Advertisement . . .”: Local Influences on the Hiring of Teachers, Arkona, Ontario, 1882-1884,” presented at the Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences, Canadian Historical Association, at London, Ontario, June 1, 2005.
- “Enhancing Status Through Incorporation: Suburban Municipalities in Nineteenth-Century Ontario,” presented at the Second Biennial Urban History Conference, at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, October 9, 2004.
- “The Urban Frontier: Identifying Suburban Municipalities in Nineteenth-Century Ontario,” presented at the Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences, Canadian Historical Association, at Winnipeg, Manitoba, June 5, 2004.
- “The Enigma of Incorporation: A Look at Nineteenth Century Ontario Suburbs,” presented at the Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences, Canadian Historical Association, at Halifax, Nova Scotia, May 29, 2003.
- “Dead Dogs, Nightsoil, and Lofty Ambition: The Story of Nineteenth Century Suburbs in Ontario,” presented at Department of History Colloquium, November 28, 2002, McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario.
- “On the Fringe: Suburban Business Development,” Presented at the Canadian Business History Conference, Trois Rivières, Quebec, October 11, 2002.
- “London West and the Resistance to Municipal Amalgamation, 1874-1897.” Presented at “History Across the Disciplines: The Future of the Past,” Graduate Student Conference, Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia, March 25, 2000.

“From Port to Retreat: The Historical Development of Port Franks, Ontario, 1851-1960.”
Presented at “Is the Coast Clear?” a conference sponsored by the Lake Huron Centre for
Coastal Conservation, at Port Franks, Ontario, August 12, 2000.