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Education:

Ph.D., History, Stanford University, January 1983.

A.M., History, Stanford University, September 1972.

A.B., History, Stanford University, September 1971.

Teaching Experience:

2006-present Professor, Sam Houston State University.

Spring 2013 Visiting Endowed Chair in Hellenic and Modern Greek Studies, Western Connecticut State University.

2005 Fulbright Visiting Professor, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey.

1996-2006 Associate Professor, Sam Houston State University

1990-1996 Assistant Professor, Sam Houston State University

1987-1990 Assistant Professor, Norwich University

1985-1987 Assistant Professor, New Mexico State University

1983-1985 Assistant Professor, University of Nevada-Reno

Fall 1980 Substitute Instructor, Menlo College

1979-1982 Adjunct Instructor, Stanford University

1976-1979 Graduate Teaching Assistant, Stanford University

Library, Editorial and Administrative Experience:

Western Connecticut State University: Visiting Endowed Chair in Hellenic and Modern Greek Studies.(Spring 2013). Aside from teaching two courses in my specialized field, I presented two lectures and organized one other event in Hellenic studies. I was also responsible for developing and fostering relationships with the local community.

Athens Institute for Education and Research: Vice-President of Academic Membership (2004-present). I help organize the International Conferences on History and Philosophy, as well as co-ordinate over 30 International Conferences over the summer.

Norwich University: Coordinator of the Peace, War and Diplomacy. I managed an interdisciplinary program of coursework history, political science and other fields that produced students that were knowledgeable in defense and international studies. A such, I was advisor to about 40 students in this program.

Hoover Institution Press: Proofreader and indexer for the books: *Russia and Asia*, Wayne S. Vucinich, ed. (1972); and *The Soviet Union and the Middle East*, Ivo J. Lederer and Wayne S. Vucinich, eds. (1974). Referee Reader for the book, *Greek Politics at the Crossroads* by Roy C. Macridis (1983) Center for Russian and East European Studies, Stanford University: Student representative in the Committee for Russian and East European Studies. Assisting in the organization of lectures and conferences (1979-1983).

Catalog Department, Hoover Institution: Library Specialist, cataloging of Greek, Russian and other East European materials (3/79-9/80).

Soviet and East European Collection, Hoover Institution: Research Assistant, processor of newly donated collections (6/74-9/74). Research Assistant, collection development of materials from Albania, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Greece, Hungary, Romania and Yugoslavia (6/76-10/76). Research Assistant on the revision of the book, *The Communist Regimes of Eastern Europe*, by Richard Staar (1976). Library Specialist, collection

development of materials from Albania, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Greece, Hungary, Romania and Yugoslavia (6/77-1/78).

Middle East Collection, Hoover Institution: Occasional consultant and processor of Greek and western language materials (1972-1976).

American Historical Association: Student Assistant to the chairmen of the program committee for the 1973 AHA meeting. Processing of correspondence concerning the AHA program, in particular, session and paper proposals (1-12/1973).

Center for Russian and East European Studies, Stanford University: Student representative in the Committee for Russian and East European Studies. Assisting in the organization of lectures and conferences (1979-1983).

Courses taught:

Undergraduate: Western Civilization to 1660; Western Civilization Since 1660; World History to 1500; World History 1500 to 1914; World History Since 1914; Russian History to 1917; Russian History Since 1917; The Traditional Middle East; The Modern Middle East; Ancient History; Medieval History; Part One of the American History; American Military History; Byzantine Civilization; Ancient and Medieval Military history; Europe from 1815 to 1914; and World War II The Modern Middle East; Europe from 1815 to 1914; The Traditional Middle East; Modern Greece from the Ottomans to the EU: The First Europeans Confront the Modern World; The French Revolution and Napoleon; Modern Britain; World Military History to 1800; World Military History Since 1800; Christianity and Islam in Sub-Saharan Africa.

Graduate: Soviet Nationalities; The Eastern Question; The Origins and Early Phases of the Cold War; The Later Phases and End of the Cold War; The Diplomacy of the Middle East; Balkan History; Ancient and Medieval Military history; The Military Revolution in Early Modern Europe; The Rise of the Early Modern European State; Global Ethnic Conflict in the 20th Century; Resistance and Revolution in Southeastern Europe, 1941-1945; Nationalism and Communism in Southeastern Europe; Topics in Islamic Civilization; Western Travel/Historical Writing and the Problem of "Orientalism"; The Ancient World in the Cinema; Church and State in Eastern Christianity; The Balkans in Early Modern Times; Modern Greece, 1821-2012: The First Europeans Confront the Modern World; European Warrior Communities and the Rise of the Modern State; The Trojan War and the End of the Bronze Age-Legend and History; The Early Modern Military Revolution: A Global Perspective; The Cold War from a Soviet Perspective.

Fellowships and grants:

2005 Fulbright Teaching Fellow to Turkey 2001 Fulbright Study Tour Fellowship to Turkey 1991 United States Military Academy Military History Fellowship.

1988 Dana Faculty Fellowship, Norwich University.

1987 Research Fellowship, New Mexico State University Arts and Science Research Center.

Publications:

Books:

Greeks in Russian Military Service in the Late Eighteenth and Early Nineteenth Centuries (Thessalonike, Greece: Institute for Balkan Studies, 1991). 425 pages.

Associate editor, *An Ethnohistorical Dictionary of the Russian and Soviet Empires*, James Olson, editor (Greenwich, Connecticutt: Greenwood Press, 1994). 840 pages.

Editor, Antiquity and Modernity: A Celebration of European History and Heritage in the Olympic Year 2004. Essays from the 1st International Conference on European History (Athens: The Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2004). 384 pages.

Co-Editor, along with Michael Aradas, *Themes in European History*. Essays from the 2nd International Conference on European History (Athens: The Athens Institute for Education

- and Research, 2005). 453 pages.
- Co-Editor, along with Angeliki Lazaridou and Gregory T. Papanikos, *Education Concepts and Practices* (Athens: The Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2004). 776 pages.
- Editor, along with Gregory T. Papanikos, *European History: Lessons for the 21st Century. Essays from the 3rd International Conference on European History* (Athens: The Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2006). 400 pages.
- Editor, along with Kenneth E. Hendrickson, *Interpreting the Past: Essays from the 4th International Conference on European History*, (Athens: Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2007). 324 pages.
- Editor, along with Kenneth E. Hendrickson,, *From the Remote to the Recent Past: Essays from the 5th International Conference on European History* (Athens: Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2008). 250 pages.
- Editor, along with Gregory T. Papanikos, *Horizons in Education*. (Athens: Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2010). 494 pages.
- Editor, along with Gregory T. Papanikos, *Problems and Prospects in Higher Education* (Athens: Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2010). 454 pages.
- Editor, along with Yayoung Che. *The Traditional Mediterranean; Essays from the Ancient to the Early Modern Era.* (Athens: Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2011). 384 pages.
- Editor, *Culture and History: Essays on the European Past* (Athens: Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2012). 400 pages.

Articles and Essays:

- "Balkan Foreign Legions in Eighteenth-Century Italy: The *Reggimento Real Macedone* and its Successors," in *Nation and Ideology: Essays in Honor of Professor Wayne S. Vucinich*, Ivo Banac, John G.Ackerman, Roman Szporluk, Eds. (Boulder, CO; East European Monographs and Columbia University Press, 1983), 35-59.
- "The Soviet-Yugoslav Conflict and the Greek Civil War," in *At the Brink of War and Peace: The Tito- Stalin Split in Historic Perspective*, Wayne S. Vucinich, ed. (New York: Brooklyn College Monographs and Columbia University Press, 1983), 35-59. chapter 9, pp. 219-237, 324-332.
- "The Origins of the Modern Olympics: A Reinterpretation," in *Halcyon: A Journal of the Humanities*, volume 9 (1987): 167-183.
- "Guerrilla Warfare in the Balkans, 1941-1945: A Historiographic Essay," in *Papers of the U.S.M.A.- R.O.T.C. Military History Fellowship, 1991.* (West Point, NY: U.S.M.A. Publication, 1991).
- "The Ottoman View of the Battle of Kosovo" (co-authored) in *Kosovo: Legacy of a Medieval Battle*, (University of Minnesota: Minnesota Mediterranean and East European Monographs, 1991), chapter 3, pp. 41-59.
- "Between Two Empires: Serbian Survival in the Years After Kosovo," in *Serbia's Historical Heritage*, Alex Dragnich, editor (Boulder, CO: East European Monographs, 1994), chapter 2, pp. 17-37.
- "Developing New Evaluation Systems for In-Class and Take Home Examinations," in *Sam Houston State University. Across-the- University Writing Program Newsletter*, volume 12 (May 1995). Reprinted in the writing program newsletter of the University of Southwestern Louisiana.
- "The Precursors of the Modern Olympics," in *Antiquity and Modernity: A Celebration of European History and Heritage in the Olympic Year 2004. Essays from the 1st International Conference on European History (Athens, Greece: The Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2004), chapter 7, pp. 69-88*
- "Η Φρουρα των Βαραγγων Αγγλοσαξωνες προσφυγες στο Βυζαντινο Στρατο" (The Varangian

- Guard: English Refugees in the Byzantine Army)," in Ιστορικα Θεματα -Historical Themes), 41 (Athens, Greece, 2005): 34-49.
- "Greece and the Russian- Ottoman War of 1877-1878," in *Ottoman-Russian War of 1877-1878* (Ankara: Middle East Technical University Press, 2006).
- "Ελληνες Μισθοφοροι στην Ιταλια: οι ενοπλοι προεργασια της εθνεργεσιας" (The Greek Mercenary Service in Italy: The Armed Prelude and preparation for the National Rising), Ιστορικα Θεματα – Historical Themes 86 (July-August 2009): 20-37.
- "Misinterpretations and Miscalculations of Contemporary Reports on the Balkan Wars," in *The Centenary of the Balkan Wars* (1912-1913): Contested Stances. Mustafa Türkes, ed. Vol. 1 (Ankara: The Turkish Historical Society, 2014), pp. 43-58.
- "Brigands and Brigadiers: The Problem of Banditry and the Military in Nineteenth Century Greece," *The Athens Journal of History* 4/3 (2018): 175-196.

Other Publishing activities (contributor, book reviews, series editorships, etc.):

- The book review of *The Quest for Orthodox Unity in America: A History of the Orthodox Church in America in the Twentieth Century*, by Archimandrite Seraphim Surrency, in *Russian Review* volume 34, number 2, (April 1975): 240-241.
- The sections on Albania (co-authored) and Greece for the book, *Russia*, the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe. A Survey of Holdings at the Hoover Institution on War, Revolution and Peace, Joseph D. Dwyer, ed. (Stanford, CA: Hoover Institution Press, 1981), pp. 1-8, 55-73
- Publications edited and produced for curricular purposes *Ancient History: Sources and Documents*, Part I. *The Ancient Near East, India and China*. (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 1994).
- Ancient History: Sources and Documents, Part II. Oriental Empires and the Rise of Greece. (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 1994).
- Ancient History: Sources and Documents, Part III. Classical and Hellenistic Greece (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 1994).
- Ancient History: Sources and Documents, Part IV. The Roman Republic and Empire (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 1994).
- Texts in World History. (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 1995).
- Readings in the History of Early Modern Europe. Parts I-X. (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 1996).
- Readings in Medieval History. Part 1-14. (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 1997).
- Contributor of articles on Aurangzeb, Chetniks, Coup d'Etat, Ethnicity and the Military, Irregulars, Paramilitary Groups, Persian Afghan Wars, and Persian-Ottoman Wars in *The International Encyclopedia of Military History*, James Bradford (London, UK: Routledge, 2004). 2 vols.
- Series Editor of George Kaloudis, *The Greek Military Dictatorship: Lessons Learned* (Athens: The Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2004). 170 pages.
- Interview in the quarterly Greek journal Οικονομια και Αθλητισμος (*Economy and Athletics*), volume 4, number 2 (Athens, Greece: April 2004): 7-10.
- Series Editor of Kenneth E. Hendrickson and Glenn M. Sanford, *Historical Dictionary of the Darwin Controversy* (Athens: The Athens Institute for Education and Research, 2006). 370 pages.
- Contributor on the textbook, Craig A. Lockhard, *Societies, Networks, and Transitions: A Global History.* New York: Houghton Mifflin Company, 2006.
- Texts in World History (Huntsville, Texas: Sam Houston State University, 2006)

Internet publication of "Akarnania before the Greek Revolution of 1821," presented at the Symposium, published by the *Institute Of Local Development "Thomas And Afrodete Papanikos"* (Athens, 2013)

Scholarly papers (* indicates subsequent use in publications):

- *"European Officers and the Greco-Albanian Forces on the Ionian Islands, 1798-1814: A Comparison of Command and Tactics", presented at the conference, *Balkan Worlds II: Balkan Perceptions of War and Revolution in the Long Nineteenth Century (1789-1918)*, cosponsored by the University of Macedonia and the International Association of Southeast European Studies (Association Internationale d'Etudes du Sud-Est Europeen) and held in Thessalonike, Greece in November 2014.
- "The Image of Amazons and Women Warriors in Ancient and Modern Times", presented at the 12th Annual International Conference on History and Archaeology, held in Athens, Greece on 28-29 July 2014.
- "Teaching the Transformation of Anatolia: Undergraduate and Graduate Seminars on Anatolian History, 1071-1453," presented at the *International Conference on Turkey and Turkish Studies*, held in Athens, Greece 21-22 July 2014.
- *"Η Ακαρνανία την Περίοδο Λίγο Πριν την Ελληνική Επανάσταση του 1821" (Akarnania in the Period before the Greek Revolution of 1821), presented at the symposium, Ακαρνανία και Δυτική Στερεά Ελλάδα: Όψεις μιας Μακραίωνης Ιστορίας και Χαμένων Ευκαιριών Ανάπτυξης (Akarnania and West Central Greece: A View of an Age-Old History and Lost Opportunities for Development). Sponsored by the Institute Of Local Development "Thomas And Afrodete Papanikos" Held in Sardinia, Greece on 27 July 2013.
- "Intercalated Olympic Games in Greece: Challenge and Opportunity," presented at the 13th Annual International Conference on Sports: Economic, Management, Marketing & Social Aspects, held in Athens, Greece on 8-9 July 2013.
- *"Misinterpretations and Miscalculations of Contemporary Reports on the Balkan War," Keynote address presented at the conference *The Centenary of the Balkan Wars* (1912-1913): Contested Stances. Held at Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey, 23-24 May 2013.
- "The Amazon Company: A Greek Women's Military Honor Guard for Catherine II During Her Tour of the Crimea, 1787", Presented at the *Hellenic Studies Program series funded by the Stavros Niarchos Foundation Center for Hellenic Studies*. Held at Yale University, New Haven, CT on 22 April 2013.
- "The Amazon Company: A Greek Women's Military Honor Guard for Catherine II during Her Tour of the Crimea in 1787," presented as a *Macricostas Hellenic and Modern Greek Studies Lecture* at Western Connecticut State University, Danbury, CT on 2 April 2013.
- "Greece's Modern Olympics. 1859, 1870, 1875, 1888, 1896, 1906, 2004: A Challenge to the International Olympic Movement?" presented as a *Macricostas Hellenic and Modern Greek Studies Lecture* at Western Connecticut State University, Danbury, CT on 6 March 2013.
- "The American Motion Picture Serial: Social: The Form, Its Demise and it Revival," At the 7th International Conference on Communication and Mass Media, 19 May 2009 in Athens, Greece.
- "Eastern and Western Antecedents for the Modern Olympic Games," At the 8th International Conference on Sports: Economic, Management and Marketing. Aspects, 29-30 May 2008, in Athens, Greece.
- "The Image of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in the American Motion Picture Serial," coauthored by Robert Shadle and myself, at the 4th International Conference on History, 28-31 December 2007 in Athens, Greece.

- *"Greece and the Russian- Ottoman War of 1877-1878," in Presented at the *International Conference on the Ottoman-Russian War of 1877-1878* in December 2005 at the Middle East Technical University in Ankara, Turkey.
- "The Precursors of the Modern Olympics," Presented at the 1st International Conference on European History in December 2003 in Athens, Greece.
- "The Image of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in American Film and Television," at the *Annual Meeting of the Southeast Association for Canadian Studies* on 22 August 2003 at in Atlanta, Georgia.
- "Turkmenistan," Presented at the *Central Asian Conference* at the university of Minnesota, April 1996.
- "The Image of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in the American Motion Picture Serial," presented at the *Annual Meeting of the Southwest Association of Canadian Studies*. Held at Denton, Texas in February 1995.
- "The Land of a Thousand Cities: Turkmenistan in Antiquity," a lecture and slide presentation copresented with Lee M. Pappas entitled under the auspices of the *Archaeological Association of America*. Held at Rice University in Houston Texas on April 19, 1994.
- *"Guerrilla Warfare in the Balkans, 1941-1945: A Historiographic Essay," a paper presented at the 1991 U.S.M.A.-R.O.T.C. Military History Fellowship, held at West Point, New York, June 2-28, 1991.
- *"Between Two Empires: Serbian Survival in the Years After Kosovo," a paper presented at the Symposium, *Serbian Historical Heritage--Kosovo to Present*, held at the 1990 Convention of the American Serbian Heritage Foundation. Held in Washington, D. C., Sunday, June 22, 1990.