# **Curriculum Vitae**

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### Education

- M.A., History, Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, August 2017 Thesis: "The Scottish Witch Trials: From Heresy to Tourism." Director: Dr. Brian Domitrovic
- B.A., History, Tarleton State University, Stephenville, May 2014

#### **International Education**

- "Nationalism in Scotland and Environmental Policy," Tarleton State University Partnered with Edinburgh Napier University, 6 credit hours in Political Science, June-August 2013, Edinburgh, Scotland.
- "WWII and Great Britain," Midwestern State University partnered with Queen Mary University of London, 6 credit hours in History, June-August 2012, London, England.

### **Academic Positions**

• Spring 2018, Adjunct Faculty, Department of History, Sam Houston State University. HIST 1301-07: United States History to 1876 (40 students) HIST 2312-04: World History since 1500 (30 students) HIST 2312-02 (30 students) HIST 2312-03 (30 students)

-Adjunct Faculty, Department of History, San Jacinto College (Central) HIST 1301-115 United States History to 1876 (25 students), HIST 1302:1D6 United States History since 1876 (25 students)

 Fall 2017, Adjunct Faculty, Department of History, Sam Houston State University. HIST 1301-11: United States History to 1876 (40 students) HIST 1301- 35 (174 students) HIST 2312-02: World History since 1500 (29 students)

-Adjunct Faculty, Department of History, San Jacinto College (Central) HIST 1301:117 United States History to 1876 (32 students), HIST 1301:124 (30 students), HIST 1301: 118 (20 students)

• Summer I & II 2017, Graduate Assistant, Department of History, Sam Houston State University. HIST 1301-04: United States History to 1876 (20 students) HIST 1301-06: online (19 students)

-HIST 1301-02: United States History to 1876 (17 students)

- Spring 2017, Graduate Assistant, Department of History, Sam Houston State University. HIST 1301-07: United States History to 1876 (40 students). HIST 3339-01: French Revolution and Napoleonic Wars (40 students).
- Fall 2016, Graduate Assistant, Department of History, Sam Houston State University. HIST 1301-11: United States History to 1876 (220 students)

### **Professional Associations**

- Phi Alpha Theta, National Honor Society of Historians.
- National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity.

# Language Skills

- French: Intermediate
- Spanish: Intermediate

# **Conference Presentations**

- "A Review of the Gallowglass" Paper presented at the Southern Historical Association 83<sup>rd</sup> Annual Conference at Sheraton Dallas Hotel, Dallas, Texas, November 12, 2017.
- "The Protestant Church and the Scottish Witch Trials" Paper presented at the Regional Phi Alpha Theta Conference at Stephen F. Austin State University, Nacogdoches, Texas, April 1, 2017.
- "The Scottish Peasantry and Witchcraft" Paper presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Phi Alpha Theta History Conference at Texas State University, San Marcos, Texas, November 12, 2016.

### **Publications**

#### **Book Reviews**

• Review of W. Davis Waters and Joseph I. Brown, *Gabriel Rains and the Confederate Torpedo Bureau* (El Dorado Hills, California: Savas Beatie, 2017) in the *Civil War Monitor*, forthcoming Winter, 2018.

#### Online Article Entries

- "Pritchett House," East Texas History, http://easttexashistory.org/items/show/216, April 24, 2017
- "Gibbs-Powell House," East Texas History, http://easttexashistory.org/items/show/209, April 21, 2017.

### **Public History**

- Discussion Leader, 2017 College of Humanities and Social Sciences Diversity Reader, Sandra Cisneros, *The House on Mango Street*. November 1, 2017.
- Co-Presenter, "Historic Postcards of Walker County, Texas." Public History Exhibit, Walker Education Center, October 18, 2017.

- Research Assistant, "Walker County" Postcard Book, Author, Dr. Jeffrey Littlejohn and the Walker County Historical Commission. October 16, 2017.
- Assistant, "Cabiness Family Lynching: Black History Month Keynote Address," San Jacinto College, February 14, 2017.
- Discussion Leader, 2016 College of Humanities and Social Sciences Diversity Reader Ta- Nehisi Coates' *Between the World and Me*. October 11, 2016.

### **Fellowships and Scholarships**

- Graduate Assistant Fellowship, Department of History, Sam Houston State University, 2016-2017.
- Recipient of Graduate Studies \$1,000 Scholarship, Department of Graduate Studies, Sam Houston State University, 2014-2015.

#### References

Dr. Jeremiah Dancy Assistant Professor of History Sam Houston State University AB4 447 Huntsville, TX Phone: 936-294-3908 Email: JDANCY@SHSU.EDU

Dr. Brian Domitrovic Associate Professor of History Sam Houston State University AB4 441A Huntsville, TX Phone: 936-294-1474 Email: <u>BFD001@SHSU.EDU</u> Dr. Rosanne Barker Associate Professor of History Sam Houston State University AB4 465 Huntsville, TX Phone: 936-294-1492 Email:<u>HIT\_RMB@SHSU.EDU</u>

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