

CURRICULUM VITAE
Carlos Arnaldo Schwantes

EDUCATION

Ph. D.	1976	History	The University of Michigan
M. A.	1968	History	The University of Michigan
B. A.	1967	History	Andrews University

TEACHING AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

University of Missouri- St. Louis	2001-	St. Louis Mercantile Library Endowed Professor of Transportation Studies and the West
University of Idaho	1987-2001	Professor
University of Idaho	1987-1988	Acting Chair, History
University of Idaho	1984-1987	Associate Professor
Walla Walla University	1969-1984	Instructor to Professor
University of Oregon	1981 Summer	Visiting Instructor
University of Michigan	1968	Teaching Fellow

Courses Taught

- History of Western Civilization Since 1789
- United States History Survey
- Civil War and Reconstruction
- The Rise of Modern America, 1877-1900
- Twentieth Century America
- History of the Pacific Northwest
- Idaho and the Pacific Northwest
- Social History of the United States
- Constitutional History of the US
- History of Canada
- Methods of Historical Research
- Methods of Teaching Social Studies
- Violence in America
- On the Trail of Lewis and Clark
- Exploration in American History
- The American West in the Twentieth Century
- Business and Labor in the Twentieth Century West
- The American West (Seminar)
- Comparative American Regionalism
- The Making of the American Landscape
- Transportation in American Life
- Railroads in American Life
- American Railroads in Global Perspective
- The Automobile in American Life
- Transportation Landscapes
- St. Louis and the West

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND HONORS

Member of the Board of Directors of the
Lexington Group (in transportation
history), 2010-

Member of the Overton Fellowship Prize
committee of the Lexington Group,
2008 to Present.

Who's Who in America, 2001-present

Who's Who in American Education, 2003-
present

Who's Who in the American West, 1992-
present

Two presentations on railroads and the
American West to teacher workshop
organized by Colorado Springs Public
Schools, June 2010

- Presentation titled "Railroad Landscapes of Saint Louis," to Washington University's traveling seminar titled *On Location: Exploring America—Traces of a Lost Landscape: The Industrial Southwest*, May 2010
- Presentation titled "High-Speed Trains for America: Fact and Fantasy," Pacific Northwest Transportation Conference sponsored by the Oregon Department of Transportation, Corvallis, February 2010
- Presentation titled "Thoughts on the Industrial Revolution" to members of the Opening Ceremony of the International Trilateral Scholarly Exhibition at the St. Louis Mercantile Library, October 2009
- Presentation on "Travel and Tourism" to the Black Hills Tourism Conference, Deadwood, 2009
- Presentation titled "The West the Railroads Made" to Lexington Group annual conference, Sacramento, 2008
- Conducted "Economic History of the 1920s and 1930s" seminars for the Palm Beach County Schools at the Flagler Museum, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008
- Guest Co-Curator (with James Ronda) of museum exhibit titled "The West the Railroads Made," jointly sponsored by the Washington State Historical Society and the St. Louis Mercantile Library, 2006-2009
- Conducted the Railroad Transportation Seminar for "In Pursuit of the American Dream: A Teaching of American History Project," sponsored by St. Louis Public Schools, 2006-2008
- Member of Editorial Board, *Montana, the Magazine of Western History*, 1996-2009
- Member of Schell Award Committee of the South Dakota Historical Society, 1993-2010
- Conducted "Teaching Gilded -Age History" seminars for the Palm Beach County Schools at the Flagler Museum, Palm Beach, Florida, 2007
- Presentation titled "The Meaning of the Eads Bridge" to Midwestern Conference of the Institute of Transportation Engineers, St. Louis, 2007
- Interviewed in New York for a forthcoming edition of "Bill Moyers' Journal" devoted to Gilded Age and Progressive-Era America to be aired on national Public Broadcasting television, 2007
- Member of Project Advisory Committee, University of Cincinnati Digitizing of Pacific Railroad Surveys, 2005-2007
- Member of Board of Friends of Fort Belle Fontaine, Saint Louis, 2005-2007
- Consultant for "Digging In," a mineral hall project sponsored by the Bisbee Mining & Historical Museum (in affiliation with the Smithsonian Institution), 1998-2007
- Local arrangements co-chair for Western History Association conference in St. Louis, October 2006
- Washington State Historical Society Annual Banquet Speaker, Tacoma, June 2005: "How far is an Hour? Railroad Promotion of the Evergreen State"
- Walla Walla College Distinguished Scholar Lecture, January 2004: "Looking West from the Gateway Arch: Walla Walla's St. Louis Connection."

Member of Editorial Advisory Board,
Journal of the West, 2001-2004

Appearances on radio and television stations to discuss history topics:

- Radio Station, KEZK, Denver, Colorado, April 2010
- Radio Station, WJBC, Bloomington, Illinois, December 2009
- Radio Station, WSTX, US Virgin Islands, December 2009
- Radio Station, WTTN, Bennington, December 2009
- Radio Station, WILL, Urbana, September 2003
- Television Station, KAUT, Tucson, November 2000
- Radio Station KTKP, Phoenix, November 2000
- Television Station, KUID, Moscow, April 1994
- Radio Station, KUOI, Moscow, April 1994
- Radio Station, KUOW, Seattle, November 1993
- Television Station, KIDK, Idaho Falls, September 1991
- Television Station, KMVT, Twin Falls, Idaho, November 1991
- Radio Station, KXLY, Spokane, Washington, August 1989
- Radio Station, KIDO, Boise, Idaho, June 1989
- Television Station, KTVB (NBC), Boise, Idaho, June 1989

Formal recognition by the Board of the Mining History Association in June 2003 as one of the six founders of the organization in Wichita, Kansas, in 1988

Member of History Department Evaluation Team, Brigham Young University, 2003

Panelist/Presenter, National Council on Public History 25th Annual Conference, Houston, 2003: "Every Day a Different Classroom: Providing Historic Interpretation in the Expedition/Education Travel Industry"

History Consultant to Washington State Historical Society proposed exhibit on railroad landscapes, 2002-2003

Member of the program committee, Mining History Association, 2002

Consultant to the Yakima Valley Museum/National Endowment for the Humanities exhibit-planning grant, 2002

Recipient of the Western History Association's Joan Paterson Kerr Award for the "Best Illustrated Book on the American West" published during the past two years, 2001.

Member of Editorial Board, *Idaho Yesterdays*, 1987-2001

Historical consultant to the Phelps Dodge Corporation, 1996-2001, a Fortune 500 enterprise now part of Freeport-McMoRan Copper & Gold, Inc.

Member of University of Idaho Wilderness Research Center Advisory Committee, 1993-2001

Member of University of Idaho Press Committee, 1993-2001

Director, Institute for Pacific Northwest Studies, University of Idaho, 1984-2001

Member of Idaho's State Historical Records Advisory Board, 1984-2001

Presenter at the "Northwest Wild" session of the Pacific Northwest Booksellers Association, Portland, 2000

President, American Historical Association, Pacific Coast Branch, 1999-2000

Panelist for "The Past, Present and Possible Futures of Pacific Northwest Regionalism: A Roundtable," Western History Association Annual Conference, Portland, 1999

- Panelist/Evaluator for National Endowment for the Humanities Special Initiative for Regional Humanities Centers, 1999
- Member of the Program Committee, Western History Association, 1998
- Member of Board of Editorial Consultants, *Journal of Arizona History*, 1996-1998
- Member of Nominating Committee, Western History Association, 1996-1997
- Member of Executive Council, Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association, 1994-1997
- Member of the Editorial Advisory Board, *Pacific Northwest Quarterly*, 1982-1997
- Recipient of American Association for State and Local History Award of Merit, 1996
- Recipient of Mining History Society's Rodman W. Paul Award for "Outstanding Contributions to Mining History," 1996
- Panelist/Evaluator for National Endowment for the Humanities "Teaching with Technology" Program, 1996
- Participant in Speakers' Bureau, Idaho Humanities Council, 1993-1996
- Member of Walla Walla College Board of Trustees, 1991-1996
- Recipient of the Railway and Locomotive Historical Society's George W. and Constance M. Hilton Book Award for *Railroad Signatures Across the Pacific Northwest*, 1995
- Evaluator, Research Grant Program, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, 1995
- Member of Editorial Board, *Pacific Historical Review*, 1992-1995
- Member of Editorial Advisory Board, *Forest and Conservation History*, 1988-1995
- Recipient of the University of Idaho's Faculty Award for Research Excellence, 1994
- Recipient of Pacific Northwest Booksellers' Award for *Railroad Signatures Across the Pacific Northwest*, 1994
- Chair of the Dwight L. Smith Award Committee of the Western History Association, 1994
- Panelist/Evaluator for National Endowment for the Humanities Division of Preservation and Access, 1994
- Member of Executive Council, Mining History Association, 1990-1994
- Chair of the W. Turrentine Jackson Award Committee, Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association, 1993
- Phi Kappa Phi/University of Idaho Alumni Association Distinguished Faculty Member, 1991
- Recipient of Research Grant, Idaho State Board of Education, 1990
- Two books nominated for the Pulitzer Prize in History: *The Pacific Northwest: An Interpretive History* for 1990, and *Coxey's Army: An American Odyssey* for 1986
- Recipient of Individual Research Grant, Idaho Humanities Council, 1989

Keynote Speaker for the Centennial West Symposium Sponsored by the Montana Historical Society, Billings, June 1989, and funded by National Endowment for the Humanities

Recipient of Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Humanities, Idaho Humanities Council, 1988

Organizer of "Exploration and the Great Northwest," a symposium held in Moscow, Idaho, August 1988, which won the North American Association of Summer Session's Creative and Innovative Award for the "Most Outstanding Program" in the non-credit category for the year.

Consultant on Labor History for the Bisbee, Arizona, Mining and Historical Museum Project funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities, 1988-89

A Panelist/Evaluator for the 1989 National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Seminar Program, 1988

Consultant on "A Television History of Idaho," Idaho Public Television, Boise, 1988-89

Member of Planning Conference, Centennial of the Omnibus States, Billings, Montana; sponsored by the Montana Historical Society and funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities, 1988.

Recipient of the University of Idaho's Burlington Northern Foundation Faculty Achievement Award, 1987

Recipient of a James J. Hill Research Grant, 1987

Labor history consultant, Washington State Historical Society Museum, 1987

A Panelist/Evaluator for 1985 National Endowment for the Humanities Fel-

lowships for College Teachers program, 1984

Participant in National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Seminar for College Teachers, 1984--"The Frontier and Environment in America"--Directed by Walter Nugent, Indiana University

Member of Program Committee, Pacific Coast Branch, American Historical Association, 1983-1984

Representative from the Washington Commission for the Humanities to the Humanities Planning Session for 1983 Western Governors' Conference, 1982

Recipient of National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship for College Teachers, 1982-1983, to spend the year in research and writing at the University of Washington, Seattle

Appointment to a three-year term on the Joint Committee of the American Historical Association and the Canadian Historical Association, 1982-1984; Chairperson, 1983, 1984

Participant in National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Seminar for College Teachers, 1980--"Violence in American History"--Directed by Richard Maxwell Brown, University of Oregon

Consultant on Asahel Curtis Photograph Collection, Washington State Historical Society Museum, 1980

Participant in National Endowment for the Humanities supported Knights of Labor Centennial Symposium, Newberry Library, Chicago, 1979

Recipient of Emil and Kathleen Sick Prize in Western History and Biography, 1979--a publishing subvention for my first book and honorarium for three

public lectures at the University of Washington

Participant in National Endowment for the Humanities supported Newberry Library Workshop in Local and Community History, 1978

Recipient of Rockefeller-National Endowment for the Humanities Fellow-

ship to attend the Newberry Library Summer Seminar in Quantitative Social History, 1977

Recipient of State of Michigan Fellowship to attend the University of Michigan, 1967-1968

Recipient of Eli Lilly Foundation Scholarship, 1963-1965

Manuscript Consultant

- German Historical Institute ▪ McGill-Queens University Press ▪ Truman State University Press ▪ University of Arizona Press ▪ University of California Press ▪ University of Edinburgh Press ▪ University of Idaho Press ▪ University of Illinois Press ▪ Indiana University Press ▪ University Press of Kansas ▪ Minnesota Historical Society Press ▪ University of Minnesota Press ▪ University of Nebraska Press ▪ University of Nevada Press ▪ University of New Mexico Press ▪ University of Oklahoma Press ▪ Oregon State University Press ▪ Stanford University Press ▪ University of Washington Press ▪ Washington State University Press ▪ Yale University Press

Agricultural History ▪ *Environmental History Review* ▪ *Forest and Conservation History* ▪ *Journal of the Gilded Age and Progressive Era* ▪ *Idaho Yesterdays* ▪ *Great Plains Quarterly* ▪ *Montana, the Magazine of Western History* ▪ *Ohio Valley History* ▪ *Oregon Historical Quarterly* ▪ *Pacific Historical Review* ▪ *Pacific Northwest Quarterly* ▪ *South Dakota History* ▪ *Western Historical Quarterly*

Additional Historical Consulting

Bisbee Mining and Historical Museum ▪ Columbia River Maritime Museum ▪ Idaho Public Television ▪ National Endowment for the Humanities ▪ National Geographic Society ▪ Oregon Historical Society ▪ Phelps Dodge Corporation (now part of Freeport McMoRan Copper & Gold) ▪ Smithsonian Institution ▪ Washington State Historical Society ▪ Wells Fargo & Co. ▪ Worthington Foods, Inc. (now part of Kellogg Company) ▪ Yakima Valley Museum

PROFESSIONAL PAPERS AND PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS

“The British Influence on Railroad Station Architecture in the Southern Hemisphere,” English Speaking Union, St. Louis, 2011

“The Maps of the Northern Pacific Railway,” University of Texas, Arlington, 2010

Presentation titled “The Early Canadian Pacific in Global Perspective” to the Lexington Group annual conference, Calgary, Alberta, 2010

“Working on the *American Orient Express*: Personal Perspectives on the Ups and Downs of a Luxury Cruise Train” to

- Lexington Group annual conference, Sheridan, Wyoming, 2009
- “Hub Cities of the American West as Imperial Rivals,” Frontier Cities Joint Conference sponsored by the Howard R. Lamar Center at Yale University and the St. Louis Mercantile Library, 2008
- “Railroads and the Making of America’s Copper Country,” Bisbee (Arizona) Council on the Arts & Humanities Annual Banquet, 2007
- “The True Gateway to the West: Saint Louis versus Chicago,” English Speaking Union, Saint Louis, 2007
- “St. Louis, Chicago, and the Quest for the West in the Era of Henry Shaw,” Friends of Tower Grove Park 2007 Lecture Series.
- “The West the Railroads Made,” Western History Association Conference, St. Louis, 2006
- “Road Trip: How the Automobile Became America’s Greatest People Mover,” Missouri Historical Society’s Perspectives on Science and History Lecture Series, in conjunction with the St. Louis Academy of Science, 2006
- “Vanishing Before Our Eyes: Printing Presses, Computers, and the Mystery of Disappearing Transportation Ephemera,” Lunch and Lecture series sponsored by the St. Louis Mercantile Library, 2006
- “The View from the Passenger Car Vestibule,” at “Iron Icon: The Railroad in American Art,” a symposium in St. Louis funded by Burlington Northern Santa Fe Foundation, 2004
- “The Leadership Secrets of Lewis and Clark,” Lunch and Lecture series sponsored by the St. Louis Mercantile Library, 2004
- “The Significance of the Skyline: From Seattle’s Space Needle to New York’s World Trade Center,” Pacific Northwest History Conference, Seattle, 2002
- “The Wider World of Lewis and Clark,” Lunch and Lecture series sponsored by the St. Louis Mercantile Library, 2002
- “When Kings and Queens Rode the Rails of Britain,” English Speaking Union, St. Louis, 2001
- “In the Footsteps of Lewis and Clark,” Lunch and Lecture series sponsored by St. Louis Mercantile Library, 2001
- “Remembering 20th Century Corridors,” to National Park Service Historian/Interpreters Meeting, San Diego, 2001
- “The Overland Route: Backbone of a Transcontinental Nation,” Lexington Group Annual Conference, St. Louis, 2001
- “Lights Out? Problems and Prospects for America’s ‘Golden West’ in the 21st Century, lecture for The Center for the Humanities, University of Missouri, St. Louis, 2001
- “Railroads and the Selling of the Twentieth Century West,” Lunch & Lecture series sponsored by St. Louis Mercantile Library, 2001
- “The Case of the Missing Century, or Where did the American West go after 1900?” Presidential Address, Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association, Park City, Utah, 2000
- “100 Years of Highways in the Pacific Northwest,” Banquet Address, 50th Annual Road Builders Clinic, Coeur d’Alene, 1999

- “‘The Hour of Your Deliverance:’ Liberating Montana from the Stagecoach and Steamboat,” Lunch Address, 25th Annual Montana History Conference, Great Falls, 1998
- “Envisioning Idaho,” keynote address, Idaho and the American West Institute, Idaho Humanities Council, Nampa, 1998
- “The Many Landscapes of Phelps Dodge,” Mining History Association, Bisbee, 1998
- “Waterways of History: The Great Columbia System,” for banquet cruise, Association of Seventh-Day Adventist Historians, Portland, 1998.
- “‘The Scenery Continued Grand’: A Century of Tourism on the Columbia River,” Western History Association, St. Paul, 1997
- “Lies that Won the West and Hoodwinked the East,” Honors College Presentation, University of Pittsburgh, 1997
- “Nature’s Playground? Two Centuries of Work and Leisure in the Pacific Northwest,” Heritage Resources Conference, Colville National Forest, Colville, Washington, 1997
- “More Incredibly Idaho! Beyond the Familiar Tourist Landscapes,” Governor’s Conference on Recreation and Tourism, Pocatello, 1997
- “Magic Landscapes: Roadside Reflections on the West.” Frontier in American Culture Exhibition at Western State College of Colorado, Gunnison, 1997
- “No Aid and No Comfort: Early Tourism in the West.” Tourism and the American West Conference, University of Colorado, Boulder, 1997
- “Lies that Won the West,” Inauguration Celebration Lecture Series, University of Idaho, 1997
- “Historical Infrastructure.” Leadership Conference ’96, sponsored by the Boise Area Chamber of Commerce, Sun Valley
- “So Incredibly Idaho!” 41st Annual Convention of the Society of American Travel Writers, Boise, 1996
- “North by Northwest: Interpreting the Varied Landscapes of the Pacific Northwest,” Association for State and Local History, Nashville, 1996
- “Railroad Signatures in the Pacific Northwest,” Railroads and the West Conference, Fort Worth, 1996
- “Transportation and its Impact on the Pacific Northwest Landscape,” Northwest Environmental History Symposium, Washington State University, Pullman, 1996
- “Kootenay Country Transportation: The Role of Stages and Steamboats in the Mineral Rushes to the Northern Rockies,” Mining History Association, Rossland, 1996
- “Spokane’s Fascinating Railroad Landscapes,” for Grand Opening of Washington State University, Spokane, Interdisciplinary Design Institute, 1996
- “Trashing the West: Roadside Reflections of a Misunderstood Region,” William L. Davis S. J. Lecture Series of Gonzaga University, Spokane, 1996
- “Trash Tourism: Parasitic Entrepreneurialism and Popular Misrepresentations of the Western Past,” Western History Association, Denver, 1995

- “Connections, Landscapes, and the California Parks,” keynote address, California State Park Rangers Association, Santa Rosa, 1995
- “Landscapes of the West,” keynote address, Preserving Historic/Cultural Landscapes in the West, workshop sponsored by the National Park Service, San Francisco, 1994
- “From GeoSpace to Cyberspace: Ethics of an Evolving Frontier,” Cyberspace, the New Frontier Symposium at the University of Idaho, Moscow, 1994
- “Railroad Landscapes of the Pacific Northwest,” Washington State Historical Society, Tacoma, 1993
- “The Transportation Landscape,” Settler Communities in the West Symposium sponsored by the National Park Service and the Department of Defense, Tacoma, 1993
- Keynote speech, “Having Fun with Idaho History is Serious Business,” and a presentation, “The Landscapes of Idaho's Recent Past,” for the Idaho History Project Institute, sponsored by the Idaho Humanities Council, Boise, 1993
- “The American West County Project: Landscapes of Opportunity in the Pacific Northwest,” Pacific Northwest History Conference, Eugene, 1993
- “Promoting Railroad Tourism in the Pacific Northwest,” Western History Association Annual Conference, New Haven, 1992
- “Railroads and the Columbia River Corridor,” Great River of the West: The Columbia River in Pacific Northwest History Conference at Walla Walla, Washington, 1992
- “Tourism, Designer Landscapes, and the Mining West,” Annual Meeting of the Mining History Association, Boise, 1992
- “Encounters with the *Real* West,” Annual Meeting of the Western Association of College and University Business Managers, Coeur d'Alene, 1992
- “The Use of Western Trails in a Grassroots Approach to Teaching History,” Oregon Trails: Pathway to the West Institute, sponsored by Boise Public Schools and the Idaho Humanities Council, Boise, 1992
- “Railroads and the Selling of the Great West,” University of Montana, 1992
- “The Real West: Myth-Reality,” Conference of the Idaho Association of Museums, 1992
- “Old West/New West: Where Does Alaska Fit?” University of Alaska Fairbanks, 1991
- “Alaska's Place in the History of the American West,” Polaris Society Distinguished Lecture Series, University of Alaska Anchorage., 1991
- “Myth-Realities: Western History Encounters Shorty the Roadrunner, Lady X, and the Modern Marshal of Dodge City,” The Pacific Northwest Historians Guild, Seattle, 1991
- “Toil and Trouble: Work Life in Old Bisbee,” in lecture series sponsored by the Bisbee Mining and Historical Museum and funded by the Arizona Humanities Council, 1991
- “A Grassroots Approach to Western American Regionalism,” Center for the Rocky Mountain West, University of Montana, Missoula, 1991

- “Social Issues of Labor in the Northwest,” for the Business, Labor and Religion Conference at Carrol College, funded by the Montana Committee for the Humanities, Helena, 1991
- “Encounters with the Real West,” Annual banquet of the Oregon Historical Society, Portland, 1991
- “Inventing Idaho,” Pacific Northwest History Conference Boise, 1990
- “Industrial Violence in the Mountain West: The Colorado Connection,” Colorado Historical Society Lecture Series, Denver, 1990
- “Railroads and the Re-Creation of Idaho,” Public lectures in Cascade, Boise, and Pocatello, sponsored by the Idaho Humanities Council, 1990.
- “The Promoting of Eastern Washington,” Cheney Cowles Museum History Lecture Series, Spokane, 1988
- “Illustrating Western History: The Photograph as a Message,” Western History Association Conference, Wichita, 1988.
- Commentator, Organization of American Historians Annual Conference, Reno, 1988
- “The Wageworkers’ Frontier Illustrated,” Pacific Northwest History Conference, Tacoma, 1988.
- “Rails Across the Palouse: A Visual History,” Pacific Northwest History Conference, Spokane, 1987.
- “Inclusive Language and the Historian,” Western University Press Association, Coeur d’Alene, 1986
- “Patterns of Radicalism on the Wage-workers’ Frontier,” Pacific Coast Branch, American Historical Association, Honolulu, 1986
- “Archivists and Historians: Adversaries or Allies? The Historian’s View,” Pacific Northwest History Conference, Corvallis, 1986
- “Perceptions of Violence on the Wage-workers’ Frontier: An American-Canadian Comparison,” Western History Association Conference, Sacramento, 1985
- “The Concept of the Wageworkers’ Frontier: The Pacific Northwest, 1880-1920,” Pacific Northwest History Conference, Helena, 1985
- “From Holes to Wholes: Conflict and Conciliation in Idaho,” Peaceful Settlements Conference, Boise, 1985
- “The Ordeal of William Morley Bouck, 1918-1919: The Limits to Federal Suppression of Dissidents,” Pacific Northwest History Conference, Bellingham, 1984
- Chair and Comment, Joint Session of the American Historical Association-Canadian Historical Association: Chicago, 1984; San Francisco, 1983, Washington, D. C., 1982.
- “Western Women and the First Nationwide Crusade Against Unemployment: The Coxe Movement, 1894,” Western History Association Conference, Salt Lake City, 1983
- “Mythology and the Family Farm,” Pacific Northwest History Conference, Boise, 1983
- “Trouble in Streetcar City: The Jitney Movement of 1915,” Pacific Northwest History Conference, Anchorage, 1982
- “Coxey’s Navy and the Wage Workers’ Frontier,” Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association, Eugene, 1981

“Blanketstiffs and Home Guards: Spokane and the Wage Workers' Frontier,” Spokane Centennial Forum, Washington State University and Spokane, 1981

“Outcasts in a Promised Land: Unemployment, Protest, and the Origins of Labor Militancy in Oregon and Washington, 1885-1886,” Pacific Northwest History Conference, Victoria, 1981

“Workers and Working-Class Institutions in the Pacific Northwest: An Historical Essay,” First Annual Pettyjohn Distinguished Lecture and Research Symposium, Washington State University, Pullman, 1980

“Regionalism, Nationalism and the Cooperative Commonwealth: Radical Culture and Socialist Politics in British Columbia and Washington State,” Canadian Historical Association, Montreal, 1980

“Making the World Unsafe for Democracy: The ‘Walla Walla Outrage’ of June 1918,” Pacific Northwest History Conference, Walla Walla, 1980

“Race and Radicalism: The Legacy of the Knights of Labor in the Pacific Northwest,” Knights of Labor Centennial Symposium, Newberry Library, Chicago, 1979

“From Free Silver to Free Speech: Spokane’s Early Labor Movement,” Pacific Northwest Labor History Conference, Spokane, 1979

Emil and Kathleen Sick Prize Lectures, University of Washington, 1979--

- “The Last Utopia? Washington's Radical Heritage”
- “The Lost Utopia: A Comparative Perspective on the Failure of Political Socialism in America”
- “The Churches of the Disinherited: The Culture of Radicalism on the North Pacific Industrial Frontier”

PUBLICATIONS: BOOKS

Just One Restless Rider: Reflections on Trains and Travel (Columbia: University of Missouri Press, 2009)

The West the Railroads Made, co-authored with James Ronda (Seattle: University of Washington Press, 2008)

Going Places: Transportation Redefines the Twentieth-Century West (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2003)

Everything I Needed to Know About Life I Learned from the Pennsy (St. Louis: John W. Barriger III National Railroad Library, 2001)

Vision and Enterprise: Exploring the History of Phelps Dodge Corporation (Tucson: University of Arizona Press, 2000)

Columbia River: Gateway to the West (Moscow: University of Idaho Press and Columbia River Maritime Museum, 2000)

Long Day's Journey: The Steamboat and Stagecoach Era in the Northern West (Seattle: University of Washington Press, 1999)

So Incredibly Idaho: Seven Landscapes that Define the Gem State (Moscow: University of Idaho Press, 1996)

Hard Traveling: A Portrait of Work Life in the New Northwest (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 1994)

Encounters with a Distant Land: Exploration and the Great Northwest, general editor (Moscow: University of Idaho Press, 1994).

Railroad Signatures Across the Pacific Northwest (Seattle: University of Washington Press, 1993)

Bisbee: Urban Outpost on the Frontier, general editor (Tucson: University of Arizona Press, 1992)

In Mountain Shadows: A History of Idaho (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 1991)

The Pacific Northwest: An Interpretive History (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 1989; second edition, 1996)

Washington: Images of a State's Heritage, general editor (Spokane: Melior Publications, 1988)--Sponsored by the 1989 Washington Centennial Commission

Experiences in a Promised Land: Essays in Pacific Northwest History, coedited with G. Thomas Edwards (Seattle: University of Washington Press, 1986)

The Pacific Northwest in World War II, general editor (Manhattan, KS: Sunflower University Press, 1986)

Coxey's Army: An American Odyssey (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 1985; reprinted by the University of Idaho Press, 1994)

Radical Heritage: Labor, Socialism, and Reform in Washington and British Columbia, 1885-1917, (Seattle: University of Washington Press, 1979)

PUBLICATIONS: ARTICLES

"Transportation and Politics," in *Princeton Encyclopedia of U. S. Political History* (2009)

"How Railroads Took the 'Wild' Out of the West," *Wild West* (April 2008)

"Sunday Service Restrictions" for *Encyclopedia of North American Railroads* (Indiana University Press, 2007)

"Labor in the Pacific Northwest," for *Encyclopedia of US Labor and Working Class History* (forthcoming)

"The Phelps Dodge Copper Strike (1983-1984)" for *Encyclopedia of US Labor and Working Class History* (forthcoming)

"Selling Washington: Railroad Promotion of the Evergreen State," *Columbia, the Magazine of Northwest History* (Spring 2006)

"The View from the Passenger Car Vestibule: Travelers Interact with the Passing Landscape," *Railroad Heritage*, 14 (2005)

"Stagecoach Travel," in *Dictionary of American History*; 3rd ed. (forthcoming)

"The American West," *The Oxford Companion to United States History*, edited by Paul "S. Boyer (New York: Oxford University Press, 2001)

"The Case of the Missing Century, or Where Did the American West Go After 1900?" *Pacific Historical Review*, 70 (February 2001)

"Upriver by Steamer to Idaho: Reflections on the Evolution of a Water Highway," *Columbia, the Magazine of Northwest History* (Spring 2001)

- “The Steamboat and Stagecoach Era in Montana and the Northern West,” *Montana: The Magazine of Western History*, 49 (Winter 1999)
- Two essays for the *American National Biography* published in 1999 under the auspices of the American Council of Learned Societies: “Jacob Sechler Coxe” and “Carl Browne”
- “From Anti-Chinese Agitation to Reform Politics: The Legacy of the Knights of Labor in Washington and the Pacific Northwest,” *Pacific Northwest Quarterly* (Fall 1997)
- “Uncle Sam’s Response to the Great Depression,” *Columbia, the Magazine of Northwest History* (Spring 1997)
- “Coxey’s Army: Dramatizing the Malaise of the 1890s,” in William Graebner, ed., *True Stories from the American Past*; 2nd Ed. (New York: McGraw-Hill, 1996)
- “Anxiety and Affluence: The 1950s in Oregon and Washington,” in Barbara Johns, ed., *Jet Dreams: Art of the Fifties in the Northwest* (Tacoma and Seattle: Tacoma Art Museum and the University of Washington Press, 1995).
- “Wage Earners and Wealth Makers,” a chapter in the *Oxford History of the American West*; edited by Clyde Milner and Carol O’Connor (New York: Oxford University Press, 1994)
- “Tourists in Wonderland: Early Railroad Tourism in the Pacific Northwest,” *Columbia, the Magazine of Northwest History*, 7 (Winter 1993/94)
- “Landscapes of Opportunity: Phases of Railroad Promotion of the Pacific Northwest,” *Montana: The Magazine of Western History*, 43 (Spring 1993)
- “Spokane and the Wageworkers’ Frontier: A Labor History to World War I.” in David H. Stratton, ed., *Spokane and the Inland Empire: An Interior Pacific Northwest Anthology* (Pullman: Washington State University Press, 1991)
- One essay for *The Encyclopedia of the United States Congress*: “Coxey’s Army”
- “Jacob Coxey’s Army,” in *The Encyclopedia of the Left* (1990)
- “Idaho: Divided We Stand,” in *Centennial West: Celebrations of the Northern Tier States’ Heritage* (Billings: Montana Historical Society, 1989).
- “Illustrating the Wageworkers’ Frontier: The New Northwest,” *Montana: The Magazine of Western History*, 38 (Autumn 1988).
- “The Pacific Northwest Working Class and its Institutions: An Historiographical Essay,” in David H. Stratton and George A. Frykman, eds., *The Changing Pacific Northwest: Interpreting its Past* (Pullman: Washington State University Press, 1988).
- Four essays in Keith Bryant, Jr., ed., *Railroads in the Age of Regulation*, a volume of the *Encyclopedia of American Business History and Biography* (New York: Facts on File, 1988): “Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Pacific RR”; “Albert John Earling”; “William John Quinn”; “Henry Alexander Scandrett.”
- One essay in Robert L. Frey, ed. *Railroads in the Nineteenth Century*, a volume of the *Encyclopedia of American Business History and Biography* (New York: Facts on File, 1988): “Ben Holladay”
- “Inclusive Language and the Historian,” *Scholarly Publishing*, 18 (July 1987)

- “The Concept of the Wagemakers Frontier: A Framework for Future Research,” *Western Historical Quarterly*, 18 (January 1987)
- “Patterns of Radicalism on the Wagemakers’ Frontier,” *Idaho Yesterdays*, 30 (Fall 1986)
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- *British Columbia Historical News*
- *Bulletin of the Illinois Geographical Society*
- *Environmental History Review*
- *Great Plains Quarterly*
- *History Teacher*
- *Idaho Yesterdays*
- *Indiana Magazine of History*
- *Labor History*
- *Industrial and Labor Relations Review*
- *Journal of American Ethnic History*
- *Journal of American History*
- *Journal of Forest History*
- *Journal of the West*
- *Journal of Transport History*
- *Labor History*
- *Lexington Newsletter*
- *Minnesota History*
- *Montana: The Magazine of Western History*
- *New Mexico Historical Review*
- *New York History*
- *North Carolina Historical Review*
- *Oregon Historical Quarterly*
- *Pacific Historian*
- *Pacific Historical Review*
- *Pacific Northwest Quarterly*
- *Public Historian*
- *Railroad History*
- *South Dakota History*
- *Technology and Culture*
- *Western Historical Quarterly*

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Lexington Group (in transportation history)
- Missouri Historical Society
- Railway and Locomotive Historical Society
- Western History Association

EDUCATION THROUGH TRAVEL EXPERIENCE

From 1991 until 2007 I worked as a history lecturer a few times a year for various travel companies. This experience provided invaluable hand-on education in terms of the present and past history of travel and tourism. Here are the specific journeys I made during those years:

- Study Leader, Smithsonian Journeys, “Great Trans-Canada Rail Journey,” Vancouver to Montreal, September 2006.
- Faculty Leader, Stanford Alumni Association’s College on the Columbia and Snake River, May 1997, May 1999, May 2002, May 2004.
- Tour Historian/Lecturer for Row, Inc., Lewis and Clark Canoe Trip on the upper Missouri River in Montana, August 2003.
- Tour Historian for Lindblad Expeditions (New York City): “In the Wake of Lewis and Clark,” Columbia and Snake Rivers, 1991-2007; “Exploring Alaska’s Coastal Wilderness,” 1994-1998, 2000, 2005, 2006, 2008; “Iberia, the Western Mediterranean, and the Damatian Coast,” 2007; “The Damatian Coast and Greece,” 2007.
- Tour Historian for TCS Expeditions (Seattle): “Across the Continent on the American Orient Express,” Sacramento to Washington, D. C., 1995; Washington, D. C., to Los Angeles, 1996.
- Tour Historian for American Orient Express Railway Company Private Luxury Train (Seattle and Denver): “Pacific Northwest on the American Orient Express”, 1997; “Across Canada on the American Orient Express,” Vancouver to Montreal, 1997, 2004; Montreal to Vancouver, 2003; “Quebec and the Canadian Maritimes, Montreal to Halifax, 1999; “Best of the Canadian Rockies,” 2004; “Across the Continent on the American Orient Express,” Los Angeles to Washington, D. C., 1998, and Washington to Los Angeles, 1999, 2000, 2006; “The Rockies and Yellowstone on the American Orient Express,” Portland to Denver, 1998; “Northwest and Glacier,” Seattle to Salt Lake City, 2000, 2001, 2006; “The Pacific Coast Explorer,” Los Angeles to Seattle, 2001; “Antebellum South/Civil War,” Washington-New Orleans, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006; “New England and Quebec,” Boston to Quebec City, 2002; “National Parks of the West,” Salt Lake City to Albuquerque, 2003; “Through Mexico’s Copper Canyon,” Chihuahua-Nogales, 2003, Ciudad Juarez-Nogales, 2005.
- Tour Historian for GrandLuxe Rail (Colorado): Seattle to Jackson Hole, 2007

In addition to working in the travel industry, I traveled extensively on my own to gain a better understanding of the United States and the world. Here is a detailed list:

United States: All Fifty States
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Canada: Nine Provinces and Yukon Territory

Albania ▪ Austria ▪ Belgium ▪ Bosnia ▪ Bulgaria ▪ Croatia ▪ Czech Republic ▪ Denmark ▪
Estonia ▪ Finland ▪ France (including Corsica) ▪ Germany ▪ Greece (including Crete) ▪ Hungary ▪
Iceland ▪ Ireland ▪ Italy (including Sardinia) ▪ Latvia ▪ Lichtenstein ▪ Lithuania ▪ Luxembourg ▪
Macedonia ▪ Monaco ▪ Montenegro ▪ Netherlands ▪ Norway (including Svalbard) ▪ Poland ▪
Portugal. ▪ Romania ▪ Russia ▪ Serbia ▪ Slovakia ▪ Slovenia ▪ Spain ▪ Sweden ▪ Switzerland ▪
Turkey ▪ Ukraine ▪ United Kingdom (England ▪ Scotland ▪ Wales ▪ Northern Ireland) ▪
Vatican City

Argentina ▪ Brazil ▪ Chile ▪ Costa Rica ▪ Ecuador (including Galapagos Islands) ▪ Mexico ▪
Panama ▪ Peru ▪ Uruguay ▪ Venezuela ▪ Australia ▪ Fiji ▪ French Polynesia ▪ New Zealand ▪
Kingdom of Cambodia ▪ People’s Republic of China ▪ Japan ▪ South Korea ▪ Vietnam ▪
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