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### **CURRENT POSITION**

#### ***Texas A&M University, Bush School of Government & Public Service***

Associate Professor of History and Public Policy, 2009-Present  
Assistant Professor of History and Public Policy, 2004-2009  
Evelyn and Ed F. Kruse '49 Faculty Fellow, 2006-Present

#### ***Texas A&M University, Scowcroft Institute for International Affairs***

Director of Programming, 2009-Present  
Interim Director, Scowcroft Institute for International Affairs, 2008-2009  
Associate Director, Scowcroft Institute for International Affairs, 2007-2008

### **PREVIOUS AND ADDITIONAL EMPLOYMENT**

#### ***University of Pennsylvania***

Lecturer in History and International Relations, 2003-2004

#### ***Haverford College***

Visiting Assistant Professor of History, Spring 2004

#### ***Yale University***

Visiting Fellow, International Security Studies, Spring 2007  
Olin Postdoctoral Fellow, International Security Studies, 2001-2003  
Lecturer in the Department of History, 2002-2003

#### ***National Park Service***

Principal Investigator, Historic Resource Survey, Minuteman Missile National Historic Site, 2002-2003

### **EDUCATION**

***University of Wisconsin-Madison***, Ph.D. in American History, 2001

***University of Wisconsin-Madison***, Master of Arts in American History, 1996

***Cornell University***, Bachelor of Arts, *Magna Cum Laude* in History, 1995

***Oxford University, St. Catherine's College***, Trinity Term, 1994

### **BOOKS AND EDITED COLLECTIONS**

*The Fall of the Berlin Wall: The Revolutionary Legacy of 1989*, Jeffrey A. Engel, ed., (New York: Oxford University Press, 2009).

*Diplomatic History*, Guest Editor of Special Edition, "The End of the Cold War: New Evidence and Interpretations from the First Bush Administration," 34(1), January 2009.

*The China Diary of George H.W. Bush: The Making of a Global President* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2008). Excerpted in *Newsweek*, Dec 24, 2007.

*Local Consequences of the Global Cold War*, Jeffrey A. Engel, ed., (Palo Alto and Washington, DC: Stanford University Press and Woodrow Wilson Center Press, 2008).

*Cold War at 30,000 Feet: The Anglo-American Fight for Aviation Supremacy* (Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 2007).

2008 Paul Birdsall Prize in European Military and Strategic History, American Historical Association

*Seeking Monsters to Destroy: How America Goes to War, From Jefferson to George W. Bush* (New York: Oxford University Press, Advance Contract, Expected 2010).

*The United States and the World: A History in Documents*, Jeffrey A. Engel, Mark Lawrence, and Andrew Preston, eds. (Princeton: Princeton University Press, expected publication 2009).

### **Refereed Journals and Chapters:**

"A Better World...but Don't Get Carried Away: The Foreign Policy of George H.W. Bush Twenty Years On," *Diplomatic History*, 34(1), January 2009, In Press.

"Forty-One Minus Forty-Three is Not a Negative Number: Thinking Like an Historian about the First Bush Presidency," *Historically Speaking* (Forthcoming, August 2009).

"The Democratic Language of American Imperialism: Race, Order, and Theodore Roosevelt's Personifications of Foreign Policy Evil," *Diplomacy and Statecraft* 19(4), December 2008, 671-689.

"Over There...To Stay this Time: The Forward Deployment of American Basing Strategy in the Cold War and Beyond," in Luis Rodrigues and Sergiy Glebov (eds), *Political and Social Impact of Military Bases: Historical Perspectives, Contemporary Challenges* (Amsterdam: IOS Press, 2008), 17-28.

"On Writing the Local within Diplomatic History: Trends, Historiography, Purpose," in Jeffrey A. Engel, ed., *Local Consequences of the Global Cold War* (Palo Alto and Washington, DC: Stanford University Press and Woodrow Wilson Center Press, 2008), 1-32.

"A Shrinking World: Transport, Communication, and Towards a Global Culture," in Gordon Martel, ed., *Companion to International History, 1900-2001* (Oxford: Blackwell Publishing, 2007), 52-64.

"Of Fat and Thin Communists: Diplomacy and Philosophy in Western Economic Warfare Strategies toward China (and Tyrants, Broadly)," *Diplomatic History* 29(3), June 2005, 445-474.

"The Surly Bonds: American Cold War Constraints on British Aviation," *Enterprise and Society* 6(1), March 2005, 1-44.

"Hubris is the Handmaiden of Tragedy: Truman's Lesson for Bush," *International Journal* 60(1), Spring 2005, 531-543.

"A Política de Bases Norte-Americana no Imediato Pós-Guerra," in Luis Nuno Rodrigues, et al, eds., *Portugal E O Atlântico: 60 Anos Dos Acordos Dos Açores* (Lisbon: Centro de Estudos de História Contemporânea Portuguesa, 2005), 50-65.

“The Personification of Evil: Understanding Presidential Language in the New American Empire,” *Clio’s Psyche* 10(3), 2003, 57-69.

“The American Tendency to Personify Foreign Threats, from Thomas Jefferson to George W. Bush: A Note on American Diplomatic Rhetoric,” *Political Internacional* 25(2), 2002, 197-230.

“‘Every Cent from America’s Working Man’: Fiscal Conservatism and the Politics of International Aid after World War II,” *The New England Journal of History* 58(1), 2001, 20-60.

“‘We are Not Concerned Who the Buyer Is’: Engine Sales and Cold War Security at the Dawn of the Jet Age,” *History and Technology* 17(1), 2000, 43-67.

### **NON-PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS**

Associate Editor, “The Post-Cold War Era,” *Guide to American Foreign Relations since 1600*, for the Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations, Thomas Zeiler, ed., (Santa Barbara: ABC Clio, Online Edition, Ongoing).

“The First Bush Presidency: Made in China,” *The History News Network*, August 4, 2008.  
<http://hnn.us/articles/51902.html>

### ***Academic Reviews:***

“Review of William Walker III, *National Security and Core Values*, *Political Science Quarterly*, Forthcoming.

“Review of Alan P. Dobson, *Globalization and Regional Integration: The Origins, Development, and Impact of the Single European Aviation Market*,” *Perspectives on European Politics and Society*, 10(3), September 2009, 458-459.

Review of the George Bush Presidential Museum,” *Journal of American History*, 95(3), December 2009, 792-794.

“Review of Michael S. Goodman, *Spying on the Nuclear Bear: Anglo-American Intelligence and the Soviet Bomb*, *The American Historical Review*, 113(5), December 2009, 1490-1491.

“Review of Jonathan A. Grant, *Rulers, Guns, and Money: The Global Arms Trade in the Age of Imperialism*,” *Business History Review*, 81(1), Spring 2008, 184-186.

“Review of Walter Hixson, *The Myth of American Diplomacy: National Identity and U.S. Foreign Policy*,” H-Diplo Roundtable Review, June 15, 2008. [h-net.org/~diplo/roundtables/PDF/MythAmericanDiplomacy-Roundtable.pdf](http://h-net.org/~diplo/roundtables/PDF/MythAmericanDiplomacy-Roundtable.pdf).

“Review of Warren A. Chin, *British Weapons Acquisition Policy and the Futility of Reform, 1945 to the Present*,” *Journal of Cold War Studies*, 9(2), Spring 2007, 179-181.

“Review of David Nickles, *Under the Wire: How the Telegraph Changed Diplomacy*,” *International Journal* 60(3), Summer 2005, 874-874.

“Review Essay: Bob Woodward, *Plan of Attack*,” *International Journal* 59(3), Summer 2004, 722-726.

“Cleveland Seems a Good Place to Hide: A Review Essay of Edward P. Glazur’s *Secret Assignment: the FBI’s KGB General*,” *American Communist History* 1(1), 2002, 69-73.

***Encyclopedias/Dictionaries/Magazines:***

"Enough Already, Its Here to Stay! Why We Should Stop Probing and Prodding the Anglo-American Special Relationship," *Argentia, Newsletter of the British International Studies Association U.S. Foreign Policy Group*, 2(1), Dec. 2007, 11-14.

"The Cuban Missile Crisis," in John Merriman and Jay Winter, eds. *Europe since 1914* (New York: Charles Scribners Sons, 2006), 742-746.

"The Comet Affair," *Air & Space Magazine*, 18(3), 2003, 36-41.

"Great Britain, Relations With" in Stanley Kutler, et al., eds., *Dictionary of American History*, 3rd ed. (New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, 2002), Volume 4, 40-44.

"Technology"; "Aviation"; "Automobile Industry"; "ENIAC"; and "The Computer," in Gary Nash and Allan Winkler, ed., *Facts on File Encyclopedia of American History*, vol. 9 (New York: Facts on File, 2002).

"The Cold War and Commercial Aviation," in Walter Boyne, ed., *Air Warfare: an International Encyclopedia* (New York: ABC-CLIO, 2002), 141-142.

***Public History Projects and Writings:***

Jeffrey A. Engel, et al, *The Missile Plains: Frontline of America's Cold War*. Historic Resource Study, National Parks Service, Minuteman Missile Historic Site, 2003.

"China Shaped 41's Policies," *The Eagle*, May 4, 2008, A10.

**FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS**

Program to Enhance Scholarly and Creative Activities Grant, Texas A&M University, 2008

2008 Paul Birdsall Prize in European Military and Strategic History for *Cold War at 30,000 Feet*, American Historical Association

Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations Summer Institute Participant, 2008

Bush Faculty Excellence Award (Annually Awarded to Outstanding Faculty Member), 2007

Evelyn and Ed F. Kruse '49 Faculty Fellow, Awarded to Outstanding GBS Assistant Professor, 2006-2008

Visiting Fellow, International Security Studies, Yale University, 2007

Silver Star Award, Awarded by Graduating Students to Outstanding Bush School Professor, 2006

John M. Olin Postdoctoral Fellow, International Security Studies, Yale University, 2001-2003

Visiting Fellow, Center for the Study of Force and Diplomacy, Temple University, 2000-2001

Guggenheim Research Fellow (renewed), National Air and Space Museum, Smithsonian Institution, 2000

Guggenheim Research Fellow, National Air and Space Museum, Smithsonian Institution, 1999-2000

W. Stull Holt Memorial Fellowship of the Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations, 2000

United States Military Academy, West Point, Summer Teaching Fellow in Military History, 1999

Research Fellow, Harry S Truman Presidential Library Institute, 1999

Dissertation Research Fellow, John F. Kennedy Presidential Library Foundation, 1999  
Visiting Research Fellow, Eisenhower World Affairs Council (Eisenhower Library), 1999  
University of Wisconsin-Madison Vilas Fellow, 1997  
Blattberg Writing Award, University of Wisconsin Department of History, 1997  
Andrew W. Mellon Fellow in the Humanistic Studies, 1995-1996  
George Lustig Prize, Awarded to Outstanding History Department Graduate, Cornell University, 1995  
Ford Foundation Scholar of the Cornell University Institute for Modern European Studies, 1994  
National Endowment for the Humanities Younger Scholar, 1993

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

*Assistant Professor, Master's Program in International Affairs, Bush School of Government, 2004-Present*

“Qualitative Methods for International Policymakers,” Fall 2008  
“American Foreign Policy since 1945,” Fall 2004, Fall 2005, Spring 2007, Spring 2008  
“Grand Strategies of War and Peace,” Spring 2005, Spring 2006, Fall 2006, Fall 2007  
“Capstone: Understanding Communications Networks within the Iraqi Insurgency,” Spring 2006  
“Capstone: The ‘Peking Diary,’” Fall 2006  
“Capstone: Dubai Ports World, and Internal History of a Political Debacle,” Fall 2007

*Member of the Graduate Faculty, Texas A&M University, 2004-Present*

Served on Six Masters and Two Ph.D. Committees in Department of History, and One PhD in Geography.

*Lecturer in History and International Relations, University of Pennsylvania, 2003-2004*

“Grand Strategies of War and Peace,” Senior History Seminar, Fall 2003  
“Senior Seminar in International Relations,” Fall 2003, Spring 2004

*Visiting Assistant Professor of History, Haverford College, Spring Semester, 2003*

“America in a Wider World, 1898-1991,” Spring 2003

*Lecturer in History, Yale University, 2002-2003*

“After the War is Over: Comparing American Post-War Experiences,” Junior Seminar, Fall 2002  
“Technology and World Affairs in the Modern Era,” Junior Seminar, Spring 2003

*Henry L. Stimson Teaching Fellow, Yale University, 2003*

Directed masters-level law, management, and forestry student projects in international relations

*On-Line Instructor, Alliance for Lifetime Learning (Yale/Stanford/Oxford Partnership), Fall 2002*

Designed curriculum and format for 4500 participant online “Forum on Iraq” ([www.AllLearn.org](http://www.AllLearn.org))

*Teaching Fellow, United States Military Academy, West Point, Summer 1999*

### **SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS**

- “What was all the fuss about? Reading Williams as a Sign of the Times,” Symposium on the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of William Appleman Williams’ *Tragedy of American Diplomacy*, Rutgers University, April 2009.
- “The China Diary of George H.W. Bush: The Making of a Global President,” Woodrow Wilson Center and New York University’s Center for the United States and the Cold War, Fall 2008.
- “Theodore Roosevelt Language of American Imperialism,” *Transatlantic Studies Association*, 2008, Dundee, Scotland.
- “Seeking Monsters to Destroy: The Language of American Wars from Jefferson to George W. Bush,” *Society for Military History Annual Meeting*, Ogden, Utah, April 2008.
- From Tripwire to Elvis’ Army: The Grand Strategy of American Base Policy in Cold War Europe,” *NATO Advanced Research Workshop: Political and Social Impact of Military Bases, Historical Perspectives and Contemporary Challenges*, Institute of Military Studies, Lisbon, December 2007.
- “Bush in China: How Foreign Service Changed the George H.W. Bush’s Presidency,” *Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations 2007 Conference*, Washington, D.C.
- “Vietnam and the Viscount Conspiracy: How the American War in Vietnam Doomed the British Aircraft Industry,” *Anglo-American Relations and the Vietnam Wars*, University of Nottingham, March 2007.
- “Teaching Strategy to Future Policymakers,” *Perspectives on Teaching Grand Strategy*, Yale University, March 2007.
- “Peace of Illusions as Revisionist History: A Round Table Discussion of Christopher Layne’s Peace of Illusions,” *2006 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting*, San Diego.
- “The Language of America’s Wars,” *Clinton Centre for American Studies*, University College-Dublin, March 2006.
- “Seeking Monsters to Destroy: How the War on Terror Sounds to an Historian,” Yale University, *International Security Studies Forum*, March 2006.
- “Torture as Strategy,” *Texas A&M 2005 Forum on Torture and the War on Terror*, College Station.
- “Anglo-American Economic Warfare: Lessons for Sino-American Relations,” *Beijing Forum: East Asia and the United States in the Age of Globalization*, Beijing, 2006.
- “Safeguarding the Skies: Fear, Morality, and Cold War Restraints on Aircraft and Aeronautics,” *American Historical Association Annual Conference*, Philadelphia, 2006.
- “Bush in China: the Making of an Internationalist President,” *Shanghai Institute of International Studies Symposium: Sino-US Relationship and Regional Security in Northeast Asia*, Shanghai, 2005.
- “Economic Warfare and Anglo-America: A Case Study of Sino-Western Trade Relations,” *Shanghai Institute of International Studies Symposium: Sino-US Relationship and Regional Security in Northeast Asia*, 2005.
- “The Face of Evil: Rhetoric and War from Jefferson to George W. Bush,” *Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations 2005 Conference*, College Park, Maryland.
- “Transitioning from Cold War to Terror: Developments in American Overseas Basing Policy since 2001,” *Transatlantic Studies Association*, University of Nottingham, 2005.

- “Before Going to War, Try This...the Morality of Economic Warfare in Contemporary Diplomacy,” *Baruch College Symposium on Preventative War*, Invited Speaker, New York, 2004.
- “Why Harm’s Way is Safer: American Global Base Policy during the Cold War,” *Transatlantic Studies Association*, University of Dundee, Scotland, 2004.
- “Forward Deployed to Keep Out the World: American Cold War Base Policy,” *Commemorating the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Azores Treaty*, Center for Portuguese Contemporary History, Lisbon, 2003.
- “Balancing Public Needs and A Historian’s Creed,” *Cold War Memory: Interpreting the Physical Legacy of the Cold War*, The Woodrow Wilson Center, Washington D.C., 2003.
- “Aerospace and Foreign Policy: John F. Kennedy’s Atlantic Legacy,” *The Kennedy Legacy: A Forty Year Perspective*, Chestnut Hill College, Philadelphia, 2003.
- “Controlling Globalism’s Reach: Trade Controls and the Downfall of British Aerospace,” *Business History 2003 Conference*, Lowell, Massachusetts.
- “Economic Warfare and Détente: Anglo-American Divisions over Technology Transfer and Development in Communist Asia,” *Transatlantic Studies Association*, Dundee, Scotland, 2002.
- “Why Bin Laden Matters: Personalizing the Enemy as a Rhetorical Tool of American Foreign Policy,” and “A Means to Cross the Waters: Aviation and Atlantic Diplomacy,” *Instituto Superior de Ciências do Trabalho e da Empresa*, Lisbon, 2001.
- “On the Local Impact of Diplomacy: A Theoretical Exposition Grounded in the 1920s,” *The Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations 2001 Conference*, Washington, D.C.
- “Cold War at 30,000 Feet: Aircraft Diplomacy and Security Controls Under Ike and Churchill,” *Organization of American Historians 2000 Conference*, St. Louis.
- “Fighting for Business in a Trade-Controlled World: The Effects of Anglo-American Technology Controls on British Aviation Firms,” *Business History 2000 Conference*, Stanford University.
- “Anglo-American Aircraft Diplomacy and Technology Control in the Early Cold War,” *Society for the History of Technology 1999 Conference*, Detroit.
- “‘Every Cent from America’s Working Man’: Fiscal Conservatism and American Foreign Policy in 1946,” *The Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations 1999 Conference*, Princeton University.
- “The Evolution of Anglo-American Trade Controls and British Aviation Exports Through 1975,” *London School of Economics History Symposium*, “COCOM: Government, Business and Strategic Technology During the Cold War,” London School of Economics, 1999.
- Additional Presentations at the University of Pennsylvania, The Ohio State University, Yale University, Temple University, and The National Air and Space Museum.

**Panel Commentator and Chair:**

- “Wilsonianism: the History of a Conflicted Concept,” *Transatlantic Studies Association*, Dundee, 2008.
- “Perspective to Policy: Competing Conceptions of U.S. National Interest in the Era of Franklin Roosevelt,” *Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations 2008 Conference*, Columbus
- “Redefining NATO for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,” *Transatlantic Studies Association*, University College-Cork, 2007
- “Triangular Economics,” *Transatlantic Studies Association*, University College-Cork, Ireland, 2007

“Faith and Prejudice in Woodrow Wilson’s Foreign Policy,” 2005 *James Barnes Club Conference*, Temple University, Philadelphia.

“American Bases in Europe: Impact and Experience, 1945-2000,” *The Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations 2005 Conference*, College Park, Maryland.

“Axis of Evil: the Next Step,” *Memorial Student Union Wiley Lecture Series*, Texas A&M University, November 2004.

“The Limits of Détente,” *The Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations 2003 Conference*, Washington DC.

“New Angles on Kennedy’s Foreign Policy,” *The Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations 2000 Conference*, Toronto.

### **PUBLIC HISTORY EXPERIENCE**

“Teaching Foreign Policy in AP United States History,” *College Board Consultation Board*, Dec. 2004

*Principal Investigator*, National Park Service Historic Resource Survey, 2002-2003  
Directed historical survey of the Minuteman Missile Historic Site (Wall, South Dakota).

*Historical Consultant*, Highsmith Press, 2002  
Provided content for elementary-level educational “Mindsparks” games.

### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Executive Council, Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations, 2009-2011

Editorial Board Member, *Diplomatic History*, 2008-2011

Executive Committee, Transatlantic Studies Association, 2006-Present

Program Committee (International Economics), Transatlantic Studies Association 2007 and 2008 Meeting

Peer Reviewer, *Journal of Contemporary History*

Peer Reviewer, *Journal of Transatlantic Studies*

Peer Reviewer, *Diplomatic History*

Peer Reviewer, *Security Studies*

Peer Reviewer, Oxford University Press

Peer Reviewer, Princeton University Press

Peer Reviewer, Routledge Press

Peer Reviewer, Edinburgh University Press

Peer Reviewer, Cornell University Press

Peer Reviewer, University Press of Florida

Peer Reviewer, Centre for Studies in Religion and Society, University of Victoria

### **COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

Director of Programming, Scowcroft Institute for International Affairs, 2009-Present

Interim Director, Scowcroft Institute for International Affairs, 2008-2009

Associate Director, Scowcroft Institute for International Affairs, 2007-08

Faculty Advisory Board, Program in American Studies, TAMU, 2007-Present  
MPIA Program PhD Consideration Committee, Bush School, 2008-Present  
Search Committee, Associate Director of the Institute for Science, Technology, and Public Policy, Bush School, TAMU, 2006  
Search Committee, International Security, Bush School, TAMU, 2006  
Faculty Advisory Committee to the Vice President for Student Affairs, TAMU, 2005-2007  
By-Laws Revision Committee, Bush School, TAMU, 2005-2006  
Search Committee for the Director of Communications and External Relations, Bush School, TAMU, 2005-06  
Master's Program in International Affairs Curriculum Committee, Bush School, TAMU, 2005-2006  
Search Committee, International Law and Area Specialist positions, Bush School, TAMU, 2004-2005  
Search Committee, International Security and East Asian Relations, Bush School, TAMU, 2005-2006  
Graduate Instruction Committee, Bush School, TAMU, 2004-05, 2005-2006  
Admissions and Graduate Fellowship Committee, TAMU, 2004-2005  
Coordinator, Bush School International Film Series, TAMU, 2004-present  
Joint Coordinator, Bush School National Security Seminar, TAMU, 2005-2006  
Regent's Mentor, TAMU, 2004-2005  
Aggie Ally, TAMU, 2004-present

#### **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

American Historical Association  
Organization of American Historians  
Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations  
Transatlantic Studies Association  
International Studies Association  
American Political Science Association (Associate Member)

#### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Brazos Valley American Civil Liberties Union, Board Member