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**Curriculum Vitae**

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**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

Assistant Professor of American Indian History, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, 2011-

**EDUCATION**

Ph.D., American History, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, 2011  
Dissertation: "A Nation's Charge: Cherokee Social Services, 1835-1907"  
M.A., American History, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, 2008  
Thesis: "Family and Nation, Cherokee Orphan Care, 1835-1903"  
M.T.S., Theological Studies, Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, 2000  
B.A., English Literature, University of South Florida, 1998

**AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

David J. Weber Fellow for the Study of Southwestern America, William P. Clements Center, SMU, 2013-2014  
UNC Nominee, Allan Nevins Dissertation Award, The Society of American Historians, 2012  
Royster Fellows Ambassador Award, UNC, 2011  
Indian Student Conference Scholarship, Western History Association, 2010  
Sequoyah Dissertation Writing Fellowship, UNC, 2010-2011  
Frances C. Allen Fellowship, Newberry Library, 2009  
Phillips Fund Grant for Native American Research, American Philosophical Society, 2009  
Mowry Dissertation Fellowship, UNC Department of History, 2009  
Interdisciplinary Research Fellowship, UNC, Spring 2009  
Honorable Mention, Ford Foundation Diversity Fellowships Program, 2009  
Nell D. Brown Memorial Award, Cherokee Nation Education Corporation, 2008, 2009, 2010  
Scholars for Tomorrow: Ethics in Society Fellowship, UNC, 2006  
Native American Seminary Award, American Board of Higher Education and Ministry, 1998, 1999  
Ed E. & Gladys Hurley Foundation Fellowship, SMU-Perkins School of Theology, 1999

**BOOKS**

*Serving the Cherokee Nation: Social Welfare and Sovereignty, 1800-1907* (under contract University of Oklahoma Press)

**PUBLICATIONS**

"An Absolute and Unconditional Pardon': Nineteenth Century Cherokee Indigenous Justice." In *Essays on the Indigenous South*, edited by Greg O'Brien and Tim Garrison (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, submitted).  
"Family and Nation: Cherokee Orphan Care, 1835-1903." *American Indian Quarterly* 34 (Summer 2010): 312-343.

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“Nancy Ward.” *Encyclopedia of Women in World History* (New York: Oxford University Press, 2007).

### **BOOK REVIEWS & NOTES**

Review of Rose Stremmler’s *Sustaining the Cherokee Family: Kinship and the Allotment of an Indigenous Nation* (2011) in *Journal of American History* 99 (September 2012): 616-617.

Review of Tiya Miles’s *The House on Diamond Hill: A Cherokee Plantation Story* (2010) in *The Chronicles of Oklahoma* 89 (Summer 2011): 245-246.

Review of Barbara R. Duncan’s edited *The Origin of the Milky Way and Other Living Stories of the Cherokee* (2008) in *Journal of Appalachian Studies* 16 (Spring/Fall 2010): 200-201.

Review of Cynthia Cumfer’s *Separate Peoples, One Land: The Minds of Cherokees, Blacks, and Whites on the Tennessee Frontier* in *North Carolina Historical Review* 87 (July 2010): 361.

Review of Fay Yarborough’s *Race and the Cherokee Nation: Sovereignty in Nineteenth Century* (2008) *Great Plains Quarterly* 30, (Winter 2010): 54-55.

### **CONFERENCE PAPERS/PARTICIPATION**

“‘The strong must bear the burdens of the weak:’ Guardians and Wards Redefined through Cherokee Nation Social Services, 1829-1907,” American Indian Workshop, Leiden University, Leiden, Netherlands, May 2014.

Organizer, Participant, and Chair, “Standing Our Ground for Our Children: What Veronica Brown Means to Indian Country,” Native American and Indigenous Studies (NAISA), Austin, TX, May 2014.

“The Nature of Our Public Institutions: Cherokee Social Services, 1835-1907,” State of Sequoyah Symposium, Northeastern State University, Tahlequah, Oklahoma, September 2011.

“A Nation’s Charge: Cherokee Social Services, 1835-1907,” Western History Association Conference, Lake Tahoe, Nevada, October 2010.

“From Clan Kin to Orphan: Changing Understandings of Cherokee Children’s Care from Removal through the Civil War,” UNC-King’s College American Studies Conference, London, May 2008, and Native American and Indigenous Studies Conference, Athens, GA, April 2008.

“Editorializing Removal: Elias Boudinot, the Creeks, and the Cherokee Battle Against Removal” New Directions in American Indian Research Conference, Chapel Hill, March 2008.

### **GRANTS**

“Cherokees: Yesterday, Today, Tomorrow,” Ready for the World Undergraduate Teaching Grant, University of Tennessee-Knoxville, Fall 2011

“Indians, Southerners, and Americans,” Ready for the World Undergraduate Teaching Grant, University of Tennessee-Knoxville, Fall 2011

### **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

Elected Representative, College of Arts and Sciences Teaching Council, University of Tennessee, 2014-2017

Co-Advisor, Native American Student Association, University of Tennessee-Knoxville, 2012-Present

Co-Advisor, American Indian Science and Engineering Society (AISES), University of Tennessee-Knoxville, 2012-Present  
Brazil Student Exchange Institute Guest Lecturer, English Language Institute, University of Tennessee, 2013  
Advisory Board, American Indian Center, UNC-CH, 2007, 2009, 2010  
Conference Planner, New Directions in American Indian Research Conference, UNC-CH, 2007  
Gender, Ethnic, and Racial Concerns Committee, SMU, 1998, 1999

### **DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE**

Undergraduate Committee, Department of History, University of Tennessee, 2014-2015  
Graduate Committee, Department of History, University of Tennessee, 2012-2013

### **PUBLIC TALKS**

“Walter Adair Duncan: Old Settler,” Sequoyah Remembrance Day, Sequoyah Birthplace Museum, Vonore, TN, August 3, 2014  
“Nineteenth Century Cherokee Nation Medical Care: Options, Coercions, Traditionalism, and Professionalization,” Cherokee Community of North Texas, Urban Inter-Tribal Center of Texas, Dallas, TX, June 7, 2014  
“As The Nation May Direct:” Pensions and the Financing of a Post-Removal Cherokee Nation, SMU Clements Center Brown Bag Lunch Lecture, DeGoyler Library, October 30, 2014 and Bach to Books, Allen County Public Library, March 20, 2014  
UNC Native Leaders Symposium: “Discussions on Self-Governance, Sovereignty, and Sustaining Vibrant Communities,” UNC-Chapel Hill, February 21, 2013

### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Outside Reviewer, American Indian Quarterly  
Outside Reviewer, North Carolina Historical Review  
Program Committee, 2012 Western History Association Annual Meeting, 2011-2012

### **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

Board Member, Sequoyah Birthplace Museum, Vonore, TN, 2011-Present.  
Script Consultant, Belle Starr Film, Greenacre Films/Wall-to-Wall Media (In development).  
Content Consultant, Abby Colich, *Wilma Mankiller*, Great Women in History Children’s Biography Series, North Mankato: Capstone Press, 2015.  
Expert Interview, Trail of Tears National History Day Project, Wiggs Middle School, El Paso Texas, November 19, 2014.  
Documentary Interview, *Fort Loudoun: A British Outpost on the American Frontier*, Nolichucky Pictures, November 2011, (August 2013).  
Guest Speaker, American Indian Heritage Month, Federal Bureau of Investigation Knoxville Division, Knoxville, TN, November 16, 2012.  
Guest Speaker, Indian Removal, Northwest Middle School, Knoxville, TN, September 28, 2012.  
Expert Testimony, House State and Local Government Committee, Tennessee State Legislature, March 20, 2012.  
Interview, “Indigenous Sounds,” WSRL Community Radio, Sarasota, Florida, August 7, 2010.

### **LEADERSHIP**

Co-President, First Nations Graduate Circle, UNC, 2007, 2009, 2010  
Vice President, First Nations Graduate Circle, UNC, 2008

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Co-Convener, Jovinian Society, SMU, 1998, 1999

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Cultural Tourism Researcher, Cherokee Nation Enterprises, 2009-2010

Secondary Teacher, School District of Hillsborough County, 2001-2003, 2005-2006

Academic Coordinator, Florida Mental Health Institute, USF, 2003-2005

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

American Society for Ethnohistory

Western History Association

Southern Association for Women Historians

Coordinating Council for Women in History

Native American and Indigenous Studies Association

### **CLASSES TAUGHT**

#### **Undergraduate Level**

U.S. History 1877-Present

Native America: The East

Native America: The West

Twentieth Century Native America

Cherokee History

Senior Research Seminar: The Hermitage: History, "Social Forgetting" and the Complicated  
Vocation of Public Historians

#### **Graduate Level**

Native American Readings