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Professor and Director of Graduate Studies
PhD, University of North Carolina, 1982
Russian History; European History; Cold War

BOOKS

Imagining America: Influence and Images in Twentieth-Century Russia. (Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield, 2003).

And Now My Soul Is Hardened: Abandoned Children in Soviet Russia, 1918-1930. (Berkeley: University of California Press, 1994; pbk, 1996).

Russia's Last Capitalists: The Nepmen, 1921-1929. Rev. pbk. (Berkeley: University of California Press, 1990).

Russia's Last Capitalists: The Nepmen, 1921-1929. (Berkeley: University of California Press, 1987).

CURRENT RESEARCH

Translated edition of articles about the United States in the popular press of the Soviet Union for Oxford University Press.

RECENT BOOK CHAPTERS

"Building a New State and Society: NEP, 1921-1928," in Ronald Grigor Suny, ed., *The Cambridge History of Russia. Volume III: The Twentieth Century* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2006), 168-191.

AWARDS AND GRANTS

Marquette University Sabbatical Fellowship, 2004-05

International Research and Exchanges Board, 1980-1981, 1987

OTHER RECENT SCHOLARLY ACTIVITY

Served as an evaluator of proposals from American scholars seeking State Department funds to conduct research in portions of the former Soviet Union, 2002-2007