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Luke A. Nichter is an Associate Professor of History at Texas A&M University – Central Texas, the History Book Review Editor for [Presidential Studies Quarterly](#), a Visiting Fellow at the Norwegian Nobel Institute, an Andrew W. Mellon Fellow at the Massachusetts Historical Society, and a Visiting Scholar at the University of Michigan's Eisenberg Institute for Historical Studies. He was formerly a Senior Visiting Research Fellow at the University of Oxford's Rothermere American Institute and a Hansard Research Scholar at the London School of Economics.

Luke is a noted expert on Richard Nixon's 3,451 hours of secret White House tapes. He is a *New York Times* bestselling author or editor of six books, including [Richard Nixon and Europe: The Reshaping of the Postwar Atlantic World](#) (Cambridge University Press), which was based on multilingual archival research in six countries. His current book project is *Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr. and the Decline of the Eastern Establishment*, to be published by Yale University Press. It will be the first full biography of Lodge – whose public career spanned from the 1930s to the 1970s – also based on extensive multilingual archival research.

Also, Luke is the author, with Douglas Brinkley, of [The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972](#) (Houghton Mifflin Harcourt), with a Mandarin version to appear in the near future by the premier Chinese academic publisher SDX (Sanlian) Joint Publishing Company. A sequel volume, [The Nixon Tapes: 1973](#), was published by Houghton Mifflin Harcourt in 2015. Another of Luke's books will soon appear in Mandarin version to be published by Renmin University of China Press.

Luke is a former founding Executive Producer of C-SPAN's [American History TV](#), launched during January 2011 in 41 million homes, and his work has appeared in or has been reported on by the *New York Times*, *Washington Post*, *Vanity Fair*, and the Associated Press. His website,

[nixontapes.org](http://nixontapes.org), offers free access to the publicly released Nixon tapes as a public service. Luke's website and work on the Nixon tapes was featured by [CBS Sunday Morning](#) in 2014.

Luke is a recognized advocate for government openness, having filed more than 1,000 Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests for the purpose of opening historically important records to public access – work that has been [officially endorsed by the American Historical Association](#). He has an ongoing petition before Judge Royce Lamberth of the District Court for the District of Columbia – [In Re: Petition of Luke Nichter, Case No. Misc. 12-74](#) – which has [unsealed thousands of pages of government records](#) in the custody of the National Archives and Records Administration.

## **CURRENT POSITION**

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Texas A&M University - Central Texas

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Associate Professor of History, 2012-

Assistant Professor of History, 2008-2012

*Presidential Studies Quarterly* (Editor: George C. Edwards, III)

Center for the Study of the Presidency and Congress

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Washington, DC 20005

Book Review Editor (History), 2017-

The Norwegian Nobel Institute

Henrik Ibsens gate 51

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Visiting Fellow, 2017

Massachusetts Historical Society

1154 Boylston Street

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Andrew W. Mellon Fellow, 2016-2017

Eisenberg Institute for Historical Studies

1029 Tisch Hall

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University of Michigan  
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48109  
Visiting Scholar, 2017

### **TERMINAL DEGREE**

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PhD, History, 2008

Bowling Green State University  
Bowling Green, Ohio 43403

Dissertation: *Richard Nixon and Europe: Confrontation and Cooperation, 1969-1974*

Committee: Thomas Alan Schwartz, Gary Hess, and Douglas J. Forsyth (Chair)

- Awarded Prize for Best Dissertation in the History Department
- Awarded Prize for Best Dissertation at Bowling Green State University by the Graduate College
- Awarded Prize for Best Dissertation in the State of Ohio by the Ohio Academy of History

Languages: French, German, Spanish

### **FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS & GRANTS**

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- Visiting Fellow, Norwegian Nobel Institute, Oslo, Norway, 2017
- Visiting Scholar, Eisenberg Institute for Historical Studies, University of Michigan, 2017
- Andrew W. Mellon Fellow, Massachusetts Historical Society, 2016-2017
- Visiting Senior Research Fellow, Rothermere American Institute, University of Oxford, 2016
- Graduate Faculty Research Award, TAMUCT, 2016
- Faculty Development Leave (Sabbatical), TAMUCT, 2016
- Faculty Research Grant, College of Arts & Sciences, TAMUCT, 2016
- Distinguished Graduate Faculty Award, TAMUCT, 2015
- Recognition of Research, American Historical Association, 2014
- Graduate Faculty Research Award, TAMUCT, 2014
- Graduate Faculty Teaching Award, TAMUCT, 2013
- Love of Learning Award, Phi Kappa Phi, 2009
- Awarded Prize for Best Dissertation, Ohio Academy of History, 2008-2010
- Awarded Prize for Best Dissertation, BGSU, 2008-2010
- American Library Association (ALA), ABC-CLIO Online History Award Honorable Mention, 2009
- Awarded Prize for Best Dissertation, History Department, BGSU, 2008-2009

- Research Fellowship, History Department, BGSU, 2007-2008
- Katzner-Bookstore Research Grant, BGSU, 2006
- Research Grant, Department of History, BGSU, 2006
- Visiting Post-Graduate, Université d'Ouagadougou, Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso, 2005
- Hansard Research Scholar, London School of Economics, London, United Kingdom, 2003
- Visiting Post-Graduate, Nuffield College, University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom, 2001

## COURSES TAUGHT

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### *Undergraduate Survey*

Asian Civilizations I (to 1600), United States History II (since 1877), Asian Civilizations II (since 1600), World History I (to 1600), United States History I (to 1877), World History II (since 1600)

### *Undergraduate Upper Level*

20<sup>th</sup> Century United States History, Japan II (since 1600), American Biography, Korean War, Asian Civilizations, Persian Gulf Wars, China II (since 1600), Revolutionary 1960s, Historical Method, Senior Research Seminar, History through Film, U.S. Presidential History, India I (to 1600), Vietnam War, India II (since 1600), World History since 1919

### *Graduate*

Cold War through Film, Elements of Historical Inquiry, India since 1947, Europe since 1945, China since 1949, Historiography and Historical Method, U.S. Foreign Policy since 1945, Modern Japan and Korea, The Watergate Era

## PUBLICATIONS

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### BOOKS

*Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr. and the Decline of the Eastern Establishment.*  
New Haven: Yale University Press, expected TBD.  
Hardcover: TBD

*The Nixon Tapes: 1973* (with Douglas Brinkley). Boston: Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, 2015.  
Hardcover: 978-0-5446-10538 (2015)  
Paperback: 978-0-5448-11843 (2016)

*Richard Nixon and Europe: The Reshaping of the Postwar Atlantic World.* New York: Cambridge University Press, 2015.

Hardcover: 978-1-1070-94581 (2015)  
Paperback: TBD

*The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972* (with Douglas Brinkley). Boston: Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, 2014.

Hardcover: 978-0-5442-74150 (2014)  
Paperback: 978-0-5445-70337 (2015)  
Mandarin version in progress with SDX (Sanlian) Joint Publishing Company

*Richard M. Nixon: In the Arena, from Valley to Mountaintop* (First Men, America's Presidents Series). New York: Nova History Publications, 2014.

Hardcover: 978-1-6311-75466 (2014)  
Mandarin version in progress with Renmin University of China Press

*Lyndon B. Johnson: Pursuit of Populism, Paradox of Power* (First Men, America's Presidents Series). New York: Nova History Publications, 2013.

Hardcover: 978-1-6208-12136 (2013)

*George W. Bush: Life of Privilege, Leadership in Crisis* (First Men, America's Presidents Series). New York: Nova History Publications, 2012.

Hardcover: 978-1-6261-86248 (2012)

#### **CHAPTERS, ARTICLES, ESSAYS & OP-EDS**

"Presidential Taping Systems," *White House History*, expected 2019.

"Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr. and the Unlikely 1964 Campaign," *The Keynoter*, expected 2017.

"The Nixon Administration and American Foreign Policy," in Mark Atwood Lawrence, ed., *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of American History*. New York: Oxford University Press, expected 2017.

"We Still Have Nixon to Kick Around: A Review Essay," *Presidential Studies Quarterly*, expected 2017.

"A Decade with the Nixon Tapes," *The Social Studies Texan*, Summer 2016, pp. 12-15.

“Richard Milhous Nixon,” in Edward J. Blum, ed. *America in the World, 1776 to the Present: A Supplement to the Dictionary of American History*. 2 vols. Farmington Hills, MI: Charles Scribner’s Sons, 2016, pp. 754-757.

“Compagni di guerra fredda: Richard Nixon e Mobutu Sese Seku,” in Antonio Donno and Giuliana Iurlano, eds., *L'amministrazione Nixon e il continente africano, 1969-1974*. Milano: Franco Angeli Editore, 2016, pp. 156-174.

“Great Mystery of the 1970s: Nixon, Watergate and the Huston Plan,” with Douglas Brinkley, CNN.com, June 17, 2015.

*The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972* and *The Nixon Tapes: 1973 for Great Issues: Scholarship in the Public Interest*, Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia, 2015.

“Nixon Unbound,” with Douglas Brinkley, *Vanity Fair*, August 2014.

“The Nixon Tapes and Pandas,” with Douglas Brinkley, *Washington Post*, July 28, 2014.

“Madman in the White House,” with James Rosen, *Foreign Policy*, March 25, 2014.

“Richard M. Nixon,” in Steven L. Danver, ed. *Encyclopedia of Politics in the American West*. Los Angeles: SAGE Reference/CQ Press, 2013.

“Presidential Election, 1968,” in Steven L. Danver, ed. *Encyclopedia of Politics in the American West*. Los Angeles: SAGE Reference/CQ Press, 2013.

“Presidential Election, 2000,” in Steven L. Danver, ed. *Encyclopedia of Politics in the American West*. Los Angeles: SAGE Reference/CQ Press, 2013.

“Richard M. Nixon,” in Mathew Manweller, ed., *Chronology of the U.S. Presidency*. Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood Press/ABC-CLIO, 2012, pp. 1188-1225.

"George W. Bush," in Mathew Manweller, ed., *Chronology of the U.S. Presidency*. Santa Barbara, CA: Greenwood Press/ABC-CLIO, 2012, pp. 1402-1444.

"Richard Nixon and Europe," in Melvin Small, ed., *Richard M. Nixon: An Historiographical Companion*. Malden, MA: Blackwell Publishers, 2011, pp. 444-459.

"Japanese Imperialism, 1900-1945," in Alfred J. Andrea, ed. *World History Encyclopedia*. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2011.

"Introduction of American Baseball [in foreign countries]," in Alfred J. Andrea, ed. *World History Encyclopedia*. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2011.

"Cold War in South Asia," in Alfred J. Andrea, ed. *World History Encyclopedia*. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2011.

"Japanese Ultra-Nationalism, 1900-1945," in Alfred J. Andrea, ed. *World History Encyclopedia*. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO, 2011.

"Superpower Relations, Backchannels, and the Subcontinent," with Richard A. Moss, *Pakistaniaat: A Journal of Pakistan Studies* Vol. 2, No. 3 (2010), pp. 47-75.

"Who Was Fritz Kraemer? And Why We Should Care," *History News Network*, December 4, 2009.

"John W. Dean III and the Watergate Cover-up, Revisited," *Passport: The Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations Review*, April 2009.

"Presidential Historians and Presidential Recordings," with Richard A. Moss, *White House Studies*, Volume 8, Issue 2 (2008), pp. 197-202.

"John B. Martin," in Henry Louis Gates, Jr., ed., *The African American National Biography*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2008.

"John Howard Johnson," in Henry Louis Gates, Jr., ed., *The African American National Biography*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2008.

"Benjamin Taylor," in Henry Louis Gates, Jr., ed., *The African American National Biography*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2008.

"Frank Leland," in Henry Louis Gates, Jr., ed., *The African American National Biography*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2008.

"Dr. Kissinger, Mr. President," with Richard A. Moss, National Security Archive Briefing Book, December 23, 2008.

"Bretton Woods Revisited, Again," *Atlantic Community*, November 17, 2008.

"President Obama and Bretton Woods," *History News Network*, November 16, 2008.

"War Powers Act," in Ruud Van Dijk, ed. *Encyclopedia of the Cold War*. New York: Routledge, 2008.

"East Timor: Insurgency and Independence," in James Ciment, ed. *Encyclopedia of Conflicts since World War II*, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. Armonk, NY: M.E. Sharpe, 2007.

"Fiji: Ethnic Conflict and Coups since 1987," in James Ciment, ed. *Encyclopedia of Conflicts since World War II*, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. Armonk, NY: M.E. Sharpe, 2007.

"Uganda: Civil Conflict since 1980," in James Ciment, ed. *Encyclopedia of Conflicts since World War II*, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. Armonk, NY: M.E. Sharpe, 2007.

"France: New Caledonia Independence Struggle," in James Ciment, ed. *Encyclopedia of Conflicts since World War II*, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. Armonk, NY: M.E. Sharpe, 2007.

"Richard Nixon, His Secret Tapes, and Presidential Power," in Lawrence Velvel, ed., *Presidential Power in America* (Andover, MA: Doukathsan Press), 2007, pp. 217-243.

"Caught on Tape: The White House Reaction to the Shooting of Alabama Governor and Democratic Presidential Candidate George Wallace," *History News Network*, December 3, 2007.



"Do the New Nixon Tapes Tell Us Anything New?," with Richard A. Moss, *History News Network*, July 16, 2007.

"Belgium: European Commission Archives (July 2006)," in "Archives Made Easy" [<http://www.archivesmadeeasy.org>]. London: London School of Economics and Political Science, 2006.

"Belgium: NATO Archives Division (July 2006)," in "Archives Made Easy" [<http://www.archivesmadeeasy.org>]. London: London School of Economics and Political Science, 2006.

"France: Council of Europe Library and Archives Division (July 2006)," in "Archives Made Easy" [<http://www.archivesmadeeasy.org>]. London: London School of Economics and Political Science, 2006.

"United States: Bentley Historical Library (June 2006)," in "Archives Made Easy" [<http://www.archivesmadeeasy.org>]. London: London School of Economics and Political Science, 2006.

"United States: Library of Congress Manuscript Division (June 2006)," in "Archives Made Easy" [<http://www.archivesmadeeasy.org>]. London: London School of Economics and Political Science, 2006.

"United States: U.S. Air Force Archives (May 2006)," in "Archives Made Easy" [<http://www.archivesmadeeasy.org>]. London: London School of Economics and Political Science, 2006.

#### **MANUSCRIPTS REVIEWED**

James Cooper. *The Politics of Diplomacy* (manuscript for Edinburgh University Press, 2016).

*Nixon's Secret Channel: Backchannel Diplomacy and Détente, 1969-1972* (manuscript for Studies in Conflict, Diplomacy, and Peace series at University Press of Kentucky, 2015).

"Children of the Silent Majority: Richard Nixon's 'Young Voters for the President, 1972'" (manuscript for the *Journal of Policy History*, 2014).

Alexander Bloom and Wini Breines. *"Takin' it to the Streets": A Sixties Reader* (revisions proposed for the 4<sup>th</sup> edition, Oxford University Press, 2013).

Douglas Brinkley, *American Heritage's History of the United States* (book proposal for CQ Press, 2010).

H.W. Brands, *In the Course of Human Events* (book proposal for Pearson Longman, 2010).

Patricia Seed, *A Map Companion to World History* (book proposal for Oxford University Press, 2010).

*Histories Engaged: A World History* (book series proposal for Pearson Longman, 2009).

Thomas Bender, *America: A Global History* (book proposal and sample chapter for Pearson Longman, 2009).

Edward H. Judge and John W. Langdon. *Connections: A World History* (book proposal and sample chapter for Pearson Education/Vango Books, 2009).

## REVIEWS

Roundtable Review of *Making the Unipolar Moment: U.S. Foreign Policy and the Rise of the Post-Cold War Order*. By Hal Brands. Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 2016; for *Passport: The Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations Review*, expected 2017.

Roundtable Review of *Dynamic Detente: The United States and Europe, 1964-1975*. By Stephan Kieninger. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books, 2016; for *H-Diplo*, expected 2017.

Review of *The American President: From Teddy Roosevelt to Bill Clinton*. By William Leuchtenburg. New York: Oxford University Press, 2015; for *History: The Journal of the Historical Association*, expected 2017.

Roundtable Review of *Richard Nixon and Europe: The Reshaping of the Postwar Atlantic World*. By Luke A. Nichter. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2015; for *H-Diplo*, July 2016.

Review of *Nixon's Nuclear Specter: The Secret Alert of 1969, Madman Diplomacy, and the Vietnam War*. By William Burr and Jeffrey P. Kimball. Lawrence: University Press of Kansas, 2015; for *H-Diplo*, November 2015.

Review of *Nixon, Kissinger, and the Shah: The United States and Iran in the Cold War*. By Roham Alvandi. New York: Oxford University Press, 2014; for *Review of Middle East Studies*, October 2015.

Roundtable Review of *A Superpower Transformed: The Remaking of American Foreign Relations in the 1970s*. By Daniel Sargent. New York: Oxford University Press, 2015; for *Passport: The Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations Review*, September 2015 (Vol. 46, No. 2).

Review of *The Post-Presidency from Washington to Clinton*. By Burton I. Kaufman. Lawrence: University Press of Kansas, 2012; for *Presidential Studies Quarterly*, February 2014.

Review of *Foreign Relations of the United States, 1969–1976*, volume XXXII, SALT I, 1969-1972. Washington, D.C.: Government Printing Office, 2011; for *H-Policy*, 2012.

Review of *Foreign Relations of the United States, 1969–1976*, volume XIII, Soviet Union, 1970-1971. Washington, D.C.: Government Printing Office, 2011; for *H-Diplo*, 2012.

Review of *NATO and the Warsaw Pact: Intrabloc Conflict*. By Mary Ann Heiss and S. Victor Papacosma. Kent, OH: Kent State University Press, 2008; for *H-German*, 2009.

Review of *Safeguarding German-American Relations in the New Century: Understanding and Accepting Mutual Difference*. By Stephen Kurthen, et. al, eds. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books, 2006; for *H-German*, 2007.

## MANUSCRIPT REVIEWER

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AB Longman  
Cambridge University Press  
Cengage  
CQ Press  
Edinburgh University Press  
Educational Testing Service

*Eunomia* (peer-reviewed journal edited at Università del Salento)  
*Journal of Policy History*  
 McGraw Hill Publishers  
 Oxford University Press  
 Pearson American History  
 Pearson World History  
 Pearson Education/Vango Books  
 Pearson Longman  
 Routledge Academic Publishers  
 University Press of Kentucky

## FILM AND MEDIA CONSULTING

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"President Nixon, Rachmaninov, and a Group of Protesters" (Series 3, Episode 1), BBC Radio 4/BBC Philharmonic "Wireless Nights," 2014.

"Nixon by Nixon: In His Own Words," HBO/Peter Kunhardt (Director), 2014.

"Lee Daniels' The Butler," Lee Daniels (Director), 2013.

"America's Longest War," reason.tv, 2013.

"Herblock," The Stevens Company, 2013.

"How Ping-Pong Saved the World," NASCAR Productions, LLC, 2012.

"Kissinger," Chimerica Media, 2011.

- Best Documentary – 2011 New York City International Film Festival

"Världens händelser", Sveriges Television (Swedish Public Television), 2011.

"Kim Phuc," German ARD Public Television, 2010.

"The Most Dangerous Man in America: Daniel Ellsberg and the Pentagon Papers," PBS/Kovno Communications, 2009.

- 2010 Oscar Nominee – Best Documentary Feature

"Teddy': In His Own Words," HBO, 2009.

- 2010 Emmy Winner – Outstanding Nonfiction Special

"Edward Bennett Williams," Video/Action, 2008.

**MEDIA APPEARANCES**

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Al Jazeera America  
ARD Radio (Germany)  
BBC Radio 4 *Today*  
BBC Radio 4 *Wireless Nights*  
CBS Sunday Morning  
CJAD Radio (Montreal)  
CORUS Radio (Calgary)  
C-SPAN Radio  
C-SPAN *Washington Journal*  
C-SPAN2's *Book TV*  
C-SPAN3's *American History TV*  
Fox News *Special Report with Bret Baier*  
Fox News *The Foxhole with James Rosen*  
KCBS (San Francisco)  
KEX (Portland)  
KFBK (Sacramento)  
KLPX (Tucson)  
KMOX (St. Louis)  
KOGA (Denver-Ogallala)  
KOMO (Seattle)  
KPCC (Los Angeles)  
KQTH (Tucson)  
KSRO (San Francisco Bay Area)  
KTRS (St. Louis)  
KUT 90.5 (Austin)  
KVON Radio (Napa Valley)  
KWGS Public Radio (Tulsa)  
KZNE (College Station)  
*New Books in Political Science* (<http://newbooksinpoliticalscience.com>)  
NPR *Here and Now*  
Palm Beach Broadcasting  
PBS *Forum*  
RT (Russia Today)  
SiriusXM Progress (Ch. 127) *The Michelangelo Signorile Show*  
WBAL (Baltimore)  
WBAP (Dallas-Ft. Worth)  
WBEX (Columbus)  
WBGU (Bowling Green, OH)  
WCBQ (Raleigh) *The Dr. Alvin Augustus Jones Show*  
WCCO (Minneapolis)  
WDAY (Fargo)

WDBO (Orlando) *The Pat Williams Show*  
Wisconsin Public Radio's "The Kathleen Dunn Show"  
WLS (Chicago)  
WJR (Detroit)  
WMJI (Cleveland)  
WNYC *The Leonard Lopate Show*  
WNYC *The Takeaway with John Hockenberry*  
WOC (Cedar Rapids-Davenport)  
WRKF (Charlotte)  
WRNR (Baltimore)  
WTAM (Cleveland)  
WROK (Rockford-Chicago)  
WYBC (New Haven) *Business Talk with Jim Campbell*

### CONFERENCES & INVITED PRESENTATIONS

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"Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., A Coup, and Nuclear Weapons in Vietnam"  
Nobel Symposium, Norwegian Nobel Institute, Oslo, Norway, expected  
June 8, 2017.

"A Decade with the Nixon Tapes: What We Have Learned and What We  
Have Yet to Learn," Lourdes University, Sylvania, Ohio, expected April  
27, 2017.

"The Nixon Tapes," Clements Center for National Security, University of  
Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas, expected March 29, 2017.

"The Nixon Tapes," University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas, expected  
March 29, 2017.

Roundtable Discussion on "Nixon's Grand Vision of America and the  
World," with Richard Allen, Winston Lord, Niall Ferguson, and Greg  
Daddis, Richard Nixon Presidential Library and Museum, Yorba Linda,  
California, February 10, 2017.

"Henry Cabot Lodge and the Decline of the Eastern Establishment," Duy  
Tan University, Danang, Vietnam, November 7, 2016,

Roundtable Discussion on "Nixon as Biography," with Mark Updegrove,  
Evan Thomas, Irwin Gellman, and Douglas Schoen, Re-Opening of  
Richard Nixon Presidential Library and Museum, Yorba Linda, California,  
October 15, 2016.

“Henry Cabot Lodge and the Decline of the Eastern Establishment,”  
Massachusetts Historical Society, Boston, Massachusetts, October 12, 2016.

Commentator and Chair of “Science and Medicine as Routes to  
Diplomacy,” Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations Annual  
Meeting, University of San Diego, San Diego, California, June 23, 2016.

“Richard Nixon, the Nixon Tapes, and the Vietnam War,” History  
Department, Monmouth College, Monmouth, Illinois, April 21, 2016.

“A Decade with the Nixon Tapes: What We Have Learned and What We  
Have Yet to Learn,” Gerald F. Ford Foundation and Presidential Library,  
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan, April 12, 2016.

“A Staffer’s Perspective: The U.S. House of Representatives vs. The House  
Commons,” Oxford Brookes University, Oxford, United Kingdom, March  
4, 2016.

“A Decade with the Nixon Tapes: What We Have Learned and What We  
Have Yet to Learn,” History Research Seminar Series, School of History,  
University College Cork, Cork, Ireland, March 3, 2016.

“A Decade with the Nixon Tapes: What We Have Learned and What We  
Have Yet to Learn,” History Research Seminar, Centre for the Study of  
Modern Conflict, University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, United Kingdom,  
February 29, 2016.

“Henry Cabot Lodge and the Decline of the Eastern Establishment,”  
Rothermere American Institute, University of Oxford, Oxford, United  
Kingdom, February 23, 2016.

“Henry Cabot Lodge and the Decline of the Eastern Establishment,”  
United States Centre, London School of Economics and Political Science,  
London, United Kingdom, February 2, 2016.

“A Decade with the Nixon Tapes: What We Have Learned and What We  
Have Yet to Learn,” School of Public Affairs, American University,  
Washington, DC, November 9, 2015.

“The Nixon Tapes,” Richard Nixon Presidential Library and Museum,  
Yorba Linda, California, October 19, 2015.

"A Decade with the Nixon Tapes: What We Have Learned and What We Have Yet to Learn," Honors Program and the College of Humanities and Sciences, University of Mary Hardin-Baylor, Belton, Texas, September 29, 2015.

"The Nixon Presidency and Watergate," Humanities Texas Summer Teacher Institute, Lyndon Johnson Presidential Library and Museum, Austin, Texas, June 8, 2015.

"The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972," with Douglas Brinkley, 14 Pews, Houston, Texas, April 23, 2015.

"The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972," Temple Rotary Club South, Temple, Texas, April 6, 2015.

Book Discussion on *The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972* and *Chasing Shadows*, with John Prados and Ken Hughes, moderated by Douglas Blackmon, hosted by the University of Virginia's Miller Center of Public Affairs, the Virginia Festival of the Book, Charlottesville, Virginia, March 20, 2015.

"The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972," Rothermere American Institute, University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom, February 27, 2015.

"A Decade with Nixon: What We Still Have to Learn from Richard Nixon's Secret White House Tapes," Oxford Brookes University, Oxford, United Kingdom, February 23, 2015.

"The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972," The Temple Literacy Commission's "Books for Lunch," Temple Public Library, Temple, Texas, January 14, 2015.

"The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972," Wood County Public Library, Bowling Green, Ohio, December 8, 2014.

"The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972," Oklahoma Center for the Humanities, Tulsa, Oklahoma, December 4, 2014.

Roundtable on "The Imperial Presidency," with Jeremy Kuzmarov, the University of Tulsa, Tulsa, Oklahoma, December 4, 2014.

"The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972," Killeen Exchange Club, Killeen, Texas, December 1, 2014.



"The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972," Temple Lions Club, Temple, Texas, November 19, 2014.

Book Discussion on *The Nixon Defense* and *The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972*, with John Dean and Douglas Brinkley, moderated by Robert Draper, Texas Book Festival, Austin, Texas, October 25, 2014.

"Tales from the New Nixon Tapes: How the Secret Recordings Are the Gift that Keeps on Giving," Wayne State University Humanities Center, Detroit, Michigan, October 1, 2014.

"A Journey with Richard Nixon: A Decade of Listening to the Nixon Tapes from Ohio to Texas," Dean's Lecture Series, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio, September 30, 2014.

"Nixon Declassified," with Douglas Brinkley, William Inboden, Mark Atwood Lawrence, and Jeremi Suri, University of Texas - Austin, Austin, Texas, September 24, 2014.

"The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972," Texas A&M University - Central Texas University Library, Killeen, Texas, September 22, 2014.

"The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972," moderated by Frank Gannon, Richard Nixon Presidential Library and Museum, Yorba Linda, California, September 18, 2014.

"The Nixon Tapes," with Douglas Brinkley, moderated by Steven Roberts, National Archives and Records Administration, Washington, DC, August 8, 2014.

"The Nixon Resignation 40 Years Later," with Douglas Brinkley and Carl Bernstein, moderated by Marvin Kalb, Newseum, Washington, DC, August 7, 2014.

"The Nixon Tapes: 1971-1972," with Douglas Brinkley, Politics and Prose Bookstore, Washington, DC, August 6, 2014.

"The Nixon Tapes, 1971-72," with Douglas Brinkley, moderated by Jack Rosenthal, Roosevelt House Public Policy Institute at Hunter College (CUNY), New York, New York, July 29, 2014.

"What's 'New' About Watergate," American University, Washington, DC, October 31, 2013.

"Jobs for the PhD Outside Academic Roundtable," Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations Annual Meeting, Arlington, Virginia, June 20, 2013.

"Richard Nixon and the Boys of Summer," 25<sup>th</sup> Cooperstown Symposium on Baseball and American Culture, SUNY College at Oneonta/National Baseball Hall of Fame, Cooperstown, New York, May 31, 2013.

"Anchor in the Oval Office: Presidential Recordings and the Bully Pulpit," 11<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference on Communication and Mass Media, Athens Institute for Education and Research, Athens, Greece, May 13, 2013.

"Richard Nixon and the Opening to China," Shanghai Institutes for International Studies, Shanghai, China, May 9, 2013.

"Retracing Richard Nixon's Historic '72 Trip to China," Hangzhou State Guesthouse, Hangzhou, China, May 6, 2013.

"Retracing Richard Nixon's Steps in China, Strengthening 40 Years of Friendship," Great Hall of the People, Beijing, China, May 3, 2013.

"Taping History: A Roundtable on Presidential Recordings," Organization of American Historians, San Francisco, California, April 11, 2013.

"Cold War Camaraderie: Richard Nixon and Mobutu Sese Seko," American Historical Association, Pacific Coast Branch, 105<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, University of San Diego, San Diego, California, August 11, 2012.

"'A Federal Offense of the Highest Order': The JCS, a Secret Confession, and the Theft of Nixon White House Records," Central Texas Military History Symposium, Texas A&M University - Central Texas, Killeen, Texas, August 4, 2012.

"Richard Nixon, the Nixon Tapes, and Watergate," American University, Washington, DC, October 6, 2011.

"Richard Nixon and Europe," Richard Nixon and His World: At the Cutting Edge of Research, Nixon Presidential Library/Miller Center of Public Affairs, Yorba Linda, California, July 22, 2011.

“Richard Nixon,” Macho Presidents Roundtable, American Historical Association, Pacific Coast Branch, 103<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting, Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, California, August 13, 2010.

“Nixon and Europe”, Policy History Colloquium Series, History Department, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio, December 17, 2009.

“Richard Nixon, Oxford, and Transatlantic Relations,” Washington International Studies Council, University of Oxford, Oxford, United Kingdom, May 25, 2009.

“U.S. Defense and Security Policy,” Great Decisions Series, Wood County Senior Center, Bowling Green, Ohio, March 15, 2008.

“A Fresh Look at Policy-Making in the Nixon White House: Tales from the Nixon Tapes,” Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations Annual Meeting, Chantilly, Virginia, June 22, 2007.

“The State of Archival Research in North America and Europe in 2006”, History Department, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio, November 15, 2006.

“The Nixon Tapes and the Imperial Presidency,” Presidential Power in America: The Constitution, the Defense of a Nation and National Ethos, Massachusetts School of Law, Andover, Massachusetts, October 15, 2006.

“U.S.-European Relations during the Presidency of Richard M. Nixon,” Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations Annual Meeting, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas, June 24, 2006.

“Richard M. Nixon and the Transatlantic Alliance: Competition and Collaboration, 1969-1974,” National Policy History Conference, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia, June 2, 2006.

“Ohio’s Return on Educational Investment,” public testimony provided to Ohio Senate Finance Committee, Columbus, Ohio, May 18, 2005.

“Higher Education and the Biennial Budget,” testimony provided to Higher Education Subcommittee of Ohio Senate Finance Committee, Columbus, Ohio, April 26, 2005.

“Flags, Anthems, and Currencies: The Creation of a European Identity in the European Union,” Barnes Club Conference, Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, February 19, 2005.

## ACADEMIC SERVICE

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- Book Review Editor (History), *Presidential Studies Quarterly*, 2017-
- Consultant, Richard Nixon Presidential Library & Foundation Museum Exhibit Redesign, 2015-2016
- World History Content Reviewer, Cengage Publishing, 2013-
- Editorial Board Member, *Eunomia* (peer-reviewed journal edited at Università del Salento), 2012-
- Reviewer, Routledge Academic Publishers, 2011-
- *Taking Sides* Advisory Committee, McGraw Hill Publishers, 2009-
- AB Longman/Pearson American History Textbook Review Committee, 2009-
- Educational Testing Service (ETS), World History AP Exam Reader, 2008-2009, 2011-2014
- Education Testing Service (ETS), AP Course Audit World History Consultant, 2011-2012
- Book Review Editor, H-Policy (H-Net List), 2009-2014
- U.S. Department of Education, Teaching American History Grant Reviewer, 2008-2009
- Judge, Texas A&M University System Student Research Symposium, 2008-2009, 2012
- AB Longman/Pearson World History Textbook Review Committee, 2007-
- Assistant Editor, H-France, 2007-2009
- Texas A&M University System, 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Junior Faculty Workshop, 2008
- Organization of American Historians, Membership Committee, 2006-2008

## UNIVERSITY SERVICE

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(at Texas A&M University-Central Texas)

- Member, Graduate Council Research Committee, 2016-
- Chair, College of Arts & Sciences Faculty Steering Committee, 2015-
- Member, Distinguished Graduate Faculty, 2015-
- Member, College of Arts & Sciences Promotion and Tenure Committee, 2014-
- Chair, University Archives Advisory Committee, 2014
- Member, Post-Tenure Rule and SAP Draft Ad Hoc Committee, 2014
- Member, College of Arts & Sciences Dean Search Committee, 2014
- Member, Division of Student Affairs Academic Integrity Workgroup, 2013-2014
- Graduate Coordinator, MA in History, 2013-

- Chair, Graduate Council, 2012-2015
- Chair, Faculty Workload Workgroup, 2012-2013
- Member, Graduate Council, 2011-
- Member, Graduate Faculty, 2009-
- Vice President, Faculty Senate, 2013
- Acting Parliamentarian, Faculty Senate, 2012-2013
- Member, Faculty Senate, 2011-2013
- Member, Faculty Senate Faculty Affairs Committee, 2011-2013
- Chair, Committee on Committees, 2011-2013
- Member, Faculty Salary Equity Workgroup, 2011-2012
- Member, Equity and Diversity Committee, 2009-2011
- Member, Scholarship Committee, 2009-2010
- Writing Proficiency Exam Evaluator, 2009-2010
- Member, Search Committee, Instructional Design, 2010
- Member, Greater Killeen Chamber of Commerce, Place Design Team, 2009-2010
- Chief Research Officer, Texas A&M University – Central Texas, 2009-2010
- Member, Search Committee, History Department, 2008-2009
- Member, Commencement Committee, 2008-2009
- Member, Library Committee, 2008-2009

### **PRIOR SERVICE**

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(at Bowling Green State University)

- Member, Ex-Officio Search Committee for Provost/Vice President of Academic Affairs, 2007
- Member, Masters Student Ad hoc Committee, 2007
- Vice President, Graduate Student Senate, 2006-2007
- Member, Beyond Bursarables Implementation Team, 2006-2007
- Member, University Budget Ad hoc Committee, 2006-2007
- Member, Department of History Graduate Committee, 2006-2007
- Member, Faculty Senate, 2004-2005, 2006-2007
- Member, University Bursarables Task Force, 2006
- Member, Steering Committee, Nuremberg/International Criminal Court Policy History Colloquium, October 6-7, 2006
- Member, Parking Appeals Committee, 2005-2008
- Member, University Planning Council, 2005-2007
- Member, Academic Reconfiguration Committee, 2005-2007
- Member, University Naming Committee, 2005-2007
- Member, Bookstore Advisory Committee, 2005-2007
- Member, President's Advisory Committee, 2005, 2006-2007
- Chair, Local, Regional, and National Affairs, Graduate Student Senate, 2005-2006

- Chair, Ohio Council of Graduate Students, 2005-2006
- President, Graduate Student Senate, 2005
- Chair, Graduate Student Issues Committee, 2005
- Chair, Executive Committee, Graduate Student Senate, 2005
- Member, Engaged University Council, 2005
- Member, Board of Trustees Academic and Student Affairs Committee, 2005
- Member, Steering Committee, National Association of Graduate and Professional Students, Midwest Regional Conference, March 18-20, 2005
- Member, Executive Committee, Graduate Student Senate, 2004-2007
- Member, Ohio Council of Graduate Students, 2004-2005
- Member, Rules and Regulations Committee, Graduate Student Senate, 2004-2005
- Vice President, Graduate Student Senate, 2004-2005
- Member, Department of History Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, 2004-2005
- Member, Department of History Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, Subcommittee on Independent Studies and Workshops, 2004-2005
- Member, Finance Committee, Graduate Student Senate, 2004-2005
- Member, Bowling Green, Ohio, Chamber of Commerce Legislative Advocacy Task Force, 2004-2005
- Representative-At-Large, Graduate Student Senate, 2004

## **PROFESSIONAL & SOCIAL AFFILIATIONS**

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- American Historical Association
- American Historical Association - Pacific Coast Branch
- American Political Items Collectors
- Atlantic Community (Germany)
- Center for the Study of the Presidency & Congress
- Council on Foreign Relations
- Economic History Association
- Historians of the Twentieth Century United States (United Kingdom)
- Les Amis des Archives Diplomatiques (France)
- National Eagle Scout Association
- National Liberal Club (United Kingdom)
- Organization of American Historians
- Phi Alpha Theta Honor Society
- Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society
- Presidential History Network (United Kingdom)
- Richard Nixon Presidential Library & Museum
- Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations
- Society for History in the Federal Government

- Texas Council for the Social Studies
- Toledo Club
- Transatlantic Studies Association (United Kingdom)
- Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars
- World Security Network (Germany)
- Young Professionals in Foreign Policy

## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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### Cable-Satellite Public Affairs Network (C-SPAN)

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### Committee on House Administration

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Research Fellow, 2001

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Special Consultant, 2000-2001

## **OTHER DEGREES**

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MBA, International Business, 2003  
Regent University  
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23464  
Practicum: *"In Country: A Year-Long Study of International Business in China"*

MA, Public Policy, 2003  
Regent University  
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23464  
Thesis: *"Key Political Issues Surrounding European Union Expansion Into Central and Eastern Europe"*  
Committee: Phil Bom, Joe Kickasola, Nancy Bord-Yonge  
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BS, Business Administration (Economics and International Business), 1999  
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