

Steven Schrum

Education:

- Ph.D.** **Washington University**, St. Louis, MO
History (2014)
Dissertation: “Beyond the Stadhouder-King: Political Economy and Regulation in the Economic Development of England and the Dutch Republic in the 1690s”
- A.M.** **Washington University**, St. Louis, MO
History (2008)
Teaching Fields: Early Modern Britain, Early Modern Europe, Africa
- A.B.** **Lafayette College**, Easton, PA
Honors in History, Summa Cum Laude (2005)
Major: History Minor: East Asian Studies

Experience:

Teacher, The Cambridge School of Dallas, Dallas, TX (2016 to present)

Teaching:

- Teach ancient, medieval, and modern European history to 7th, 9th, and 10th grade students.
- Teach humanities elective *Journeys of Discovery: Medieval and Modern Pilgrims*.
- Taught ancient history to 6th grade students.
- Taught *Writing for the AP History Exams* summer course.

Service:

- Head House Advisor to the House of Justinian.
- Advise students working on Senior Tutorials, independent research projects.
- Judged Senior Tutorials semi-finals.
- Judged Declamation semi-finals.
- Sponsor the Strategy Games Club.
- Sponsored the Drama Club.

Instructor, St. Louis College of Pharmacy, St. Louis, MO (2013 to 2016)

- Taught *Global Heritage*, a three semester long survey of world history from the Stone Age to the present.
- Taught *Cultural Heritage*, a yearlong survey of the western humanities from Antiquity to the present.

Instructor, Lindenwood University, St. Charles, MO (2013 to 2015)

- Taught *World History since 1500*.
- Directed honors projects, meeting one-on-one with students to guide them in their research.

Instructor, Washington University, St. Louis, MO (2012, 2014)

- Taught *African Civilization since 1800* to small class of mature students. (2014)
- Developed and taught *Economic History and the Development of Modern Europe*, a survey of European economic history for a class of undergraduates and advanced high school students. (2012)

Teaching Assistant, Washington University, St. Louis, MO (2006-2012)

- Led small discussion sections and graded essays and exams for surveys of American, European, and world history, and international and area studies.

Invited Talks:

“Don’t Forget to Remember: The Importance of Cultural Memory,” Cambridge School of Dallas Faith and Culture Series, Faculty Lyceum, Dallas, TX (2018)

“New Netherland: A Seventeenth Century Melting Pot,” Delivered via Skype to high school students participating in an international exchange program hosted by Face to Face International, New Utrecht High School, Brooklyn, NY. (2015)

“Kisses, Cameras, and Canals: Navigating Archives in England and the Netherlands,” History and Geography Forum, Lindenwood University, St. Charles, MO (2015)

“The Ethics of Profit: Historical Christian Understandings of Profit-making,” Lutheran Campus Ministries St. Louis, Young Adult and Professional Group, St. Louis, MO (2009)

Grants, Fellowships, and Memberships:

AP European History Exam Reader (2016)

Fulbright Grant from the U.S. State Department and Netherlands-America Foundation (2010-2011)

Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowship, Dutch language (2009)

Dissertation Fellowship, Washington University (2012-2013)

Phi Beta Kappa (2005)

Phi Alpha Theta History Honor Society (2004)

National Honor Society (2000)

American Historical Association (AHA)

Selected Conference Papers:

“Piracy Doth Never Prosper: Anglo-Dutch Pirates, Privateers, and Smugglers in the Late Seventeenth Century,” Symposium on Medieval and Renaissance Studies, St. Louis University, St. Louis, Missouri (2015)

“Too Big to Fail: The East India Company and Monopolies on Trade in the Late Seventeenth Century” Midwest Conference on British Studies, Chicago, Illinois (2013)

“Patents in a Projecting Age” Newberry Center for Renaissance Studies Multidisciplinary Graduate Student Conference, Chicago, Illinois (2013)

“A Tale of Two Companies? Pirates, Politics, and the Public Sphere” Midwest Conference on British Studies, Toronto, Canada (2012)

“Preparing for War: The Administrative Ethos of the Navy during the Second Dutch War” Kansas University-Missouri University Graduate History Conference, Lawrence, Kansas (2009)