

## DOUG KIEL

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### **Academic Appointments**

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- 2016–present Assistant Professor, Department of History and Alice Kaplan Institute for the Humanities, Northwestern University  
Faculty Affiliate: Center for Native American and Indigenous Research (CNAIR)
- 2014–2016 Assistant Professor, Program in American Studies, Williams College
- 2014 Adjunct Assistant Professor, Department of History, Columbia University
- 2012–2014 Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of History, University of Pennsylvania
- 2011–2012 Dissertation Fellow, Department of History, Middlebury College

### **Education**

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- 2012 Ph.D., History, University of Wisconsin–Madison  
*Dissertation: “The Oneida Resurgence: Modern Indian Renewal in the Heart of America”*  
*Committee: Ned Blackhawk and William Cronon, co-chairs; Miranda Johnson, Susan Lee Johnson, Patricia Loew, and Larry Nesper*
- 2007 M.A., History, University of Wisconsin–Madison
- 2005 B.A., American Indian Studies, University of Wisconsin–Whitewater  
Minor: English (Writing Emphasis)

### **Research and Publications**

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#### *Journal Articles and Book Chapters*

- “Nation v. Municipality: Indigenous Land Recovery, Settler Resentment, and Taxation on the Oneida Reservation,” *NAIS: Native American and Indigenous Studies*, Vol. 6, No. 2 (Fall 2019): 51–73.
- “Bleeding Out: Histories and Legacies of ‘Indian Blood’,” in Kathleen Ratteree and Norbert Hill, eds., *The Great Vanishing Act: Blood Quantum and the Future of Native Nations* (Golden, CO: Fulcrum Publishing, 2017), 80–97  
Finalist, Most Thought-Provoking Article, Native American and Indigenous Studies Association
- “Untaming the Mild Frontier: In Search of New Midwestern Histories,” *Middle West Review*, Vol. 1, No. 1 (Fall 2014): 9–38

\*Recipient of Dorothy Schwieder Prize for Best Article in *Midwestern History*, 2015

Excerpt reprinted in *The New Territory: The Magazine of the Lower Midwest*, Issue 3 (Fall 2016): 15–17

“Competing Visions of Empowerment: Oneida Progressive-Era Politics and Writing Tribal Histories,” *Ethnohistory*, Vol. 61, No. 3 (Summer 2014): 419–444

“The Erosion of the Middle Ground: Native Peoples of the Great Lakes Region after 1815” in Eastern National Park and Monument Association, *The War of 1812: Official National Park Service Handbook* (Virginia Beach, VA: Donning Company Publishers, 2013), 134–145

### ***Edited Journal Issue***

*Indigenous Midwests*, Special Issue of *Middle West Review*, Vol. 2, No. 2 (2016), co-edited with James F. Brooks, including co-authored introduction “Reframing and Reclaiming Indigenous Midwests.”

### ***Expert Witness Report***

“A History of the Oneida Reservation Boundaries, 1934–1984,” report filed December 15, 2017 in *Oneida Nation v. Village of Hobart, Wisconsin* (U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin, Green Bay Division, Case No. 16-CV-1217). Deposition on March 27, 2018.

### ***Works in Progress***

*Unsettling Territory: Oneida Indian Resurgence and Anti-Sovereignty Backlash* (Book manuscript under review, Yale University Press, Henry Roe Cloud Series on American Indians and Modernity)

“Settler Colonialism and the Origins of the United States,” in Marjoleine Kars, Michael A. McDonnell, and Andrew M. Shocket, eds., *The Cambridge History of the American Revolution*

### ***Short Essays and Editorials***

“Whiteness and the Lengthening Arc toward Justice,” in Lucas Bessire and David Bond, eds., “The Rise of Trumpism,” *Cultural Anthropology Hot Spots*, January 2017. Available here: <https://culanth.org/fieldsights/1038-whiteness-and-the-lengthening-arc-toward-justice>

“What’s in a Name? Restoring Denali’s Name Should Just Be the First in a Long List,” *The Progressive*, September 7, 2015. Available here: <http://www.progressive.org/news/2015/09/188291/whats-name-restoring-denalis-name-should-just-be-first-long-list>

“Blood, Nation, and Citizenship in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,” *Kalihwisaks: Newspaper of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin*, August 21, 2013, 4A

“Rebuilding Indigenous Nations: Native American Activism and the Long Red Power Movement,” *Expedition* [Magazine of the University of Pennsylvania Museum of Archaeology and Anthropology], Vol. 55, No. 3 (Winter 2013): 8–11

“On the Politics of Indigeneity: North American and Pacific Histories,” *Journal of Social History*, Vol. 44, No. 1 (Fall 2010): 239–245

“Working with Indigenous Representatives at the UN,” *Kalihwisaks: Newspaper of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin*, September 25, 2008, p. 1B

### **Book Reviews**

Roxanne Dunbar Ortiz, *An Indigenous Peoples History of the United States* (Boston: Beacon Press, 2014), *Journal of American History*, Vol. 103, No. 2 (September 2016): 448–449

Claudio Saunt, *West of the Revolution: An Uncommon History of 1776* (New York: W. W. Norton, 2014), *Chicago Tribune*, June 27, 2014, Printer’s Row Journal. Available here: <http://www.chicagotribune.com/features/books/chi-west-of-the-revolution-claudio-saunt-20140627,0,7400945.story>

R. David Edmunds, ed., *Enduring Nations: Native Americans in the Midwest* (Urbana: University of Illinois Press, 2008), *American Indian Quarterly*, Vol. 34, No. 1 (Winter 2010): 111–113

Joel Pfister, *The Yale Indian: The Education of Henry Roe Cloud* (Durham: Duke University Press, 2009), *American Indian Culture and Research Journal*, Vol. 34, No. 1 (Winter 2010): 186–189

Herbert S. Lewis, ed., *Oneida Lives: Long-Lost Voices of the Wisconsin Oneidas* (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 2005) and Anthony Wonderley, *Oneida Iroquois Folklore, Myth, and History: New York Oral Narrative from the Notes of H.E. Allen and Others* (Syracuse: Syracuse University Press, 2004), *American Nineteenth Century History*, Vol. 8, No. 1 (2007): 134–137

Charles Wilkinson, *Blood Struggle: The Rise of Modern Indian Nations* (New York W.W. Norton & Company, 2005), *H-AmIndian*, *H-Net Reviews*, September 2006. Available here: <http://www.h-net.org/reviews/showrev.php?id=12164>

### **Grants, Fellowships, and Honors**

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- The Newberry Library, Long-Term Fellowship, 2019
- Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation, Career Enhancement Fellowship, 2018
- Ford Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship, The National Academies, 2018–2019 (declined)
- Weinberg College Research and Innovation Grant, Northwestern University, 2017
- Phillips Fund for Native American Research, American Philosophical Society, 2016 & 2010

- Outstanding Recent Alumni Award, University of Wisconsin–Whitewater, 2016
- J. Willard Hurst Summer Institute in Legal History, American Society for Legal History / University of Wisconsin Law School, 2015
- Alumni Speaker, Freshman Convocation, University of Wisconsin–Whitewater, 2014
- Consortium for Faculty Diversity in Liberal Arts Colleges Postdoctoral Fellowship, 2012–2014 (declined)
- Edward Alexander Bouchet Graduate Honor Society, Inducted 2012
- Arnold L. Mitchem Dissertation Fellowship, Marquette University, 2011–2012 (declined)
- Katrin H. Lamon Resident Scholar, School for Advanced Research (SAR), 2010–2011
- Moody Grant, Lyndon Baines Johnson Foundation, 2011
- Beatrice Medicine Travel Award, Society for Applied Anthropology, 2011
- Littleton-Griswold Grant for Research in U.S. Legal History, American Historical Association, 2010
- CIC-American Indian Studies Consortium, Graduate Student Fellowship, 2010
- Vilas Travel Grant, University of Wisconsin–Madison Graduate School, 2010
- Graduate Scholars Associates Program, University of Wisconsin System Institute on Race and Ethnicity, 2009–2010
- Lynn Reyer Award for Tribal Community Development, Society for the Preservation of American Indian Culture, 2009
- Trennert-Iverson Graduate Student Conference Scholarship, Western History Association, 2009
- Wisconsin Indian Education Association (WIEA) Scholarship, 2008–2009
- Indigenous Fellowship Program, United Nations Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR), Geneva, Switzerland, 2008
- Ford Foundation Pre-Doctoral Fellowship (3 Years), The National Academies, Awarded 2007
- Writer of the Year (Research), Wordcraft Circle of Native Writers & Storytellers, 2007
- Baensch Prize for Wisconsin History, UW–Madison Department of History, 2007

- Polly Grimshaw Memorial Stipend, American Folklore Society, 2007
- Indian Student Conference Scholarship, Western History Association, 2007
- Advanced Opportunity Fellowship, UW-Madison Graduate School, 2006–2007
- American Indian Chamber of Commerce of Wisconsin (AICCW) Scholarship, 2006–2010
- American Indian Graduate Center (AIGC) Fellowship, 2005–2010

## **Teaching Experience**

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### *Courses Taught*

#### 100/200-Level Courses

- Introduction to American Studies
- Introduction to Native American History
- Beyond Tonto: American Indians in Film
- Race and the American Midwest
- Genocide, Resistance, and Resurgence: Native Peoples of the Americas (co-taught with Laura León Llerena and Mary Weismantel)

#### 300/400-Level Courses

- Development of American Indian Law and Policy
- Red Power: Indigenous Resistance in the U.S. and Canada, 1887–Present
- Real Indians: Indigeneity and the Authenticity Problem
- U.S. Settler Colonialism and Empire
- Capstone Seminar: Historiography of Native America
- Native American Environmental Justice (Independent Study)
- History of the American West to 1850 (Teaching Assistant for Prof. Susan Lee Johnson)
- American Environmental History (Teaching Assistant for Prof. William Cronon)

#### Graduate Seminars

- Native American History
- Global Indigenous Histories
- Settler Colonialism

#### K-12 and Continuing Education

- Indigenous Histories of the U.S. and Canada (six-week lecture for Northwestern Alumnae Program)
- Pre-College Enrichment Opportunity Program for Learning Excellence (PEOPLE) Program History Academic Lead, LaFollette High School (Madison, WI), 2005–2006

### *Advising*

- Katharine Cusick, “Pathways to Resistance: The Crandon Mine, the Dakota Access Pipeline, and Native American Sovereignty in Action,” Senior Thesis, School of Education and Social Policy, Northwestern University (completed May 2018)
- Tyrone Scafe, Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship Program, Williams College, 2015–2016
- Daniel Whateley, “Self Reliance, Ruggedness, and Independence: How Defining the ‘Typical Vermonter’ Produced Cleavages in the Green Mountain State in the Early Twentieth Century,” Senior Honors Thesis in History, Middlebury College (completed January 2012)
  - Winner of the Maude Violet Graybar American History Prize
- Coordinator, Native American Support Services, University of Wisconsin–Whitewater, August 2003–May 2005

## **Public Humanities**

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### *The Field Museum of Natural History*

Advisory Committee and Co-Curator, Native North America Exhibition Redesign  
Chicago, Illinois: January 2018–December 2021

### *Harvard University’s Peabody Museum of Archaeology & Ethnology*

Exhibit Development Intern: Cambridge, MA, Summer 2007

### *Smithsonian Institution’s National Museum of the American Indian*

Repatriation Office Intern: Washington, DC, Summer 2006

### *Milwaukee Public Museum*

Anthropology Division Intern: Milwaukee, WI, Summer 2005

### *Oneida Nation Museum*

Cultural Education Intern: Oneida, WI, Summer 2004

## **Presentations and Media**

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### **2019**

- Guest lecturer, Northwestern Prison Education Program, Stateville Correctional Center (Crest Hill, Illinois), December 2019
- Roundtable Participant, “Building Each Other Up As We Fight: A Roundtable Responding to Maile Arvin’s ‘Love Letter,’” American Studies Association, November 2019
- Roundtable Participant, “Third World Studies, Not Ethnic Studies: Re-Building Global Solidarity from Asian American Studies and Native Studies,” American Studies Association, November 2019
- Chair, “Two Spirit, Queer, Indigenous: An Urgent Interdisciplinary Conversation,” Western History Association, October 2019

- Paper, “Power over the Land: Indigenous Land Recovery and the Limits to Decolonization,” American Historical Association, January 2019
- Roundtable Participant, “Rapid Response History: Native American Identities, Racial Slurs, and Elizabeth Warren,” American Historical Association, January 2019

#### 2018

- Roundtable Participant, “Sovereignty Symposium,” as part of Security Dialogues, Alice Kaplan Institute for the Humanities, Northwestern University, November 2018
- Guest Lecture, “Democracy in America? An Indigenous Historians’ Perspective,” University of Wisconsin–Whitewater, November 2018
- Colloquium, “Oneida Nation v. Village of Hobart: Indigenous Land Recovery and Settler Resentment,” American Indian Studies Program, University of Wisconsin–Madison, November 2018
- Radio Interview, “Native People to Have Major Input Into Revamped Field Museum Exhibit,” Morning Shift, WBEZ/NPR Chicago, October 31, 2018. Available here: <https://www.wbez.org/shows/morning-shift/native-people-to-have-major-input-into-revamped-field-museum-exhibit/3992dd8b-0b26-47f1-8265-abcf63863723>
- Paper, “Unsettling Territory: Oneida Indian Resurgence and Anti-Sovereignty Backlash,” Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation Career Enhancement Fellows Retreat, Wesley Chapel, FL, August 2018
- Chair and Commentator, “Of Soil and Sovereignty,” Native American and Indigenous Studies Association, Los Angeles, CA, May 2018

#### 2017

- Guest Lecture, “Oneida Nation v. Village of Hobart: Indigenous Land Recovery and Settler Resentment,” A. Watson Armour Seminar Series, The Field Museum of Natural History, December 2017
- Paper, “Indigenous Land Tenure in the Age of Trump,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, November 2017
- Chair, “ASA Minority Scholars’ Committee: Experiences Navigating Impostor Syndrome and Inequity in the Academy,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, November 2017
- Presentation, “Nations within a Nation: American Independence, Indigenous Sovereignty, and Ideas of Equality,” One Book One Northwestern, November 2017
- Paper, “Oneida Nation v. Village of Hobart: Jurisdictional Disputes on an Allotted Reservation,” American Society for Ethnohistory Meeting, Winnipeg, Manitoba, October 2017

- Moderator, “Water at Risk: Tribal Leaders’ Perspective” (with David Archambault II, Chairman of Standing Rock Sioux Tribe and Gary Besaw, Chairman of the Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin), joint event sponsored by the American Indian Center of Chicago and Northwestern University, August 2017
- Commentator, “Reconsidering Frameworks for Native and Imperial History,” 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture Conference, Ann Arbor, MI, June 2017
- Paper, “Indigenous Nations and Settler Resentment: From the Reagan Era to the Rise of Trump,” Midwestern History Association Annual Meeting, Grand Rapids, MI, June 2017

### 2016

- Paper, “Indigenous Economic Development, Land Recovery, and Settler Resentment,” American Society for Ethnohistory Meeting, Nashville, TN, November 2016
- Roundtable Participant, “Indigeneity & Its Others,” Native American & Indigenous Studies and the University Workshop, Tufts University, October 2016
- Closing Remarks, “Indians in the Midwest: Representations in the Arts and the Archives,” Newberry Library, October 2016
- Radio Interview, “The Origins and Meaning of the Phrase ‘Off the Reservation,’” Native America Calling, May 5, 2016. Available here: <http://www.nativeamericacalling.com/thursday-may-5-2016-doctor-shortage-ihs/>
- Chair, “Native Networks in Times of Change: Leadership, Activism, and Negotiation across American Indian Country,” 109<sup>th</sup> Annual Organization of American Historians (OAH) Meeting, Providence, RI, April 2016
- Guest Lecture, “Economic Development and the Limits of Indigenous Sovereignty,” University of Wisconsin-Whitewater, March 2016
- Radio Interview, “Best and Worst Presidents,” Native America Calling, February 15, 2016. Available here: <http://www.nativeamericacalling.com/monday-february-15-2016-best-and-worst-presidents/>

### 2015

- Paper, “Hobart v. Oneida: Indigenous Land Recovery and Anti-Sovereignty Backlash,” J. Willard Hurst Summer Institute in Legal History, University of Wisconsin Law School, June 2015
- Paper, “Life ‘Behind the Buckskin Curtain’: The Anti-Sovereignty Movement on the Oneida Reservation,” 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Native American and Indigenous Studies Association (NAISA) Meeting, Washington, DC, June 2015
- Guest Lecture, “Anti-Sovereignty Backlash in Indian Country,” Center for the Advancement of Public Action, Bennington College, April 2015



- Paper, “Urban Mobility and Expanding Notions of Oneida Nationhood and Citizenship,” Organization of American Historians (OAH) Meeting, St. Louis, MO, April 2015
- Invited Panelist, “Historicizing Settler Colonialism: From Wisconsin to Palestine,” Yale University, April 2015
- Invited Roundtable Participant, “Contested Legal Realities: Different Approaches to the Law in Indian Country,” Amherst College, March 2015
- Discussant, “Sovereignities of Subsistence and Care,” Differential Sovereignities Symposium, New York University, March 2015

#### **2014**

- Paper, “Urban Oneida Mobility and Expanding Notions of Indigenous Citizenship,” 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Native American and Indigenous Studies Association (NAISA) Meeting, University of Texas at Austin, May 2014
- Invited Presentation, “Oneida Indian Resurgence and Anti-Sovereignty Backlash,” Yale Group for the Study of Native America (YGSNA), Yale University, October 2014
- Radio Interview, “The Ongoing Debate Over Tribal Recognition,” Where We Live, WNPR (Hartford, CT), March 17, 2014. Available here: <http://wnpr.org/post/ongoing-debate-over-tribal-recognition>

#### **2013**

- Keynote Lecture, “Blood, Nation, and Indigenous Citizenship in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,” Sustain Oneida Summit, September 2013
- Paper, “Anti-Sovereignty Advocates and the Political Uses of History on the Wisconsin Oneida Reservation,” 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Native American and Indigenous Studies Association (NAISA) Meeting, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, June 2013
- Invited Roundtable Participant, “Native Americans and American Ideas,” Beyond the Page series, Temple University Libraries, April 2013
- Keynote Speech, “Cultivating a Support Network of Traditionally Underrepresented Scholars,” Edward Alexander Bouchet Graduate Student Honor Society Conference and Induction Ceremony, University of Wisconsin–Madison, March 2013

#### **2012 and prior**

- Guest Lecture, “The Oneida Resurgence: Modern Indian Renewal in the Heart of America,” Beinecke Library, Yale University, March 2012
- Chair and Organizer, “Teaching Undergraduates with Technology,” 126<sup>th</sup> Annual American Historical Association (AHA) Meeting, Chicago, IL, January 2012

- Guest Lecture, “The Rhetoric of Social Change in Progressive Era Native America,” Department of English, Virginia Tech, October 2011
- Paper, “Competing Visions for Social Change in Progressive-Era Oneida, Wisconsin,” 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Native American and Indigenous Studies Association (NAISA) Meeting, Sacramento, CA, May 2011
- Presentation, “Rethinking the Urban/Reservation Relationship in American Indian History,” School for Advanced Research (SAR) Colloquium Series, Santa Fe, NM, May 2011
- Chair and Organizer, “Strategies for Effectively Mentoring Students at all Levels,” 125<sup>th</sup> Annual American Historical Association (AHA) Meeting, Boston, MA, January 2011
- Presentation, “Dreams Deferred: Competing Visions for Social Change on the Oneida Reservation,” School for Advanced Research (SAR) Colloquium Series, Santa Fe, NM, November 2010
- Paper, “Reconnecting a Shared Frontier Past: The Significance of the Midwest in Western History,” 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Western History Association (WHA) Meeting, Incline Village, NV, October 2010
- Guest Lecture, “The United States and Indigenous Human Rights,” United Nations Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR), Geneva, Switzerland, June 2008
- Guest Lecture, “The Educational, Social, and Cultural Rights of America’s Indigenous Peoples,” United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization (UNESCO), Paris, France, June 2008
- Invited Guest Panelist, “Indigenous Voices” Symposium, Musée des Confluences (The Confluence Museum) in Lyon, France, May 2008. Panels included: “Indigenous? Definitions and Issues,” “Affirmations and Indigenous Peoples’ Demands,” and “Indigenous Languages, Official Languages: Practice, Transmission, and Circulation”
- Intern presentation, “Warrior Art: The Development of a Plains Indian Ledger Art Exhibition,” Peabody Museum of Archaeology & Ethnology, Harvard University, July 2007

## Service

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### *Editorial Boards*

- *Journal of the Gilded Age and Progressive Era*, 2017–[2021]
- *Studies in Midwestern History*, 2018–

### *Manuscript Reviews*

- *Settler Colonial Studies* (2020), *Early American Studies* (2018), *Native American and Indigenous Studies* (2017), Wesleyan University Press (2017), *Journal of the Gilded Age and Progressive Era* (2015), *Middle West Review* (2014)

### *Service to Scholarly Organizations*

- Nominations Committee, Native American and Indigenous Studies Association, 2019–[2022]
- Senior Fellow, The Center for Black, Brown, and Queer Studies (BBQ+), Harvard University, 2019–2020
- Minority Scholars Committee, American Studies Association, 2016–2019
- Program Committee, Western History Association 2016 Annual Meeting
- American Historical Association: Committee on Minority Historians (CMH) and Graduate and Early Career Committee (GECC), 2009–2011

### *Northwestern University*

- Faculty Search Committee, Asian American Studies Program, 2019–2020
- Center for Native American and Indigenous Research:
  - Graduate Fellowship Committee, 2020
  - Programming Committee, 2018
  - Co-sponsorships Committee, 2018
  - Search Committee for Program Assistant, Summer 2017
- Director, Native American and Indigenous Studies Graduate Cluster, 2017–2018
- Department of History:
  - Undergraduate Prize Committee, 2017
- Alice Kaplan Institute for the Humanities:
  - Council Member, 2016–
  - Undergraduate Prize Committee, 2017
- Native American and Indigenous Peoples Steering Group, 2016–
- Indigenous Studies Research Initiative Committee, 2016–2017

### *Fellowship and Grant Committees*

- School for Advanced Research (SAR), Resident Scholar Review Panel, 2018
- Newberry Consortium in American Indian Studies (NCAIS) Graduate Fellowship Review Committee, 2017
- Peer Review, National Historical Publications and Records Commission, National Archives and Records Administration, 2017

### *Williams College*

- Bolin Doctoral Fellowship / C3 Postdoctoral Fellowship Selection Committee, 2015–2016
- Religions of the Americas Search Committee, 2014–2015

### *Middlebury College*

- Advisor, Voices of Indigenous Peoples (Student Organization), 2011–2012

### *University of Wisconsin–Madison*

- Search Committee, UW–Madison American Indian Student Services Coordinator, 2009
- Joint Committee on Diversity, Department of History, UW–Madison, 2008–2009

## **Professional Memberships**

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- American Historical Association
- American Society for Ethnohistory
- American Studies Association
- Midwestern History Association
- Native American and Indigenous Studies Association
- Organization of American Historians
- Western History Association