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Education

Simmons College, BA with highest honors

Yale University, Ph.D.

Northwestern University affiliations

Department of English

Program on Women

Institute for Urban Affairs and Policy Research

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Department of Preventive Medicine

Department of History

Publications and Awards

Elsie de Wolfe: A Life in the High Style

Jacoby's First Case

Nightcap

Patenting the Sun: Polio and the Salk Vaccine

(Winner of the Los Angeles Times Book Prize for Science and Technology)

Fool's Gold

(Winner of the Society of Midland Authors Prize for Adult Fiction)

The Garden of Invention: Luther Burbank and the Business of Breeding Plants

(Winner of the Caroline Bancroft History Prize)

In Praise of Chickens

A Blacklist Education: American History, A Family Mystery, and a Teacher under Fire