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### ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2019– Associate Professor, Department of Classics, Florida State University  
2013–2019 Assistant Professor, Department of Classics, Florida State University  
2008–2013 Assistant Professor, Department of History, California State University, Chico

### EDUCATION

Ph.D. 2008 Princeton University, Classics and the Program in the Ancient World  
Dissertation: “*Vestigia Cladis*: The Afterlife of Defeat in the Roman Historical Imagination” (Prof. Harriet Flower, Director)  
M.A. 2006 Princeton University, Classics  
B.A. 2002 Wesleyan University, Classics & Archaeology, High Honors  
Intercollegiate Center for Classical Studies, Rome, Spring 2001

### MONOGRAPHS

*Triumph in Defeat: Military Loss and the Roman Republic*. Oxford and New York: Oxford University Press, 2014.

### EDITED VOLUMES

*Brill's Companion to Military Defeat in Ancient Mediterranean Society*. Leiden and Boston: Brill, 2018, co-edited with Brian Turner (Portland State University).

### ARTICLES & BOOK CHAPTERS

- (—) “*Adfirmare* and Appeals to Authority in Servius Danielis.” Forthcoming, *Harvard Studies in Classical Philology* vol. 111.
- (2020) “The *Annals* as Historical Evidence in Ancient and Modern Commentaries.” Forthcoming in *Ennius, Poetry, and History*, ed. Cynthia Damon and Joseph Farrell (2020). Cambridge.
- (2020) “Winning too well: Pompey’s Victories as Urban Disaster at Rome.” Forthcoming in *Urban Disasters and the Roman Imagination*, ed. Virginia Closs and Elizabeth Keitel. *Trends in Classics: Journal of Classical Studies*. De Gruyter.
- (2019) “Anecdotal History and the Social War.” Forthcoming in *Romans at War: Citizens and Society in the Roman Republic*, ed. Michael Fronda and Jeremy Armstrong (2019). Routledge.

- (2018) “Defeat and the Roman Republic: Stories from Spain.” In *Brill’s Companion to Military Defeat in Ancient Mediterranean Society*, ed. J.H. Clark and B. Turner (2018), 191–212.
- (2018) (Brian Turner, Jessica H. Clark) “Introduction: Thinking about Military Defeat in Ancient Mediterranean Society.” in *Brill’s Companion to Military Defeat in Ancient Mediterranean Society*, ed. J.H. Clark and B. Turner (2018), 2–22.
- (2017) “Defeated, Not? The Afterlife of Scholia on *Aen.* 11.305-307.” *Vergilius* 63 (2017), 3–16.
- (2016) “Were Military Tribunes First Elected in 362 or 311 BCE?” *Historia* 65.3 (2016), 275–97.
- (2014) “*Nequiquam tantum belli*: News and Politics in Livy, Book 35.1-8.” *Histos* 8 (2014), 189–20.
- (2014) “Roman Optimism before Cannae: The Vow of the *Ver Sacrum* (Livy 22.10).” *Mnemosyne* 67 (2014), 405–22.
- (2012; updated 2019) “Lucius Cornelius Sisenna,” “Gaius Licinius Macer,” and “Sempronius Asellio.” *Wiley-Blackwell Encyclopedia of Ancient History*, ed. R. Bagnall, K. Brodersen, C. Champion, A. Erskine and S. Huebner (2012). Oxford and Malden, MA

## REVIEWS

- L. Pfuntner, *Urbanism and Empire in Roman Sicily* (University of Texas Press, 2019), *Choice* 56.12 (2019)
- H. Cornwell, *Pax and the Politics of Peace* (Oxford University Press, 2017), *AJP* 139.4 (2018), 722–24
- J.P. Bellón, A. Ruiz, M. Molinos, C. Rueda, and F. Gómez, *La Segunda Guerra Púnica en la Península Ibérica. Baecula: Arqueología de una Batalla* (Universidad de Jaén, 2015), *Res Militares* (2018)
- F. Santangelo, ed. Sir Ronald Syme. *Approaching the Roman Revolution: Papers on Republican History* (Oxford University Press, 2016), *CW* 111.2 (2018), 281–82
- L. Fratantuono, *Lucullus: The Life and Campaigns of a Roman Conqueror* (Pen & Sword, 2017), *Choice* 55.9 (2018)
- C.H. Lange and J. Majbom, eds. *Cassius Dio: Greek Intellectual and Roman Politician* (Brill, 2016), *Choice* 54.11 (2017)
- J. Tan, *Power and Public Finance at Rome, 264-49 BCE* (Oxford, 2017), *Choice* 55.4 (2017)
- C.H. Lange, *Triumphs in the Age of Civil War* (Bloomsbury Academic, 2016), *BMCR* 2017.03.33
- D. Breeze, *The Roman Army* (Bloomsbury Academic, 2016), *Choice* 54.6 (2017)
- C.H. Lange and F.J. Vervaeet, eds. *The Roman Republican Triumph: Beyond the Spectacle* (Edizioni Quasar, 2014), *CR* 67.1 (2017), 172–74
- F. Cadiou and M. Navarro Caballero, *La guerre et ses traces. Conflits et sociétés en Hispanie à l’époque de la conquête romaine (IIIe-Ier s. a.C.)* (Ausonius, 2014), *Latomus* 75.3, 773–75 (2016).
- K. Galinsky and K. Lapatin, eds. *Cultural Memories in the Roman Empire* (Getty, 2015), *Choice* 53.12 (2016)
- N. Goldschmidt, *Shaggy Crowns: Ennius’ Annales and Virgil’s Aeneid* (Oxford University Press, 2013), *Histos* 10 (2016), 89-94.
- J. Elliott, *Ennius and the Architecture of the Annales* (Cambridge University Press, 2013), Review-Discussion, *Histos* 9 (2015), 1–8.
- M. Coudry and M. Humm, eds. *Praeda. Butin de guerre et société dans la Rome républicaine/ Kriegsbeute und Gesellschaft im republikanischen Rom.* (Stuttgart 2009), *CR* 61.2 (2011), 549–51.

M. Pelikan Pittenger, *Contested Triumphs: Politics, Pageantry, and Performance in Livy's Republican Rome* (Berkeley and Los Angeles, 2008), *BMCR* 2009.07.04..

## PAPERS

- “Chiomara and the Roman Centurion.” Accepted for presentation, January 2020, WCC Panel, SCS Annual Meeting, Washington DC.
- “Publius Salonius and the formalization of ranks in the early Roman army (Livy 7.38-42).” Invited lecture, February 26, 2019 (McGill University)
- “Ovid as a Historical Source for the Social War”? Invited lecture, February 25, 2019 (McGill University)
- “Violence and the Family: The Moral Landscape of Rome’s “Social War” (91-88 BCE).” Invited lecture, October 22, 2018 (Rutgers University)
- “*Semper adversatus novis consiliis?* Democratic Action and the Early Roman Army.” Association of Ancient Historians Annual Meeting, April 20–21, 2018
- “Introduction: New Directions in the Late Republican Roman Empire.” January 6, 2018, SCS Annual Meeting, Boston MA
- “Anecdotal History and the Social War.” Celtic Conference in Classics, July 10, 2017, Montreal
- “The *Annales* as Historical Evidence in Ancient and Modern Commentaries.” Ennius: Poetry & History, University of Pennsylvania, November 12, 2016
- “Looking Askance: Roman Historical Variants as a Feminist Issue.” Feminism and Classics VII, University of Washington, May 20, 2016
- “Fragmentary Furius and Latin Historical Epic.” In “New Approaches to Fragments and Fragmentary Survival,” January 7, 2016, Society for Classical Studies Annual Meeting, San Francisco
- “The Spoils of War: Victory as Urban Disaster.” At “Urban Disasters and the Roman Imagination” (University of Massachusetts, Amherst), November 7, 2015
- “Who am I? Style and Identity in Poetic Fragments.” March 26, 2015, CAMWS, Boulder CO
- “Winning Isn’t Everything: The Moral Power of Defeat at Rome.” Invited lectures, February 25, 2015 (Trinity University); February 26, 2015 (Wesleyan University)
- “The Management of Defeat: Definitions and Redefinitions from the Roman Republic.” April 5, 2014, Society for Military History Annual Meeting, Kansas City MO
- “*Parva laus pro factis:* Ennius, Cato and Livy on Military Tribunes.” January 6, 2012, APA Annual Meeting, Philadelphia PA
- “*Aedificant Nomen?* Commemorating in early Latin Literature.” November 6, 2011, PAMLA Annual Meeting, Claremont CA
- “Go Tell the Romans? Cato's Adaptive Historiography.” May 6, 2011, AAH Annual Meeting, Erie PA
- “What Alexander didn't see: placing defeat in Roman historical memory.” October 15, 2010, invited lecture, Ancient History and Mediterranean Archaeology, University of California, Berkeley
- “Fundamental Illusions in Tacitus’ Histories.” April 1, 2010, invited lecture, Department of Classics, University of California, Davis
- “Polybius on Polybius? Rewriting the defeated self.” January 7, 2010: APA Annual Meeting, Orange County CA (“Writing the Self, Writing Lives in Greco-Roman Culture,” I. Peirano and O. Rossi)
- “The Ruins of Memory: Tacitus on Roman Antiquity.” October 29, 2009, Humanities Center symposium “Memory, Nostalgia, Ruins,” California State University-Chico
- “*Con voce imperiosa:* Mussolini’s Roman History.” November 5, 2008, History Inaugural Lecture Series, California State University-Chico

“The Paradox of Ransom in the Roman Republic.” January 6, 2008, APA Annual Meeting, Chicago IL

“The Refiguring of Ignominia in the Second Punic War.” May 4, 2007, AAH Annual Meeting, Princeton NJ

## **GRANTS & AWARDS**

(2018) Committee on Faculty Research Support Award, Florida State University, “Ditch-Diggers and Oversung Heroes? Junior Officers in the Roman Army”

(2017) Stephen Risley Family Fellowship, College of Arts & Sciences, Florida State University

(2016) NEH Summer Stipend Award, “Subordinated Heroes: Junior Officers in the Roman Army”

(2016) Provost’s Award for Faculty Travel, Florida State University

(2015) College of Arts and Sciences, Florida State University, Faculty Travel Award

(2014) First Year Assistant Professor Award, Florida State University: “Military Service and Political Competition in the Roman Republic”

(2011) CSU-Chico Research Award: “How We Remember: Identity and Empire in the Roman Republic”

(2009) CSU-Chico Research Foundation Summer Scholar Award: “Responding to Defeat: the commemoration and redefinition of military loss in the ancient world”

## **COURSES TAUGHT**

FSU: History: Graduate: Historical Writing and the Roman Republic (Fall 2014); Rome and Hannibal (Spring 2015); Julius Caesar (Fall 2016); Civil War and Civic Violence (Spring 2016); Roman Republic (Fall 2013, Fall 2015, Fall 2017); Roman Imperialism (Fall 2018).

Undergraduate: Greek and Roman Civilization (Fall 2014); Rome and Hannibal (Spring 2015); Julius Caesar (Fall 2016); Citizenship and Debate: Models from the Ancient World (Fall 2014-2017, Spring 2019); Roman Republic (Fall 2013, Fall 2015, Fall 2017); History of Rome (Spring 2018); History of Greece (Fall 2018). Latin: Graduate: Sallust (Fall 2013), Livy (Spring 2018); Intermediate: Cicero (Spring 2014), Nepos (Spring 2015), Livy (Spring 2016).

CSU, Chico: Ancient Civilizations (Fall 2009-Spring 2013), Introduction to Classical Civilization (Fall 2008, Spring 2009), Archaic Greece (Fall 2008, Fall 2010), Classical Greece (Fall 2009), Rise of Rome (Spring 2009, Spring 2011), Caesar and Augustus (Spring 2010, Fall 2011, Spring 2013), The Roman Empire (Spring 2012, Fall 2012), Historical Methodology (Fall 2010), Graduate Seminar in Ancient History (Spring 2011)