Emily V. Thornbury

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Curriculum Vitae

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Employment

- July 2018—present: Associate Professor with tenure, Department of English, Yale University.
- ❖ July 2008–June 2018: tenure-stream faculty, Department of English, University of California at Berkeley. Promoted to Associate Professor with tenure as of 7/14.
- October 2007–March 2008: Instructor in Old English, Department of Anglo-Saxon, Norse and Celtic, University of Cambridge.
- October 2004—September 2007: Junior Research Fellow in Anglo-Saxon, Churchill College, Cambridge.

Education

- May 2004: PhD, Department of Anglo-Saxon, Norse and Celtic, University of Cambridge.
- ❖ June 1999: A.B., *summa cum laude*, Dept. of English and American Language and Literature, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA.

Publications

Monographs

Becoming a Poet in Anglo-Saxon England. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2014. Awarded publication prize for 'Best First Book' in 2015 by the International Society of Anglo-Saxonists.

Edited collections

* with Rebecca Stephenson, Latinity and Identity in Anglo-Saxon England. Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 2016. Co-edited collection, and co-wrote introduction.

Articles and essays

- ❖ 'Boniface as Poet and Teacher.' In *A Companion to Boniface*, ed. Michel Aaij and Shannon Godlove. Leiden: Brill, 2020. Pp. 99–122.
- 'Ornaments to Dazzle the Ear: Hypermetric Verses in *The Dream of the Rood* and *Judith*.' *Poetica* 93 (2020): 83–96. [Special issue edited by Michiko Ogura and Jane Roberts]

Publications cont.

- * 'Light Verse in Anglo-Saxon England.' In The Shapes of Early English Poetry: Style, Form, History, ed. Irina Dumitrescu and Eric Weiskott. Studies in Medieval and Early Modern Culture 64. Kalamazoo, MI: Medieval Institute Publications, 2019. Pp. 85– 106.
- ❖ 'Æthilwulf *poeta*.' In *Latinity and Identity in Anglo-Saxon England*, ed. Stephenson and Thornbury. Pp. 54–72.
- Lyric Form, Subjectivity, and Consciousness.' In A Companion to British Literature, ed. Robert DeMaria Jr., Heesok Chang and Samantha Zacher. Vol. I. Oxford: Blackwell, 2013. Pp. 30–47.
- * 'Building with the Rubble of the Past: the Translator of the Old English Gospel of Nicodemus and his Flawed Source', in Anglo-Saxon Traces, ed. Jane Roberts and Leslie Webster, Essays in Anglo-Saxon Studies 5. Tempe, AZ: ACMRS, 2011. Pp. 297– 318.
- ❖ 'Strange Hybrids: Ælfric, Vergil and the Lynx in Anglo-Saxon England', Notes & Queries 56 (2009): 163–6.
- ❖ 'Ælfric's Zoology', Neophilologus 92 (2008): 141–53.
- * 'Aldhelm's Rejection of the Muses and the Mechanics of Poetic Inspiration in Early Anglo-Saxon England', Anglo-Saxon England 36 (2007): 71–92. Awarded a publication prize for Best Essay' in 2009 by the International Society of Anglo-Saxonists.
- * "Da Gregorius gamenode mid his wordum": Old English Versions of Gregory's Bilingual Puns', *Leeds Studies in English* 38 (2007): 17–30.
- ❖ 'Admiring the Ruined Text: the Picturesque in Editions of Old English Verse', New Medieval Literatures 8 (2006): 215–44.
- * 'Christ and Satan: "Healing" Line 7', English Studies 87 (2006): 505–10.
- * 'The Genre of the Sutton Brooch Verses', Notes & Queries 246 (2001): 375–7.
- * 'eald enta geweore' and the Relics of Empire: Revisiting the Dragon's Lair in Beowulf, Quaestio 1 (2000): 82–92.

Forthcoming or in progress

- * "The Virtue of Ornament," monograph in preparation.
- ❖ 'Curtius and Jung: Commonplaces, Archetypes, and Literature's Collective Unconscious,' in *Thinking of the Middle Ages*, ed. Benjamin Saltzman and R.D. Perry (forthcoming).

Reviews and encyclopedia entries

Review of Irina Dumitrescu, The Experience of Education in Anglo-Saxon Literature. Cambridge Studies in Medieval Literature (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2018). Anglia 137 (2019): 167–70.

Reviews and encyclopedia entries, cont.

- * Review of Samantha Zacher, ed., *Imagining the Jew in Anglo-Saxon Literature and Culture*. Toronto Anglo-Saxon Series 21 (Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 2016). *JEGP* 118 (2019): 139–42.
- Review of Megan Cavell, Weaving Words and Binding Bodies: The Poetics of Human Experience in Old English Literature. Toronto Anglo-Saxon Series 19 (Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 2016). Speculum 93 (2018): 483–5.
- Review of Nicole Guenther Discenza, Inhabited Spaces: Anglo-Saxon Constructions of Place. Toronto Anglo-Saxon Series 23 (Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 2017). The Medieval Review 17.10.30.
- * Review of Kazutomo Karasawa, ed., *The Old English Metrical Calendar (Menologium)*. Anglo-Saxon Texts 12 (Cambridge: D.S. Brewer, 2015), *JEGP* 116:3 (2017): 364–6.
- Review of R.M. Liuzza, ed. and trans., Old English Poetry: An Anthology. Broadview Anthologies of British Literature (Peterborough, ON: Broadview Press, 2014), The Medieval Review 16.09.10.
- 'Aethelwulf', 'Aldhelm', 'Anglo-Latin Poets (pre-1066), minor', entries in Encyclopedia of British Medieval Literature, ed. Siân Echard and Robert Rouse (Malden, MA: Wiley-Blackwell, 2016).
- Review of Robert E. Bjork, ed. and trans., Old English Shorter Poems. Vol. II: Wisdom and Lyric, Dumbarton Oaks Medieval Library (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 2014), The Medieval Review 15.09.03.
- Review of Jacqueline Stodnick and Renée R. Trilling, ed., A Handbook of Anglo-Saxon Studies. Wiley-Blackwell Critical Theory Handbooks (Malden, MA: Wiley-Blackwell, 2012), The Medieval Review 13.09.04.
- * Review of George Hardin Brown, *A Companion to Bede* (Woodbridge: Boydell, 2009), *IEGP* 109:3 (July 2010): 385–7.
- * Review of Kirsten A. Fenton, Gender, Nation and Conquest in the Works of William of Malmesbury (Woodbridge: Boydell, 2008), The Medieval Review 09.10.25.
- * Review of Robert Rouse, *The Idea of Anglo-Saxon England in Middle English Romance* (Woodbridge: Boydell, 2005), *Notes & Queries* 251 (2006), 549-50.
- ❖ Bibliographical reviewer for *The Year's Work in Old English Studies*: Section 6, Manuscripts and Charters (2005–8).
 - Reviews for 2003-06 in Old English Newsletter (vols. 38-41, no. 2)
- ❖ 'Lethaldus Miciacensis', 'Gaius Lucilius', and 'Mallius Theodorus': entries in *Sources of Anglo-Saxon Literary Culture*, (K)LMN volume, ed. Patrizia Lendinara, Loredana Teresi, and Claudia di Sciacca (forthcoming?).

Fellowships, Grants and Awards

- ❖ Fellow, Whitney Humanities Center, Yale University, 2018–19.
- ❖ Best First Book, awarded 2015 by the International Society of Anglo-Saxonists for Becoming a Poet in Anglo-Saxon England.
- ❖ Hellman Fellows Fund, 2013–14. Project: 'Rebuilding Anglo-Saxon Texts.' Competitive research grant for assistant professors at UC Berkeley.
- ❖ Humanities Research Fellowship, 2012–13. Project: 'Rebuilding Anglo-Saxon Texts.' Sabbatical year supplement for junior faculty at UC Berkeley.
- Regents Junior Faculty Fellowship, Summer 2010. Project: 'Who Were Anglo-Saxon Poets? A Historical Survey.'
 Competitive summer support grant for Assistant Professors within UC Berkeley.
- ❖ Co-recipient of 2009 International Society of Anglo-Saxonists Publication Award: Best Essay, for 'Aldhelm's Rejection of the Muses' (2007).
- UC Berkeley Townsend Fellowship, 2009–10. Project: 'Becoming a Poet in Anglo-Saxon England.'

Conference Papers, Invited Lectures, and Other Presentations

- 'Ornament, Decorum, and Modernity in the Books of Bishop Æthelwold of Winchester.' Penn Medieval Colloquium, Philadelphia, PA. November 2019. (Invited colloquium presentation.)
- 'Ornaments to Dazzle the Ear: Hypermetrism in Old English Verse.' International Association of University Professors of English triennial conference, Poznań, Poland. June 2019. (Invited by organizers.)
- ❖ 'A Surface Reading of *Exodus*.' Reading Then, Reading Now, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA. April 2019. (Invited by organizers.)
- * 'Surface, Depth, and Interpretation in *Beowulf*.' Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH. April 2019. (Invited lecture.)
- ❖ 'Surface and Depth in *Beowulf.*' Harvard Medieval Colloquium, March 2019. (Invited lecture.)
- Speaking Latin with an Old English Accent.' The Sound of Writing Conference, Johns Hopkins University, March 2019. (Invited by organizers.)
- ❖ 'Classicism and Perspective in Eighth-Century Northumbria.' Lunchtime lecture for Whitney Humanities Center fellowship, February 2019.
- ❖ 'Breaking the Envelope: Baroque Structure in Longer Anglo-Saxon Narrative.' Yale English Department Medieval Colloquium, November 2018. (Invited by organizers.)
- * 'The Virtue of Ornament: The Case of Hypermeter in *Judith*.' Seminar at MIT, October 2018. (Invited by organizer.)

Presentations cont.

- * 'Remembering the Canticles in Old English Verse.' International Medieval Congress, University of Leeds, July 2018. (Invited by organizer.)
- ❖ 'Strange Trappings: Hypermetrism as Ornament in Old English Verse.' At "Medieval Poetics: New Approaches to Poetic Form and Cultural Practice," oneday colloquium at Rutgers University, October 2017. (Invited by organizer.)
- ❖ 'Ornament without Grammar.' International Society of Anglo-Saxonists' biennial conference, Honolulu, HI, August 2017.
- 'Reinventing Classical Aesthetics in Anglo-Saxon England.' International Congress on Medieval Studies, Western Michigan University, May 2016. (Invited by organizer.)
- ❖ 'Curtius and Jung: Commonplace and Archetype.' International Congress on Medieval Studies, Western Michigan University, May 2015. (Invited by organizer.)
- * Roundtable participant, 'Teaching Latin outside the Classics Department.' International Congress on Medieval Studies, May 2015. (Invited by organizer.)
- ❖ 'Labor and the Problem of Ornament in Anglo-Saxon England.' Yale Medieval Colloquium, February 2015. (Invited presentation)
- ❖ 'The Virtue of Ornament.' MLA Convention, Vancouver, BC, January 2015.
- * 'Poetic Communities and the Strange Case of Late Old English Verse.' Harvard Medieval Colloquium, March 2014. (Invited lecture)
- 'Anglo-Saxon Aesthetic Categories.' workshop presentation, Theoretical Perspectives on the Middle Ages, Stanford University, March 2014. (Invited presentation.)
- * 'Wrætlie and sellie: Affects of Wonder and Old English Aesthetic Categories.' MLA Convention, Chicago, IL, January 2014.
- * 'The Old English Glosses on the *Lorica of Laidcenn* and the Shape of Insular Prayer.' International Society of Anglo-Saxonists' biennial conference, Dublin, July 2013.
- * "The Southwick Codex: Doing Contemporary Latin Philosophy in English." International Congress on Medieval Studies, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI, May 2013.
- 'It's Not the End of the World: the Six Ages and Early Medieval Temporalities of Crisis.' American Comparative Literature Association Annual Meeting, Providence, March 2012. Strand: 'Temporalities of Crisis.'
- * 'Æthilwulf *poeta*,' International Congress on Medieval Studies, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI, May 2011. Supported by UC Berkeley Committee on Research travel grant.
- Roundtable presentation on 'Editing from Medieval Manuscripts,' MLA Convention, Los Angeles, CA, January 2011.

Presentations cont.

- * 'The Southwick Codex,' 'Mind, Soul, and In-Between: Mapping the Human Spirit in the Early Middle Ages,' a one-day seminar affiliated with the Anglo-Saxon Studies Colloquium, UC Berkeley, October 2010.
- 'Excavating Old English Substrata in Latin Texts', Early English Text Society Conference, St Anne's College, Oxford, May 2010. Supported by UC Berkeley Committee on Research travel grant.
- William of Malmesbury Constructs Aldhelm's Personality', The Medieval Academy of America Annual Meeting, Chicago, March 2009. Supported by UC Berkeley Committee on Research travel grant.
- ❖ 'The Intellectual Lineage of Bede's Textbooks', International Congress on Medieval Studies, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI, May 2008.
- * 'Building with the Rubble of the Past: Two Case Studies in Anglo-Saxons' Use of Flawed Texts', International Society of Anglo-Saxonists' biennial conference, London, August 2007.
- 'Evidence for Knowledge of Classical Lyric Metres in Anglo-Saxon England', International Congress on Medieval Studies, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI, May 2007.
- ❖ 'Can We Define Old English *Kunstprosa*?', International Congress on Medieval Studies, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI, May 2005.
- 'Hearing the Metrical Archaisms in Alfred's Metres', Second Annual Symposium of the Alfredian Boethius Project, Oxford University, July 2004.
- 'Strained Seams in Christ and Satan', Cambridge-Oxford Symposium in Old Norse and Old English, St Catharine's College, Cambridge, June 2004.
- The Anti-Muse: Tracing the Sources of Anglo-Saxon Poetic Inspiration', International Congress on Medieval Studies, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI, May 2002. Tashjian Travel Award given by the Medieval Institute, Western Michigan University, to cover all fees for 2002 Congress
- 'Structures of Truth: the Art and Architecture of Old English Wisdom Poetry', International Medieval Congress, University of Leeds, Leeds, 10 July 2001. Support from the H M Chadwick fund awarded for travel to Kalamazoo and Leeds, and associated conference fees, in 2001.
- ❖ 'Fake Greek and Bad Latin in the Old English Macaronic Poems', International Congress on Medieval Studies, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI, 4 May 2001.
- ❖ "Le style est l'homme même": the *De arte metrica*, Hexameter Structure, and the Early Anglo-Latin Poets', Dept. of ASNC Graduate Seminar, 28 February 2001.
- * 'Anglo-Saxons and *enta ærgeweore*: the Empire and the Cultural Other', Cambridge Colloquium in Anglo-Saxon, Norse and Celtic, 25 May 2000.

Teaching US Teaching Experience

Yale University

Scheduled courses: graduate

- English 500/Linguistics 500/Medieval Studies 665: Old English I. (Fall 2018, 2020)
- English 501/Linguistics 501/Medieval Studies 510: Beowulf and the Beowulf Complex (Spring 2021)
- English 502/Medieval Studies 666: Old English II. Topic: Late Antique Romance in Anglo-Saxon England. (Spring 2019)

Scheduled courses: undergraduate

- English 150/Linguistics 150: Old English. (Fall 2018, 2020)
- * English 151: Visions of Other Worlds in Medieval British Literature (Spring 2021)
- * English 153: The Earliest English Literature. (co-taught with Yale PhD candidate Alexandra Reider as part of the Associates in Teaching program, Spring 2019)

University of California-Berkeley, Department of English

Scheduled courses: graduate

- ❖ 203: Prospectus workshop. (Spring 2018)
- ❖ 203: Graduate readings. Topic: Judgment in Early Medieval Literature. (Spring 2015)
- ❖ 205A: Introduction to Old English. (Fall 2008, 2009, 2011, 2013)
- ❖ 205B: Old English.
 - Topic: Cynewulf. (Spring 2011)
 - Topic: Late Old English. (Spring 2016)

Scheduled courses: undergraduate

- 45A: British Literature through Milton (lower-division lecture)(Spring 2012, Fall 2014)
- ❖ 100: Junior Seminar. Topic: 19th-c. Middle Ages (Spring 2009)
- 104: Introduction to Old English (upper-division lecture)(Fall 2014, 2015, 2017)
- 105: Anglo-Saxon Literature (upper-division lecture)(Spring 2013, 2017)
- 110: Medieval Literature. Topic: Visions of Other Worlds in Medieval British Literature (Fall 2010, 2016; Spring 2014)
- 166: Special Topics. (Both 166 courses co-taught with Lyn Hejinian)
 - Topic: The Theory of the Poet (Spring 2014)
 - Topic: The Epistle in Life and Literature (Fall 2015)
- 170: Literature and Art (upper-division lecture)
 - Topic: Medievalism (Spring 2011)
 - Topic: The Deaths and Lives of Saints (Fall 2016)
- * 174: History and Literature. Topic: History as Literature (Spring 2018)

US Teaching, cont.

- ❖ 190: Research seminar.
 - Topic: Invasions of Britain in Medieval Literature (Fall 2010)
 - Topic: History of the Book, 597–2011 (Fall 2011)
 - Topic: *Beowulf* (Spring 2017)

Doctoral dissertations: completed

- ❖ Amy W. Clark, 'Familiar Distances: Beating the Bounds of Early English Identity.' UC Berkeley. Awarded May 2020. Co-chair.
- Evan Wilson, 'The King's Speech: Royal Wisdom, Textual Culture, and the Political Imagination in Anglo-Saxon England.' UC Berkeley. Awarded May 2019. Co-chair.
- Jennifer Lorden, 'Learning to Feel: Affect and Piety in Anglo-Saxon Verse.' UC Berkeley. Awarded May 2018. Inside reader.
- Jacob Hobson, 'Exegetical Theory and Textual Communities in Late Anglo-Saxon England.' UC Berkeley. Awarded May 2017. Inside reader.
- Marcos Garcia, 'Poetry and the Past in Anglo-Saxon England.' UC Berkeley. Awarded May 2015. Co-chair.
- Benjamin A. Saltzman, 'Secrecy and Concealment in Anglo-Saxon England (600–1100.' UC Berkeley. Awarded May 2014. Inside reader.

Doctoral dissertations: in progress

- Shu-han Luo (Yale)
- Seamus Dwyer (Yale)

UK Teaching Experience (at Cambridge)

Classes

All classes were for undergraduates in the Department of Anglo-Saxon, Norse and Celtic.

- ❖ 2007–08: Second-year translation class in Old English
- ❖ Lent 2008: Classes in Old English for all years (first- and second-year translation for Part I; *Beowulf* for Part II)
- ❖ Easter 2006: Revision classes in Old English for all years (first- and second-year translation for Part I; *Beowulf* for Part II)
- Michaelmas 2004: Second-year translation class in Old English; class for Part II Old English on Beowulf

UK teaching, cont.

Lectures

All lectures were for the series on Old English literature for Part I (first- and second-year) students in the Department of Anglo-Saxon, Norse and Celtic.

- * 'The Prose of King Alfred's Reign' (Lent '08; Michaelmas '04, '01).
- 'Old English Poetic Style' (Lent '08)
- 'The Poems of Cynewulf' (Lent '05)
- ❖ 'Old English Elegies (Wanderer and Seafarer)' (Michaelmas '04, '02)
- 'The Anglo-Saxon Chronicle' (Lent '02)
- 'Old English Wisdom Verse' (Lent '01)

Examining

Easter 2006: Internal assessor, Old English papers, Anglo-Saxon, Norse and Celtic Tripos (Prelims, Part I, Part II); Assessor (second marker), Old English component of English Part I/Paper 7

Supervisions

- ❖ Michaelmas 2001–Easter 2008: supervised in Old English literature (30+ eightweek supervisions of first- or second-year students for Dept. of Anglo-Saxon, Norse and Celtic Part I, Paper 5).
- ❖ Lent 2002–Easter 2008: classes in introductory Old English language and literature (usually throughout first and second years, for English Faculty Part I, Paper 7). I taught three or four classes per week in a typical eight-week term.
- Michaelmas 2004—Easter 2008: supervised dissertations on Old English literary topics in ASNC and English tripos (one Part I ASNC, two Part II English, two Part II ASNC).
- ❖ 2000–2004: various supervisions in Middle English

Professional Service

- ❖ Board member, International Society for the Study of Early Medieval England (2020–)
- * Book review editor (Old English), Speculum (2018–)
- Co-editor, Cambridge Elements: Anglo-Saxon England (with Megan Cavell, Rory Naismith, and Winfried Rudolf).
 - Ongoing editorial project with eventual goal of issuing ~40 short monographs through Cambridge University Press.
- Advisory board member, JEGP (2014–)
- Editorial board member, Texts and Cultures of Northern Europe (series published by Brepols)(2015–)
- Manuscript or proposal reviews for JEGP, Journal of Medieval Latin, Modern Philology, Philological Quarterly, Review of English Studies, Studia Neophilologica, Exemplaria, University Press of Florida, Cambridge University Press

Professional service cont.

- Project co-organizer: 'Latinity and Identity in Anglo-Saxon England' (with Rebecca Stephenson, University of Louisiana–Monroe).
 - Conference sessions resulted in edited volume with ten contributions, plus introduction and bibliography (now out from Toronto UP).
 - Associated conference sessions organized: 46th International Congress on Medieval Studies, Kalamazoo, May 2011 (2 sessions); 45th International Congress on Medieval Studies, Kalamazoo, May 2010 (1 session. I was also replacement presider).
- Colloquium co-organizer (with Prof. Katherine O'Brien O'Keeffe, Dept. of English): 'Mind, Soul, and In-Between: Mapping the Human Spirit in the Early Middle Ages,' a one-day seminar on medieval theories of mind supported by grants from the Townsend Center for the Humanities, the Medieval Studies Program, and the Department of English. Associated with the Anglo-Saxon Studies Colloquium; held at Berkeley on 8 October 2010, with twenty participants.
 - Speakers:
 - Leslie Lockett, Dept. of English, The Ohio State University
 - Frank Bezner, Classics/Comparative Literature, UC Berkeley
 - Emily Thornbury, English, UC Berkeley
- Project Assistant, National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Seminar, 2006: 'Holy Men and Holy Women of Anglo-Saxon England', organized by Prof. Paul Szarmach. This post involved administrative planning for the Cambridge activities of the NEH Summer Seminar – e.g., organizing library and computing access, planning off-site trips, liaising with Cambridge staff, etc.
- Conference organizer, Cambridge-Oxford-London Symposium in Old English, Old Norse, and Latin (19 May 2006, Churchill College, Cambridge).
 - Project Assistant, National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute in Anglo-Saxon England (Summer 2004). Duties as for 2006 Summer Seminar.
 - Editorial Assistant, Mediaeval Scandinavia 14 and Journal of Celtic Studies 4 (2003 volumes).
 - As assistant, I was responsible for all editorial design and layout, and for preparation of all materials, including images, as camera-ready copy.
 - Quaestio (journal in Early Medieval studies)
 - 2001: Editor-in-Chief; Web Designer.
 - 2000: Treasurer; Editorial Committee member.
 - Cambridge Colloquium in Anglo-Saxon, Norse and Celtic
 - 2000–2: Session Presider; Web Designer; Founding committee member
 - * Graduate Representative, Department of Anglo-Saxon, Norse and Celtic, 2002

Department and University Service

At Yale University:

Department of English

- Junior Appointments, 2019–20
- Graduate Admissions, 2020
- Graduate Studies Committee, 2018–19

Program in Medieval Studies

Chair and Director of Graduate Studies, 2020–21

Graduate School of Arts and Sciences

• Grievance Committee, 2018–19

At University of California-Berkeley:

Department of English

- Placement: 2009–11, 2016–18
- Graduate School Applications: 2016–18
- Graduate Admissions: 2013–15
- Committee on Endowed Chairs: Fall 2014
- Continuing Fellowships: 2011–12
- Lectures & Events: 2008–9

Program in Medieval Studies

- Graduate and Undergraduate Minor Advisor: 2014–17
- Member, Advisory board: 2013–17

University and University Senate

- University Fellowships Competition Committee (Humanities): 2016–18
- Committee on Courses of Instruction (COCI): 2014-17
- Committee on Prizes (PRIZ): 2011–12

Professional Memberships

- ❖ International Society for the Study of Early Medieval England
- Modern Language Association
- * The Medieval Academy of America

Language Proficiency

- Strong reading knowledge of Old English, medieval Latin, and modern French
- * Basic reading knowledge of Old Norse, modern German, and modern Italian