

## Curriculum Vitae

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#### **Education**

Ph.D. History, Rutgers University 1988  
M.A. History, Rutgers University 1981  
B.A. Scripps College 1966

#### **Fields of Specialization**

Major Field: U.S. Military/Diplomatic History

Subfields: U. S. Civil War  
World War II  
Women in the Military

#### **Dissertation**

“From Sail To Steam: The Development of Steam Technology in the United States Navy 1838-1865.” Supervisor: John W. Chambers II.

#### **Publications**

“High Noon at Chemulpo,” U.S. Naval Institute *Proceedings*, August 1969.

“U.S. Navy and the Philippine Insurrection,” *The American Neptune*, Vol. XXXV, No. 3, 1975.

“Forcing A Decision: The Struggle for the Mediterranean 1942,” a paper presented at the Siena College Conference on 1942, June 5-6, 1992.

“Beyond Paradise: The Navy Nurse Corps in the Pacific in World War II,” Part One, *MINERVA: Quarterly Report on Women in the Military*, Vol. XI, No. 2 (Summer 1993), Part Two, Vol. XI (Fall/Winter 1992).

“Direct Hit: The USS *Savannah* at Salerno,” *WW II Naval Journal*, April, 1994.

“The U.S. Navy and Fugitive Slaves, 1861-2,” a paper presented at the Naval History Symposium, U.S. Naval Academy, October, 1993.

“Women Were Expected: The Experience of American Servicewomen in the ETO,” a paper presented at the Siena College World War II Conference, June, 1994.

“Doing My Duty: A Brief History of Military Chaplains in the Northern New Jersey Annual Conference,” NNJAC Archival and Historical Society, June, 1994.

“USS *Gleaves* vs. the Explosive Boats, *WW II Naval Journal*, December, 1994.

“New Jersey Women in World War II,” a paper presented at the symposium on New Jersey in WWII, Rutgers University, May, 1996.

*G.I. Nightingales: The Army Nurse Corps in World War II*, University Press of Kentucky, 1996.

“Naval Gunfire Support in the Mediterranean in World War II,” a paper presented at the Naval History Symposium, U.S. Naval Academy, September, 1999.

*With Utmost Spirit: Allied Naval Operations in the Mediterranean 1942-45*, 2004.

“Naval Gunfire Support in Operation Neptune: A Re-examination,” in *The United States in the Second World War: Essays in Honor of John Whiteclay Chambers II*, Fordham University Press, Fall, 2009.

*Bluejackets and Contrabands: African Americans and the Union Navy*, University Press of Kentucky, August 31, 2009.

### **Teaching and Research Experience**

Graduate Assistant, Thomas A. Edison Papers Project, West Orange, N. J., 1983-1985.

Adjunct Professor, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N.J., Fall, 1988.

- “Military History of the U.S.”

Adjunct Professor, Middlesex County College, 1991-93.

- “Western Civilization II”
- “U. S. History I and II”
- “20<sup>th</sup> Century”

Adjunct Professor, College of St. Elizabeth, Fall ,1991-Spring,1992.

- “American Diplomatic History”
- “American Intellectual History”

Adjunct Professor, Morris County College, Randolph, N.J. Spring, 1993

- “The American Frontier”

Lecturer, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N.J. Spring, 1992, Fall and

Spring, 1994- 2000.

- “War, Peace, and the Military in the U.S.” 1994-2000
- “Special Advanced Topics in Military History” Fall, 1999 and Fall 2000
- “America in Vietnam”- Spring, 2000

### **Fellowships and Awards**

American Association of University Women, Research Grant, 1978.

New Jersey Historical Commission Grant, Oral History of New Jersey College for Women Alumnae of WWII, 1997.