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Publications:

Books:

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1994 Archiv für Orientforschung 40/41: 246-257
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- 2003 Review of G. del Olmo Lete, and J.-L. Montero Fenollós, eds.,
Archaeology of the Upper Syrian Euphrates: The Tishrin Dam Area.
Journal of Near Eastern Studies 62: 206-7
- 2000 Review of D. Oates, J. Oates and H. McDonald, Excavations at Tell Brak, Vol. 1: The Mitanni and Old Babylonian Periods.
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- 1999 Review of P. Akkermans (ed.), Tell Sabi Abyad: The Late Neolithic Settlement. Journal of the American Oriental Society 119: 526-7
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- 1996 Review of H. Nissen, P. Damerow and R. Englund, Archaic Bookkeeping: Writing and Techniques of Economic Administration in the Ancient Near East. Journal of Interdisciplinary History 26: 712-3.
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- 1994 Review of Town and Country in Southeastern Anatolia, vol. I and II. Journal of the American Oriental Society 114: 662-663
- 1993 Review of M. Gibson (ed.), Uch Tepe II: Technical Analyses. Journal of the American Oriental Society 113: 107-108
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- 1990 Review of U. Moortgat-Correns, Tell Chuera in Nordost-Syrien, 1982-1983. Journal of the American Oriental Society 110: 764-66
- 1988 Review of D. Meijer, A Survey in Northeast Syria. Bibliotheca Orientalis 45: 410-11
- 1987 Review of I. Kampschulte and W. Orthmann, Gräber des 3. Jahrtausends im syrischen Euphrattal: Ausgrabungen bei Tawi. Bibliotheca Orientalis 44: 239-243

Archaeological Fieldwork:

- Director, Tell Umm el-Marra, Syria (Johns Hopkins University/University of Amsterdam), May-July 2006, 2004, 2002, 2000, 1999, 1997, 1996, 1995, 1994 (with Hans Curvers, Director from University of Amsterdam)
- Director, Tell Raqa'i, Syria (Johns Hopkins University/University of Amsterdam), June 1992, August-October 1990, 1989, 1988, 1987 (with Hans Curvers, Director from University of Amsterdam)
- Associate Director, Tell Leilan, Syria (Yale University), August-November 1985
- Ceramics Analyst/Site Supervisor, Gritille, Turkey (Bryn Mawr College), June-August 1984
- Site Supervisor and Registrar, Tell Brak, Syria (University of London), March-May 1983
- Assistant Director, Tell Leilan, Syria (Yale University), May-July 1982
- Area Supervisor, Tell Leilan, Syria (Yale University), June-August 1980
- Site Supervisor, Tell Leilan, Syria (Yale University), July-October 1979
- Assistant, Field Survey, Tell Leilan, Syria (Yale University), July-August 1978
- Assistant at Field Survey, Mahi Dasht, Iran (Royal Ontario Museum), May-July 1975
- Site Supervisor, Chogha Mish, Iran (University of Chicago), December-March 1974-5
- Student Excavator, University of Arizona Field School, June-August 1974
- Student Excavator, Whitney site, Hamden, Ct., Yale archaeology field methods course, January-April 1974

Grants:

- Umm el-Marra Project (see <http://www.jhu.edu/neareast/uem/index.html>):

National Science Foundation, 2006-2009
Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, 2006
National Geographic Society, 2006
National Science Foundation, 2002-2005
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National Geographic Society, 1994

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National Geographic Society, 1990
National Endowment for the Humanities, Interpretive Research, 1989-1990
National Geographic Society, 1988
University of Arizona, Dept. of Anthropology, 1987

Teaching and Research Interests:

Early complex societies: development, collapse and regeneration
Rural-urban interrelationships in early complex societies
Archaeological method and theory
Old World prehistory
Near Eastern social and political history

Undergraduate Courses taught:

Introduction to Archaeology
The Emergence of Civilization: A Cross-Cultural Examination (Mesopotamia, Egypt, China, Indus, Mesoamerica)
Ancient Near Eastern Civilizations
Introduction to Near Eastern Archaeology
Issues in Near Eastern Archaeology (advanced seminar)

Graduate Courses taught:

The Archaeology of Ideology
Mortuary Analysis in Archaeology
Seminars in the Archaeology of Palestine
Seminars in the Archaeology of Mesopotamia
Seminars in the Archaeology of Syria
Seminar in the Archaeology of Anatolia
Archaeology and the Sacred
Egypt and the Levant: Economic and Political Interrelations
The Fourth Millennium B.C. in the Near East
Collapse and Regeneration of Early Near Eastern Complex Societies
Emar to Ugarit: Integration of Text and Archaeology (with J. Cooper and R. Westbrook)

Professional Service:

Governing Board (Academic Trustee), Archaeological Institute of America, 2007-
Archaeological Institute of America, Baltimore Society, President, 1994-1996; Vice-President,
1993-4, 1996-

Visiting Committee, Metropolitan Museum of Art, Department of Ancient Near Eastern
Art, 2003-

Member (invited), Associated Regional Chronologies of the Ancient Near East (European
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Editorial Board, Bulletin of the American Schools of Oriental Research, 2002-