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## **EDUCATION**

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**Binghamton University.** Ph.D. Candidate in History.

Thesis Title: “Continuity and Change in the Florentine Experience: 1375-1433, A Reassessment.”

**University of Edinburgh.** M.Sc. in History, 2006.

Dissertation Title: “Patronage and Power at Orsanmichele: 1336-1428.”

**Boston College.** B.S. in Marketing. Minor in History, 2003.

Senior Thesis Title: “Sponsorship Retention in Event Marketing.”

## **TEACHING**

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Undergraduate Lectures: “Intro to Medieval and Early Modern Studies,” “Foundations of Western Civilization”

Undergraduate Seminars: “The Italian Renaissance,” “Wars of Religion”

Graduate Seminars: “Teaching College History”

## **LECTURES AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

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“Medieval and Renaissance Merchant Mentalities: The *Zibaldone da Canal*,” University of California at Los Angeles, March 21, 2009.

“Cognate Fathers of the Church: Grace, Original Sin, and the Possibility of Sinlessness in the Anti-Pelagian Works of Jerome and Augustine,” University of Edinburgh, January 5, 2008.

“The Sphere of the Macro-cosmos: Early Quattrocento Culture and Merchant Mentalities in Gregorio Dati’s *La Sfera*,” Binghamton University, November 18, 2008.

“The Evolution of the European Guild: A Case Study of the Florentine *Arti*,” University of Edinburgh, April 18, 2006.

## **HONORS AND AWARDS**

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The Kramer Award. Awarded to subsidize dissertation research in Italy (2010)

The Dubofsky Award. Awarded to subsidize archival research in Italy (Summers 2008).

Binghamton University, Graduate Scholar Award. Awarded for three months of archival research in Europe (Summer 2008).

Binghamton University, Arts and Sciences Fellowship. Awarded for three years of graduate study (2006-08).

Binghamton University, Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies Fellowship. Awarded for one year of graduate study (2006-07).

University of Edinburgh, Post-graduate studies travel grant. Awarded for study in Italy (2005-06).

## **PUBLICATIONS**

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“Cognate Fathers of the Church: Grace, Original Sin, and the Possibility of Sinlessness in the Anti-Pelagian Works of Jerome and Augustine.” in *Binghamton Journal of History* (August 2008).

“Launchdriver Joe.” in *Fresh Ink*, Boston College Press (Fall 2000).