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Employment

Aquinas College, Professor of History, 1999-present
Special Assistant to the President, 2014-present
Executive Vice President, 2012-2014
Provost and Dean of Faculty, 2008-2014
History Chair, 2002-2008

Assistant Professor of History, Calvin College, 1996-1999

Visiting Senior Lecturer, Arizona State University, Spring-Fall 1994

Education

Ph.D., May 1998. History, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia. Dissertation:
"Thomas Erastus in Heidelberg: A Renaissance Physician in the Second Reformation,
1558-1580," H. C. Erik Midelfort, director. Major field, early modern Europe; outside field,
early medieval Europe.

M.A.T.S., May 1990. Church History, Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary, South Hamilton,
Mass. Thesis: "Heinrich Bullinger and the Anabaptists: The Development of his Thought
from 1525 to 1532."

B.A., May 1986. Major, History; Minor, Economics, The College of William and Mary,
Williamsburg, Virginia.

Publications

Books

Thomas Erastus and the Palatinate: A Renaissance Physician in the Second Reformation. Brill's Series
in Church History, no. 48. Leiden: Brill, 2011.

Williams, Gerhard Scholz and Charles D. Gunnoe Jr. eds., *Paracelsian Moments: Science,
Medicine, and Astrology in Early Modern Europe.* Sixteenth Century Essays & Studies, no. 64.
Kirksville, MO: Truman State University Press, 2002.

Bierma, Lyle D. with Charles D. Gunnoe Jr., Karin Y. Maag and Paul W. Fields, *An
Introduction to the Heidelberg Catechism: Sources, History, and Theology.* Studies and Texts in
Reformation and Post-Reformation Thought, ed. Richard A. Muller. Grand Rapids: Baker,
September, 2005.

Portuguese: *Introdução ao Catecismo de Heidelberg: Fontes, História e Teologia*, trans. Marcos
Vasconcelos. Cambuci. São Paulo: Editora Cultura Christã, 2010.

Korean: 하이델베르크 교리문답 입문, trans. Chi-ch'öl Sin. Seoul: Puhŭng kwa Kaehyōksa (부흥과 개혁사),
2012.

Japanese: ハイデルベルク信仰問答>入門: 資料・歴史・神学, trans. Takashi Yoshida. Tokyo:
Kyobunkan Press, 2013.

Articles:

- "The Origins of the Heidelberg Catechism in the Light of Contemporary Correspondence." In *Profil und Wirkung des Heidelberger Katechismus. The Heidelberg Catechism: Origins, Characteristics, and Influences. Schriften des Vereins für Reformationsgeschichte*, 215, ed. Christoph Strohm and Jan Stievermann, 136-162. Gütersloh: Gütersloher Verlagshaus, 2015.
- [Charles D. Gunnoe and Katharina Häusler-Gross] "Paracelsianism as Heresy: Thomas Erastus, Michael Toxites, and Elector August of Saxony." In *Festschrift für Joachim Telle zum 75. Geburtstag*. ed. Laura Balbiani and Katharina Pfister, 67-82. Heidelberg: Mattes-Verlag, 2014.
- "The Evolution of Erastianism: Hugo Grotius's Engagement with Thomas Erastus," *Grotiana* 34/1 (2013): 41-61.
- "Swiss Students and Faculty at the University of Heidelberg, 1518-1622." In *Church and School in Early Modern Protestantism: Studies in Honor of Richard A. Muller on the Maturation of a Theological Tradition*, ed. Jordan J. Ballor, David S. Sytsma, and Jason Zuidema, 255-269. Leiden: Brill, 2013.
- [Lyle D. Bierma and Charles D. Gunnoe] "Auteurschap van de Heidelbergse Catechismus." In *Handboek Heidelbergse Catechismus*, ed. Arnold Huijgen, J.V. Fesko, and Aleida Siller, 73-83. Utrecht: Kok, 2013
- "De Heidelbergse Catechismus in de theologische context van de Palts." In *Handboek Heidelbergse Catechismus*, ed. Arnold Huijgen, J.V. Fesko, and Aleida Siller, 61-72. Utrecht: Kok, 2013.
- "German Protestantism and Astrology: The Debate between Thomas Erastus and the Melancthon Circle." In *Religion und Naturwissenschaften im 16. und 17. Jahrhundert, Schriften des Vereins für Reformationsgeschichte*, no. 210, ed. Kaspar von Greyerz, Thomas Kaufmann, Kim Siebenhüner, and Roberto Zaugg, 84-99. Gütersloh: Gütersloher Verlagshaus, 2010.
- [Charles D. Gunnoe and Jole Shackelford] "Johannes Crato von Krafftheim: Imperial Physician, Irenicist and Anti-Paracelsian." In *Ideas and Cultural Margins in Early Modern Germany. Essays in Honor of H. C. Erik Midelfort*, ed. Marjorie Elizabeth Plummer, Robin Barnes, et al., 201-16. Aldershot, Hampshire: Ashgate Press, 2009.
- "The Debate between Johann Weyer and Thomas Erastus on the Punishment of Witches." In *Cultures of Communication from Reformation to Enlightenment: Constructing Publics in the Early Modern German Lands*, ed. James Van Horn Melton, 257-285. Aldershot, Hampshire: Ashgate Press, 2002.
- "Erastus and Paracelsianism: Theological Motifs in Thomas Erastus' Assault on Paracelsianism." In *Reading the Book of Nature: The Other Side of the Scientific Revolution, Sixteenth Century Essays and Studies*, vol. 41, ed. Allen G. Debus and Michael Walton, 45-65. Kirksville, Mo., 1998.
- "Thomas Erastus and his Circle of Anti-Paracelsians." In *Analecta Parcelsica: Studien zum Nachleben Theophrast von Hohenheims im deutschen Kulturgebiet der fruehen Neuzeit*. Ed. Joachim Telle, 127-148. Stuttgart: Franz Steiner Verlag, 1994.

Encyclopedia and Dictionary Articles:

- "Charles V," "Defenestration of Prague," "Interims," "Second Reformation," & "Zacharias Ursinus." In *New Westminster Dictionary of Church History*, ed. Carter Lindberg, et al. Louisville: Westminster/John Knox.
- [Deborah Fleetham and Charles Gunnoe] "Germany." In *New Westminster Dictionary of Church*

- History*, ed. Carter Lindberg, et al. Louisville: Westminster/John Knox.
- "Palatinate." In *Europe 1450-1789: Encyclopedia of the Early Modern World*, ed. Jonathan Dewald, vol. 4, pp. 373-375. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, 2004.
- "Johannes Crato von Krafftheim," & "Palatinate." In *The Oxford Encyclopedia of the Reformation*, ed. Hans J. Hillerbrand, New York: Oxford University Press, 1996.

Microforms:

Charles Gunnoe, editor; Richard Muller, advisor, *The Reformation in Heidelberg*, I & II. An Inter-Documentation Company (IDC) microform series devoted to humanism, science, and reform in sixteenth-century Heidelberg. <http://www.brill.com/publications/online-resources/reformation-heidelberg-online>

Electronic Publications:

Contributions to *Heidelberg in der Frühen Neuzeit 1508-1693*. <http://www.heidelberg-fruehe-neuzeit.uni-hd.de/themen/gelehrte/texte/erastus01.html>

Forthcoming Works (papers, articles & reviews)

- Paper: "Paracelsus, Plague and *de Pestilitate*." Pseudo-Paracelsus: Alchemy and Forgery in Early Modern Medicine and Natural Philosophy, July 2016, Villa Vigoni, Italy
- Paper: "Conrad Gessner and the Plague Epidemic of 1562-66." Internationaler Kongress Conrad Gessner (1516-1565), June 2016, Zurich, Switzerland
- Article: "The Religious Policy of Elector Palatine Frederick III (1559-1576): The History of the HC in the Context of the Palatinate" and "Authorship of The Heidelberg Catechism: The Role of Erastus." In *Handbook Heidelberg Catechism*, ed. John Fesko, Arnold Huijgen, & Aleida Siller.
- Article: "Michael Toxites (1514-1581): Poet and Paracelsian."
- Review: William E. Burns, *The Scientific Revolution in Global Perspective* (Oxford: OUP, 2015) & H. Floris Cohen, *The Rise of Modern Science Explained: A Comparative History* (Cambridge: CUP, 2015), *Renaissance Quarterly*.

Recent Papers & Scholarly Presentations

- "Who's Who among Sixteenth-Century German Physicians: Melchior Adam's *Vitae Germanorum Medicorum* (1620)," Sixteenth Century Studies Conference, Vancouver, BC, October 2016.
- "The Plague Epidemic of 1563-65 in Southwestern Germany & Switzerland," Sixteenth Century Studies Conference, New Orleans, October 2015.
- "Toxites as Paracelsian Advocate," History of Science Society Conference, Chicago, November 2015.

Fellowships, Grants and Honors (selected)

- NEH Summer Institute, John Calvin and the Transformation of Religious Culture in Geneva, France, and Beyond, June 28-July 30, 2004, Calvin College, Grand Rapids, MI.
- Center for Russian and Eastern European Studies (CREES), University of Michigan. Post-Secondary Curriculum Development Program in Russian and East European Studies (June, 2001).
- Lilly Fellows Program Summer Institute, "Christianity and Science: Historical and Contemporary Interactions . . ." Messiah College, Grantham, Pennsylvania (June 22 - July 1, 1998).
- DAAD Fellowship (German Academic Exchange Service), Ruprecht-Karls-Universität Heidelberg, Winter and Summer Semesters, 1992-1993.
- Summer Paleography Institute, Center for Reformation Research. St. Louis, Missouri (June 15-27, 1992).

Governor's Fellowship, University of Virginia, 1992.

German Historical Institute Summer Course in Paleography and Tour of Archives. Funded by the Volkswagen Foundation and based at the Herzog-August-Bibliothek, Wolfenbüttel, Germany (June 2-July 3, 1991).

Phi Alpha Chi, Honor Society, Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary, 1990.

Phi Alpha Theta, History Honor Society, College of William and Mary, 1986.

Honors Program, College of William and Mary, 1983-84.

Research Interests

Science and Religion in Early Modern Europe

Reformed Protestantism in Central Europe

Early Modern Central Europe

Early Modern Witchcraft

Professional Associations

Society for Reformation Research

History of Science Society

International Society for Paracelsus Studies

Sixteenth Century Studies Conference