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EDUCATION

Ph.D., History, August 2006, University of Chicago.

Master of Arts, History, May 1999, University of Chicago.

B.A., Interdisciplinary Studies, May 1997, Appalachian State University.

TEACHING

University of South Carolina Beaufort

Professor of History, Fall 2016–Present

Associate Professor of History, Fall 2011–Summer 2016

Assistant Professor of History, Fall 2006–Summer 2011

Recent Professional Development

Completed Gardner Institute Course, “High-Impact Online Teaching and Learning Practices for History Faculty,” July 2021.

Courses taught by me

HIST 395: History of Human Rights (routinely, last taught Fall 2020)

HIST 492: History of Money and Trade (Spring 2014, Spring 2021)

HIST 423: History of Mexico (routinely, currently Spring 2022)

HIST 420: The Founding of New Societies (routinely, last taught Fall 2021)

HIST 421: Modern Latin American (routinely, last taught Fall 2019)

HIST 469: American Legal History (routinely, last taught Spring 2020)

HIST 300: Historians Craft (five times)

HIST 399: Independent Study (fifteen times)

SCHOLARSHIP

Publications

Timothy M. James. “Illegal Military Recruitment and Constitutional Law: The Judicial Protection of Forced Recruits in Late Nineteenth-Century Mexico,” *The Americas: A Quarterly Review of Latin American History* 76:3 (July 2019): 415-442.

Timothy M. James. “La administración de justicia y la Constitución de 1917,” in *La tradición constitucional en México (1808-1940)*, vol. 2, 419-449. Catherine Andrews, ed. Mexico City: Editorial CIDE, 2017.

Timothy M. James. "El juicio de amparo en negocios judiciales y la labor jurisprudencial de Ignacio L. Vallarta, 1877-1882." *Historia constitucional* 14 (2013): 489-501.

Timothy M. James. *Mexico's Supreme Court Between Liberal Individual Rights and Revolutionary Social Rights, 1861-1934*. Albuquerque: University of New Mexico Press, 2013.

Timothy M. James. "Derecho constitucional y el juicio de amparo durante el porfiriato." In *De Cádiz al siglo XXI. Doscientos años de constitucionalismo en México e Hispanoamérica (1812-2012)*, et al., Adriana Luna, 253-290. México: Taurus, 2012.

Timothy M. James. "Independencia y autonomía del Poder Judicial: un espejismo en la primera mitad del siglo XIX." In *Los grandes momentos del Poder Judicial de la Federación*. Mexico City: Suprema Corte de Justicia de la Nación, 2010.

Timothy M. James. *Revolución social e interpretación constitucional: la Suprema Corte y las reformas sociales revolucionarias, 1916-1934*. Mexico City, Suprema Corte de Justicia de la Nación, 2010.

Timothy M. James. "Liberal Jurisprudence, Labor Tribunals and Mexico's Supreme Court, 1917-1924." *Law and History Review* 27:1 (Spring 2009): 87-112.

Conference Presentations

Timothy M. James. "The Army and its Tribunals: Reforming Military Justice in Nineteenth-Century Mexico." American Society for Legal History 2021 Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.

Timothy M. James. "Lay Magistrates and the Administration of Justice in Mexico City, 1840s-50s." American Historical Association 2019 Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.

Timothy M. James. "Forced Military Recruitment and Legal Strategies of Resistance at the Turn of the Twentieth Century." American Historical Association 2018 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.

Timothy M. James. "Constitutional Change and the Administration of Justice in Post-revolutionary Mexico." American Historical Association 2016 Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA.

Timothy M. James. "La administración de justicia y la Constitución de 1917." International Conference. La tradición constitucional de México y la Constitución de 1917, June 19, 2015, Mexico, Mexico City.

Timothy M. James. "Federalismo judicial y el amparo directo durante el Porfiriato y la Revolución." International Conference. XIV Reunión Internacional de Historiadores de México, Sept. 18-21, 2014, Chicago, IL.

Timothy M. James. "Who Wrote the *Complete Treatise*? Plagiarism, Codification and Treatise Writing in Late Nineteenth Century Mexico." American Historical Association 2014 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.

Timothy M. James. "Mexican Impressment and Press Freedoms: On the Violation of Constitutionally Protected Civil Rights in Porfirian Mexico, 1877-1911," American Society for Legal History 2013 Annual Conference, Miami, FL.

Timothy M. James. "The Centralization of Justice or the Corruption of the Porfirian Judiciary. Federalism and Constitutional Rights in Late Nineteenth Century Mexico." American Historical Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, Jan. 7, 2012.

Timothy M. James. "Social Rights as Higher Law Discourse and Constitutional Law (Before, During and After the Mexican Revolution, 1830s-1930s)." International Conference, Human Rights/Social Rights, Zentrum für Zeithistorische Forschung, Potsdam, Germany, December 2010

SERVICE AND AWARDS

Recent Professional Service

Co-Chair, Promotion and Tenure Committee, University of South Carolina Beaufort, 2022.
Member, Library Committee, University of South Carolina Beaufort, 2022-2019.
Chair, Honors Steering Committee, University of South Carolina Beaufort, 2022-2018.
Chair, Sea Islands Institute Steering Committee, 2019-2018.
Chair, Promotion and Tenure Committee, University of South Carolina Beaufort, 2019-2018.

Awards, Honors and Grants

U.S. Department of Education Fulbright Scholar, Fulbright-Hays Summer Seminar to Mexico, "Mexico's Third Root: Exploring African Heritage in Mexico," 2021.
University of South Carolina, Carolina Trustee Professorship Award, 2020.
Students Connected, University of South Carolina Beaufort Faculty Fellow, 2019.
University of South Carolina RISE Grant "Reforming Military Justice: The Fuero Militar from Independence to the Three Years War," \$6,000, awarded February 2018.
SACSCOC Summer Institute Invited Presenter, "From Plan to Impact Report," July 18, 2017. Austin, TX.
University of South Carolina RISE Grant "Forced Military Recruitment in Gilded-Age Mexico," \$5,998.08, awarded February 2016.
University of South Carolina RISE Grant "NAFTA Turns Twenty: A Brief History and Assessment of its Impact on Mexico," with Davis Folsom, \$4,649, awarded April 2013.
University of South Carolina Beaufort, Faculty Development Competitive Travel Grant University of South Carolina Beaufort, \$1000, awarded February 2010.
University of South Carolina Beaufort, Research Competitive Course Release, Department of Humanities, University of South Carolina Beaufort, 2009.
Bessie L. Pierce Preceptorship, Department of History, University of Chicago, 2006-2004.
Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, Latin American History Fellowship, 2004-2002

Professional Memberships in Learned Societies

American Historical Association
American Society of Legal History
Conference on Latin American History