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EDUCATION

2004	University of Maryland, College Park	Ph.D., History
1995	North Carolina State University	M.A., History
1991-92	North Carolina State University	Cont. Studies, Foreign Languages and Literatures
1990	North Carolina State University	B.S., History / Minor in Applied Mathematics

TEACHING AND RESEARCH INTERESTS: Greek & Roman history and society; classical languages & literature; epigraphy; Islamic civilization; ancient religion; comparative world history; archaeology; identity theory

DISSERTATION: *Identity, Community, and State Formation at Roman Palmyra*; chaired by Professor Kenneth G. Holum, a historical study of cultural interaction and identity change as manifested in one indigenous, Syrian-Arab community in the Greek and Roman Near East.

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

2006-07	CAORC Senior Post-Doctoral Fellowship (\$12,500)	American Center of Oriental Research, Amman
2005-06	CAORC Senior Post-Doctoral Fellowship (\$12,500)	American Center of Oriental Research, Amman
2005	ECA Junior Research Fellowship (\$8,000)	Albright Inst. of Archaeological Research, Jerusalem
2004	Dorot Travel Grant (\$326)	Archaeological Institute of America
2004	Jacob K. Goldhaber Travel Grant (\$323)	University of Maryland, College Park
2003-04	M. Savage Snouffer Diss. Fellowship (\$14,851)	University of Maryland, College Park
2003-04	Honorary Research Fellow (\$12,500, declined)	Center for Historical Studies, University of Maryland
2003	Dorot Travel Grant (\$738)	American Schools of Oriental Research
2003	Hearst Dissertation Research Grant (\$3,000)	University of Maryland, College Park
2003	AIA Travel Fellowship (\$920)	Archaeological Inst. of America, Washington Society
2002	Explorers Club Field Research Grant (\$1,500)	Explorers Club, Washington DC Group
2001	Hearst Dissertation Research Grant (\$3,000)	University of Maryland, College Park
2000	Dorot Travel Grant (\$740)	American Schools of Oriental Research
1999	USIA Fellowship (\$14,000)	American Center of Oriental Research, Amman
1999	Dorot Travel Grant (\$700)	Archaeological Institute of America
1997	Kyle-Kelso Research Grant (\$3,000)	American Schools of Oriental Research
1995	USIA Fellowship (\$6,000)	American Center of Oriental Research, Amman
1994	EBR Research Grant (\$1500)	American Schools of Oriental Research
1993	USIA Fellowship (\$5,419)	American Center of Oriental Research, Amman
1990	Turrentine Mathematics Scholarship	North Carolina State University, Raleigh

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Teaching

2006-07	Assistant Professor , Department of History, Dowling College, Oakdale, NY <ul style="list-style-type: none">History 1001 – Western History I Fall 2006; Spring 2007History 2011 – Ancient World Fall 2007History 2012 – Medieval History Spring 2007History 4187 – Ethnicity in the Ancient World Spring 2007
2005	Adjunct Assistant Professor , Program in Classical Studies, Rollins College, Winter Park, FL <ul style="list-style-type: none">Latin 101 – Introduction to Latin, Fall term

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE, cont.**Teaching, cont.**

- 2000-03 **Teaching Assistant**, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
- History 110 – The Ancient World (Fall 2001; Spring 2001, 2002, 2003)
 - History 120 – Islamic Civilization (Fall 2000, 2002)

Management and Administration

- 1997-pres. **Project Director**, Bir Madhkur Project, Jordan
- Developed and initiated historical and archaeological research project
 - Researched funding opportunities and wrote successful grants for fieldwork
 - Recruited support staff and trained volunteers
- 2005 **Field Project Administrator**, Humeima Excavation Project, Jordan
- Hired and managed a bedouin labor force of 30+ people
 - Hired and managed support staff (e.g. cook and assistant)
 - Administered budget and managed all supply and maintenance issues
 - Supplied and managed living quarters for 25+ staff and volunteers
 - Provided general administrative support to project director
- 2004 **Field Project Administrator**, Humeima Excavation Project, Jordan
- See above
- 2000 **Field Project Administrator**, Humeima Excavation Project, Jordan
- See above
- 1999 **Field Project Manager**, Combined Caesarea Expeditions, Israel
- Provided general administrative support to project director; administered budget
 - Assisted with training volunteer staff on the methods of archaeology and historical investigation
 - Organized field trips for 50+ volunteers
- 1997-2000 **Research Assistant**, University of Maryland, College Park, MD &
Project Administrator, Combined Caesarea Expeditions, College Park, MD
- Managed recruitment of volunteer support staff for summer archaeological fieldwork
 - Administered financial contributions to project
 - Designed database to manage volunteer personal information and financial contributions
 - Developed and maintained project web site (www.digcaesarea.org)
 - Designed and helped develop an online curriculum, funded by the NEH, that promoted the archaeology of Caesarea in K-12 education, based on the work of the Combined Caesarea Expeditions under the direction of Prof. Kenneth G. Holum - (www.digcaesarea.org/neh/default.htm)
- 1994-98 **Director of Survey**, Roman Aqaba Project Jordan
- Co-designed and implemented archaeological field survey
 - Managed survey staff of 3 people each summer
 - Collaborated with excavation project director and support staff
- 1993-96 **Research Assistant**, North Carolina State University Raleigh, NC
- Assisted with editing the *Limes Arabicus Project* monograph for publication
 - Conducted bibliographic research
 - Other duties included word processing, database design, and general administrative tasks

Consulting

- 1996 Consulted by World Bank sub-contractors regarding the cultural impact of the Red-Dead canal on the Wadi Araba, and subsequently produced a proposal for a cultural impact survey of Wadi Araba, Jordan, for submission to the World Bank and private developers
- 1995 Consulted by Lockheed Martin Corp. in 1995 during its Aqaba-Eilat airport feasibility study (subsequently secured funding from company and directed a cultural impact assessment as part of the same study)

Archaeological Fieldwork (non-managerial)

- 2004-05 Trench Supervisor Humeima Excavation Project, Jordan
- 2000 Trench Supervisor Humeima Excavation Project, Jordan

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE, cont.**Archaeological Fieldwork (non-managerial), cont.**

1999	Survey Leader	Eastern Korinthia Archaeological Survey, Greece
1995	Trench Supervisor	Humeima Excavation Project, Jordan
1993	Director	Southeast Araba Archaeological Reconnaissance, Jordan
1993	Surveyor	Wadi al-Hasa North Bank Survey, Jordan
1991	Architectural Assistant	Carnuntum Archaeological Excavations, Austria
1990	Surveyor	Vrokastro Survey Project, Greece
1989	Trench Supervisor	Limes Arabicus Project, Jordan

PUBLICATIONS

Forthcoming	Smith, Andrew M., II. <i>Roman Aqaba Project, Volume I. The Southeast Araba Archaeological Survey: 1994 - 1998</i> . Edited by S. Thomas Parker.
2007	Smith, Andrew M., II. "Beyond the Nabataean and Roman City: Surveying the Central and Southern Wadi Araba." In <i>Crossing Jordan: North American Contributions to the Archaeology of Jordan</i> , Thomas E. Levy, P. M. Michèle Daviau, Randall W. Younker and May Shaer, eds., 393-400. London: Equinox Publishing.
2005	Smith, Andrew M., II. "Pathways, Roadways, and Highways: Networks of Communication and Exchange in Wadi Araba." <i>Near Eastern Archaeologist</i> 68.4: 180-189.
2005	Smith, Andrew M., II. "Bir Madhkur Project: A Preliminary Report on Recent Fieldwork." <i>Bulletin of the American Schools of Oriental Research</i> 340: 57-75
1999	Niemi, T. and Smith, Andrew M., II. "Initial Results of the Southeastern Wadi Araba, Jordan Geoarchaeological Study: Implications for Shifts in Late Quaternary Aridity." <i>Geoarchaeology</i> 14.8: 791-820.
1999	Perry, M., and Smith, Andrew M., II. "Bir Madhkur Excavation and Survey." <i>American Journal of Archaeology</i> 102.3: 592-95.
1998	Smith, Andrew M., II. "Bir Madhkur Excavation and Survey." <i>The Glyph</i> 1.12: 10-11.
1997	Smith, Andrew M., II, et al. "The Southeast Araba Archaeological Survey: A Preliminary Report of the 1994 Season." <i>Bulletin of the American Schools of Oriental Research</i> 305: 45-71.
1994	Smith, Andrew M., II, and Niemi, T. "Results of the Southeast Araba Archaeological Reconnaissance." <i>Annual of the Department of Antiquities of Jordan</i> 38: 469-83.
1994	Smith, Andrew M., II. "Southeast Wadi Araba Survey." <i>American Journal of Archaeology</i> 98: 524
1994	Smith, Andrew M., II. "Southeast Araba Archaeological Survey." <i>ACOR Newsletter</i> 6.2: 9-10.

CONFERENCE PAPERS AND INVITED LECTURES

2007	Crossing Jordan: 10 th International Conference on the History and Archaeology of Jordan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Crossing Southern Jordan: New Light on the Arabian Spice Route"
2005	Albright Institute of Archaeological Research, Jerusalem, Israel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Nabataean and Palmyrene Identity, Community, and the Processes of State Formation in the Roman Near East"
2004	Archaeological Institute of America Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Networks of Trade and Transport in Wadi Araba, Jordan"
2003	Symposium at the American Schools of Oriental Research Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Communication, Trade, and Transport in the South and Central Wadi Araba"
2001	University of Maryland, College Park, MD <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Gods and Goddesses of Mesopotamia"
2000	American Schools of Oriental Research Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "A Summary of Results from the Southeast Araba Archaeological Survey"
1999	Archaeological Institute of America Annual Meeting, Dallas, TX <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "The <i>Territorium</i> of Roman Aila"
1998	University of Maryland, College Park, MD <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Bioarchaeology in Southern Jordan: Evidence from the Bir Madhkur Project"

CONFERENCE PAPERS AND INVITED LECTURES, cont.

- 1995 North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC
- “Methodologies in Survey Archaeology”
- 1995 American Schools of Oriental Research Annual Meeting - Philadelphia, PA
- “Results of the 1994 season of the Southeast Araba Archaeological Survey”

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Fall 06-pres. Chairman, Data Collection Committee, School of Arts and Sciences, Dowling College
- 2006-pres. Co-chairman, Near Eastern Archaeology Interest Group for the Archaeological Institute of America
- 2006-07 Vice-President, Archaeological Institute of America, Central Florida Society
- 2004-pres. Member of the Near Eastern Archaeology Interest Group for the Archaeological Institute of America

LANGUAGES

German (r, s), French (r), Italian (r), Latin (r), Ancient Greek (r), Arabic (s-partial), Aramaic (r)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Historical Association	American Schools of Oriental Research
Association of Ancient Historians	Archaeological Institute of America

REFERENCES

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