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EDUACTION	PhD, History, University of California, Davis. Degree expected May, 2016. Specialty: Asian History. Minor: World History.	2016
	M.A. (magna cum laude), East Asian Studies, Hebrew University, Jerusalem.	2007
	B.A. (magna cum laude), East Asian Studies and The School of History for Outstanding Students, Hebrew University, Jerusalem.	2003
DISSERTATION	"Inked: Song Soldiers, Military Tattoos, and the Remaking of the Chinese Lower Class, 960-1279." Dissertation advisor: Beverly Bossler, Department of History, UC Davis.	
FELLOWSHIPS	Chiang Ching-kuo Dissertation Year Fellowship.	2014- 2015
	IGA Travel Grant, UC Davis.	2014
	East Asian Studies Program Research Award	2014
	Departmental Award	2014
	Reed-Smith Research Grant, UC Davis.	2013
	Center of Chinese Studies Fellowship for research in Taiwan.	2012
	Roland-Marchand Research Grant, UC Davis.	2012, 2011, 2010, 2009
CONFERENCES	Organized the panel "Cowards, Criminals, and Scapegoats: The Forgotten History of Desertion in East Asia" and will present the paper "Rational Traitors, Honorable Cowards: Desertion in the Song Dynasty" in the Association of Asian Studies conference to be held in Seattle in March, 2016	2016
	Organized the panel "Conscription, Volunteering, and the Building of a Chinese Nation" and presented the paper "A Motley Crew: From Conscription to Press Gangs in the Armies of the Song Dynasty" in the Association of Asian Studies conference in Chicago in March, 2015	2015
	Organized the panel "Placing the Military within Social History" and presented the paper "Not Just Patriots: Patriotic Tattoos and Tattooed Generals during the Song" in the Association of Asian Studies conference in Philadelphia in March, 2014; presented the paper "Soldier Rebellions and Resistance in Song China" in the Middle Period China conference in Harvard in June,	2014

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	2014.	
	Guest speaker in the National Library in Taiwan: "A	2012
	Preliminary Investigation into Song Dynasty Military	2012
	Tattoos."	
	Discussant in the International Young Scholars'	2010
	Conference "Everyday Life in the Middle Period" held	
	in Peking University, China, in August, 2010.	
	Presented a paper in the California Chinese History	2010
	Graduate Students Conference, "Reassessing Song	2010
	Factions: Fan Zhongyan and the Qingli Reformers."	
	Presented a paper in the California Chinese History	2009
	Graduate Students Conference, "Wang Anshi and the	2007
	Zhuangzi."	
TEACHING	Lecturer, "History of East Asian Civilization: China"	
EXPERIENCE	(Summer 2013)	
	Co-Lecturer, "History of East Asian Civilization:	
	Japan" (Winter 2012)	
	Guest lecturer "History of East Asian Civilization:	
	China," Late Qing Reforms lecture, (Spring 2015)	
	Guest lecturer on "The Song Army and the Creation of	
	a New Lower Class" for the course "High Imperial	
	China" (Spring 2015)	
	Guest lecturer for "History of East Asian Civilization:	
	China," Zhou dynasty lecture (Winter 2011)	
	Guest lecturer "History of East Asian Civilization:	
	China," Song dynasty lecture, (Spring 2010, Spring	
	2013, Fall 2014)	
	Teaching Assistant for "History of East Asian	
	Civilization: China" (Fall 2009, Winter 2010, Spring	
	2010, Winter 2011, Spring 2011, Fall 2011, Spring	
	2013, Fall 2015)	
	Teaching Assistant for "History of East Asian	
	Civilization: Japan" (Fall 2010, Winter 2013, Winter	
	2016).	
	Reader for "Ancient History: Rome" (Spring 2012)	
	Reader for "History of the People's Republic of China"	
	(Spring 2009)	
	Reader for "Themes in World History: Comparative	
	Genocide" (Winter 2009)	
	Reader for "Classical China" (Fall 2008)	
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PUBLICATIONS	"Soldier Mutinies and Resistance in the Northern Song." (Patricia Buckley Ebrey and Paul Jakov Smith, eds., <i>State Power in China</i> , 900-1325. University of Washington Press, forthcoming July 2016.)	
	"Tattooed Generals and Loyalist Tattoos in Song China" (passed internal and external review at Frontiers of History in China)	
OTHER PROFESSIONAL	Research and script development for the Israeli TV show Hasamba	2008- 2010
EXPERIENCE	Interpreter for the private and public sectors, Chinese-Hebrew	2006
	Translator of movies and television programs from English to Hebrew for "Elrom Studios."	1999- 2006
SERVICE	Guest Speaker at the "Locating, Accessing, and Interacting with Primary Sources" series of the Phi Alpha Theta History Honors Society (Winter 2015).	
	Guest Lecturer, "The Mongol Conquest," Da Vinci Junior High School, Davis (Fall 2011)	
LANGUAGES	Hebrew – fluent; English – fluent; Chinese – fluent; Classical Chinese – reading level; Japanese – advanced; Spanish – advanced; German – Basic.	
AFFILIATIONS	Association of Asian Studies	
	Society for Military History	
	American Historical Association T'ang Studies Society	
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