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August, 2004-present Maroulis Professor of Byzantine History and Orthodox Religion (Associate Professor) University of South Florida-

2010	<i>Tilling the Hateful Earth: Agriculture in the Early Byzantine East.</i> (Oxford University Press, Byzantine Monographs).
2001	Co-edited with S. Kingsley. Economy and Exchange in the East Mediterranean during Late Antiquity (Oxbow Books).
2013-under contract	O. Nicholson (ed.). <i>The Oxford Dictionary of Late Antiquity</i> . Entries:
2012-in press	R. Bagnall, et. al. (eds.) <i>Wiley-</i> <i>Ancient History</i> (2009-2011). Entries: †Theophilos of Edessaø; †Umayyadsø, †Lakhmidsø, †Mu†awiyaø, †Yarmuk, Battle ofø, †Harun al-Rashidø, †Agriculture, Byzantiumø, †Markets, Byzantiumø, †Trade, Byzantiumø, †Transport, Byzantiumø, †Mines, Mining, Byzantiumø, †Factories, Imperialø.

2007	"Towers, Refuges, and Fortified Farms in the Late Roman East"
	<i>Liber Annuus</i> LVI (2006) 499-520.

2011-present	University of South Florida, Department of History Executive Council
2012	Academic Reader, Bloomsbury Press Academic referee, academic monographs
2011-present	Cambridge University Press Academic referee, academic monographs
2011	Palestine Exploration Quarterly Journal Academic referee, academic articles
2011	Ancient West and East Journal Academic referee, academic articles
2010-present	<i>The Historian</i> Journal Academic referee, academic articles
2008-present	Rockefeller Foundation, Bellagio Center Academic reviewer
2008-2010	University of South Florida Center for 21 <sup>st</sup> Century Teaching Excellence Internal Grant Program Committee
2007-2010	Faculty Adviser, Phi Alpha Theta History Honor Society
2010	University of South Florida, Department of History Graduate Committee
2009	University of South Florida Internal Disciplinary Investigation
2009	University of South Florida Center for 21 <sup>st</sup> Century Teaching Excellence Internal Grant Program Committee
2009	University of South Florida, Department of History Graduate Committee

2009	University of South Florida, University Representative, Center for Research Libraries
2009	University of South Florida, University Information-Technology Committee
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2005	University of South Florida, Department of History Hiring Committee
2004	University of South Florida, Library Committee
2004	University of South Florida, Dept. of History Hiring Committee
2008	Center for the Defense of Democracies Fellow
2007	Hamad ibn Khalifa Islamic Art Fellow, Doha, Qatar
2007	CIES Fulbright Middle East and North Africa Regional Research Program Fulbright Scholarship awarded for historical and archaeological research in Tunisia, Egypt, Jordan, and Syria
2007	USF New Researcher Grant
2006	C21T Innovative Teaching Grant
2005	USF Publications Council Grant Awarded \$3,000 for support of GIS map production for monograph
2003	Computer and Information Technology Institute (CITI), Rice University Awarded \$30K Enriching Rice through Education Technology (ERIT grant) for development of Near East Explorations: Integrating a Digital Archive of Unique Travel Narratives into Teaching and Research. This project aims to create a digital library of 17th - 19th century travel accounts to the Middle East to encourage and support interdisciplinary teaching and research.

2002	Andrew Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowship, Rice University
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