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George C. Marshall Lecturer, Society for Military History, 2012

Keynote Speaker, Society for Christian Ethics, 2012

William Jovanovich Lecture in Public Affairs, Colorado College, 2011

Keynote Speaker, New England Center for Homeless Veterans Annual Dinner, 2011

F. Washington Jarvis Lecturer, Roxbury Latin School, 2011

Fellow, Massachusetts Historical Society, 2011-

Finalist, Julia Ward Howe Prize, Boston Authors Club, 2011

Keynote Speaker, Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, 2011

Alexander F. Carson Lecturer, College of the Holy Cross, 2011

S. T. Lee Lecturer, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, 2011

Distinguished Scholar, University of Wisconsin at Whitewater, 2011

Stallworth Lectureship, Huntingdon College, 2011

Keynote Speaker, Goldziher Prize Award Dinner, Brandeis University, 2010

John J. McCloy '16 Visiting Professor of American Institutions, Amherst College, 2010

Lore Kephart '86 Memorial Lecturer, Villanova University, 2010

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Richard W. Leopold Lecturer, Northwestern University, 2009

Richard H. Zeitlin Distinguished Lecturer, Wisconsin Veterans Museum, 2009

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Drew Brahos Lecturer, Butler University, 2009

Brooks Family Lecturer, Dartmouth College, 2009

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Paul McNutt Lecturer, Indiana University, 2008

Harry Girvetz Memorial Lecturer, University of California at Santa Barbara, 2008

William Vest Memorial Lecturer, Lower Columbia College, 2008

Pi Sigma Alpha Lecturer, Catholic University of America, 2008

University Lecturer, Boston University, 2007

Grayson Kirk Lecturer, Miami (Ohio) University, 2007

Catholic Press Association, Third Place, Best Essay, General Interest Magazine, 2007

Young Memorial Lecturer, Royal Military College of Canada, 2006

Lucile Speer Lecturer, University of Montana, 2006

Walker Lecturer, University of Tulsa, 2006

Pershing Military History Lecturer, Boston University, 2006

Honorary Member, Phi Beta Kappa Society, 2006

Catholic Press Association, Honorable Mention, Best Feature Article, 2006

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