

# Brian Davies

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## ADDRESS

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## EDUCATION

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Year	Degree	Major	Institution
1983	Doctor of Philosophy	History	University of Chicago
1977	Master of Arts	History	University of Chicago

## ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE - ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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## TEACHING AREA OF INTEREST

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- Russian and Eurasian History
- Early Modern European History
- Military History
- History of Islam and the Middle East
- Subaltern Studies and World-System Theory

## PEDAGOGY

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Year	Description
2009 - Present	PhD Dissertation Committee, English Dept: "Early Modern British Travel Writing on Russia, Persia, and the Ottoman Empire" (Neli Gogovska) (Proposal and qualifying exams completed; students is now at work on dissertation)
2009	Courses taught in 2009: HIS 2543 Introduction to Islamic Civilization; HIS 2123/IDS 2203 World Civilizations to the Fifteenth Century; HIS 4913 independent study; HIS 6953 Independent Study; HIS 3953 Cultures and Empires of the Silk Road; HIS 6813 Proseminar: States, Empires and Hegemonies

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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- Russo-Ottoman and Russo-Crimean Relations, 17th-18th centuries
- State-society relations and military development in Early Modern Eastern Europe

## BOOKS AND MONOGRAPHS

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- *Warfare, State and Society on the Black Sea Steppe, 1500-1774* (London and New York: Routledge, 2007) xv + 256 pp.
- *State Power and Community in Early Modern Russia: The Case of Kozlov, 1635-1649* (Houndmills, Basingstoke and New York: Palgrave MacMillan, 2004) x + 308 pp.

## BOOK CHAPTERS OR SEGMENTS OF A BOOK

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- "The Polotsk Campaigns of Ivan IV and Stefan Bathory: The Development of Military Art During the Livonian War," *Baltiiskii vopros XV-XVI vv.*, ed. Aleksandr Filiushkin et al. (St. Petersburg: forthcoming)
- "Vasilii Zotov: A Military Colonist on the Southern Frontier," *Portraits of Old Russia*, ed. Donald Ostrowski (ME Sharpe, forthcoming)

## JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

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- "The Road to Pereiaslav: Ukrainian and Muscovite Understandings of Protectorate, 1620-1654," *Cahiers du monde Russe* (forthcoming)
- "Central and Local Government Reforms under Peter the Great," *Kritika* (review essay-- forthcoming)

## PRESENTATIONS

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- "Guliai-gorod, Wagenburg, and Tabor Tactics in 16th-17th century Muscovy and Eastern Europe," Conference: Bog voiny i staritsa polei: Iskusstvo teatra voennogo deistviia, Orel, 2009.\*
- "The Prisoner's Tale: Russian Captivity Narratives and Perceptions of the Ottoman-Tatar Dar-al-Islam," Conference: Slavery, Ransom, and Liberation in Russia and the Steppe Area, 1500-2000, Aberdeen, 2009.

\*unable to attend in person because of travel costs, but paper was read for me.

## CONTRACTS, GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS RECEIVED

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Year	Funding Source	PI/Co-PI	Grant Title
1991 - Present			UTSA Faculty Development leave 2009

## SERVICE: GOVERNANCE/COMMITTEES

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Year	Role	Institution	Name of Committee
1991 - Present		History Department	History PPE Committee 2009 History Merit Advisory Committee 2009 History Graduate Committee, 2009 History Hiring Priority Committee, 2009

1991 - Present

CoLFA Academic Policy Committee, 2009-2010

1991 - Present

UTSA

Graduate Council, 1992 to date

**SERVICE: PROFESSIONAL, EDITORIAL, COMMUNITY**


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<b>Year</b>	<b>Role</b>	<b>Society/Association</b>	<b>Description</b>
1991 - Present			Lecture, "The Culture of Medieval Islamic Spain," Bihl Haus Gallery, 2009

**ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES/ASSOCIATIONS**


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<b>Year</b>	<b>Role</b>	<b>Society/Association</b>	<b>Description</b>
1991 - Present			American Historical Association American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies Early Slavic Studies Association

**FACULTY DEVELOPMENT**


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<b>Year</b>	<b>Degree</b>	<b>Institution</b>	<b>Description</b>
1991 - Present			UTSA Faculty Development Leave, 2009

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**


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<b>Year</b>	<b>Title/Position</b>	<b>Institution/Organization</b>	<b>Comments</b>
1986 - Present			Outside review of article manuscripts for <i>Kritika</i> and <i>Journal of Slavic Military Studies</i>