

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### GRADUATE EDUCATION

University of Illinois, U-C.

PhD (1997). German literature, Scandinavian literature. Dissertation title: "The Response of German-language Authors to Selma Lagerlöf." Co-directors: Professors Rochelle Wright and Ruth Lorbe.

M.A. (1989-91) German language, literature and linguistics.

Stockholm University

(1994-5) Graduate Study in Swedish language and literature in Stockholm, Sweden for one academic year while on a Fulbright.

Swedish Institute Summer Language Course

(1992) Intensive upper-level language study on the island of Tjörn, Sweden.

Universität Wien

(1991-92) Graduate study in German language & literature in Vienna, Austria for one academic year.

### UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION

Grinnell College

B.A. (1984-88) Major: German literature. English literature.

Ludwig Maximilian Universität

(1986-7) Undergrad. study in Munich, Germany for one academic year.





Associate Professor German and Scandinavian. Foreign Languages and Literature. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (2006-2014).

Coordinator German Program. Foreign Languages and Literature. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (2004-2011).

Select duties: coordinated German program review; created assessment plan for German major/ minor; restructured German major; developed Business German minor with Lubar School of Business; coordinated scheduling of classes with chair; hired lecturers and teaching assistants.

Instructor Odyssey Project, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Outreach. Taught literature (in the English language) to students below the poverty line in an attempt to encourage these students to begin college (2002-2005).

Assistant Professor German and Scandinavian. Foreign Languages and Literature. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (2000-2006).

Coordinator Scandinavian Studies Program. Foreign Languages and Literature. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (1998-2014).

Select duties: wrote program curriculum; created assessment plan for Scandinavian Studies; coordinated scheduling of classes with chair.

Visiting Asst Prof German and Scandinavian. Foreign Languages and Literature. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (1997-2000).

ESL Instructor University of Illinois, U-C. Designed and taught English as a Second Language courses for students from Germany (1995).

Assistant Director Austria/Illinois Exchange Program, Vienna Austria. Responsible for administrat .67 Tm0 G[hi]7(re)d2m0.00000912 0 6002.1 37( )JTJEn[W]7(i)7(s)-6(

## PUBLICATIONS

### Books

*On the Shorter End of the Sonnenallee*. Translation of *Am kürzeren Ende der Sonnenallee*

(May 1997). 439-460.

### Reviews

Book review of David F. Kuhn's book, *German Expressionist Theatre. The actor and the stage. Schriftenreihe der Ernst-Toller-Gesellschaft* (1998). 30-32.

Book review of Ruth Dinesen's book, *Nelly Sachs Briefregister. German Quarterly* 68 (3). 94.

### SELECT PRESENTATIONS

"Lagerlöf in Nazi Germany." Selma Lagerlöf and Germany Conference. Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany. October 2016. (invited)

"Lagerlöf as Inspiration." Selma Lagerlöf and Germany Conference. Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany. October 2016. (invited)

"Northern Influences: A mericans Look at Great Nordic Writers. Selma Lagerlöf's *The Saga of Gösta Berling*." Panelist. February 27, 2012. Scandinavia House, NY C. (invited)

"Lagerlöf in Nazi Germany—A Different Kind of German." "Selma Lagerlöf: 2011: Text, Translation and Film." University College London. 20-22 June 2011. (invited)

"German Milwaukee." Presentation of undergraduate research book. Boswell Books. 2010. (invited)

"Migration, Sprache und Literatur." Migration Conference. Justus Liebig University, Giessen, Germany. 2008. (invited)

"150 Years of Selma Lagerlöf." University of Oxford. Great Britain. 2008. (invited)

"Selma Lagerlöf: Not Banned, Not Forgotten." Society for the Advancement of Scandinavian Studies Conference. Alaska. 2007.

"Articulation and Cooperation: German Programs in the State of Wisconsin." Co-created and presented (with Professor Jennifer Ham of UW-Green Bay) this day-long seminar. Wisconsin Association of Foreign Language Teachers Conference. Appleton, WI. October 2006.

"Teaching Swedish in a Small Program." Swedish Teacher's Conference. Milwaukee, WI. 2003.



the Advancement of Scandinavian Studies Annual Meeting. Davenport, IA. 1993.



*Developed for next academic year*

Thomas Brussig (3530)

Study Abroad: Germany from divided to united (joint program with Business) (4931)

German Translation (4961)

## UWM

### German

Critical and Interpretative Reading (221)

Introduction to German Literature I (321)

Introduction to German Literature II (322)

German Composition and Conversation I (326)

Intermediate German Grammar (331)

German Conversation and Composition (332)

Introduction to German Texts (333)

Introduction to German Literature (334)

German for International Business Communication I (360)

German for International Business Communication II (361)

Modern Day Germany (411)

Contemporary Issues in Germany (415)

Brecht on Stage (415)

Growing Up German (415)

German Film (415)

German Composition and Conversation II (426)

German Literature: Enlightenment, Storm and Stress and Classicism (450)

Realism, Naturalism, Turn of the Century (454)

From the Turn of the Century to WWII (456)

Post-War German Literature: 1945-65 (458)

German Literature from 1965 to the present (460)

German Milwaukee (499)

Seminar on Representative German Authors: Bertolt Brecht (645)

Seminar on Representative German Authors: Modern Women Writers of Germany (645)

Seminar on Themes and Motifs in German Literature: Contemporary German Literature (647)

### Scandinavian Studies

Advanced Topics in Scandinavian Culture: Scandinavian Film and Theater (German 115)

Advanced Topics in Scandinavian Culture: Women and Society in Scandinavia (German 115)

Advanced Topics in Scandinavian Culture: Ibsen and Strindberg (German 115)

Swedish I (initially taught as German 199 and then Swedish 180)

Swedish II (initially taught as German 199 and then Swedish 181)

Swedish III (initially taught as German 299 and then Swedish 280)

Swedish IV (initially taught as German 299 and then Swedish 281)

Vikings and Violence (initially German 299 and then German 270)

*First Year Seminars*

Pacts with the Devil (FLL 192)

Taking a Bite out of Vampires (FLL 192)

*Study Abroad (Summer)*

Berlin: The Art and Politics of Reunification (2 summers)

Das Drama Berlins (1 summer)

*Online Courses*

Contemporary Issues in Germany

Vikings and Violence

*Independent Studies*

Program Review Committee. Chair. 2016-2019.

University Leadership Council. Member. 2016-2019.

Assessment Office. Oversight. 2016-2019.

Office of Institutional Research and Analytics. Oversight. 2016-2019.

### University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh

Strategic Enrollment Planning Leadership Team. Co-chair. 2016.

Student Success Strategic Planning Implementation Team. 2015-16.

Undergraduate Research Committee. Ex officio. 2015-16.

Leadership Council. Member. 2015-present.

Chancellor's Administrative Staff Council. Member. 2015-2016.

School of Business Strategic Planning Committee. 2015-2016.

Student Success Collaborative. EAB. Co-leader. 2014-2016.

Enrollment Management Team. Co-leader. 2014-2016.

Students At Risk Response Team. Member. 2014-2015.

Pandemic Response Plan Team. Member. 2014-2016.

Title IX Investigator. 2014-2016.

Faculty/ Staff Grievance/ Complaint Investigator. 2014-2016.

Enrollment Management Information Working Group. Member. 2014-2015.

Chancellor Study Group for Immediate Issues. Member. 2014-2016.

Educational Advisory Board Oshkosh Team. Member. 2014-2016.

International Student Organization. Co-advisor. 2014-2016.

CRM Advisory Group. Member. 2014-2016.

Senate for Academic Staff. Ex-officio. 2014-2016.

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

High Impact Practices Working Group. Member. 2014.

Online Seed Funding Committee. UWM. Member. 2014.

AAC&U Planning Committee for Globalization Conference in 2014. Minneapolis, MN. 2014.

L&S Strategic Planning Committee. Humanities leader. 2013-2014.

Retention Steering committee. Member. 2013-2014.

International Student Enrollment Management Taskforce. Member. 2013-present.

International Student Success Committee. Member. 2013-2014.

Year of the Humanities Planning Committee. Member. 2013-2014.

Digital Humanities Advisory Committee. Member. 2013-present.

AAC&U Conference on Globalization. Providence, Rhode Island. UWM team leader. 2013.

L&S Marketing and Development Writer Search Committee. 2013.

L&S Administrative Program Specialist Search Committee. 2013.

Successful Students Strategic Planning Taskforce. Member. 2012-present.

International Strategic Planning Taskforce. Member. 2012-present.

L&S Capital Campaign Team. Member. 2012-2014.

Campus representative to System Advisory Group on the Liberal Arts (SAGLA). 2011-2014.

International Council Advisory Committee. Ex officio. 2011-2014.

International Liaison for the College of Letters and Science. 2011-2014.

L&S First Year Seminar Director. 2011-2014.

L&S Academic Policies and Procedures Committee. Ex officio. 2011-2014.

Foreign Language Advisory Group. Chair. 2011-2014.

Taskforce on Scholarly Communication and Open Access. Member. 2011.

UWM LEAP Taskforce. Member. 2010-2012.

L&S Dean Search Committee. Member. 2010 & 2011.

General Education Task Force. Member. 2009-2014.

Chair. Foreign Languages and Literature. 2009-2011.

AAC&U Conference on Assessment. Philadelphia, PA. One of the representatives of UWM. 2009.

Liberal Arts Conference. Madison Wisconsin. One of the representatives of UWM. 2008.

Coordinator. Internal Review of Program Assessment. 2005.

Global Studies. UWM. Faculty Member. 2005-2014.

German Program Coordinator. 2004-2011.

Founder and Director. UWM's chapter of Delta Phi Alpha (National German Honor Society). 2004-2014.

Restructuring Committee (of German major and minor). UWM. Organizer and Chair (created 5 of the 6 new courses for the major). 2004.

German Club Advisor. Organized students to create club and I am advisor. 2002-2011.

Undergraduate advisor for German students. 2002-2014.

Study Abroad advisor for German students. 2002-2014.

Master of Arts in Foreign Language and Linguistics Advisory Committee. German Program representative. 2002-2006.

FLL Liaison to AP&CC. Worked with FLL faculty to create and present CAR forms to AP&CC. 2002-2004.

CIE Hiring Committee. Member of Search Committee for administrator of Asia, England, Germany and France. 2002.





UWM Faculty Arts and Humanities Travel Award. Awarded in order to conduct further research at the Royal Library in Stockholm on the literary correspondence between



University of Illinois Teaching Fellowship. Full fellowship for the year (1995-1996).

Fulbright Research Grant and Extension. Awarded to conduct dissertation research in Sweden for the year (1994-1995) .

University of Illinois Dissertation Grant. Awarded to cover research related expenses in Sweden while doing dissertation research (1994).

University of Illinois Fellowship. Full fellowship for the year (1992-1993).

#### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS (past and present)

AAC&U (present)

Lagerlöf-society (present)

AACRAO (past)

Modern Language Association (present)

CUPA-HR (past)

Society for the Advance. of Scan Studies (present)

German Studies Assoc. (present)

WI Association of FL Teachers (present)

Kafka Society (past)

#### SELECTED

Near native fluency in German and Swedish  
Proficient in Danish and Norwegian (reading and listening)  
French: reading knowledge