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- 1977 PhD in History
 University of Washington
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- 1968 MA in Chinese
 University of Washington
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CERTIFICATION:

- 1996 Certificate in C Programming
 University of Washington
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RESEARCH SPECIALIZATIONS:

Central Eurasia, with special reference to the Mongolian Empire; Medical history, Food history, Bubonic plague, Chinese history, Age of Exploration.

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE:

- 2013- Visiting Scholar,
 Max-Planck Insitute,
 Berlin, Germany
- History of distillation.
- 2008-2013 Wissenschaftlicher Mitarbeiter,
 Horst-Görtz-Stiftungs-Institute
 Berlin, Germany
- Study of the herbal *Bencao gangmu*, and its terminology

PUBLICATIONS:

Books

A Soup for the Qan: Chinese Dietary Medicine of the Mongol Era as Seen in Hu Sihui's Yinshan Zhengyao, with Eugene N. Anderson and Charles Perry, second revised edition, E. J. Brill, 2010

The A to Z of the Mongol World Empire, Lanham, Md., and Oxford: The Scarecrow Press, Inc. (The A-Z Guide Series, No 155), 2010

Articles

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“How did Persian and other western Medical Knowledge Move East, and Chinese west? A Look at the Role of Rashīd al-Dīn and others,” *Asian Medicine, Tradition and Modernity*, 3 (2007), 278-94.

WORK IN PROGRESS:

“*A Kazakh-English Dictionary*, with a summary of Kazakh grammar and index of forms (25,000 main entries).” Anticipated publication, 2014

“Arabic Medicine in China, Huihui Yao Fang,” Anticipated publication, 2015.