

CURRICULUM VITAE  
**KAREN ORDAHL KUPPERMAN**  
Silver Professor of History, New York University

PhD 1978 Cambridge University  
MA 1962 Harvard University  
BA 1961 University of Missouri

**AWARDS**

- 2001 The American Historical Association Prize in Atlantic History
- 1995 Albert J. Beveridge Award of the American Historical Association for the best book in American History, including Canada and Latin America, published in 1993
- 1992 Named Distinguished Alumna, University of Missouri.
- 1980 Binkley-Stephenson Award of the Organization of American Historians, for best article in the Journal of American History

**FELLOWSHIPS AND ELECTED MEMBERSHIPS**

- 2003-04 John Simon Guggenheim Foundation Fellow  
Mellon Distinguished Scholar in Residence, American Antiquarian Society
- 2000-01 Senior Fellow, Institute for the Advanced Study of Religion at Yale
- 1997 Elected to Society of American Historians
- 1995-1996 Times-Mirror Foundation Distinguished Fellow, Huntington Library
- 1992 Elected to Colonial Society of Massachusetts
- 1989 NEH fellow, John Carter Brown Library
- 1988 Rockefeller Foundation Fellow, Villa Serbelloni, Bellagio
- 1985 Elected to Membership in the American Antiquarian Society  
1985 Senior Associate Member, St. Antony's College, Oxford
- 1984-1985 Fellow, National Humanities Center  
1984-1985 Research Fellow, American Council of Learned Societies
- 1980-1981 Mellon Faculty Fellow, Harvard University,  
1981 American Philosophical Society Fellow
- 1975-1976 Dissertation Fellowship, AAUW

### PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Elected member of the Research Division, American Historical Association, 2003-2006

Co-director NEH summer institute, National Humanities Center, 2005

Walter Lynwood Fleming Lecturer, Louisiana State University, Spring 2003

Elector, Paul Mellon Professorship of American History, Cambridge University, 2001-2005

Consulting Editor, CD-ROM of Calendar of State Papers, Colonial: North America and the West Indies, 1574-1739 (Routledge, 2000)

Director, NEH Summer Institute on "Texts of Imagination and Empire: The Founding of Jamestown in its Atlantic Context" at the Folger Library, 2000

Seminar Leader, "Atlantic Matters," Folger Shakespeare Library, fall semester 1998.

Prize Committees        Mark Lynton History Prize Committee, 2001  
                              Hendricks Prize Committee, 2000-  
                              Frederick Jackson Turner Committee, OAH, 1998-1999

Co-chair, Columbia Seminar in early American history, 1998-2000

President, Forum for European Expansion and Global Interaction, 1998-2000

Organization of American Historians Lecturer, 1995-

Nominating Committee, American Historical Association, 1995-1997

Chair, Council of the Institute of Early American History and Culture, 1992-1995.  
Council member 1989-1995.

Advisory Board, Mellon Jamestown Planning Grant, 2003-04

Museums and Programs Advisory Council, Jamestown-Yorktown Foundation, 2002-

Executive Committee, Roanoke Colonies Research Center, appointed 1994

Co-chair, New England Seminar, American Antiquarian Society, 1990-1995

Faculty Member, NEH Summer Seminar University of Connecticut, 1987, 1989.

Editorial Boards:        Oxford University Press World History Series  
                              Ethnohistory, 1999-2002  
                              The American Historical Review, 1997-2000  
                              The Historical Journal, appointed 1997, reappointed 2000  
                              William and Mary Quarterly, 1989-1992, chair 1991-1992  
                              Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, 1988-1991.  
                              Committee on Publications, American Antiquarian Society, 1986-1989.

PUBLICATIONS  
MONOGRAPHS

- 2007 The Jamestown Project, Belknap Press of Harvard University Press
- 2007 Roanoke: The Abandoned Colony, 2nd edition, Rowman and Littlefield.
- 2000 Indians and English: Facing Off in Early America, Cornell University Press.  
Selected by the History Book Club. Winner of the AHA Prize in Atlantic History
- 1993 Providence Island, 1630-1641: The Other Puritan Colony, Cambridge University Press.  
Winner of the American Historical Association Beveridge Prize. Paper edition, 1995.
- 1992 North America and the Beginnings of European Colonization, American Historical Association Pamphlet.
- 1984, reissued 1991 Roanoke: The Abandoned Colony, Rowman and Littlefield.
- 1980 Settling With the Indians: The Meeting of English and Indian Cultures in America, 1580-1640, Rowman and Littlefield and J.M. Dent.

EDITED BOOKS

- 2000 Major Problems in American Colonial History, 2nd ed., Houghton Mifflin.  
First edition 1992
- 1995 America in European Consciousness, University of North Carolina Press for the Institute of Early American History and Culture
- 1990 The Providence Island Venture, 1630-1641 in the British Association for American Studies series, British Records Relating to America in Microform, under the general editorship of W.E. Minchinton by Microform Academic Publishers.
- 1988 Captain John Smith: A Select Edition of His Writings, University of North Carolina Press for the Institute of Early American History and Culture.

TEXTBOOKS

- 1997 "The Starving Time at Jamestown" in Altina L. Waller and William Graebner, eds., True Stories From the American Past, I, McGraw-Hill, 1-21.
- 1996 The Pursuit of Liberty, 3rd ed., co-author, Longmans.

## ARTICLES

- 2007 "Environmental Stress and Rainmaking: Cosmic Struggles in Early Colonial Times," Revista, the Harvard Review of Latin America, VI, no. 2
- 2007 "Roanoke and its Legacy," in a new facsimile edition of Thomas Hariot, A briefe and true report of the new found land of Virginia, University of Virginia Press.
- 2005 "Angells in America," in Philip Beidler and Gary Taylor, eds., Writing Race Across the Atlantic World, New York: Palgrave MacMillan, 27-50.
- 2005 Entry on Captain John Smith for The Encyclopedia of New England, ed. Bert Feintuch and David H. Watters, Yale University Press.
- 2004 "Natural Curiosity," Common-place, vol. 4, no. 2.
- 2004 Entries on Captain Daniel Elfrith, Richard Ligon, and Rev. Alexander Whitaker, New Dictionary of National Biography, Oxford University Press.
- 2003 "Controlling Nature and Colonial Projects in Early America," in Hans-Jürgen Grabbe, ed., Colonial Encounters: Essays in Early American History and Culture, American Studies-A Monograph Series, 109, Ersch-Termin, 69-88.
- 2003 (with Nicholas Canny) "The Scholarship and Legacy of David Beers Quinn, 1909-2002," William and Mary Quarterly, 3rd ser., LX, 843-60.
- 2002 "International at the Creation: Early Modern American History," in Thomas Bender, ed., Rethinking American History in a Global Age, University of California Press, 103-23
- 2001: Entries on Captain John Smith and Powhatan for the Paul S. Boyer, gen. ed., Oxford Companion to United States History
- 1999 Entries on Captain John Smith, John Rolfe, and Sir Ralph Lane, American National Biography, Oxford University Press.
- 1997 "Presentment of Civility: English Response to American Self-Presentation, 1580-1640," William and Mary Quarterly, 3rd ser., LIV, 193-228.
- 1996 "A Continent Revealed: Assimilation of the Shape and Possibilities of North America's East Coast, 1524-1610," in John L. Allen, ed., North American Exploration (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press)
- 1996 "The Founding Years of Virginia---and the United States," Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, 104, 103-112.
- 1995 "The Beehive as a Model for Colonial Design," in America in European Consciousness, 272-292.
- 1995 "Scandinavian Colonists Confront the New World," New Sweden in America, ed. Carol Hoffecker, Richard Waldron, Lorraine E. Williams, and Barbara E. Benson (Newark: University of Delaware Press), 89-111.

- 1994 "Needs and Opportunities: British Expansion," Itinerario, XVIII, 130-136.
- 1994 "The Connecticut River: A Magnet for Settlement," Connecticut History special issue, Reshaping Traditions: Native Americans and Europeans in Southern New England, 35, 50-67.
- 1989 "Definitions of Liberty on the Eve of Civil War: Lord Saye and Sele, Lord Brooke, and the American Puritan Colonies," Historical Journal, 32, 17-33.
- 1988 "Errand to the Indies: Puritan Colonization from Providence Island through the Western Design," William and Mary Quarterly, 3rd Ser., XLV, 70-99.
- 1988 "Raleigh's Dream of Empire and Its Seventeenth-Century Career," in Raleigh and Quinn: The Explorer and His Boswell, ed. H.G. Jones. Chapel Hill: North Carolina Society
- 1985 "Climate and Mastery of the Wilderness in Seventeenth-Century New England," in David G. Allen and David D. Hall, eds., Seventeenth-Century New England, University of Virginia Press for the Colonial Society of Massachusetts.
- 1985 "Roanoke Lost," American Heritage, 36, 81-96.  
Reprinted in John A. Garraty, ed., Historical Viewpoints, 5th ed., Harper & Row, New York.
- 1984 "Fear of Hot Climates in the Anglo-American Colonial Experience," William and Mary Quarterly, 3rd ser., XLI, 213-240.
- 1982 "The Puzzle of the American Climate in the Early Colonial Period," American Historical Review, 87, 1262-1289.  
Reprinted in Early American History, ed. Peter Charles Hoffer, Garland Press.
- 1979 "Apathy and Death in Early Jamestown," Journal of American History, 66, 24-40.  
Winner of the Binkley-Stephenson Award
- 1979 "Nature's 'Rude Garden:' English and Indians as Producers and Consumers of Food in Early New England," Comparative Civilizations Review, 1, 64-78.
- 1977 "Thomas Morton, Historian," New England Quarterly, 50, 660-664.
- 1977 "English Perceptions of Treachery, 1583-1640: The Case of the American 'Savages,'" 2000 Historical Journal, 20, 163-187. Reprinted in Anthony Pagden, ed., Facing Each Other: The World's Perception of Europe and Europe's Perception of the World, vol 31, part I of An Expanding World: The European Impact on World History 1450-1800, gen. ed. A. J. R. Russell-Wood (Aldershot, 2000).

### Review Essays

- 1995 "The American Colonies: Another British Kingdom," Journal of British Studies, 34.
- 1993 "Early American History With the Dutch Put In," Reviews in American History, 20.
- 1986 "Roanoke Lost and Found," Reviews in American History, 14, 55-60.
- 1982 "Ethnohistory, Theory and Practice," Reviews in American History, 10, 331-334.

Reviews in American Historical Review, American Indian Quarterly, Journal of American History, New England Quarterly, Journal of Interdisciplinary History, William and Mary Quarterly, Ethnohistory, Rhode Island History, North Carolina Historical Review, Hispanic American Historical Review, Film and History, and the Kentucky Historical Society Register.