

MICHAEL PERMAN

Brief Resume

Education:

- B.A. Hertford College, Oxford University, 1963.
- M.A. University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1965.
- Ph.D. University of Chicago, 1969 (adviser: John Hope Franklin).

Academic Positions:

- 1967-68. Instructor in History, Ohio State University.
- 1968-70. Lecturer in American Studies, Manchester University, U.K.
- 1970-74. Assistant Professor of History, University of Illinois at Chicago.
- 1974-84. Associate Professor of History, UIC.
- 1984- . Professor of History, UIC.
- 1990- . Research Professor in the Humanities, UIC.
- 1997-2000. Chair, Department of History, UIC.
- 2002-03. John Adams Distinguished Professor of American History,  
Utrecht University, Netherlands.

Publications:

A. Books.

Reunion Without Compromise: The South and Reconstruction, 1865-1868.  
New York: Cambridge University Press, 1973 (also in paperback).

The Road to Redemption: Southern Politics, 1869-1879.  
Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 1984 (also in paperback).

Emancipation and Reconstruction. A volume in the American History

Series. Arlington Heights, IL: Harlan Davidson Inc, 1987 (paperback only).  
Second edition, 2003.

Struggle for Mastery: Disfranchisement in the South, 1888-1908.

Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 2001 (also in paperback).

Pursuit of Unity: A Political History of the American South. Chapel Hill:

University of North Carolina Press, 2009 (paperback, 2011).

The Southern Political Tradition. Baton Rouge: Louisiana State University

Press, 2012 (also in paperback).

B. Edited Books.

Perspectives on the American Past: Readings and Commentary. Two Volumes.

Scott, Foresman/HarperCollins, 1989. Revised 2nd. edition: D.C. Heath/  
Houghton Mifflin, 1995.

Major Problems in the Civil War and Reconstruction. D.C. Heath, 1991. Revised 2nd.

edition, Houghton Mifflin, 1998. Revised 3rd. edition, Wadsworth/Cengage,  
2011.

The Coming of the American Civil War. Third Edition. D.C. Heath, 1993.

C. Articles, Chapters in Books.

"The South and Congress' Reconstruction Policy, 1866-1867," Journal of American  
Studies, vol.4, no.2 (February 1971), pp.181-200.

"Counter Reconstruction: The Role of Violence in Southern Redemption," in The  
Facts of Reconstruction: Essays in Honor of John Hope Franklin. Eric

Anderson and Alfred A. Moss, Jr., editors. Louisiana State University Press,  
1991, pp.121- 40.

"Commentary" on William J. Cooper's paper on Jefferson Davis in Is There a

Southern Political Tradition? University of Mississippi Press, 1996, pp.42-50.

"The Politics of Reconstruction," in A Companion to the Civil War and

Reconstruction. Lacy K. Ford, editor. Blackwell Publishing, 2005,

pp.323-41.

"The Democratic Party, 1860-1896," in The Princeton Encyclopedia of American

Political History. Princeton University Press, 2010.

Fellowships and Grants:

American Council of Learned Societies, Grant-in-Aid, 1974.

John Simon Guggenheim Foundation, Fellowship, 1979-80.

Charles Warren Center, Harvard University, Fellowship, 1979-80.

Institute for the Humanities, UIC, Fellowship, 1987-88.

Prizes and Awards:

Jury Nomination, Pulitzer Prize in History, 1974.

Notable Book of the Year, New York Times Book Review, 1984.

Avery O Craven Award, Organization of American Historians, 1985.

V. O. Key Prize, Southern Political Science Association, 1985, co-winner.

Fred W. Morrison Prize in Southern Studies, University of North Carolina Press, 1986.

Walter L. Fleming Lectures in Southern History, Sixty-Ninth Series,

Louisiana State University, 2007.

Professional Service:

Avery O. Craven Award Committee, 1988, Org. of American Historians, member.

Frank L. and Harriet Owsley Prize Committee, 1992, Southern Historical Assoc., chair.

SHA Program Committee, 1996, member.

OAH Program Committee, 1998, member.

Associate Editor, American National Biography, 1989-98.

Board of Editors, Journal of Southern History, 1997-2000.

Board of Editors, Journal of the Gilded Age and Progressive Era, 2007-10.

Lincoln Prize, 1998-99, jury member.

Distinguished Lecturer, OAH, 2006-09.

