

# James Sack

## Curriculum Vitae

### Personal:

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#### Rank:

Professor

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#### Education:

- B.A., University of Notre Dame (1967)
- M.A., University of Michigan (1968)
- Ph.D., University of Michigan (1973)

### Publications:

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#### • Book:

- **The Grenvillites, 1801-1829: Party Politics and Factionalism in the age of Pitt and Liverpool** (University of Illinois Press, 1979)
- **[From Jacobite to Conservative: Reaction and Orthodoxy in Britain, c. 1760-1832](#)** (Cambridge University Press, 1993; paperback, 2004)

#### • Refereed Articles:

- "Decline of the Grenvillite Faction," *Journal of British Studies* (Autumn, 1975)
- "The Grenvilles' eminence rise: The Rev. Charles O'Connor and the latter days of Anglo-Gallicanism," *Harvard Theological Review* (January-April 1979)
- "House of Lords and parliamentary patronage in Great Britain, 1802-1832," *Historical Journal* (December 1980)
- "The memory of Burke and the memory of Pitt: English Conservatism confronts its past, 1806-1829," *Historical Journal* (September 1987)
- "The Quarterly Review and the Baptism of the 'Conservative Party' -- A Conundrum Resolved," *Victorian Periodicals Review* (Winter 1991)
- "The Grenvillites, fl. 1801-1829," On-line article, Oxford Dictionary of National Biography

(Oxford University Press, 2007), Group Series

- "The Ultra-Tories, fl. 1827-1834," On-line article, Oxford Dictionary of National Biography (Oxford University Press, 2008), Group Series
- "The British Conservative press and its involvement in Antisemitic and Racial Discourse, circa 1830-1895," Journal of the Historical Society (December, 2008)

### • Unrefereed Article:

- "Edmund Burke: An Ambiguous Legacy," *Reflections: Newsletter of the Edmund Burke Society* (London, June 1998), p. 2

### • Chapters in Books:

- "The House of Lords and parliamentary patronage in Great Britain, 1802-1832," in Clyve Jones, David A. Jones, eds., *Peers, Politics and Power: The House of Lords, 1603-1911* (Hambledon Press; London, 1986), pp. 347-371
- "Wellington and the Tory Press, 1828-1830," in Norman Gash, ed., *Wellington: Studies in the Military and Political Career of the First Duke of Wellington* (Manchester University Press; Manchester, 1990), pp. 159-169
- "Lord Grenville and the Peninsula War," in Donald D. Howard, ed., *Consortium on Revolutionary Europe, Selected Papers*, 1994 (Florida State, 1994), pp. 146-152
- "Edmund Burke and the Conservative Party in the Nineteenth Century," in *Edmund Burke: His Life and Legacy* (Four Courts Press, Dublin, 1997), pp. 76-84
- "Britain in Transition: The Age of George III," in Donald D. Howard, ed., *Consortium on Revolutionary Europe, Selected Papers* (Florida State, 1997), pp. 61-64
- "William Wyndham Grenville, First Baron Grenville," in Robert Eccleshall and Graham Walker, eds., *Biographical Dictionary of British Prime Ministers* (Routledge, London, 1998), pp. 98-101
- "The Tories, 1789-1914," in John Merriman and Jay Winter, eds., *Europe, 1789-1914: Encyclopedia of the Age of Industry and Empire* (Scribner's Library of Modern Europe,, 2006), V, 2320-2323.
- "Religion, Economics and the Construction of " Conservatism" in the 1830s" in Susan Conner, ed., *Consortium on the Revolutionary Era, Selected Papers*, 2005 (Florida State, 2008, 7 pages
- James J. Sack, "The Conservative press and the secularization of Conservative identity, 1880-1895," in Michael J. Turner, ed., *RELIGION AND POLITICS IN NINETEENTH-CENTURY BRITAIN* (New York, 2018)

### • Popular Scholarship, Encyclopedia Articles:

- *World Book Encyclopedia* articles on: George III; George IV; William IV; Pitt the Younger; Charles James Fox; Edmund Burke; Beau Brummel; Windsor, Canada; Edward VII
- "William Pitt the Younger (1759-1806)" in John E. Findling, Frank W. Thackeray, eds., *Great Statesmen of the Modern Western World* (Greenwood Press, 1992), pp. 443-451
- "George Canning"; "Tories and Toryism"; "William Pitt the Younger" in Gerald Newman, ed., *Britain in the Hanoverian Age, 1714-1832: An Encyclopedia* (Garland Press, New York, 1997), pp. 95-96; 710-711; 547-548.

## **Fellowships and Grants:**

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- Faculty Summer Fellowship, UIC, 1976, \$2,000
- National Endowment for the Humanities, Travel to Collections, 1984, \$500
- National Endowment for the Humanities, Travel to Collections, 1986, \$500
- Graduate Research Board, UIC, 1986, \$2,341.50
- Graduate Research Board, UIC, 1987, \$250
- Humanities Institute, UIC, 1993, \$561.00
- Humanities Institute, UIC, 1994, \$500.00
- Graduate Research Board, UIC, 1995, \$9,000.00

## Teaching and Other Awards:

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- Shirley A. Bill Award for Excellence in Teaching (winner), 1993
- Silver Circle Award nominee: 1977, 1978, 1980, 1992, 1993
- Elected as Fellow of the Royal Historical Society, London (January 1998).
- Shirley A. Bill Award for Excellence in Teaching (winner), 2007
- President, Midwest Victorian Studies Association, 2005-2007

## Teaching:

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1993- Professor of History, University of Illinois at Chicago

1980-1993 Associate Professor, University of Illinois at Chicago

1974-1980 Assistant Professor, University of Illinois at Chicago

1973-1974 Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Illinois at Chicago

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