

CURRICULUM VITAE
Michael E. Lynch, PhD

Current Position: Research Historian, US Army Heritage and Education Center, US Army War College

Assistant Professor, US Army War College

Education:

Ph.D. Temple University, Philadelphia, PA -- History **2014**
Dissertation: "Sic 'Em, Ned': Lt. Gen. Edward M. Almond and His Army, 1916-1953."

Graduate Certificate Shippensburg University, Shippensburg, PA -- Public History **2004**

M.A. Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA -- History **2001**
Thesis: "Confederate War Industry: The Niter and Mining Bureau"

B.A. East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, TN -- English **1984**

Other Training:

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| | U.S. Army Military History Detachment Course, Fort Knox, KY | 2012 |
| <u>Archive Management</u> | Modern Archives Institute, National Archives and Records Administration, College Park, MD | 2004 |
| Internship (Archives) | U.S. Army Military History Institute, Carlisle, PA | 2004 |
| Internship (Museum) | U.S. Army Heritage Museum, Carlisle, PA | 2003 |
| | <i>Internationales Institut für Politik und Wirtschaft</i> (International Institute for Politics and Economy), Haus Rissen Institute, Hamburg, Germany | 2002 |

Professional Experience:

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| Research Historian, Historical Services Division, U.S. Army Heritage and Education Center, Carlisle, PA | 2013-Present |
| Assistant Professor, US Army War College (Concurrent Appointment) | 2015-Present |
| Chief, Education and Historical Programs U.S. Army Heritage and Education Center, Carlisle, PA | 2005-2103 |
| Director, Operations, U.S. Army Heritage and Education Center, Carlisle, PA | 2003-2005 |
| Commissioned Officer, U.S. Army | 1984-2005 |

Professional Publishing, Presentations, and Service:

Book Chapters:

"The American Way of Postwar: The Liberty Dilemma," in Jason Warren, ed. *Drawdown: The American Way of* Forthcoming

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Postwar. (NYU Press, Forthcoming).

"Not Due to Vicious Habits': Local Black Veterans' Struggle for Civil War Pensions," in Steven Burg, ed., *Black History of Shippensburg, Pennsylvania, 1860-1936* (Shippensburg, PA: Shippensburg University, 2005). 2005

Articles, Essays, and Contributions:

"Iron Manufacturing," "Matthew C. Perry," "Raphael Semmes," "Arms Manufacture in the Civil War," "Nathaniel Hawthorne," "Daniel E. Sickles," "Richmond-Petersburg Railroad," "Virginia & Tennessee Railroad," and "Joseph Wheeler" in *United States at War: Understanding Conflict and Society* 13 vols. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-Clio. 2010

"Copper and Lead," and "Iron and Steel Industry" (with James R. Bennett and Audra Himes) in *Encyclopedia of Appalachia* Knoxville: University of Tennessee Press, 2006. 2006

"Army Archive Nears Completion," *Archival Outlook* (Society of American Archivists), Mar.-Apr. 2004. 2004

"The Army Heritage and Education Center: Telling the Army Story, One Soldier at a Time," *On Point* (Army Historical Foundation) Winter 2004. 2004

"New Home for MHI," *Headquarters Gazette* (Society for Military History), Winter 2004. 2004

"Telling the Army One Soldier at a Time," *SCWH Newsletter* (Society of Civil War Historians), Spring 2004. 2004

"Army Builds New Archive" *Public History News* (National Council on Public History), Fall 2003. 2003

"Work Begins on Army After Next," *Army Logistician*, (May-June 1998). 1998

"CASCOM Looks 30 Years into the Future," *Traveller*, Fort Lee, Virginia, February 5, 1998. 1998

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Web Articles “The Staff Ride” (29 JUN 2009) “Dunkirk of Korea” (15 DEC 2008);
“Operation Market Garden”(15 SEP 2007, *This Week in Army History*, www.army.mil).

Media Interviews:

‘NYC World War II soldier Dominic J. Arcuni’s memory, sacrifice resurrected by Dutch,’ amNewYork, Sheila Anne Feeney, May 25, 2016.

“General Officer Deaths In Combat,” WGAL Television, August, 2014.

"D-Day Marching Orders," WGAL Television, interview by Matt Barcaro, June 6, 2014.

“US D-Day Ceremony,” Fox News Radio Special Coverage, interview by Hank Weinbloom and Simon Owen.

“Honoring Korean War Veterans” with David Teich and E.C. Rivera, interview by Matt Paul, Smart Talk, WITF Radio, July 27, 2013.

“Army Tries to Document Active Service,” interview by Katy Clark, *The World*, BBC Radio, May 28, 2007.

Book Reviews:

Review of *The Last Kilometer: Marching to Victory in Europe with the Big Red One, 1944-1945* by A. Preston Price, for *Army History*. (Summer-Fall, 2003). 2003

Review of *Major McKinley: William McKinley & the Civil War* by William H. Armstrong, (Kent State University Press, 2000) in *Military Review* (MAR-APR 2003). 2003

Review of *Mr. Lincoln's Bridge Builders: The Right Hand of American Genius*, by Philip Thienel, (White Mane Publishing, 2001), in *Army History* (December 2002). 2002

Presentations and Invited Lectures:

"Day Among Days: Marking the Army Birthday in Wartime -- June 14, 1944," US Army War College Army Birthday Celebration, June 13, 2014.

“Planning for Victory: Re-Building an Army for Global War,” US Army War College Drawdown Conference, Carlisle Barracks, PA, May 29, 2014.

“Telling the Army Story, One Soldier at a Time,” Rotary Club, Muhlenberg, PA, April 29, 2014

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“Ordnance of Secession: Josiah Gorgas, Isaac M. St. John, and the Miter and Mining Bureau,” Harrisburg Civil War Round Table, Harrisburg, PA, March 21, 2014.

“Public History Primer” History Club, Mount St. Mary’s University, Emmitsburg, Maryland, Feb. 23, 2010.

“Opportunities in Public History” History Department, Kutztown (PA) University, March, 22, 2007; April, 2009.

“Nothing Happened Here: Interpreting History at Non-Historical Sites,” Association for Living History, Farm and Agricultural Museums (ALHFAM) 36th Annual Conference, Santa Fe, New Mexico, June 2, 2007.

“Words with Power and Meaning: The Importance of Verbal and Written Communication,” St. Patrick’s School, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, 2006, 2007.

“Honor, Preserve, Educate: Telling the Army Story” Letterkenny Chapter, Military Officers Association of America, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, January 16, 2007.

“Honor, Preserve, Educate: Telling the Army Story” Rotary Club, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, December 6, 2006.

“Preserving Your Military History,” Conestoga Chapter, American Ex-Prisoners of War, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, October 21, 2006.

“Final Resting Place: Researching African American Civil War Cemeteries and Pension Records,” 6th Regional U.S. Colored Troops Institute Symposium, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, April 8, 2006

Co-Chair, 6th Regional U.S. Colored Troops Institute Symposium, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, April 6-8, 2006.

Discussant, Roundtable on Archives and Research Opportunities in the Philadelphia Area, James A. Barnes Club Conference, Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, April 1, 2006.

“Equal But Unfair: African American Veterans and the Struggle for Pension Rights,” Emporia State University Graduate History Conference, Emporia, Kansas, March 10, 2006.

“Forging Ahead: The Iron Industry of the Confederacy,” Ironmasters 05 Conference, North Jersey Highlands Historical Society, Tuxedo, New York, Oct. 15, 2005.

“Equal But Unfair: African American Veterans and the Struggle for Pension Rights,” Graduate Association for African American History

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Conference, University of Memphis, Memphis, Tennessee, Sep. 30, 2005.

“Re-Birth and Redemption: 34th Infantry Division at Hill 609” 34th Infantry Division Tri-State Chapter Annual Reunion, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, July 30, 2005.

“‘Not Due to Vicious Habits’: African-American Civil War Pensions,” James A. Barnes Club Conference, Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Feb. 13, 2005.

“Confederate War Minerals: The Niter and Mining Bureau,” New York Military Affairs Symposium, City University of New York Graduate Center, New York, New York, Dec. 13, 2002.

Participant, "All-Volunteer Armed Forces and Citizenship," co-sponsored by the Strategic Studies Institute of the Army War College, the Royal United Services Institute, the Center of Social Studies in Defense (French), Association of the US Army, and the US Embassy, Paris, France, June, 2002.

“Combat Service Support to the Army After Next,” Society of Logistics Engineers monthly meeting, Fort Lee Officers’ and Civilians Club, Fort Lee, Virginia, March 17, 1999.

“Combat Service Support to the Army After Next,” Association of the United States Army (Central Virginia Chapter) meeting, Defense Distribution Center-Richmond Officers’ Club, Richmond, Virginia, March 19, 1998.

“Combat Service Support to the Army After Next,” Reserve Officers Association monthly meeting, Defense Distribution Center-Richmond Officers’ Club, Richmond, Virginia, February 10, 1998.

Teaching:

Instructor, Strategic Research Course, US Army War College, 2015.

Faculty Mentor, US Army War College Fellow, Univ. Louisville, 2015-16.

Project Advisor, Student Research Project, US Army War College, 2014-15.

Instructor, “Challenges of Command in the American Civil War,” US Army War College elective, 2014-15.

Faculty Mentor, US Army War College Fellow, Veterans Administration, 2014-15.

Faculty Mentor, US Army War College Fellow, Univ. Texas, 2014-15.

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Instructor, Strategic Broadening Program, US Army War College and University of Louisville, 2015

Seminar historian, U.S. Army War College, Carlisle, PA, 2005-2008, 2011-12.

Instructor, US Army Military History Detachment Course, Fort Knox, KY, 2012-Present

Judge, National History Day regional competition, Shippensburg University, March, 2007

Developed the Army Heritage and Education Center Internship Program, which currently offers seventeen (17) internships for students of history and related disciplines.

Developed lesson plans for middle and high school students to use Army Heritage and Education Center resources. The lesson plans focused on the 18th century, Civil War, World War I and World War II.

Judge, National History Day Competition, St. Patrick's School, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, 2006-2013

Conducted or assisted in the conduct of numerous battlefield staff rides to the Gettysburg National Military Park, 2004-Present

Part-Time Instructor, Military History, U.S. Army Command and General Staff Officer Course (USAR School). 2002-2003.

Conducted staff rides to Remagen (Germany) bridgehead for Army officers and civilians, 2000-2002.

Tutor, Department of Curriculum and Instruction, East Tennessee State University. Tutored other students in English, 1981-1984.

Public History:

Veterans Survey

Developed, staffed, and published the Veteran Surveys for the Cold War and Post Cold War currently in use by the U.S. Army Heritage and Education Center.

Oral History:

Designed and implemented the AHEC Veterans Oral History Program and built partnerships with local universities to train students and identify narrators.

Conducted oral history interviews with five members of military families as part of an ongoing research project which studies military service as a family tradition, 2005-Present.

Conducted oral history interview with four retired Army nurses in coordination with the Army Heritage Center Foundation for development of an educational CD related to women in the Army,

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April 2004.

Conducted an oral history interview on the Pentagon crash of September 11, 2001 in coordination with Center of Military History, December 11, 2001.

Conducted oral history interviews with World War II veterans for donation to the U.S. Army Military History Institute, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, September 27 & 28, 2002, July 30, 2005, June 6, 2006.

Conducted a series of nineteen interviews as part of the data collection effort for the Headquarters, U.S. Army Europe, After Action Review of Operation Iraqi Freedom, in coordination with the U.S Army Military History Institute, Apr-May, 2003.

Community Service:

Established, publicized, and assisted in raising funds to endow the Joe F. Lynch Memorial Scholarship in Environmental Health at East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, Tennessee..

Established, publicized, and assisted in raising funds to endow the Joanne C. Lynch, MD Memorial Scholarship in Military History, Army Heritage Center Foundation, Carlisle, Pennsylvania (endowment building).

Community Fundraiser for Fisher House Foundation.

Committee Service:

Executive Vice President, Omar N. Bradley Foundation, 2010-2013, 2014-Present.

General and Mrs. Matthew B. Ridgway Research Grant Committee, U.S. Army Heritage and Education Center, 2010-Present

Prize Committee, Russell F. Weigley Award in Military History, Temple University, April, 2007.

Program Committee, Society for Military History Annual Conference, 2007

Awards, Honors, and Grants:

Credentialed as Assistant Professor, US Army War College, 2015

Federal Employee of the Year (2014), Central Pennsylvania Federal Executive Association

Commander's Award for Civilian Service, May 2014

Carlisle Barracks (PA) Civilian of the Year, 2013

Achievement Medal for Civilian Service November, 2013

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Carlisle Barracks (PA) Civilian of the Quarter, 2nd Qtr, 2013

Commander's Award for Civilian Service, May, 2012

Temple University College of Liberal Arts Research Grant, 2010

Graduate Associateship, Society of Fellows in the Humanities,
Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 2005-2006

Military Service

Commissioned Officer, U.S. Army

1984-2005