

John C. Kincheloe

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Education

A.B.D. University of Connecticut, CT.	History	2007
▪ Fields: Ancient Maritime History, Colonial South, Native Peoples of the Americas		
M.A. James Madison University, VA	History	2003
▪ Thesis: "Guns and Tools to Cloth and Jewels: The Consumer Revolution in Cherokee Country, 1673-1770"		
B.A. Hampden-Sydney College, VA	Economics	1997

Academic Appointments

	Associate Professor	2012-present
Northern Virginia Community College, VA- Loudoun	Adjunct Professor	2009- 2012
▪ Faculty Award and Recognition 2016,2017,2019,2021,2022		
▪ Online and Hybrid instructor for numerous extended learning courses.		
Saint Anselm's Abbey School	Upper School Instructor	2011-2012
• Advanced Placement instructor of European History and United States Politics and Government.		
• Model United Nations advisor.		
Missouri Western State University, MO	Adjunct Professor	2025
Germanna Community College, VA	Adjunct Professor	2009- 2011
▪ Taught within Coffeewood Correctional Facility in an inmate degree program.		
▪ Built and implemented a series of courses for Culpeper and Stafford centers.		
Quinebaug Valley Community College, CT	Adjunct Professor	2008-2014
Eastern Connecticut State University, CT	Adjunct Professor	2005-2009
Educational Testing Service (ETS)	Advanced Placement Grader	2006- 2012
University of Connecticut, CT	Graduate Teaching Assistant	2003- 2007
Montpelier Foundation, VA	Staff Researcher	2002
James Madison University, VA	Graduate Teaching Assistant	2001-2003

Courses Taught

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| ▪ Early Western Civilizations (Online) (Hybrid) (Honors) | ▪ Early United States History (Online) (Hybrid) (Honors) |
| ▪ Modern Western Civilization (Online) (Hybrid) | ▪ Modern United States History (Online) (Hybrid) |
| ▪ World Civilizations Pre- 1500 (Online) (Hybrid) | ▪ Local History (Northern Virginia) |
| ▪ World Civilizations Post-1500 (Online) | ▪ US History in Film |
| ▪ History of the Ancient World | ▪ US Environmental History |
| ▪ Maritime History | ▪ American Indian History |
| | ▪ The Vietnam War |
| | ▪ Virginia History |

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Professional Experiences

Tall Ship Providence	Volunteer Crew Member	2021-2026
- Kinch is featured in film “Providence: Dawn of the U.S. Navy” - Interpretation, research, and active sailing of 18th century historical vessels. https://tallshipprovidence.org/		
Draken Harald Harfagre	Historian/Crew/Interpreter	2013-2025
- Kinch is featured in film “The Odyssey” and docuseries “Viking Quest: America” - Test sailing and historical experimentation of the largest Viking ship constructed in the modern era. https://www.drakenhh.com/		
Jamestown Yorktown Foundation Sailing Program	Volunteer Crew member	2014-2016
Interpretation, research, and active sailing of 17th century historical vessels.		
NVCC Loudoun Campus History Project	Committee Chair/Director	2012-2015
Multi-year faulty guided student project to research and build a history of the NVCC Loudoun campus’s first 40 years. 12 interns and 43 total student contributions culminating in archives and a website. http://loudounhistory.nvcc.edu/		
Northern Virginia Digital Archive		2010-2012
Construction and implementation of a contribution-based digital archive.		
Virginia Master Teacher Seminar	Facilitator	2006
Assisted Terry Whisnant in organizing and facilitating events and activities.		
Draper National Graduate Student Conference	Conference Chair	2005 - 2006
http://history.uconn.edu/departments/draper_2006.php		
Carnegie Initiative on the Doctorate	Committee Member	2003-2006
http://www.carnegiefoundation.org		
Mashantucket Pequot Museum	Archeology Staff	2005
Engaged in the excavation of several sixteenth through nineteenth century Native dwellings and camps, on the Mashantucket Pequot reservation in Connecticut (Foxwoods Hotel and Casino.)		
Madison Historical Review Online Journal	Founder and Coeditor	2002-2003
https://commons.lib.jmu.edu/mhr/		

Committees

Care Team	2019-Present
Campus Safety Warden	2022-Present
Curriculum Committee	2022-2024
Instructional Student Services Committee	2022-2024
Coach/Counselor Search Committees	2024
Disability Coordinator Search Committee	2022
Achieving the Dream Council	2018-2021
Social Science Pathways Committee	2018-2021

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Awards Committee	2017-2019
Social Science Program Learning Council	2016-2017
SLO History Discipline Committee	2015-2017
History Position Search Committee- Loudoun	2015, 2016
Secretary of History Cluster	2015-2016
“American House” History Contextualization	2015
Loudoun Campus Committee on Retention	2014-2015
Environmental and Sustainability Committee	2013-2015
Climate Change Symposium Organizing Committee	2014
Loudoun Campus Historical Committee –Chair	2012-2014

Presentations

Historical Presentations

- Making the Odyssey: Vikings in Ancient Greece* (2026)
- Yes and Yikes: A Tale of Adventure* (2023) Buzz Advocacy Summit
- Sailing the Draken Harald Hafagre: Recreating the Viking Maritime Legacy* (2014, 2018, 2022)
- Going Green: A Brief History of the Environmental Movement* (Apr. 9, 2014) NVCC Loudoun -Lunch Series

Pedagogical Presentations

- Creating an AI irrelevant classroom* (Oct. 2026)
- Screw with their Minds: Discomfort and the Art of Questioning* (Oct. 2014 & Jan. 2017) NVCC-Annandale
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o6qbf-S7jRM&list=PLC6cRuh6Hoyk4dnnkaIyFSX9vH92COnFw>
- Keeping it Old School in the New Millennium* (Jan. 2017)
- Going Digital or Keeping it Traditional: A Semester Case Study on Best practices for Internet-enabled Device in the Classroom* (Jan. 2015) NVCC- Annandale
- Going Old School through Modern Technology*. (Aug. 2016)
- Going Digital: The Strengths and Weakness of Digital Devices in the Classroom Environment*. (Jan. 2015)
- Working with Students Outside the Classroom: Lessons Learned from NVCC History Project* (Jan. 2014)

Skills

- Student Care training: SAFE Talk/Secure your own mask/Suicide Awareness/Wellness/ALICE

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Personal Achievements

Completion of the Triple Crown of long-distance hiking:

- 1998: Thru-hike of Appalachian Trail, Georgia to Maine (2,175 miles)
- 2000: Thru-hike of Pacific Crest Trail, Mexico to Canada (2,650 miles)
- 2007: Thru-hike of Continental Divide Trail, Canada to Mexico via the Rocky Mountains (2,710 miles)
<http://www.trailjournals.com/kinch>

Solo Expeditions:

- 1996: Cycled across the Continental U.S.- San Diego, CA to Virginia Beach, Virginia (3,190 miles)
- 2001: Thru-hike of West Highland Way (Scotland) - Trek from Glasgow to the Scottish highlands
- 2003: Voyageurs Int. Canoe Route -Historic Fur-trading Route following the U.S./Canada boundary waters
- 2005: Thru-hike of Huayhuash Circuit (Peru) -High altitude circumnavigation of Sula Grande in the Andes mts.

Historic Sailing:

- 2012-2018: Fast Forward/Skoot = MD = Crew (Regattas= St. Michaels, Oxford, Poplar Island, Governors Cup)
- 2013, 2017, 2018, 2022, 2024, 2025: Draken Harald Harfagre = Norway = Crew & Tour Guide
- 2014-2015: Jamestown Sailing Program = VA = Crew
- 2021-2026: Tall Ship Providence = Alexandria, VA = Crew