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Conference on the History of British Communism, Manchester, January 1994, paper on the CPGB during World War II

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2nd Pan-European Conference on International Relations, Paris, September 1995, paper on the triple alliance negotiations 1939

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Department of Law, UCC, Interdisciplinary Seminar, January 1996, paper on The Philosophy of History and the Philosophy of Law

Seminar on Foreign and Security Policies of the Soviet Union in the Second World War, University of Konstanz, June 1996, paper on spheres of influence and Soviet foreign policy, 1939-1945

Conference on Spain in an International Context, UWE Bristol, July 1996, paper on Soviet foreign policy and the Spanish Civil War

British International History Group Annual Conference September 1996, paper on spheres of influence and Soviet foreign policy, 1939-1945

St. Antony's College, Oxford seminar series on German History, March 1997, paper on Soviet perspectives on the postwar treatment of Germany, 1941-1945

British International History Group Annual Conference, September 1997, paper on The Moscow Conference of Foreign Ministers, October 1943

Fondazion Giangiacomo Feltrinelli Conference on Russia in the Age of Wars, Cortona, October 1997, paper on The Fascist War Threat in Soviet Politics, 1933-1939

British International Studies Association Annual Conference, December 1997, paper on Ideology and the Origins of the Cold War

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Centre for Russian and East European Studies, University of Birmingham, SIPS seminar series, January 1999, responding paper on Molotov and Soviet foreign policy in 1939

Conference on Operation Barbarossa, University of Tel Aviv, May 1999, paper on Soviet-German Relations, 1933-1941

Irish Association of Slavic Studies Annual Conference, Dublin, May 1999, paper on Soviet-German Relations, 1933-1941

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Department of History, UCC, Staff/Postgrad Seminar, January 2000, paper on Irish Neutrality during World War II as a Counterfactual Case Study

Conference on the 55th anniversary on victory in the Great Patriotic War, Moscow, April 2000, paper on Stalin and the Grand Alliance, 1941-1947

Conference on Soldiers, States and Societies in the Modern World, University of Ulster at Coleraine, May 2000, paper on War, Neutrality and Irish identities

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University of Akron, Ohio, September 2001, seminar paper on Narrative as Method and Truth in Historical Research

University of Glasgow, Department of Politics Staff Seminar, November 2001, paper on Historians, Political Scientists and IR Theory

University College Cork, Department of Economics Seminar, December 2001, paper on The Theory and Practice of Narrative History

University College Cork, Department of Sociology Seminar, February 2002, paper on Agency, Structure and Historical Narrative

Irish History Students Annual Conference, UCC, February 2002, keynote lecture on The Present as History: Understanding the Iraq Crisis

Foreign and Commonwealth Office Anglo-Russian Seminar on Churchill and Stalin, March 2002, paper on The Churchill-Stalin Percentages Agreement

British Association for Slavonic and East European Studies Annual Conference, Cambridge, April 2002, paper on the Stalin-Churchill Percentages Deal

Conference on the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Battle of Stalingrad, Volgograd, November 2002, paper on The Battle of Stalingrad in Western Historical Perspective

Political Studies Association Annual Conference, Leicester, April 2003, paper on Stalin as War Leader

Irish Association for Russian and East European Studies Annual Conference, UCC, May 2003, paper on Stalin and the Katyn Murders

British International History Group Annual Conference, Nottingham, September 2003, plenary session lecture on Stalingrad – 60 Years On

Department of International Politics, Aberystwyth University, October 2003, research seminar papers on Narrative History and IR Theory and Stalin and Soviet Foreign Policy Decisionmaking

Society for Cooperation in Soviet and Russian Studies, London, lecture on Stalin as War Leader, February 2004

University of Greenwich, Department of Politics Seminar, May 2004, paper on the Origins of the Cold War

International Conference on the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the end of the Second World War, Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow, March 2005, paper on Conflict and Cooperation in Anglo-Soviet relations, 1941-1945

Center for Russian and East European Studies, George Washington University, Washington DC, April 2005 research seminar paper on the Soviet bid to end the Cold War in Europe, 1953-1955

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Irish Association for Russian and East European Studies Annual Conference, University College Galway, May 2005, guest lecture on The Battle of Stalingrad

Irish Historians Association Biennial Conference, Trinity College, Dublin, May 2005, paper on Stalin and Soviet Foreign Intelligence during the Second World War

British International History Group Annual Conference, September 2005, paper on the Soviet bid to end the Cold War in Europe, 1953-1955

British International Studies Association Annual Conference, St. Andrews University, December 2005, plenary lecture on History, Theory and the Narrative Turn in IR

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International Conference on the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Nuremberg Trials, Russian Academic of Sciences, Moscow, November 2006, paper on Neutrality and the Nuremberg Trials

Clinton Institute, University College Dublin, February 2007, seminar presentation on The Cold War in the 1950s

Department of Russian, Trinity College Dublin, seminar presentation on Stalin as a War Leader and Peacemaker

Cold War International History Project, Washington DC, April 2007, seminar presentation on Stalin and the Cold War

Department of History, Georgetown University, April 2007, lecture on The Brezhnev Era

Department of International Relations, University of Virginia, April 2007, seminar presentation on Contemporary Russian-American Relations in Historical Perspective

Moscow State Institute of International Relations, September 2007, lecture on Stalin as War Leader and Peacemaker

Political Studies Association of Ireland Annual Conference, October 2007, paper on Agency, Structure and Narrative History in the Study of International Relations

UCC Historical Society, December 2007, lecture on Stalin as Warlord

British International Studies Association Annual Conference, Cambridge, December 2007, paper on Agency, Structure and Narrative History in the Study of International Relations

Institute of General History, Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow, January 2008, seminar presentation on post-Stalin Soviet Foreign Policy

Warwick University, Institute of Advanced Study, February 2008, lectures on Revising the History of the Cold War after Stalin's Death; Stalin as Warleader and Peacemaker; Lessons of the Cold War for Contemporary Russian-American Relations; and Methodology and History in IR

Centre d'Etudes et de Documentation Guerre et Societes contemporaines, Brussels, March 2008, seminar presentation on Stalin as Warlord; Beyond Myth and Propaganda

International Studies Association, San Francisco, April 2008, paper on Agency, Structure and Narrative History in the Study of International Relations

Center for Russian and East European Studies, University of California, Berkeley, April 2008, seminar presentation on Stalin as Warleader and Peacemaker

Department of History, California State University, Northridge, April 2008, guest lecture on Stalin as Warlord

Irish Association for Russian and East European Studies Annual Conference, Dublin, May 2008, paper on The Soviet Union and the Czechoslovakian Crisis of 1938

The Norwegian Nobel Institute, Oslo, May 2008, seminar presentation on Molotov's Cold War

Conference on Overcoming the Iron Curtain: Visions of the End of the Cold War in Europe, 1945-1990, University of Paris, Sorbonne, June 2008, paper on The Communist Peace Movement and Moscow's Campaign Against the Cold War, 1948-1955

Workshop on United Europe – Divided Memory, Institute für die Wissenschaften von Menschen, Vienna, November 2008, paper on Stalin's Visions of Peace, 1939-1945

Cold War Studies Center, Harvard University, April 2009, seminar presentation on Molotov and the Cold War: A Revisionist View

Moscow State Institute for International Relations, March 2010, conference paper on Western Perceptions of the Soviet Union in 1945

Irish Association for Russian and East European Studies Annual Conference, Dublin, May 2010, paper on Writing the Biography of Marshal Zhukov

Liverpool Hope University, October 2011, seminar paper on Avoiding Armageddon: The Communist Peace Movement after World War II

Maynooth University, October 2011, conference on The Art of Leadership, paper on Marshal Georgy Zhukov: The Leadership Qualities of a Soviet General

SCR Russian History Seminar for Teachers, November 2011, presentation on Teaching the History of the Great Patriotic War

Institute of General History, Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow, December 2011, seminar presentation on *Molotov; Stalin's Cold Warrior*

Conference on Writing Pugwash Histories, University of Vienna, May 2012, paper on The Communist Peace Movement and the Origins of Pugwash, 1948-1956,

Chekov Cultural Institute, Moscow, Lecture on *Stalin's General: The Life of Georgy Zhukov*, September 2012

School of Humanities, University of Dundee, Lecture on *Stalin's General: The Life of Georgy Zhukov*, October 2012

Department of War Studies, Kings College London, Lecture on *Stalin's General: The Life of Georgy Zhukov*, November 2012

Soviet War Memorial Trust Fund, London, Lecture of Stalingrad, Zhukov and the Great Patriotic War, February 2013

Philosophy Football, London, Lecture on 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Battle of Stalingrad, February 2013

Conference on France and the German Question, paper on The Soviet Union, France and the German Question in the 1950s, University of Paris, Sorbonne, February 2013

Conference on the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Soviet Victory at Stalingrad, Russian Academic of Sciences, Moscow, February 2013

Society for Military History annual conference, New Orleans, paper on The Leader Qualities of Marshal Georgy Zhukov, March 2013

Department of History, Maynooth University, April 2013, lecture on Zhukov: Stalin's General

Irish Defence Forces Staff College, The Curragh, May 2013, lecture on Zhukov: Stalin's General

British International History Group annual conference, September 2013, plenary lecture on Memoirs and the Historian: Writing the Biography of Marshal Georgy Zhukov

Conference on the Nazi-Soviet Pact, Free University of Berlin, February 2014, paper Soviet-Polish relations 1938-1939

Harriman Institute for Russian Studies, Columbia University, seminar on the wartime correspondence of Kathleen Harriman, April 2014

Center for Global History, Georgetown University, seminar of Russia and the Ukrainian Crisis: Lessons from the Cold War, April 2014

Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Harvard University, seminar on Stalin and the communist peace movement, April 2014

Mudd Library, Stanford University, seminar on Dana Wilgress, George Kennan and Containment, April 2014

British International History Group annual conference, September 2014, paper on Warrior in Silk Stockings: The Wartime Correspondence of Kathleen Harriman.

Conference on D-Day: The Battle for Normandy 70 Years On, Trinity College Dublin, June 2014, paper on Better Late Than Never: The Soviet View of D-Day

Conference on Beyond the Western Front, Maynooth University, October 2014, keynote lecture on The Wrong Shadow: World War II Perceptions of the Great War

Law Society of Ireland International Affairs Talk on Putin's Perspectives in the Ukrainian Crisis, Dublin, November 2014



Conference on the 70th Anniversary of the Yalta Conference, Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow, February 2015, keynote lecture on The Yalta Myths: Western Views of the Crimean Conference

Conference on Germany's Defeat in the East, 1944-1945, German Historical Institute, Moscow, April 2015, paper on Marshal Georgy Zhukov and the Soviet Strategic Offensive of 1944-1945

Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations annual conference, Washington DC, June 2015, paper on Hedgehog and Fox: George Kennan and the Soviet Union, 1946-1957

Institute for Advanced Study, Budapest, seminar on Stalin's Peacemaker: Ilya Ehrenburg and the World Peace Council, 1948-1957, November 2015

UCC Historical Society, A New Cold War? Winston Churchill's Iron Curtain Speech 70 Years On, February 2016

Open Society Archive, Budapest, talk on Stalin's Peacemakers: The Struggle for Peace and Identity Formation in the Communist Bloc during the Early Cold War, June 2016

European Society for the History of Science conference, Prague, Frédéric Joliot-Curie, the Struggle for Peace and the Pugwash Movement, September 2016

Dublin History Festival, Stalin's Personal Library <https://dublinfestivalofhistory.ie/stalins-personal-library-with-geoffrey-roberts/>

UCD Centre for War Studies, Stalin's Peacemakers: The Struggle for Peace and the Transformation of Soviet identity after World War II, November 2016

Tampere University, seminar on Stalin's Personal Library: Inside the Mind of an Intellectual Dictator, February 2017

Conference on East-West Cultural Contacts, paper on Window to the West: The Communist Peace Movement and the Struggle against Isolationism in the late Stalin Era, University of Jyväskylä, February 2017

UCC History Research Seminar, Stalin's Scientist: J.D. Bernal and the Struggle for Peace, April 2017.

Dublin History Festival, Russian Revolution, September 2017  
<http://dublinfestivalofhistory.ie/the-russian-revolution-debate/>

Irish History Teachers' Association annual conference, lecture on The Russian Revolution and its Impact, October 2017

Conference on the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Munich agreement, Moscow September 2018, papers on British foreign policy and Munich and Soviet foreign policy and Munich  
Pan-Nationalism Workshop, paper on the World Peace Council as a Transnational Movement, Aleksanteri Institute, November 2019

Pan-Nationalism Workshop, Aleksanteri Institute, Helsinki, paper on the World Peace Council as a Transnational Movement, November 2018

Research Seminar, Helsinki Collegium for Advanced Studies, paper on Stalin's Peacemakers, November 2018

Research Seminar, Helsinki Collegium for Advanced Studies, paper on Stalin's Library, February 2019

BASEES Conference, Cambridge, paper on Stalin and the Peace Movement, April 2020

Conference on the Yalta Conference, paper on Witness to History: Kathleen Harriman's letters from Yalta, Livadia Palace, Yalta, May 2019

Symposium on Poputchiki: 'Useful Idiots' and Fellow-Travellers from Lenin to Putin, paper on the Authors' Appeal for World Peace, Helsinki Collegium for Advanced Studies, June 2019

Conference on the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the outbreak of World War II, paper Failed Détente: Polish-Soviet Relations on the Eve of the Second World War, Museum of the Great Patriotic War, Moscow, September 2019

Conference on From Deconstructing Walls to Deconstructing Walls, paper on Impenetrable Barriers? Moscow's Search for European College Security, VERA Centre for Russian and Border Studies, University of Eastern Finland, Joensuu, November 2019

Conference on the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the end of the Second World War, paper on Churchill and Stalin as Comrades-in-Arms, Museum of the Great Patriotic War, Moscow, September 2020

ASEEES Conference, online panel contribution on Stalin and the Peace Movement, November 2020

Research Seminar, Institute for Advanced Studies, Central European University, online presentation on Stalin's Personal Library, May 2021

Research Seminar, Aleksanteri Institute, University of Helsinki, online presentation on Continuities, Persistencies and Legacies in Russian and Soviet Foreign Policy, October 2021

Research Seminar, Polish Institute of Advanced Studies, Warsaw, presentation on Stalin's Library: A Dictator and His Books, October 2021

Research Seminar, Polish Institute of Advanced Studies, Warsaw, presentation on The Polish Origins of the Postwar Communist Peace Movement, January 2022