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economic structures; long run trends &
cycles (economy, policy, peasant uprisings,
class)
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ashita) over the treatment of Edo Japan
as an independent social system or sub-
system. My hypothesis and research
sees Japan as an independent world-
system (Wallerstein, Arrighi).

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Late 16th to late 19th century political, social and economic history. I am particularly interested in these areas as they affect villagers.

Current Project: I am currently engaged in long-term research on arable land redistribution systems (warichi, kadowari, etc.), with a particularly emphasis on how they were developed and employed by villagers in Echigo (modern Niigata prefecture).

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Dissertaion

on the calligraphy screens of Konoe Nobutada (1565-1614)

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Current Project: Contributor to *Copying the Master and Stealing His Secrets: Painting Education in Japan, 1600-1900*

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Current Project: Discourse on ethnic-nation (minzoku)

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 1600-1900
 (Japanese version: Edo jidai no isan, Chûô
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 18th century Jôdo Shinshû sermons; 3)
 wider study of relationship
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 nd lay people

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 demography & family sociology; Ryoma
 Project: 1860s population
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,
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*Male Colors: The Construction
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(Berkeley: U. of California Press, 1995)

Current Project: Urban
criminality in Tokugawa Japan; race-
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