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**COLLECTION REGISTER**

Name:	<b>Richter, Daniel K. (1954- )</b>	<b>MC 2012.8</b>
Material:	Papers (1980-2002)	
Volume:	0.5 linear feet (1 Document Box)	
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**BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE**

Daniel K. Richter, born on October 15, 1954 in Erie, Pennsylvania, taught as an American Studies and History Professor at Dickinson College. He received a B.A. from Thomas More College in 1976, and received an M.A. in 1977, an M.Phil. in 1979, and a Ph.D. in 1984, all from Columbia University. His area of expertise involved Early American History as well as Native American History. Before coming to Dickinson College, Daniel Richter worked at the College of William and Mary, Millersville State College, Pace University, and Seton Hall University. He left Dickinson College in 1998 to teach at the University of Pennsylvania.

Daniel Richter has won several awards for his work. For his "War and Culture: The Iroquois Experience" (1983), he won the 1983 Harold L Peterson Award for best article in American Military History from the Eastern National Parks and Monument Association and the 1983 Prize for Best Article in *William and Mary Quarterly*. For his work *A Framework for Pennsylvanian Indian History* (1990), he won the 1991 Milton Klein Prize from the Pennsylvania Historical Association. For *The Ordeal of the Longhouse* (1992), he won the 1993 Ray Allen Billington Prize and the 1993 Frederick Jackson Turner Award, both from the Organization of American Historians. Finally, for his book *Facing East from Indian Country: A Native History of Early America* (2001), he was awarded the 2001-02 Louis Gottschalk Prize in Eighteenth-Century History and was a finalist for the Pulitzer Prize.

**COLLECTION DESCRIPTION**

The Daniel K. Richter papers are housed in one document box and reflect material gathered from numerous sources within the College Archives. The collection has been arranged into four categories: Correspondence, Dickinson College, Papers Presented, and Publications.

The Correspondence category includes letters from colleagues regarding a draft of an article he had submitted for their feedback.

The Dickinson College category includes two copies of Daniel Richter's curriculum vita as well as press releases sent out by the college regarding Richter's professional achievements.

The Papers Presented category includes typed copies of presentations that were delivered at various professional conferences. The organizations represented include the American Society for Ethnohistory, the Organization of American Historians, the American Historical Association, the Pennsylvania Historical Association, the Conference on Iroquois Research, the American Studies Association, and others.

The Publications category includes title pages of scholarly articles, as well as book reviews, authored by Daniel Richter. This category also includes copies of reviews of Richter's published books. Finally, this category includes newspaper clippings relating the Richter's activities and awards.

## COLLECTION INVENTORY

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#### CORRESPONDENCE

- Folder 01) From Peter Marshall - Aug. 18, 1995
- From Colin (Dartmouth College) - Aug. 30, 1995
- From Roger Lewis - Sep. 4, 1995
- From Peter Marshall - Sep. 28, 1995
- From \_\_\_\_ Low - Nov. 14, 1995

#### DICKINSON COLLEGE

- Folder 02) Curriculum vitae - 1985 and 1998
- Folder 03) Press Releases - 1992-97

#### PAPERS PRESENTED

- Folder 04) "League and Confederacy in the Colonial Period" - Oct. 13, 1985
- Folder 05) "The Iroquois and Their Indian Neighbor in Colonial North America" - Nov. 9, 1985
- Folder 06) "Iroquoian and Algonqui[a]n Ethnohistory" - 1986
- Folder 07) "New York, New France, and the Five Nations Iroquois: The 1660s as Turning Point"- April 11, 1986
- Folder 08) "War, Peace, and Politics in Seventeenth-Century Iroquoia" - Nov. 15, 1987
- Folder 09) "Emic History and Etic History: Comments on Francis Jennings' 'The Natural History of Nonsense'" - Nov. 12, 1988
- Folder 10) "'Queen Anne's American Kings' In a Transatlantic Network of Politics" - Dec. 30, 1988
- Folder 11) "The Historiography of Indian Pennsylvania: A Framework for Recent Research" - Oct. 20, 1989
- Folder 12) "The Iroquois in a Euro-American World: The 1730s and 1740s" - Sep. 23, 1990

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### PAPERS PRESENTED (cont.)

- Folder 13) "Crossing the St. Lawrence to the Promised Land: Religion and Politics in the Iroquois Migrations of the 1670s" - Oct. 6, 1991
- Folder 14) "Rights and Native Americans in Early America" - Nov. 3, 1991
- Folder 15) "Onas and the Long Knives: Pennsylvania-Indian Relations, 1783-1791" - Mar. 27, 1992
- Folder 16) "Native Americans and Colonial Diplomacy: The Northeast" - Apr. 5, 1992
- Folder 17) "Moravian Indians, Communities, and Identities in the Eighteenth Century Northeast" - Nov. 6, 1993
- Folder 18) "Solutions to the Indian 'Problem'" - Apr. 9, 1994
- Folder 19) "Cultural Uses of Mapping in Colonial America: Explorations, Representations, and Cross-Cultural Views" - Apr. 1, 1995
- Folder 20) "Demographic Tensions and Economic Competition: The Fur Trade in the Great Lakes Region" - Jun. 3, 1995
- Folder 21) "Early American Republicans and other Americans: Three Themes for a Common Narrative" - Jul. 20, 1995
- Folder 22) "Ethnicity, Religion, and Collective Identities in the Old Northwest" - Jul. 22, 1995
- Folder 23) "Pennsylvania at War in the Mid-Eighteenth Century" - Oct. 4, 1996
- Folder 24) "Pocahontas and Tekakwitha: Alternative Narratives" - Oct. 6, 1996
- Folder 25) "Law on the Edge: Natives, Colonists, and the Middle Ground" - Apr. 2, 1998
- Folder 26) "Indian Relations in the New Republic" - Jul. 18, 1998
- Folder 27) "Onas, the Long Knife: Pennsylvania and Indians, 1783-1794" - undated

### PUBLICATIONS

- Folder 28) Scholarly articles by Richter (title pages) - 1980-2002
- Folder 29) Book reviews authored by Richter - 1986-92
- Folder 30) 1 Review of Richter's *Rediscovered Links in the Covenant Chain: Previously Unpublished Transcripts of New York Indian Treaty Minutes* - 1985
- Folder 31) 13 Reviews of Richter's *Beyond the Covenant Chain: The Iroquois and Their Neighbors in Indian North America, 1600-1800* - 1988-90
- Folder 32) 22 Reviews of Richter's *The Ordeal of the Longhouse: The Peoples of the Iroquois League in the Era of European Colonization* - 1992-94
- Folder 33) Newspaper Clippings - 1990-98

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