

L. Patrick Hughes

Education

- B.A., History, University of Texas at Austin, January 8, 1974
- M.A., History, University of Texas at Austin, December 20, 1975
- Additional Graduate Studies, University of Texas at Austin, 1976-1979, 1990-1991
- Fifty-four post-M.A. graduate hours

Teaching Experience

- Professor of History, Austin Community College, 1977-Present
- Guest Lecturer, Elderhostel/Exploritas Program, University of Texas Continuing Education, 1999-Present
- Visiting Lecturer, Texas State University at San Marcos, Summer 2006

Courses Taught:

- History 1301 – U. S. History To 1877
- History 1302 – U. S. History Since 1877
- History 1302 PCM – U. S. History Since 1877 (Internet course)
- History 2301 – History of Texas
- History 2301 PCM – History of Texas (Internet course)
- History 2341 – Depression America, 1929-1941
- History 4375A – The Political Transformation of Texas, 1930-Present

Teaching Awards:

- Phi Theta Kappa Excellence Award (1982)
- Phi Theta Kappa Excellence Award (1992)
- ACC Alternate Nominee, Minnie Stevens Piper Award (1996)
- National Community College Consortium Faculty Excellence Award (1996)
- Certificate of Honor, Consortium for Community College Development (1996)
- NISOD Teaching Excellence Award (1997)
- *Who's Who Among American Teachers 2000* (2000)
- *Who's Who Among American Teachers 2005* (2005)

- Ottis Lock Educator of the Year Award, East Texas Historical Association (2002)

Other Awards:

- H. Bailey Carroll Award from Texas State Historical Association for "To Meet Fire With Fire: Lyndon Johnson, Tom Miller, and Home Front Politics," Best Article in Vol. C (1997) of the *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*
- Sabbatical Recipient, Austin Community College, 2002-2003
- Fred C. White, Jr. Research Fellowship in Texas History, Texas State Historical Association, 2003
- William Curry Holden Research Grant in West Texas History, West Texas Historical Association, 2003
- Ottis Lock Research Grant, East Texas Historical Association, 2009
- C. K. Chamberlain Award from East Texas Historical Association for "Private Trials of a Public Man: Jimmie Allred and the Vicissitudes of Family," Best Article in Vol. XLVIII (2009) of the *East Texas Historical Journal*
- Fellow, East Texas Historical Association (named September 18, 2010)

Recent Professional Service:

- Member, Texas State Historical Association, H. Bailey Carroll Award Committee, 1999 and 2000
- Chair, Texas State Historical Association, H. Bailey Carroll Award Committee, 2001
- Member, Texas State Historical Association's Coral Horton Tullis Memorial Prize Committee, 2006
- Member, Texas State Historical Association's 2009 Program Committee
- Member, Editorial Board, East Texas Historical Association, 2005-2008
- Member, Board of Directors, East Texas Historical Association, 2007-2010
- Member, Board of Directors, Texas Folklore Society, 2006 - 2007
- Vice-President/Program Chair, Texas Folklore Society, 2007-2008
- President, Texas Folklore Society, 2008-2009
- Chair, Nominations Committee, Texas Folklore Society, 2009-2010
- Member, Board of Directors, Texas Oral History Association, 2009-2015

Publications:

- “Working Within the System: Lyndon Johnson and Tom Miller, 1937-1939,” *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*, Vol. XCVI, No. 2 (Oct.,1992), pp. 178-212.
- “Waging War with the Regulars: Lyndon Johnson’s 1946 Renomination Battle,” *Locus: An Historical Journal of Regional Perspectives*, Vol. 5, No. 1 (Fall,1992), pp. 55-81.
- “To Meet Fire With Fire: Lyndon Johnson, Tom Miller, and Home Front Politics,” *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*, Vol. C, No. 4 (April,1997), pp. 452-476.
- “West Texas Swing: Roosevelt Purge in the Land of the Lone Star?,” *West Texas Historical Association Yearbook* (Fall,1999), pp. 41-53.
- “Beyond Denial: Glimpses of Depression-era San Antonio,” *Journal of South Texas*, Vol. XIV, No. 2 (Fall,2001), pp. 223-258.
- “Praising Potted Pork Parts: Austin’s One and Only Spamarama,” in Francis Edward Abernethy, ed., *2001: A Folklore Odyssey* (Denton, Tx.: University of North Texas Press, 2001), pp. 256-265.
- “The Politics of Schizophrenia: San Antonio Grapples with the Great Depression,” *South Texas Studies*, Vol. 13 (2002), pp. 51-69.
- “Rail Remembrances: The Train in Folk Memory and Imagination,” in Kenneth L. Untiedt, ed., *Folklore in Motion: Texas Travel Lore* (Denton: University of North Texas Press, 2007), pp. 149-158.
- “The Past at Rest: Two Historic Austin Cemeteries,” in Kenneth L. Untiedt, ed., *Death Lore: Texas Rituals, Superstitions, and Legends of the Hereafter* (Denton: University of North Texas Press, 2008), pp. 30-39.
- “An Enduring Relationship: TFS and Folk Music,” in Kenneth L. Untiedt, ed., *Celebrating 100 Years of the Texas Folklore Society* (Denton: University of North Texas Press, 2009)
- “Private Trials of a Public Man: Jimmie Allred and the Vicissitudes of Family,” *East Texas Historical Journal*, Vol. XLVIII, No. 2 (Fall, 2009)

Published Reviews:

- Review of John A. Adams, Jr.’s Damming the Colorado: The Rise of the Lower Colorado River Authority, 1933-1939, *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*, October, 1991
- Review of Joe Phipp’s Behind the Scenes with LBJ in '48: Recollections of a Political Drama, *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*, October, 1993

- Review of Robert Mann's The Walls of Jericho: Lyndon Johnson, Hubert Humphrey, Richard Russell, and the Struggle for Civil Rights, *Austin American-Statesman*, August 11, 1996
- Review of Joe E. Clark's The Fall of the Duke of Duval, *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*, October, 1996
- Review of Laura Hlavach and Darwin Payne's Reporting the Kennedy Assassination: Journalists Who Were There Recall Their Experiences, *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*, July, 1997
- Review of Carole Barta's Bill Clements: Texian to his Toenails, *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*, July, 1997
- Review of Don E. Carleton's A Breed So Rare: The Life of J. R. Parten, Liberal Texas Oil Man, 1896-1992, *East Texas Historical Journal*, January, 1999
- Review of William J. Weissinger, Jr.'s Attention Fool! A Crewman of the U.S.S. Houston Survives Its Sinking and Japanese Death Camps in Burma, *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*, January 1999
- Review of Kenneth B. Ragsdale's Big Bend Country: Land of the Unexpected, *Journal of South Texas*, Spring, 1999
- Review of James Wright Steely's Parks For Texas: Enduring Landscapes of the New Deal, *East Texas Historical Journal*, January, 2000
- Review of William Henry Kellar's Make Haste Slowly: Moderates, Conservatives, and School Desegregation in Houston, *Journal of South Texas*, Spring, 2000
- Review of Laurie E. Jasinski's Hill Country Backroads, *Journal of South Texas*, Spring, 2002
- Review of Bert Almon's This Stubborn Self: Texas Autobiographies, *East Texas Historical Journal*, Fall, 2003
- Review of Thomas W. Conger and Sherwin J. Markman, eds., Lyndon Johnson Remembered: An Intimate Portrait of a Presidency, *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*, July 2004
- Review of T. Lindsay Baker's More Ghost Towns of Texas, *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*, October, 2004
- Review of Kenneth E. Hendrickson, Jr., Michael L. Collins, and Patrick Cox's Profiles in Power: Twentieth-Century Texans in Washington, *East Texas Historical Journal*, Spring, 2005
- Review of Philip Parisi's The Texas Post Office Murals: Art for the People, *East Texas Historical Journal*, Spring, 2005

- Review of Ricky Dobbs' Yellow Dogs and Republicans: Allan Shivers and Texas Two-Party Politics, *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*, January, 2006
- Review of David Johnson's The Mason County 'Hoo Doo' War, 1874-1902, *Journal of South Texas*, Spring, 2007
- Review of Kenneth Bridge's Twilight of the Texas Democrats: The 1978 Governor's Race, *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*, January, 2009
- Review of Gary Hartman's The History of Texas Music, scheduled for upcoming issue of *East Texas Historical Journal*
- Review of Kenneth J. Fernlund's Lyndon B. Johnson and Modern America, *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*, October, 2010
- Review of Anthony Champagne, Douglas B. Harris, James W. Riddlesperger, Jr. and Garrison Nelson's The Austin/Boston Connection: Five Decades of House Democratic Leadership, 1937-1989, *East Texas Historical Journal*, Winter, 2011

Presentations:

- "The ACC Time Machine: An Historical Field Trip Program," Texas State Historical Association, March, 1980
- "Far From the Public Eye: The Reelection of Congressman Lyndon B. Johnson, 1942," Texas State Historical Association, March, 1993
- "Every Day on the Editorial Page: As Lyndon Saw Himself in the Work of Political Cartoonists," East Texas Historical Association, February, 1997
- "Cemetery Crawling in the State Capital: Austin's Historic Cemeteries," Texas Folklore Society, April, 1997
- "Every Day on the Editorial Page: As Lyndon Saw Himself in the Work of Political Cartoonists," Vaqueros (San Antonio Chapter of Westerners International), June, 1997
- "Cemetery Crawling in the State Capital: Austin's Historic Cemeteries," San Antonio Genealogical and Historical Society, January, 1998
- Commentator, "The Lone Star State and Presidential Politics in the 1940s," Texas State Historical Association, March, 1998
- "Critical Problems, Crucial Decisions: Austin, Texas in the Great Depression," East Texas Historical Association, February, 1999
- Chair, "Preserving and Propagating Our Texas Musical Heritage," Texas State Historical Association, March, 1999

- “West Texas Swing: Roosevelt Purge in the Land of the Lone Star?,” West Texas Historical Association, March, 1999
- “West Texas Swing: Roosevelt Purge in the Land of the Lone Star?,” Emeritus Professors Lectures, Austin Community College, October, 1999
- “Beyond Denial: San Antonio and the Great Depression,” Vaqueros (San Antonio Chapter of Westerners International), October, 1999
- Chair, “East Texas in the Kennedy-Johnson Years,” East Texas Historical Association, February, 2000
- “Ma, Pa, and Pappy: Only in Texas,” Vaqueros (San Antonio Chapter of Westerners International), September, 2000
- “Praising Potted Pork Parts: Austin’s One and Only Spamarama,” Texas Folklore Society, April, 2001
- “Beyond Denial: Glimpses of Depression-era San Antonio,” Emeritus Professors Lectures, Austin Community College, October, 2001
- “The Politics of Schizophrenia: San Antonio Grapples with the Great Depression,” John W. Stormont Lectures on South Texas, Victoria College, February, 2002
- “The Unlikely Origins of San Antonio’s Tourist Industry,” South Texas Historical Association, April, 2002
- “The Unlikely Origins of San Antonio’s Tourist Industry,” San Antonio Historical Association, November, 2002
- “Critical Problems, Crucial Decisions: Austin, Texas in the Great Depression,” Texas State Historical Association Institute of Texas Studies, July, 2003
- “Celebrity Politics: W. Lee O’Daniel and the Power of Radio Entertainment,” Emeritus Professors Lectures, Austin Community College, October, 2003
- “Private Trials of a Public Man: Jimmie Allred and the Vicissitudes of Family,” Texas State Historical Association, March, 2004
- “Pickin’ through the Depression Years,” East Texas Historical Association, September, 2004
- “Foundations for the Future: Lyndon Johnson, Tom Miller, and Austin, Texas,” Lyndon Baines Johnson Presidential Library, November, 2004
- “Pickin’ through the Depression Years,” Victoria Independent School District In-Service Training, Victoria College, January, 2005
- Session Chair, Texas Folklore Society, March, 2005

- “Celebrity Politics: W. Lee O’Daniel and the Power of Radio Entertainment,” Austin Friends of Folk Art, June, 2005
- “Competing Venues: Jimmie Allred, Political Ambition, and Judicial Security,” East Texas Historical Association, September, 2005
- “Music Bridging Generations: *Will The Circle Be Unbroken*,” Emeritus Professors Lectures, Austin Community College, October, 2005
- Session Chair, “The Roots of Texas Music,” Texas State Historical Association, March 3, 2006
- “Lone Star *Jihad*: Democratic Holy Wars and the Rebirth of Texas Republicanism,” Phi Alpha Theta Annual Banquet, Texas State University, April 06, 2006
- “Pickin’ through the Depression Years,” Caldwell County Historical Commission, June 15, 2006
- “Celebrity Politics: W. Lee ‘Pappy’ O’Daniel and the Power of Radio Entertainment,” South Austin Campus Showcase – Austin Community College, September 16, 2006
- “Lone Star *Jihad*: Democratic Holy Wars and the Rebirth of Texas Republicanism,” Austin Retired Teachers Association, March 4, 2007
- “Rural Edens or Jillion Dollar Foolishness: The Woodlake and Ropesville Resettlement Projects,” West Texas Historical Association, March 31, 2007
- “Rail Remembrances: The Train in Folk Memory and Imagination,” Texas Folklore Society, April 6, 2007
- “Mid-Century East Texas Politics and Race: James Allred, Beauford Jester, Allan Shivers, and Price Daniel,” East Texas Historical Association, September 28, 2007
- “Hobo Heaven: The Big Rock Candy Mountains,” East Texas Historical Association, September, 2008
- Session Chair, “Saints and Sinners,” East Texas Historical Association, February 20, 2009
- Session Chair, “The People Known as Redbones and Multi-Ethnic Legacies in East Texas,” East Texas Historical Association, February 21, 2009
- Session Chair, “Texas Folklore and Its Preservation,” Texas State Historical Association, March, 2009

- “A Marriage of Convenience: FDR, the Democratic Party, and Organized Labor,” We The People: America’s Party System of Politics Institute, Texas State University – San Marcos, August, 2009
- “The 1924 Texas Gubernatorial Primary Klan-Ferguson Showdown,” High Noon Talks, Bob Bullock Texas State History Museum, October, 2009
- “Jimmie Allred and the War of Forty-four: Regulars, Loyalists, and the Battle for Texas’ Electoral Votes,” East Texas Historical Association, February, 2010
- “The Big Rock Candy Mountains: The Unlikely Provenance of an Iconic Depression-era Folk Song,” Texas State Historical Association, March, 2010
- “Hard Times; Honest Music: An Eclectic Sampling of Depression-era Folk Songs,” Texas Folklore Society, April, 2010
- “More Pickin’ Through the Depression Years,” East Texas Historical Association, September, 2010
- Session Chair, “Exploring East Texas History Through Music,” East Texas Historical Association, September, 2010
- “Shall We Gather At The River,” East Texas Historical Association, February, 2011

Guest Lectures at UT Elderhostel/*Exploritas* Program (1999-Present):

- “Where Worlds Collide: Challenging the Texas Stereotype”
- “The World Turned Upside Down: Reconstruction in Texas”
- “’Tis An Angry Wind That Blows: Populism in Texas”
- “Only in Texas: Ma, Pa, and Pappy”
- “In The Driver’s Seat: Texas Democrats and the New Deal”
- “From the Jawbone of An Ass: The Court Fight, Dissident Democrats, and the Rebirth of the Republican Party in Texas”
- “Liberal Nationalist: Congressman Lyndon Johnson and the Tenth Congressional District”
- “When The Time Is Right: Lyndon Johnson, Political Pragmatism and Civil Rights”
- “Cemetery Crawling in the State Capital: Two Historic Austin Cemeteries”
- “Every Day on the Editorial Page: As Lyndon Saw Himself in the Work of Editorial Cartoonists”
- “Goats, God, and Gall: The Tex-Mex Border Blasters”
- “Sittin’ and Singin’: Texas Tunes”

Recent Departmental Service:

- Coordinator, Emeritus Professors Lectures, Austin Community College, 1998-2007
- Chair, Faculty Evaluation Committee, History Department, Austin Community College, 1999-2001; Member, 2007
- Assistant Chair, History Department, Austin Community College, 1999-2001, 2003-2008

Current Research:

Dreamer on Horseback: The Life and Times of James V. Allred

Professional Memberships:

Texas State Historical Association, East Texas Historical Association, South Texas Historical Association, West Texas Historical Association, Southern Historical Association, Texas Folklore Society, Friends of the LBJ Library, Texas Oral History Association, Texas Community College Teachers Association, Austin Community College/American Federation of Teachers, #8041