



# **Company of Military Historians**

## **Press Release**

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April 22, 2012

At the Company of Military Historians Annual Meeting at Baltimore, MD on April 21, 2012, the Company announced the Fellows Class of 2012. A member may be named a ***Fellow of the Company of Military Historians*** for outstanding accomplishments in a variety of areas. This honor is reserved for those who have demonstrated noteworthy scholarship and service, both within the Company and in the field of military history in general.

Dr. Steven M. Baule of Poplar Grove, Illinois, was recognized as a Fellow for his service to the Company and to his many accomplishments in military history.

- He made contributions to *Military Collector & Historian* through his articles and book reviews.
- He has supported the Company of Military Historians through his many hours of work on the Company Web site and through other electronic media.
- He especially made major contributions to upgrade and modernize our website, making it more accessible and relevant.
- He has made significant contributions to military history through his books that cover British eighteenth century service in North America and his work on early nineteenth century Fort Atkinson, Iowa.
- He has written over twenty-five scholarly articles for a variety of publications outside the Company.

His actions both within and outside of the Company of Military Historians and his willingness to share his time and knowledge with others reflect great credit upon Dr. Baule and the Company of Military Historians. Accordingly the Board of Governors recognized Steven M. Baule as a Fellow.

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Dr. Baule is currently the superintendent of schools for North Boone CUSD 200. He holds a bachelor's degree in history from Loras College in Dubuque, Iowa and a master's degree in library science from the University of Iowa. He holds doctorates from Northern Illinois University and Loyola University of Chicago. In addition to the military history texts mentioned in the citation above, Dr. Baule has written five books on aspects of educational technology planning. His sixth educational title, *Social Networking for Schools* will be published this summer by ABC-CLIO of Santa Barbara, CA.

The Company also recognized Todd Braisted, a researcher and presenter focused on American Loyalists in the American Revolution and Marc Sammis, curator of the US Army Transportation Museum at Ft. Eustis, VA, as part of the Fellows Class of 2012.

The Company of Military Historians started in 1949 to study the history and material culture of military forces which served in the Americas. The Company publishes the journal *Military Collector and Historian* and series of detailed Military Uniforms in America plates. Membership is open to adults of eighteen years and over who have demonstrated a keen interest in some phase of military history. The main qualification is a strong desire to share one's knowledge and expertise. The Company is controlled and managed by a Board of Governors of nine members, elected by the entire membership. The Company is recognized as a not-for-profit organization.

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