## Ty Smith

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Willing to relocate: Anywhere

Authorized to work in the US for any employer

### WORK EXPERIENCE

## **College History Instructor**

Cedar Valley College - August 2015 to Present

Teaching, Dual Credit, World Civilization 1 & 2. DeSoto High School

## **College History Instructor**

Tarrant County College - August 2014 to Present

Teaching freshman US History, pre- and post-Civil War.

Have also taught Dual Credit US History at Mansfield High School

## **Program Developer, VISTA**

AmeriCorps - July 2016 to October 2016

## **Relationship Banker**

Chase Bank - Fort Worth, TX - June 2013 to August 2014

## **EDUCATION**

## **Master of Arts, History**

University of Texas at Arlington

#### **SKILLS**

Teaching, Online Instruction. (2 years), Academic Writing in History (5 years), Teaching, Lecture Format (2 years)

#### **LINKS**

http://www.barnesandnoble.com/w/the-british-exploration-of-the-pacific-ty-smith/1122426865?type=eBook

#### **AWARDS**

## **UT Arlington Honors College, Study Abroad, Ireland**

May 2008

## CERTIFICATIONS/LICENSES

## **FINRA Series 63, Securities License**

September 2013 to September 2015

## FINRA Series 6, Securities License

September 2013 to September 2015

## **Notary Public, State of Texas**

September 2013 to September 2015

**GROUPS** 

#### American Historical Association

January 2008 to Present

**PUBLICATIONS** 

# THE BRITISH EXPLORATION OF THE PACIFIC: THE ENCOUNTERS OF WILLIAM DAMPIER AND JAMES COOK WITH THE PACIFIC WORLD, 1679-1779

http://www.barnesandnoble.com/w/the-british-exploration-of-the-pacific-ty-smith/1122426865?type=eBook July 2015

This book looks into the Pacific Island voyages of two British explorers and their observations and interpretations of the Pacific societies and cultures they encountered. More specifically the book has attempted to reveal the similarities and divergences between these two British explorers and their respective interpretations of Pacific natives. Furthermore, the backdrop of Enlightenment thought is used to elucidate a better understanding of the encounters of the two very different societies of Western Europe and the Pacific world during the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. Finally, this work is important in that it sheds light on the relevance of better understanding attitudes and assumptions held by European explorers during this era; this is especially significant considering the continuing ramifications of imperialism around the globe.