## Mara Hunter (née Kozelsky)

The second phase of this project, January 2025-December 2025, will gather additional oral histories between Daphne and Fairhope, and will create a digital tour of African American Historical landmarks along the Eastern Shore.

## Russian and Eastern European History

My career began (and continues) with research in Russian and Eastern European History; most of my publications are in that area. To date, I have published 4 books, 2 of which are co-edited volumes; more than 20 articles; contributed to multiple television and newspaper accounts of the annexation of Crimea, and war in Ukraine; and delivered nearly 50 conference presentations and invited lectures.

Embedded with my long term focus on religious nationalism and war, my research has examined Russian state-sponsored historic preservation efforts and programs in contested spaces, particularly Crimea. Books with a Historic Preservation theme are indicated below:

- Kozelsky, M. 2019. rimea i ar a d ra forma io Oxford University Press, 2019.
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- Kozelsky, M. et al. 2008. elec ive emembra ce rchaeology i he
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  University of Chicago Press, 2008. (with Philip L. Kohl and Nachman
  Ben-Yehuda).
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## Selected Service to the Profession

- Fairhope Historic Preservation Commission, 2024-Present
- Fairhope Historic Preservation Committee, 2020-2024
- Volunteer, Blithewold, 2020-21
- Volunteer, Newport Historic Preservation Society, 2019
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- Executive Board, Southern Conference on Slavic Studies, 2024-Present

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