

Dr. Charles Hubbard, PhD, is Professor of History and Lincoln Historian at Lincoln Memorial University (LMU) in Harrogate, Tennessee. Hubbard was previously Director of the Abraham Lincoln Library and Museum for 12 years, where on behalf of the Museum and the University, he developed some impressive relationships with Lincoln scholars from all over the world. From 1998 to 2002, Hubbard also served as Vice President for Lincoln Studies at LMU.

In 2009, Hubbard was one of the distinguished Lincoln scholars to receive a special Abraham Lincoln Bicentennial edition of The Order of Lincoln, the highest honor bestowed by the State of Illinois. Some of the Bicentennial honorees were recognized for a single accomplishment, such as a powerful work of art, a particularly significant publication or artistic production, and others were recognized for a lifetime of work to perpetuate Lincoln's legacy. Hubbard earned the honor for his lifetime of work which includes eight books.

Hubbard has received a number of honors throughout his career at LMU. In 2005, he received the Lincoln Diploma of Honor, an honor that the LMU Board of Trustees gives to those individuals who perpetuate Lincoln's legacy by providing significant contributions. He received LMU's Houston Award for Excellence in Teaching in 2011 and Lincoln Award for Outstanding Professional Achievement in 1998; he was inducted into LMU's Literary Hall of Fame in 2007.

Hubbard received his Bachelor of Arts Degree in History from Mercer University, his Master of Arts in History from Middle Tennessee State University, and his Ph.D. from the University of Tennessee in Knoxville. During his doctoral work, his specialty area was the diplomatic history of the Civil War era.

Hubbard has taught at Middle Tennessee State University, Cleveland State Community College and UT Knoxville. Under the auspices of the Fulbright Foundation, he taught American History at the University of Mahasarakham in Thailand and De La Salle University in the Philippines.

Hubbard is a Senior Fulbright Specialist and has received several grants for research and study abroad, including the Philippines and Malaysia. Research grants have included the Bernadotte Schmitt Research Grant and the New Jersey Historical Commission. He received the prestigious Mellon Foundation research grant from the Appalachian College Association. He is a John Nicholas Brown Fellow at Brown University.

Hubbard has published eight books:

- *The Many Faces of Lincoln* (1997);
- *The Burden of Confederate Diplomacy* (1998);
- *Lincoln and His Contemporaries* (1999);
- *Historic Reflection on U.S. Governance and Civil Society* (2001);
- *Corregidor in War and Peace* (2006);
- *Lincoln under Enemy Fire: The Complete Account of His Experiences during Early's Attack on Washington* (edited, 2009);
- *In His Words: Readings from the Life of Abraham Lincoln* with Michael Toomey (2014); and
- *Lincoln, the Law, and Presidential Leadership* (2017).