

# INDIVIDUAL RESEARCH

## Richard H. Beal

**Richard H. Beal** spent this past year updating articles for and copy editing portions of the Š volume of the *Chicago Hittite Dictionary*. Outside of dictionary work, he wrote the article for the *Reallexikon der Assyriologie* on Hittite rivercraft and on the ships of the Hittites and their subjects that sailed the Mediterranean. For the same multivolume work he wrote the article “Soldat bei den Hethiter,” that is, Hittite soldiers. More recently he has completed a review for *Catholic Biblical Quarterly* of *The Hittites and Their World*, a book written by his old Chicago Hittite Dictionary colleague Billie-Jean Collins, which describes Hittite history and culture and provides a most thorough discussion of Biblical references to the Hittites, both well known and obscure. He has also written a chapter entitled “Hittite Anatolia — Political History” for the *Oxford Handbook on Anatolian Studies*. In addition, he edited, along with Steven Holloway and JoAnn Scurlock, a book collecting the essays given at the 2007 Society of Biblical Literature meetings in honor of the late Tikva Frymer-Kensky, assyriologist and professor of Hebrew Bible at the University of Chicago. The book is to be entitled *In the Wake of Tikva Frymer-Kensky*.

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