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EDUCATION - DEGREES

Ph.D. Bryn Mawr College (1973) M.A. Bryn Mawr College (1971) B.A. Trinity College (1967)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

UNIVERSITY

Associate Professor, Philosophy, University of Florida, 1979-Assistant Professor, Philosophy, University of Florida, 1973-79 Affiliate Professor, Criminal Justice, University of Florida, 1979-85 Affiliate Professor, German, University of Florida, 2000-04

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Kant's Moral Teleology. Mercer University Press, 1982.

Articles

- 1. "The Unimportance of Kant's Highest Good," Journal of the History of Philosophy, April 1979, 121-34.
- 2. "The Right Not to be Eaten," Inquiry 22 April 1979, 221-30.
- 3. "Kant's Conception of the Private Sphere," *The Philosophical Forum*, Summer 1982.
- 4. "A Tale of Three Campuses," *Thought and Action: The NEA Higher Education Journal*, Vol. 1, No. 1, Fall 1984, 137-49.
- 5. "Poetry and Self-Knowledge in Rural Life," Agriculture and Human Values, Spring 1985, 15-27.
- 6. "Justice for Farm Workers," Logos (1985), Vol. 6, 149-63.
- 7. "The Meaning of Cost-Effective Education," Foundations of Education, edited by Erskine S. Dottin, (Lexington, Mass: Ginn and Company, 1985), 148-152.
- 8. "Justice for Farm Workers," Poverty, Justice, and the Law: New Essays on Needs, Rights, and Obligations, edited by George Lucas, Jr. (Lanham, MD: University Press of America, 1986) 149-63. (reprint)

- 9. "The Process of Morality," *Hegel and Whitehead: Contemporary Perspectives on Systematic Philosophy*, edited by George Lucas (Albany: State University of New York Press, 1986), 219-38.
- 10."The Debate over Cultural Imperialism," *Proceedings and Addresses of the American Philosophical Association*, June 1986, 753-57.
- 11. "Debate Sobre el Imperialismo Cultural," *Cuadernos Americanos*, Mayo-Junio 1987, 140-46 (translation and reprint).
- 12. "Cultural Pluralism and Regional Realities," *Agriculture and Human Values*, Fall 1985, 86-88.
- 13. "Beyond the Culture of Immediacy," *Philosophie et Culture* (Montreal: Editions Montmorency, 1988), 677-81.
- 14."The Bottom Line for the University-as-Corporation," *Thought and Action: The NEA Higher Education Journal*, Spring 1988, 113-16.
- 15. "Abolishing Apartheid: The Importance of Sanctions," *Inquiries into Values*, ed. Sander Lee, (Lewiston, NY: Mellen Press, 1988), 441-57.
- 16. "The Value of Academic Freedom," *Thinking About Education*, ed. Erskine Dottin (Lanham, MD: University Press of America, 1990), 1-26.
- 17. "Toward Multicultural Philosophy," *Teaching Philosophy*, June 1991, 189-99.
- 18. "Justice for Farmworkers," *Moral Controversies*, edited by Stephen Jay Gold (Belmont, CA: Wadsworth Publishing, 1993), 448-57. (reprint)
- 19. "Debate sobre el imperialismo cultural," *Filosofar a la Altura del Hombre*, edited by Leopoldo Zea (Mexico City, Cuadernos de Cuadernos, 1993), 159-65. (Reprint; articles selected from Cuadernos)
- 20. "From Cultural Imperialism to Cultural Pluralism," *International Journal of the Humanities*, April 1993, 77-86.
- 21. "Immanuel Kant," *Philosophy of Education: An Encyclopedia*, edited by J.J. Chambliss (New York: Garland Publishing, 1996), 339-43.
- 22. "The World of Retribution," Autonomy and Community: Readings in Contemporary Kantian Social Philosophy, edited by Jane Kneller and Sidney Axinn, (Albany: State University of New York Press, 1998), 191-211.
- 23. "The Right Not to be Eaten," *Ethical Vegetarianism: From Pythagoras to Peter Singer*, edited by Kerry S. Walters and Lisa Portmess, (Albany: State University of New York, 1999), 177-87. (reprint)
- 24. "Higher Education and the National Security State," *Thought and Action: The NEA Higher Education Journal*, introduction to the "Special Focus" of the 2005 issue, 91-2.
- 25. "A New Progressive Era in Higher Education," *Thought and Action: The NEA Higher Education Journal*, introduction to the "Special Focus" of the 2009 issue, 83.

- 26. "Radical Transformations in Higher Education: Where Do We Go from Here?" *Thought and Action: The NEA Higher Education Journal* (2010), 59-69.
- 27. "Performance Funding for Higher Education: The Hidden Costs and Consequences," *Thought and Action: The NEA Higher Education Journal* (Summer 2015), 153-61.
- 28. "Organizing Faculty Unions in a 'Right to Work' Environment," *Journal of Collective Bargaining in the Academy* (December 2016), pp. 1-26.

Review Articles

Kant's Logic, a review of the Hartman and Schwarz translation of and commentary on Kant's Logic, *Journal of the History of Philosophy*, April 1977.

Kant on Moral Practice, a review of Rex Stevens' Kant on Moral Practice, *Journal of the History of Philosophy*, October 1983, 573-75.

Published Papers: International Conferences

"The Teleology of Kant's Ectypal World," Les Actes du Congres d'Ottawa sur Kant, (Ottawa: Editiones de l'Universite d'Ottawa, 1976), 513-19.

"Kant's Theory of Retribution," Akten des Siebenten Internationalen Kant Kongresses. Kufürstliches Schloss zu Mainz, 1990, hrsg. von G. Funke (Bonn: Bouvier, 1991), 44-52.

Published Papers: National Conferences

"Toward a Comprehensive Theory of Tax Equity," Sharing the Burden of Government: Proceedings of the Conference on Tax Equity, edited by John Cooke and Edward Ford, (Tampa: University of South Florida, 1980).

"Thought Control from the Right," Fascism(s): Proceedings of the Conference on Fascism(s), edited by Allen Carey-Webb and Monika Fischer, (Eugene, OR: University of Oregon, 1992), 1-26.

"Collective Bargaining and Labor Representation for Higher Education in a 'Right to Work' Environment," 43rd Annual Conference of the National Conference of the National Center for the Study of Collective Bargaining in Higher Education and the Professions, CUNY Graduate Center, New York, New York. National Center Proceedings 2016, *Journal of Collective Bargaining in the Academy*.

Reviews

Struggle for Synthesis, a review of L.E. Loemker's Struggle for Synthesis: The Seventeenth Century Background of Leibniz's Synthesis of Order and Freedom, Modern Age, Spring 1975.

Reports

"The Meaning of Cost-Effective Higher Education," American Federation of Teachers, Report of the Advisory Commission of Higher Education, No. 5, Summer 1979, 1-12.

"University Faculty Productivity: Issues, Choices, and Policy Recommendations," *Faculty Productivity Issues in the State Universities*, Council for Education Policy, Research and Improvement, July 2002, Appendix B 1-4.

Editorial Boards

Journal of the History of Philosophy, 1976-86

Thought and Action: The NEA Higher Education Journal, 1990-94, 2005-08

Expert Witness Testimony

Testimony given as an expert witness in ethics in eight cases involving the firing of teachers and faculty in Florida on charges of immorality (some transcripts available).

Prison Education

Instructor, Alachua County Corrections Center, 1977-83

Director of Higher Education, Alachua County Corrections Center, 1977-80

Steering Committee, Department of Rehabilitative Services, Alachua County, Florida, 1978-81

Faculty Union Elected Offices

President, United Faculty of Florida, 2001-15

First Vice President, United Faculty of Florida, 1991-93

Vice President for the State University System, United Faculty of Florida, 1990-91, 1993-97

President, United Faculty of Florida, University of Florida 1978-80, 1983-85, 1998-2001

First Vice President, United Faculty of Florida University of Florida, 2008-14