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I. Names and Affiliations

The SOPHIA project steering committee for this grant proposal consists of:

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<http://www.philosophersinamerica.com>.

II. Abstract

In 2013, SOPHIA will host two debates on the value of higher education, in particular of critical thinking, philosophy, and the role of liberal arts education in public culture. We are requesting \$5,000 of support total for two events, each we hope to benefit from \$2,500 of APA funding. The funds would support debate keynote participants' honoraria and travel in part, in combination with funding from host institutions, and, we hope, with funding from further agencies and foundations whom SOPHIA is approaching also. The first debate will be titled "What Should a College Education Be?" and will take place at California State University at Bakersfield. The second event is titled "Should Everyone Go to College? Cultures of Encouragement and Discouragement Concerning Higher Education," and will take place at the University of Mississippi in Oxford, MS. SOPHIA is applying to foundations for support, and APA sponsorship is a strong endorsement.

III. Account of the Project's Purpose and Timeline

Purpose. Today, public figures are calling for more Americans to go to college,¹ while others are questioning the value of critical thinking² and of supporting public higher education. In 2013, SOPHIA will host two debates related to these tensions. Our purpose is to present at each event two clearly contrasting and well-articulated points of view about the value of philosophy and of higher education in the United States, and about the extent to which all should

¹ Richard Kahlenberg, "The College-for-All Debate," *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, June 9, 2011, URL: <http://chronicle.com/blogs/innovations/the-college-for-all-debate/29623>.

² See Richard Whittaker, "GOP Opposes Critical Thinking: Party platform paints original ideas as a liberal conspiracy," *The Austin Chronicle*, June 27, 2012, URL: <http://www.austinchronicle.com/blogs/news/2012-06-27/gop-opposes-critical-thinking/>. It should be noted that this article refers particularly to news about the Texas Republican Party's explicit platform, not to other states' representatives or party platforms. It does not refer either to the national party.

be exposed to it. Each of these events will be open to the public and will include an extended session that is conversational in nature, per SOPHIA's symposium style, following the debate.

As in SOPHIA's previous programs supported by the APA, our goals with these events will include bringing together philosophers and non-philosophers to talk about interests and problems in common. Already from exchanges undertaken in SOPHIA's previous work, there have been many relationships and networks built and strengthened, which have widened opportunities for philosophers as well as community members where our events have occurred. For some events, SOPHIA has been able to offer continuing education credits for ethics to people like doctors, nurses, physical therapists, attorneys, and school teachers. At our events for 2013, we will likely be able to offer continuing education credits to public school teachers and guidance counselors. Beyond such offerings to surrounding communities, relationships have formed and strengthened, such as with doctors and medical centers, who have created fellowship programs for students of philosophy, focusing on bioethics at the University of Mississippi. Since our last APA supported SOPHIA event on disability at the University of Mississippi in 2011, a Chancellor's Standing Committee on Accessibility has been formed at the University of Mississippi, which will advise the university leadership on moral considerations related to disability. The APA supported SOPHIA program inspired and led in part to this development.

The key goals of SOPHIA events are to build relationships and to widen opportunities for philosophical discussion, employment, and engagement with wider publics. A second and long-term purpose for putting on these events with the support of the APA is to offer, along with our previous SOPHIA efforts, examples of what SOPHIA does and could do with even more support from such funders as the Templeton Foundation. In 2011, SOPHIA applied unsuccessfully to the APA for support. We were able for a year to obtain a bridge grant from the University of

Mississippi to put on our scheduled events. Plus, we have applied for support from the Templeton Foundation, though we were not successful on this first attempt. We will apply again and approach further foundations, described in section V. below, but we still have need for support from the APA until we can successfully gain support from foundations and other funding agencies.

Our two events in 2013 will start with a symposium at California State University at Bakersfield, organized by SOPHIA Trustee Dr. Jackie Kegley. The event is titled “What Should a College Education Be?” The event will have a debate format, before an open, wider discussion with the members of the audience. The plan for the event includes the following guiding questions:

Is a Liberal Arts Education centered on exploration of self-knowledge, human values and civic virtues gained via study of the various humanities disciplines – art, literature, history, language, philosophy, and religious studies – still a needed imperative today when science, technology and economics dominate our lives?

- A. Should a university education provide skills in critical thinking, reading, and moral reflection and analysis?
- B. Should a university education seek to instill values of tolerance for diversity of beliefs, views, and practices and a sense of civility and respect toward others?
- C. Should a university education seek to support and expand the vitality of a democratic society by educating all citizens?
- D. Should a university instill an understanding of both the promises and limitations of science and technology?
- E. Should a university focus on pre-professional training or a broad liberal education?
- F. Should a university education be class-based and elitist or inclusive and reflective of an open and diverse society?
- G. Should a university be concerned with educating citizens about issues of social justice, poverty and globalization?

There will be a debate on the central questions followed by a panel discussion and questions and answers from the audience. The event would invite key constituencies from the communities as well as all interested members of the public to attend. The audience will be provided with talking points and pro and con statements on the issues.

Proposed debaters include Andrew Delbanco, the Mendelson Family Chair of American Studies and Julian Clarence Levi Professor in the Humanities at Columbia University and Lawrence Mishel, a nationally-recognized economist and President of the Economic Policy Institute, a role he assumed in 2002. Dr. Mishel has co-authored 11 editions of *The State of Working America*.³ Further panelists might include Larry Gordan, Higher Education Editor/Reporter for *Los Angeles Times*, Jacquelyn Kegley, Professor of Philosophy at CSU, Bakersfield, and a local advocate for professional education, to be selected.

Next, at the University of Mississippi, SOPHIA will host a debate, organized by Trustee Dr. Eric Thomas Weber. The debate will be titled “Should Everyone Go to College? Cultures of Encouragement and Discouragement Concerning Higher Education.” This debate will be organized around a number of guiding questions:

- A. Is it wise for public figures to call for all to pursue some higher education?
- B. What are the risks of encouraging all to pursue higher education?
- C. Does democracy require opportunities for higher education for all?
- D. What are the risks of making higher education affordable only to a limited set of citizens?
- E. What is the role of culture in shaping young people’s desires to complete high school and higher education?
- F. Is liberalism consistent with the mission of reshaping cultural norms to encourage higher levels of educational attainment?
- G. Is it morally permissible and desirable to form an encouraging culture with the aim of maximizing educational attainment for all citizens? If so, how should it be done? If not, what are the risks or costs of doing so?

Once again, there will be a debate on the central questions followed by a panel discussion and questions and comments from the audience. The event would invite key constituencies from the communities as well as all interested members of the public to attend.

³ <http://stateofworkingamerica.org/>.

Proposed participants and debaters we will approach include Elizabeth Anderson, John Rawls Professor of Philosophy at the University of Michigan, Robert Talisse, Professor of Philosophy at Vanderbilt University, Tommy Curry, Assistant Professor of Philosophy at Texas A&M University, Leonard Waks, Professor Emeritus of Educational Leadership at Temple University, RoSusan Bartee, Associate Professor of Leadership and Counselor Education, The University of Mississippi, and Eric Thomas Weber, Assistant Professor of Public Policy Leadership at the University of Mississippi.

Timeline. These two symposia will take place in the fall of 2013. We are still in early stages of planning these events, therefore, but have a strong track record of organizing highly successful events.

IV. Funding Request

Budget Narrative.

At present, we are requesting \$5,000 from the APA to support both events at a level of \$2,500 each, which will contribute to key debate participants' honoraria and travel support. Our events in the past have garnered further support, which has been necessary, and we will seek further support. The APA would be sponsoring only a portion of our events' costs, therefore, though an invaluable portion. Aside from the financial contributions the APA would be making to these particular events, furthermore, the funding would show symbolize a continued endorsement on the part of the APA for the kind of work that SOPHIA does. This has proven valuable already in our pursuit of funding from foundations.

V. Designation of the Fiscal Agent

Given that the principal investigator for this grant is Dr. Eric Thomas Weber at the University of Mississippi, who serves as Executive Director of SOPHIA, the fiscal agent for this grant application is:

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VI. Information about Other Funding Obtained or Sought

Leaders of SOPHIA are currently seeking funding from several funding agencies. SOPHIA applied unsuccessfully on our first attempt in seeking funding from the Templeton Foundation. We will approach them again after gaining feedback on our initial application. We were awarded a bridge grant from the University of Mississippi for our 2012 events, in the hopes that continued support will help us to secure funding from further agencies. Once again, we will apply to the Mississippi Humanities Council for our 2013 event in Mississippi. Our track record is strong with the MHC, which is the state of Mississippi's affiliate organization partnering with the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Next, we will apply this year for support from the Rupe Foundation of California, with which we have already initiated contact and to whom we been encouraged to apply. At present we have support and encouragement from both home institutions (CSUB and U of MS) for these events. We will have particular, firm commitments from them in the next few months, as our plans for these debates continue to develop.

VII. Promotional Plan

For each event, we will seek wide participation from members of local communities, in Bakersfield, CA and in Oxford, MS. Event organizers will contact their Public Relations departments as well as departments on campus that would be interested in participating in our events. SOPHIA will also post information about these events on SOPHIA's Web site, under "events." The Web site is found here: <http://philosophersinamerica.com>. Beyond these efforts, organizers, with the help of their PR departments, will issue press releases to announce the events. In Mississippi, we have been successful in getting an interview on the state affiliate of National Public Radio, Mississippi Public Broadcasting's radio station. We will seek such publicity avenues once again. Finally, SOPHIA will make announcements about each of these events through various electronic distribution channels, including Web sites, such as PublicPhilosophyNetwork.org, and email listservs for philosophy.

VIII. Assessment

SOPHIA will plan to have a philosopher who is not a member or trustee of SOPHIA attend the event and provide an independent assessment of the meeting. Our report requested will ask the evaluator to assess the impact of the debate-style format of this form of SOPHIA meeting, as well as to what extent it worked well in conjunction with the conversational session that will follow the debate portion of each event.

As usual, we will prepare also surveys that we will distribute to participants at the events to assess the quality of SOPHIA's meeting, such as on the clarity and usefulness of the philosophical content addressed at the meetings, as well as the quality of the philosophical

engagement achieved with persons beyond the field of philosophy. Our report will reflect feedback, therefore, both from the non-SOPHIA evaluator and from our surveys of participants.

IX. Photo collages from past SOPHIA symposia

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X. Curriculum Vitae for Each Member of the Project Steering Committee &– included on pages that follow.

Society of Philosophers in America (SOPHIA)

“Disability, Civic Responsibility, & Community Friendship”

The University of Mississippi, Oxford, MS, February 25th and 26th, 2011.



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Society of Philosophers in America (SOPHIA) “Ethics at the End of Life”

The University of Mississippi, Oxford, MS, January 30th and 31st, 2009.



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Areas of Competence: Aesthetics, Ethics, History of Philosophy, American Studies.

Education: B.A. Moravian College, Honors, 1980.

Ph.D. Pennsylvania State University, 1984. Dissertation: "Creativity and the Philosophy of Charles Peirce," Director, Dr. Carl Hausman.

Faculty Appointments:

Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Wittenberg University, 1984-90.

Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Penn State University, 1990-93.

Associate Professor of Philosophy, Penn State University, 1994-2005

Professor of Philosophy, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, 2005-

Administrative Experience:

Undergraduate Advisor, SIUC, 2007-

Undergraduate Philosophy Club Advisor, Penn State, Spring 2000-2003.

Department Graduate Officer, Penn State, 1996-1998.

Department Undergraduate Officer, Penn State, 1995-96.

Acting Graduate Officer, Penn State, 1993-94.

President (1986-87) and Acting Administrator (1987-1988), Wittenberg Faculty Development Organization.

Director of American Studies (1987-90), Wittenberg University

Awards and Offices:

Executive Director, SOPHIA, 2007-

NEH Summer Seminar Participant, University of New Mexico, 2007.

President, Charles S. Peirce Society, 2004.

Vice President, Charles S. Peirce Society, 2003.

Penn State University Milton Eisenhower Award for Distinguished Teaching, 2001.

PSEA Friend of the Schools Award, State College Area School District, 1998.

Publications

Books

Creativity and the Philosophy of C. S. Peirce, Martinus Nijhoff Publishers, The Hague, 1987.

Strands of System: The Philosophy of Charles Peirce, Purdue University Press, 1995.

Philosophy Americana: Essays in American Philosophy and Culture, Fordham University Press, 2006.

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Edited Books

Philosophy in Experience: American Philosophy in Transition, co-edited with Richard Hart, Fordham University Press, 1997. Chapter introductions and one chapter authored: "Peirce and Representative Persons."

The Vitality of Pragmatism, co-edited with Carl Hausman and Sandra Rosenthal, University of Illinois Press, 1999. Preface and one chapter authored: "Peirce: Ethics and the Conduct of Life."

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- "Peirce on Berkeley's Nominalistic Platonism," co-authored with Peter Groff, *ACPQ*, Fall 1998.
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- "Peirce's Telos of Realism," co-authored with Carl Hausman, *Transactions of the Charles S. Peirce Society*, Fall 1994, pp. 825-838.
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- "Bowne and Peirce on the Logic of Religious Belief," *Personalist Forum*, pp. 107-122, Fall, 1990.
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Emphatics, Paul Weiss, for *Journal of Speculative Philosophy*, 2002.

The Felt Meanings of the World, Quentin Smith, for *American Journal of Theology and Philosophy*, Winter 1994.

American Philosophy and the Romantic Tradition, Russell Goodman, for *Transactions of the Charles S. Peirce Society*, Spring 1992, pp. 366-371.

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Thought and Nature, Arthur W. Collins, for *Idealistic Studies*, pp. 89-91, Winter, 1988.

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On-line Writing

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Children’s Literature

Too Big to Dance, illustrated by Sara Anderson, Handprint Books, 2004.

External Programs

Guest lecturer, University of Helsinki, Finland, May 26-June 1, 2008.

Session leader, “Emerson,” Bi-annual Pluralist Conference, Western Carolina University, July 13-18, 2008.

Special guest, NEH funded workshop on experimental philosophy, Northern Arizona University, July 30-August 2, 2008.

Editing

Editor-in Chief, *Transactions of the Charles S. Peirce Society*, 2008-

Co-editor of Book Series in American Philosophy, Fordham University Press, 2000-

Guest editor, *The Journal of Speculative Philosophy*, William James, 2003.

Guest editor, *The Journal of the Philosophy of Sport*, Sport and Nature, 2001.

Guest editor, *The Personalist Forum*, Thoreau’s “Walking,” Spring 2000.

Editor, *The Journal of Speculative Philosophy*, 1995-1998.

Associate Editor, *The Journal of Speculative Philosophy*, 1986-1995.

Contributing Editor, The Peirce Edition Project, Volumes V, VI.

Editorial Boards: *The Transactions of the Charles S. Peirce Society*, *The Pluralist*.

Teaching and Dissertation Work

Full teaching vita is in a separate file, available on request.

Dissertations Directed

Sean Lipham, "William James's Vision of Science," in progress.

Leonard Niemoczinski, "Peirce as Ecstatic Naturalist," in progress.

Daniel Campos, *Creativity and Discovery in Mathematics*, co-director with Emily Grosholz, 2005.

David O'Hara, *Peirce and Plato: Slowly Percolating Forms*, 2005.

Lara Trout, *Peirce and Affectivity*, 2005.

Norman Brian Cabbage, "Husserl Viator: Metaphysical Reflection in Husserl's *Phenomenology*," 2002, co-director with Richard Lee.

Michael Ventimiglia, "'Evolutionary Love' in Theory and Practice," 2001, co-director with Carl Hausman.

David Mills, "The Drama of Creation," 2000.

Stacey Ake, "The Quest for Individuality within the Evolutionary Matrix," 1999, co-director with Carl Vaught.

James Pawelski. "Perception, Cognition, Volition: The Radical and Integrated Individualism of William James," 1997, co-director with Carl Vaught.

Roger Ward, "An American Theism: Edwards, Peirce, Dewey, and the Philosophy of Return," 1996, co-director with Carl Vaught.

Masters Theses Directed

John Kaag. "Imagination and the Art of Philosophy," co-directed with Daniel Conway, 2003, Penn State University.

Alex Miller, "Bruce Lee's Practice and Peirce's Notion of Abduction," 2007.

Alejandro Strong, "Jose Marti, Philosophy, and Education," 2007.

Aisha Raaes, "Peirce's Mind," 2007.

Fellowships and Grants

NEH Seminar participant: "The Living Tradition of Pragmatism," The University of New Mexico, summer 2007.

Rock Ethics Institute New Course Award , for team taught course on food and values, 2004.

John William Miller Research Fellowship, for a book length study on the philosophy of John William Miller.

Speaking Engagements

Speaker

“The Pragmatic Tradition,” University of Helsinki Philosophy Colloquium, May 2008.

“Hegel’s Influence on Pragmatism,” Nordic Conference on Pragmatism, June 2008.

“The Correspondence of James and Peirce,” Helsinki Metaphysical Club,” May 2008.

“The Influence of the St. Louis Hegelians on Pragmatism,” Conference on the St. Louis Hegelians, Webster University, April 2008.

“Contemplating Meditation: A Question of Practice,” Conference on the Thought of Abraham Heschel, Baylor University, November 2007.

“Reading Russon and *Philosophy Americana*,” Western Canadian Philosophical Association, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Canada, October 2007.

“What is a Living Tradition?” NEH Summer Seminar, University of New Mexico, July 2007.

“Creativity Americana,” Society for the Philosophy of Creativity, APA Central Division Meeting, Chicago, April 2007.

“Emerson Two Natures,” Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, University of South Carolina, March 2007.

“*Philosophy Americana* Book Session,” American Studies Association, Oakland, CA, October 2006.

“Emerson’s Schellingean Natures,” Center for Pragmatism Studies Ninth Annual Meeting, plenary session, Pontifical University of Sao Paulo, Sao Paulo, Brasil, November 2006.

“Peirce’s Conception of Nature,” Brazilian Society for Philosophy of Science, Sao Paulo, November 2006.

“Teachers as Public Intellectuals,” Keynote Address, Baptist Association of Philosophy Teachers, Georgetown College, 2006.

“Dewey and Springsteen on Mysticism,” St. Francis College’s Philosophy Colloquium, April 2005.

“Individuals Ain’t Ones: Royce on the World and the Individual,” Relevance of Royce Conference, Vanderbilt University, April 2005.

“Who’s a Pragmatist? Peirce, Royce, and Dewey at the Turn of the Century,”
Presidential Address, The Charles S. Peirce Society, APA Boston, December 2004.

“Teaching and Walking: The Humanity of Physical Education,” Colloquium for SUNY
Brockport’s Department of Physical Education,” October 2004.

“Food and Symbolic Meanings,” with Donald Thompson, American Association for
Food and Society, Culinary Institute of America, Hyde Park, NY, June 2004.

“The Loss of Artful Teaching,” Sacred Heart University Presidential Lecture, April 2004.

“Royce and Philosophy as a Way of Life,” University of Oregon Colloquium, February
2004.

“James’s Knight Errant: Thomas Davidson,” SAAP, Birmingham, AL, April 2004.

“Thomas Davidson and Utopia,” Annual meeting of The Society for Utopian Studies, San
Diego, October 2003.

“Response to Colapietro’s *Fateful Shapes of Human Freedom*,” Penn State Colloquium
Series, September 2003.

“Philosophy Americana (2 lectures),” SAAP Summer Institute, University of Oregon,
July 2003.

“James and Endurance Sport,” International Association for the Philosophy of Sport,
Ohio State University, June 2003.

“Performance Art and Dick Butkus,” International Association for the Philosophy of
Sport, Penn State, October 2003.

“James’s Wild Beasts of the Philosophical Desert,” APA Eastern, Atlanta, December
2002.

“Another Radical Empiricism,” Midwest Pragmatism Group, Chicago, September 2002.

“Peirce’s Marriage of Science and Religion,” SAAP, Portland, ME, March 2002.

“Origins of Pragmatism,” Gettysburg College Colloquium, April 2002.

“Humanities of Sport,” Penn State Kinesiology Colloquium Series, February 2002.

“Humanities without Apologies,” Midwest Philosophy of Education Society, Chicago,
October 2001.

“Risk and Gambling in American Thought,” SAAP, Las Vegas, March 2001.

“Royce: Philosophy as Wandering,” APA Eastern Division, NYC, December 2000.

“Peirce’s Neglected Argument (2 lectures),” SAAP Summer Institute, Vermont, 2000.

“Hocking, Bugbee, Marcel,” Personalist Summer Institute, Western Carolina University,
June 2000.

“Dewey: Theology as Healing,” SAAP, University of Toronto, March 1999.

"Bugbee's Inward Wildness," SPEP, Penn State University, October 1999.

"Hocking and the Liberal Spirit," University of Oregon Colloquium, March 1998.

"Wildness as Political Act" and "Teaching Emerson," SAAP, Albuquerque, NM, March 1998.

"Peirce and Nominalistic Platonism," HIARPT International Meeting, Bad Boll, Germany, August 1998.

"Pragmatism's Future," Conference on Pragmatism and the Future of Philosophy, PSU, March 1996.

"Theology as Healing: A Meditation on *A Common Faith*," SAAP, University of Toronto, March 1996.

"Pragmatic Intellectuals: Facing Loss in American Philosophy," HIARPT, Highlands, NC, June 1995.

"American Scholars as Persons of the World," St. Francis College, Loretto, PA, April 1995.

"Peirce's Theory of God and Practice," Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Boston, March 1995.

"Responding from the Midworld of John William Miller," Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, APA Central, Kansas City, May 1994.

"Peirce's *Agape* and the Generality of Concern," Second International Conference on Philosophical Theology, University of St. Andrews, Scotland, August 1993.

"An Opening Conversation between Pragmatism and Personalism: Hocking and Dewey," Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Nashville, March 1992.

"Smith and Dewey on the Religious Dimension of Experience," Highlands Institute for American Religious Thought, Highlands, NC, June 1992.

"Dewey and American Musics," co-presented with Crispin Sartwell of Vanderbilt University, Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy with APA Central Division, Louisville, April 1992.

"Pragmatic Co-optation in the Face of Environmentalist Opposition," Northeast Decision Sciences Institute, Boston, April 1992.

"Finite Persons: The Legacy of Bowne's Empiricism," Mansfield College Conference on Persons, Oxford, England, September, 1991.

"John Dewey: Philosophy's Way to Wisdom," Academie du Midi, Alet le Bains, France, May, 1991.

"Religious Belief in American Thought: Edwards, Emerson, and Peirce," Bergische Universitat, Wuppertal, Germany, May, 1991.

"Emerson's 'Nature' and Nature Thinking," co-presented with Robert Turner, New England American Studies Association, Boston, April, 1991.

"Dewey's Aesthetics and Blues," co-presented with Crispin Sartwell, Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Santa Cruz, March, 1991.

"Santayana's Emerson and the Question of Philosophy," Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Santa Cruz, March, 1991.

"Peirce and Bowne on the Logic of Religious Belief," Highlands Institute for American Religious Thought, Highlands, NC, June, 1990.

"The Compatibility of Pragmatism and Personalism," Personalist Discussion Group, APA Central Division, New Orleans, April, 1990.

"Realism and Idealism in Peirce," Society for Classical Realism, APA Eastern Division, Atlanta, December, 1989.

"Emersonian Elements in Peirce's Cosmology," Charles S. Peirce Society, APA Eastern Division, Atlanta, December, 1989.

"A Peircean Response to Fundamentalism," Peirce Sesquicentennial, Harvard University, Cambridge, September, 1989.

"Three Appeals in Peirce's Neglected Argument," Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Chicago, March, 1989.

"Unity and Necessity in the Short Story," American Association of Philosophy Teachers, Hampshire College, August 1988.

"An American Argument for Belief in the Reality of God," Society for Christian Philosophers, Eastern Meeting, Spring 1988.

"Emerson and Kerouac: The Pursuit of the Transcendent," NEH Rio Grande Humanities Conference, October, 1987.

Respondent--Chair

Respondent to "Rorty and Latin American Philosophy," R. Webb, SAAP, Central Division APA, Chicago, April 2008.

Respondent to "James's Dynamic Individualism," James Pawelski, SAAP, Eastern APA, Baltimore, 2007.

Organizer and Chair: Session on the work of John J. McDermott, Eastern APA, Baltimore, 2007.

Respondent to James Prize Essay, Eastern APA, Washington, DC, December 2003.

Chair, Peirce Society Meeting, Eastern APA, December 2003.

Organizer and Chair: Personalist Discussion Group Meetings with Eastern APA, 1999-2005.

Organizer and Chair: Symposium on Pragmatism and Feminism. APA Central Division, Louisville, April 1992.

Respondent: "Peirce on Religious Belief," Cornelius Delaney, American Catholic Philosophical Association, Boston, April 1991.

Respondent: "Business Ethics and Philosophical Pragmatism," Robert Frederick and Edward Petry, Society for Business Ethics at APA Eastern Division, December 1990.

Respondent: "Emerson's Idealism," Russell Goodman, Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Lexington, March 1988.

Respondent: "The Relevance of Charles Peirce," Peter Ochs, Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Atlanta, March 1985.

Respondent: "Peirce's Phenomenology," Charles Hartshorne, Center for Advanced Research in Phenomenology, State College, August 1984.

Professional Service

Executive Director, SOPHIA, 2007-
2002.

Local Arrangements Committee, International Association for the Philosophy of Sport,
2002.

Program Chair, The Metaphysical Society of America, 2003.

President, The Charles Peirce Society, 2004

Vice President, The Charles Peirce Society, 2003.

Executive Committee, The Charles Peirce Society, 2002.

Chair, The Personalist Discussion Group of the APA, 1999-
1996-1999.

Executive Council, The Metaphysical Society of America, 1997-2000.

Executive Committee Member, Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy,
1996-1999.

Organizer, Third International Conference for Theology and Philosophy, Bad Boll,
Germany, 1998.

Program Committee, APA Central Division, 1992.

Program Committee, Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, 1993.

Chair of Program Committee, Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy,
1994 meeting.

Professional Membership

The Personalist Discussion Group

American Philosophical Association

Charles S. Peirce Society

Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy

The Metaphysical Society of America

The William James Society

The Josiah Royce Society

Society of Philosophers in America (SOPHIA)

Radio

Review of Robert Westbrook's *John Dewey and American Philosophy*, WRSC, State College, 1992.

Consultant for six shows and participant in two shows for a series sponsored by the Ohio Council for the Humanities entitled "Letters." Produced by Susan Carpenter and Gary Percesepe, WYSO, Yellow Springs, Ohio, 1991-2.

Community Service

Volunteer presenter on ethics and popular music for The Second Mile for troubled youth, 2003, 2004.

Volunteer assistant with Mach One Kayak/Canoe Club, Bellefonte, PA, 1999-2005.

Youth Coaching, baseball and basketball, 1994-2000.

Volunteer teaching: State College Learning Enrichment Program, 1991-2005.

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EDUCATION

1971 Ph.D. Philosophy. Columbia University
 1964 MA *summa cum laude*, Philosophy. Rice University
 1960 BA *cum laude*, English & History, Allegheny College.

TEACHING

1981- Professor of Philosophy, California State University,
 Bakersfield
 1977-1981 Associate Professor of Philosophy, California State University,
 Bakersfield
 1973-1977 Assistant Professor of Philosophy, California State University,
 Bakersfield
 1969-1973 Adjunct Lecturer, Philosophy, California State University
 Bakersfield
 1966-1968 Visiting Professor of Philosophy, University of the Philippines

AREAS OF SPECIALITY

Philosophy of Science, Philosophy of Technology, Bioethics,
 Philosophy of Medicine, Neuroethics, American Philosophy, Critical
 Thinking, Philosophy of Mind, Philosophy and Literature.

Awards

2006 Herbert W. Schneider award from the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy- this award is for making “career-long outstanding contributions to American philosophy.”

- 2000 California State University Wang Family Excellence award for excellence in Teaching, Research and Service**
- 1997 California State University Faculty Leadership and Service Award**
- 1987 California State University Outstanding Professor Award**
- 1987 CSU, Bakersfield Outstanding Professor of Award**

RESEARCH, PUBLICATION AND CREATIVE ACTIVITIES

Books and Text Materials

Josiah Royce in Focus, Indiana University Press, 2008.

Informed Consent in an International Perspective: Case Studies, with A. Carmi, J. Arboledo-Flores, & T. LeBlang, UNESCO, 2003.

Genetic Knowledge, Human Values, and Responsibility, (Editor).
New York: Paragon, 1999.

Genuine Individuals and Genuine Communities: A Roycean Public Philosophy.
Nashville, Tennessee: Vanderbilt University Press. 1997.

Paul Tillich on Creativity, (Editor) Lanham, Maryland: University Press of America.
1989.

Reasoning with Analogy: The King Returns, CAI Software Package for Critical Thinking.
New York: McGraw Hill. 1984.

Introduction to Logic, (with Charles W. Kegley), Lanham, Maryland, University Press of America. 1982.

The Humanistic Delivery of Services to Families in a Changing and Technological Age,
(Editor) Lanham, Maryland: University Press of America. 1982.

A New Challenge to the Educational Dream: The Handicapped, (Editor), Bakersfield,
California: California State University of Bakersfield Press. 1980.

The Doctrine of Interpretation: Building Community Out of Conflict,
(Ed.) Hayward, California: California State University, Hayward Press. 1978.

Introduction to Logic, (with Charles W. Kegley), Columbus, Ohio: Charles E. Merrill
Company. 1978.

Instructors' Manual to Introduction to Logic , (with Charles W. Kegley), Columbus, Ohio: Charles E. Merrill Co. 1978.

Cassette Tapes for Introduction to Logic, (with Charles W. Kegley), Columbus, Ohio: Charles E. Merrill Co. 1978.

Articles and Chapters.

The “Ethical Subject/Agent” as ‘rational individual’ but also as so much more!, *The Journal of Speculative Philosophy*, Volume 24, No. 2, 2010

“Peirce and Royce and the Betrayal of Science: Scientific Fraud and Misconduct,” The Pluralist, Volume 5, No. 2, Summer, 2010, 87-104.

“John Dewey and Josiah Royce in Dialogue on the Individual and Community,” in John Dewey at 150: Art, Culture and Society, edited by Larry Hickman, Matthe C. Flamm, and Krzysztof Piotr Skowronski, Rodolpi, 2010.

“Mind as Personal and Social Narrative of an Embodied Self,” in Josiah Royce: Building Bridges, American and European Value, edited by Kelly Parker and Krzysztof Piotr Skowronski, Fordham University Press, 2010.

“False Dichotomies and Missed Metaphors: Genuine Individuals Need Genuine Communities,” The Philosophy of Richard Rorty, Library of Living Philosophers, Open Court, 2010, 108-129.

“Josiah Royce on Race: Issues in Context,” The Pluralist, Volume 4, Number 4, Fall, 2009, 1-9.

Community: The Context of Creative Action,” in William James and Josiah Royce A Century Later: Pragmatism and Idealism in Dialogue, Cambridge, Massachusetts, Harvard University, 2009.

“Idealism: Moral”&“Josiah Royce: Evil,” John Lachs, & Robert Talisee, Editors, American Philosophy: An Encyclopedia, Rutledge, 2008.

“Living Creatively While Terminal,” in Experience as Philosophy: on the Work of John J. McDermott, James Campbell & Richard E. Hart (Editors), New York: Fordham University Press, 2006, 58-83.

“Is A Coherent Racial Identity Essential to Genuine Individuals and Communities? Josiah Royce on Race,” Journal of Speculative Philosophy, Vol. 19, No. 3, 2005.

“Informed Consent: A Doctrine in need of Replacement?” International Journal of Molecular Biology, September, 2004.

“Grace, the Moral Gap, and Royce’s Beloved Community,” Journal of Speculative Philosophy 18:3. 2004, 170-182.

“A New Bioethics Framework for Facilitating Better Decision-Making about Genetic Information,” in M. Boylan (Editor), Public Health Policy and Ethics, The Netherlands: Kluwer Academic Publishers, 2004, 91-101.

“Community, Autonomy, and Managed Care,” in Pragmatic Bioethics. G. McGee (Editor), Nashville, Tennessee: Vanderbilt University Press, 1999 and 2004.

“An Ethical Imperative: Genetics Education for Physicians and Patients,” Medicine and Law Journal, 22:2, June, 2003.

“The Contextual Human Person: Reflections on the Philosophy of Marjorie Grene,” in Lewis E. Hahn & Randall E. Auxier(Editors), The Philosophy of Marjorie Grene, Volume XXIX, The Library of Living Philosophers, Chicago and La Salle, Illinois: Open Court. May, 2002.

”Confused Legal and Medical Policy: The Misconceptions of Genetic Screening,” The Journal of Medicine and Law, 19:2, April, 2000.

“Josiah Royce: A Vision for Our Time,” John Stuhr (Editor), Pragmatism and Classical American Philosophy, 2nd Edition, New York: Oxford University Press. 2000.

“Community, Autonomy, and Managed Care,” in Pragmatic Bioethics. G. McGee (Editor), Nashville, Tennessee: Vanderbilt University Press, 1999 and 2004.

“Walking in Another’s Shoes: Technology and Ethics *in Situ*,” Teaching Excellence. Michael Flachmann (Editor), Long Beach: California State University Institute. 1998.

“Genetic Information and Genetic Essentialism: Will We Betray Science, the Individual, and the Community?” J. Kegley, (Editor), Genetics and Human Values. New York: Paragon. 1998.

“Using Genetic Information: The Need for a New Policy Plan and Ethical Framework,” in Genetic Information: Acquisition, Access and Control,” Proceedings, International Conference, University of Lancashire, December 1997. New York: Plenum. 1998.

“Using Genetic Information: A Radical Problematic for an Individualistic Framework,” Medicine and Law. 15:4, December 1996.

“Science,Technology, Human Values and Choices,” International Journal of Science and Technology 9:2 spring, 1996.

“The Real Question: A New Paradigm for Higher Education,” Bernard Goldstein, (Editor), California’s Master Plan for Higher Education in the Twenty-First Century, Proceedings of the Pacific Division, American Association for the Advancement of Science. Long Beach and San Francisco: The California State University Press. 1996.

“Is Adventurous Humility Possible?” The Philosophy of Paul Weiss. Lewis Hahn Editor), Chicago and LaSalle, Illinois: Open Court. 1995.

”Science as Tradition and Tradition Shattering: Thomas Kuhn’s Philosophy of Science,” Anna Omery, Christine E. Kasper, & Gayle G. Page, (Editors), In Search of Nursing Practice, Thousand Oaks, California: Sage Publications. 1995.

“Medicine as a Mediating Practice,” Proceedings of the First World Congress of Medicine and Philosophy. The Hague: D. Reidel Company. 1995.

“Peirce and Royce on Person: New Directions for Ethical Theory,” Herman Parret, (Editor), Peirce and Value Theory, Philadelphia: John Benjamin Publishing Company. 1994.

“Technology as Creativity and Embodiment: A New Critical View,” Mark H. Shale and George W. Shields, (Editors), Science, Technology and Religious Ideas. Lanham, Maryland: University Press of America. 1994.

“Today’s’ Moral Imperative: Building Self and Community.” The Maine Scholar, Vol. 6, 1993.

“Josiah Royce,” Cambridge Dictionary of Philosophy. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. 1993.

“Loyalty to Loyalty: A Plan for American Today.” Frontiers in American Philosophy, Vol. I, Robert W. Burch and Herman J. Saatkamp, Jr., (Editors), College Station: Texas A&M University Press. 1992. 337-345.

“Ethical Issues in the Care of the Handicapped,” International Journal of Chinese Medical Ethics. 1991. 67-78.

“The Patient-Centered Ethic and Physician Marketing: No Irresolvable Conflict.” Proceedings: Royal Hawaiian Eye Meeting. 1991.

“The Problem of Self and Technology,” Proceedings: Charles Sanders Peirce Sesquicentennial International Congress. Harvard University Press, 1991.

“The Beloved Community: Royce and Hartshorne.” in Lewis E. Hahn (Editor), The Philosophy of Charles Hartshorne. Chicago and LaSalle: Open Court, 1991.

“History and Philosophy of Science: Necessary Partners or Merely Roommates?” T.Z. Lavine and V. Tejera, (Editors), History and Anti-History in Philosophy, New York: Kluwer Academic Publishers. 1989. 237-255.

“Josiah Royce: Anticipator of European Existentialism and Phenomenology, Vincent Potter, (Editor), Doctrine and Experience, New York: Fordham University Press. 1988. 174-189.

“Technology and the Good Life,” Journal for the International Conference on the Unity of the Sciences, I: 2, 1988.

“Josiah Royce: A Vision for Our Time, John Stuhr (Editor), Classical American Philosophy. New York: Oxford University Press. 1987.

“J.L. Austin.” Twentieth Century Thinkers, Elmer Borklund (Editor), London: St. James Press. 1984.

“Individual and Community in American Philosophy,” Journal of Chinese Philosophy, 11; 3, 1984, 203-16.

“Genetics and Mental Retardation,” Laura & Ashman (Editors), Moral Issues in Mental Retardation, London: Croon Helm Ltd, 1984.

“John Barth’s End of the Road: The Death of Individualism,” A. Philipps-Griffiths, (Editor), Philosophy and Literature, Royal Institute of Philosophy Lecture Series 16. Supplement to Philosophy. 1983. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. 1984. 115-134.

“Josiah Royce: A Source of New Religious Insight Today,” Religious Studies, 18: 99, 1983, 211-224.

“The Family Crisis and the Dilemma of Delivery of Services to Them,” Jacquelyn A.K. Kegley (Editor), The Humanistic Delivery of Services to Families in a Changing and Technological Age, Lanham: University Press of America. 1982. 9-25.

“Education for the Handicapped: A Challenge and an Adventure of Ideas.” Jacquelyn Ann K. Kegley. (Ed.) A New Challenge to the American Dream: The Handicapped. Bakersfield: California State University, Bakersfield Press. 1980. 1-19.

“Josiah Royce on Self and Community,” Rice University Studies, 66:5, 1980.

“Why the Sciences and the Humanities Need Each Other,” Proceedings. NEXA Conference, Asilomar, California, San Francisco: San Francisco State University Press. 1979.

“Royce and Husserl: Some Parallels and Food for Thought,” Transactions of the Charles Sanders Peirce Society, 14. 184-199, summer, 1978.

“Josiah Royce: An Intellectual Biography.” Review Article. Transactions of the Charles Sanders Peirce Society, 14, Summer. 1978.

“Is Western Philosophy Male Chauvinistic?” Intellect, April. 1975.

“Josiah Royce’s Theory of Knowledge,” Dissertation Abstracts International, XXXIII, No. 1, 1972.

“Spinoza’s God & LaPlace’s World Formula,” Leibniz Gesellschaft. 1973.

“Reflections on the Ethical Theory of Alfred North Whitehead,” The Dillman Review, Quezon City: University of the Philippines Press, 1968-69.

“Comedy as Social Criticism,” Proceedings of the Ninth International Congress of Aesthetics, Uppsala, Sweden, 1972.

“Truth and Art,” General Education Journal, No. 15, Quezon City: University of the Philippines Press. 1968-1969

GRANTS

Principal Writer and Director, Three Year Grant, “Infusing Ethical Political and Economic Knowledge and Skills into the Nursing Curriculum,” Fund for Improving Post Secondary Education (FIPSE), Department of Education. September 1994.

Principal Writer and Director, “Sharing Stories and Building Bridges,” California Council for the Humanities, January 1992.

Principal Writer and Director, “Ethical and Legal Issues in Psychotechnology,” University Research Council, California State University, Bakersfield, 1991.

Principal Writer and Director, “Nursing Research and Philosophy of Science Lectures,” Lottery Funds, California State University, Bakersfield, 1987-88.

Principal Writer and Director, “Justice in Health Care for the Elderly Lectureship,” Lottery Funds, California State University, Bakersfield, 1986-87.

Principal Writer and Director, “Delivery of Services to Families in Technological Age,” California Council for the Humanities, 1980-1982.

Principal Writer and Director, “A Challenge to the Educational Dream: The Handicapped,” California Council for the Humanities, 1980.

Principal Writer and Director, “Research on Self and Mind,” University Research Council, California State University, Bakersfield, 1978-1979.

Principal Writer and Director, "Building Community Out of Context," California Council for the Humanities, 1977-1978.

Principal Writer and Director, "Process Studies Research,"

University Research Council, California State University, Bakersfield, 1977-78.

BOOK REVIEWS

Review essay, The Reception of Pragmatism in France and the Rise of Roman Catholic Modernism by David G. Schultenover, ed. Rodopi, 2010, in *Contemporary Pragmatism*, Vol. 7, No. 1, June, 2010, 191-195.

The fetal position: a rational approach to the abortion issue by Chris Meyers, Prometheus Books, 2010, *Choice*,

Choosing Tomorrow's Children: The ethics of selective reproduction by Stephen Wilkinson, Oxford, 2010, *Choice*, October 2010.

The philosophy of death by Steven Luper, Cambridge, 2009, *Choice*, January, 2010.

In the shadow of progress: being human in the age of technology by Eric Cohen, Encounter Books, 2008, *Choice*, March 2009.

Dorsality: thinking back through technology and politics by David Willis, Minnesota University Press, 2008, *Choice*,

Choosing to Die: elective death and multiculturalism by C.G. Prado, Cambridge University Press, 2008, *Choice*, August, 2008.

Reverences for the Relations of Life: Re-imagining Pragmatism via Josiah Royce's Interactions with Peirce, James and Dewey, Frank Oppenheim, University of Notre Dame Press, 2005, Review of Metaphysics, 59:4:236, June, 2006. This was an invited review article.

Enhancing Evolution: the ethical case for making better people, John Harris, Princeton University, 2007, *Choice*, February, 2008.

The Situated Self, J.T. Ismael, Oxford University, 2007, *Choice*, June, 2007.

Global Bioethics: the collapse of consensus, edited by H. Tristram Engelhardt, Jr., M & M Scrivener, 2006, *Choice*, March 2007.

Struck with virtue: the American individual and our biotechnological future, Peter Augustine Lawler, ISI Books, 2005, *Choice*, June 2006.

Bioethics beyond the headlines: who lives? Who dies? Albert Jonsen, Rowman & Littlefield, 2005, Choice, February 2006.

Ethical dilemmas at the end of life, Edited by Kenneth J. Douka, Bruce Jennings, and Charles Corr. Hospice Foundation of America, 2005, Choice, July 2005.

Posthumanity: thinking philosophically about the future, Brian Cooney, Rowman & Littlefield, 2004, Choice, March 2005.

Power Failure: Christianity in the Culture of technology, Albert Borgmann, Brazos, 2003, Choice, January, 2004, 41:5.

More humane medicine: a liberal Catholic bioethics, James F. Drane, Edinboro University Press, Edinboro Pa., 2004, Choice, 41:07, March 2004.

Philosophy and revolutions in genetics: deep science and deep technology, Lee Keekok, Plagrave, 2003, Choice, September 2003.

Autonomy and trust in bioethics, O'Neill, Onora, Cambridge. 2002, Choice, 40:8, April 2003.

Claiming power over life: religion and biotechnology policy, Mark J. Hanson, (Editor), Georgetown University Press, 2001, Choice, July, 2002.

Technology and the Spirit, Ignacio Gotz, Praeger, 2001, Choice, 39:9, May 2002.

Slow cures and bas philosophers: essays on Wittgenstein, medicine and Bioethics, Carl Elliott, Duke University, 2001, Choice, 39:04, December, 2001.

The call of conscience: Heidegger and Levinas, rhetoric and the euthanasia debate, Michael J. Hyde, South Carolina, 2001, Choice, 38:11, July, 2001.

Philosophical and ethical problems in mental handicap, Peter Byrne, St. Martin, 2000, Choice, 38:3, February, 2001.

Persons and their bodies: rights, responsibilities, relationships, Mark J. Cherry, (Editor), Kluwer Academic, 1999, Choice, 37:3, May, 2000.

A Brief, Liberal, Catholic Defense of Abortion, Daniel A. Dombrowski & Robert Deltete, Illinois, 2000, Choice, July/August 2000, 37:11/12.

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What is a Person? An Ethical Exploration, James W. Walters, Illinois University Press, 1997, Choice, 34:11/12, July/August/ 1997.

Care, Autonomy, and Justice: Feminism and the Ethic of Care, Grace Clement, Westview Press, 1996, Choice, January 1997.

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Women as Wombs: Reproductive Technologies and the Battle over Women's Freedom, Janice G. Raymond, Harper & Row. 1993, Choice, April 1994.

Euthanasia: The Good of the Patient, The Good of Society, Robert Misbin, University Publishing, 1992, Choice, July/August 1993.

The Advancement of Science: Science Without Legend: Objectivity without Illusions, Philip Kitcher, Oxford University Press, 1993, Choice, November 1993.

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Biology, Ethics and Animals, Rosemary Rudd, Oxford University Press, 1990, Choice, April 1991.

Adam, Eve, and Pinocchio, Willard Gaylin, Viking Press, 1990, Choice, June 1991.

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Why Preserve Natural Variety? Bryan G. Norton, Princeton University Press, 1988, Choice, June 1988.

Science, Philosophy and Human Behavior, Loren R. Graham, Columbia University Press, 1987, Choice, April 1988.

Philosophy, Science and Social Inquiry, D.C. Phillips, Pergamon Press, 1987, Choice, September 1987.

From a Broken Web: Separation, Sexism and Self, Catherine Keller, Beacon Press, 1987, Choice, June 1987.

Images of Science, Paul M. Churchland & Clifford A. Hooker (Editors), University of Chicago Press, 1986, Choice, April 1986.

Scientific Knowledge and Philosophic Thought, Harold Hinsworth, John Hopkins Press, 1986, Choice, September 1986.

Ethical Issues in Psychosurgery, John Kleining, Allen and Unwin, 1985, Choice, June 1986.

The Life and Thought of Josiah Royce, John Clendenning, University of Wisconsin Press, 1986, Choice, May 1986.

Upon the Shoulders of Giants: The Shaping of the Industrial West, Richard Hardison, University Press of America, 1985, Choice, October, 1985.

On Nature, Leron S. Roudner (Editor), Notre Dame University Press, 1984, Choice, April 1985.

Abortion Freedom: A World-Wide Movement, Francome Colin, Allen and Unwin, 1984, Choice, May 1984.

Machina Ex Deus: Feminist Perspectives on Technology, Joan Rothschild Editor), (Pergamon Press, 1983, Choice, April 1984.

Lamarck: The Mythical Precursor, Madeleine Barthelemy, Translated by H. Shank, MIT Press, 1982. Choice, May 1983.

The Return to Cosmology: Postmodern Science and the Theology of Man. by Stephen E. Toulmin, University of California Press. 1983. Choice. September 1983.

Discovering Reality: Feminist Perspectives on Epistemology, Metaphysics, Methodology and Philosophy of Science, Sandra Hardin and Merrill B. Hintikka (Editors), D. Reidel, 1983, Choice, September 1983.

Test-Tube Babies, William A.W. Walters and Peter Singer (Editors), Oxford University Press, 1982, Choice, March 1983.

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL & UNIVERSITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Administrative

President, Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, 2010-2012.
 Vice President, Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, 2008-2010.
 Chair, Advisory Board, Critical Edition of the Works of Josiah Royce Project, 2009-
 Faculty Athletics Representative 2006- present
 Chair, Compliance and Rules Committee, NCAA Self-Certification, 2008-2009
 Member, Steering Committee, NCAA Self-Certification
 Chair, Committee on Academic Standards and Requirements, 2007-2009
 Chair, Theme 2 General Education Committee, 2007-2009
 Member, Committee on Academic Standards and Requirements, 2007- present
 Chair, General Education Task Force, 2006-2007
 Chair, Department of Philosophy & Religious Studies, 2004-
 Member, Executive Committee, Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, 2004-2006.
 Host, Annual Meeting, Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, March, 2005, CSU, Bakersfield.
 Member, Executive Committee, CSU Academic Senate, 2003-2004
 Chair, CSU Academic Senate, 2000-2003
 Chair, Fiscal & Government Affairs Committee, CSU Academic Senate, 2006-7.
 Chair, Committee on the Teaching of Philosophy, American Philosophical Association, June, 1999-June 2002.
 Chair, Academic Technology Advisory Committee, CSU, 2000-2002. Member of this committee, 2004- present.
 Co-Chair, WASC Steering Committee, CSUB 1997-1999

Member, Committee on the Teaching of Philosophy, American Philosophical Association, 1995-1998.

Member, Editorial Board, The Library of Living Philosophers. 1996-present.

Member, Research Team, International Center for Health, Law and Ethics. University of Haifa, Israel, 1996-

Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of Medicine and Law*, 1996-

Member, Foundation Board, California State University, Bakersfield, 1995-2000.

Member, Academic Senate, CSUB, 1986 to 2006; 2010-present

Chair, Academic Affairs Committee, Academic Senate, CSUB, 2010 to present.

Member, Executive Committee, CSU Academic Senate, 1999-2003.

Chair, Academic Senate, CSUB 1996-1997 and 1997-1998; 1998-2001.

Chair, Faculty Affairs Committee, Academic Senate, CSUB, 1994-1996.

Chair, Academic Affairs Committee, Academic Senate, CSUB, 1993-1995.

Senator, Academic Senate, California State University, 1989-2006.

Vice Chair, Academic Senate, California State University, Bakersfield, 1999-2000.

Member, Intersegmental Council of Academic Senates, 1999-2002.

Member, CSU Commission on the Extended University, 1999-2001.

Member, CSU Commission on Community Service Learning, 1999-2000.

Chair, Academic Affairs Committee, Academic Senate, CSU, 1994-1996.

Member, Advisory Board, Institute for Teaching and Learning, CSU, 1994-1997.

Member, Task Force on Incentives Systems, CSU, 1997

Chair, Intercollegiate Athletics Advisory Board, CSUB, 1995-2000.

Co-Chair, 25th Anniversary Celebration, 1994-95, CSUB.

Chair, Academic Senate, CSUB, 1996-1997; 1992-1993; 1984-86; and Founding Chair, 1982-1983.

Faculty Co-Chair, CSU Institute for Teaching and Learning Advisory Board, 1989-1993.

Chair, University Program Review Committee, CSUB, 1994-1997.

Chair, Evaluation Committee for Vice President for Academic Affairs, 1989-90.

Chair, University Review Committee, CSUB, 1994-1995 and 1984-1986.

Chair, Educational Policies Committee, 1987-88, 1989-90.

Chair, Department of Philosophy & Religious Studies, CSUB, 1985-1992.

Chair, College Council, CSUB, 1977-1981.

Vice Chair, College Council, CSUB, 1981-83

Chair, Curricular Policy Committee, College Council, CSUB, 1980-1981.

Chair, Long Range Planning Committee, College Council, California State University, Bakersfield, 1980-81.

Chair, Budget and Planning Committee, Academic Senate, CSUB, 1983-4- led development of University's first Mission Statement.

Chair, Presidential Search Committee, California State University, Bakersfield,

Chair, Women's Studies Committee, CSUB, 1980-84.

Chair, NEXA Sciences and Humanities Convergence Program, CSUB, 1979-1988.

Chair, Pacific Division, Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, 1979-84 and 1988-1992, 2005.

Chair, Pacific Division, Josiah Royce Society, 2006-2008.

Community and University Presentations

“The “Ethical Subject/Agent” as ‘rational individual’ but also as so much more!”, presentation at the American Philosophies Forum, “The Future of Ethics,” Atlanta, Georgia, April, 2009.

“John Dewey and Josiah Royce in Dialogue on the Individual and Community, invited talk for an International Symposium on the Thought of John Dewey, Opole, Poland, June 2009.

“The Concept of Mind as an Individual and Communal Notion,” this is an invited talk for an International Symposium on Themes in American Philosophy: Josiah Royce, Opole, Poland, June, 2008.

“Race as a Contextual Matter,” this is an invited address for the Central Division, American Philosophical Association meetings, Chicago, April, 2008.

“Loyalty, A Principle and Process for Reconciliation and Ethical Action,” this is an invited address, for the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Lansing, Michigan, March, 2008.

“Josiah Royce: Representative American Philosopher,” this was an invited lecture, Fulbright Institute on American Thought, San Francisco State University, 2007.

“Science and Philosophy: The Unspoken Quest for Certainty,” this was an invited lecture, Texas A & M University, November, 2007.

Community: The Context of Creative Action,” invited address for a symposium, William James and Josiah Royce A Century Later: Pragmatism and Idealism in Dialogue, Cambridge, Massachusetts, Harvard University, 2007.

“Peirce and Royce and the Betrayal of Science: Scientific Fraud and Misconduct,” Refereed paper given at meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Columbia, South Carolina, 2007.

“The Morality of Stem Cell Research,” Panel Discussion, The Kegley Institute of Ethics, January 2007.

“Royce, Bergson, and Time,” invited address, Bergson/Royce Symposium, Western Carolina University, Cullowhee, North Carolina, 2006.

“Personhood in Process,” an invited address for the International Personalist Symposium, Warsaw, Poland, 2006.

“Is A Coherent Racial Identity Essential to Genuine Individuals and Communities?” invited address, International Conference on Josiah Royce, Vanderbilt University, 2005.

“A New framework for Facilitating Decisions on Death and Dying,” 15th Congress on Medical Law, Sydney, Australia, August, 2004.

“Josiah Royce: Public Philosopher,” Summer Institute on American Philosophy, University of Oregon, Eugene, July, 2004.

“Spirituality and Aging,” radio presentation, 60+ Club, September, 2004.

“Genetic Decision-Making: A Template for Problems of Informed Consent,” 14th World Congress on Medical Law, Helsinki, Finland, August, 2003.

“An Ethical Imperative: Genetic Education for Physicians,” National Congress on Medicine and Law, Madrid, Spain, October 17-19, 2002.

“Genetic Rights,” Ninth Session, International Bioethics Committee of UNESCO, Montreal, Canada, November, 2002.

“Teaching Ethics Across the Curriculum: An Ethical Responsibility We Cannot Avoid,” 9th Annual Southern Utah Faculty Development Conference, Southern Utah University, Cedar City, Utah, August, 2001.

“Exciting Classroom Techniques in the Humanities Classroom,” workshop at the Summer Teacher-Scholar Institute, CSU Institute for Teaching and Learning, Cal Poly, SLO, June, 2001.

“Genetics, Informed Consent and Informed Physicians,” keynote address at XVII International Conference on “realities and New Frontiers in Pediatrics and Neonatology,” in Ancona, Italy, May 17-19th, 2001.

“Gratitude, Love, Happiness, Life,” Alpha Chi initiation, April 22, 2001.

“Why Animals Matter,” presented at the Psi Chi Research Conference, CSUB, April, 2001.

“The Changing Roles of the Profession,” presented at the APA, Central Division, Minneapolis, April, 2001.

“Community Service Learning: A Challenge to Philosophy,” presented at workshop on Community Service Learning, sponsored by the Campus Compact and the APAS, Central Division, Minneapolis, April, 2001.

“Charles Sanders Peirce on Names and Reference,” presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Las Vegas, March 12, 2001.

“Dewey’s Myopic Aesthetic,” presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Las Vegas, March 12, 2001.

“Genetics: Real Dangers and Unreal Expectations,” presented to the 60+ Club, CSUB, January 11, 2001.

“Is Teaching Central to Philosophy,” presented at the Eastern Division meeting of the American Philosophical Association, New York City, December, 2000.

“Participant in panel, “Genetic Engineering,” Sponsored by the Kegley Institute of Ethics, November, 2000.

“Ethics Across the Curriculum,” a workshop at the Summer Scholars Institute of the CSU Institute for Teaching and Learning, Long Beach, June, 2000.

“Genetic Decisions: A Template for Problems with Informed Consent.” Presented at the 13th World Congress on Medical Law, Helsinki, Finland, August 7-10, 2000.

“Informed Consent in an Information Age,” Presented at the International Conference on “Ethics Education in Medical Schools,” February 14, 2000 in Eilat, Israel.

Genetics for Medical Education, a chapter and teaching module to be presented at an International Conference on “Ethics Education in Medical Schools,” February 13-16, 2000 in Eilat, Israel.

“Physician-Assisted Suicide: The Issues,” presented as part of a panel discussion at CSU, Bakersfield, May 11, 1999.

“Student Learning Outcomes Assessment: A New Venture,” American Philosophical Association, Washington, D.C, December, 1998.

“Pragmatic Bioethics: Facilitating Better Genetic Decision-Making.” Presented at national meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Washington, D.C., December, 1998.

“Confused Legal and Medical Policy: The Misconceptions of Genetic Screening,” presented at the World Congress of Medicine and Law, Siofok, Hungary, August 3, 1998.

“A New Framework for the Use of Genetic Information,” Plenary Address at an International Conference: “Genetic Information: Acquisition, Access and Control,” The University of Central Lancashire, Preston, England, December 5, 1997.

“Is There Justice in American Health Care?” III World Congress of Bioethics, San Francisco, November 26, 1996.

“Preparing Entry Level Nurses to Address Complex Ethical Issues,” with Peggy Leapley, Ethics in Nursing”: Discovery, Controversy and Actualization, Loyola University Chicago, November 15, 1996.

“The New Genetics: The Sexual Brain & Genetic Essentialism: Dangers for the Future.” Philosophy Club, November 13, 1996.

“Choices, Changes, Challenges: Ethics in Managed Care.” CEWAER (California Elected Women’s Association for Education and Research) Conference. November 1, 1996.

“Ethics and Public Service,” The Public Service Speakers Series, The Public Service Institute, CSUB School of Business & Public Administration, October 29, 1996.

“Infusing Ethical, Political and Economic Knowledge and Skills in the Nursing Curriculum,” The Third Kern County Nursing Research Conference, October 26, 1996.

“Business Ethics and the Kegley Institute,” Presented to the Council of 100 in May, 1996.

“Is Liberty and Justice for All Possible in American Health Care?” Medical Ethics: Making Moral Distinctions. 26th Annual Philosophy Symposium, California State University, Fullerton, March 13-15, 1996.

“Ethics in Public Life: The Individual and the Community.” Elderhostel, CSUB, October 16-20, 1995.

“Women’s Studies at CSUB: From Quiet Community to Public Community,” Women’s Day, CSUB, February 28, 1995.

“Has the University Community Betrayed Educating the Self?” 25th Anniversary Faculty Lecture Series. January 6, 1995.

“Twenty-Five Years of University and Community Partnerships.” Bakersfield Rotary, September, 1994.

“It’s Great To Be Silver,” Video program on 25 years at CSUB. Directed, helped edit, presented September, 1994.

Edited, Retrospective: 25 Years at CSUB. September, 1994, CSUB Press.

“Good People for Bad Times,” with Robert Woods, Mel Rubin, Milt Clift, CSUB 60+ Club. TV Program, June, 1994

“The Importance of Pluralism in Building Bridges to the Future,” Panel Talk, CSUB Faculty Day, September, 1992.

“Personhood: Many Views and Many Varieties.” Kern Regional Center, February 10, 1992.

“Ethical Leadership: The New Edge in the 21st Century,” Rotary Club Business Leadership and Ethics Conference, March 10, 1992.

“Technology and Person,” Faculty Seminar, San Jose State University, January, 1990.

“Teaching, Research and Scholarship: Natural Partners.” Seminar on Teaching, Research and Scholarship, CSU, Los Angeles, May 10, 1989.

“Teaching and Self-Empowerment.” given at Conference, “Building An Agenda for Intersegmental Cooperation,” Westin Hotel, Millbrae, California. May 12-13, 1988.

“Ethical Issues: Work and Chemical Warfare.” 60+ Club, January, 1988.

“Women’s Perspectives on Business Ethics,” Gate Honors Program Conference, East High School, November, 1987.

“Bioethical Issues in Medicine,” 60+ Club, November, 1987.

“Ethical Issues in Genetic Screening,” College Day Program. CSUB, April 1987.

“The New Reproductive Technologies,” NEXA Seminar, October, 1986.

“The Law and Genetic Screening,” Women’s Club Program. September, 1986.

“The Pursuit of Excellence,” Honors Convocation, CSUB, June, 1986.

“Virginia Woolf’s To the Lighthouse. Women’s Literary Club. March, 1986.

“To Foster Soaring Achievement,” Honors Banquet, June, 1985.

“Women’s Issues Today,” Women’s Medical Association. October, 1985.

“Women Artists and Philosophers,” Women’s Day. April, 1984.

“To Live Or Let Die.” Focus on Issues for 1984. KERO-TV, Channel 23, May, 1984.

“Women and New Theological Perspectives,” Community Church, September, 1984.

“Moliere’s Imaginary Invalid., “Humanities in Medicine Conference, May, 1984.

“Philosophy and Greek Civilization,” GATE Conference, East High School, September, 1983.

“Thomas Mann’s Doctor Faustus,” Women’s Literary group, March, 1982.

“Integration: The Issues.” Problems and Possibilities in the 80’s. KBAK-TV, Channel 29, November, 1980.

“Genetic Engineering,” Are There Any Limits To? KERO-TV, Channel 23, May, 1979.

“Euthanasia,” Are There Any Limits To? KERO-TV, Channel 23, March, 1979.

“The Arts in America,” The Making of the American Mind. CBS, Channel 17, April, 1978.

Community Service

Member, Dorian Board for the Support of the Arts, 1988-1992.

Member, Board of Directors, Kern County Mental Health Association, 1982-84.

Member, Grant Advisory Committee, Maternal, Child and Adolescent Health Board, 1985-1992.

Member, Board of Directors, Jason’s Retreat and CBCC Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation Center, 1987-1995, 1999- 2000.

Chair, Board of Directors, Musica DA Camera Musical Group, 1988-1995.

Member, Board of Directors, Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 1992-1997.

Member, Board of Directors, Meridian Ranch Group Home, 2000.

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CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL

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EDUCATION AND DEGREES

B.A. (*Cum Laude*) St. Francis College, 1953, Philosophy

M.A. Fordham University, 1954, Philosophy

Ph.D. (With Great Distinction) Fordham University, 1959, Philosophy

Post-Doctoral Fellow: Union Theological Graduate School, 1964-1965, American
Studies

L.L.D. (*Honoris Causa*) University of Hartford, 1970 (for Contribution to Higher
Education)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Loughlin High School - Latin & English, 1953-1954

St. Francis College - Philosophy & English, 1954-1957

Queens College, C.U.N.Y.- Philosophy, 1956-1977; Member of Doctoral Faculty,
C.U.N.Y., 1970-77

Texas A & M University - Professor and Head, Department of Philosophy
and Humanities, 1977-1981

Distinguished Professor, Philosophy and Humanities,
 1981 - present
 Abell Professor in Liberal Arts, 1986 - 2009
 Professor, Family and Community Medicine,
 College of Medicine, 1981-1982
 Professor and Head, Department of Humanities in
 Medicine, College of Medicine, 1982 - 1990
 Professor, Department of Humanities in Medicine,
 College of Medicine, 1990 - present
 (Since 1981, Professor McDermott has had a joint
 appointment in College of Liberal Arts and College of
 Medicine.)
 Regents Professor, 2009 - present
 Holder of the Melbern G. Glasscock Chair in the
 Humanities, 2009 - present

Guest Professor (semester or more)- Fordham University Graduate School;
 Manhattanville College; University of San Francisco; State
 University of New York at Stony Brook (American Literature);
 Froman Distinguished Visiting Professor - Russell Sage College;
 University of California at Berkeley

Fields - American Philosophy, Philosophy of Culture, Environmental Aesthetics,
 History of Philosophy, Humanities in Medicine

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Manuscript Referee - (selected sample) The University of Chicago Press;
 University of Illinois Press; University of California Press; Purdue
 University Press; Texas Journal of Science; Yale University Press;
 Princeton University Press; Cambridge University Press; International
 Philosophical Quarterly; Texas Medical Association; University of Indiana
 Press

Grant Referee - (selected sample) National Endowment for the Humanities -
 Media Programs, State Based Humanities Program, Research
 Grants in Philosophy, American Council of Learned Societies,
 Guggenheim Foundation

Member - Board of Directors and National Vice-President, American Montessori
 Society, 1963-1965
 Fellowship Advisory Council, American Council of Learned Societies,
 1975, 1976, 1977

Executive Committee, American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, 1979-1982

The National Board of Officers, American Philosophical Association, 1989-1992

Appointed - Advisory Board of the John Dewey Correspondence Project, The Center for Dewey Studies, May 1998 - Present

Advisory Board of the Critical Edition of The Works of George Santayana. Present

President - The Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, 1977-1980
Texas A&M Chapter, American Association of University Professors, 1982-1983

The William James Society, 2002

The Josiah Royce Society, 2005

Tenure and Promotion Referee - (selected sample) University of Delaware, Stanford University, University of Michigan, University of Pennsylvania, Texas A&M University, Northwestern University, Denison University, Harvard University

Committees, Texas A&M University - (selected sample) Search for Provost, University Lecture Committee, University Honors Committee, Presidential Committee for Recruitment of Minorities, American Studies Committee, Search Committee for Dean of College of Liberal Arts, Distinguished Professors – Sub-committee for evaluation of promotions, Numerous Departmental Committees, Presidential Search Advisory Committee, Dean of Faculties Search Committee, Enlightened and Shared Governance Task Force

Elected - Academic Council, Texas A&M University 1977-1981

Senator, Texas A&M University Faculty Senate, 1983-1986

Charter Speaker of the Senate, Texas A&M University Faculty Senate,

May 1983-1984, American Association for the Advancement of Science

Invited Reviewer - "The Peirce Project," sponsored by the University of Indiana and the National Endowment for the Humanities, November 1982 - Present

"The Dewey Project," sponsored by Southern Illinois University and the National Endowment for the Humanities, November 1982-Present

“The Santayana Project,” sponsored by the University of Tampa and the National Endowment for the Humanities, November 1982 - Present

“The Einstein Correspondence Project,” sponsored by the National Endowment for the Humanities, October 1994

Co-Founder and Advisory Editor - The Works of William James, 19 vols. (Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 1975-1988), sponsored by NEH and ACLS

General Editor, Project Director, and Principal Investigator - The Correspondence of William James, 12 vols. (University of Virginia Press, 1992-2004)

(Both of these serial works were published as Critical Editions and were sponsored in part by the National Endowment for the Humanities and the American Council of Learned Societies.)

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

Texas A & M University -
Department Head, Philosophy and Humanities 1977-1981

Texas A & M University College of Medicine -
Department Head, Humanities in Medicine. 1983-1990

Texas A & M University - Charter Speaker of Faculty Senate 1983-1984

As Speaker of the first Faculty Senate at Texas A & M University, I supervised new by-laws, renovation of office space, budget allocations, committee assignments and other assorted start-up tasks. The Senate had eighty-five faculty members.

GRANTS

Awarded grants from the National Endowment for the Humanities as Principal Investigator, Project Director and General Editor of a multi-volume critical Edition of The Correspondence of William James to be published by The University Press of Virginia. Awards received biennially starting in 1988 and continuing through 2001. Total award approximately \$1,400,000.

Award in name of John J. McDermott as Principal Investigator to the American

Council of Learned Societies for \$100,000, from the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation. This award to provide 'matching funds' for NEH grant awards to the William James Correspondence Project. Additional Award from the Mellon Foundation for 'matching funds,' \$75,000 in 2002. This 12 volume Critical Edition was completed in 2004.

Principal Investigator and Project Director, The Critical Edition of The Works of George Santayana, sponsored by the National Endowment for the Humanities, 1998-1999. Fiduciary home Texas A&M University - Research Foundation. (app \$250,000)

PUBLICATIONS

Books:

The Writings of William James - A Comprehensive Edition (New York: Random House, 1967), xlviii, 858. Edited with Introduction and annotated bibliography.

The Writings of William James (New York: The Modern Library, 1968), G96.

The Writings of William James (Chicago: The University of Chicago Press, 1977). New Preface and editorial corrections.

The Basic Writings of Josiah Royce, 2 vols. (Chicago: The University of Chicago Press, 1969). Edited with Introduction and Commentary.

The Basic Writings of Josiah Royce, 2 vols. (New York: Fordham University Press, 2005) New Introduction.

The Philosophy of John Dewey, 2 vols. (New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1973). Paperback Edition, Vol. I, xlii, 354; Vol. II, xlii, 469. Edited with an Introduction and extensive commentary. Clothe edition, 1974.

The Philosophy of John Dewey, 2 vols. in one (Chicago: The University of Chicago Press, 1981). New Preface and editorial corrections.

The Culture of Experience: Philosophical Essays in the American Grain (New York: New York University Press, 1976), xxv, 235. Paperback Edition, 1977.

The Culture of Experience: Philosophical Essays in the American Grain (Prospect Heights, Illinois: Waveland Press, 1987), xxiv, 231. New Preface, xv-xvi.

A Cultural Introduction to Philosophy, From Antiquity to Descartes (New York: Alfred Knopf, 1985), xx, 837. Edited with Commentary, Headnotes, Time-Line, Maps, Illustrations. A companion volume, From Descartes to the Twentieth Century is in progress.

Streams of Experience: Reflections on the History and Philosophy of American Culture (Amherst: University of Massachusetts Press, 1986), xxiv, 266. Paperback Edition, 1987.

Streams of Experience: Reflections on the History and Philosophy of American Culture (Islamabad, Pakistan: National Book Foundation, 1989), xxiv, 266.

General Editor, The Correspondence of William James (William and Henry), 1861-1884, Volume I. Edited by Ignas Skrupskelis and Elizabeth Berkeley. (Charlottesville: The University Press of Virginia, 1992), lxi, 477. (Foreword, xiii-xv).

General Editor, The Correspondence of William James (William and Henry), 1885-1896, Volume II. Edited by Ignas Skrupskelis and Elizabeth Berkeley. (Charlottesville: The University Press of Virginia, 1993), lx, 514. (Foreword, xiii-xv).

General Editor, The Correspondence of William James (William and Henry), 1897-1910, Volume III. Edited by Ignas Skrupskelis and Elizabeth Berkeley. (Charlottesville: The University Press of Virginia, 1994), lxvii, 517. (Foreword, xv-xvii).

General Editor, The Correspondence of William James, 1856-1877, Volume IV. Edited by Ignas Skrupskelis and Elizabeth Berkeley. (Charlottesville: The University Press of Virginia, 1995), lii, 714. (Foreword, xv-xvii).

General Editor, The Correspondence of William James, 1878-1884, Volume V. Edited by Ignas Skrupskelis and Elizabeth Berkeley. (Charlottesville: The University Press of Virginia, 1997), lvi, 677. (Foreword, xvii-xx).

General Editor, William and Henry James: Selected Letters. Edited by Ignas Skrupskelis and Elizabeth Berkeley. (Charlottesville: The University Press of Virginia, 1997), xxxii, 570. (Introduction, vii-xxviii).

General Editor, The Correspondence of William James, 1885-1889, Volume VI. Edited by Ignas Skrupskelis and Elizabeth Berkeley. (Charlottesville: The University Press of Virginia, 1998), xlvi, 746. (Foreword, xvii-xx).

General Editor, The Correspondence of William James, 1890-1894, Volume VII. Edited by Ignas Skrupskelis and Elizabeth Berkeley. (Charlottesville: The University Press of Virginia, 1999), lix, 745. (Foreword, xvii-xx).

General Editor, The Correspondence of William James, 1895-June 1899, Volume VIII. Edited by Ignas Skrupskelis and Elizabeth Berkeley. (Charlottesville: The University Press of Virginia, 2000), lxiii, 762. (Foreword, xix-xxii).

General Editor, The Correspondence of William James, July 1899-1901, Volume IX. Edited by Ignas Skrupskelis and Elizabeth Berkeley. (Charlottesville: The University Press of Virginia, 2001), lvi, 752. (Foreword, xvii-xx).

General Editor, The Correspondence of William James, 1902-March 1905, Volume X. Edited by Ignas Skrupskelis and Elizabeth Berkeley. (Charlottesville: The University Press of Virginia, 2002), lxiii, 759. (Foreword, xxi-xxiv).

General Editor, The Correspondence of William James, April 1905-1908, Volume XI. Edited by Ignas Skrupskelis and Elizabeth Berkeley. (Charlottesville: The University of Virginia Press, 2003), lxiv, 772. (Foreword, xix-xxii).

General Editor, The Correspondence of William James, April 1908- 1910, Volume XII. Edited by Ignas Skrupskelis and Elizabeth Berkeley. (Charlottesville: The University Press of Virginia, 2004), lxi, 793. (Foreword, xix-xxiii; Afterword, 577-579).

Experience as Philosophy: On the Work of John J. McDermott. eds. James Campbell and Richard E. Hart. American Philosophy Series. (New York: Fordham University Press, 2006.) ix, 322. (Afterword: You are Really Able by John J. McDermott, 237-271; Complete Bibliography of the Writings of John J. McDermott, 293-315).

McDermott, John J. The Drama of Possibility: Experience as Philosophy of Culture. ed. Douglas Anderson. New York: Fordham University Press, 2007. xii, 564. (Philosophical, Cultural, and Educational Poetry and Essays)

Articles:

Noteworthy selected from more than one hundred publications

“Martin Buber’s I - Thou Philosophy,” The Bridge, a Yearbook of Judaeo-Christian Studies (New York: Pantheon Books, 1958): 187-208.

- "Liberty and Order," Introduction to Spontaneous Activity in Education, by Maria Montessori (New York: Schocken Books, 1965), xi-xxvii.
- "The American Angle of Vision - I, Historical Dimensions," Cross Currents 15, no. 1 (winter 1965): 69-93.
- "The American Angle of Vision - II, Philosophical Dimensions," Cross Currents 15, no. 4 (fall 1965): 433-460.
- "The Community of Experience and Religious Metaphors," New Themes in Christian Philosophy, ed. Ralph McNerny (Notre Dame: University of Notre Dame Press, 1968), 82-106.
- "To Be Human Is to Humanize: A Radically Empirical Aesthetic," American Philosophy and the Future, ed. Michael Novak (New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, 1968), 21-59.
- "Privacy and Social Therapy," Soundings 51, no. 2 (summer 1968): 346-357.
- "Deprivation and Celebration: Suggestions for an Aesthetic Ecology," New Essays in Phenomenology, ed. James Edie (Chicago: Quadrangle Books, 1969), 116-130.
- "Nature Nostalgia and the City: An American Dilemma," Soundings 55, no. 1 (spring 1972): 1-20; The Family, Communes and Utopian Societies, ed. S. Te Selle (New York: Harper Torch Books, 1972), 1-20.
- "Feeling as Insight -- The Affective Dimension of Social Diagnosis," Hippocrates Revisited, ed. R. J. Bulger, M. D. (Washington: Medcom Publishers, 1973), 166-180.
- "Space, Time, and Touch: Philosophical Dimensions of Urban Consciousness," Soundings 57, no. 3 (fall 1974): 253-274.
- "A Metaphysics of Relations: James' Anticipation of Contemporary Experience," The Philosophy of William James, ed. W. Robert Corti (Winterthur: Archive Fur Genetische Philosophie, 1976), 81-99.
- Introduction to Essays in Radical Empiricism, by William James, Vol. 3 of the Critical Edition of The Collected Works of William James (Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 1976), xi-xxviii.
- "The Renaissance of Classical American Philosophy," American Studies International 16, no. 3 (spring 1978): 5-17; Sources for American Studies,

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Meeting with Dean of Humanities to discuss alternative education, Queens University – Belfast, Belfast, Northern Ireland, February 10, 1999.

Conducted evaluation of Middle Tennessee State University Philosophy Department for Higher Education Authority of the State of Tennessee, March 24-26, 1999.

Television Interview: “Philosophy in the Twentieth Century,” PBS Series on Philosophy, Boston, Massachusetts, August 10, 1998. Aired on PBS and The Wisdom Channel as “Trumping Cynicism with Imagination,” Spring and Summer 2000. Transcript published in A Parliament of Minds (New York: State University of New York Press, 2000), 60-75.

"American Pragmatism" episode of Philosophy Talk radio program. Ben Manilla Productions. Aired December 3, 2006 on San Francisco's KALW (91.7 FM)

Entry on J.J. McDermott by James Campbell in the Encyclopedia of American Philosophy pg. 492-493.

Teleconference with students from St. Mary's University, Indiana under the supervision of Professor Charles Hobbs. This consisted in a discussion of Professor McDermott's book The Drama of Possibility and allied issues. March 31st 2009.

VISITING PROFESSOR AND PUBLIC LECTURES:

*Selected from more than five hundred presentations
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Geraldine Hammond Visiting Professor in Humanistic Studies, Wichita State, March 1990. Keynote Address, Lectures, and Seminars.

"The Ongoing Reconstruction of the American Tradition - Here and Abroad," Plenary Session of Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy Conference, Buffalo, March 1990.

"The American Philosophical Strand: A Perilous Bequest," Annual Philosophy Symposium, California State University, Fullerton, March 1990.

Commentary, "Dewey's Metaphysics," Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, American Philosophical Association, Los Angeles, March 1990.

"'Work' as a Metaphor in American Culture," American Studies Program, University of California, Berkeley, April 1990.

"The American Angle of Vision," and "America: A Worrisome Reverie," Oregon Humanities Center, April 1990.

"The Emptiness of Deism: From Rationalism to Pragmatic Sensibility," Wilson Center, Washington, D. C., May 1990.

"Exploding the Ordinary: Towards an American Cultural Renaissance," Brookdale Community College, Lincroft, New Jersey, May 1990.

"Vulnerability, Arrogance, Affection, Ambiguity," University of Illinois, Medical School, Chicago Circle, June 1990.

"Vulnerability, Arrogance, Affection, Ambiguity," Loyola University, June 1990.

"Aesthetics as Moral Politics;" "The Twentieth-Century Copernican Revolution: From Substance to Process;" and "Relations, Transience, and the Spectre of Time;" Adelphi University, Garden City, New York, June 1990.

"Politics and Sensibility in the Thought of John Dewey," American Studies Program, University of Colorado at Boulder, October 1990.

"Emerson and Whitman: Explosive Strands in the Ordinary," Humanities Program, University of Colorado at Colorado Springs, October 1990.

"Herman Melville's Confidence Man: A Critique of American Culture," and "William James: Style and Substance," Graduate Seminars, English Department, University of California at Berkeley, November 1990.

National Endowment for the Humanities Visiting Professor, Nassau Community College, March 1991.

Introduction, Romanell Lecture, American Philosophical Association, Central Division, Chicago, April 1991.

Commentator, The Personalist Society, Oxford University, September 1991.

Visiting Professor, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas, November 1991. Public lecture, seminar, and class presentations.

Invited Symposium Speaker, "Why Bother: Is Life Worth Living?" American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, New York City, December 1991.

"The Right to Die," with Dax Cowart, College of Medicine, Texas A&M University, January 1992.

"Pragmatism and Feminism," American Philosophical Association, Central Division, Louisville, Kentucky, April 1992.

"The Past as Prologue: Santayana's Version of America," Santayana Conference, Avila, Spain, May 1992.

"Engineering as a Helping Profession," Banquet Lecture, Pi Tau Sigma, Mechanical Engineering Honor Society, Texas A&M University, November 30, 1992.

Taped Presentations, N.E.H. project on the James Family, Berkeley, California, January 1993.

Commentator, "J. Royce's Philosophy of Community," Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Vanderbilt University, March 1993.

"The California Meeting of Royce and Howison," American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division, March 1993.

"The Pedagogical Implications of Problems in Public Health," Honolulu Public School Teachers, The National Faculty, April 1993.

"Philosophy of Plato," NEH Teacher's Seminar, State University of New York at Stony Brook, July 1993.

"All We Seem to Get is Life. Implicitness: The Practical as Ontological," Festschrift for Professor Douglas Browning, Department of Philosophy, University of Texas at Austin, September 1993.

"The Right to Die" and "Addiction," Seminars to the Students and Faculty of the S.U.N.Y. Downstate Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York, November 1993.

"Environmental Aesthetics," Graduate Program, Department of Geography, Texas A&M University, November 1993.

Annual Invited Romanell Address, "Ill at Ease: The Natural Travail of Ontological Disconnectedness," American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, Atlanta, December 29, 1993.

"Where Do the Creatures Play?," Southwest Texas State University, San Marcos, Texas, February 24, 1994. Lectures on Aesthetic Ecology.

The William James Synoptic Lectures, "Fearing the Vaudeville Hook: From the Street to the Academy," Grand Valley State University, Grand Rapids, Michigan, April 7, 1994.

Lectures and Seminars on Philosophy of Medicine, The San Antonio Health Science Center, San Antonio, Texas, April 15, 1994.

"William James and the Family," University of Toledo, April 29, 1994.

“Multicultural Sensibility and Tolerance,” University of the South Pacific and The Atenisi Institute, Nuku’alofa, The Kingdom of Tonga, South Pacific, May 1994.

“A Century of Neglect – Dewey’s Pedagogic Creed, 1897-1997,” The University of Chicago, Chicago, October 1994.

“The Significance of Classical American Philosophy for Contemporary Culture,” American Philosophical Association, Boston, December 1994.

Keynote Address, “Loyalty, Isolation and Rage,” Mid-South Philosophy Conference, University of Memphis, February 1995.

“Philosophy as Therapeia,” Department of Philosophy, Middle Tennessee State University, April 1995.

Lectures on John Locke and John Dewey, Humanities-2000 NEH-Consortium, University of Toledo, May 1995.

Keynote, Address, “Threadbare Crape: Reflections on the American Strand,” International Conference on “Fascism’s Return,” Texas A&M University, November 1995.

Presentation on editing of Critical Editions, C. S. Peirce Center, Indiana University-Purdue University, Indianapolis, May 1996.

“Plato’s Cave,” Visiting Lecturer, N.E.H. Seminar, State University of New York at Stony Brook, July 1996.

Wayne Leys Memorial Lecture, “‘Turning Backward’: The Erosion of Moral Sensibility,” Southern Illinois University, October 1996. Also offered three-hour interview for publication in Kinesis of discussion of my work.

Classroom presentation, Josiah Royce, Vanderbilt University, November 1996.

Keynote Address, “Dow or Tao?,” The Tennessee Philosophical Association, November 1996.

Keynote Presentation, Rare Books Collection, Columbia University Teachers College Library, January 1997. Transfer of American Montessori Society Archives to Columbia University.

“Losing Our Way: Tao or Dow?,” University of South Carolina, January 1997.

“Poetry in the Stream of American Philosophy,” Annual Meeting of The Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Albuquerque, New Mexico, March 7, 1997.

“Editing the Correspondence of William James,” Panelist, Editing American Philosophy, Annual Meeting of the Society for The Advancement of American Philosophy, Albuquerque, New Mexico, March 8, 1997.

Panelist, Teaching Emerson’s Nature, Annual Meeting of The Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, Albuquerque, New Mexico, March 8, 1997.

Panelist, “The Philosophical Foundations of Service Learning,” Annual Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division, Berkeley, California, March 28, 1997.

“Public Intellectuals,” Annual Meeting of American Philosophical Association, Pacific Division, Berkeley, California, March 28, 1997.

“The Humanities: Ornament or Marrow,” NEH, University of California, Berkeley, July 26, 1997.

Public Lecturer, “Losing the Way – Tao or Dow?; Penitential Reflections on the Present Situation,” C.W. Post College, October 1997.

Inaugural Lecture, “Moral Sensibility: Penitential Reflections on the Present Situation,” Celebration of “Perspectives on the Examined Life,” St. Francis College, New York City, February 5, 1998. Given in honor of the reinstatement of the philosophy major at St. Francis College.

Invited Memorial Lecture, “The Moral Compass: Losing Our Way,” United States Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, March 19, 1998.

Keynote Address, “Aesthetics Against the Grain,” American Society for Aesthetics, Rocky Mountain Division, Santa Fe, New Mexico, July 10, 1998.

Presentations on Classical Texts by John Dewey, American Philosophy Conference, University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont, July 27 and 28, 1998.

“Pedagogy for the Twenty-First Century – John Dewey,” World Congress of Philosophy, Boston, Massachusetts, August 10, 1998.

Presentation on the Critical Editions of The Works of William James and The Correspondence of William James, Interdisciplinary Group on Historical Studies, Texas A&M University, November 5, 1998.

Graduate Seminar, "Conflicted Currents in Contemporary Philosophy," University College - Maynooth, Maynooth, Ireland, February 8, 1999.

Invited lecture on William James, University College - Dublin, Dublin, Ireland, February 9, 1999.

"The Erosion of Moral Sensibility," Annual Lyceum Lecture, Middle Tennessee State University, March 26, 1999.

"Sir William Osler and Medical School Education," Renewed Osler Society, Texas A&M University, April 23, 1999.

"Ill at Ease: No Ultimate Canopy of Explanation," presentation to the American Philosophy Conference at the University of Vermont, July 1999.

"Pedagogy as Healing: John Dewey's Aesthetics of Education," Keynote Address, for Rethinking Key Issues in College Learning, Elon College, North Carolina, September 25, 1999.

Undergraduate Seminars on John Dewey, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, November 11 - 12, 1999.

Guest lecturer, " 'I am not a dime a dozen': Philosophical Reflections on Literature," and "The Future of American Studies," to the Philosophy Department at Pennsylvania State University, February 11-12, 2000.

Visiting Lecturer, California State University at Chico, February 2001. Selected as the first *Lottery* Visiting Professor at California State University. Chosen on the basis of national reputation as a classroom teacher.

"Urban Aesthetics." Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy Conference in Las Vegas Nevada, March 12, 2001. A response to a panel discussion, "The City as Nature's Other: A Still Unresolved Dilemma," devoted to commentary on essays by John J. McDermott on urban aesthetics.

Invited Distinguished Visitor, Walter Powell-Linfield College 31st Annual Philosophy Lectureship - 2001, "Passing Through or Passing By, The Nectar of Our Stories," at Linfield College, McMinnville, Oregon, May 2001.

Visiting Lecturer, The University of Oregon, May 2001. Seminar to Graduate Faculty and Students on "Death."

Keynote Address, "Hast Any Philosophy in Thee, Shepherd?" to Division 15, Educational Psychology at the Annual Meeting of The American Psychological Association, San Francisco, August 2001.

Commentator on papers addressing the public work of John J. McDermott at "A Conference Exploring the Philosophy of John J. McDermott," Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, October 12-14, 2001. 9 presentations with responses by J.J. McDermott.

"Globalization and Higher Education," The University of Hawaii in Honolulu, Hawaii, February 20-25, 2002. Member of invitation only panel with conferees from Pakistan, Kashmir, Guatemala, China, Australia, Germany, Italy, among others.

Keynote Address, "Transiency and Amelioration - Revisited," East European Pragmatist Forum, Krakow, Poland, June 6-12, 2002.

Responses to five panel discussions on my work at C.W. Post College, Long Island University, June 21-23, 2002. Participants represented Stanford, Berkeley, C.U.N.Y., SUNY at Stony Brook, The International Herald-Tribune-Paris, among others.

"Philosophical Themes in William James' Varieties of Religious Experience," to the Annual Meeting of The Chautauqua Society, Waxahachie, Texas, September 28, 2002.

Presentation - Commentator on papers by Jay Martin (John Dewey) and Robert Richardson (William James) at the Biographer's Conference, Texas A&M University, October 18, 2002.

First Presidential Address to the William James Society, American Philosophical Association, Philadelphia, December 28-30, 2002.

Presented "A University: The Loss of Marrow," as the annual Humanities Lecture at California State University, Fresno, February 11, 2003. Also gave classroom presentations of "Plato's Cave."

Visiting Professor, Stanford University, February 12-13, 2003. "Philosophical Issues in Addiction Therapy," Stanford University School of Medicine, Divison of Psychiatry. Public presentation to the Graduate Program, School of education:

“At the Turning: Experience is Pedagogical.” Seminar on selected philosophical texts by William James and John Dewey.

Visiting Lecturer, Seattle University, April 10-12. Delivered the long-standing invited Toulouse Lecture on “The University at the ‘Turning’: The Loss of Marrow.” Lecture to the honors program. Presentation of seminar paper to a gathering of philosophers. Addressed the Northwest Phenomenological Society on “The Importance of the ‘Given’”. On April 11, a banquet was held in honor of Professor McDermott’s 50 years of teaching.

Annual Hurst Lecture at American University, April 2004

The Annual Humanities Lecture at Blinn College, “William James,” March 23, 2005.

Presidential Address to the Josiah Royce Society, Vanderbilt University, April 2005.

Presentation of completed set of the Correspondence of William James to the Glasscock Center for Humanities Research and reading of selected letters, November 4, 2005.

“A Reading of Letters from the Correspondence of William James,” at the Annual Meeting of the American Philosophical Association, New York City, December 28, 2005.

“Old is Sometimes Better.” Dr. Nancy McCormick Rambusch Lecture. Annual Conference of the American Montessori Society. Houston, Texas. April 2, 2006.

“Can You Help Me? Medicine as a Sacred Calling.” The McGovern Award Lectureship in the Art and Science of Medicine. Texas A&M University. October 18, 2006.

Reading of John Dewey’s Letters. Meeting of the American Philosophical Association. Washington, D. C. December 28, 2006.

“Can You Help Me?: Medicine: As A Sacred Calling,” Keynote, Long Island Philosophical Society at Suffolk Community College. May 5, 2007

“Ever Not Quite,” Keynote address at “William James and Josiah Royce a Century Later: Pragmatism and Idealism in Dialogue,” Harvard University. Cambridge, MA. May 25-27, 2007.

"John McDermott's *The Drama of Possibility and Experience as Philosophy: On the Work of John J. McDermott*, edited by James Campbell and Richard Hart."

Personalist Discussion Group and Society of Philosophers in America. Annual Meeting of the American Philosophical Association: Eastern Division. Baltimore, Maryland. December 29th, 2007.

"The Loneliness of the Long Distance Humanities Teacher" Annual Humanities Lecture at Southern Illinois University. April 2007.

"Founders, Foundering, and Finding" Founders Address to the Annual national/international meeting of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy. College Station, TX March 14th 2009.

"The Perils and Possibilities of the Ordinary" The Annual Martin Benjamin University Lecture. Michigan State University. April 19th 2009

On March 15th 2009 national and international scholars, students, and university colleagues gathered to pay homage to the philosophical work and teaching of John J. McDermott. Presented as "The Nectar is in the Journey: A Celebration of the Life and Career of John J. McDermott." This event featured five panel discussions with responses by Professor McDermott. A program is enclosed.

"A Jamesian Personscape: The Fringe as Messaging to the Sick Soul" The William James Lecture on Religious Experience. Harvard Divinity School. May 6th 2010

HONORS AND AWARDS

Post-Doctoral, Cross-Disciplinary Fellowship in American Religion, from the Society for Values in Higher Education. Union Theological Seminary, 1963-1964

Queens College Alumni Award for Distinguished Teaching, 1969-1970

E. Harris Harbison National Award for Gifted Teaching (Danforth Foundation) - 1970

L.L.D. (*Honoris Causa*) University of Hartford, 1970 (for Contribution to Higher Education)

Teaching Award, State University of New York, Stony Brook, 1971

Appointed one of six senior editors for The Collected Writings of William James, sponsored by N.E.H. and A.C.L.S., 1974 -- 19 Volumes

Humanities Lecturer, representing Texas A&M University in the University Consortium of the Southwest Conference

Chosen as the first lifetime Fellow of the American Montessori Society

Selected as the 1980-1981 University Faculty Lecturer, Texas A&M University

Chosen as Editor, Ten-Year Proceedings of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy

Commencement Address, Texas A&M University, August 1982

Received the Distinguished Achievement Award in Teaching from the Association of Former Students of Texas A&M University, May 1983

Elected, Charter Speaker, Faculty Senate, Texas A&M University, 1984

Nominated as candidate for Vice-President/President-Elect of the American Philosophical Association (Eastern Division) October 1985 (Lost by four votes)

Nominated to Steering Committee of The International Federation of Societies of Philosophy (FISP)

Elected, Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, 1986

The Honor Society of Phi Beta Delta, Alpha Beta Chapter, Texas A&M University

Named as George T. and Gladys H. Abell Endowed Professor in Liberal Arts, Texas A&M University, 1986

Awarded grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities as General Editor and Project Director of a multi-volume edition of The Correspondence of William James to be published by The University of Virginia Press

One of Two Texans nominated for the National Humanities Council. (Also nominated by the American Philosophical Association.)

Recipient of Former Students Research Award, Texas A&M University, May 1989

Dedication to John J. McDermott in Keeping Time: Memory, Nostalgia, and the Art of History. University of Georgia Press, 1990.

Received the Herbert W. Schneider Award for “Distinguished Contributions to the Understanding and Development of American Philosophy,” from the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy, 1993

Received 20 Years of Service Award, Texas A&M University, October 1997

Morton N. Cohen Award given for A Distinguished Edition of Letters, Volume VI of The Correspondence of William James, from the Modern Language Association, 1999. (Given to the Editors of the Correspondence).

Dedication to John J. McDermott in The Agrarian Roots of Pragmatism. Edited by Paul B. Thompson and Thomas C. Hilde (Nashville; Vanderbilt University Press, 2000)

Received Distinguished Research Award. College of Liberal Arts, Texas A&M University. 2000.

Endowment of the Speakership of the Texas A&M Faculty Senate in the name of John J. McDermott (provided by Samuel H. Black), 2001.

Conference on the teaching and work of John J. McDermott held at Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, October 2001.

Nominated by Texas A&M University as the sole candidate for the Kluge Foundation’s John W. Kluge Prize in the Human Sciences, 2002.

Conference on the teaching and work of John J. McDermott held at C.W. Post College – Long Island University, June 2002.

Received 25 Years of Service Award, Texas A&M University, October 2002

Received 20 Years of Service Award, College of Medicine, Texas A&M University Health Science Center, 2002.

Conference on the teaching and work of John J. McDermott held at Seattle University, April 2003.

Biographical feature in the Texas A&M University Football Program, October 26, 2002.

Featured in the Texas A&M University 125th Anniversary painting by Benjamin Knox, 2002.

Appointed Lifetime Fellow – William James Society, 2002.

Dedication to John J. McDermott in Pragmatism, Postmodernism and the Future of Philosophy, by John J. Stuhr (New York: Routledge, 2003).

Dedication to John J. McDermott in Fateful Shapes of Human Freedom, by Vincent Colapietro (Nashville: Vanderbilt University Press, 2003).

My person and work as the feature story in Pathways, the annual publication of The College of Liberal Arts, Fall 2003.

Recipient of the 2004 John Dewey Society Achievement Award (presented in San Diego, April 12, 2004).

University Distinguished Achievement Award for Teaching from the Association of Former Students, May 2004.

Presidential Professor Award for Teaching Excellence in perpetuity, May 2004.

Selected as Piper Professor of 2005 by the Minnie Stevens Piper Foundation for outstanding scholarly and academic achievement.

25-Year Pin and Ceremony, College of Medicine, Texas A&M University.
December 20, 2006.

The Nectar is in the Journey: A Celebration of the Life and Work of John J. McDermott.
An all day conference, College Station, Texas, March 15th, 2009 (Program attached)

Appointed Regents Professor, Texas A&M University, 2009

Named Holder of the Melbern G. Glasscock Chair in the Humanities, Texas A&M, 2009.

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Curriculum Vitae

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AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Ethics and Leadership in Public Policy; Social and Political Philosophy; and American Philosophy.

AREAS OF COMPETENCE

Epistemology, Logic, Philosophy of Education, and Human Rights.

EMPLOYMENT

The University of Mississippi (Ole Miss), Oxford, MS, 2007 – present
Assistant Professor (tenure-track), Department of Public Policy Leadership.

The Clarion Ledger, Major Mississippi newspaper out of Jackson, MS, 2010 – present
Freelance writer / regular columnist on contract, Editorial Desk.

Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL, 2004 – 2007
Teaching Assistant, Webmaster, and I.T. support, Dept. of Phil. and Center for Dewey Studies.

Ohio University, Athens, OH, 2002 – 2004
Teaching Assistant, Department of Philosophy, Ohio University.

EDUCATION

Southern Illinois University, Ph.D., Philosophy, 2007.

Ohio University, M.A., Philosophy, 2004.

Vanderbilt University, B.S., double-major: Philosophy and Communication Studies, 2001.

AWARDS & HONORS

Thomas F. Frist Student Service Award for “going the extra mile in unwavering dedication to students,” The University of Mississippi, May 2012.

Cora Lee Graham Award for the Outstanding Teaching of Freshmen for “excellence of class instruction, intellectual stimulation of students, and concern for students’ welfare,” College of Liberal Arts, The University of Mississippi, May 2011.

Author-Meets-Critics panel on *Rawls, Dewey, and Constructivism*, S. Pol. Sci. Assoc., 2012.

Chair the American Philosophical Association’s Committee on Public Philosophy, 2011 – 2014.

Executive Director of the Society of Philosophers in America (SOPHIA), 2010 – present.

Elected President of the Mississippi Philosophical Association, 2009 – 2010.

Inducted with Distinguished Membership in the National Society for Collegiate Scholars for “outstanding contributions to the classroom, the campus, and the community,” September 2009.

Visiting Research Fellow, Center for Inquiry Transnational, Amherst, NY, July 14 – 17, 2008.

Invited to the Greek Life luncheon in recognition for “Outstanding service to Ole Miss,” spring 2008.

Andrew P. Smith Writing Award, SIU, 2005.

S. Morris Eames Philosophy Graduate Student Award, SIU, 2004 – 2005.

GRANTS

Preparing to apply for a Kellogg Foundation grant to support “The MS Expectations Project,” 2012.

Developing a grant proposal for the Delta Regional Authority for Charleston, MS, spring 2012.

Applying for a Templeton Foundation grant to support the “SOPHIA Civility Project,” 2012.

Applying for a grant from the MS Department of Agriculture and Commerce for a joint project titled “Enhancing the Competitiveness of Specialty Crops in Lafayette County, MS: Targeting University Students and the Community,” submitted 3/30/12.

UM College of Liberal Arts Summer Research Grant for *A Culture of Justice*, summer 2012.

Grant from the College of Liberal Arts to support SOPHIA for 2012, \$3,500, January 2012.

Faculty Travel Grant, ORSP, U. M., \$861.80 for travel to the S. Poli. Sci. Ass. for an “Author Meets Critics” panel on my *Rawls, Dewey, and Constructivism*, in New Orleans, LA, January, 2012.

Research Grant, Office of Research and Sponsored Programs, U. of MS, \$1,000 plus \$2,500 matching funds, July 2011.

Departmental Summer Research Grant, Public Policy Leadership, U. of Mississippi, summer 2011.

Faculty Travel Support Grant, O. of Research and Sponsored Programs, U. M., \$500 for travel to the Soc. for the Adv. of Am. Philosophy's Summer Institute, in Eugene, OR, July, 2011.

American Philosophical Association grant to support “Democracy and Civic Participation: Two Symposia on Philosophy and Public Engagement,” awarded \$4,000 for events in 2011.

Mississippi Humanities Council grant to support a SOPHIA symposium titled “Disability, Civic Responsibility, and Community Friendship,” awarded \$5,000 in fall of 2010 for the event in 2011.

Faculty Travel Support Grant, O. of Research and Sponsored Programs, U. M., \$1,500 for travel to the Soc. for the Adv. of Am. Philosophy's Summer Institute, in Eugene, OR, July 26-31, 2010.

Departmental Summer Research Grant, Public Policy Leadership, U. of Mississippi, summer 2010.

American Philosophical Association Grant for 3 projects for the Society of Philosophers in America (SOPHIA), \$2,400 with \$3,700 match, 2009.

Mississippi Humanities Council Grant for SOPHIA symposium on “Ethics at the End of Life,” with Jo Ann O’Quin, \$1,994 with \$2,700 match, January 2009.

Departmental Summer Research Grant, Public Policy Leadership, U. of Mississippi, summer 2009.

Mississippi Humanities Council Grant for the Mississippi Philosophical Association’s Medical Ethics Conference, \$2,920 with \$5,900 match, November, 2008.

Departmental Summer Research Grant, Public Policy Leadership, U. of Mississippi, summer 2008.

College of Lib. Arts/Provost Summer Research Grant, The U. of Mississippi, \$8,400 for summer 2008.
Faculty Travel Support Award, Office of Research and Sponsored Programs, U. of Mississippi,
\$1,500 for travel to “Transforming Regional Economies,” in Baltimore, MD, October 2007.
N.E.H. Young Scholars Summer Research Grant Award, summer 1996.

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Democracy and Leadership: On Pragmatism and Social Intelligence, under contract with Lexington Books, a division of Rowman and Littlefield Publishers, for publication in late 2012 or early 2013.

Morality, Leadership, and Public Policy: On Experimentalism in Ethics, Continuum International Publishing Group, London, April (U.K.) / July (U.S.) 2011 in hardback, Winter 2012 in paperback, ix + 188 pages.

- Reviewed by Royce Jones in *The Journal of Speculative Philosophy*, Volume 26, Issue 1, 2012, 76-78.

Rawls, Dewey, and Constructivism: On the Epistemology of Justice, Continuum International Publishing Group, London, September 2010 in hardback, February 2012 in paperback, vi + 168 pages.

- Reviewed by Tom Rockmore in *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*, July 2011, <http://ndpr.nd.edu/review.cfm?id=24270>
- Reviewed on *H-Net Reviews* in the Humanities and Social Sciences, October 2011, <http://www.h-net.org/reviews/showpdf.php?id=33740>
- Reviewed by Richard Cotter in *Political Studies Review*, Volume 10, January 2012, p. 103, available also here: <http://nuim.academia.edu/RichardCotter/Papers/472598/>.
- Subject of a proposed “Author meets critics” panel at the 2012 Southern Political Science Association.
- The Independent Publishers Guild honored Continuum with the 2011 Independent Publisher of the Year Award and the 2011 Ingram Academic and Professional Publisher of the Year Award. URL: <http://www.ipg.uk.com/>

Books in Preparation

A Culture of Justice: On Fairness and Pragmatism, proposal completed, draft in progress.

Culture Bound: Overcoming Self-Fulfilling Prophecies of Failure in Education, in discussions with a literary agent for representation for the book. Proposal draft completed, revising.

The Meaning of Moderation: On the Virtue of Centrism in Politics, proposal in progress.

Ten Philosophical Lessons for the Good Life (long-term project).

Journal Articles

“What Experimentalism Means in Ethics,” *The Journal of Speculative Philosophy*, Volume 25, Issue 1, 2011, p. 98 – 115.

“The Third Enlightenment as American: A Reply to Kondylis,” *Skepsis*, Volume 21, Issue 2, 2011, p. 97 – 107.

“On Applying Ethics: Who’s Afraid of Plato’s Cave?” *Contemporary Pragmatism*, Volume 7, Issue 2, December of 2010, p. 91 – 103.

- “A Historical Mandate for Expanding Broadband Internet Infrastructure,” *Review of Policy Research*, Volume 27, Issue 5, September 2010, 681 – 689.
- “James, Dewey, and Democracy,” *William James Studies*, Volume 4, Issue 1, summer 2009, p. 90 – 110, Full paper is available at URL: <http://williamjamesstudies.org/4.1/weber.pdf>.
- “Social Contract Theory, Old and New,” *Review Journal of Political Philosophy*, Volume 7, Issue 2, 2009, p. 1 – 23.
- “The Responsibilities and Dangers of Pragmatism,” *Philosophy in the Contemporary World*, Volume 16, Issue 1, April 2009, p. 122 – 129, published with response, “What Can Philosophers Contribute?” on p. 130 – 134 by John Lachs.
- “Religion, Public Reason, and Humanism: Paul Kurtz on Fallibilism and Ethics,” *Contemporary Pragmatism*, Volume 5, Number 2, December 2008, p. 131 – 147.
- “Learning from Others: What South Korean Technology Policy Can Teach Mississippi,” *Review of Policy Research*, Volume 25, Issue 6, December, 2008, p. 608 – 613.
- “Dewey and Rawls on Education,” *Human Studies*, Volume 31, Issue 4, December, 2008, p. 361 – 382.
- “Lessons for Leadership from Keping and Dewey,” *Skepsis*, Volume 19, Issues 1 & 2, 2008, p. 100 – 111.
- “Proper Names and Persons: Peirce’s Semiotic Consideration of Proper Names,” *Transactions of the Charles S. Peirce Society*, Volume 44, Issue 2, Spring 2008, p. 346 – 362.

Book Chapters

- “On Pragmatism and International Relations: Empiricism, Stoic Optimism, and Collaborative Culture,” in *Philosophical Pragmatism and International Relations: Essays for a Bold New World*, edited by Shane Ralston, Lanham, MD: Lexington Books (a division of Rowman and Littlefield Publishers), forthcoming 2012.
- With David Rutherford, “Ethics and Environmental Policy,” Chapter 9 in *Handbook of Climate Change Mitigation*, ed. by Chen, Seiner, Suzuki, and Lackner, Heidelberg, 39 pages (~ 20,000 words), Netherlands: Springer, 2011.
- “Deweyan Experimentalism and Leadership,” Chapter 19 in *Dewey’s Enduring Influence: Essays on America’s Philosopher*, ed. by John Shook and Paul Kurtz, 293 – 301, Amherst, NY: Prometheus Books, 2011.
- “Civil Religion,” with Richard Couto, Chapter 57 in *Political and Civic Leadership*, edited by Richard Couto, Washington, D.C.: Sage Press, 2010, p. 505 – 512.
- “Democratic Political Leadership,” Chapter 13 in *Political and Civic Leadership*, edited by Richard Couto, Washington, D.C.: Sage Press, 2010, p. 105 – 110.
- “Clearing the Path to Human Rights.” *Humanity at the Turning Point*, Sonja Servomaa, ed., Renvall Publications Series no 23, Helsinki, Finland: Renvall Institute, University of Helsinki, 2006.

Popular Media Publications – Op-Eds and Published Extended Interviews

- “Greening Industry and Green Industries,” *ProBizMS.com*, April 8, 2012, <http://goo.gl/sis9j>.

- “Teachers Offer Hope: Teach for America, Teacher Corps draw top students, but not panaceas,” *The Clarion Ledger* (Jackson, MS), April 8, 2012, 1C-2C, <http://goo.gl/bOC3A>.
- “Modern universities are devaluing acquisition of knowledge: Weber,” *The Tehran Times* (major English speaking newspaper in Iran), 2/22/12, p. TBA, <http://goo.gl/OOLVj>.
- “Mississippians Are Ready for Comprehensive Sex Education,” *Science Progress*, Tuesday, February 14th, 2012, <http://scienceprogress.org/2012/02/mississippians-are-ready-for-comprehensive-sex-education/>. This piece was republished on ProBizMS.com on April 20th, 2012.
- “Religious reasons against Initiative 26,” *The Oxford Eagle*, October 24, 2011, 4A, <http://ericthomasweber.org/ETW-ReligiousReasonsAgainstInitiative26-sml2.pdf>.
- “Forward Rebels, or a big step back?” *The Commercial Appeal* (Memphis, TN), Guest Columnist, October 22, 2011, A11, <http://ericthomasweber.org/ETW-ForwardRebelsOrABigStepBack.pdf>.
- “Some great Persian philosophers were closely connected to Western phil.,” *Tehran Times*, 11/10/11, p. 7.
- “Rand’s Appeal Curious,” *The Clarion Ledger* (Jackson, MS), Contributing Columnist, July 24, 2011, 1-2 C, <http://ericthomasweber.org/ETW-RandsCuriousAppeal.pdf>.
- “Mysteries arise in all areas of inquiry: professor,” *Tehran Times*, 7/3/11, p. 5.
- “Philosophy inspires life of careful thinking,” *Tehran Times*, 4/21/11, p. 15.
- “Freedom and choice are central to people’s happiness,” *Tehran Times*, 2/22/11, p. 15.
- “Liberty, Health Care Reform Fit,” *The Clarion Ledger* (Jackson, MS), Contributing Columnist, January 30, 2011, 13B, <http://www.ericthomasweber.org/ETW-LibertyHealthCareReformFit.pdf>.
- “Weber says Philosophy Creates Stable, Adaptable Societies,” *Tehran Times*, 12/6/10, p. 15.
- “Difference is important tool ‘for arriving at truth’: professor,” *Tehran Times*, 11/2/10, p. 15.
- “Health Law Repeal Would Toss Out Baby with Bathwater,” *The Clarion Ledger*, Guest Column, October 23, 2010, 9A, <http://www.ericthomasweber.org/ETW-Healthcare.pdf>.
- “Choosing Civility: The Lemonade Lesson,” *The Clarion Ledger*, September 19, 2010, pages 8-9B, with editors’ contribution in support on 10B. Online here: <http://tinyurl.com/2fvpmm9>
- “Fundamental tool in education is communication: professor,” *Tehran Times*, 9/21/10, p. 12.
- “Rawls revived idea of social contract theory: professor,” *Tehran Times*, 8/25/10, p. 15.
- “Disability’s Financial Crisis,” *The Oxford Eagle*, July 6, 2010, p. 4A, Online here: <http://www.ericthomasweber.org/ETW-DisabilitysFinancialCrisis.pdf>
- “Cultural Divides: Barriers Remain to Educational Attainment,” *The Clarion Ledger*, Guest Column, June 6, 2010, C1-2, <http://www.ericthomasweber.org/ETW-BarriersRemainToEducationalAttainment-Scan-060610.pdf>.
- “Charters as Step and Experiment,” Guest Columnist for the *Clarion Ledger* (Jackson, MS), 3/6/2010, scan of the article: <http://www.ericthomasweber.org/ETW-Charters-CL.pdf>.
- “Head’s Constitutional Challenge to Healthcare Reform: Bunk,” *The Daily Mississippian*, 11/17/09, <http://tinyurl.com/yev6lkf>.
- “The DM Should Not Promote Cheating,” *The Daily Mississippian*, 10/30/09, <http://tinyurl.com/yce4enx>.

- “Social Spending Better than War,” *The Daily Mississippian*, 2/13/09. <http://smc.olemiss.edu/?p=786>.
- “Meeting Set to Tackle Tough End of Life Issues,” *The Daily Mississippian*, “Inside Ole Miss,” Jan. 26th, 2009. <http://www.philosophersinamerica.com/InsideOleMissArticle-OnEEL.pdf>.
- “Fallacies Wrong for DM,” *The Daily Mississippian*, 4/28/2008.
- “Think First, Then Write,” *The Daily Mississippian*, October 18th, 2007.
- “Kick open the doors of opportunity, but don't you dare knock!” *The Southern Illinoisan*, 4/28/2007. http://www.thesouthern.com/articles/2007/04/28/opinions/voice_of_the_reader/20103504.txt

Articles in Preparation

- “The Role of Philosophers in Shaping Public Policy,” drafting.
- “A Culture of Justice: On Rorty and Rawls,” drafting.
- “Fundraising for Hire: On The Ethical Limits of Outsourced Fundraising,” revising to resubmit to *Public Affairs Quarterly*.
- “The Great Benefits of Stoicism, with All Its Faults,” to be sent to the *Journal of Philosophy*.
- “A New Way to Teach Argumentative Writing,” to be sent to *Teaching Philosophy*.

Encyclopedia Entries

- “John Dewey,” in *Encyclopedia of Science and Technology Communication*, 216 – 218, Sage Press, 2010.
- “Deductive Logic,” in *Encyclopedia of Science and Technology Communication*, 206 – 207, Sage Press, 2010.
- “Inductive Logic,” in *Encyclopedia of Science and Technology Communication*, 392 – 393, Sage Press, 2010.
- “Education: American Philosophers on,” in *American Philosophy: An Encyclopedia*, edited by John Lachs and Robert Talisse, 206 – 209, New York, Routledge, 2008.
- “Intelligence,” in *American Philosophy: An Encyclopedia*, edited by John Lachs and Robert Talisse, 403 – 405, New York, Routledge, 2008.
- “Temperament,” in *American Philosophy: An Encyclopedia*, edited by John Lachs and Robert Talisse, 754 – 756, New York, Routledge, 2008.

Editing

Revised Robert Hahn’s, *Conduct and Constraints*, 8th ed., Pearson, 2008, from 7th Ed., see p. xiii.

Reviews

- Clanton, J. Caleb. *Religion and Democratic Citizenship: Inquiry and Conviction in the American Public Square*. In *Transactions of the Charles S. Peirce Society*, forthcoming.
- Frank, Jill. *A Democracy of Distinction*. In the *Review of Metaphysics*, LX, No. 2, Issue 238, p. 396-397, December 2006.

Kellogg, Frederic R. *Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr., Legal Theory, and Judicial Restraint*. In *The Pluralist*, forthcoming 2012.

Lachs, John. *A Community of Individuals*. In *Teaching Philosophy*, 29:1, p. 72 – 74, March 2006.

Putnam, Hilary. *Ethics without Ontology*. In *The Journal of Value Inquiry*, Vol. 41, No. 2 – 4, p. 359 – 361, December, 2007.

Tong, Rosemary, A. Donchin, and S. Dodds, editors. *Linking Visions: Feminist Bioethics, Human Rights, and the Developing World*. In *Teaching Philosophy*, 29:4, p. 367 – 369, December 2006.

PRESENTATIONS

“A Culture of Justice: On Rawls, Dewey, and Rorty,” on a Soc. for the Adv. of Am. Phil. Panel at the Eastern Div. meeting of the American Philosophical Association, Atlanta, GA, December 2012.

“Research About and Guided by Ethics: A Study of Culture, Justice, and Philosophical Psychology in Mississippi,” The Mississippi IRB Forum, invited keynote address, U. of MS, July 27, 2012.

“Key Tools for Effective Verbal and Written Communications in the Workplace,” The Ole Miss Association of Educational Office Professionals, Oxford, MS, March 29, 2012.

“Traditional Scholarship to Public Intellectualism: Engaging Wider Publics,” Soc. for the Adv. of American Philosophy annual conference, Fordham University, NY, March 16, 2012.

“Reply,” Author Meets Critics panel on *Rawls, Dewey, and Constructivism*, Southern Political Science Association, New Orleans, LA, January 2012.

“The Limits of Engagement?: World Philosophy Day in Tehran, 2010,” Panel Co-sponsored by the APA’s Committees on Public Philosophy and Internal Cooperation, Washington, D.C., Dec. 2011.

“Philosophical Influence on Culture,” Public Philosophy Network, “Advancing Publicly Engaged Philosophy,” Washington Plaza Hotel, Washington, D.C., October 7, 2011.

“Avenues for Engaged and Pragmatic Public Philosophy: The Need for Cultural, Intellectual, and Moral Leadership,” S.A.A.P. Summer Institute, U. of Oregon, Eugene, OR, July 12, 2011.

“Humanism and Leadership,” The Metaphysical Society of America’s annual conference, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, March 12, 2011.

“Leadership and Liberal Arts Education,” The Midsouth Philosophy Conference, The University of Memphis, Memphis, TN, March 5, 2011.

“Leadership and Ethics,” invited presentation, Leadership Series, Ole Miss Women’s Council for Philanthropy, Oxford, MS, February 17, 2011.

“Public Philosophy and the Benefits of Media Engagement,” on the APA’s Committee on Public Philosophy panel at the Eastern Division meeting of the American Philosophical Association, December 30, 2010.

“Democracy and Culture in Mississippi: How to Combat Self-Fulfilling Prophecies of Failure,” North American Society for Social Philosophy panel at the Eastern APA, December 28, 2010.

“The Moral, Political, Educational, and Economic Promise of Expanding Broadband Internet Infrastructure in Rural America,” Policy Studies Organization, The Dupont Summit conference, Washington, D.C., December 3, 2010.

- “Signature Civility: President Obama’s Strength,” *The Obama Presidency: A Preliminary Assessment*, The University of Southern Mississippi and the Center for Policy and Resilience, Long Beach, MS, November 19, 2010.
- “On Poverty and Educational Failure in Mississippi,” invited talk, Philosophy Outreach Conference, Columbia University’s Teacher’s College, New York City, NY, October 16, 2010.
- “On Poverty and Educational Failure in Mississippi,” invited talk, as Luckyday Residential Faculty Fellow, The University of Mississippi, Oxford, MS, September 30, 2010.
- “On Civility,” invited talk, Dr. Bowman’s class on Africa and International Policy, The University of Mississippi, Oxford, MS, September 30, 2010.
- “Works in Progress Presentation: On *Morality, Leadership and Public Policy* and *Democracy and Leadership*,” Soc. for the Adv. of Am. Philos. Summer Institute, Eugene, Oregon, July 28, 2010.
- “Can Leadership be Taught?” an invited keynote address for the Oxford Chamber of Commerce’s Leadership LaFayette Program, Oxford, MS, June 3, 2010.
- “Leadership and Liberal Arts Education,” an invited talk given before the National Society for Leadership and Success, UM chapter, Oxford, MS, April 25, 2010.
- “Origins of the Academy in Philosophy and the Value of Liberal Arts Education,” an invited talk given before graduating seniors at the Knowledge Is Power Program (KIPP) Delta Collegiate High School in Helena – West Helena, Arkansas, April 13, 2010.
- “Leadership in Education,” an invited talk given before select teachers in the DeSoto county schools, MS, as part of a special teacher training program, March 23, 2010.
- “The Method of Intelligence in Ethics: A Reply to Nozick on Patterns of Social Behavior and the Place of Justice,” Conference on Value Inquiry, SIU Carbondale, Carbondale, IL, April 17, 2010.
- “What Experimentalism Means in Ethics,” American Philosophies Forum, “The Future of Ethics,” Emory University, Atlanta, GA, April 8, 2010.
- “The Great Benefits of Stoicism, Despite All Its Faults,” accepted for presentation at the Midsouth Philosophy Conference, University of Memphis, Memphis, TN, March 6, 2010.
- “Ethics and Environmental Policy,” Invited presentation, Presidential Address, Mississippi Philosophical Association, Environmental Ethics Conference, Mississippi State University, Starkville, MS, February 5, 2010.
- “Pragmatism, Deontology, and Market Regulation,” Society of Philosophers in America panel, Eastern Division meeting of the Am. Philosophical Assoc., New York, NY, December 28, 2009.
- “A Historical Mandate for Expanding Broadband Internet Infrastructure,” Policy Studies Organization, Dupont Summit, Carnegie Institution for Science, December 4, 2009.
- “Deweyan Experimentalism and Leadership,” Panel on “Dewey and Public Policy” at John Dewey’s 150th Birthday Celebration, Amherst, NY, October 24, 2009.
- “Democracy, Education, and Economic Growth: Rethinking Causal Relationships in Mississippi,” The Arkansas Political Science Association and P.C.C.U.A., “The Delta: Poverty, Education, and Economic Development,” Helena - West Helena, AR, October 10, 2009.
- “Fiscal Responsibility and the ‘Use it or Lose it’ Rationale for Spending,” The Midsouth Philosophy Conference, The University of Memphis, Memphis, TN, April 18, 2009.

- “Fundraising for Hire: On the Ethical Limits of Outsourced Fundraising,” College of Liberal Arts Faculty Forum Series, University of Mississippi (Oxford), University, MS, February 17, 2009.
- “On Philosophy and Public Policy: Who’s Afraid of Plato’s Cave?” renamed “On Applying Ethics,” Eastern div. conference of the Am. Phil. Assc., Philadelphia, PA, December 28, 2008.
- “Learning from Others: What South Korean Technology Policy Can Teach Mississippi,” The Policy Studies Organization: Dupont Summit, Washington Club, Washington, D.C., December 5, 2008.
- “Democracy, Education, and Economic Growth: Rethinking Causal Relationships in Mississippi,” World Congress of Philosophy, Seoul National University, Seoul, South Korea, August 3, 2008.
- “Religion, Public Reason, and Humanism: Paul Kurtz on Fallibilism and Ethics,” Invited presentation, Paul Kurtz symposium, Center for Inquiry Transnational (CFI), Amherst, NY, July 16, 2008.
- “Secular Ethics,” Invited presentation, “The Phronesis Workshop,” The Center for Inquiry Transnational (CFI), Amherst, NY, July 15, 2008.
- “Activist or Active Judges,” 35th Conference on Value Inquiry, Values and Medicine, The College of New Jersey, Ewing, New Jersey, April 5, 2008.
- “Construction, Art, and Politics,” Richard R. Baker Colloquium, “Building Coalitions Across Difference,” University of Dayton, Dayton, Ohio, March 8, 2008.
- “Democracy, Leadership, and Higher Education,” Cave Hill Philosophy Symposium: Conversations IV: Reflections on Tertiary Ed., U. of the W. Indies at Cave Hill, Barbados, February 29, 2008.
- ““Stop him!! He stole my *internet connection*!!”: Hume, Hegel, and Dewey on the Historical Origins of Political Concepts,” MS. Philosophical Association Conference, held in conjunction with the Midsouth Philosophy Conference, The University of Memphis, Memphis, TN, February 23rd, 2008.
- “Philosophy and Public Policy Prioritization,” Midsouth Philosophy Conference, The University of Memphis, Memphis, TN, February 23, 2008.
- “Human Rights and Immigration: Is Everyone’s Responsibility Anyone’s Responsibility?” Invited presentation, Fall Leadership Conf., The U. of Mississippi, Oxford, MS, November 7, 2007.
- “The Responsibilities and Dangers of Pragmatism,” Tennessee Philosophical Association, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN, October 27, 2007.
- “Worlds Apart: On Realism and Constructivism in Political Theory,” International Society for Universal Dialogue, “Collective Memory, Philosophical Reflection, and World Peace,” American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division, Washington, D.C., December, 2006.
- “Differences in Reason-Giving,” The Society for the Study of Difference, “Humanity, Individuality and Difference,” Panel at the Annual Conference of the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy, Philadelphia, PA, October 12, 2006.
- “Who Wants to Read a Handbook?” Society for Philosophy in the Contemporary World, Western Carolina University in Cullowhee, North Carolina, July 27, 2006.
- “Political Dimensions of Traditional Economic Liberalism,” The 33rd Conference on Value Inquiry “Market Values and Moral Values,” Molloy College, Rockville Centre, NY, April 7, 2006.
- “Making Bread and Making Love: Aristotle, Dewey and Lachs on Activity, Means and Ends, and Intimacy,” Love in the Public Square, at Molloy College, Rockville Center, NY, April 1, 2006.

- “Human Rights without Natural or Moral Rights Theory,” James Madison University, “Human Rights: A Growing World without Them,” 2006 Conference, Harrisonburg, VA, March 30, 2006.
- “Proper Names and Persons,” Symposium on the Semiotic Writings of Charles S. Peirce, San Antonio, Texas, held in conjunction with the Annual Meeting of the S.A.A.P., March 12, 2006.
- “Tools for Democracy: Differences in the Importance of Education for Dewey and Rawls,” Midsouth Philosophy Conference, The University of Memphis, Memphis, TN, February 24, 2006.
- “The Philosopher’s Fallacy and the Importance of Metaphysics,” The Society for Classical Pragmatism Studies, 2005 Conference on American Philosophy, at the University of South Florida, November 5, 2005.
- “A Human Right to Food?” The 2005 Alabama Philosophical Society Conference, at the University of Montevallo, Montevallo, AL, October 21, 2005.
- “Job and Prometheus: Foundational Legends and Their Influence,” Living in Antiquity: Jews, Greeks and Christians, Villanova University, Villanova, PA, October 6, 2005.
- “Liberal Arts Education and the Foundations of Democracy,” The Idea of Education, the CERGE-EI of Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic, August 9, 2005.
- “Clearing the Path to Human Rights,” International Society for Universal Dialogue, Sixth World Congress, “Humanity at the Turning Point: Rethinking Nature, Culture, and Freedom,” Helsinki, Finland, July 18, 2005.
- “Combination of Church and State,” Intl Soc. for the Compar. Study of Civs., “Civs., Rels. and Human Survival,” U. of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN, June 9, 2005. I first gave this paper at The Intl Assoc. for the Study of Environment, Space and Place, Towson University, Towson, MD, April 30, 2005.
- “Facing Fears of Relativism,” 32nd Conference on Value Inquiry: Reason and Evaluation, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA, April 9, 2005.
- “Thinking for a Better Life,” Cave Hill Philosophy Symposium: Conversations I: Conceptualizing Philosophy, University of the West Indies at Cave Hill, Barbados, April 1, 2005.
- “On William James’s Replies to Theories of the Unconscious,” Midsouth Philosophy Conference, The University of Memphis, Memphis, TN, February 18, 2005.
- “Clearing the Path to Human Rights,” Agora, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL, February 11, 2005.

TEACHING

The University of Mississippi

Ethics and Public Policy (PPL 300), fall 2008, 2009, 2010, spring & fall 2012.

Philosophy of Leadership: Classics of Ethics & Politics (PPL 370), fall 2011.

Critical Thinking, Communication, & Public Policy (PPL 212), F&S ‘07–‘09, S ‘10 & ‘11, F&S ‘11, S&F ‘12.

Self and the Cosmos, S. M. B. Honors College (Honors 102), S 2008, 2009, 2010, & 2011.

Self and Society, S. M. B. Honors College (Honors 101), F 2007, 2008, 2009, & 2010.

Advising for undergraduate and graduate students' theses at the University of Mississippi (major professor unless specified, and undergraduate **unless specified**):

Defended or Not Completed:

Ben Rowley, on affordable housing in Oxford, MS, defended spring 2009.

Jake McGraw, on educational injustice in Mississippi, defended in spring 2010.

Brent Caldwell, served as second reader, defended spring 2010.

Vince Chamblee, on ethics in international development, defended in Nov. of 2010.

Sarah Rogers, on comparative study of food regulations, defended in April of 2011.

Alyssa Yuen, for Croft Institute thesis, service as third reader, defended in April of 2011.

Hemdeep Dulthummon, on leadership for socially oriented student orgs, defended in Nov. 2011.

Abby Olivier, on sex education and policy in MS, defended in spring 2012.

Davis Gates, on foreign aid policy, fall 2011.

Meghan Litten, for Honors College and Croft, second reader, fall 2010 to spring 2011.

Taylor McGraw, on cultural difference and narrative nonfiction, defended spring 2012.

Kaylen Addison, on marriage policy and justice, defended spring 2012.

Alex McLelland, on Lewis's *What Went Wrong*, defended spring 2012.

Mary Alex Street, on charter schools policy, defended spring 2012.

Parker Capps, on the removal of contaminants from soil, second reader, spring 2012.

In Progress:

Charles Woods, on international comparison in education policy, spring 2012–.

Wynne Campbell, on the *Citizens United* case and the *Constitution*, spring 2012–.

Courtney Washington, on school consolidations and integration, starting summer 2012–.

Brian Barnes, on tort reform, spring 2012–.

Dan Blazo, on social and political influences on atheism, external reader, **Ph.D. candidate**, 2012–.

Southern Illinois University

Introduction to Ethics (Phil 104), Teaching Assistant, spring 2007.

American Mind, History of American Intellectualism (Phil 210), Instructor, fall 2006.

Philosophy of Science, Nature, and Technology (Phil 307i), Instructor, spring 2006.

Philosophy of Politics, Law, and Justice (Phil 309i), Instructor, fall 2005.

Introduction to Logic (Phil 105), Teaching assistant, 2004 – 2005.

Ohio University

Introduction to Logic, Instructor, 5 successive quarters, 2002 – 2004.

Introductory Philosophy, Teaching assistant, 2 successive quarters, winter 2003 – spring 2004.

SERVICE

To the Profession

Serve as Executive Director, Trustee, Treasurer, and Webmaster for SOPHIA, The Society for Philosophers in America, non-profit corp., 2008 – present (Exec. Dir. since June 2010). Organized

SOPHIA symposium, titled “Ethics at the End of Life,” hosted in Oxford, MS, in January of 2009, then a symposium titled “Disability, Civic Responsibility, and Community Friendship,” put on in January of 2011. Authored four successful grants, two from the A.P.A. and two from the M.H.C. for SOPHIA activities. Created <http://www.philosophersinamerica.com>.

Serving as Chair of the American Philosophical Association’s Committee on Public Philosophy, July 2011 – June 2014, having served as Associate Chair from July 2010 – June 2011. URL: <http://www.apaonline.org/governance/committees/public/index.aspx>. Also, designed and maintained a Web site for the committee, available here: <http://www.publicphilosophy.org>.

As a volunteer for the American Philosophical Association, I helped Dr. John Lachs of Vanderbilt University in a final fundraising effort to complete the Berry Fund matching gift challenge in support of the APA’s efforts at promoting public philosophy, September and October 2010.

President of the MS. Phil. Assoc., February 2009 – 2010. Served as V.P. and Program Chair for the MPA conference from 2008 – 2009. Serve as Webmaster (<http://www.olemiss.edu/orgs/mpa>). Received an MHC grant (state affiliate of the NEH) for the 2008 Medical Ethics Conference.

External Reviewer for *Synthese*, *Politics and Religion*, *The Continuum International Publishing Group* (London), *The European Journal of Political Theory*, *Contemporary Pragmatism*, *The Transactions of the Charles S. Peirce Society*, *The Pluralist*, *The Southwest Philosophical Review*, *The Review Journal of Political Philosophy*, *Bentham Science Publishers*, the *Journal for Peace and Justice Studies*, and the *Southern Society for Philosophy and Psychology*.

Attended and served in the National Humanities Alliance's Annual Meeting and Humanities Advocacy Day, March 2010, 2011, and 2012, George Washington U., Wash., D.C., to "meet national leaders and others who shape humanities policy ... and make sure [our voices are] heard in support of the humanities." This was in partial service for the APA’s Committee on Public Philosophy.

Volunteered contributions to the APA’s Committee on Public Philosophy, Spring 2009.

Organized the “Dewey and Public Policy” panel for John Dewey’s 150th Birthday Celebration, Amherst, NY, October 22 – 24, 2009.

Web-Design consultant to the Communications Director of the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy (S.A.A.P.), summer 2005 – 2007 (<http://www.american-philosophy.org>).

Editorial Board, *Kinesis*, 2004 – 2007.

To the Department and to the University

With Abby Loden, petitioned the UM Chancellor to create a Committee on Accessibility, which began as an advisory committee and becomes a Chancellor’s Standing Committee in the fall of 2012. Served on the advisory committee. Helped draft mission statement and execute several goals.

Served on the Strategic Planning Council’s Working Group on Undergraduate Education and Success at the University of Mississippi, spring 2011 – present.

Served as Chair of the Search Committee for the department of Public Policy Leadership’s hiring process in the spring of 2011.

Led a discussion, upon invitation, for the Chancellor’s Standing Committee on Sensitivity and Respect, covering the subject of civility and challenges for the university, March 3, 2011.

Serve as a Luckyday Residential College Fellow, spring 2010 – present.

Promoted a discussion on “Dialogue Day,” for the Black History Month programs at UM, 2/24/10, televised interview aired on 2/22/10 (see Popular Media Engagements below).

Steering committee member for the Men’s Leadership Series, sponsored by the Ole Miss Women’s Council for Philanthropy, summer 2009 – spring 2010.

Lecture Series committee member, The University of Mississippi, spring 2008 – spring 2011.

Serve on the U.M. National Scholarship Advisory Committee, spring 2009 – present.

Web Planning committee member, The University of Mississippi, spring 2009 – present.

Served as moderator for the Ole Miss College Republicans’ and College Democrats’ Student Debate in ’08, held on September 4th of 2008.

Presented “Keeping Them Honest: How to Use SafeAssignments and Why It’s Good for the University of Mississippi” to the S.M.B. Honors College writing faculty, spring 2009.

Founded and led U.M. Agraphia, a group of academic researchers that meets every two to four weeks to talk about writing goals and challenges for mutual support and feedback, fall 2008 – spring 2011.

Served as a faculty advisor for student orgs.: Respect Mississippi, Minority Affairs Committee Awards Gala (planning), and the UM chapter of the Roosevelt Institution, Fall 2007 – 2009.

Dept. of Public Policy Leadership at U.M.: (1) Designed and maintain the Web site for the Dept. (<http://www.olemiss.edu/depts/leadership>), Summer 2007 – present. (2) Represented the Department of Public Policy Leadership at Ole Miss on Fall Visit Day, 2007. (3) Participated in 3 hiring committees for the department, spring 2008. (4) Worked on department’s curriculum, course design, and assessment plan, continuing since fall 2007. (5) With Professor Melissa Bass, designed PPL’s internship policies, spring 2009. (6) Organized events for our opening meetings of the PPL Speaker Series, spring 2009.

Participated in SIU Lobby Day in Springfield, Illinois, lobbying state senators and state house representatives for greater funding for higher education in Illinois, April 23rd and 25th, 2007.

External Funding Representative of the Graduate Philosophy Student Union at SIU, since 2005, and Treasurer, since 2006. Designed and implemented the G.P.S.U.’s first fundraising effort. Raised approximately \$25,000. The G.P.S.U. can now establish an endowment with the SIU Foundation.

Dept. of Phil., Ctr for Dewey Studies, and C. of Lib. Arts at SIU: (1) Designed and offered an introduction to Web-design for department faculty and graduate students; (2) Organized a customized seminar with the O. of Res., Dev. and Admin. on grant writing for graduate students in Phil., 2004 – 2005. (3) Designed and maintained dept. Web site (<http://www.siu.edu/~philos>), Ctr. for Dewey Studies Web site (<http://www.siu.edu/~deweyctr>). (4) Sum. 2005, Web-Design Project for SIU’s CoLA (<http://www.siu.edu/~cola>), and Video Proj. Mgr. for Dr. Schedler (Logic).

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Fluent in French, written and spoken – native speaker with 15 years of study.

Conversational in Spanish, written and spoken – 7 years of study.

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

With students, met with the MS State House Committee on Education, re: Charter Schools, 1/13/10.

Attended the “Seizures and Epilepsy Education Program,” Oxford, MS, March, 2009. URL:
<http://www.theseeprogram.com/>.

Attended the “Transforming Regional Economies” conference, in Baltimore, MD, October 2007.

Attended the Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy’s Summer Institute, summer 2006.

Own and operate Tempest Records, a small music business, summer 2000 – present.

Certified as a Competent Toastmaster, Toastmasters International, Southern Illinois Chapter (Public Speaking Club), 2005 – 2007.

Trained as a Civil Mediator at the Nashville Conflict Resolution Center (N.C.R.C.). Volunteered mediation services to the Metro Nashville General Sessions Court, 2001 – 2002.

Emory University in Paris, June through August, French Literature, summer of 2000.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Philosophical Association, **Chair** of the Committee on Public Philosophy, from 2011 – 2014 (served as *Associate Chair* from 2010 –11).

The Charles S. Peirce Society.

The International Society for Universal Dialogue.

The International Leadership Association.

The John Dewey Society.

Mississippi Economic Development Council.

Mississippi Philosophical Association, **V.P.**, 2008 – 2009, **President** 2009 – 2010.

The Metaphysical Society of America.

The National Society of Collegiate Scholars, **Distinguished Member**.

Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy.

Society of Philosophers in America (SOPHIA), **Executive Director, Trustee, and Treasurer**.

Society for Philosophy in the Contemporary World.

The William James Society.

POPULAR MEDIA ENGAGEMENTS (Beyond writings)

Honored with invitation to serve on the masthead of ProBizMS.com, Jack Criss’s electronic publication formed as the print version of the Greater Jackson Business periodical goes through changes.

Interviewed by *The Wall Street Journal*, which published a quote from the interview in Evan Goldstein’s article, “Celebrating Philosophy in Tehran?” on page C3 of the journal’s Saturday/Sunday issue, October 9/10, 2010, <http://www.ericthomasweber.org/Goldstein-Scan-2010sml.pdf>

Interviewed on MS’s National Public Radio affiliate, Mississippi Public Broadcasting, for its MS Edition program, to talk about the subject of February 2011 SOPHIA symposium, concerning ethics and disability in rural America, February 24, 2011.

Interviewed for ESPN’s coverage of the selection of a new mascot at the University of Mississippi to replace Colonel Reb, July 2010. Included in the longer ESPN advertisement spot that will soon be available on YouTube. Available here: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U7ljrGXktR4>.

Interviewed for Melanie Addington's article on my work, "Poor Doesn't Equal Failure," *The Oxford Eagle*, June 7, 2010, page 1A and 3A. Taken up by Associated Press. You can find a scan here: <http://www.ericthomasweber.org/Addington-PoorDoesntEqualFailure-OxfordEagle060710.pdf>

Television interview with Memphis Channel 3's "Live at Nine" show to talk about the "Day of Dialogue" event at UM, for which I served as a facilitator, 2/22/10. Available online here: <http://www.ericthomasweber.org/engagement.htm#outreach>.

With Annie Davis Weber, Radio interview on the "Seizures and Epilepsy Education Program," Mississippi Public Broadcasting's Morning Edition, National Public Radio, 3/12/09. <http://www.mpbonline.org/news/MississippiEdition/2009/March.htm>.

Newspaper interview with Emily LeCoz of the *N.E. Mississippi Daily Journal* (Tupelo, MS), cited in "Like officials, experts split on value of Tupelo ethics study," 10/5/08. <http://tinyurl.com/lgzk3s>.

Radio interview in French with the BBC's World Service International Program for francophone Africa on the first 2008 Presidential Debate held at the University of Mississippi, Sept. 26th, 2008.

Newspaper interview with *Helsingin Sanomat* on the first 2008 Presidential Debate, September 26th, 2008. Then, on November 5th, 2008, my "A More Perfect Union," was published on the paper's Web site here: <http://blogit.hs.fi/USA2008/?p=198>. Was quoted in a related article (same day).

REFERENCES

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Dr. John Lachs, Centennial Professor of Philosophy, Department of Philosophy, 111 Furman Hall, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN, 37240, john.lachs@vanderbilt.edu, 615.322.2637.

Dr. William Lawhead, Chair and Professor, Department of Philosophy and Religion, The University of Mississippi, 100 Bryant Hall, University, MS, 38677, wlawhead@olemiss.edu, 662.915.7020.