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EDUCATION

Ph.D. - The Pennsylvania State University, Philosophy, 1970
M.A. - Ohio University, Philosophy, 1966
B.A. - Ohio University, Philosophy, 1964

SCHOLARSHIP AND AWARDS

1998 Scholarship, Institute for Advanced Philosophical Research
1990 American Medical Writers Association Award,
 1st place in Allied Health Category for Patient Encounters: The Experience of Disease.
1967-1970 Teaching Fellow, The Pennsylvania State University
1966-1967 Graduate Assistant, The Pennsylvania State University
1965-1966 Scholarship, Ohio University

EXPERIENCE

2000-Present Professor, University of Akron
1977-2000 Associate Professor, University of Akron
1971-1977 Assistant Professor, University of Akron
1970-1971 Assistant Professor, Carroll College
1968-1970 Lecturer, The Pennsylvania State University
1967-1968 Teaching Fellow, The Pennsylvania State University
1966-1967 Graduate Assistant, The Pennsylvania State University

PUBLICATIONS

"Logic of Lying," Contemporary Philosophy, Institute for Advanced Philosophical Research, Vol. XX, No. 5 & 6, Sept/Oct & Nov/Dec 1998, pp. 45-48.

"Axiological Hermits," Contemporary Philosophy, Institute for Advanced Philosophical Research, Vol. XX, No. 3 & 4, May/June & July/August 1998, pp. 49-56.

"The Darker Side of Truth," Contemporary Philosophy, Institute for Advanced Philosophical Research, Nov/Dec 1996, Vol. XVIII, No. 6, pp. 7-13.

"No Good Deed Goes Unpunished," Contemporary Philosophy, Institute for Advanced Philosophic Research, Jan/Feb 1996, Vol.. XVIII, No. 1, pp. 2-7.

"Merleau-Ponty's Political Passage," History of European Ideas, Oxford: Pergamon Press, 1993, Vol. 16, No. 4-6, pp. 909-914.

Patient Encounters: The Experience of Disease, Henry Holt Co. (Paperback edition), 1990.

Patient Encounters: The Experience of Disease, University Press of Virginia, March 1989.

"Bad News: How to Tell the Patient," Physician's Management, February 1988, pp. 258-265.

"The Biopsy," The Nebraska Medical Journal, October 1987, vol. 72, no. 10, pp. 327-335.

"Piagetian Reflections on Legitimacy, Justificationism, and Learning Theory," George Kleindorfer and James Martin, co-authors, The Genetic Epistemologist, The Quarterly Journal of the Jean Piaget Society, May 1987, vol. xiv, No. 4, pp. 1-32.

"Cushing's Monsters," Pennsylvania Medicine, February 1987, vol. 90, no. 2, pp. 67-74.

"I Grow Old Before My Time," Medical Heritage, September/October 1986, vol. 2, no. 5, pp. 383-390.

"Island in a Storm," Pennsylvania Medicine, February 1986, pp. 50-56.

"Gethsemani and the Garden of Snakes," Contemplative Review, December 1985, pp. 1-12.

"October," Medical Heritage, November/December 1985, pp. 392-400.

"Bates," Medical Heritage, March/April 1985, pp. 127-133.

"Pathological Forms of the Will to Power," Philosophy Today, Spring 1983, pp. 52-65.

"Heidegger and the Problem of Ground," Philosophy Today, 1974, pp. 232-245.

PRESENTATIONS

"Machiavelli's Virtues of Power," British Institute of Florence, Florence, Italy, April 2002 (paper accepted but not presented).

"Protagoras: Machiavelli's Teacher," Institute for Advanced Philosophic Research, 2000 Annual Conference, Bretton Woods, NH, August 2000.

"The Phenomenology of Cortical Blindness," Toward a Science of Consciousness Conference, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, April 2000.

"Evolution of Metaphysics," Institute for Advanced Philosophic Research, 1999 Annual Conference, Bretton Woods, NH, August 1999.

"The Ethics of Ketamine," Philosophy of Chemistry and Biochemistry Symposium, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC, July 1999.

"Axiological Hermits," Institute for Advanced Philosophic Research, 1998 Annual Conference, Freedom, NH, August 1998.

"Philosophy in Service to Humanity" Roundtable Discussion, World Congress of Philosophy, Boston, MA, August 1998.

“Cognitive Pain,” Toward a Science of Consciousness Conference, Tucson, AZ, April 1998.

“The Darker Side of Truth,” Institute for Advanced Philosophic Research, 1997 Annual Conference, Estes Park, CO, August 1997.

“Pain and Retrograde Amnesia,” Conference of the Association for the Scientific Study of Consciousness, Claremont, CA, June 1997.

“No Good Deed Goes Unpunished,” 26th Annual Summer Conference of the Institution for Advanced Philosophical Research, Estes Park, CO, August 1996.

“Problem Solving Strategies,” 11th International Conference on Teaching Philosophy,” Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA, August 1996.

“The Unity of Consciousness: Give Us A Kiss,” Toward a Science of Consciousness Conference, Tucson, April 1996.

"True Hermaphroditism," International Conference for Philosophy and Literature, Universite de Montreal, May 1991.

"The Prophet Tiresias: An Essay on Hermaphroditism," The Program for Humanities in Medicine, Yale University, School of Medicine, December 1990.

"Merleau-Ponty's Political Passage," Second Conference of the International Society for the Study of European Ideas, Leuven, Belgium, September 1990.

“Diagnosing Doctors," IV International Conference on Thinking, San Juan, August 1989.

"Faith by Justification," Midwestern Regional Meeting, Society of Christian Philosophers, Bethel College, St. Paul, Minnesota, October 1988.

"Revenge is the Origin of Violence," Symposia on Nonviolence, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, October 1988.

"Edith Stein: A Feminist Ethics," Explorations in Feminist Ethics Conference, University of Minnesota-Duluth, October 1988.

"Merleau-Ponty's Shoemaker," Merleau-Ponty Conference, Villanova University, September 1988.

"Piagetian Reflections," The Piaget Society, October 1986.

"Structurations and Destructurations," Conference on the Self, November 1981.

"Psychoanalysis," Merleau-Ponty Conference, 1977.

"Cartesian Technology," Conference on Humanness, 1975.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Coordinator, REALIA Conference (Institute for Advanced Philosophical Research), Brenton Woods, NH (1999)

Associate Editor, Contemporary Philosophy, Institute for Advanced Philosophic Research (1999)

Assistant Editor, VIBS (Value Inquiry Book Series) Special Series, Studies in the History of Western Philosophy (1999)

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Founder and Executive Committee Member, Merleau-Ponty Society

American Association of University Professors

American Medical Writers Association

American Association for the History of Medicine

PUBLIC SERVICE

Member, Selective Service Local Board Member, OH Local 114, 1991-present

Co-Chair, Ethics Committee, Visiting Nurse Services, 2008-present

Member, Ethics Committee, Visiting Nurse Services, 1996-present

Participant, "Ohio Reads" Program, King School, 2001-present

Member, Akron Police Dept., Crime Control Commission, 2001-present

Member, Medical Ethics/Jurisprudence Curriculum Committee, Ohio University

College of Osteopathic Medicine, 2003-present

Member, Education Committee, St. Vincent's Catholic Church, 2003-present

Member, Internal Review Board, Summa Health System (Cuyahoga Falls General Hospital), 2004-present

Member, Ethics Committee, Summa Health System (Cuyahoga Falls General Hospital), 2004-present

Member and Spelling Judge, Summit County Literacy Committee, 2007

LANGUAGES

Read French and German

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Cognition, Perception, Memory, Theory, and Model Construction

References furnished upon request.