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EDUCATION: 1975-1978 University of California, Riverside Ph.D.
1973-1975 University of California, Riverside M.A.
1969-1972 University of California, Irvine B.A.
1968-1969 Orange Coast College

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION: Privacy, Philosophy of Law, Philosophy of Religion,
Teleological Explanation

AREAS OF COMPETENCE: Philosophy of Science, Philosophy of Mind, Social and
Political Philosophy, Epistemology, Ethics, Critical
Thinking, Logic, Introductory Philosophy

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

2016- Instructor, Portland State University.
2016- Professor Emeritus, Eastern Oregon University.
1997-2016 Professor, Eastern Oregon University.
1990-1997 Professor, Eastern Oregon State College.
1985-1990 Associate Professor, Eastern Oregon State College.
1982-1985 Assistant Professor, Eastern Oregon State College.
1980-1982 Assistant Professor, University of Minnesota, Morris.
1978-1980 Assistant Professor, Western State College of Colorado.
Fall 1979 Lecturer, California State University, Fresno.
1977-1978 Instructor, Palomar College, San Marcos, CA.
1974-1978 Teaching Assistant, University of California, Riverside.

COURSES TAUGHT:

Upper Division: Philosophy of Science, Philosophy of Law, Mind/Body Problem,
Philosophy and Literature, History of Philosophy, Bio-medical Ethics, Philosophy
of Mind, Philosophy of Language, Senior Seminar (The Problem of Evil), History
of Ideas, Philosophical Issues in Contemporary Feminism, Liberty and the
Constitution, Philosophy of Religion, Philosophy of Education, Liberal Arts and
Cinema, Equality and the American Dream, Philosophical Anthropology, Privacy,
Constitutional Privacy, Choice and Rationality, Mysticism, Philosophical
Psychology, Cognitive Psychology, Evolution and Behavior, Justice and Efficiency,
Contemporary Political Theory, The Liberal Heritage, Political Theory/Philosophy,
Globalization and Justice, War, Commodification, Law and Economics,
Environmental Ethics.

Lower Division: Introduction to Philosophy, Critical Thinking, Contemporary Moral Problems, Philosophy of Religion, Logic, Aesthetics, Freshman Seminar (Feminism; J.D. Salinger), Introduction to Philosophical Psychology, Introduction to Ethical and Political Values, Ethics, People's Liberation, Philosophical Issues in the Constitution, "Truth, Lies and Videotape," Our Kind, "Ethics, Politics and Law," "Self, World, & God."

PUBLICATIONS:

Editor: Associate Editor, Volume VII of *Midwest Studies in Philosophy: Studies in Social and Political Philosophy* (U MN Press, 1982).

Associate Editor, Volume VI of *Midwest Studies in Philosophy: The Foundations of Analytic Philosophy* (U MN Press, 1981).

Editorial Board, *The Social Science Journal*, 1994 – 2002.

Articles:

"Evidence, Explanation, and the Pursuit of Truth in Literature and Law," *Law, Culture, and the Humanities*. Prepublished August, 19, 2015, DOI: 10.1177/1743872115599712.

"Religion as a Natural Kind: The Biological and Semantic Search for a Definition," *Philosophy and Theology*, Vol. 27, No. 2, October 2015, pp. 307-335.

"Evidence, Mischaracterized Insights, and the Nature of Law," *The Journal Jurisprudence*, Vol. 25, April 2015, pp. 41-58.

"Privacy, Authenticity, and Equality: The Moral and Legal Case for the Right to Homosexual Marriage," *Florida A&M University Law Review*, Vol. 3, No. 1, 2008, pp. 21-40.

"Immunity from the Focused Attention of Others: A Conceptual and Normative Model of Personal and Legal Privacy," *Florida A&M University Law Review*, Vol. 2, No.1, 2007, pp. 131-83.

"Explanation, Human Nature, and Tort Theory," *Georgetown Journal of Law and Public Policy*, Vol. 4, Summer 2006, pp. 333-60.

"The Argument from Language and the Existence of God," *Journal of Religion*, Vol. 85, January 2005. (With Joyclynn Potter), pp. 83-93.

"The Death Penalty Is Unfair to Minorities and the Poor," in *Is the Death Penalty Fair?*, Mary E. Williams, editor (San Diego: Thomson Gale, 2003), pp. 7-13. (With Colleen F. Johnson). Reprinting of our article, "Poverty and the Death Penalty."

"From Friendly Atheism to Friendly Natural Theology: The Case for Modesty in Religious Epistemology," *Minerva -- An Internet Journal of Philosophy*, Vol. 7, 2003, pp. 125-42.

"Explanation, Evidence, and Mystical Experience," *Minerva -- An Internet Journal of Philosophy*, Vol. 5, 2001, pp. 63-93.

"Poverty and the Death Penalty," *Journal of Economic Issues*, Vol. 35, No. 2, 2001, pp. 1-7. (With Colleen F. Johnson).

"Immunity from the Illegitimate Focused Attention of Others: An Explanation of Our Thinking and Talking About Privacy," in *Ethics and the Internet*, Anton Vedder, editor, (Antwerpen: Intersntia, 2001).

"Nuclear Deterrence," *Encyclopedia of Applied Ethics*, Volume 3, 1998.

"Personal Survival and the Closest-Continuer Theory," *International Journal for Philosophy of Religion*, Vol. 41, 1997, pp. 13-23.

"Constitutional Privacy," *Law and Philosophy*, Vol. 13, 1994, pp. 161-93.

"Procedure, Substance, and the Divine Command Theory," *International Journal for Philosophy of Religion*, Vol 35, 1994, pp. 39-55.

"Inference to the Best Explanation and the New Teleological Argument," *The Southern Journal of Philosophy*, Vol. 31, 1993, pp. 193-203.

"A Theory of the Nature and Value of Privacy," *Public Affairs Quarterly*, Vol 6, No. 3, July 1992, pp. 271-88.

"Law and Economics," *Magill's Survey of Social Science: Economics* (Salem Press, 1991), pp. 1244-9.

"Making Noises in Counterpoint or Chorus: Putnam's Rejection of Relativism," *Erkenntnis*, Vol. 34, Spring 1991, pp. 323-45.

"Privacy, Liberty and Integrity," *Public Affairs Quarterly*, Vol 3, No. 3, July 1989, pp. 15-34.

"Privacy and the Judgment of Others," *Journal of Value Inquiry*, Vol. 23, No. 3, Summer 1989, pp. 157-68.

"Balancing and the Expectation of Privacy," *Public Law Review*, Vol. 7, No. 2, 1988, pp. 337-58. (With Donald W. Crowley)

"T.L.O. and the Student's Right to Privacy," *Educational Theory*, Vol. 36, No. 3, Summer 1986, pp. 211-24. (With Donald W. Crowley)

"Inference to the Best Explanation and the Problem of Evil," *Journal of Religion*, Vol. 64, No. 1, January 1984, pp. 54-72.

Reviews:

"Review of Timothy Paul Jensen's Tools for Young Philosophers," *Teaching Philosophy*, 35-3, September, 2012), pp. 329-31.

"A Long Time Ago in a Computing Lab Far, Far Away . . . : A Peer Commentary on Roger Penrose's *The Emperor's New Mind*," *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, Vol. 13, No. 4, December 1990, p. 670. (With R. H. Ettinger and Timothy L. Hubbard)

"Ernest Nagel's *Teleology Revisited and Other Essays in the History and Philosophy of Science*," *International Studies in Philosophy*, Vol. 15, No. 1, Fall 1983, pp. 100-1.

PAPERS PRESENTED AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS:

"Dementia, Closest-Continuation, and the Right to Die (Association for the Study of Law, Culture and the Humanities, Stanford University, Palo Alto, March 2017).

"Coherence and Correspondence in Legal Narrative" (Issues of Fact, Erasmus University Law School, Rotterdam, September 2015).

"Evidence and Explanation in Law and Literature" (Yale WHC Workshop: Law and Fictional Discourse, Yale University, New Haven, May 2015).

"Evidence and the Pursuit of Truth in the Law," (Association for the Study of Law, Culture and the Humanities, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, March 2014).

"Mischaracterized Insights and the Analysis of Law," (Association for the Study of Law, Culture and the Humanities, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, March 2011).

"Interpretation and Explanation: A Working Theory of Constitutional Evidence," (Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Victoria B.C., October 2009).

"Privacy, Authenticity, and Equality: The Moral and Legal Case for the Right to Homosexual Marriage (Association for the Study of Law, Culture and the Humanities, Berkeley, March 2008).

"Explanation, Human Nature, and Tort Theory," (Association for the Study of Law, Culture and the Humanities, Syracuse University, March 2006).

"Explanation and Tort Theory" (Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Cour d'Alene, October 2005).

"Natural Law and Natural Selection" (Association for the Study of Law, Culture and the Humanities, University of Texas, March 2005).

"Secular Natural Law and Corrective Justice" (Association for the Study of Law, Culture and the Humanities, University of Connecticut, March 2004).

"Justice and the Exportation of Capitalism and Democracy" (Association for Evolutionary Economics, San Diego, January 2004) (with Colleen Johnson).

"Deliberation, Choice, and the Emergence of Free Will" (Northwest Philosophy Conference, Portland, October, 2003).

"Justice and Healthcare" (Association for Evolutionary Economics, Washington, D.C., January 2003) (with Colleen Johnson).

"Biologically-Based Secular Natural Law" (Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Portland, October, 2002).

"Justice, Cooperation, and the Biological Imperative" (Northwest Philosophy Conference, Portland, October, 2002).

"Natural Law, Biological Realism, and the Backward Looking Perspective on Justice" (Association for the Study of Law, Culture and the Humanities, University of Pennsylvania Law School, March 2002).

"The Normative Justification of the State" (Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Cour d'Alene, October 2001).

"Privacy and the Attention of Others" (Working Group on Law, Culture and the Humanities, University of Texas, March 2001).

"Poverty and the Death Penalty" (Association for Evolutionary Economics, Atlanta, January 2001) (with Colleen Johnson).

"Backward-Looking and Forward-Looking Perspectives on Rules" (Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Portland, November 2000).

"Gavison's Access Model of Privacy" (Western Social Science Association, San Diego, April 2000).

"The Value of Privacy in the Liberal State" (Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Eugene, October 1999).

"Legal Privacy and the Attention of Others" (Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Eugene, October 1999).

"Immunity from the Illegitimate Focused Attention of Others: An Explanation of Our Thinking and Talking About Privacy," (Pluralism, Culture, and Ideals Lectures, University of Tilburg Law School, Tilburg, The Netherlands, September 1999.)

"Lying and Personal Privacy" (Western Social Science Association, Fort Worth, April 1999).

"Contingent Realities and State Administered Death" (Working Group on Law, Culture and the Humanities, Wake Forest Law School, March 1999).

"From Friendly Atheism to Friendly Natural Theology: The Case for Modesty in Religious Epistemology," (Western Social Science Association, Denver, April 1998)

"The Argument from Contingent Realities: The Constitutional Case Against the Death Penalty," (Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Cour d'Alene, November 1997).

"Poverty, Equal Protection, and the Death Penalty," (Western Social Science Association, Albuquerque, April 1997) (with Colleen Johnson).

"Medical Data and Personal Privacy," (Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Portland, November 1996).

"Poverty and the Equal Protection Clause," (Eighth World Congress of Social Economics, Charleston, August 1996) (with Colleen Johnson).

"Faculty Writing and Student Learning" (Western Political Science Association, San Francisco, March 1996).

"Personal Survival and the Closest-Continuer Theory" (Western Social Science Association, Oakland, April, 1995).

"Inevitable Factual, Legal and Moral Errors: Justice Blackmun and Capital Punishment" (Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Portland, November, 1994).

"Realism, Internalism, and Mysticism" (Northwest Conference on Philosophy, October, 1994).

"A Theory of Social Scientific Evidence" (Western Social Science Association, Albuquerque, April, 1994).

"Communitarianism and the Liberal Case for Privacy" (Western Political Science Association, Albuquerque, March, 1994).

"Communitarian Critiques of Privacy" (Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Cour d'Alene, October, 1993).

"Privacy, Democracy, and the Right to Die" (Western Political Science Association, Pasadena, April, 1993).

"Constructing the Right to Die" (Invited presentation, Western Social Science Association, Corpus Christi, April, 1993).

"Skolemizing Everything" (Northwest Conference on Philosophy, Boise, November, 1992)

"Internal Moral Realism" (Invited Presentation, Western Social Science Association, Denver, April 1992.)

"Fair Use, Efficiency, and Academic Copyright" (Western Social Science Association, Reno, April, 1991) (with Colleen Johnson).

"The Value of Privacy" (Pacific Division, American Philosophical Association, San Francisco, March, 1991)

"Constructing the Right to Privacy" (Western Social Science Association, Portland, April, 1990).

"How Detectives Reason: Some Methodological Reflections for Social Scientists" (Southwestern Social Science Association, Fort Worth, March, 1990).

"From *Roe* to *Webster*: The Evisceration of Women's Right to Privacy" (Western Political Science Association, Newport Beach, March, 1990).

"Reverse Anthropocentrism and the Evolution of Mind" (Northwest Philosophy Association, Portland, November, 1989).

"Moral Realism and Political Values" (Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Boise, October, 1989).

"Economics and Explanation" (Western Social Science Association, Albuquerque, April, 1989) (with Colleen Johnson).

"Drugs, Urine and Privacy" (Northwest Philosophy Association, Moscow, ID, November, 1988).

"Logocentrism and the Problem of the Text in the Films of Woody Allen" (American Culture Association, New Orleans, March, 1988).

"A Metaphor for Death: A Response to Jonathan Schonscheck" (Pacific Division, American Philosophical Association, San Francisco, March, 1987).

"Balancing and the Expectation of Privacy" (Western Political Science Association, Los Angeles, March, 1987) (with Donald Crowley).

"Explanation: Scientific, Literary and Normative" (International Association for Philosophy and Literature, Seattle, May, 1986).

"Privacy, the Fourth Amendment, and the Schools" (Law and Education Seminar, Lewis & Clark Law School, Portland, 1985).

"Constitutional Interpretation and the Concept of Truth" (Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Olympia, 1984).

"Abortion, Borderlines and Privacy" (Western Division, American Philosophical Association, Chicago, 1983).

"Wright and the Consequence-Etiological Analysis of Goal-Directed Behavior: A Response to Lowell Nissen" (Western Division, American Philosophical Association, Milwaukee, 1981).

"Evil and Atheism" (Pacific Division, American Philosophical Association, Portland, 1981).

ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES:

Chair, Division of Social Sciences and Modern Language (Anthropology, German, History, Philosophy, Psychology, Spanish, & Sociology), Fall 1995 – Spring 2002.

Coordinator, Area of Social Science (Anthropology, History, Philosophy, Sociology), Fall 1987 - Winter 1991.

Coordinator, Area of Language Arts (English, French, German, Philosophy Spanish, Writing), Fall 1984 - Spring 1987.

Coordinator, Philosophy, UMM, Fall 1981.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE:

Pre-law advisor, Pre-nursing advisor, Coordinator of the Arts and Sciences Colloquia, Representative to the Oregon Committee for the Humanities, Chair, Educational Policy and Curriculum Committee, Chair, Assembly Grievance Committee, Assembly Personal Committee, , Faculty Senate, Human Subjects Committee, Arts and Sciences Personnel Committee, Dean's Advisory Council, Arts and Sciences Personnel Committee, General Education Committee, Honors Advisory Committee, Internal Governance Committee, Budget and Planning Committee, and numerous search committees.

GRANTS:

National Endowment for the Humanities, Study Grant (Summer 1992, "Law and Economics").

National Endowment for the Humanities, Summer Seminar for College Teachers (Summer 1986, "Truth and Reality," Harvard University).

National Endowment for the Humanities, Summer Seminar for College Teachers (Summer 1981, "The Right to Privacy," Claremont Graduate School).

GTE Foundation Lectureship Program, \$4,000 grant to bring speakers to campus to discuss artificial intelligence (1986-87 academic year).

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

Association for the Study of Law, Culture, and the Humanities, American Philosophical Association, Western Political Science Association, Pacific Northwest Political Science Association, Western Social Science Association.