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Education

Postdoctoral Studies, French Language, University of Geneva, 2001.
Postdoctoral Studies, Philosophy and Law, University of Heidelberg, 1981-84.
Postdoctoral Studies, German Language, University of Trier, 1980
Ph. D., Political Science, University of Chicago, 1979.
M.A., Political Science, University of Chicago, 1973.
B. A., Political Science, Furman University, 1970.

Books Published

--*Political Philosophy Cross-Examined: Perennial Challenges to the Philosophic Life. Essays in Honor of Heinrich Meier.* Refereed. Coedited with Thomas L. Pangle. (Letter establishing my predominant role on file.) Series: Restoring Political Philosophy. New York: Palgrave-Macmillan, March 2013. A "Choice Recommended Book."

--*The Paradox of Philosophic Education. Nietzsche's New Nobility and the Eternal Recurrence in Beyond Good and Evil.* Applications of Political Theory Series, ed. Harvey C. Mansfield. Lanham, MD: Rowman and Littlefield/Lexington Books, 2003.

--*Nietzsche's Philosophy of the Eternal Recurrence of the Same.* Berkeley: University of California Press, 1997. (Translation of Karl Loewith, Nietzsches Philosophie der ewigen Wiederkehr des Gleichen.) With Translator's Introduction and extensive Translator's Notes.

--*Carl Schmitt and Leo Strauss. The Hidden Dialogue.* Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1995. (Translation of Heinrich Meier, Carl Schmitt, Leo Strauss, und der Begriff des Politischen. Dialog unter Abwesenden.) With Translator's Notes.

Books in Progress

--*The Comedy of Rousseau's Confessions. Adventures in Self-Knowledge.* Several interested publishers.

--*Heinrich Meier on the Self-Examination of Philosophy.* Much of this book is already written.

Book Reviews

Review of Antony Flew, *The Politics of Procrustes*, *Social Science Quarterly* 63: 1 (September, 1982), 591-93.

Review of Ira Sharkansky, *Wither the State?*, *Social Science Quarterly* 62:1 (March 1981), 194-95.

Refereed Journal Publications

"Carl Schmitt, Heinrich Meier, and the End of Philosophy, " *Interpretation: A Journal of Political Philosophy* 28:1 (Fall 2000), 51-78.

"The Discourse on the Origin and Foundations of Inequality among Men." *Interpretation* 16: 2 (Winter, 1998), 211-28. (Translation of lecture delivered by Heinrich Meier at Harvard University in 1987.)

"Economic or Political Philosophy: Which Should Prevail in Public Policy?" *Interpretation* 10: 2-3 September, 1982), 251-71.

Chapters in Refereed Books

"Inexhaustible Riches. Mining the Bible," in *Political Philosophy Cross-Examined: Perennial Challenges to the Philosophic Life. Essays in Honor of Heinrich Meier*, (New York: Palgrave-Macmillan, March 2013), 61-86.

"Introduction," in *Political Philosophy Cross-Examined: Perennial Challenges to the Philosophic Life. Essays in Honor of Heinrich Meier*, (New York: Palgrave-Macmillan, March 2013), 1-4.

"Loewith's Nietzsche," in Ashley Woodward, *Interpreting Nietzsche: Reception and Influence* (London and New York: Continuum Press, 2011), 20-34.

Translation of Leo Strauss, "Notes on Carl Schmitt" in *Carl Schmitt, The Concept of the Political* (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1996), 81-107.

Non-Refereed Publications

"Christianity under Siege by Advocates of Faith and Doubt: The Search for Self-Knowledge as Indispensable for Survival," in William R. Marty and Bruce W. Speck, eds., *Christianity Besieged: Reeling Between Imperial Atheism and Resurgent Islam*. Proceedings of the 2007 Christianity in the Academy Conference (Southern Pines, NC: Carolinas Press, 2012), 89-100.

"H. Pierre Secher in Memoriam," *PS* (a journal of the American Political Science Association), Summer 2009.

"Nietzsche and the Eternal Recurrence, " *Philosophy Now* 29 (October/November 2000): 20-22. (Invited article in the most widely read philosophy periodical in the world.)

Invited Presentations

"Socrates and Alcibiades," Rhodes College Faculty Seminar in Political Philosophy, Spring 2012.

"Plutarch's Theseus," Rhodes College Faculty Seminar in Political Philosophy, Fall 2011.

"Thomas Hobbes, Democrat" address to Pi Sigma Alpha (political science honorary society), Spring 2007.

"Christianity under Siege by Advocates of Faith and Doubt: The Search for Self-Knowledge as Indispensable for Survival," Conference on Christianity in the Academy, Union University, March 23, 2007.

"Extremism," address to Pi Sigma Alpha (political science honorary society), University of Memphis, Autumn 2003.

"Wisdom or Moderation: Political Science and the Art of Politics," keynote address to the Southern Dames of America, March 30, 2002.

"Nietzsche's Criticism of Modern Politics," Furman University, Political Science Symposium Series, November 3, 1997.

"Mr. Philosophy at 70," University of Chicago Political Science Department, October, 1989.

"The Question of Justice in Modern Times: Theoretical" for the Conference on Justice in Modern Times, ceremonies in honor Ernest J. Walters, Greenville, S.C., April 21, 1990.

"Human Values and the West German Constitution," South Carolina Conference on Politics and the Human Vision, April, 1983.

"West Germany and the United States: What's Wrong with the Alliance?" Southwestern College (now Rhodes College), March 1983.

"Die Geheimlehre in Platons Phaidros und Gorgias," presentation to a class in Philosophy Department, University of Heidelberg, Germany, March 1982.

"An Introduction to Nietzsche's Secret Teaching in Thus Spoke Zarathustra," Irregular Seminar in Political Philosophy, University of Chicago, January 1982.

Refereed Presentations

"Rousseau's Dialectic of Natural Religion and Natural Theology," Southern Political Science Association, January 2014.

"The Comedy of Rousseau's Confessions: Books 7-9," Midwest Political Science Association, April 2013.

"Heinrich Meier on Rousseau's Happiness. First Observations," Southern Political Science Association, January 2013.

"Inexhaustible Riches: Mining the Bible," Midwest Political Science Association, April 2012.

"Diotima's Whoppers and Allan Bloom's Ladder to Nowhere," Southern Political Science Association, January 2012.

"Rousseau's Apology," Midwest Political Science Association, April 2010.

"Rousseau's Confessions and Anti-Confessions," Southern Political Science Association, January 2010.

"Self-Knowledge in Rousseau's Reveries," Midwest Political Science Association, April 2009.
 "Heinrich Meier's Interpretive Essay on Rousseau's Second Discourse," Southern Political Science Association, January 2008.
 "Rousseau's Enlightenment," American Political Science Association, August 2007.
 "Divorcing Wisdom," Midwest Political Science Association, April 2007.
 "Nietzsche and the Sources of Natural Right," Midwest Political Science Association, April 1985.
 "Natural Right and Philosophy in Plato's Republic," Southwestern Political Science Association, March 1985.
 "Constitutional Integrity and Reverse Discrimination," Southwestern Political Science Association, March 1981.
 "Bureaucratic Ethics and the Constitution," American Society for Public Administration, October 1979.
 "Applying Political Theory," American Political Science Association, August 1979.
 "Economics or Political Philosophy," Southwestern Political Science Association, March 1979.

Honors and Awards

Faculty Research Grant (PDA), University of Memphis, 2010-2011.
 Visiting Research Professor, University of Heidelberg, Germany, Department of Philosophy, 1998-2000.
 Honors Faculty Member, University of Memphis, 1991-present.
 Faculty Research Grant (PDA), University of Memphis, 1997-98.
 Harry and Lynde Bradley Foundation Research Grant, \$51,200.00, 1993-95.
 University Phonathon Award, University of Memphis, 1989.
 Teaching Award Nominee (only), University of Memphis, several times.
 National Endowment for the Humanities Grant, \$32,500.00, 1983-84.
 Earhart Foundation Grant, \$6,500.00, 1981-82.
 University of Memphis Summer Research Grant, \$2,000.00, 1980.
 National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Grant, \$2,500.00, 1979.
 University of Chicago Advanced Graduate Fellowship, 1975.
 University of Chicago Humanities Fellowship, 1971-74.
 Columbia Scholastic Press Medalist Award, 1971.
 Vice President, Pi Sigma Alpha, Furman University, 1970.
 Hiott Award for Excellence in Journalism, Furman University, 1970.
 ISI Scholarship, 1969.
 Civitan Citizenship Essay Award, 1966.

Teaching Experience

University of Memphis, 1977-present: Classical Political Thought, Modern Political Thought, Classical Legal-Political Thought, Modern Legal-Political Thought, Graduate

Seminar in Political Theory. Nominee for teaching award, several times over the years.

National Service in the Profession

Spring 2014, Panel Chair and respondent, Southern Political Science Association.
Spring 2014, outside participant in third-year review at Philosophy Department, LIU Post.
Spring 2013 to date, invited member of doctoral committee, Tulane University Philosophy Department.
Fall 2013, Referee for the *American Political Science Review*.
Spring 2013, Panel Chair and respondent, Southern Political Science Association.
Spring 2012, Panel Chair and respondent, Southern Political Science Association.
Spring 2011, Panel Chair and respondent, Southern Political Science Association.
Spring 2009, Panel Chair and respondent, Southern Political Science Association.
2008-09, Referee for *Politics and Policy*.
2008-09, Referee for Political Research Quarterly.
Fall 2006, Editorial work for University of Chicago Press.
2004-05, Referee for *Journal of Politics*.
Fall 2004, Referee for *Review of Politics*.
2004, Co-founder and member, Board, Walters Endowment, Furman University.
2004, Consultant to Union College on developing minor in political science.
2004, Consultant to Central Carolina Community College on philosophy course.
1997, Editor/proofreader, University of Chicago Press.
Fall 1997, Lecture in Political Science Symposium Series, Furman University.
Spring 1995, Panel chair, International Kant Association.
1994, Manuscripts referee, American Political Science Review.
1985-98 Senior consultant, Siemens Foundation.
1992-93 Editor/proofreader, Johns Hopkins University Press.
1991-92 Editor/proofreader, University of Ohio Press.
April 1990 Principal coordinator, Conference on Modern Justice, Greenville, S. C.
1989-90 Principal coordinator, Joseph Cropsey Prize, University of Chicago.
1989-90 Editor-proofreader, University of Ohio Press.
1987-89 Editor-proofreader, Johns Hopkins University Press.
1984-85 Editor-proofreader, University of North Carolina Press.
1984-85 Editor-proofreader, University of Ohio Press.
1985 Panel chair, Southwestern Political Science Association.
1981 Manuscripts referee, *Journal of Politics*.
1980 Panel chair, American Society for Public Administration.

University, College, and Departmental Service

2013-14, Faculty Senate.
2013-14, Faculty Policies Committee.
Fall 2013, Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee.

2012-13 Faculty Senate.
2012-13 Academic Policies Committee, Faculty Senate.
2012-13 Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee.
2011-12 College Curriculum Committee.
2011-12 Departmental Undergraduate Coordinator.
2011-13 Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee.
2011-12 Co-organizer, Rhodes College Faculty Seminar in Political Philosophy.
2011-13 Host of Visiting Scholar.
2009-12 College Undergraduate Curriculum Committee.
2009-12 Departmental Undergraduate Coordinator.
2009-10 Departmental Recruitment Committee.
2009-10 Vice Chair of College Tenure and Promotion Committee.
2009-10 Departmental Undergraduate Coordinator.
2009-10 Chair, Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee.
2009-10 Faculty Senate Legislative Liason Committee.
Spring '10 Presided over ceremonies and hosted retirement party for Dr. Mahood.
Fall 2008 American Politics Recruitment Committee.
Fall 2008 Chair, Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee.
Fall 2008 Departmental Undergraduate Coordinator.
2006-08 Faculty Senate.
2006-08 Faculty Support Committee of Faculty Senate.
Spring 08 Arranged cosponsored lecture at law school on Justice Scalia.
2007 Departmental Committee on SIRS and SETES.
2006-08 Chair, Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee.
Fall 2006 Chair, Departmental Retention Committee.
Fall 2006 Departmental Committee on Dual J.D./M.A.
2003-05 Principal Developer (with Dr. Shannon Blanton) of J.D./M.A. dual degree.
2003-05 Departmental Graduate Coordinator.
2004-05 Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee.
2004-05 College Committee on Departmental Self-Assessment.
2004-05 Evaluator of departmental teaching assistants. Nominated one for award.
2004-05 Headed and retirement ceremonies for Drs. Marty and Southerland.
2004-05 Graduate Council.
2003-04 Chair, Departmental Emeritus Committee.
2001-02 Departmental Recruitment Committee.
2001-02 Faculty Policies Committee of Faculty Senate.
2001-02 College Curriculum Committee.
2001-02 Chair, Departmental College General Education Committee.
2001-02 Departmental Governance Committee.
2000-02 College Curriculum Committee.
2000-01 Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee.
2000-2002 Faculty Senate.
1997-98 College Tenure and Promotion Committee.
1997-98 Departmental B.A./M.A. Committee.
Spring '98 Chair, Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee.
1995-96 Affirmative Action Report and Strategic Plan Compliance Report.

1995-96 Chair, Departmental Recruitment Committee in Political Thought.
1995-96 Departmental Curricular Revision Workgroup.
1995-96 Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee.
1995-96 Executive Committee, Faculty Senate.
1995-96 Chair, Faculty Senate Committee on Strategic Plan.
1995-96 Chair, Faculty Senate Finance Committee.
1995-96 Departmental Honors Committee.
1995-96 Departmental B.A./M.A. Committee.
1994-96 Faculty Senate.
1995-96 Chair, Senate Finance Committee.
1994-95 Secretary, Senate Finance Committee.
1992-93 Departmental Council of Coordinators.
1992-93 Departmental Honors Coordinator.
1992-93 Departmental Curriculum Committee.
1992-93 Social Science Faculty Evaluator for Works-in-Progress Symposium.
1978-93 University Pre-Law Advisor.
1992-93 Departmental M. A. Coordinator.
1992-93 Departmental M. A. Policies Committee.
1991-92 Faculty advisor to Pre-Law Society (arranged ten speakers).
1991-93 Faculty Sick-Leave Bank Board.
1991-93 Departmental Honors Coordinator.
1992-93 Coordinator, Distinguished Speakers Program (Harvard, U Chicago, etc.).
1991-92 Phonathon.
1991-92 President's Committee on Pre-Law Counseling.
1991-92 Acting Departmental Chair for seven weeks.
1991-92 Chair, Departmental Curriculum Committee.
1991-92 Chair, Departmental M.A. Policies and Procedures Committee.
1991-92 Departmental Search Committee, International Relations & Comparative.
1991-92 University College advisor.
Spring '90 Departmental Awards Committee.
1989-90 Phonathon. Received \$1000 award to Dept for best fundraising.
1987-90 President's Committee on Pre-Law Counseling.
1989-90 Chair, Departmental Curriculum Committee.
1989-90 Chair, Departmental Public Law Recruitment Committee.
1988-90 Departmental General Education Coordinator.
1989-90 Public Administration Recruitment Committee.
1989-90 Assistant to chair and member, Chair Recruitment Committee.
1988-90 Faculty Sick-Leave Bank Board.
1989-90 Library Committee for University College.
1989-90 Committee to publicize General Education in region and nation.
Spring '89 Departmental Awards Committee.
1988-90 Academic Senate.
1988-90 Committee III of Academic Senate.
1988-89 Chair, Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee.
1987-88 Chair, Departmental Curriculum Committee.
1987-88 Departmental Recruitment Committee, International Relations.

1987-88 Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee.
 1987-88 Academic Enrichment Proposal.
 1987-88 M.P.A. Review Preparation Committee.
 Spring '88 Departmental Awards Committee.
 Spring '88 Chair, Departmental Tenure and Promotion Revisions Committee.
 Spring '86 Departmental Priorities Committee.
 1985-86 Coordinator, Distinguished Speakers Series (Harvard, Chicago, Loyola).
 Fall 1985 Departmental Travel Committee.
 1985-86 Chair, College Tenure and Promotion Committee.
 1985-86 Chair, Departmental Awards Committee.
 1985-86 Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee.
 1985-86 Social Sciences Advisor, High School Honors Student Program.
 Fall 1985 Coordinator for lectures by German official Werner Dexheimer.
 1984-86 President's Committee on Pre-Law Counseling.
 1985-86 Departmental Priorities Committee.
 1984-85 College Tenure and Promotion Committee.
 1984-85 Co-planner of NEH lecture by Prof. McDowell.
 1984-85 Departmental Recruitment Committee for M. P. A. Director.
 1984-85 Departmental Tenure and Promotion Committee.
 1984-85 University College Advisor.
 1982-83 Chair, President's Committee on Pre-Law Counseling (received letter of commendation from the President of the University for performance).
 1982-83 Faculty advisor to Pi Sigma Alpha (scheduled twelve bi-weekly lectures).
 1982-83 Faculty advisor to Pre-Law Society.
 1982 Departmental Self-Study Committee.
 1979-81 University "Law and Liberal Arts" Committee. Developed new minor.
 1979-81 Chair, President's Committee on Pre-Law Counseling.
 1978-79 President's Committee on Pre-Law Counseling.
 1978-79 Coordinator for President's Distinguished Visiting Professor.
 1978-81 Departmental Library Coordinator.
 1978-81 Faculty advisor to Pi Sigma Alpha (scheduled over 30 bi-weekly lectures).
 1978-81 Departmental Space Committee.
 1978-81 University Committee on the Handicapped
 1979-81 Departmental Curriculum Committee.
 1979-81 College Curriculum Committee.

Languages

English native tongue

German fluent: speak, read, write (published translator)

French fluent: speak, read, write

Ancient Greek: intermediate reading knowledge of classical and koine

Latin: only a few vestiges remain