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### **EDUCATION**

- Ph.D., Temple University, Sociology, 1981 (Specialization in Urban Sociology)
- M.A., Temple University, Sociology, 1972
- B.A., Emmanuel College, Sociology and Behavioral Sciences, 1970

### *Postgraduate*

- American Association of State Colleges and Universities, Millennium Leadership Initiative Institute, 2006
- Harvard University, Institute for Educational Management, 2003
- Massachusetts Higher Education Executive Leadership Institute, 1998

### **CURRENT POSITION**

#### ❖ ***SUNY College at Oneonta*** ***President, July, 2008 – present***

Responsible for all operations of a public, primarily undergraduate institution with approximately 5800 students and 1254 employees situated on more than 3,000 acres. Coordinate and oversee fiscal affairs including a \$99 million operating budget and a \$30 million endowment administered by the College Foundation. Provide strategic planning and overall direction for academic programs, campus life, college advancement and community relations.

### **PREVIOUS POSITIONS**

#### ❖ ***Bridgewater State College*** ***Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs, 2002 –2008***

Oversaw all academic services including libraries, admissions, financial aid, and learning support in a public college of 9900 students and 675 FTE faculty and staff. Administered an annual budget of \$35 million. Worked with faculty to develop, review, and enhance academic programs and policies. Coordinated institutional planning, assessment, and enrollment management. Provided direction for faculty development, evaluation, and grants and sponsored projects.

#### ❖ ***University of Massachusetts Lowell*** ***Dean of Fine Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences and Professor of Sociology, 1996-2002***

Led a unit of 12 departments, 3 research centers, and a community arts center with an enrollment of 2900 students and 180 FTE faculty and staff; administered a budget of approximately \$9 million in a Doctoral Research Intensive institution of 11,000 students.

❖ **SUNY College at Geneseo, 1981-1996**

*Executive Assistant to the President, 1993-96*

*Chair of the Sociology Department, 1991-1993*

*Associate Dean of the College, 1990-1991*

*Coordinator of Urban Studies, 1986-1996*

*Promoted to Associate Professor, 1986 and Professor, 1996*

Served in faculty positions from Assistant to Full Professor of Sociology; held a series of faculty leadership and administrative positions at a highly selective public liberal arts institution of 5200 students.

**SELECTED HONORS, AWARDS, and GRANTS**

- 2006 **Calderwood Writing Initiative** grant for a collaborative writing program, \$40,000  
1998 **University of Massachusetts**, President's Reserve Fund, challenge grant for General Education Task Force, \$125,000  
1987 **State University of New York** Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching  
1987 **National Endowment for the Humanities** Research Grant, \$10,000  
1985 **North Philadelphia Centennial Conference** Research Grant, \$2500  
1983 **State University of New York Research Foundation** Research Fellowship, \$3500  
1979 **Eastern Sociological Society**, Candace Rogers Award for the Best Student Paper  
1970-1974 **Temple University** Pre-doctoral Fellowship  
1966-1970 **Emmanuel College** Merit Scholarship  
1966 **National Merit Scholarship**, Finalist

**EDITORIAL SERVICE**

**Journal of Sociology and Social Welfare**, Editorial Board 1996-

**Journal of Urban Affairs**, Associate Editor, 1986-2000; Editorial Board, 2000-2005

**Research in Social Policy**, Editorial Advisory Board, 1987-1990

**Urban Affairs Review**, Editorial Board, 1992-1995

Manuscript reviewer for *City and Community*, *Social Problems*, *Antipode*, *Critical Sociology*, *Urban Affairs Review*, *Sociological Inquiry*, Temple University Press, Random House, Routledge, Wadsworth Publishers, State University of New York Press

### **PROFESSIONAL CONSULTING**

- Team member for **New England Association of Schools and Colleges** accreditation visits: Johnson State College, 2005; Plymouth State University, 2004; Emerson College, 2002; University of Hartford, 2001
- External **program reviewer**: Plymouth State University, Graduate Studies, 2005; University of Washington, Tacoma, Urban Studies Program, 2000; University of Pittsburgh, Johnstown, Social Science Division, 1993.
- External **reviewer for tenure decisions**: University of Washington Tacoma, 2007; University of Texas Arlington, 2006; Michigan State University, 2002; University of Colorado, Colorado Springs, 1999; Northeastern University, 1996; Drexel University, 1995; Cleveland State University, 1988.
- Reviewer for **grant applications**, U. S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development, 1997

### **SELECTED PUBLIC SERVICE POSITIONS**

- Planned Parenthood of South Central New York**, Honorary Board member, 2008 –present
- United Way of Greater Plymouth County**: Allocation Committee, 2004, 2007; Community Impact Committee, 2006-2008
- City of Lowell Community Schools Program**, Advisory Board member, 1997-2000
- Center City Committee** (Lowell), Board member 1996-2000; Vice-President 1999-2002
- Community Outreach Partnership Center**, Lowell, Board member, 1996-2000
- Greater Lowell Community Foundation**, Planning Committee member, 1999-2000
- Lowell Office of Cultural Affairs**, Board member, 1999-2001
- Lowell Police Academy**, lecturer on urban communities, 1997-2001
- Lowell Transitional Living Center**, Board member 1999-2002; President 2000-2002
- Mental Health Association in Livingston County**, Board member, 1994-1996
- Merrimack Repertory Theatre**, Board member 2000-2002; Vice-President 2001-2002
- Metro-Act of Rochester**, Council member, 1989-1991

### **SELECTED SERVICE and MEMBERSHIPS in PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

- Alpha Kappa Delta**, National Sociology Honor Society, member since 1971
- American Association for Higher Education**, member, 1993-2005
- American Sociological Association**, Community & Urban Section: Lynd Award Committee Chair, 1997-98 and 2004-05; Student Paper Award Committee Chair, 1999-2000; Nominations Committee Chair, 1998-99; Robert Park Award Committee, 1989-1990
- Council of Colleges of Arts and Sciences**: Committee on Metropolitan/Urban Institutions, 1998-2000
- Eastern Sociological Society**: Candace Rogers Award Committee, 1994 and 1979; Committee on the Profession, 1987-88
- Massachusetts Board of Higher Education**, Performance Measurement Task Force, 2007; Chair, Task Force on Computer Literacy, 2001-2003
- Massachusetts State College Employee Relations Committee**, member, 2004-2006
- Massachusetts Women in Public Higher Education**, member since 1996
- Society for the Study of Social Problems**: Vice President-Elect and Vice President, 1994-1996; Lee-Founders Award Committee, 2002-2003; Chair, Elections Committee, 2000-2001; Program Committee, 1990-1991; Committee on Committees, 1998-91 (Chair, 1990-91); Chair, Roland Warren Prize Committee, 1987-1988; Chair, Community Research and Development Division, 1985-87
- Sociologists for Women in Society**: Program Chair for Eastern meetings, 1978
- SUNY Geneseo**: College Senate Chair, 1989-1990
- Urban Affairs Association**: Governing Board Chair, 2003-05, Vice Chair, 1999-2000 and 2001-2002; Chair, Publications Committee, 2000-2003

**SELECTED PUBLICATIONS****Books**

- 2006 *Cities, Change and Conflict: A Political Economy of Urban Life*, third edition. Belmont, CA: Wadsworth Publishers.
- 2005 *Cities and Society* (edited). Boston: Blackwell Publishers.
- 2002 *Urban Problems in Sociological Perspective*, fourth edition (with Thomas Shannon and William Cross). Prospect Heights, IL: Waveland Press.
- 2001 *Cities, Change and Conflict*, second edition.
- 1999 *Community Politics and Policy* (edited with Gordana Rabrenovic). Greenwich, CT: JAI Press.
- 1997 *Cities, Change, and Conflict*, first edition.
- 1997 *Urban Problems in Sociological Perspective*, third edition.
- 1991 *Philadelphia: Neighborhoods, Division, and Conflict in a Post-Industrial City* (with Carolyn Adams, David Bartelt, David Elesh, Ira Goldstein, and William Yancey). Philadelphia: Temple University Press.
- 1991 *Urban Problems in Sociological Perspective*, second edition.

**Selected Articles and Book Chapters**

- 2007 "Joint Authorship: Faculty Members from Six Institutions Collaborate to Measure Writing Outcomes." *The New England Journal of Higher Education* 22(2): 29-31.
- 2003 "Program Review as a Win-Win Opportunity." *AAHE Bulletin* (May).
- 2003 "College Experience and Real World Experience." *Bridgewater Review* (Spring).
- 2002 "Building Bridges: Sustainable Development, Interdisciplinary Programs, and the University" (with John Wooding). In *Globalization, Universities, and Issues of Sustainable Human Development*, edited by J. Pyle and R. Farrant. Cheltenham, UK: Edward Elgar Publishing.
- 2001 "Administrative Support for Innovation: The Case of Applied Community Research." In *Approaches to Sustainable Development: The Public University in the Regional Economy*, edited by R. Farrant, J. Pyle, W. Lazonick, and C. Levenstein. Amherst, MA: University of Massachusetts Press.
- 1999 "Changing Communities and Changing Universities: Why Should We Care? What Can We Do?" In *Community Politics and Policy*, edited by N. Kleniewski and G. Rabrenovic. Greenwich, CT: JAI Press.
- 1995 "The War Against Welfare Moves to the States." In *The Politics of Wealth and Inequality*, edited by R. Ratcliff, M. Oliver, and T. Shapiro. Greenwich, CT: JAI Press.
- 1994 "Immigration and Urban Transformation" *Urban Affairs Quarterly* 30(2): 307-315.
- 1994 "Views of the City: Urban and Regional Sociology." In *From the Left Bank to the Mainstream*, edited by P. McGuire and D. McQuarie. New York: General Hall.
- 1990 "Space for Progressive Local Policy: Examples from the U.S. and the U.K." (with Pierre Clavel). In *Beyond the City Limits*, edited by J. Logan and T. Swanstrom. Philadelphia: Temple University Press.
- 1988 "New Houses on Old Lots," (with Brian Coffey), *Planning* 54(9): 20-21.
- 1987 "Urban Renewal and Housing Reform: The Case of North Philadelphia," *Research in Social Policy* 1: 83-108.
- 1987 "Local Business Leaders and Urban Policy: A Case Study," *Critical Sociology*, 14(1): 33-56.
- 1986 "Triage and Urban Planning: A Case Study of Philadelphia," *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*, 10(4): 563-579.
- 1986 "The Commons at Corn Hill: Downtown Living Makes a Comeback in Rochester," (with Brian Coffey), *Urban Land*, 45(4): 6-9.
- 1984 "From Industrial to Corporate City: The Role of Urban Renewal," in *Marxism and the Metropolis*, 2nd edition, edited by W. Tabb and L. Sawers. New York: Oxford University Press.

**Selected Book Reviews**

- 2004      *Reclaiming Public Housing: A Half Century of Struggle in Three Public Neighborhoods*, by L. J. Vale. *Journal of Urban Affairs* 26(5): 641-647.
- 1999      *Generating Jobs*, edited by R. Freeman and P. Gottschalk and *Workforce Development Networks*, by B. Harrison and M. Weiss. *Contemporary Sociology* 28(4): 412-413.
- 1998      *Changing Plans for America's Inner Cities*, by Z. Miller and B. Tucker. *Contemporary Sociology* 28(1): 81-82.
- 1996      *The People's Home? Social Rented Housing in Europe and America*, by M. Harloe. *Contemporary Sociology* 25(1): 75-76.
- 1991      *Harold Washington and the Neighborhoods*, edited by P. Clavel and W. Wiewel and *Challenging Uneven Development*, edited by P. Nyden and W. Wiewel. *Contemporary Sociology* 21(6): 818-820.
- 1991      *Rebuilding a Low-Income Housing Policy* by R. Bratt. *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research* 15(1): 138-139.
- 1990      *Women in Cities*, edited by J. Little, L. Peake, and P. Richardson. *Gender & Society* 5(2): 246-248.
- 1989      *The Craft of Teaching* (2nd edition) by K. E. Eble. *Teaching Sociology* 17(3): 389-390.
- 1985      *Paths of Neighborhood Change* by R. P. Taub, D. G. Taylor and J. D. Dunham. *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research* 9(4): 609-610.
- 1984      *America's Housing Crisis: What Is To Be Done?* edited by C. Hartman. *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research* 8(4): 599-600.
- 1984      *Love Canal: Science, Politics and People* by A. G. Levine. *Social Forces* 63: 285-287.
- 1983      *Urbanization and Urban Planning in Capitalist Society*, edited by M. Dear and A. J. Scott. *Contemporary Sociology* 11: 786-87.
- 1982      *Urban Social Space* by M. LaGory and J. Pipkin. *Contemporary Sociology* 11: 587-88.

*SELECTED SCHOLARLY LECTURES and CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS*

- 2008 "Chimpanzees in Fact, Film, and Fiction," and Other Seminars that Boosted the Success of First-Year Students. **American Association of State Colleges and Universities** Academic Affairs meeting.
- 2008 Instructional Bridges between High School and College, **Massachusetts College and Career Readiness Leadership Summit**.
- 2007 Targeted English 101: Abolishing Remedial Writing Courses for First-Year Students, **American Association of State Colleges and Universities** Academic Affairs meeting.
- 2006 The Pipeline Project: A Regional Collaborative to Increase Enrollments in STEM Disciplines, **American Association of State Colleges and Universities** Academic Affairs meeting.
- 2005 Assessment of Student Writing in the Transfer Process, **New England Association of Schools and Colleges/University of New Hampshire Assessment Conference**.
- 2005 Institutional Collaboration for General Education Articulation, **American Association of State Colleges and Universities** Academic Affairs meeting.
- 2003-06 The President-Vice President Relationship in Higher Education, **Higher Education Resource Services**, Management Institute for Women in Higher Education, Wellesley College.
- 2003 Using Program Review to Support More Effective Assessment of Student Learning, **New England Fall Assessment Forum**.
- 2003-05 Leading Change: The Provost's Perspective, **Higher Education Resource Services** Summer Institute, Bryn Mawr.
- 2002 Leading Change: The Dean's Perspective, **Higher Education Resource Services** Summer Institute, Bryn Mawr.
- 2002 Program Review as a Form of Assessment, **American Association for Higher Education** Assessment Forum.
- 2002 Revitalizing Cities: People, Power, Politics, and Public Policy, (Invited panel discussion), **Urban Affairs Association**.
- 2002 Cities of the Near Future, (Invited panel discussion), **Eastern Sociological Society**.
- 2002 Two Way Streets: Lessons from the Community Outreach Partnership Center, **American Association for Higher Education** Forum on Faculty Roles and Rewards.
- 2001 The Changing Heritage of the Industrial City: Contemporary Uses of History in Lowell, Massachusetts (with Linda Silka), **Urban Affairs Association**.
- 2000 Building Bridges: Sustainable Development, Interdisciplinary Programs, and the University (with John Wooding), **International Conference on Sustainable Development**, University of Massachusetts Lowell.
- 2000 Beyond Town and Gown: Building University-Community Partnerships, **College of the Holy Cross Colloquium Series**.
- 1999 Administrative Support for Community Involvement, **U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Regional Conference**.
- 1998 Supporting Applied Community Research in Your Institution, **Council of Colleges of Arts and Sciences**.
- 1997 From Interdepartmental Program to Interdisciplinary Department, **Council of Colleges of Arts and Sciences**.
- 1996 What Happens When Institutions Really Change? **American Council on Education**.
- 1994 Looking at the Big Picture: How Can We Have Local Economic Development in a Global Economy? **Urban Affairs Association**.
- 1993 The Ideology of Work and Welfare in the 1990s, **American Sociological Association**.
- 1993 State Cutbacks in Welfare: Trickle-Down in Reverse? **Urban Affairs Association**.
- 1992 Publishing: From Articles to Books, **Urban Affairs Association**.
- 1990 Local Housing Programs: The Not-for-Profit Sector, **American Sociological Association**.
- 1989 Strategies for Increasing the Supply of Affordable Housing, **Society for the Study of Social Problems**.

- 1988 Local Power Structure Research Since Floyd Hunter, **American Sociological Association.**
- 1987 The Conventional Wisdom: Will Convention Centers Save Cities? **American Sociological Association.**
- 1987 Bottom-Up Economic Development Policy, **Urban Affairs Association.**
- 1985 Race and Urban Renewal: North Philadelphia vs. Society Hill, **Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning.**
- 1985 Rebuilding Philadelphia: The Politics of Urban Renewal, Colloquium series, **Department of Geography, Syracuse University.**
- 1985 Local Business Leaders and Urban Policy: A Case Study, **Allied Social Science Association.**
- 1985 Economic Development: The Dilemma of the Older City, **Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning.**
- 1984 Toward a Political Economy of Neighborhood Decline, **Society for the Study of Social Problems.**
- 1983 The Dual Housing Market in Sociological Theory, **Eastern Sociological Society.**
- 1982 North Philadelphia: From Elite Neighborhood to Black Ghetto, **Eastern Sociological Society.**
- 1981 Triage in Philadelphia: Liberal Strategy for Urban Preservation, **Society for the Study of Social Problems.**
- 1979 The Concrete Effects of Urban Theory: Neighborhood Life Cycles in Social Perspective, **Eastern Sociological Society.**