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**Curriculum Vitae**

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**Education:** Ph.D. University of Virginia 1978-84

M.A. University of Virginia 1976-78

B.A. Yale University 1968-72

The Hotchkiss School 1964-68

**Honors &** The Senior Cup Presented by the Graduating Class to the Faculty Member who has

**Fellowships:** Contributed Most to Kenyon College and the Community, 1996, 1997, 2005, 2009, 2013

Trustee Award for Distinguished Teaching, 1993

Baccalaureate Speaker. Kenyon College, 1990, 2002, 2013

Founder’s Day Speaker, Kenyon College, 1993

William A. Long Award for Contribution to Athletics, Kenyon College, 1991

Distinction in Faculty Mentoring Award, Kenyon College 2013

Instructor, Kenyon Summer Institute, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016

Instructor, The Institute of Catholic Studies, The University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, Minnesota,

2014

*Who’s Who in America*, 2003-16

*The 300 Best Professors*, *Princeton Review,* 2012

Telluride Association Fellow and Instructor, 1996

Andrew W. Mellon Junior Scholar, University of Virginia, 1984-86

Du Pont Fellow, University of Virginia, 1977-79

Art Adamson Memorial Award, Texas State High School Water Polo Coach of the Year, 1975

All-American in Swimming, NHSSCA, 1968

*Cum Laude* Society, The Hotchkiss School, 1968

**Employment:** Director, Integrated Program in Humane Studies, 2008-12, 2013-

Co-Director, Integrated Program in Humane Studies, 2012-13

Professor of Humanities, Kenyon College, 2007-

Professor of Humane Studies, Kenyon College, 2005-07

Acting Director, Integrated Program in Humane Studies, Kenyon College, 2005

Faculty Assistant to the President and Provost, Kenyon College, 1998

Associate Professor of English in the Integrated Program in Humane Studies, Kenyon

College, 1992-2005

Assistant Professor of English, Kenyon College, 1986-91

Visiting Assistant Professor English, Summer Session, Graduate School of Arts and

Sciences, University of Virginia, 1991

Instructor of English, University of Virginia, 1977-84

Consultant, Denison University, 1988-1999; California Lutheran University, 2002; The Hotchkiss

School, 2006-2007; Hampden-Sydney College, 2012.

Editor, *Military History Magazine*, 1983-90

Announcer, NCAA, 1986-2007, 2014, NCAC 1990- , MAC, WAC, Big East

Diving Coach, Kenyon College, 2009-10

Assistant Diving Coach, Kenyon College, 2010-11

Assistant Swimming Coach, University of Virginia, 1980-83

Instructor of English and History, Head Coach of Swimming and Water Polo, St. Mark’s

School of Texas, 1973-76

**Publications: Books & Recorded Lecture Courses**

*Moby Dick: America’s Epic*. Prince Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2014

*Giants of the British Novel, Part 1: The Rise of the Novel and the First British Masters.*  Prince Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2014.

*Dickens and Twain: Capturing 19th-Century Britain and America*. Prince Frederick, MD:

Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2014.

*Greek Legacy: Understanding the Overwhelming Contributions of the Ancient Greeks.* Prince Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2013.

*Lore of the Stars: The Mythological Narrative in the Night Sky*. Prince Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2013.

*Germans and Celts: The Enduring Heritage of the European Northlands*. Prince Frederick, MD:

Recorded Books, 2012.

*The* Iliad *and* Odyssey *of Homer*. Prince Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2012.

*A History of Ancient Sparta: Valor, Virtue, and Devotion in the Greek Golden Age*. Prince

Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2009.

*Odyssey of the West VI: A Classic Education through the Great Books: The Twentieth Century.*

Series Editor, Timothy B. Shutt. Prince Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2009.

*Odyssey of the West V: A Classic Education through the Great Books: Peace Prosperity, and*

*Power, The Nineteenth Century*. Series Editor, Timothy B. Shutt. Prince Frederick,

MD: Recorded Books, 2008.

*Odyssey of the West IV: A Classic Education through the Great Books: Toward Enlightenment*.

Series Editor, Timothy B. Shutt. Prince Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2008.

*High Seas, High Stakes: Naval Battles that Changed the World*. Prince Frederick, MD;

Recorded Books, 2008.

*Take Me Out to the Ballgame: A History of Baseball in America*.Prince Frederick, MD:

Recorded Books, 2008.

*Odyssey of the West III: A Classic Education through the Great Books, the Medieval World*. Series

Editor, Timothy B. Shutt. Prince Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2007.

*Odyssey of the West II: A Classic Education through the Great Books: From Athens to Rome and*

*the Gospels*. Series Editor, Timothy B. Shutt. Prince Frederick, MD: Recorded Books,

2007.

*Odyssey of the West I: A Classic Education through the Great Books: Hebrews and Greeks.*

Series Editor, Timothy B. Shutt. Prince Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2007.

*Masterpieces of Medieval Literature*. Prince Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2006.

*Dante’s* Divine Comedy. Prince Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2005.

*Wars that Made the Western World: The Persian Wars, the Peloponnesian War, and the*

*Punic Wars*. Prince Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2005.

*Monsters, Gods, and Heroes: Approaching the Epic in Literature.* New York: Barnes &

Noble, 2005.

*Approaching the Literature of C. S. Lewis*. Prince Frederick, MD: Recorded Books,

2004.

*Monsters, Gods, and Heroes: Approaching the Epic in Literature*. Prince Frederick,

MD: Recorded Books, 2004

*The Foundations of Western Thought: Hebrews, Greeks, and Romans*. New York:

Barnes & Noble, 2004.

*Hebrews, Greeks, and Romans: The Foundations of Western Civilization*. Prince

Frederick, MD: Recorded Books, 2003

**Academic Articles and Reviews:**

“The Liberal Arts and the Pursuit of Wisdom.” In *The Best Kind of College: An Insiders’ Guide to*

*America’s Small Liberal Arts College*. Susan McWilliams and John E. Seery, eds. Albany, NY: SUNY Press, 2015.

“Hebrews, Greeks, and Romans: A Brief Cultural Genealogy and Apologia,” Baccalaureate

Address, Kenyon College (May, 2013), later published in the *Indiana Policy Review*, Winter2014.

“Cultural Transmissions: Electronic Orality and Ergonomics of the Mind..” In Renéo

Lukic and Michael Brints, eds. *Culture, Politics, and Nationalism in the Age of*

*Globalization*. Aldershot, UK: Ashgate, 2001

“The (Class-) Structural Selfishness of Tityrus.” Review of *Pastoral Ideology: Virgil to*

*Valery*, by Annabel Patterson. *The Kenyon Review*, New Series 10.4 (Fall 1988)

“On Art and Artistic Making.” Review of *Realism, Writing, Disfiguration: On Thomas*

*Eakins and Stephen Crane*, by Michael Fried, and *The Psychology of*

*Perspective*, by Michael Kubovy. *The Kenyon Review*, New Series 10.1

(Winter 1987)

**Commercial or Popular**

52 reviews and articles on a variety of topics

**Selected “**Interdisciplinary Teaching in the Introductory Course in the Integrated Program in .

**Papers:** Humane Studies at Kenyon College, Gambier, Ohio, U.S.A.” At the International

Conference on Interdisciplinary Social Sciences at the University of the Aegean, Island

of Rhodes, Greece (July 2006)

“Hebrews, Greeks, and Romans: A Brief Cultural Genealogy and Apologia,” Baccalaureate

Address, Kenyon College (May, 2013)

“At the Heart of Dante’s *Commedia*: Envy and its Antidote.” The Kenyon Lifelong Learning

Program, Delivered, 2010, Cincinnati; 2011, Cleveland; 2012, Seattle; 2012, Chapel Hill NC, Columbus 2013, Atlanta 2014, Minneapolis 2015, Denver 2015.

“James McNeill Whistler.” The Kenyon Lifelong Learning Program, Delivered: 2009, Lowell,

MA.

“The Strangeness of Matthew 6: 9-13.” The Kenyon Lifelong Learning Program. Delivered:

2009, Pittsburgh

“Competence, Courage, and Compassion: Brasidas the Spartan and Lord Nelson as Exemplars of

Inspiring Leadership.” The Kenyon Lifelong Learning Program. Delivered: 2007. New

York

“The Liberal Arts and the Pursuit of Wisdom.” *Cum Laude* Society Address delivered at The

Hotchkiss School, Lakeville, CT (May 2007)

“The Good Citizen: A Classical Perspective.” The Kenyon Lifelong Learning Program.

Delivered: 2006, Boston.

“Dante’s Beatrice: How Dante Reconceives the Process of Christian Revelation.”

The Kenyon Lifelong Learning Program. Delivered: 2003, Dallas, Houston,

Philadelphia, Denver, Seattle; 2002, Richmond, Atlanta, Washington DC, Mt.

Vernon, OH, Columbus

“Contracts and Concrete: Rome as Ideal, Rome as Influence.” The Kenyon Lifelong

Learning Program. Delivered 2003, Washington DC

“Άρετή and Άγαπη: Two Greek Words.” Baccalaureate Address, Kenyon College (May

2002)

“Constructing Truth.” Founder’s Day Address, Kenyon College (October 1993)

“Liking---On Principle.” Baccalaureate Address, Kenyon College (May 1990)

“The Theophanic Eagle: Dante and Rome.” Kenyon Rome Conference (December 1989)

**Academic Tours** “Paris: Crossroads of European Art and Culture.” Washington, DC: Scholarly Sojourns, 2012

“Uncovering Camelot: A Journey through Arthurian Britain.” Washington, DC: Scholarly

Soujourns, 2015.

**Major**  Chair of the Faculty, 1995-98

**College** Chair, Faculty Executive Committee, 1995-98

**Service:** Member, Senior Staff, 1998

*Ex officio* Member, Senior Staff 1995-97

Member, Self-Study Committee, 1998-99

Member, Resource Allocation Subcommittee (RAAS), 1995-99

Member, Judicial Board, 2001-02

Member, Curricular Policy Committee, 1994-95

Faculty Co-Chair, Senate, 1992-93

NCAA Faculty Representative, 1990-2016

NCAC Faculty Representative for Men’s Athletics, 1990-2016

Member, NCAC Presidents’ Council, 1994-96, 2009-11

Secretary of the Faculty, 1988-90

Member, Coordination Committee, 1988-90

Chair of the Humanities Division, 1987-89

Associate Editor, *The Kenyon Review*, 1986-90, 1994-2003

SCAP/KAP Representative, 1987-2016

Convening Dinner Speaker, 1998, 2000-04

Chair, Search Committee for IPHS, 2005-06, 2008-09, 2011

Announcer, NCAA Division III Men’s and Women’s Swimming & Diving

Championships, 1987-2007, 2014

Announcer, NCAC Men’s and Women’s Swimming & Diving Championships,

1992- 2016

Announcer, Kenyon Swimming and Kenyon Football, 1987-2016

Featured Faculty Speaker at 55 Alumni/ae and Parent Events: Boston, Lowell, MA, New York,

Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, D. C., Richmond, Raleigh/Durham, Chapel Hill, NC, Atlanta, Tampa, Sarasota, Miami, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Mt. Vernon, OH, Columbus, Cincinnati, Detroit, Indianapolis, Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Louis, Kansas City, Dallas, Houston, Denver, Phoenix, Seattle, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Orange County, CA, San Diego, *et al*., 1993-2016

**LANGUAGES:** French, Latin, Old and Middle English; reading knowledge, Italian, Old Icelandic,

German, Greek, Spanish, Old French, and Provençal or Occitan,