

RESUME

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Interdisciplinary Political Studies, The Union Institute, (Cincinnati) 1990.
Thesis: *Nuclear Siege to Nuclear Cease-fire*. Winner of the Sussman Award for Excellence.

M.A. Communications, University of Pennsylvania, (Philadelphia) 1971.

B.A. History (Hons.), Oxford University (England), 1969.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

TEACHING -- THE EVERGREEN STATE COLLEGE

1984 - 2017: Undergraduate courses -- project-oriented and interdisciplinary.

(a) Strategic and Regional Issues: Courses on international relations and peacemaking with a special emphasis on Asian regional issues.

(b) Ethics and Social Harmony: Courses on moral education and social diversity, comparisons between US and Japanese education.

(c) Participation in Public Life: Courses on community design, sustainability and public advocacy including quantitative research in the public interest.

1997 - 2016: Graduate courses in the Master in Public Administration program:
Management in the midst of conflict and difference.

OTHER ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2009 & 2010: **Graduate Institute of Peace Studies, Kyung Hee University, Korea**

Visiting Professor: *Global Ethics and Justice*, and *NE Asian Regional Relationships*. (for 2009, see also Competitive Awards, Fulbright).

2006: **Hyogo Prefectural University, Kobe, Japan** Exchange Faculty: *America's International Relationships*.

2001: **Kobe Shodai, Kobe, Japan**. Visiting Research Scholar.

1990 – 2004: **The Graduate School, Union Institute and University**, Adjunct
Doctoral Seminars: *Ethics and Violence*, *Research Methods and Social Meaning*
Public Action and Public Values.

Doctoral dissertation committees including:

Women Elders: Making Social Change in Apartheid South Africa.

International Humanitarian Relief and Conflict Resolution.

International Leadership in Non-Governmental Organizations.

Feminist study of social change movements and legislation.

2001: **Hyogo Prefectural University, Kobe, Japan**, Visiting Research Scholar.

1997 - 2000: **University of Washington, Tacoma**, Adjunct: *Ethics of War and Peace*, and *Civic Engagement*.

1992: **University of Hawaii, Hilo**, Visiting Associate Professor: *The Cold War in the Pacific*.

RESEARCH

Peace-Making: Bringing the violence in wars to an end, and crafting durable peace at the personal as well as the political level.

2017 – present: Apologies in international relations with a special focus on Asia-Pacific relations

2015 – present: Peace-ability and forbearance: a multi-culturally derived model of skills constructive in public and social settings, to maintain peaceful relations and prevent the escalation of conflict.

2012 - 2015: NE Asian zones of conflict: the role of popular and consumer culture in framing college student responses to current regional disputes.

2006 - 2012: NE Asia — History becomes Heritage: comparative study of contemporary approaches to museum and field-based education in schools and colleges in Japan, the Republic of Korea and the USA.

Extended Field Research in Japan – 2006, 2009, 2011, in Korea – 2009, 2010, 2011, in the USA – 2008, 2010

2001 - 2007: Post war and transitional justice with a special focus on models of amnesty and mercy. Cross cultural study of iconic figures in major religions specifically associated with mercy.

1990 - 2003: Ceasefire. The military strategy and politics of transitions from combat to peace. The ending of wars in modern, industrialized, democratic nations. Special emphasis on the Cold War, and then on attempts to bring wars to an end in the 1990s. Multi-regional focus.

COMPETITIVE HONORS & AWARDS

2012: **HORN Fellowship** Hyogo Prefectural University, Kobe, Japan: *Japanese Student responses to Korean Consumer Culture*.

2009: **Senior Fulbright Fellowship** Graduate Institute of Peace Studies, Kyung Hee University, Korea: *Graduate Education in Peace Studies in Korea*.

2007: **Sponsored Research Award** The Evergreen State College: *War, Peace and*

Memory.

2001: **NEH Summer Research Seminar – Global Ethics**, Carnegie Council on Ethics in International Affairs and Columbia University: *Global Ethics: Mercy in Post-Conflict Transitional Justice*.

2000: **Sponsored Research Award** The Evergreen State College: *Moral Education in Japan*

1999 - 2001: **Fund for Innovation Grant**: The Evergreen State College: *Interdisciplinary Workshops for Evening Weekend Students*

1994 - 95: **Bunting Fellowship**, (now the Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study) Harvard University: *Cease-fire to Enduring Peace*.

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS (since 2001):

Published & Peer Reviewed

“Book Review: Feminism Unfinished: A Short Surprising History of the American Women's Movement.” (2015) *Psychology of Women Quarterly*.

“Gardens: Cultivating A Global Citizen” (2014) eds. Wang, Xiao-Lei (王晓蕾) and Ronan Bernas. *People without Borders: Becoming Members of Global Communities*. (2014) Rochester NY. Untested Ideas Research Center.

“Improving International Relations at the Grass Roots: Japanese Student Attitudes to Japanese - Korean relations,” (April 2013) *Japan Social Innovation Journal*.

“History becomes Heritage,” (2011) ed. Tsyrlina, T. *Humanitarian Review*, Special Issue on Multi- cultural Education 5 (48). Perm, Prikamsky Social Institute.

“Peace Education,” “Multi-party Negotiation for Conflict Resolution” and “Spiritually Grounded Activism,” (2008) ed. Schuler, D. *Liberating Voices: A Pattern Language for Communication Revolution*, Boston, MIT Press.

“Feminist Teachers Needed: Tolerance for Paradox Essential” in *The Art of College Teaching, 28 Takes*, (2005) ed. Morgan, A, Knoxville, University of Tennessee Press.

“Ethics from a Global Perspective” and “The Drama of International Relations” in *Ethics and Global Politics: An Active Learning Sourcebook*, (2004) eds. Peach L, and A. Morgan, Stirling, VA, Kumarian Press.

Published but NOT peer reviewed

“The Rise of Protest Diplomacy: Populism and ‘audience costs’ international negotiations in Asia,” (2010) *Peace Forum*, (35) Kyung Hee University.

“Cold War and Reunification: Germany 1989, Korea 2009,” (2009) *Peace Forum*, (34), Kyung Hee University.

Dangerous Peace-Making, (2003) Olympia, WA, Peace-Maker Press.

Conference Presentations (since 2001):

- 2018: "The Languages of "Apology": Cultural Differences When Children Make Mistakes." *Asia-Pacific Network for Moral Education*. (Kaohsiung, Taiwan)
- 2017: "Apologies that do not Heal." *International Society for Political Psychology* (Edinburgh, UK)
- 2016: "Peace-abilities: An Installation and lecture," Salon Refu, (Olympia).
- 2016: "Making Mistakes — Theoretical reflections on US and Japanese norms." *Association for Moral Education* (Boston).
- 2015: "Educating for Public Spirit: Discerning Constructive Values and Fostering them in Varied Settings." *Asia-Pacific Network for Moral Education* (Sydney Australia)
- 2013: "Popular Culture at the Intersection of Tensions between Japan and Korea." *Society for Values in Higher Education*, (Colorado Springs).
- 2013: "Debt and Honor: a cross cultural analysis." *Society for Values in Higher Education*, (Colorado Springs).
- 2012: "Relationships among Japan, China and Korea: a wide historical perspective" *Society of Intercultural Educators, Trainers and Researchers* (Nishinomiya).
- "History becomes Heritage: School Field Trips In Japan and the USA." *Association for Asian Studies*, (Toronto).
- 2011: "Museums in Dialogue, Korea and Japan, Korea and the United States." *Asia Pacific Peace Research Association* (Kyoto).
- "Cultivating the Moral Self: Comparing Japanese, US and South Korean approaches to the practice of making a garden." *Association for Moral Education* (Nanjing).
- "Media Representations of Attitudes and Values about Children in Disaster Situations." *Association for Moral Education* (Nanjing).
- 2010: "Museums Teaching the Histories of War and Peace: Victims and nationalists in an interdependent world." *Asia Pacific Network on Moral Education* (Nagasaki).
- 2010: Session Chair — Asia Pacific Network for Moral Education Annual Meeting (Nagasaki).
- 2009: "Heritage or History? School study tours at World War II Sites in Japan, Korea and the United States," *Asian Studies Conference Japan*, (Tokyo), and *Fulbright Forum*, (Seoul).
- 2009: "The development of historical consciousness: an interdisciplinary and inter-cultural study of World War II in education today" *Asia Pacific Network on Moral Education* (Seoul).
- 2008: "The 'Good War': US and Japanese schools transmit national heritage and national history." *Association for Moral Education* (South Bend).

- 2007: “From Hot Button to Law: Controversy follows a RAND study of Peace-making in WWII” - *International Society for Political Psychology* (Paris).
- 2006: “Remembering World War II: Comparing Museums and Memorials in Japan and the United States” *Hyogo Prefectural University*, (Kobe) and *Miyazaki International College* (Miyazaki).
- 2005 Session Chair — Education for a World Lived in Common. *Washington Center for Undergraduate Education National Conference* (Tacoma).
- 2005: “Global Politics, Ethics and Active Learning” *International Studies Association International Conference*, (Montreal).
- 2005: “The Drama of International Relations” *Washington Center for Undergraduate Education National Conference* (Tacoma).
- 2004: “Peace-Making: Iraq” *Society for Values in Higher Education* (Colorado Springs).
- 2003: “South Africa’s Amnesty: A model pathway to peace?” *Peace and Justice Studies Association* (Olympia).
- 2002: “Mercy, Justice and Peace-Making” *International Society for Political Psychology*, (Berlin).
- 2001: “The Effectiveness of International Intervention in War-zones” *Peace Studies Association*, (Olympia).

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Association for Asian Studies

Asia Pacific Network for Moral Education

International Society for Political Psychology

Society for Values in Higher Education — Co-Convener of Religion and Violence

1999-2005

ACADEMIC SERVICE AND ADMINISTRATION

Fulbright Fellowships

Japan 2015 Social Science selector for Japanese applicants

USA 2012 -2015 Political Science subject matter committee.

The Evergreen State College

1998-2008 *Curriculum and Faculty Hiring*

1998- 2008 Planning Unit Curriculum Committee

2000 & 2005- 6 Faculty Hiring Committees

2000 – 01 University-wide Faculty Hiring Priorities Committee

1993-2000 - *Campus Conflict Resolution and Adjudication*.

1995 - 00: Conflict Resolution Officer, responsible for the administration of the faculty conflict resolution policy.

1998 - 00: Campus Deadly Force Review Board

1993-98: Grievance Officer Admin/adjudication, Student Conduct Code.

PUBLIC SERVICE

SERVICE TO ORGANIZATIONS

2003- present: Board Member, President and volunteer, Garden Raised Bounty: Service and education for at-risk teens at an urban farm. Olympia, Washington.

2008 Festival Fundraiser — Interfaith works Sacred Music (Olympia)

2006: Nominee — Thurston County Citizen of the Year

1995 - 2006: Community for Interfaith Celebration, Faith into Action study-group: redefining wealth. Olympia, Washington

1989-95: Fundraiser and Budget/Pledge organizer, Community for Interfaith Celebration. Olympia, Washington

1981-84: Board Member, National Chair, and Executive Committee, National Nuclear Weapons Freeze Campaign and Freeze Voter 84. St. Louis, Missouri and Washington DC