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Goal: To continue to apply and integrate the breadth and depth of my experience in higher education

Professional Experience

Moravian U, Bethlehem, PA, Adjunct Instructor (2015-18), Full-time Professor of Practice (2018-present)

- Teaching Economics (Intro, Micro, Macro, Public, Development), Spanish (for nurses), First-Year Writing (history theme)
- Advising: First-year students, Economics/Business majors; Academic coach for both tennis teams
- Peace Corps program at MC
- Committees: Hiring searches, Economics (152), Economics Curriculum

Moravian Academy, Bethlehem, PA, 2010-14

Upper School Director

- Fulfilled responsibility for leading all aspects of Upper School, including curriculum and faculty
- Led Upper School enrollment to record levels, initiated re-purposing of facilities, designed and implemented new weekly schedule that enhanced student-teacher contact time
- Initiated the updating of the History Dept. core curriculum
- Served on school-wide Leadership Team, reporting also to Finance Committee of the Board
- Led or served on 25+ committees and task forces

International School of Panama, 2008-10

Instructor

- Taught International Baccalaureate (IB) Economics, Modern World History
- Initiated advisory program, proposed changes to high school administrative structure and schedule

St. Paul's School, Baltimore, 1995-2008

History Chair

- Taught 20th-C. History & History of the Americas (IB), U.S. History (AP), European History (AP), World History, Latin American History, Economics (AP, IB), Urban Studies
- Created/edited 300-page course-packs of primary readings for 20th-C. History and also US History
- Re-designed History core curriculum, culminating in 20th-century History, helped implement the IB program, especially in History & Economics, designed and led "May Plans" (like Model UN)
- Department leadership included curriculum, methodology/pedagogy, faculty evaluation & hiring

Senior Mentor

- Provided faculty leadership, anticipated and fielded faculty concerns, mediated between faculty and administration, had major role in hiring, revamped weekly schedule, chaired committee on grading, methods & assessments, led committee on compensation, wrote diversity statement

- Mentored new faculty, wrote guides regarding teaching methods, grading, comments, parent conferences, procedures for struggling students

Senior Dean

Was responsible for 12th Grade, including academic progress, graduation requirements, discipline

Pre-1995

Green Hills School, Ann Arbor, MI. Taught AP European and World History, Economics.

University-Liggett School, Grosse Pointe, MI. Upper School Principal. Fulfilled primary responsibility for all aspects of Upper School, including curriculum and faculty.

Moravian Academy. Taught History, Economics, English, Spanish, chaired History Department.

DeSales University. Adjunct instructor of American Labor History.

Cedar Crest College. Adjunct instructor of American History (Survey) and Urban History.

George Washington University. Teaching Assistant in American Studies and Urban Studies.

St. Anne's-Belfield School, Charlottesville, VA. Taught Math and Spanish.

United States Peace Corps Volunteer, Puerto Rico (training), Panama and Costa Rica, 1970-71

- Panama: Taught basic accounting skills, coordinated a credit & savings cooperative for farmers
- Costa Rica: Ran CARE experimental soybean farming projects in schools to enhance nutrition

Other Experience

- Proficient in Microsoft Word (book-length manuscripts), Microsoft Excel, Rubicon Atlas, Grade Quick.
- Poetry-writing, Theater, Bicycling.

Writing/Publications

- Wrote and published c.140 poems in peer-reviewed journals and literary magazines across the U.S.
- Helped edit Objective Troy (2015), New York Times reporter Scott Shane's award-winning book on terrorist Anwar Awlaki and the Obama administration's drone strikes
- Helped edit Memoirs of a Farm Girl, Justine Klomann's book-length memoirs (2015)
- Wrote "Vietnam and Iraq: Six Stages of Deception," with David Robson, Baltimore Chronicle, 1/26/06
- Wrote Mind, Body, & Spirit: a 250-Year History of Moravian Academy, with Susan M. Swasta, 1992
- Wrote 20,000-word chapter on Allentown, 1953-65 in Allentown, 1762-1987, M. Hellerich (ed.), 1987

Education

- **Ph.D., American Civilization, George Washington University, 1984**
Dissertation on 20th-century regionalization in Venango County, PA. Major fields of study: Am. cultural history, Am. urban history, Am. fiction, Latin American history & culture. High proficiency in Spanish.
- **M.A., English Writing, Hollins College, 1973**
Wrote & studied fiction and drama; Acted in 9 plays at Hollins College and Washington & Lee Univ.
- **B.A., Economics, Urban Studies, Case Western Reserve University, 1970**
Played varsity soccer (4 years), spoke at graduation following Kent State shootings