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Education

University of Massachusetts, Amherst
Ph'd course work completed
Sociology – literature, knowledge, religion, and politics

The City College of New York, New York City
M.A. Sociology, 1974

Manhattan College, Riverdale
M.A. Religious Studies, 1969

Iona College, New Rochelle, NY
B.A. Classics, 1966

Certified Secondary School teacher, Massachusetts
Social Studies and English

Award – Selected for Who's Who Among America's Teachers (the best teachers in U.S.),
1998

Employment

Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts, No. Adams, MA
Full-time and adjunct professor – Sociology, 1996 to present

Berkshire Community College, Pittsfield, MA
Adjunct professor – Sociology, 1994 to present

Anna Maria College, Paxton, MA
Adjunct professor – Sociology and Philosophy, 1997-2000

DeSisto School, Stockbridge, MA (a private school for adolescents with emotional problems)
Adjunct professor – Sociology, Creative Writing, and Philosophy (in conjunction with Berkshire Community College), 1995-2000

Writer, 1975 to present
Extensive publication record; journalism, literary, scholarly
Columnist for The Berkshire Eagle

Novelist and poet
Book and textbook editing; grant writing
The Norman Rockwell Museum, Stockbridge, MA
Museum Security, 1986-93 (simultaneously writing a novel)

Berkshire Hills Regional School District
Tutor (at Monument Mt. High School), 1986
Substitute teacher, 1981-1986

Ziff Davis Publishing Co., New York, NY
Assistant in reference book division, 1979-1980

Community and Regional Opportunity Program (CROP), Chicopee, MA
(a multi-service social service agency)
Program Developer; 1977-1978 –research and development of new programs; proposal and grant writing; program evaluation; long-range planning and assistance

University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth, MA
Professor of Sociology, 1974-1976

Cathedral High School, Springfield, MA
Teacher- Religious Studies, 1972-1973

University of Massachusetts, Amherst
Instructor – Sociology, 1972 (Career Opportunities Program)
Assistantship, 1972
Teaching Associateship, 1972-1973

Bishop Loughlin High School, New York, NY
Teacher – English and Religious Studies, 1969-1971

Misericordia College, Dallas, PA
Professor – Religious Studies, 1968-1969

NYC Department of Probation, New York, NY
Interviewer of arrestees to determine if qualified for release in own recognizance, 1967-1968

United States Public Health Service, New York, NY
Interviewer and Investigator, Sexual Disease Control, 1966-1967

Current Research and Writing Projects (2007):

The Sociological Life, a book manuscript in progress on the relationship between autobiography and sociology as a “career”

A two year ongoing research project on academic responses to the events of September 11, 2001