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Academic Dean and Vice President for Academic Affairs
Earlham College

EDUCATION:

Ph.D.	Duke University, 1976
M.A.	Duke University, 1974
B.A.	Oberlin College, 1972

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Academic Dean and Professor of Politics, Earlham College, 2007-
Provost and Professor of Political Science, Kalamazoo College, 1997-2007
Professor and Chair, Political Science, University of Mississippi, 1990- 1997
Associate Professor, Political Science, University of Vermont, 1983 - 1990
Assistant Professor, Political Science, University of Vermont, 1978 - 1983
Assistant Professor, Political Science, Metropolitan State College, Denver, 1977 - 1978
Visiting Lecturer, Political Science, Duke University, 1976 - 1977

TEACHING AND RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Comparative Politics (Constitutionalism, Israeli Politics, Canadian Politics, Policymaking, Federalism); Political Institutions; Political Behavior

RESEARCH TOOLS: French, Hebrew, Computer Languages, Statistics

PUBLICATIONS AND PROFESSIONAL RESEARCH ACTIVITIES:

Books Published or Under Contract:

The Middle East Peace Process: Context and Documents (in progress)

Comparative Politics: An Institutional and Cross-National Approach, 5th edition. Prentice-Hall, 2007.

Politics and Government in Israel: The Maturation of a Modern State. Rowman and Littlefield, 2004.

Politics in North America: Canada, the United States, Mexico (co-author). Prentice Hall, 2004.

Comparative Politics: An Institutional and Cross-National Approach, 4th edition. Prentice-Hall, 2003.

Canadian Politics. (co-editor). Dushkin Publishing, 2000.

Israel. (editor) Ashgate Publishing Company, 2000.

Comparative Politics: An Institutional and Cross-National Approach, 3rd edition. Prentice-Hall, 2000.

Canadian Politics. (co-editor). Dushkin Publishing, 1998.

Constitutionalism and Palestinian Constitutional Development. Palestinian Academic Society for the Study of International Affairs, 1996.

Israel in the Nineties (co-editor). University Press of Florida, 1996.

Contemporary Canadian Politics: An Annotated Bibliography, 1987-1993. Greenwood Press, 1995.

Comparative Politics: An Institutional and Cross-National Approach, 2nd ed. Prentice-Hall, 1995.

Israel at the Crossroads (co-editor). I. B. Taurus Press, 1994.

Canadian Politics 92/93 (co-editor). Dushkin Publishing, 1993.

Comparative Politics: An Institutional and Cross-National Approach. Prentice-Hall, 1992.

Canadian Politics 91/92 (co-editor). Dushkin Publishing, 1991.

Israel After Begin (editor). State University of New York Press, 1990.

Canadian Politics 90/91 (co-editor). Dushkin Publishing, 1989.

The Israeli Political System: Government and Politics in a Maturing State. Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, 1989

Contemporary Canadian Politics: An Annotated Bibliography, 1970-1987. Greenwood Press, 1988.

New Dimensions of Canadian Federalism. Fairleigh Dickinson University Press, 1987.

Bibliography of Israeli Politics. Westview Press, 1985.

Comparative Politics: An Institutional and Cross-National Approach. Schenkman Publishing Co., 1983.

Readings on the Israeli Political System. University Press of America, 1982.

The Knesset: Parliament in the Israeli Political System. Fairleigh-Dickinson University Press, 1981.

Data Sets:

“Legislative Behavior in the Israeli Knesset, 1974-1975.” Distributed by the Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR), University of Michigan, 1982.

Articles and Chapters in Books:

Entries in the Encyclopedia of the Modern Middle East and North Africa. Nearly 30 articles including *inter alia* “David Ben-Gurion,” “Avraham Burg,” “Herut Party,” “Israeli Political Parties,” “Knesset,” “Moshe Kol,” “Teddy Kollek,” “David Levy,” “Yitzhak Moda’i,” “Yitzhak Navon,” “Shimon Peres,” “Yitzhak Rabin,” “Amnon Rubinstein,” “Ze’ev Sharef,” “Moshe Sneh,” “Yigal Yadin,” “Zerah Wahrhaftig,” and “Ezer Weizmann.” Macmillan Press, 2004.

“Congress and the House of Commons: Legislative Behavior and Legislative Roles in Two Democracies,” in Christian Soe, ed., Comparative Politics 00/01, Guilford, Ct.: Dushkin/McGraw Hill, 2000, pp. 121-127.

“Canada and the Caribbean: Political Commonalities and Convergencies,” in Jerry Haar and Anthony T. Tryan, eds., Canada-Caribbean Relations in Transition: Trade, Sustainable Development, and Security, New York: St. Martin’s Press, 1999, pp. 36-51.

Small Legislatures and Policy Implementation in the Caribbean, in The Policy Implementation Process in Developing Nations, ed. Fred A. Lazin. JAI Press, 1999.

“The Israeli Knesset,” World Encyclopedia of Parliaments and Legislatures. Washington, D.C.: Congressional Quarterly, 1997.

“Israel’s New Electoral System: Effects on Policy and Politics,” Middle East Review of International Affairs (1997), internet:(<http://meria.idc.ac.il/journal/1997/issue2/jv1n2a2.html>)

“The Formation of the Netanyahu Government: Coalition Formation in a Quasi-Parliamentary Setting,” Israel Affairs 3:3-4 (1997): 3-27. [Also published as a chapter in Efraim Karsh, ed., From Rabin to Netanyahu: Israel’s Troubled Agenda. London: Frank Cass, 1997.]

“The ‘Westminster Model’ Away From Westminster: Is it Always the Most Appropriate Model?” in Helen Desfosses and Abdo Baaklini, eds., Designs for Democratic Stability: Studies in Viable Constitutionalism. M. E. Sharpe, 1997.

“The Palestinian Election of January, 1996,” Electoral Studies 15:3 (1996): 414-422.

“The 1995 Quebec Referendum and Canadian Unity: A Perspective From A Year’s Distance,” American Review of Canadian Studies 26:4 (1996): 641-646.

Yigal Allon, David Ben-Gurion, Abba Eban, Teddy Kollek, Golda Meir, Shimon Peres, Yitzhak Rabin, Moshe Sharett, and Ezer Weizman, Encyclopedia of the Modern Middle East (New York: Columbia University Press, 1996)

“Canadian Federalism and the 1995 Referendum: A Perspective From Outside of Quebec,” American Review of Canadian Studies 25:4 (1995): 449-476.

“Québec and Foreign Policy: Overseas Options for a Province in a Federal System,” Québec

Studies 17 (Fall 1993/Winter 1994): 59-74.

“Canada: Two Nations, One State?” in Political Culture and Constitutionalism: A Comparative Approach, eds. Daniel Franklin and Michael Baum. Armonk, N.Y.: M. E. Sharpe, 1994.

“The Rabin Coalition: Its Implications for Future Reform,” in Israel at the Crossroads, eds. Efraim Karsh and Gregory Mahler. I.B. Taurus, 1993.

“American Approaches to Canadian Domestic Politics: A Distinction Without a Difference,” in Northern Exposures: Scholarship on Canada in the United States, eds. Karen Gould, Joseph Jockel, and William Metcalfe. Assoc. for Canadian Studies in the United States, 1993.

“Foreign Policy and Canada's Evolving Relations with the Caribbean Commonwealth Countries: Political and Economic Considerations,” in A Dynamic Partnership: Canada's Changing Role in the Americas, eds. J. Haar and Edgar Dosman. University of Miami, North-South Center, 1993.

“Academic Relations and Canadian Foreign Policy: A New Examination,” Australian-Canadian Studies 9:1-2 (1991): 135-143.

“Contemporary Problems in Canadian Federalism: Federalism and Constitutional Reform,” Journal of Commonwealth and Comparative Politics 25:2 (1987): 108-125.

“Regulation and Its Unintended Consequences in Canada and the United States: A Call for Research,” (co-author) International Review of History and Political Science 23 (1986): 55-62.

“Parliamentary Democracy,” Commonwealth Today (November, 1986): 12-15.

“The ‘Westminster Model’ Away from Westminster” The Parliamentarian 67:3 (1986): 106-110.

“The Decline of Parliament: Is the American ‘Congressional’ Model an Improvement?” Canadian Parliamentary Review 8:4 (1985-1986): 19-22.

“The Administrative System of Israel,” (co-author) in K. Tummala, ed., Administrative Systems Abroad. University Press of America, 1982.

“Legislative Recruitment in Canada and Israel: Some Cross-National Comparisons,” International Review of History and Political Science 18 (1981): 30-51.

“The Effects of Electoral Systems Upon Behavior of Members of a National Legislature: The Israeli Knesset,” Journal of Constitutional and Parliamentary Studies 14 (1980): 305-318.

“Political Socialization and Political Interest in Israeli and Canadian Legislators: A Comparative Examination,” Political Science Review 19 (1980): 361-383.

“Political Consciousness and Political Events: A Study of Israeli and Canadian Members of Parliament,” Political Science 31 (1979): 89-107.

“Coalition Behavior and Cabinet Formation: The Case of Israel,” (co-author) Comparative

Political Studies 8 (1975): 200-231.

Professional Papers and Presentations:

“Civic Democracy in Palestine: A Six Part Workshop,” presentations to groups in Ramallah and Jerusalem, sponsored by the *Palestinian Academic Society for the Study of International Affairs*, July, 2005.

“The Liberal Arts and International Education,” presented at a joint meeting “Intellectual Leadership in the Liberal Arts,” of the American Conference of Academic Deans and Phi Beta Kappa, held at the College of Charleston, October, 2003.

“*Close the 49th Parallel*, Revisited: Canadian-American Relations Into the 21st Century,” presented at the biennial meeting of the Southwest Association of Canadian Studies, Denton, TX, February 2003.

“Enlarging International Perspectives on Campus: Bringing the Study Abroad Experience Home,” presented at the annual meeting of the Association of American Colleges and Universities, Seattle, January 2003.

“Reclaiming International Studies: How Can Our Campuses Benefit from Off-Campus Programs?” presented at the annual meeting of the Association of American Colleges and Universities, New Orleans, January 2001.

“Democratic Government, Legislatures, and Constitutionalism,” presented at a meeting organized by the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association, Weston House, Sussex, U.K., February, 1999.

“Governmental Gridlock in Advanced Industrial Societies: The Case of Israel,” presented at The Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., August, 1997.

“The Quebec Referendum A Year Later: Some Perspectives and Evaluation,” presented at the meeting of the American Council for Québec Studies, Québec City, Québec, October, 1996.

“Parliamentary Government Without the Parliamentary Model: The Direct Election of the Prime Minister in Israel in a Comparative Perspective,” presented at “Israel in Comparative Perspective: The Dynamics of Change” at the University of Cal., Berkeley, September 1996.

“A Theory of Constitutionalism and Palestinian Constitutional Development,” presented at a special seminar of the Palestinian Academic Society for the Study of International Affairs, Jerusalem, May, 1996.

“The 1995 Quebec Referendum: Canadian Federalism, National Unity, and the Future of Canada,” presented to the Israeli Association of Canadian Studies, Jerusalem, May, 1996.

“Domestic Politics, Israeli Security, and the New Order in the Middle East,” presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, August, 1995.

“Canada and the Caribbean: Political Commonalities and Convergences,” presented at a meeting of the Canadian Foundation for the Americas, the University of the West Indies, and the North-South Center of the University of Miami, Port of Spain, Trinidad, June, 1994.

“Canada in the Caribbean: Relations with the Caribbean Commonwealth Countries,” presented at the Biennial Conference of the Association for Canadian Studies in the United States, New Orleans, November, 1993.

“Provincial Behavior in Foreign Policy: Limits in a Federal Framework,” presented at Laval University, Québec, the Québec Centre for International Relations, May, 1993.

“Canadian Foreign Relations Policy with Developing Nations,” presented at the Southern Center for International Studies series on Canada, Atlanta, November, 1992.

“Québec and Foreign Policy: Overseas Options for a Province in a Federal System,” presented at the Meeting of the American Council of Québec Studies, Montréal, Canada, November, 1992.

“Legislatures and Parliamentary Democracy,” presented at the “World Symposium on Democracy” sponsored by the Government of Québec, Québec City, Québec, September, 1992.

“Canada's Evolving Relations with the Caribbean Commonwealth Countries,” presented at a Workshop titled “Canada's Role in the Hemisphere: Setting the Agenda,” sponsored by the North-South Center, University of Miami, and the Canada-Latin America Forum, North-South Institute, Ontario; Miami, March, 1992.

“Israel's Coalition Government in the Gulf Crisis,” presented at the Meeting of the Middle East Studies Association, Washington, D.C., November, 1991.

“Small Democracies and Legislative Behavior in the Caribbean,” presented at the Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, Tampa, November, 1991.

“Legislative Policymaking and Social Justice: The Case of Small Democracies,” presented at the Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, Atlanta, November, 1990.

“Academic Relations as International Relations: The Case of Canada.” Keynote Paper of the First Meeting of the Chinese Association of Canadian Studies and the International Council of Canadian Studies, Beijing, China, July, 1990.

“Canadian Federal and Provincial International Academic Relations: A Comparative Examination,” presented at the Meeting of the Association for Canadian Studies in the United States, San Francisco, November, 1989.

“Foreign Policy and the Role of International Academic Relations, 1945-1985: The Canadian Example,” presented at the Meeting of the Association for Canadian Studies in the United States, Montreal, October, 1987.

“Contemporary Problems in Canadian Federalism: Federalism and Constitutional Reform,”

presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington D.C., August, 1986.

“The Political Dimensions of the State Crisis in Canada,” presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, New York, September, 1981.

“Political Socialization in Quebec: The Roots of ‘Sovereignty-Association’,” presented at the Conference of the Association for Canadian Studies in the United States, Washington, D.C., September, 1979.

“Legislative Influence in Israel's Knesset: A View from the Inside,” presented at the Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., September, 1979.

“*Pathways to Parliament* Revisited: The Canadian Commons and the Israeli Knesset,” presented at the Midwestern Political Science Meetings, Chicago, April, 1979.

“Legislative Recruitment in Canada and Israel: Some Cross-National Comparisons,” presented at the Western Political Science Association Meeting, Portland, Oregon, March, 1979.

“Proportional Representation and Israeli Legislative Behavior: A Case Study,” presented at the Southwestern Political Science Association Meetings, Houston, April, 1978.

“Political Parties and Recruitment of Legislators in Israel: Pathways to a National Legislature,” presented at the Western Political Science Association Meetings in Los Angeles, March, 1978.

“Political Socialization and Political Awareness of Legislators in Israel and Canada: A Comparative Analysis,” paper presented at the Western Political Science Association, San Francisco, April, 1976.

GRANTS, HONORS, AND FELLOWSHIPS FOR PERSONAL SCHOLARSHIP:

- 2007 Named *Senior Specialist* under the Fulbright Senior Scholars Program.
- 2005 Seminar on Civic Engagement, Jerusalem/Ramallah, *Palestinian Academic Society for the Study of International Affairs*
- 2000 U.S. Information Agency *U.S. Speakers Program Grant*, Speaker in Moldova
- 1998 U.S. Information Agency *U.S. Speakers Program Grant*, Speaker in Belarus
- 1997 U.S. Information Agency *U.S. Speakers Program Grant*, Speaker in Spain
- 1996 U.S. Information Agency *U.S. Speakers Program Grant*, Speaker in Albania
- 1996 Visiting Professor, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
- 1996 Visiting Professor, Tel Aviv University
- 1996 Visiting Scholar, *Palestinian Academic Society for the Study of International Affairs*, Jerusalem
- 1994 International Council for Canadian Studies *Programme for International Research Linkages* Research Grant, 1994-1995
- 1993 U.S. Information Agency *U.S. Speakers Program Grant*, Speaker in Mauritania, Liberia, Ivory Coast, and Senegal
- 1992 Government of Québec, Québec Studies Grant
- 1992 Government of Canada, Faculty Research Grant

- 1992 Government of Israel, Travel Grant (to Jerusalem)
- 1991 National Council on U.S.-Arab Relations, Malone Fellowship for Arab and Islamic Studies, Travel to United Arab Emirates and Bahrain
- 1990 Peoples' Republic of China, Chinese Association for Canadian Studies Scholar
- 1989 Academy of Sciences of the U.S.S.R. Institute for U.S.A. and Canada Visiting Scholar
- 1988 Government of Canada, Faculty Research Grant
- 1988 Fulbright Research Grant Recipient, American Republics: Bahamas, Barbados, Dominica, Grenada, St. Kitts-Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Trinidad and Tobago
- 1986-8 Visiting Professor of Canadian Studies, Duke University Canadian Studies Center
- 1986-8 Organization of American States Research Grant; research in seven Caribbean nations
- 1985 Government of Canada, Faculty Research Grant
- 1984-5 Visiting Scholar, Commonwealth Parliamentary Association Headquarters Secretariat, Palace of Westminster, London
- 1984 Government of Canada, Faculty Enrichment Grant
- 1983 Bush Foundation Scholar in Residence [Canadian Politics], Bemidji State College, Bemidji, Minn.
- 1981 Government of Canada, Faculty Enrichment Grant
- 1975-6 Canadian Studies Fellow, Duke University. Ph.D., Duke University
- 1974-5 Fulbright-Hays Dissertation Research Fellow [year in Israel]
- 1972 B.A. cum laude, Oberlin College

ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIVITY:

Earlham College Administrative Activities:

Academic Dean, Vice President for Academic Affairs, and Professor of Politics, 2007-

Kalamazoo College Administrative Activities:

Provost, 1997-2007

University of Mississippi Administrative Activities:

Chair, Department of Political Science, 1990- 1997
Director, Office of International Affairs, 1991- 1997
President, Faculty Senate, 1994-1995

University of Vermont Administrative Activities:

Director, International Studies Program, 1988 - 1990
Associate Director, Canadian Studies Program, 1987 - 1990
Political Science Department Director of Undergraduate Studies, 1987-1988
Vice President, Faculty Senate, 1988-1990
American Assembly Conference (co-chair): Canada and the United States (1986)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Great Lakes Colleges Association Working Group on Campus Climate (Diversity), 2000-
Great Lakes Colleges Association Working Group on International Education, 1999-
Great Lakes Colleges Association Dean's Council, 1997- ; Chair, 2003-2005

Executive Director, *Southern Political Science Association*, 1994-1997

Editor, M.E. Sharpe *Series in Comparative Politics*, 1993-1997

Book Reviews *published in* the American Political Science Review, the Journal of Politics, the Canadian Journal of Political Science, the American Review of Canadian Studies, the International Journal of Middle East Studies, Shofar, the Journal of Church and State, the Middle East Studies Association Bulletin, and The American Historical Review, *inter alia*..

Manuscripts *reviewed for* Journal of Politics, American Review of Canadian Studies, Comparative Political Studies, Comparative Politics, Legislative Studies Quarterly, Canadian Journal of Political Science, International Journal of Middle East Studies, Shofar, Quebec Studies, *inter alia*.

Book manuscripts reviewed for: State University of New York Press, Wayne State University Press, University Presses of Florida, and Columbia University Press, among others

Member, Advising Panel for Dushkin Publishing, Annual Editions: Comparative Politics 1990-99

Member, Editorial Board, *Israel Studies Bulletin*, 2000-

Member, Editorial Board, Shofar: An Interdisciplinary Journal of Jewish Studies, 1995-

Member, Editorial Board, International Journal of Canadian Studies, 1992-1995

Association for Israel Studies: President, 1991 – 1993; Vice-President, 1989 – 1991; Secretary-Treasurer, 1987-89; Editor, Association for Israel Studies Newsletter, 1986-87, 89-91.

Association for Canadian Studies in the United States: President, 1997-1999; Vice President, 1995-1997 (Program Chair, 1997 ACSUS Annual Meeting, Minneapolis); Secretary-Treasurer, 1993-1995; Councillor, 1993-1995

Member, Executive Committee, Southeast Council for Canadian Studies, 1991-1994

Member, Executive Committee, Committee on Viable Constitutionalism, 1992-

Member, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Accreditation Team for Columbia College for Women 2001 Reaccreditation Process

Member, New England Association of Schools and Colleges Accreditation Team for the University of Rhode Island 1987 Reaccreditation Process

Professional Associations:

American Political Science Association
Israel Studies Association
Assn. for Canadian Studies in the United States

Committee on Viable Constitutionalism
Midwest Jewish Studies Association
International Assn. of Canadian Studies

COURSES TAUGHT:

At Earlham College

The Middle East Peace Process

At Kalamazoo College

Doing Political Science Research (POLS 235)
Israeli Politics in the Middle East (POLS 340)
The Political Novel (POLS 435)

At the University of Mississippi:

Comparative Politics (POL 221)
Political Methodology (POL 251)
Israeli Politics (POL 327)
Canadian Politics (POL 328)

The Political Novel (POL 398)
Comparative Legislative Behavior (POL 617)
Seminar in Comparative Political Analysis (POL 619)
Seminar in Comparative Federalism (POL 699)

At the University of Vermont:

Comparative Politics (PSCI 71)
Canadian Political System (PSCI 173)
The Israeli Political System (PSCI 178)
The Political Novel (PSCI 196)

Comparative Legislative Behavior (PSCI 273)
Comparative Federalism (PSCI 273)
Comparative Justice and Policymaking (PSCI 294)

At Metropolitan State College:

Intro to American Politics (PS 111)
Survey of Politics (PS 201)
The American Presidency (PS 231)
Public Opinion (PS 384)

The American Legislative Process (PS 351)
Religion and Political Violence (PS 390)
Methods of Political Science (PS 401)

At Duke University:

Introduction to American Politics (PS 11)
The Political Novel (PS 124)
American Legislative Behavior (PS 146)
Political Behavior (PS 200)