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Name: Anthony O. Edmonds

Department Affiliation and Rank: Professor of History
Department of History
Ball State University

Degrees Earned (Year): Ph.D. Vanderbilt University, 1970
M.A. Vanderbilt University, 1966
B.A. Yale University, 1962 (Honors)

Specialties: Recent U.S.
Popular Culture
Sports
America and Vietnam

Experience (Dates):

George and Frances Ball Distinguished
Professor of History, Ball State
University, 2005-present
Assistant, Associate, Full Professor,
History, Ball State, 1969-2005.
Instructor of History, University of
Tennessee-Nashville, 1967-69.
Graduate Assistant (Teaching Fellow),
History Department, Vanderbilt
University, 1965-68.
Instructor (Latin, English, History),
Montgomery Bell Academy, Nashville,
TN, 1962-64.

Publications/Papers/Presentations:

A. Books:

Daily Dose of Knowledge, history consultant and contributor
(Chicago: West Side Publishing, 2008).

Dailey Dose of Knowledge: History, contributor (Chicago:
Westside Press, 2008).

Chronicle of the West, caption writer (Chicago: Legacy Press,
2007).

Muhammad Ali (Westport CT: Greenwood, 2006).

The Fifties Chronicle, primary caption writer (Chicago: Legacy Press, 2006).

The Correspondence of Harold Macmillan and Dwight Eisenhower, edited with E. Bruce Geelhoed (London and New York: Palgrave-Macmillan, 2005).

The Sixties Chronicle, primary caption writer (Chicago: Legacy Press, 2004).

Images of Sports: Ball State University Men's Intercollegiate Basketball, 1918-2003, with C. Warren Vander Hill (Chicago: Arcadia Press, 2004).

Conversations Across Generations Carrying On, co-editor (Muncie: Ball State University, 2003).

Eisenhower, Macmillan, and Allied Unity, 1957-61, with E Bruce Geelhoed (London and New York: Palgrave-Macmillan, 2003).

Ball State University: An Interpretive History, with E. Bruce Geelhoed (Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2001).

The War in Vietnam (Westport, CT: Greenwood Press, 1998).

Instructor's Manual for Irwin Unger, These United States, 3rd, 4th, 5th 6th ed. (Englewood Cliffs: Prentice-Hall, 1986, 1989, 1992, 1995).

A Resource Guide for Teaching the Vietnam War (Pittsburgh: Center for Social Studies Education, 1992).

Instructor's Manual for Norman Risjord, America, 1st, 2nd ed. (Englewood Cliffs: Prentice-Hall, 1984, 1988).

Joe Louis(Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1973).

B. Chapters in Books:

"Joe Louis," in Out of the Shadows: A Biographical History of the African American Athlete, ed. by David Wiggins (Fayetteville: University of Arkansas Press, 2006).

"Fighting the War in the Heart of the Heart of the Country: Anti-War Protest at Ball State University (with Joel Shrock), in The Vietnam War on Campus: Other Voices, More Distant

Drums, ed. by Marc Jason Gilbert (Westport: Greenwood Press, 2001).

"Vo Nguyen Giap" and "Vietnam War, 1968 -1975" in Reader's Guide to Military History, ed. by Charles Messenger (London: Fitzroy Dearborn, 2001).

"Joe Louis" and "Michel Jacobs," in Encyclopedia of Ethnicity and Sports in the United States (Westport: Greenwood Press, 2000).

"Forrest Gump" and "Muhammad Ali," in War and American Popular Culture (Westport: Greenwood Press, 1999).

"Stephen Ambrose," in Encyclopedia of Historians and Historical Writing (London: Fitzroy-Dearborn, 1999).

"Muhammad Ali," "Jack Johnson," and "Joe Louis," in African American Sports Greats: A Biographical Dictionary (Westport, CT: Greenwood, 1995).

"John F. Kennedy" and "Lyndon B. Johnson" in The St. James Guide to Biography (Chicago: St. James Press, 1991).

"Joe Louis," "Mike Jacobs," "Muhammad Ali," in David L. Porter, ed., Biographical Dictionary of American Sport (Westport: Greenwood, 1989).

"Sport, Myth and Ritual," in Conspectus of History, IX (Cambridge, 1983).

"Mike Jacobs," in Supplement to Dictionary of American Biography, (New York: Scribner's, 1977).

"Men and Myth: The Biographical Subject as Cultural Symbol," in Conspectus of History, I (Cambridge, 1975).

"The 1950's: The Roots of Our Discontent," in Joe Mammola, ed., Silhouettes on the Shade (Muncie: Ball State University, 1973).

C. Articles and Poems:

"Anthony Powell's Americans: Louis Glober—the American Magnate as Likable Guy, More or Less," *Secret Harmonies: The Journal of the Anthony Powell Association*, No. 2 (October 2007), 33-36.

"Anthony Powell's London," with Joanne Edmonds. *Proceedings*, 2005 Biennial Meeting of the Anthony Powell Society (London,

2007).

"*The Only Alternative: Even Muncie Had an Underground Press*," Vietnam War Generation Journal, Vol. 2, no. 2 (August 2002), 104-110.

"On Going to Vietnam: May 1994," Vietnam War Generation Journal, Vol. 1, no. 2 (August 2001), 83-85.

"Taiwan: Written on a Visit to Vietnam, May 1994," The Griffin, Vol.1, no. 1 (1999).

"Digging a Hole and 'Burning' a Dog: The Anti-Vietnam War Movement at Ball State University Ends not with a Bang but a Woof," Odin: A Journal of War, Vol. 1, no. 1.

"Searching for the Liberal Center: Frank Church and Allard Lowenstein," Peace and Change, 21, no. 2 (April 1996), 221-227.

"Teaching Historical Research Methods to Undergraduate History Majors at Ball State University," OAH Council of Chairs Newsletter, no. 41 (October 1994), 8-14.

"The Viet Nam War and the British Student Left: A Study in Political Symbolism," Viet Nam Generation 5, nos.1-4 (1994), 81-84.

"The Tet Offensive and Middletown: A Study in Contradiction," Viet Nam Generation 5, nos. 1-4 (1994), 119-122; reprinted in The Tet Offensive, ed. by Marc Jason Gilbert and William Head (Westport, CT: Praeger, 1996), 135-142.

"The Teaching Portfolio: An Idea Whose Time Has Come?" Faculty Development, Vol. 5, no. 3, Spring 1992, 1.

"Teaching Portfolios," OAH Council of Chairs Newsletter, June 1991, 4-5.

"The Evaluation and Reward of Teaching," OAH Council of Chairs Newsletter, December 1989, 8-10.

"'Middletown,' Vietnam, and the Turning Point of 1954," Proceedings of the Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences, 1987, 57-64.

"A Community Reacts to Social Science," Proceedings, Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences, 1985, 87-92.

"Is The Grading of AP Essay Exams Fair to All Concerned? A

Response to Critics," American Historical Association, Perspectives, September 1984, 30-31.

"Popular Music in the 1950's and the Contemporary American Family," in Indiana Social Studies Quarterly, Autumn 1980, 93-100.

"Blue Collar Aristocrats: A Review Essay," in Old Northwest, Winter 1976, 424-28.

"Myths and Migrants: Images of Urban and Rural Life in Country Music," Indiana Social Studies Quarterly, Winter 1975-76, 67-72.

"The Second Louis-Schmeling Fight: Sport, Symbol, and Culture," Journal of Popular Culture, Summer 1973, 42-50. Reprinted in Janet Harris and Roberta J. Parks, eds., Play, Games, and Sports in Cultural Contexts (Champaign: Human Kinetics, 1983).

D. Editorships:

Guest Editor, Organization of American Historians' Council of Chairs Newsletter, no. 41 (October 1994).

Editorial Board, Popular Culture Association/American Culture Association Internet Network, 1994-.

Editor, Proceedings of the Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences, 1979-83.

Editorial Board, Journal of Sport History, 1979-83.

Editorial Board, Forum, 1974, 1984-90.

E. Abstracts of Articles:

"Marshall Smelser, 'The Babe on Balance,' American Scholar, Spring 1975, 299-304," in Journal of Sport History, Fall 1975, 172-73.

"`The Golden Age of Cycling,' Chicago History, Summer 1967, 97-108," in Journal of Sport History, Fall 1975, 177-78.

F. Book Reviews:

Since coming to Ball State in 1969, I have written more than

200 book reviews for such journals as American Historical Review, Choice, Reprint Bulletin, Library Journal, Michigan History, The Journal of Sport History, H-Net, and The Indiana Magazine of History. I see no point in listing them all here.

G. Papers/Professional:

"Iris Murdoch's *The Bell* and the Modern Western Family," biennial conference Iris Murdoch Society biennial conference, Kingston University, London, September 2008.

"A Walk through Literary Bath," 2007 Biennial Conference of the Anthony Powell Society, Bath, UK, September 2007.

"Anti Vietnam War Demonstrations and Britain in 1968," paper delivered at the Rothermere American Institute, Oxford, fall 2006.

'Ludwig Leferrier and Tin O'Brien: Moral Muddles in Opposing the Vietnam War," delivered at the biennial conference of the Iris Murdoch Society, Kingston University, London, September 2006.

"`Dear Friend' and `Dear Harold': Personal Relations and Foreign Policy in the Time of Harold Macmillan and Dwight Eisenhower," paper accepted to be presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the History of American Foreign Relations, Lawrence, Kansas, June 2006. Not presented because of emergency surgery

Invited participant and co-presenter with Bruce Geelhoed. "Prime Minister Macmillan and Dwight Eisenhower," at "The United States and Great Britain: The Legacy of Churchill's Atlantic Alliance," an international conference held at the Howard Baker Center for Public Policy, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, March 2006.

Co-presenter with James Ruebel and Joanne Edmonds, "Teaching Integrated Freshman Honors Courses," Midwest Regional Honors Meeting, University of Cincinnati, February 2006.

Co-Presenter with Joanne Edmonds, "Walking Anthony Powell's London," accepted for presentation at biennial meeting of the Anthony Powell Society, London, December 2005 (not delivered because of a death in the immediate family).

Co-presenter with James Ruebel, Joanne Edmonds, and four Ball State Honors College students, "Becoming More Human Through Honors Humanities," annual meeting to the National Collegiate

Honors Council, St. Louis, November, 2005.

Co-presenter with Joanne Edmonds and Cheri Bove, "Teaching Iris Murdoch and John Bayley in the University Classroom," Iris Murdoch Society Annual Meeting, London, September 2004.

Co-presenter with Joanne Edmonds and Cheri Bove, "Teaching the Novels of Anthony Powell in the University Classroom," biennial conference of the Anthony Powell Society, Oxford, England, April 2003.

Chair of Session and Panelist, "Conversations Across the Generations and Centuries," Association of Liberal and General Studies annual meeting. Louisville, October 2002 and at National Collegiate Honors Council Annual Meeting, Salt Lake City, November 2002.

"The British Anti-Vietnam War Movement," seminar at the David Bruce Centre for American Studies, Keele University, October 2001.

Participant, Poetry and Prose Reading, Annual Meeting, Popular Culture Association, New Orleans, April 2000.

Discussant, "Community, Place, and the Environment, Annual Meeting, Great Lakes American Studies Association, Youngstown, April 2000.

"Teaching Empathy in the Honors Classroom," Annual Meeting, National Collegiate Honors Council, Orlando, October 1999.

"The Historiography of the Vietnam War," Annual Meeting, Mid-America History Association, Springfield, Missouri, September 1999.

"Kent State and Ball State: Two Campuses in Conflict," Annual Meeting, Popular Culture Association, San Diego, April 1999.

"The Ghosts and Spirits of Vietnam," Annual Meeting, Mid East Honors Association, Ann Arbor, March 1999.

"Digging a Hole and Burning A Dog: The End of the Anti-Vietnam War Movement at Ball State University," Annual Meeting, Popular Culture Association, Orlando, 1998.

"The Only Alternative: Even Muncie, Indiana, Had an Underground Press," Annual Meeting, Popular Culture Association, San Antonio, March 1997.

"Sports in Regional and National Life," Annual Meeting. Mid East Honors Association, Cleveland, March 1997.

Discussant, "Sports and Ethnicity," Annual Meeting, Great Lakes American Studies Association, Oxford, Ohio, March 1997.

Discussant, "Crossing Borders in U. S. Foreign Policy," Session at Indiana Association of Historians Annual Meeting. Franklin College, February 21-22, 1997.

"Muncie, Indiana, and the End of the Conflict In Viet Nam, 1975," Annual Meeting, Popular Culture Association, Las Vegas, arch 22-26, 1997.

Discussant, "Football and Public Meaning," session at Southern Historical Association Meeting, New Orleans, November 1995.

"Digging a Hole and 'Burning' a Dog: The Ball State University Viet Nam Antiwar Movement Ends not with a Bang but with a Woof," Viet Nam Generation Sixties Conference, Western Connecticut State University, October 1995 (Paper accepted and written but not delivered because of illness. Given later at another conference).

"The Theme Parks of Viet Nam," Annual Meeting, Popular Culture Association, Philadelphia, April 1995.

Session Chair, "My Three Vietnams," Annual Meeting, Popular Culture Association, Philadelphia, April 1995.

"Creative Honors Theses," with Stephen Riga, National Collegiate Honors Council Meeting, San Antonio, October 27-29, 1994.

"Middletown and the Gulf of Tonkin: A Turning Point That Failed to Turn," Sixties Generation Conference, Danbury, Conn., November 3-6, 1994.

Session Chair, "Town and Gown Relations: Ball State University and Muncie, Indiana, During the Vietnam War Era," Annual Meeting, Popular Culture Association, Chicago, April 1994.

"Town and Gown Under Stress: The Ball State Antiwar Movement and the Muncie Community," Annual Meeting, Popular Culture Association, Chicago, April 1994.

Session Chair, "The Teaching Portfolio," American Historical Association annual meeting, San Francisco, January 6-9, 1994.

"Opposing the War in the Heart of the Heart of the Country: The Antiwar Movement at Ball State University," The United States and Viet Nam: From War to Peace, Conference,

University of Notre Dame, December 2-4, 1994.

"Tet and Middletown: A Study in Contradiction," Vietnam Generation 1960s Conference, George Mason University, March 1993.

"Using Family History in Honors Courses," and "Faculty Advising and the Honors Theses," National Collegiate Honors Council Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, October 1992.

"The October 1968 London Anti-Vietnam War Demonstration," Popular Culture Association, Louisville, March 1992.

Session Chair, "Opponents of the Vietnam War," Popular Culture Association, Louisville, March 1992.

"New Resources for Teaching the Vietnam War," National Council for Social Studies, Washington, D.C., November 1991.

Commentator, "American Diplomacy," Mid-America History Conference, Springfield, Missouri, September 1991.

"Teaching Portfolios," Lilly Conference on College Teaching, Miami University, November 1991.

"March 17, 1968, and the British Antiwar Movement," Popular Culture Association, March 1991, San Antonio, Texas.

Commentator, "The United States Government and War," Southwestern Social Science Association, San Antonio, Texas, March 1991.

Session Chair, History Section, Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences, Bloomington, October 1990.

"Vietnam and the British Student Left: A Study in Political Symbolism," Popular Culture Association, Toronto, March 1990.

"The British Press and the TET Offensive," Midwest Popular Culture Association Meeting, East Lansing, October 1989.

Session Chair, History Panel, Annual Meeting of the Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences, DePauw University, October 1989.

"American Blood Becomes American Light: Two Recent Fictional Views of the Vietnam War," presented with Marjorie Smelstor, Popular Culture Association Annual Meeting, St. Louis, April 1989.

"Faculty Advising from a Faculty Perspective," National Association of Academic Advisors, Midwest Regional Meeting, Columbus, Ohio, March 1989.

Session Chair, "Literature and History," Duquesne History Forum, Pittsburgh, October 1988.

"Middletown, Vietnam, and the Posture of Ambiguity," Vietnam '88 Conference, University of Wales, Swansea, March 1988.

"Teaching Vietnam," Indiana Association of Historians Conference, South Bend, March 1988.

"General Studies: A Student Perspective," Association of Liberal and General Studies Conference, Cincinnati, October 1987.

"Vietnam: An Historiographical Perspective," Advanced Placement Seminar, Princeton, June 1987.

"The Editorial Eye: Political Cartoons and the Vietnam War," Great Lakes History Conference, Grand Rapids, April 1987.

"The Origins of the Anti-War Movement in 'Middletown'," Popular Culture Association Meeting, Montreal, March 1987.

Moderator of Session on "Vietnam: The Homefront," Popular Culture Association Meeting, Montreal, March 1987.

Commentator, Bill Wiggins, "The Image of Joe Louis in Editorial Cartoons," Sports and Leisure Conference, Indiana University-Purdue University, Indianapolis, March 1987.

"Vietnam: A Multidisciplinary War," Duquesne History Forum, Pittsburgh, October 1986.

"Vietnam and 'Middletown'," Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences, Evansville, October 1986.

"Vietnam in the Social Studies Classroom," Popular Culture Association Meeting, Atlanta, April 1986.

"Middletown: A Community Created by Social Science," Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences Meeting, October 12, 1984.

"American Studies from an International Perspective," European American Studies Conference, Paris, April 1982.

Commentator, "Race and Ethnicity in American Sports,"

Organization of American Historians, San Francisco, April 1981.

"American Studies, Secondary Education, and the International Perspective," American Studies Association, Memphis, October 1981.

"American Studies and Secondary Students," Ohio-Indiana American Studies Association, Muncie, May 1980.

"American Studies and Secondary Schools," Chesapeake Bay American Studies Association, Baltimore, April 1980.

Commentator, "The Horatio Alger Myth," Ohio-Indiana American Studies Association, Richmond, Indiana, April 1979.

"American Studies and Social Studies," National Council for the Social Studies, Portland, Oregon, November 1979.

"American Studies in the Secondary Schools," American Studies Association, Minneapolis, October 1979.

"Sport and Myth," North American Society for Sports History, College Park, Maryland, May 1978.

"American Studies and Secondary Education," Indiana College English Association, Greencastle, Indiana, October 1978.

"Heavyweight Champion as Race Hero," Organization of American Historians, Atlanta, April 1977.

"Black Boxer in a White World," Organization for the Study of Afro-American Life and History, Chicago, October 1976.

"Sport and Leisure in American Life," International Leisure Symposium, Ball State, May 1975.

"`Longing for Old Virgini' or 'Where Are the Snows of Yesteryear?'" Committee for the Advancement of Early Studies, Ball State, October 1975.

"The Problems of Sports Biography," North American Society for Sports History, London, Ontario, May 1974.

"Sports Heroes and Anti-Heroes," Popular Culture Association, Indianapolis, April 1973.

"The Second Louis-Schmeling Fight," Northern Illinois-Wisconsin American Studies Association, Madison, Wisconsin, April 1972.

H. Lectures/Off-Campus:

Featured address at the weekly meeting of the Muncie Kiwanis Club honoring outstanding high school students, May 2005.

"The War in Afghanistan and the War in Vietnam: Lessons Learned and Not Learned," Plenary Address, European American Studies Conference, Bordeaux, France, March 2002.

"Experiencing the Impact of 9/11 Abroad: My Fall Semester in England," Keynote Address, Annual Dinner, American Museum of Vice-Presidents, Huntington, IN, February 2002

"The Current Crisis in American Foreign Policy," Staffordshire Foreign Policy Association, Keele University, UK, December 2001.

"America and 9/11," Panel Discussion, School of Politics, International Relations and the Environment, Keele University, UK, November 2001.

Closing Address, "The Professional Portfolio," Association for School, College, and University Staffing Annual Conference, November 1992.

"The Power of General Studies," Buck Foundation Faculty Development Conference, St. Cloud University, October 1992.

Keynote Address, Bush Faculty Development Conference, Minneapolis, February 1992.

"America's Military Role in Foreign Affairs," Symposium for Tomorrow's Leaders, Indianapolis, December 1991.

"Teaching about the American Labor Movement: An Interdisciplinary Approach," Muncie Rotary Club, November 1991.

"A Nation of Nuts: Americans as Sports Fanatics," Luncheon Address, Society of Travel and Tourism Educators, Indianapolis, October 1991.

"Sports and Skinny Kids," Muncie Exchange Club, October 1991.

"Evaluation and Reward of Teaching," Renaissance Group, Birmingham, Alabama, February 1991.

"Sports and Children," Logansport, IN, Rotary Club, May 1990.

"The Arms Race," Society of Women Accountants, December 1986.

"America and Russia," Optimist Club, October 1986.

"The Cold War," Lions Club, March 1986.

"Vietnam and High School Classes," WERK Radio, November 1986.

"The Ambiguity of Vietnam," "Ball State Today," WIPB, July 1986.

"The Burden of American Education," Westminster College, Oxford, Oct. 1985.

"The Arms Race," The Pinecrest School, Fort Lauderdale, Fla., March 1985.

"Liberal Education and College Freshmen," address, College Planning Meeting, Fort Wayne Snider High School, October 1984.

"Muncie and Middletown: A Comparison," address, National American Studies Institute, Tufts University, July 1984.

"Arms Control," address at Westminster College, Oxford, May 1984.

"Liberal Education in The United States," address at Westminster College, Oxford, May 1984.

"Politics and Middletown," address before The Institute for American Studies, Tufts University, February 1984.

"Vietnam: A Television History," address, McKinley Junior High School, Muncie, January 1984.

"American Studies and High School Students," Northern Illinois University, October 1983.

"Annual American Studies Lecture," Baylor University, April 1982.

"One Hundred Hoosier Houses," Marion, Indiana (May 1976) and Portland, Indiana (August 1976).

"Aurora in Historical Perspective," Aurora, Indiana, May 1976.

"Black Response to White Racism," Unitarian Church, Muncie, summer 1975.

"The Future of American Politics," Closing Lecture, Robert Taft Institute for Politics and Government, Southern Illinois University, June 1974.

Lectures and Presentations/On Campus:

Keynote Address, Golden Key Honorary initiation ceremony, October 28, 2007.

"How I Became a Historian," Ball State University History Club, September 18, 2007.

Keynote Address, Alpha Lambda Chi Honorary initiation Ceremony, spring 2007

Keynote address at a meeting of Indiana Higher Education Human Resources Personnel, Ball State, April 2005.

Keynote Address, Golden Key Initiation Ceremony, November 2004.

Keynote Address, Freshman Convocation, August 2004.

"Remembering Ball State," presentations at 50th reunions of Ball State Classes of 1949, 1950, 1951, and 1952, Ball State Alumni Center, June 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002.

"Ball State Basketball and the Majerus Aberration: What Price Glory?" Presentation at Friday Luncheon Forum, E.B. and Bertha Ball Center, February 21, 1997.

"Ball State Then and Now: October 23, 1955, and October 23, 1995," Ball State Student Affairs Staff Meeting, October 23, 1995.

"On Going to Vietnam," Saturday Morning Before the Game Presentation," Ball State, September 24, 1994.

"Ball State and the Muncie Community," Town and Gown Presentation, Ball State, March 1994

"Writing the History of Ball State: Problems and Prospects," Friends of Bracken Library, Ball State, November 1993.

"Ball State in Historical Perspective," Ball State Development Council, November 1993.

"Reading and Working," Staff Development Council, Ball State, September 1993.

"Keeping the Faith: Books, the Truth, and Videotapes," Opening Address, National Association of Academic Advisors, Annual Great Lakes Regional Meeting, Ball State, March 1993.

Keynote Address, Ball State Blue Key Initiation, March 1992.

"Presentation Skills," Alpha Phi Omega State Meeting, March 1992.

"American Families Middletown Families," USIA Visiting Teachers Group, Ball State, March 1992.

"Teaching with Technology," Ball State Foundation Philanthropy Committee, May 1991.

"Tocqueville, the Tyranny of the Majority, and Dissent in Time of War," Indiana Academy of Science, Mathematics, and Humanities Symposium Series, February 1991.

Panelist, "Gender Roles in Academic Culture," History Department Symposium, March 1990.

"Introduction to Midnight Express," Lafollette Film Forum, July 1989.

Discussion Leader, "Beauty Reading Groups," September 1988-April 1989.

"A Civilian Looks at the Army," BSU ROTC Honors Day Featured Speech, February 1989.

Moderator, "Paul Kennedy's Vision of Power," E.B. Ball Center, October 1988.

"Communication and Leadership," BSU Student Leadership Board Keynote Address, February 1989.

"The Carnegie Report on Undergraduate Education," Center for Teaching and Learning Lecture Services, Ball State, September 1987.

"Business and Muncie," 4th Annual Conference on International Economic Development, Ball State, August 1987.

"General Studies and College Education," Ball State Faculty

Advisor Workshop, April 1987.

"Introduction" to film, "The Electric Valley," May 1987.

Address, "Vietnam in Fact, Fiction, and Film," BSU Asian Studies Committee, February 1986.

"Introduction to Giant," LaFollette Film Forum, July 1985.

"Business in Middletown," International Conference on Business Development, Ball State, July 1985.

"Opening Address," International Conference for Business and Economic Development, Ball State, July 1984.

"The Arms Race," lecture, Honors College, Evening Seminar, February 1984.

"Introduction to Go Tell The Spartans," LaFollette Film Series, Summer 1982.

"Introduction to Bang the Drum Slowly," LaFollette Film Series, Summer 1981.

"Sport, Myth, and History," History Department Lecture Series, Spring 1981.

"Introduction to Man-in-the-Moon Marigolds," LaFollette Film Series, Summer 1980.

"American Documents," panelist and consulting humanist for six presentations of Great American Documents, a public forum funded by the Indiana Committee for the Humanities and the Poynter Center, April, May, June 1976.

"Country Music and City Planning," Ball State Design Seminar, College of Architecture, April 1976.

"Rock and Rebellion," Sociology Club Lecture, February 1976.

"General Studies and the Ball State Freshman," Ball State Continuing Education Conference, November 1976.

"The Ultimate (?) Lecture," Faculty Seminar, Ball State University, October 1976.

"Introduction to Sunrise at Campobello," LaFollette Film Series, Summer 1975.

"The Jocks," Psi Society Lecture, May 1975.

"Men and Myth: The Biographical Subject as Cultural Symbol,"
History Department Lecture Series, May 1974.

"Introduction to The Wild Ones," LaFollette Film Series,
Summer 1973.

"Introduction to Honors Film Festivals," 1970-71.

Grants, Fellowships, Institutes, Service to Profession:

A. Grants:

Rothermere American Institute, Oxford University, October
2006, travel grant, \$400

With Allison Garrels, Phi Kappa Phi Literacy Grant, April
2006, \$2,500 (with \$2,600 in matching funds from Ball
State).

The Government of France, support for Great Lakes American
Studies Association meeting, spring 2003, \$2,100.

Virginia B. Ball Center for Creative Inquiry, Fellowship,
Spring 2002, \$52,500.

John W. Fisher Faculty Research Fellowship in American
Politics, 1997-98, \$3,000.

Travel Grant, Study Abroad in Oxford Program, Summer 1998,
International Programs, Ball State University, \$1,000.

Scholarship Grant, Viet Nam Study Abroad Field Trip,
International Programs, Ball State University, April 1994,
\$750.

Travel Grant, Viet Nam Study Abroad Field Trip,
International Programs, Ball State University, February
1994, \$2,000.

Ball State General Studies Program, Travel Grant, January
1994, \$100.00.

Ball State Center for Teaching and Learning, Travel Grant,
January 1994, \$401.00.

Ball State Center for Middletown Studies, Travel Grant,
December 1993, \$250.00.

Title VIII Cooperative Education Grant, Summer 1989, \$3,000.

Title VIII Cooperative Education Grant, Summer 1988, \$4,500.

"Research Associate for a Day." Ball State Office of Research, October 1987, \$50.

Ball State Alumni Association Travel Grant, April 1987, \$1,000.

Indiana Committee for the Humanities, "Middletown Views Vietnam," \$927, October 1983 - February 1984.

National Endowment for the Humanities/International Communications Agency, \$123,000 Grant for The American Studies Curriculum Project, Associate Director, 1981-82; Director 1982-85.

National Endowment for the Humanities, \$225,000 Grant for The Project for American Studies in the Secondary Schools, Co-director, 1979-81.

American Studies Association, \$5,000 Grant for Conference on American Studies in the Secondary Schools, Philadelphia, Spring 1979.

Ball State Foundation Summer Research Grant, 1973.

B. Workshops:

"America and the Vietnam War." The Ohio River Teaching American History Project. Madison, Indiana, July 29-August 1.

"The Teaching Portfolio," David Lipscomb University, August 1995.

"The Teaching Portfolio," University of Detroit Mercy, August 1995.

"The Teaching Portfolio," Southwest Missouri State University, January 1994.

"The Teaching Portfolio," United States Coast Guard Academy, August 1993.

"Using and Judging Teaching Portfolios," Appalachian State University, May 1993.

"Using and Judging Teaching Portfolios," Stephen F. Austin

State University, February 1993.

"Using and Judging Teaching Portfolios," University of Wisconsin, Whitewater, January 1993.

"Creating Faculty Portfolios," York College, New York, September 1992.

"Using and Judging Teaching Portfolios," Murray State University, February 1992.

"Teaching Recent U.S. History," St. John's School, Houston, Texas, June 1990.

"Teaching Advanced Placement U.S. History," College Board Midwestern Regional Office, Chicago, March 1990.

"Teaching Vietnam in the Social Studies Classroom," Saturday Special Workshop, BSU School of Continuing Education, May 1987.

American Studies Curriculum Workshop, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, Summer 1981, Associate Director.

"American Studies as a Tool," Phoenix, Arizona in-service workshop for secondary teachers, April 1980, Director.

"American Studies and Secondary Students," in-service workshop for secondary teachers, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, November 1980.

"American Studies and Secondary Teachers," in-service workshop for secondary teachers, Newark, Ohio, February 1980, Director.

Project for American Studies in the Secondary Schools, summer workshops, Ball State, 1979-1980, Co-director.

"Student Activism in the 1960's," Fortville, Indiana, in-service workshop for secondary teachers, November 1970.

C. Institutes:

Evaluator, American Studies Programs, Ransom-Everglades School, Miami, Fla., March 1985; Carlisle Sr. High School, Carlisle, Pa., April 1985; Lebanon Catholic High School, Lebanon, Pa., April 1985; Model Lab School, Eastern Kentucky University, May 1985.

U.S. History Director, Advanced Placement Institute,

Michigan State University, March 1985.

Evaluator, Tufts University National American Studies Institute, July 1984.

Invited Participant, "New Modes of Historical Inquiry," sponsored by IUPUI and NEH, September 1984 - May 1986.

Evaluator, Tufts University American Studies Institute, Follow-up Conference, February 1984.

Invited Participant, "Symposium on Biography," IUPUI, January 1984.

Evaluator, Summer Institute in American Studies, Tufts University, July 1983.

Participant, National Science Foundation Institute, "Technology and Arms Control," University of Dayton, April 1983.

History Director, Advanced Placement Institute, Purdue University, March 1983.

C. Consultancies:

Referee, Moss, America in the Twentieth Century, Pearson, 2006.

Referee, Waller, "History of Butler University," Indiana University Press, 2003.

Referee, Gray, "History of IUPUI," Indiana University Press, 2002

Referee, Olson and Roberts, Where the Domino Fell, 2nd ed., St. Martins, 1994.

Referee, Gagnon and Marshall, A History of the Western World, McGraw-Hill, 1993.

Referee, Boyer, The United States Since 1945, D. C. Heath 1992.

Referee, Graebner, True Stories, McGraw-Hill, 1993.

Referee, Unger, American Documents, Prentice-Hall, 1992.

Consultant and Member, U.S. History Test Development Committee, National Association of Educational Progress Governing Board, 1992-2000.

Consultant, Center for Social Studies Education Vietnam Curriculum Project, 1987-90.

Section Leader, Advanced Placement American History Reading, Educational Testing Service, May-June, 1987-1998.

National Test Development Committee, College Board History and Social Studies Achievement Tests, 1987-90.

Program Evaluator, History Department, Christopher Newport College, 1986.

Referee for John Dobson, A History of American Enterprise, Prentice-Hall, 1986.

Referee for Jeff Sammons, Heavyweight Prizefighting in Modern America, University of Illinois Press, 1986.

Consultant, Indiana Department of Education, summer 1986.

Consultant, U.S. History Advanced Placement Exams, Princeton, N.J., 1981-83; 1985-1998.

Consultant, Prentice-Hall, 1985.

Consultant, Houghton-Mifflin, Inc., 1984-85.

Consultant, National Endowment for the Humanities, Younger Scholars Program, 1984-89.

Consultant, National Endowment for the Humanities, Media Division, 1979-89.

Consultant, Reprint Bulletin, 1978-90.

Consultant, Wall Street Review of Books, 1980-88.

Consultant, Addison-Wesley Publishers, 1982-83.

Consultant, Random House, 1983.

Consultant, Little-Brown, 1977.

Significant Service Performed:

A. New Courses Developed:

1. During the summer of 2001, along with Joanne Edmonds, James Ruebel, and Erin McMullen, I developed a multidisciplinary

humanities/history seminar for the Virginia B. Ball Center for Creative Inquiry at Ball State. For fifteen weeks twelve freshmen, four seniors, and we four faculty members from the Honors College at Ball State joined with five members of the Muncie community in a project called "Conversations across the Generations and Centuries." The name of the seminar reflects our desire to bring together four "generations"—freshmen, seniors, faculty, and local citizens--for an intellectual immersion experience. We spent these three months pursuing two major goals: to use major texts from world literature and family history to illuminate what it means to be human and to learn how these works continue to create meaning for our lives. We read and watched all or parts of more than 100 books and films, listened to guest presentations, discussed in large and small groups, hashed out ideas in one-on-one tutorials, even traveled to London for nine days to "track" some of the people and places from our reading. The freshmen and seniors wrote journals about their reading (as well as the London trip). The freshmen composed ten weekly essays, which they discussed with faculty members in individual tutorials. Seniors designed guided tours for the trip to London. Seniors and community mentors led small group discussions, called clusters. As the first "culmination" of this seminar, the freshmen designed family artifact displays and the clusters created four group projects presented to the Muncie community at the Minnetrista Cultural Center in April 2002.

For the four faculty members, the course was as intensive a teaching experience as we have ever had. We read a great deal of material, some of us for the first time in thirty years. And because of the enormous talent and enthusiasm of the students and community members we needed to read with great care. We enjoyed watching the freshmen grow in confidence and skill as the semester progressed. We delighted in seeing the senior mentors reevaluate material they had read before and grapple with the test of leading small discussion groups. London was a revelation: faculty, students, and community mentors were charmed and challenged by a world capital infused with literary and historical resonance. We were proud of the splendid presentations at the end of the course. But above all, we relished the constant intellectual interplay as we read, thought, talked, and wrote.

Growing out of the seminar, I co-edited a book, "Conversations across Generations Carrying On." At its heart are the twelve freshmen and four seniors, each of whom has chosen sample of journal entries and essays from the course. We have organized their writing chronologically, following the major works included in the syllabus. Students, in effect, have a conversation on paper as they respond in different ways to the texts that we all read. The journal entries range from rambling

and philosophical to direct and concise, while essays include both traditional analyses and more innovative responses to the texts. Although these words account for only a small part of what the students wrote, we think they exemplify their intelligence and engagement. Growing out of this experience, I have team taught two similar integrated courses in the Honors College, spring 2003 and fall 2004.

2. During the summer of 1998, I developed a "dream course" on the History of College Students in the United States as part of a University Teaching Fellowship award.

3. During first summer session 1994, I took a group of twenty students and faculty on a two-week Field Study Trip to Viet Nam. In addition to keeping a journal of their trip, students wrote an extensive paper comparing their experience to that of other Americans who have gone to Viet Nam.

4. During the fall of 1993, Honors College senior Steve Riga and I developed an Honors Colloquium on "The Media and the Vietnam War." We taught it during spring semester 1994. Mr. Riga wrote his Honors Thesis under my direction on the process of developing, teaching, and evaluating the course.

5. In the spring of 1992, I developed a "dream" course on the Vietnam and Persian Gulf Wars as part of the University Teaching Professorship award.

6. Along with Neil Palomba, Dean of the College of Business, I developed an interdisciplinary Honors Colloquium on the American Labor Movement. It was first taught in the spring of 1991.

7. In the spring of 1989, I developed an Honors Colloquium on the History of Beauty.

8. In the summer of 1987, I developed a course on "Foreign Images of the United States" for the Elderhostel Program. In the fall of 1985, I developed a new course on "British Images of America" for the Ball State/Westminster College Student Exchange Program.

9. In the summer of 1985, I developed a course on "American-Soviet Relations" for the Elderhostel Program.

10. In 1983-84, I developed a television course based on the PBS Documentary, Vietnam: A Television History. It was offered through the School of Continuing Education.

11. In the summer of 1984 I developed a course on "Sports in

America" for the Elderhostel Program.

12. In 1982, I created a course on America and Vietnam. Taught as HIST 499, it combined lecture, discussion, film, and guest speakers. In 1994, the course became an official one in the Department (History 301).

13. In 1981, I developed a graduate course on the same topic.

14. In 1977, I helped develop a course in business history, along with Professors Chase, Mitchell, and Geelhoed of the History Department.

15. Along with Marvin Gray (Physical Education), I created an interdepartmental course, Introduction to Sport in American Life (ID 205). Centering on the historical, social, psychological, and economic aspects of athletics in twentieth century America, it was first offered in the winter quarter, 1975-76.

16. Along with Joe Trimmer (English) and Tom Koontz (English), I created an American Studies Workshop for middle and secondary school teachers. Offered during the first summer session, 1976 and 1977 it examined the interrelationships among twentieth century American history, fiction, poetry, and folklore. There was special emphasis on showing teachers how they might incorporate an American Studies approach into their own courses.

17. Along with Joanne Edmonds, I created a summer study course called "Americans and Other Aliens in Oxford" as part of a three week Honors College program in the United Kingdom. We have taught the course six times since 1996.

B. University Responsibilities:

Coordinator, Keele University-Ball State Exchange Program, 1992-2000; 2005-.

Member, University Teaching Professor Selection Committee, 1988-90.

Acting Coordinator of General Studies, 1987-88.

Coordinator, Academic Honors in Writing Program, 1986-.

University General Studies Liaison, 1986-87.

Director of Academic Orientation, 1985-.

Director, Ball State/Westminster College Student Program,

Fall 1985.

Since 1974, I have represented the Provost's office at Freshmen Orientation. I have spoken to more than 100,000 students and parents about the General Studies Program at Ball State.

C. University Committees and Councils:

Whitinger Scholarship Selection Committee, 1998-

Jack Kemp Cooke Scholarship Selection Committee, 2007-

Goldwater Scholarship Selection Committee, 2007-

Rhodes/Marshall Scholarship Selection Committee, 2007-08.

Admission and Credit Committee, 2002-2004 (Chair)

Department Representative, Academic Affairs Council, 2002-2005.

Chair, University Judicial Committee, 1999-2001.

University Governance Committee, 1999-2000

Chair, Institutional Climate Task Force, North Central Evaluation, 1992-93; member of Task Force, 1993.

Ad Hoc Committee on Course Repetition Policy, Spring 1990.

Ad Hoc Committee on Summer School, 1988.

Undergraduate Education Committee, 1987-88.

Academic Policies Council, 1987-88.

Director of Academic Assessment Search Committee, 1987.

Ad Hoc Committee on General Studies Semester Conversion, 1987.

Ad Hoc Committee on Course Availability for Freshmen, 1987-88.

Chair, Academic Policies Council, 1986-87.

Executive Board, Value Added Advisory Committee, 1986-87.

University Orientation Committee, 1985-.

Teacher of the Year Selection Committee, 1986-87.

BSU Faculty Representative, "Outcomes Assessment Conference," Nashville, TN, March 1987.

Chair, University Evaluation and Reward of Teaching Task Force, 1987-88.

University Senate, 1999-2001; 1986-87; 1971-76.

Chair, Quality in Undergraduate Teaching Video Committee.

Acting Chair, Department of Speech Communication, Spring 1986.

Infrastructure Task Force, 1986-88.

Honors in Writing Task Force, 1986.

Honors Director Search Committee, 1986.

Honors College Transition Committee, 1986.

Advisory Committee on National Teacher Exchange, 1986.

First Year Experience Committee, 1986-.

General Studies Subcommittee, 1986-88.

Westminster Faculty Selection Committee, 1986.

Westminster College Student Exchange Program Director Selection Committee, 1986.

College Representative, University Senate, 1985-86.

Task Force on University College, 1984-5.

Westminster College Advisory Committee, 1984-88.

Liberal Arts Subcommittee, 1975-78.

Professional Policies Council, 1975-77 (vice-chair, 1975-76).

Committee on Committees, 1974-75.

Honors Subcommittee, 1973-74.

D. Departmental Responsibilities:

Primary Departmental Advisor, 1996-

Department Chair, 1988-92.

Graduate Committee, 1993-95; 1988-92; 1978-81; 1973-76
(Chair, 1978-79).

Promotion and Tenure Committee, 2002-2003, 2000-2001, 1998-99; 1997-98; 1994-95; 1993-94; 1988-92; 1986-88; 1982-84, 1979-81, 1974-76, 1970-71 (Chair, 1979-80).

Honors Committee, 1996-, 1988-92, 1987-88, 1973-76, 1970-73
(Chair, 1973-75, 1970-71).

Library Committee, 1988-92.

Administrative Assistant, 1984-88.

Ad Hoc Salary Committee, 1983-84.

Advisory Committee, 2002-2005, 1984-92, 1978-79, 1976-77, 1972-73.

Undergraduate Programs Committee, 1994-96; 1984-92, 1975-78
(Chair, 1976-77).

Ad Hoc Evaluation Committee, 1974-75.

Representative at Acquaintance Days, 1970-76.

Representative at Summer Orientation, 1974.

Coordinator, Department Honors Banquet, 1969-71.

Guest Speaker Committee, 1970-71.

Other Notable Honors:

Visiting Research Fellow, Rothermere American Institute, Oxford, UK, fall 2006.

Special Assigned Leave, fall 2006, spring 1995, fall 1975.

Alpha Omicron Pi Sorority (Ball State Chapter), Award from Commitment to Outstanding Teaching, 2005-2006.

Lawhead Award for Outstanding Contributions to the Core Curriculum, 2004-2005

Outstanding College/University Teacher Award, 2002-2003,
Association for General and Liberal Studies.

Visiting Professor of American Studies, Keele University
(U.K.), fall 2001.

Permanent Fellow, David K. Bruce Centre for American
Studies, Keele University, 2002-.

Warren Vander Hill Award for Outstanding Honors Teaching,
1998-99

Outstanding Faculty Advisor, 1996-97.

Nominated for C. Warren Vander Hill Award for Outstanding
Honors Teaching, 1994-95; 1995-96; 1997-98.

Ball State's "Exemplary Teacher," AAHE Forum on Exemplary
Teaching, April 1992.

University Teaching Professor, 1991-92, 1996-97.

Finalist, University Teaching Professorship, 1988-90, 2004-
05.

Awarded two Undergraduate Fellows, 1993-94; 1984-85; one
fellow, 1986-87.

Named Faculty Associate, Center for Middletown Studies,
1985-.

Visiting Lecturer, Westminster College, Oxford, Spring 1984.

Board of Directors, Indiana Academy of the Social Sciences,
1979- 83; 1987-90.

Executive Board, Great Lakes American Studies Association,
1982-84.

Whiting Lecturer, April 1982; March 2002.

Outstanding Teaching Faculty Award, 1982.