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I. ARTICLES, BOOK CHAPTERS, AND INVITED PAPERS:

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IV. Awards

Senior Teacher of the Year, Wheaton College, 1995-1996.

Distinguished Scholar Award, Association of Private Enterprise Education, 2002.

Senior Scholarship Achievement Award, Wheaton College, 2002-2003.

V. ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

Visiting Lecturer: Purdue University,

Fall Semester, 1969

Visiting Asst. Professor Montana State University,

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VI. ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

B.S. 1964 Montana State UniversityPh.D. 1970 University of Chicago