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Curriculum Vitae

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Education

Brooklyn College. B.A., 1945
University of Wisconsin. M.A., 1946
Stanford University. Ph.D., 1950
Major field of study: Clinical Psychology
Minor fields of study: Sociology and Physiology

Professional Experience

Mendota Veterans Administration Hospital, Mendota, Wisconsin. Clinical Psychology Intern, 1946-47.

Palo Alto Veterans Administration Hospital, Palo Alto, California. Clinical Psychology Intern, 1948-50.

Stanford Child Guidance Clinic, Stanford University. Trainee in Clinical-Child Psychology, 1948-50.

Langley Porter Clinic, University of California School of Medicine, San Francisco, California. Assistant Research Psychologist, 1950-54.

Institute of Personality Assessment and Research, University of California, Berkeley. Assistant to Associate Research Psychologist, 1952-57.

Social Science Research Council Summer Institute on Mathematics for the Social Sciences, Stanford University, 1955.

Department of Psychology, University of California, Berkeley. Associate Professor, 1957-62; Professor, 1962-1991; Professor Emeritus, 1991 - to date.

Social Science Research Council Summer Institute on Computer Simulation of Cognitive Processes, RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, 1958.

Institute of Human Development, University of California, Berkeley. Research Psychologist, 1960-65; 1994-to date.

Institute for Social Research, Oslo, Norway. Research Associate, 1963-64.

Yale-Harvard-Florence Project, Florence, Italy. Research Associate, 1972-73.

University of Melbourne, Melbourne, Australia. Visiting Professor, May-July 1983.

The Henry Murray Research Center, Radcliffe College, Cambridge, Massachusetts. Visiting Scholar, December 1986-May 1987.

Research Experience

University of California, San Francisco. Research on Communication Patterns and Psychotherapy (with Jurgen Ruesch and Gregory Bateson), 1950-53.

Palo Alto Medical Research Foundation. "An Investigation of the Parents of Schizophrenic Children" (with Don D. Jackson, Jeanne H. Block, and Virginia Patterson) NIH Grant M-719, 1954-55.

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University of California, Berkeley. Institute of Personality Assessment and Research program research on the assessment of effective functioning, the assessment of medical students, and the assessment of creative writers, 1952-57.

University of California, Berkeley. Institute of Personality Assessment and Research. NIH research grant for the study of affective responsiveness and affective appropriateness, 1955-57.

University of California, Berkeley. Institute of Human Development and the Psychology Department. NIH research grants for the longitudinal study of personality development and the antecedents of character, 1960-69. NSF research grant for conducting an assessment of longitudinally followed subjects as they reach age 30, 1995-1998.

University of California, Berkeley. Department of Psychology. NIMH research grant MH-16080 for a longitudinal study of ego and cognitive development in young children (with Jeanne H. Block), 1968-1973; renewed 1973-1977; renewed 1977-1980; renewed 1980-1986; renewed 1986-1991; renewed 1993-1997.

University of California, Berkeley. Department of Psychology. NIH Maternal and Child Health Research grant to study survival skills in young children (with Jeanne H. Block and Ditsa Kafry), 1977-1980.

University of California, Berkeley. Department of Psychology. Grant from the W. T. Grant Foundation for the study of parent-child interaction (with Jeanne H. Block), 1979-80. A second grant from the W. T. Grant Foundation was awarded for 1986-1987.

Professional Society Memberships

American Psychological Association

American Psychological Society

Society for Research in Child Development

International Society for the Study of Behavioral Development

Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues

Psychometric Society

European Association of Personality Psychology

Society for Life History Research

Society of Multivariate Experimental Psychologists

Sigma Xi

American Association for the Advancement of Science

Professional Offices: APA Council Representative, Division 7, American Psychological Association, 1977-80.

Member, Committee on Personality, Division 8, APA, 1976-1979.

President, Society of Multivariate Experimental Psychology, 1981.

Special Honors and Awards

Buckel Fellow, Stanford University, 1948.

Social Science Research Council Summer Fellow, 1954 and 1958.

Foundation Fund for Research in Psychiatry Fellowship, 1960.

National Institute of Mental Health Special Research Fellowship, 1963-64.

Appleton-Century-Crofts Award for the book, *The Challenge of Response Sets*, 1965.

Hofheimer Prize for Research, American Psychiatric Association.

Honorable mention for the book, *Lives Through Time*, 1971.

Phillips Visitor, Haverford College, March 1976.

Elected to Fellow Status, American Psychological Association (Fellow in Divisions 1, 5, 7, 8, and 9).

James McKeen Cattell Fellow, 1978 - 1979.

Scholar-in-Residence, Rockefeller Foundation Study Center, Bellagio, Italy, May 1979.

Recipient of a succession of NIMH and other research grants, 1955 - continuing.

Henry A. Murray Award for 1985, Division of Personality and Social Psychology, American Psychological Association.

Humphrey Fellowship, Ben-Gurion University, Israel, December 1987.

G. Stanley Hall Award for 1990, Division of Developmental Psychology, American Psychological Association.

Social Policy Award for 1990-1992 of the Society for Research on Adolescence for my research on drug usage.

Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science

Professional Activities (partial accounting only, since 1970):

Editorial Board, *Multivariate Experimental Psychology*, 1976-1980; Chairman, 1978-79. Editorships refused: *Personality Section of Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 1980 and 1985; *Journal of Research in Personality*, 1978.

Nominations refused: for President, Western Psychological Association, 1987; for President, Division 8 (Personality and Social Psychology), American Psychological Association, 1988; Division 5 (Psychometric Society), American Psychological Association, 1991.

Consulting Editor, *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 1970-75, 1987 - 1991; *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*, 1977 - 1983?; *Psychological Review*, 1983 - 1988?; *Psychosomatic Medicine*, 1966-72; *Psychological Inquiry*, 1990 - continuing; *Journal of Research on Adolescence*, 1990 - continuing; *Journal of Research on Personality*, 1994-continuing.

Manuscript Reviewer, *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology* (all three sections), *Psychosomatic Medicine*, *Psychological Review*, *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*, *Child Development*, *Psychometrika*,

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Developmental Psychology, Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, Merrill-Palmer Quarterly, Journal of Educational Psychology, Psychological Bulletin, Review of Educational Research, American Psychologist, Perceptual and Motor Skills, Monographs of the Society for Research in Child Development, Multivariate Behavioral Research, Journal of Research in Personality, American Journal of Education, Journal of Personality, Psychological Bulletin, Journal of Experimental Psychology, Journal of Research on Adolescence, Psychological Inquiry; International Journal of Behavioral Development; Psychological Science.

Research Review Activities (*partial accounting*)

Member, National Institute of Mental Health Personality and Cognition Research Review Committee, 1966-70.

Ad Hoc Research Reviewer, National Science Foundation, The Grant Foundation, Canadian Research Council, Foundation for Child Development, NIMH Clinical Projects Research Review Committee, NIMH Clinical Research Branch, others.

Research Consultant: To various research projects, both local and nation-wide. (Partial listing - University of Minnesota; SUNY at Stony Brook; Children's Hospital Medical Center, Boston, Massachusetts; Los Angeles Neuropsychiatric Clinic, University of California Medical School, Los Angeles, California; University of Denver; US Forest Service; United Nations; Rand Corporation; MacArthur Foundation), William T. Grant Foundation.

Chairman, National Institute of Mental Health Cognition, Emotion and Personality Research Review Committee, 1982 - 1985.

Member, ADAMHA Planning Committee for the Conference on Statistical Concepts and Methods in Longitudinal Studies, 1981.

Special Program Development Consultant, NIMH Center for the Study of Child and Adolescent Psychopathology, 1981.

Member, Science Advisory Committee, Henry Murray Research Center for the Study of Lives, Radcliffe College, Cambridge, Massachusetts, 1990-continuing.

Conference, Public Lecture, and Forum Participation (partial accounting only, and dating from 1970):

Invited participant, NIMH Conference on Early Childhood, Harvard University, November 1970.

Invited Colloquium, University of Chicago, April 1970.

Invited participant, NIMH Conference on Issues Involved in the Study and Rehabilitation of a Sensorily Disadvantaged Child, Children's Hospital, Los Angeles, February 1971 and May 1971.

Conference organizer and participant, NIMH Conference on Developmental Aspects of Self-Regulation, La Jolla, California, February 1972.

Invited participant, Conference on Life-Span Developmental Psychology: Personality and Socialization, West Virginia University, May 1972.

Invited participant, Workshop on Multidimensional Scaling, Bell Laboratories and University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, June 1972.

Invited participant, NIMH Conference on Children at Risk: The Search for the Antecedents of Schizophrenia, Dorado Beach, Puerto Rico, October 1972.

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Invited Participant, Psychological Research Institute, University of Milan, Italy. Working conference on Research in Family Structure and Personality Development, May 1973.

Invited participant, NATO Advanced Study Institute on Stress and Anxiety in Modern Life, Murnau, Germany, June 1973.

Invited colloquium, University of Waterloo, Canada, December 1974.

Invited colloquium, Stanford University, Stanford, California, April, 1975.

Invited participant, Social Science Research Council Conference on Affective Development, New York, New York, May 1975.

Invited participant, Conference on the Society for the Study of Life History and Psychopathology, University of Rochester, New York, May 1975.

Invited participant, International Symposium on Interactional Psychology, Saltsjobaden, Sweden, June 1975.

Invited participant, NATO Conference on Dimensions of Anxiety and Stress, Oslo, Norway, July 1975.

Invited participant, American Psychological Association Symposium on The Future of Personality Measurement, sponsored by Divisions 5, 8, 12, 7, 15, 17, and 22, Chicago, Illinois, September 1975.

Invited colloquium, Frank Porter Graham Child Development Center, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina, October 1975.

Invited as Phillips Distinguished Visitor, Haverford College, March 1976.

Invited participant, NIMH Conference on Research in Early Adolescence, Washington, D.C. May 1976.

Invited colloquium, Stanford University, Stanford, California, January 1977.

Invited colloquium, University of California, Riverside, California, January 1977.

Invited talk, Society of Experimental Social Psychologists, Los Angeles, California, November 1977.

Invited as Distinguished Visitor in Personality Psychology, University of Texas, Austin, Texas, November 1977.

Invited participant, Conference on Early Social Development, Zentrum fur interdisziplinare Forschung, University of Bielefeld, Bielefeld, West Germany, May 1978.

Invited talk, Explorations - '78, a conference to honor the 40th anniversary of the publication of Explorations in personality by Henry A. Murray and his colleagues, Michigan State University, November 1978.

Invited talk, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, March 1979.

Invited participant, Symposium on The Situation in Psychological Theory and Research, Lovik, Stockholm, Sweden, June 1979.

Invited participant, Symposium on Continuity and Discontinuity between Behavioral Variables at Different Ages of Life, International Society for the Study of Behavioral Development, University of Lund, Lund, Sweden, June 1979.

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Invited colloquium, Stanford University, Stanford, California, February 1981.

Invited speaker, Ciba Foundation Symposium on Temperamental differences in infants and young children, London, England, September 1981 (unable to participate because of family illness).

Invited participant, International Conference on Personality Development from a person-environment interaction perspective, Stockholm, Sweden, June 1982.

Conference organizer (together with Dan Olweus) and participant, International Conference on Development of Antisocial and Prosocial May, June and July, Behavior, Voss, Norway, July 1982.

Invited colloquia, University of Melbourne, Melbourne, Australia, May, June and July 1983.

Invited colloquium, Institute of Child Education, Melbourne, Australia, June 1983.

Invited colloquium, Monash University, June 1983.

Invited colloquium, University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia, June 1983.

Invited colloquium, Sydney University, Sydney, Australia, June 1983.

Invited colloquium, Macquarrie University, Sydney, Australia, June 1983.

Invited colloquium, Laboratory of Developmental Psychology, National Institute of Mental Health, Bethesda, Maryland, October 1983.

Invited participant, Social Science Research Council Conference on Selfhood in Life-Course Perspectives, October 1985.

Invited colloquium, University of Waterloo, Waterloo, Canada, February 1986.

Invited speaker, Festschrift for Leona Tyler, University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon, March 1986.

Invited speaker, Radcliffe Center for the Study of Lives, Cambridge, Mass., January 1987.

Invited speaker, Department of Psychology, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts, March 1987.

Invited speaker, Department of Psychiatry, Harvard Medical School, Boston, Massachusetts, March 1987.

Invited participant, Conference on the Diagnosis of Temperament, University of Bielefeld, Bielefeld, West Germany, September 1987.

Invited lecturer, University of Stockholm, Stockholm, Sweden, September 1987.

Invited lecturer, University of Bergen, Bergen, Norway, September 1987.

Invited lecturer, Ben-Gurion University, Beer-Sheva, Israel, December 1987.

Invited MillerComm public lecturer, University of Illinois, February 1988.

Invited speaker, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, October 1989.

Invited speaker, University of California, Davis, February 1990.

Invited speaker, University of California, Santa Cruz, February 1990.

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Invited lecturer, MacArthur Summer Training Seminar on Developmental Psychopathology, Center For Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford, California, August 1990.

Invited speaker, Boston Psychoanalytic Society and Institute, October 1990.

Invited participant, Special Colloquium on Child & Adolescent Mental Disorders Research: Problems and Prospects for the 1990's, National Institute of Mental Health, Rockville, Maryland, November 1990.

Invited speaker, University of Michigan, March 1991.

Central participant, special conference on "Lives Through Time: Assessment and Theory in Personality Psychology from a Longitudinal Perspective," sponsored by the American Psychological Association, the Henry A. Murray Research Center of Radcliffe College, and the Center for Family Studies of the University of California at Riverside, Palm Springs, November 1991.

Invited participant, special conference on Fostering Resilience, sponsored by the Institute for Mental Health Initiatives and the National Institute of Mental Health, Washington, D.C., December 1991.

Invited speaker, University of California at Riverside, February 1992.

Invited speaker to Max-Planck Institute for Psychological Research Conference on the Longitudinal Study on the Genesis of Individual Competencies. Ringberg Castle, Tegernsee, Germany, July 1994

Participant in various NIMH conferences and workshops on depression (March 1994), studying the individual course of behavior (November 1994), etc.

Invited speaker at Wik's Castle Symposium: Developmental Science and the holistic approach; A symposium followed up at the Swedish Royal Academy of Sciences, May 24-28, 1997.