

CURRICULUM VITAE

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PRESENT POSITION:

Associate Professor of Classics and Philosophy, Grinnell College, 1990—
Assistant Professor, 1984-1990.

EDUCATION:

M.A., Ph.D. in Classics, University of Cincinnati, 1976, 1989.

M.A., Ph.D. in Philosophy, Emory University, 1971, 1975.

A.B. (Honors), *summa cum laude*, Classics and Philosophy,
Xavier University, 1970.

DISSERTATIONS:

Classics: *Motivational Conflict from Homer to Plato: A Study of Language and Imagery*. Prof. Bernard C. Fenik, Director.

Philosophy: *Plato's Theory of Human Motivation*.
Prof. John P. Anton, Director.

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION:

Greek and Roman Psychological and Ethical Thought
Plato

AREAS OF GENERAL COMPETENCE:

Greek and Roman Philosophy and Intellectual History
Greek and Latin Literature
History of Philosophy

TEACHING AT GRINNELL COLLEGE:

Classics: Homer, Greek Drama, Plato, Greek Prose Composition,
Cicero, Lucretius, Review of Latin, Latin Prose Composition,
Humanities 101 (Greek Literature in Translation), Senior Seminar.

Philosophy: History of Ancient Philosophy, Greek Ethics and Moral Psychology,
Ancient and Mediaeval Political Theory, Philosophy of Plato,
Introduction to Logic, Introduction to Philosophy.