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Education: **Master of Divinity**, University of Notre Dame, May, 1987.
Ph.D., University of Notre Dame, January, 1980.
M.A., University of Notre Dame, January, 1978.
M.A., University of Queensland, September, 1976.
B.A., University of Queensland, Brisbane, Australia,
1973.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Professor, Department of History, University of Notre Dame, 2007-present

Rev. Robert Randall Distinguished Chair in Christian Culture, Providence College,
Providence, R.I., 2019-20. (Visiting Appointment.)

Chester and Margaret Paluch Chair of Theology, University of Saint Mary of the Lake
(Mundelein Seminary), Mundelein, IL, 2013-14. (Visiting Appointment.)

Associate Professor, Department of History, University of Notre Dame, 1992-2007

Visiting Fellow, International Security Studies Program, Yale University, 2004-05

Faculty Fellow, Institute for International Peace Studies, University of Notre Dame,
1990-1993.

Assistant Professor, Department of History, University of Notre Dame, 1988-1992.

Visiting Fellow, History Department, Yale University, 1989-90.

Adjunct Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of History, University of Notre Dame, 1986-1988.

North American Analyst, Office of National Assessments, Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet, Canberra, Australia, 1980-1982. (Analysis and research on contemporary developments in international relations.)

UNIVERSITY, PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE:

Member, International Board of Advisors of the PM Glynn Institute, Australian Catholic University, 2018-

Member, International Advisory Board, Christopher Dawson Center for Cultural Studies, Hobart, Tasmania, Australia, 2015-

Member, Advisory Board, St. Benedict Elementary School, Natick, Massachusetts, 2014-2022

Member, Academic Board of Reference, Clements Center for History, Strategy and Statecraft, University of Texas at Austin, 2013-

Member, Selection Committee, Harry S. Truman Book Award, 2010-18

Member, Board of Governors, University of Notre Dame Australia, Fremantle, Australia, 1999-2016.

Director of Studies, Indiana Province, Congregation of Holy Cross, 2006-14.

Member, Honesty Committee, College of Arts and Letters, Notre Dame, 2010-2013.

Member, Selection Committee for Robert H. Ferrell Book Prize, Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations, 2009-2011 – [Chair of Committee, 2011.]

Member, Board of Regents, The University of Portland, Portland, Oregon, 2008-10.

Member, Board of Directors, Harry S. Truman Library Institute, 2007-09.

Rector and Superior, Moreau Seminary, Notre Dame, Indiana, 2000-2004.

Elected Member, Carnegie Council on Ethics and International Affairs, 2000-2003.

Member, Board of Trustees, Stonehill College, North Easton, Massachusetts, 1999-2003.

Elected Councilor, Indiana Province, Congregation of Holy Cross. 1998-2000/2000-03.

Member, Board of Regents, The University of Portland, Portland, Oregon, 1995-2001

Chair, Academic Affairs Committee, 1998-2001

Chair, Department of History, University of Notre Dame, 1993-1998
(ex-officio member, Arts and Letters College Council, University of Notre Dame, 1993-1998)

Elected member of the Executive Council, Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, 1995-1998

Member, Bernath Dissertation Award Committee, SHAFR, 1994-1997; (Chair, 1996-97)

Director of Graduate Studies, History Department, University of Notre Dame, 1991-1993.

Member, Editorial Board, University of Notre Dame Press, 1991-1995.

Elected member, Arts and Letters College Council, University of Notre Dame, 1991-94.

Appointed member, Graduate Council, University of Notre Dame, 1991-94.

Faculty Adviser to Notre Dame's chapter of Phi Alpha Theta (History Honor's Society), 1987-1991.

Book reviewer for The American Historical Review; The Journal of American History; The Historian; The Review of Politics; History; World Review; Business History Review; Catholic Historical Review; America; and Ohio History.

Article referee for the The Review of Politics; Australian Journal of Politics and History; The Journal of Policy History; Diplomatic History and various other journals.

Manuscript evaluator for various University Presses.

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS:

BOOKS

American Priest: The Ambitious Life and Conflicted Legacy of Notre Dame's Father Ted Hesburgh (New York: Image Books, 2019.)

The Most Controversial Decision: Harry Truman, the Atomic Bombs and the Defeat of Japan. (Cambridge and New York: Cambridge University Press, 2011). 174 pp. [A volume in the Cambridge Essential Histories series and published simultaneously in hardcover and paperback editions.]

From Roosevelt to Truman: Potsdam, Hiroshima, and the Cold War. (Cambridge and New York: Cambridge University Press, 2007.) 393 pp. [Paperback Edition in 2008]

George F. Kennan and the Making of American Foreign Policy, 1947-1950. (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1992.) 419 pp.

EDITED BOOK

American Political History: Essays on the State of the Discipline. Edited with John F. Marszalek. (Notre Dame, IN.: University of Notre Dame Press, 1997.) 187 pp.

WORK IN PROGRESS:

Book tentatively entitled "Miles to Go and Promises to Keep: American Catholic Politicians from JFK to Joe Biden."

Book tentatively entitled "The Search For Influence: Catholics and American Foreign Policy from the Spanish-American War to the War with Iraq."

ARTICLES IN REFEREED JOURNALS

"Preaching to His Choir," contribution to a roundtable on Perry Anderson's "American Foreign Policy and Its Thinkers" in *New Left Review* Volume 83 (Second Series) September-October 2013. *Diplomatic History*, Vol. 39, No. 2 (April, 2015), pp. 383-387.

"Roosevelt, Truman and the Development of Postwar Grand Strategy," Orbis: A Journal of World Affairs, Vol. 53, No. 4 (Fall, 2009), pp. 553-70.

"Rejected Architect and Master Builder: George Kennan, Dean Acheson and Postwar Europe," The Review of Politics, Volume 58, No. 3 (Summer 1996) pp. 437-68.

"The Foreign Policy of the Truman Administration: A Post-Cold War Appraisal," Presidential Studies Quarterly, Vol. 24, No. 3 (Summer, 1994), pp. 479-94.

"The Decision to Divide Germany: American Policymaking in 1949," Diplomacy and Statecraft, Vol. 2, No. 2 (July, 1991), pp. 294-320.

"The Limits of American Catholic Anti-Fascism: The Case of John A. Ryan," Church History, Vol. 59, No. 4 (December, 1990), pp. 523-38.

"Thurman Arnold Goes to Washington: A Look at Antitrust Policy in the Later New Deal," Business History Review, Vol. LVI, No. 1 (Spring, 1982), 1-15. [Reprinted in Robert F. Himmelberg, ed., *The New Deal and Corporate Power: Antitrust and*

Regulatory Policies during the Thirties and World War II (New York: Garland Publishing, 1994).

"Harry S. Truman, The Berlin Blockade and the 1948 Election," Presidential Studies Quarterly, Vol. 8, No. 3 (Summer, 1980), 306-316.

"Catholics and American Foreign Policy from McKinley to McCarthy: A Historiographical Survey," Diplomatic History, Vol. 4, No. 3 (Summer, 1980), 223-240.

"George F. Kennan, The Policy Planning Staff and the Origins of the Marshall Plan," Mid America: An Historical Review, Vol. 62, No. 2 (April-July, 1980), 75-89.

"Andrew Johnson and the Election of William G. 'Parson' Brownlow as Governor of Tennessee," Tennessee Historical Quarterly, Vol. 37, No. 3 (Fall, 1978), 308-320.

"Anthony Eden and the Truman-Molotov Conversations, April, 1945," Diplomatic History, Vol. 2, No. 2 (Spring, 1978), 167-180.

"The Evolution of an Internationalist: Harry S. Truman and American Foreign Policy," Australian Journal of Politics and History, Vol. 23, No. 2 (August 1977), 268-283.

BOOK CHAPTERS

"A 'Magna Carta' Still To Be Adopted: Reflections on the Introduction to John Paul II's Apostolic Constitution on Catholic Universities," in Anthony Casamento and Michele Riondino, eds., *Ex Corde Ecclesiae: Retrospects and Prospects* (Sydney: Society of St. Paul for Australian Catholic University, 2022) .

"Maintaining the Light: Don J. Briel, Catholic Studies and the Future of Catholic Intellectual Life in America," in Matthew T. Gerlach, ed., *Renewal of Catholic Higher Education: Essays on Catholic Studies in Honor of Don J. Briel* (Bismarck, ND: University of Mary Press, 2017), pp. 213-222.

"Truman, Hiroshima, and the Morality of the Atomic Bomb," Samuel Walker, ed., *Nuclear Energy and the Legacy of Harry S. Truman* Volume 12 The Truman Legacy Series (Kirksville, MO: Truman State University Press, 2016), pp. 48-61.

"Introduction" to new printing of Robert E. Sherwood, *Roosevelt and Hopkins: An Intimate History* (New York: Enigma Books, 2008 – original edition 1948,1950.), pp. vii-xv.

"The Hiroshima Decision," Richard Dean Burns and Joseph M. Siracusa, eds., *The Politics of Nuclear Weaponry* (Claremont, CA.: Regina Books, 2007), pp. 42-73.

"Francis Cardinal Spellman and 'Spellman's War'," in David L. Anderson, ed., *The Human Tradition in the Vietnam Era*. (Wilmington, DE.: Scholarly Resources, 2000), pp. 3-22.

"Vincent P. DeSantis: Political Historian," in John F. Marszalek and Wilson D. Miscamble, C.S.C., eds., *American Political History: Essays on the State of the Discipline*. (Notre Dame, IN.: University of Notre Dame Press, 1997), pp. 153-167.

Chapter entitled "Progress of the Cold War, 1945-1975," in *Historia Stanow Zjednoczonych (History of the United States)*, Volume V, edited by Donald T. Critchlow and Andrzej Bartnicki and published in Warsaw by the PWN (with assistance from the United States Information Agency), 1995.

"The Origins of the North Atlantic Treaty: Policy Formulation in the Department of State," in Roger J. Bell and Ian J. Bickerton, eds., *American Studies: New Essays from Australia and New Zealand* (Sydney: ANZASA, 1981), 236-256.

INVITED AND COMMISSIONED ESSAYS

"Foreword - Marvin R. O'Connell: Master Historian," in Marvin R. O'Connell, *Telling Stories that Matter: Memoirs and Essays* ed. by William G. Schmitt (South Bend: St. Augustine's Press, 2020), pp. vii-xi.

"George F. Kennan: A Life in the Foreign Service," in The Foreign Service Journal, Vol. 81, No. 2 (February, 2004), pp. 22-34.

"George F. Kennan and the Foreign Policymaking Process," in Miller Center Journal, Vol. 3 (Spring, 1996), pp. 59-66. (This is the revised transcript of the presentation given at the Miller Center, University of Virginia, March 17, 1994.)

"Retrospective Essay" on Dean G. Acheson's Present at the Creation in Reviews in American History, Volume 22, Number 3, September 1994, pp. 544-60.

ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES

Entries on "Dean G. Acheson" and "George F. Kennan" in Timothy J. Lynch, ed., The Oxford Encyclopedia of American Military Diplomatic History (New York: Oxford University Press, 2013.)

Entry on "George F. Kennan, (1904-2005)" in Gordon Martel, ed., The Encyclopedia of War (Online, Wiley-Blackwell).

Entry on "George Frost Kennan," in Arnold Markoe, ed., Scribner Encyclopedia of American Lives Vol. 7 (Detroit: Thomson, Gale, 2007), 298-301.

Entry on "Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C.," in the New Catholic Encyclopedia, Jubilee Volume (Detroit: The Gale Group, 2001), pp. 308-09.

Entries on "Dean G. Acheson" and "George F. Kennan" in Paul Boyer, ed., The Oxford Companion to United States History, New York: Oxford University Press, 2001, p. 5; & p. 418.

Entry on "George F. Kennan" in John Whiteclay Chambers, ed., The Oxford Companion to American Military History (New York: Oxford University Press, 1999), pp. 363-64.

Entry on "George Frost Kennan" in John Mack Faragher, ed., The American Heritage Encyclopedia of American History (New York: Henry Holt and Company, 1998), p. 488.

Entries on "John Fitzgerald Kennedy," "Madaleva Wolff" and "Laetare Medal" in Richard P. McBrien, ed., Encyclopedia of Catholicism (San Francisco: HarperCollins Publishers, 1995.)

Entry on "Harry S. Truman" in Warren F. Kuehl, ed., Dictionary of Internationalists (Westport, Conn.: Greenwood Press, 1983), pp. 725-27.

BOOK AND ARTICLE REVIEWS [Print & Online]:

Review of Evan Thomas, *Road to Surrender: Three Men and the Countdown to the End of World War II* (2023), forthcoming in *Journal of Cold War History*.

Review of D. M. Giangreco, *Truman and the Bomb: The Untold Story* (2023), in *Missouri Historical Review* Vol. 119, No. 2 (January 2024)

Review of Frank Costigliola, *Kennan: A Life between Worlds* (2023), in *Journal of Cold War Studies* Vol. 25, No. 2 (Spring, 2023), pp. 248-250.

Review of Jeffrey Herf's, "The U.S. State Department's Opposition to Zionist Aspirations during the Early Cold War: George F. Kennan and George C. Marshall in 1947-1948," *Journal of Cold War Studies* Vol. 23, No. 4 (Fall, 2021), pp. 153-180, for H-DIPLO, June 8, 2022. <https://hdipl.org/to/AR1115>

Review of Patrick Lacroix, *John F. Kennedy and the Politics of Faith* (2021), in *Church History* Vol. 90, Issue 4, (December 2021), pp. 992-94.

Review of William A. Taylor, ed., *George C. Marshall and the Early Cold War: Policy, Politics, and Society* (2020) in *H-Diplo*, July 2021. <https://www.h-net.org/reviews/showpdf.php?id=56230>

Review of Joseph S. Nye, Jr., *Do Morals Matter?: Presidents and Foreign Policy from FDR to Trump* (2020) in “Roundtable” in *Passport: the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations Review*, Vol. 51, No. 2 (September, 2020), pp. 15-17.

H-Diplo article review on David Mayers’ article “Crossing to Safety from Cold War America: The Collaboration and Friendship of John Paton Davies, Jr. and George Frost Kennan,” published in *Diplomacy & Statecraft* 29:2 (2018): 208-36. *H-Diplo*, Article Review No 840, March 13, 2019.

“Failed Partnerships” Joint Review of Roger Moorhouse *The Devil’s Alliance: Hitler’s Pact with Stalin, 1939-1941* (2014) and Susan Butler *Roosevelt and Stalin: Portrait of a Partnership* (2015). Published in online journal *Education & Culture: A Critical Review* June 2017. <https://thebestschools.org/review/the-devils-alliance/>

Review of Kaeten Mistry, *The United States, Italy and the Origins of the Cold War: Waging Political Warfare, 1945-50*. in *History: The Journal of the Historical Association* [UK], Vol. 100, Issue 343 (January, 2016), pp. 797-98.

Review of Elizabeth Cobbs Hoffman, *American Umpire*. In H-DIPLO Roundtable Reviews <http://h-diplo.org/roundtables/PDF/Roundtable-XV-28.pdf>. Vol. XV, No. 28 (2014) on 31 March 2014 (Roundtable Review—Edited by Jerald A. Combs & Reviewers: Kathleen Burk, Robert Dean, Wilson Miscamble, Joseph Siracusa; and response by Elizabeth Cobbs Hoffman.)

Review of Frank Costigliola, *Roosevelt’s Lost Alliances: How Personal Politics Helped Start the Cold War*, in “Roundtable” in *Passport: the Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations Review*, Vol. 44, No. 2 (September, 2013), pp. 8-21. (Roundtable introduced by Fraser Harbutt with Reviewers: Petra Goedde, William I. Hitchcock, Wilson D. Miscamble, Kimber Quinney; and response by Frank Costigliola.)

Review of John Lewis Gaddis, *George F. Kennan: An American Life*. In H-DIPLO Roundtable Reviews <http://www.h-net.org/~diplo/roundtables> Vol. XIII, No. 24 (2012) published by H-Diplo on 16 April 2012. (Roundtable Review-Edited by Thomas Maddux & Reviewers: Frank Costigliola, David C. Engerman, Hope M. Harrison, Walter Hixson, Robert Jervis, Wilson D. Miscamble.)

Review of Robert J. McMahon, *Dean Acheson and the Creation of an American World Order*, (2009) in *The Historian*, Vol. 73, No. 2 (Summer, 2011), pp. 353-54.

“Truman’s Rhetoric Reconsidered,” Review of Denise M. Bostdorff, *Proclaiming the Truman Doctrine: The Cold War Call to Arms*, in *Diplomatic History*, Vol. 34, No. 1 (January, 2010), pp. 183-86.

Review of Steven Casey. *Selling the Korean War: Propaganda, Politics, and Public Opinion in the United States, 1950-1953*. In H-DIPLO Roundtable Reviews

<http://www.h-net.org/~diplo/roundtables/> Vol. X, No. 8 (2009) published by H-Diplo on 17 March 2009. (Roundtable Review- Edited by Thomas Maddux & Reviewers: Thomas Devine, Sung-Yoon Lee, James Matray, Wilson D. Miscamble)

Review of Norman A. Graebner, Richard Dean Burns, Joseph M. Siracusa, Reagan, Bush, Gorbachev: Revisiting the End of the Cold War, in H-DIPLO Roundtable Reviews www.h-net.org/~diplo/roundtables Vol. IX, No 22 (2008), pp. 17-20.

Review of Tsuyoshi Hasegawa, Racing the Enemy: Stalin, Truman, and the Surrender of Japan, in The Review of Politics, Vol. 68, No. 3 (Summer, 2006), pp. 526-29.

Review of T. Christopher Jespersen, ed., Interviews with George F. Kennan, in Journal of Slavic Military Studies, Vol. 16, No. 3 (September, 2003), pp. 185-86.

"Revisionism Revived," Review of Arnold A. Offner, Another Such Victory: President Truman and the Cold War, 1945-1953, in The Review of Politics, Vol. 65, No. 2 (Spring, 2003), pp. 304-06.

Review of Alex Danchev, On Specialness: Essays in Anglo-American Relations, in Albion, Vol. 31, No. 2 (Summer, 1999), pp. 344-45.

Review of Nelson D. Lankford, The Last American Aristocrat: The Biography of Ambassador David K.E. Bruce, in The American Historical Review, Vol. 104, No. 1 (February, 1999), pp. 217-18.

Joint Review of Frank E. Vandiver, Shadows of Vietnam: Lyndon Johnson's Wars and H.R. McMaster, Dereliction of Duty: Lyndon Johnson, Robert McNamara, the Joint Chiefs of Staff and the Lies That Led to Vietnam in America, Vol. 178, No. 2 (January 17-24, 1998), pp. 22-25.

Review of Townsend Hoopes and Douglas Brinkley, FDR and the Creation of the U.N. in The Journal of American History, Vol. 84, No. 3 (December, 1997), pp. 1124-25.

Review of James A. Bill, George Ball: Behind the Scenes in U.S. Foreign Policy in History: Review of New Books, Vol. 26, No. 1 (Fall, 1997), pp. 38-9.

Review of George F. Kennan, At a Century's Ending: Reflections, 1982-1995 in The Journal of American History, Vol. 83, No. 4, (March, 1997), pp. 1512-1513.

"America At Its Best," Essay Review of Richard Gid Powers, Not Without Honor: The History of American Anticommunism in The Review of Politics, Vol. 59, No. 1 (Winter, 1997), pp. 175-78.

Review of Randall Bennett Woods, Fulbright: A Biography in The American Historical Review, Vol. 102, No. 1 (February, 1997), pp. 215-16.

"Revisionism Revised," Essay Review of Robert H. Ferrell. Harry S. Truman: A Life, in The Review of Politics, Vol. 58, No. 2 (Spring, 1996), pp. 426-30.

Review of John Lamberton Harper. American Visions of Europe: Franklin D. Roosevelt, George F. Kennan, and Dean G. Acheson, in The American Historical Review, Vol. 101, No. 1 (Feb., 1996), pp. 261-62.

"LBJ's Rational Choices," Essay Review of David M. Barrett. Uncertain Warriors: Lyndon Johnson and His Vietnam Advisers in The Review of Politics, Vol. 57, No 2 (Spring, 1995), pp. 381-82.

Review of David L. Anderson. Trapped by Success: The Eisenhower Administration and Vietnam, 1953-61 in The American Historical Review, Vol. 99, No. 3 (June, 1994), p. 1003.

Review of Joseph S. Rossi, S.J. American Catholics and the Formation of the United Nations in The Catholic Historical Review, Vol. 80, No. 2 (April, 1994), pp. 398-99.

"Was the United States Responsible for the Cold War?" Essay Review of Melvyn P. Leffler, A Preponderance of Power: National Security, The Truman Administration and the Cold War in The Review of Politics, Vol. 55, No. 2 (Spring, 1993), pp. 363-367.

Review of Townsend Hoopes and Douglas Brinkley, Driven Patriot: The Life and Times of James Forrestal in The Journal of American History, Vol. 80, No. 1 (June, 1993), pp.335-336.

Joint Review of Thomas C. Reeves, A Question of Character: A Life of John F. Kennedy & Irving Bernstein, Promises Kept: John F. Kennedy's New Frontier in Ohio History, Vol. 102 (Winter-Spring, 1993), pp. 74-76

"An American in Bonn," Essay Review of Thomas Alan Schwartz, America's Germany: John J. McCloy and the Federal Republic of Germany in The Review of Politics, Vol. LIII, No. 4 (Fall, 1991), pp. 738-741.

Review of Greg Russell, Hans J. Morgenthau and the Ethics of American Statecraft in The Journal of American History, Vol. 78, No. 3 (December, 1991), pp. 1139-1140.

Review of Howard Jones, "A New Kind of War": America's Global Strategy and the Truman Doctrine in Greece in The Historian, Vol. LII, No. 3 (Spring, 1991), pp.593-594

"Kennan Through His Texts," Essay Review of Anders Stephanson, Kennan and the Art of Foreign Policy in The Review of Politics, Vol. LII, No. 2 (Spring, 1990), pp. 305-307.

Review of Robert James Maddox, From War to Cold War: The Education of Harry S. Truman in The Historian, Vol. LII, No. 3 (May, 1990), pp. 516-517.

"A Bipartisan Moment in Foreign Policy," Review of David R. Kepley, The Collapse of the Middle Way: Senate Republicans and the Bipartisan Foreign Policy, 1948-1952 in The Review of Politics, Vol. 51, No. 1 (Winter, 1989), pp. 149-150.

Review of Gabriel Gorodetsky, Stafford Cripps' Mission to Moscow, 1940-1942 in Canadian-American Slavic Studies, Vol. 21 (Spring-Summer, 1987), pp. 143-144.

Review of Richard Lawrence Miller, Truman: The Rise to Power in Ohio History, Vol. 96 (Summer-Autumn, 1987), pp. 178-179.

Review of Thomas E. Blantz, A Priest in Public Service: Francis J. Haas and the New Deal in Business History Review Vol. LVII, No. 2 (Summer, 1983), pp. 292-293.

Review of Thomas T. Hammond, Ed., Witnesses to the Origins of the Cold War in World Review (1982).

Review of George C. Herring, America's Longest The United States and Vietnam, 1950-1975 in Mid-America Vol. 63, No. 1 (January, 1981), pp. 62-63.

Review of David L. Porter, The Seventy-sixth Congress and World War II, 1939-1940 and Edward W. Chester, The United States and Six Atlantic Outposts: The Military and Economic Considerations in Mid-America, Vol. 62, No. 3 (October, 1980), pp. 200-201.

GENERAL PUBLICATIONS:

BOOKS

For Notre Dame: Battling for the Heart & Soul of a Catholic University (South Bend, IN: St. Augustine's Press, 2013.)

Go Forth and Do Good: Memorable Notre Dame Commencement Addresses [editor] (Notre Dame: University of Notre Dame Press, 2003.)

Keeping the Faith, Making a Difference (Notre Dame, IN.: Ave Maria Press, 2000.)

ARTICLES

"Mayor Pete at Notre Dame," *First Things*, (online edition), August 3, 2020.
<https://www.firstthings.com/web-exclusives/2020/08/mayor-pete-at-notre-dame>

“Obama, Truman, and Hiroshima [Op Ed essay],” *The Wall Street Journal*, May 12, 2016, p. A15.

“Harry Truman’s Simple Decision,” *America in World War II* August 2015 Vol. 11, No. 2, pp. 38-43.

“Notre Dame Trustees at a Crossroads: An Appeal,” *Irish Rover* September 14, 2014.

“Notre Dame at a Crossroads: Misplaced Priorities and a Flawed Vision,” *Irish Rover* February 23, 2014.

“Fr. Tom Blantz: Priest-Professor,” *Choices*, Vol. 35, Issue 1 (2014), pp. 2-3.

“The Faculty ‘Problem’: How Can Catholic Identity Be Preserved,” *America*, Vol. 197, No. 6 (September 10, 2007), pp. 26-28.

“The Corporate University—And A Catholic Response,” *America* Vol. 195, No. 3 (July 31-August 7, 2006), pp. 14-17.

“Generation ‘X’ [Op Ed essay], *The Wall Street Journal*, February 20, 2004, p. A14.

“Homily: First Sunday of Lent,” in Katharine S. Barrett, ed., Reflections on Lenten Scripture: Homilies given at the Basilica of the Sacred Heart at the University of Notre Dame (Notre Dame: Ave Maria Press, 2001), pp. 3-6.

“The Public Servant [Governor Robert P. Casey],” in *Notre Dame Magazine*, Vol. 24, No. 2 (Summer, 1995), pp. 20-22.

“A Calling Beyond Country: Notes on an Unfinished Journey,” in *Christ College Newsletter*. (Valparaiso University), 1994-95.

“Meeting the Challenge and Fulfilling the Promise: Mission and Method in Constructing a Great Catholic University,” in Theodore M. Hesburgh C.S.C., ed., The Challenge and Promise of a Catholic University (Notre Dame: University of Notre Dame Press, 1994), pp. 209-223.

“The Tragedy of Mario Cuomo,” *Notre Dame Magazine*, Vol. 22, No. 3 (Autumn, 1993), pp.41-43.

“Contrasts in the Likeness of Christ,” *Living Prayer*, Vol.20, No. 4 (July-August, 1987), pp. 20-26.

“Sectarian Passivism?” Contribution to a Symposium on the work of the contemporary Christian ethicist, Stanley Hauerwas, *Theology Today*, Vol. XLIV, No. 1 (April, 1987), pp. 69-77.

"Catholics and American Foreign Policy: Past Limitations-Present Obligations,"
America Vol. 141, No. 18 (December 8, 1979), 370-372.

DISSERTATIONS DIRECTED:

David Lowell Hay, "Bomber Businessmen: The Army Air Forces and the Rise of Statistical Control 1940-1945," April 1994. Co-directed with Donald Critchlow of St. Louis University. (I worked with David after Don Critchlow resigned from Notre Dame.)

Steven J. Brady, "The United States, the Federal Republic of Germany, and Détente, 1953-1958," November, 1997. (History Department, George Washington University, Washington, D.C..)

Matthew Stephen Cullinan, "A Clash of Cultures: The Naval Career of George Whelan Anderson, JR." November, 1998.

Tuan Hoang, "Ideology in Urban South Vietnam, 1950-1975," May, 2013. (Visiting Assistant Professor, Pepperdine University, Malibu, CA.)

ACADEMIC PAPERS, LECTURES AND INVITED CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION (select list):

Introductory Comments at symposium "*Ex Corde Ecclesiae* – Australian Perspectives," Australian Catholic University, July 28, 2023.

"What Can We Learn from History? Truman and the Transformation of American Foreign Policy," being the B.K. Smith Annual Lecture, University of St. Thomas, Houston, Texas, April 18, 2023.

"What's In a Name? The Meaning of a Catholic University Today," University of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN., April 26, 2022. (Jointly sponsored by Catholic Studies and the Roccasecca Project).

"For God and Country: Presidents, Popes, and Father Theodore Hesburgh," University of Scranton, Scanton, PA., February 13, 2020.

"Did the Center Hold? Father Hesburgh and Notre Dame in a Turbulent Decade," given as the 2019 Rev. Robert J. Randall Lecture, Providence College, Providence, R.I., October 8, 2019.

“Father Ted Hesburgh: God, Country, Notre Dame,” Reflection given at the Sheen Center for Thought and Culture, Archdiocese of New York, NYC., September 27, 2019 -- with respondents William McGurn (Wall Street Journal) and Francis Maier (Archdiocese of Philadelphia).

“Father Hesburgh and the American Catholic Conscience: A Journey from Vatican II to the Obama Presidency,” delivered at Conference on “The Conscience in Public Life,” sponsored by the Liberal Arts Honors Program, Providence College, Providence, R.I., September 21, 2019.

“The Most Controversial Decision: Truman, the Atomic Bombs, and the Defeat of Japan,” Lecture given as part of the Alan B. Larkin Symposium on the American Presidency, Florida Atlantic University, February 17, 2015. Also served as moderator of discussion with David McCullough on the Presidency of Harry S. Truman February 18, 2015. This session was broadcast on C-SPAN—<http://www.c-span.org/video/?324290-1/discussion-president-truman-world-war-ii>.

Participant in panel discussion on “The Most Controversial Decision in History: Should President Truman have dropped the bomb?” With David Solomon (Philosophy) and Dr. Robert Marko (Theology), Aquinas College, Grand Rapids, Michigan, October 2, 2014.

“Catholics in Public Life in the United States and Australia: New Challenges and Enduring Responsibilities,” given as the St. Edmund Campion Lecture, Campion College, Australia, June 26, 2014. Also given at Christopher Dawson Center for Cultural Studies, Hobart, Tasmania, July 31, 2014.

“Truman, Hiroshima and the Morality of the Atomic Bomb,” given at 12th Annual Truman Legacy Conference, Key West, Florida, May 17, 2014.

“A Tale of Two Governors: Cuomo, Casey and the Church’s Moral Teaching,” 3rd Paluch Lecture, Mundelein Seminary, Mundelein, IL., April 9, 2014.

“Roosevelt, Truman and the Revolution in American Foreign Policy: How It Happened and Why It Still Matters, History Department-Phi Alpha Theta Chapter, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, March 20, 2014.

“Missing the First Catholic Moment—Or Decade? Lessons from JFK, RFK and Eugene McCarthy,” 1st Paluch Lecture, Mundelein Seminary, Mundelein, IL., October 30, 2013. [Also given as an address for Honor’s College Colloquium, Ave Maria University, Ave Maria, FL., February 21, 2014.]

Comment on Paper by Jeremi Suri on “The Historian as Public Intellectual: The Case of George F. Kennan.” Delivered at Conference on Public Intellectualism in Comparative Context, Notre Dame, IN, April 24, 2013.

“The Most Controversial Decision: Truman, The Atomic Bombs, and the Defeat of Japan,” The Early-Vreeland Lecture, Truman State University, Kirksville, Missouri, March 15, 2012.

“Roosevelt, Truman, and the Development of Postwar Grand Strategy — And Does it Matter for Today,” Seminar at Institute for Strategic Studies, Australian National University, Canberra, Australia, July 26, 2011.

“Does Religion Matter? Catholics and U.S. Foreign Policy in the 1960s,” Policy History Conference, Columbus, Ohio, June 5, 2010.

Participant in Book Forum on Julian Zelizer’s *Arsenal of Democracy: The Politics of National Security from World War II to the War on Terrorism* (New York: Basic Books, 2010) at Policy History Conference, Columbus, Ohio, June 3, 2010.

“From Roosevelt to Truman: Potsdam, Hiroshima and the Cold War,” Spring Lecture (Invited), History Department, University of Evansville, March 18, 2010.

“Franklin Roosevelt’s [Partially] Flawed Paradigm: Postwar Planning During World War II,” for Research Conference on “American Grand Strategy After War” sponsored by The Triangle Institute of Security Studies, University of North Carolina, February 27, 2009.

Presentation in “American Foreign Relations Seminar,” on *From Roosevelt to Truman: Potsdam, Hiroshima and the Cold War*, Northern Illinois University, November 11, 2008.

“Harry S. Truman, the Bomb, and the Transformation of U.S. Foreign Policy,” being the John O’Sullivan Memorial Lecture, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Florida, October 23, 2008. Presented on C-SPAN1, 11/28/2008; 12/01/2008. Program ID 282077-1

“Faith and Foreign Policy: Catholics and U.S. Foreign Policy in the 1960s,” International Security Studies Colloquium, Yale University, October 21, 2008.

“Rethinking the Cold War” –presentation on panel with Robert McMahon and Gregg Brazinsky – Policy History Conference, St. Louis, Mo., May 31, 2008.

“Truman, the Atomic Bombs and the Defeat of the Japan,” RMIT University, Melbourne, Australia, July 30, 2007.

Invited Participant [with Robert Beisner and Elizabeth Edwards Spalding] at Conference on “New Scholarship on the Truman Presidency,” sponsored by the Cold War International History Project & the Harry S. Truman Presidential Museum and Library at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, April 24, 2007.

“From Roosevelt to Truman: Potsdam, Hiroshima and the Cold War,” Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee, March 26, 2007.

“Harry S. Truman and the Origins of the Cold War,” Ohio Dominican University, Columbus, Ohio, February 28, 2007.

“George F. Kennan, the Policy Planning Staff and Containment: New [and Old] Reflections on authorship and Responsibility,” at Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations Annual Meeting, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas, June 23, 2006.

“Truman and the Bombing of Hiroshima and Nagasaki—Was It Necessary? Was It Right?” Sacred Heart University, Bridgeport, CT., April 14, 2005.

"Individual Actors: Catholic Lives and Worldviews," at conference on "Faith and Foreign Policy: The Catholic Tradition and American Foreign Relations," sponsored by the Carnegie Council on Ethics and International Affairs & The University of Notre Dame, Merrill House, New York, March 7, 2002.

"Harry S. Truman and the Transition in American Foreign Policy, 1945-1947," The University of Scranton, Scranton, Pa., April 11, 2000.

"Preparation: The Evolution of an [American] Internationalist," and "Inheritance: Franklin Roosevelt's Uncertain Legacy," invited papers delivered to the Cold War History Seminar, University of California at Santa Barbara, April 22, 1997.

"How Containment Came About: The Evolution of the Truman Administration's National Security Strategy," Old Dominion University, Norfolk, Virginia, March 25, 1997.

"The Truman Administration's Search for a Strategy," National War College, National Defense University, Washington, D.C., September 10, 1996.

"The Primacy of Interest: George Kennan's Strategy of Containment," National War College, National Defense University, Washington, D.C., September 14, 1995.

"The End of the Cold War and the Future of American Foreign Policy," University of Portland, Portland, Oregon, March 23, 1995.

"Friends of a Sort: Dean Acheson, George Kennan and the Division of Europe," invited lecture/paper at conference on "Kennan, the Cold War and the Future of American Foreign Policy," School of International Relations, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, January 28, 1995.

"Kennan and the Problem of Containment," Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, September 26, 1994.

Presentation to Seminar devoted to discussion of George F. Kennan and the Making of American Foreign Policy, 1947-1950, Contemporary History Institute, Ohio University, September 26, 1994.

"Kennan, Nitze and the Origins of Containment," National War College, National Defense University, Washington, D.C., September 15, 1994.

"Commentary" at Session on "American Diplomacy towards Germany, 1945-1955," Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations Conference, Bentley College, Waltham, MA., June 25, 1994.

"George F. Kennan and the Foreign Policy Making Process," The Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, March 17, 1994.

"George F. Kennan and the Foreign Policy Making Process," Department of National Security Policy, National War College, National Defense University, Washington, D.C., October 27, 1993.

"Commentary" at Session on "Truman and the Aftermath of World War II, 1944-1947," Society of Historians of American Foreign Relations Conference, University of Virginia, June 19, 1993.

"George F. Kennan and the Making of American Foreign Policy, 1947-1950" an initial presentation given at the Foreign Policy Seminar at Saint Louis University, April 11, 1992, devoted to a discussion of George F. Kennan and the Making of American Foreign Policy, 1947-1950, with comments by Prof. Henry Berger (Washington University) and Prof. Gary Hess (Bowling Green State University).

"Commentary" at Session on "Churchill, Stalin and Kennan: A New Look at Familiar Players," SHAFR Conference, George Washington University, June 21, 1991.

"Acheson, Kennan, and the Division of Germany," 15th Annual Conference, The Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Va., June 16, 1989.

"Encouraging Chinese Titoism? George F. Kennan, John Paton Davies and the Limits of America's China Policy, 1947-1950," Annual Conference of The Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations, United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland, June, 1987.

"The Origins of the North Atlantic Treaty: Policy Formulation in the Department of State," Australian-New Zealand American Studies Conference, University of New South Wales, Sydney, (August, 1980).

GENERAL PAPERS & PRESENTATIONS:

Various presentations given to Legatus chapters on aspects of my biography of Fr. Theodore Hesburgh, CSC – Raleigh, NC (March 2023) and Tucson, AZ (September 2023)

Presentation on a panel to mark the inauguration of Dr. Thomas Hibbs as president of the University of Dallas, “Bound to Truth and Justice: The Calling of a Catholic University Today,” November 1, 2019, Dallas, Texas.

“A Tale of Two Governors: Cuomo, Casey and the Church’s Moral Teaching,” the Rodney Delasanta Honors Lecture given at Providence College, Providence, RI, March 26, 2015.

Moderator for discussion with David McCullough on “Truman’s Presidency and World War II at 70” Florida Atlantic University, February 17, 2015. [This session is scheduled to be shown on CSPAN.]

“Battling for the Heart and Soul of a Catholic University,” given at Catholic Information Center, Washington, D.C.. October 21, 2014.

“What You Should Know about Notre Dame and Catholic Higher Education,” given at Aquinas College, Grand Rapids, Michigan. October 2, 2014.

“Maintaining the Light: ‘Catholic Studies and the Future of Catholic Intellectual Life in America,” given at conference in honor of Don J. Briel “Twenty Years of Catholic Studies,” University of Mary, Bismarck, ND. August 31, 2014.

“Ambassadors for Christ: Catholic Citizens, the Gospel, and the Common Good,” given at John Paul II Australian Leaders Forum, Melbourne, Australia, August 3, 2014.

“Go Forth and Do Good,” given as Commencement Address, Ohio Dominican University, Columbus, Ohio, May 10, 2014.

“What You Should Know About Notre Dame and Catholic Higher Education,” St. Isaac Jogues Parish, Hinsdale, IL., April 24, 2014.

“Catholics in Public Life,” Chrism Mass Day of Renewal Address, Archdiocese of Chicago, Holy Name Cathedral, Chicago, IL. April 15, 2014.

“What Really Matters: Reflections on Learning and Vocation,” Crane Scholars Retreat, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, March 21-23, 2014.

“What is the Future for Notre Dame? The Battle for the Soul of America’s Foremost Catholic University,” 2nd Paluch Lecture, Union League Club, Chicago, March 11, 2014.

“What Priests of the Future Should Know about Catholic Higher Education,” Mundelein Seminary, Mundelein, IL., February 25, 2014.

“For Notre Dame: Battling for the Heart & Soul of a Catholic University,” given as a plenary address at Australian Catholic Students Association Annual Meeting, Women’s College, University of Queensland, July 6, 2013.

“The Challenge and Promise of Catholic Higher Education: Notre Dame as a Case Study,” given as luncheon address for Catholic Citizens of Illinois meeting, Chicago, Illinois, December 14, 2012.

“The Challenge and Promise of Catholic Higher Education in the United States and Australia,” given at the John Paul II Australian Leaders Forum, Sydney, Australia, August 11, 2012.

“Catholic Politicians in the Sixties and Today: Lessons from JFK, RFK, and Eugene McCarthy,” being The Second Annual St. Thomas More Lecture, Center for Faith and Public Life, Fairfield University, October 8, 2008.

“The Catholic University in the Age of Corporate/Consumer Capitalism,” at the “Joy in the Truth” Conference sponsored by the Notre Dame Center for Ethics and Culture, Notre Dame, September 30, 2005.

“*Gaudium et Spes* and Catholic Politicians—Some American Case Studies,” at conference “The Call to Justice: The Legacy of *Gaudium et Spes* 40 years Later,” Vatican City, March 18, 2005.

“John Zahm’s Challenge to the Modern Catholic University,” being the 2003 Rev. John Zahm, C.S.C. Lecture at the University of Portland, Portland, Oregon, April 8, 2003.

"The Catholic University and American Culture," The University of Scranton, Scranton, Pa., April 12, 2000.

"The Challenges of Reconstruction: Lessons from History," at conference on "Building Bridges between Relief and Development," sponsored jointly by the Department of Humanitarian Affairs and the UN Development Programme, United Nations Staff College Project, Turin, Italy, April 13, 1997.

"The Heart of the Matter: The Role of Faculty--Catholics and Non-Catholics--in the Catholic University," The University of St. Thomas, Saint Paul, MN, October 22, 1996.

Invited participant in Conference on "Moral Judgment and Cold War History" organized by the Carnegie Council on Ethics and International Affairs, Merrill House, New York City, October 20-21.

"A Calling Beyond Country: Notes on an Unfinished Journey," The Warren G. Rubel Annual Lecture, 1995, Christ College, Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Indiana, February 23, 1995.

"Foreign Policy as an Issue," as part of the "American Foreign and Security Policy" panel at the Center for the Study of the Presidency's Twenty-Fifth Annual Student Symposium, Washington, D.C., March 19, 1994.

"Harry Truman's Foreign Policy Lessons for Bill Clinton," The 24th Annual Leadership Conference, Center for the Study of the Presidency, Indianapolis, Indiana, October 23, 1993.

"Reflections on a Recent Trip to Cambodia and Vietnam," Yale Center for International and Area Studies Forum, March 5, 1990.

"Vietnam Today," Presentation given with Prof. Valerie Sutter of University of Virginia, at Foreign Affairs and Defense Division, Congressional Research Service, Washington, D.C., March 1, 1990.

"The Origins of the Cold War in Light of Recent East-European Events," Institute of Asian and Pacific Studies, Vietnam Committee for Social Sciences, Hanoi, Vietnam, January 4, 1990.

Invited Participant, John and Elizabeth Baker Peace Studies Conference on "Resolving Soviet-American Differences: How the Cold War Might End," Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, April, 1986.

PRIZES AND AWARDS:

Doctor of the University (Honoris Causa), Australia Catholic University, Brisbane, Australia, July 15, 2022.

Distinguished Teaching Award, American Catholic Historical Association, presented at Annual Conference, January 6, 2019.

Doctor of Humane Letters [Honorary] degree, Ohio Dominican University, Columbus, Ohio, May 10, 2014.

"Harry S. Truman Book Award" for the best book on the Truman era published during the biennium 2006-07 awarded for From Roosevelt to Truman: Potsdam, Hiroshima and the Cold War. (2008)

Frank O'Malley Undergraduate Teaching Award (sponsored by Notre Dame Student Government and the Notre Dame Alumni Association to recognize excellence in undergraduate teaching), 2007.

Sheedy Award for Excellence in Teaching, 2001 (co-recipient).

Kaneb Teaching Award, 2001.

Membership, Phi Beta Kappa, Epsilon of Indiana at the University of Notre Dame, November 18, 1998.

Institute for Scholarship in the Liberal Arts, University of Notre Dame, Research Grant, 1996.

Research Grant, Harry S. Truman Library Institute, 1994.

"Harry S. Truman Book Award" for the best book on the Truman era published during the biennium 1992-93 awarded for George F. Kennan and the Making of American Foreign Policy, 1947-1950. (1994)

Finalist for the Herbert Hoover Book Award--("given annually [by the Herbert Hoover Presidential Library Association] to recognize the best scholarly book published on any aspect of American public history during President Hoover's long and momentous public life from 1914 to 1964")--for George F. Kennan and the Making of American Foreign Policy, 1947-1950. (1993)

Senior Class Fellow, 1992.

Frank O'Malley Undergraduate Teaching Award (sponsored by Notre Dame Student Government and the Notre Dame Alumni Association to recognize excellence in undergraduate teaching), 1992.

MacArthur Foundation Grant in Research and Teaching, The Institute for International Peace Studies, Notre Dame, 1990.

Jesse H. Jones Research Travel Award, 1989-1990.

Institute for Scholarship in the Liberal Arts, University of Notre Dame, New Course Development Grant, 1989.

Thomas P. Madden Award for Excellence in Freshman Teaching, 1989.

Research Grant, Harry S. Truman Library Institute, 1987.

Doctoral dissertation nominated by the Notre Dame History Department for the Allen Nevins Prize (1980), for the best doctoral thesis in American history.

Harry S. Truman Library Institute for National and International Affairs Grant-in-Aid, 1978.

Dissertation Fellowship, University of Notre Dame, 1978-1979.

John Highbarger Award, 1978. (For the graduate student in the Department of History, University of Notre Dame, who proposes the best research topic.)

Hearst Fellowship, 1977-1978.

Australian-American Educational Foundation Travel Award, 1976 [Fulbright Award].

Australian Government Postgraduate Research Award, 1975-1976.

Commonwealth University Scholarship, 1971-1974.

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