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### **EDUCATION**

**Ph.D.** April 1987, Wayne State University, Political Science, Detroit, Michigan  
**M.A.** 1982, Wayne State University, Political Science, Detroit, Michigan  
**B.A.** 1979, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana

### **ADMINISTRATIVE ASSIGNMENTS**

**Chair**, 1992-present, Department of Political Science, University of Detroit Mercy.  
**Chair**, 2006-present, Department of Economics, University of Detroit Mercy  
**Assistant Dean**, 1994-1995, College of Liberal Arts, University of Detroit Mercy.  
**Assistant to the Dean**, 1992-1994, College of Liberal Arts, University of Detroit Mercy.  
**Director, Graduate Studies**, 1994-1996, Liberal Arts, University of Detroit Mercy.  
**Faculty Coordinator**, 1992-present, Statistics.

### **PRESENT COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS**

**Director**, Pre-Law Committee, University of Detroit Mercy  
**Director**, Student Internships, Political Science, University of Detroit Mercy.  
**Chair**, International Certificate Program Committee  
**Liaison**, The Washington Center Internship Program  
**Member**, Academic Committee on the Status of Women  
**Member**, Academic Advising Committee

### **Past Committee Memberships**

**Chair**, College of Liberal Arts Graduate Committee.  
**Chair**, Ad Hoc Statistics Committee  
**Chair**, Institute for Research and Philosophy.  
**Member**, Women Studies Committee  
**Member**, Faculty Development Committee  
**Member**, Pre-law Committee  
**Member**, Institute of Survey and Evaluation  
**Member**, Graduate Recruitment Task Force  
**Member**, University Graduate Council  
**Member**, Virginia Parks Project  
**Member**, Faculty Excellence Committee  
**Member**, Metro-Detroit Alliance  
**Member**, Common Competencies Committee

### **TEACHING/RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

**Associate Professor**, 1994-present, University of Detroit Mercy.

**Assistant Professor**, 1986-1994, University of Detroit Mercy.

**Instructor**, 1987-2000, Central Michigan University Extension Program.

**Instructor**, 1990-1992, Henry Ford Community College, Dearborn, Michigan.

**Instructor**, 1985-1987, Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan.

**Lecturer**, 1986-1988, University of Michigan-Dearborn, Dearborn, Michigan.

**Lecturer**, 1986-1987, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, Michigan.

**Graduate Assistant**, 1980-1985, Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan.

**Research Assistant**, 1984-1986, Institute of Gerontology, Wayne State University

## **PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS**

**“China’s Foreign Trade Reform and Its Expected Declining Trade Surpluses”** (with Raphael Shen, S.J.), presented at the Midwest Political Science Association, April 2008.

**“China’s Six Decades of Socialist Construction and Reconstruction: 1959-2007”** (with Raphael Shen, S.J.), presented at the Midwest Economic Association, March 2008.

Discussant, panel **“American Economic History,”** Midwest Economic Association, March 2008.

**“China’s Foreign Trade Reform After Mao”** (with Raphael Shen, S.J.) Southwest Political Science Association, Las Vegas, 2008.

**Fundamentals in Statistics** 2<sup>nd</sup> edition, in printing process, 2008, U of Detroit Press.

**“Ayotte v. Planned Parenthood”** Moot Court 4. University of Detroit Mercy, 2005.

**“Roper v. Simmons”** Moot Court 3. University of Detroit Mercy, November 2004.

**“Brown v. Bd. of Education”** Re-enactment, Moot Court 2. University of Detroit Mercy, March 2004.

**“Why Michigan Always Matters in Presidential Elections”** University of Detroit Mercy/Newsweek Magazine, Forum Panelist. February, 2004.

**“Gratz v. Bollinger”** Moot Court 1, University of Detroit Mercy, November 2003.

**Fundamentals in Statistics.** University of Detroit Press. 2002.

**“Exit Polling and Political Campaigns”** Wayne Memorial High School Honors Program, 2000.

**“Public Opinion Polling”** Wayne Memorial High School Honors Program, 1998.

**“Public Opinion Polling”** Wayne Memorial High School Honors Program, 1997.

**“Democratization and Bureaucratization,”** Michigan Academy of Arts and Sciences, 1997.

**“Public Opinion and Polling,”** Westland High School program, Westland, Michigan, 1997

**“Public Opinion and Polling,”** Henry Ford Community College, Dearborn, Michigan, 1997.

**Statistics for Comparative Politics and Economics.** National Science Foundation grant through the Greenfield Coalition. 1996.

**“Public Opinion Polling”** Wayne Memorial High School Honors Program, 1996.

**“Public Opinion and Election Polling”** Adult Learning Institute, Oakland Community College, November 1996.

**“Politics in 1996”** Adult Learning Institute, Oakland Community College, October, 1996.

**“Public Opinion and Polling,”** Adult Learning Institute, Oakland Community College, October, 1996.

**Statistics for the Social Sciences,** Englewood Cliffs: Prentice Hall, 1995.

**“Political Polling in the United State”** presented at the National Cheng Kung University, Tainan, Taiwan, March 1994.

**“Civil Liberties and Moot Courts”** Presentation in the Great Ideas for Teaching (GIFT) program, University of Detroit Mercy. October 1993.

**“Town Meeting with Bill Clinton,”** Analyst and Speaker , Channel 4 Town Meeting, November 1992, University of Michigan, Dearborn.

**“Political Polling.”** University of Detroit Faculty Debate, September 1992.

**“Demography and Public Policy: Overcompensation and Child Bearing.”** Faculty Discussion, North American Model United Nations, Toronto, Canada, 1991.

**“Overcompensation and Child Bearing.”** University of Michigan, November 1991.

**“Life Span Civic Development and Political Participation,”** (with Charles Elder, John Strate, Charles Parrish). American Political Science Association Meeting, September, 1987.

- "Life Span Civic Development and Voting Participation,"** (with Charles Elder, John Strate, Charles Parrish). *American Political Science Review*, 83 (2): 443-464.
- "Political Participation and Demographics."** Chair, Panel discussion at the Michigan Political Scientist Conference, October, 1987.
- "Differential Fertility in Cyprus,"** Pub. No. DA8809125 University Microfilms International, Ann Arbor, Michigan. 1987
- "Differential Fertility in Cyprus: A Micro-Analysis."** Ph.D. dissertation, Wayne State University, April 1987.
- "Measuring the Effect of System Size on the Administrative Occupations of Macro Systems: A Reappraisal,"** Presented at the 1986 North Central Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Toledo, Ohio, April 1986.
- "Political Participation and Aging: Life Span Civic Development,"** (with Charles Elder, Charles Parrish, and Frank Richter) AARP-Andrus Foundation, Fall 1985.
- "The Effects of Bureaucratization and Political Democracy: Cross-National Evidence,"** (with Clifford Clarke) presented at the 1984 Midwest Sociological Conference, Chicago, Illinois, April 1984.
- "Population Policies: Fertility Differentials,"** presented to the Graduate Research Symposium, Wayne State University, 1984.
- "An Open Letter to the American Consumer,"** *Expositor*, Muncie, Indiana, 1977.

## CLASSES TAUGHT

American Government	Political Culture
Statistics	Research Methods
Legislative Process	Political Research Workshop
Public Policy Analysis	Civil Liberties and Rights
Metro-Urban Politics	Constitutional Law
Political Thought	Federal Entitlement Programs
Computer Literacy	The U.S. and the World
Introduction to Political Science	Issues in American Government
World Politics	Issues in American Foreign Policies
Criminal Law and Procedure	Introduction to Law
Women and Politics	Legal Issues

## ELECTION EXIT POLLING AND PUBLIC OPINION POLLS

Detroit Mayoral Poll, October, 2005  
 Presidential Election Poll, October, 2004  
 Michigan Gubernatorial Poll, October, 2002  
 Detroit Mayoral Election Poll, October, 2001  
 Presidential Election Poll, 2000, UDM, Detroit  
 Detroit Mayoral Election, 1998, UDM, Detroit  
 Presidential Election Exit Poll, 1996, WJBK TV, Detroit  
 Pre-Presidential Election Poll, 1996, WJBK TV, Detroit  
 Republican Primary Exit Poll, 1996, WJBK TV, Detroit  
 Michigan State Primary Election, 1994, pre-election/exit poll, WJBK TV, Detroit  
 Detroit Mayoral Election, 1993, Mitchell Research, Lansing/WJBK TV, Detroit  
 Presidential Primary, 1992, exit poll, L.A. Times, Los Angeles  
 Candidate Recognition Poll, 1992, Sterling Heights, Michigan  
 Candidate Recognition Poll, 1991, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan  
 Candidate Recognition Poll, 1991, primary and general, Birmingham, Michigan  
 Congressional Election, 1990, Mitchell Research, Lansing/WJBK TV, Detroit  
 Detroit Mayoral Race, 1989, primary and general, Mitchell Research, Lansing  
 Detroit Mayoral Race, 1989, pre-election, University of Detroit  
 Democratic State Presidential Caucus, WJBK TV, Detroit  
 Presidential Election, 1988, 3-part pre-election poll, University of Detroit  
 Presidential Election, 1988, general, NBC TV, New York  
 Congressional Election, 1986, general, NBC TV, New York  
 Presidential Election, 1984, exit poll, NBC TV, New York

## Book Reviews

*Making Sense of Women's Lives: An Introduction to Women's Studies.* Lauri Umanski and Michele Plott. Collegiate Press, 2002.

*The New World of Politics: An Introduction to Political Science.* 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, Neal Riemer and Douglas Simon. Collegiate Press, 2001.

*The Human Polity*, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition. Kay Lawson. Houghton Mifflin, 1999.

*Constitutional Law: Theory and Application*, McGraw Hill, 1997.

*Campaigning for Congress.* Wadsworth Publishing Company. 1993.

*American Politics and Government.* Hinckley and Goldman. Harper Collins College Publishers, 1993.

## **Political Analysis**

Television/radio appearances analyzing political events:  
CNN, NBC-New York, ABC, New York, BBC  
New York Times, New York Daily News, LA Times, Newsweek,  
WJBK TV, WKED TV, WDIV TV, WXYZ TV,  
WWJ Radio, WJR Radio, WXYT Radio, WOMC Radio, WMUZ, Radio,  
WCHB Radio, WJZZ Detroit, BBC  
Detroit News, Detroit Free Press,  
Michigan Chronicle, Crain's Business News Report  
Metro-Times, Metro-Parent