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Srivaishnava Conference, Pondicherry, Tamil Nadu, Aug. 10, 1990:

Harvard University, October 2, 1992: Keynote address for the Pluralism Project

Rocky Mountain/Great Plains AAR, April 16, 1993: Keynote address on

Conference on Critical Thinking and the Study of the Bible, November 19, 1993:

University of Iowa (School of Religion), Lecture on "So, What Are We Professing Here?

Garrett-Evangelical Seminary/Northwestern University. Keynote address on "Promised Land or Wilderness" for the Conference on Pedagogy and Theology in Cyberspace. April 2001.

Conference on Marriage, Family, and Religion in America, March 2003.

Teaching and Learn Sponsored by the American Academy of Religion, June 2003.

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Conference on Religions and Children in America, April, 2006.

Scott Lecture, March, 2007.

University of Toronto, Keynote presentation for the Gujarat Studies Association biennial

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University, May-June 2016. Book release events for Swaminarayan Hinduism: Tradition, Adaptation and Identity.

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External Reviewer/Reader:

McGill University, Ph.D. Dissertation, 1992-93.
Cambridge University Press, Book Manuscripts, On occasions.
University of Alabama Press, Book Manuscripts, On occasion.
Oxford University, Book Proposals.
Routledge, Book Proposal, 1999

Fellowship in the East Asian Studies Institute of the Great Lakes Colleges Association and Indiana University at Earlham College, Summer, 1975.

Wabash College Faculty Grant for research on the acharya-sishya relations in Srivaishnavism in Madras and on the Swaminarayan religion in Gujarat, 1976.

National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute at Yale University on Social Background of Early Christianity. Wayne Meeks, Director. 1977.

Lilly Endowment Faculty Open Fellowship for 1979-80 for a project of reading about liberal arts colleges in the United States.

Wabash College Faculty Grant for a research trip to Ahmedabad, India in 1981 to witness the Bicentenary Celebrations of the Birth of Swaminarayan and to complete work on the book manuscript.

Rockefeller Foundation Grant for a research project in the Population Sciences program

Formation and Preservation

-85.

National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Institute at the University of Chicago on The Bible and the Liberal Arts. 1986.

McLain-McTurnan-Arnold Research Scholar Award for 1985-86. The award provided a semester for writing a manuscript on the Rockefeller Research Project: Religions of Immigrants from India and Pakistan: new threads in the American tapestry (Cambridge, 1988).

Lilly Endowment Minor Grant raised through Disciples Divinity House of the University of Chicago to establish the Association of Disciple Pastors for Theological Discussion. The organization held its 25th anniversary in October 2012.

Senior Research Grant from the Smithsonian Institution through the American Institute of Indian

Co-Director with John Carman (Harvard) of the Conference on the Transmission of Religious Traditions in Times of Rapid Social Change in conjunction with the Cultural Festival of India in Edison, New Jersey in August, 1991.

Lilly Endowment Major Grant for a Workshop on Teaching Religion for Young Faculty at Colleges and Universities, which was held at Wabash College, 1991-92. Director of the Workshop on Teaching Religion.

Lilly Endowment Major Grants for the Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion, 1995-2002.

Assisted with a Lilly Endowment Major Grant to the American Academy of Religion for nine additional Workshops on Teaching Religion to be held in other regions of the American Academy of Religion. Chair of the AAR Committee on Lilly Workshops, 1992-2001.

Convener of a Wabash-Lilly Consultation on Theological Teaching for thirty scholars invited by Lilly Endowment Inc. held at Wabash College on March 23-24, 1995.

Prepared grant proposal to Lilly Endowment for a major grant to support the Center of Inquiry in the Liberal Arts at Wabash College, 2005.

Designed program and prepared two grant proposals to Lilly Endowment for grants to establish and support the Wabash Pastoral Leadership Program (2008-2012, 2013-2016).

Steering Group member for an international research project funded at the University of -2010).

Wabash College, March 23-24, 2009. Co-editor of the book created from the project, *Public Hinduisms* (Delhi, Sage Publishers) 2012.

Offices:

Member of the Board of Directors of the American Academy of Religion (1989-95; 1996-2002); Member of the Executive Committee (1991-95); Member of the Regions Committee (1990-93); Chair of the Lilly Teaching Workshops Committee (1992-2001); Chair of Nominations Committee (1996-2002), Chair of Special Taskforce on Board of Directors and Committee Structures (1999-2002).

Member of the Board of Trustees of Disciples Divinity House of the University of Chicago (1985-96); Member of the Executive Committee as Secretary (1990-95).

Advisory Board of the Centre for Studies in Religion and Society, University of Victoria, British Columbia, (1995-2002).

Advisory Board of a study of Religion in Urban America by Auburn Seminary, New York (1996-99).

Advisory Council of the Pluralism Project at Harvard University, Diana Eck, Director, 1998-2020.

Secretary/Treasurer of the Midwest American Academy of Religion, 1989-95.

Director of the Wabash Consultation on Undergraduate Study of Religion, 1991-93.

Executive Director of the Midwest Commission on the Study of Religion, 1989-95.

Director of the Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion, 1995-2002.

Member of the Board of Trustees of Christian Theological Seminary, Indianapolis. 2005-2015; Executive Committee, 2006-2011; Chair, Compensation Committee, 2007-2012; Presidential Search Committee, 2010-2011.

Advisory Board of the Gujarati Studies Association, 2008-