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**Educational Employment: Teaching/Research/Service**

1970-2015 Illinois State University

**Educational Employment: Department Chairperson**

1978-1988 Illinois State University

**Education**

1974 Ph.D. Geography The University of Chicago

1967 M.A. Geography University of Missouri

1966 B.A. Geography University of Missouri

**Distinctions** 2022 College of Arts and Sciences Emeriti Faculty Hall of Fame

2014Distinguished Mentor Award, National Council for Geographic Education

2011-2020 Executive Council, Illinois Geographical Society

2007 Service Award, Illinois Geographical Society

2004 Service Award, Illinois GIS Association

2003 Meritorious Service Medal, United States Army Reserve

2000 Distinguished Teaching Award, National Council for Geographic Education

1997 Army Commendation Medal, United States Army Reserve

1989 Distinguished Geographic Educator Award, Illinois Geographical Society

1988-1990 Executive Board, National Council for Geographic Education

1985-2007 Executive Council, Illinois Geographical Society

1966 Phi Beta Kappa

1962 Phi Eta Sigma

**Monographs**

2004 *Township: Diffusion and Persistence of Grassroots Government in Illinois,*

*1850-2000*

1990 *Paper Counties: The Illinois Experience, 1825-1867*

1980 *East Central Illinois: A Look into the Future* (co-author)

1975 *Farmers on the Road: Interfarm Migration and the Farming of Noncontiguous Lands in Three Midwestern Townships, 1939-1969*

1973 *Commentary on a Corn Belt Countryside* (co-author)

**Other Scholarly Productivity**

Articles, Atlases, Reports, Map, Professional Papers, Book Chapter

**Current Scholarly Interest**

Naming enterprises after geographical panhandles in the United States

**Military Experience**

1985-2003 United States Army Reserve Highest Rank: Master Sergeant

1981-1985 Illinois Army National Guard Highest Rank: Staff Sergeant

1961-1965 Missouri Army National Guard Highest Rank: Sergeant