

ANNOTATED RESUME

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I formally retired as a university professor in 2005. I am now seeking new employment horizons that will allow me to bring my valuable experience, talents, and skills to serve in organizations whose constituencies may benefit from my many years of university and community service.

The following is the resume of my experience and activities over 40 years of professional life associated with California State University, Sacramento. It is unusual as a resume, but it is vital that I include all of this information in order to show the breadth and depth of my experience, much of which provides preparation for a variety of employment and management situations outside of the academy. Thirty-eight plus years and over 10,000 students at the university have provided rich experience that will be invaluable in employment situations requiring contact and work with a wide variety of people and employees. As you will see in the Resume, during the 38 years in the Department of Philosophy at CSU, Sacramento, I had numerous Department and University responsibilities and duties involving personnel decisions, budgets, and management. For example, my departmental duties over the years entailed screening several thousand CV's, interviewing hundreds of job candidates, and making decisions regarding the hiring of new faculty. Outside of the university in my role as an elected school district and county board official, I was responsible for creating and approving large budgets and for making many personal decisions, including hiring and terminating school principals and superintendents.

It is also important also to put the classroom and related work into context in order to show the extent of my exposure to diverse groups of people and my work with them. CSUS, Sacramento's student and faculty population includes people from 132 different countries, who speak numerous languages and dialects and who bring their cultures to the campus. The student body encompasses an astonishing variety of people relative to age, background, and economic status. My own field of Comparative Philosophy, Culture, and Religion requires knowledge and experience with numerous cultures around the world.

The formatting of this document with two-space intervals between items is to assist readers. Forty years of reading thousands of badly formatted documents, essays, and resumes makes me especially sensitive to readers and audiences.

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AGE: DOB August 4, 1938 69

FAMILY: Wife: Roberta K. Long, Managing Editor of
**Folsom Life, Village Life, and Cameron Park
Life Newspapers**
Daughter: Alexis F. Lieser, M.D. Emergency
Medicine, University of California, Irvine
Daughter: Helen N. Long, Special Collections
Library, Newberry Library, Chicago, IL

EDUCATION: Ph.D. in Philosophy, Florida State University,
1967B. A. cum laude in Philosophy, Chico State
College, 1964. Law Student, University of Pacific
McGeorge

**PROFESSIONAL
EXPERIENCE:** Professor of Comparative Philosophy, CSU,
Sacramento, 1967-2005.

TEACHING AND LECTURING AREAS:

Basic

Courses: Critical Thinking
Introduction to Ethics
Introduction to Logic
Introduction to Philosophy

Advanced

Courses: American Philosophy
Business Ethics
Business and Computer Ethics
Chinese Philosophy
Comparative Philosophy
Contemporary Moral Issues
Ethics and Personal Values
Far Eastern Philosophy (Indian)
History of Ancient Philosophy
Medieval Philosophy
Philosophical Psychology
Philosophy of Education
Philosophy of Law
Philosophy In Literature
Philosophy of Religion
Philosophy of Science
Symbolic Logic

Independent Study Supervision, 1967-2005. 2-4 students per year. Diverse areas and numerous theoretical and applied topics in all of my areas of competence and specialization.

TEACHING OUTSIDE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY

HONORS PROGRAM: Experimental Honors in Inter-disciplinary Philosophy of Social and Behavioral Sciences, 1968-70

CRIMINAL JUSTICE: Professional Ethics in the Administration of Justice and Philosophy of Law In American Life (on campus as well as in the External Degree Program in Stockton), 1972-74.

**GRADUATE THESIS
SUPERVISION:**

Ph.D. Thesis, 2006-07, California Institute of Integral Studies (CIIS), “Angels: Agents of Synchronicity,” Professor Tammy Montgomery (Folsom Lake College). A thesis project directed by Professors Rick Tarnes (CIIS), Robert McDermott (CIIS), and David Long (Emeritus Philosophy, CSU, Sacramento).

Ph.D. Thesis 2006-07, California Institute of Integral Studies (CIIS), “Choiceless Awareness Through Psychological Freedom in the Philosophy of Krishnamurti,” Professor Amir Sabzevary (Folsom Lake College). A thesis project supervised by Professors James Ryan (CIIS), Connie Jones (CIIS), and David Long (Emeritus Philosophy, CSU, Sacramento)

M.A. Thesis, 2001, CSU, Sacramento, “Isoya Yoshida: Architect in a Century of Change.” Ann L. Fiske. This was a special major project blending Philosophy, Art and Interior Design. Supervised by Professors Elaine O’Brien and Lee Anderson in Art (CSU, Sacramento) and David Long (CSU, Sacramento).

Ph.D. Thesis, 1995-96, Bombay University, Department of Philosophy, Bombay, India. “Toward A Consciousness-Based Realist Interpretation of Quantum Theory: Integration of Bohr and Einstein,” Ravi Gomatam. A thesis project directed by Professor S. S. Antarkar (Bombay University). I acted as advisor, consultant, and Formal Reader on this project. I worked professionally with Dr. Gomatam, 1983-1997 in his capacity as International Secretary of the Bhaktivedanta Institute. Along with others, we planned and executed three international scientific, philosophical, educational, and religious conferences.

Ph.D. Thesis, 1995-96, Graduate Theological Union (GTU), Berkeley, CA. “Mystical Symbolism in Teresa of Avila and the Classical Kabbalah,” Sujana Burgeson. A thesis project supervised by Professors Daniel Matt (GTU), Steven Chase (San Francisco Theological Seminary), Mary Giles (CSU, Sacramento), and David Long (CSU, Sacramento).

M.A Thesis, 1993, CSU, Sacramento. "A Phenomenological Study of the Creative Process of Journal Keeping," Patricia Dickson. This was a special major M.A. project blending Philosophy, Psychology, and Art. Supervised by Robert Marrone (Psychology), Steven Kaltenbach (Art), David Long (Philosophy).

M.A. Thesis, 1992. CSU, Sacramento. "The Contributions and Limitations of Existential Psychotherapy," Susan Tracy. Supervised by Sohan Sharma (Psychology), David Long (Philosophy).

M.A. Thesis, 1992. CSU, Sacramento. "Existential-Ontological Analysis of Depression," Richard Lantz. Supervised by Robert Marrone and John Schaeuble (Psychology), David Long (Philosophy).

M.A Thesis Project, 1989-91. Vermont College of Norwich University, Maine. "Japanese Bizen Pottery and Potters: The Artistic, Philosophical, and Religious Traditions." I supervised Coloma, CA potter Brian Hayes, who documented the work of the first woman potter in the Bizen region of Japan to successfully enter into the ranks of the professionals there (Kikuyu Fujiwara). I was the Faculty Field Advisor for the project.

M.A. Thesis, 1987. CSU, Sacramento. "The Literary Symbolism of the Spiritual Quest and the Number Seven: A Comparative Study of the **Sat-Chakra-Nirupana**, **II Enoch** and **The Interior Castle**," Sujan Burgeson. Supervised by Mary Giles (Humanities), David Long (Philosophy).

M.A. Thesis, 1987. CSU, Sacramento. "Science, Society, and the Social Sciences," Douglas Ford. Supervised by J. David Lucas (Psychology), Robert Kloss (Sociology), David Long (Philosophy).

M.A. Thesis, 1986, CSU, Sacramento. "Rudolf Steiner's Epistemology," Steve Burman. Supervised by Mignon Gregg (Government), David Long (Philosophy).

M.A. Thesis, 1975, CSU, Sacramento. "The Psychology of Validity," David Minton. Supervised by Robert Marrone (Psychology), David Long (Philosophy).

INTERNSHIP SUPERVISION

University Supervisor for the School of Education. Supervision of a candidate for a Secondary Teaching Credential, Golden Sierra High School, Black Oak Mine Unified School District, Garden Valley, CA

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

PUBLICATIONS

"The Path of Remembrance and Return: The Circle of Sufi Masters," Introduction to **An Anthology of Sufi Sayings** by Professor Amir Sabzevary.

"Concepts of Consciousness: A Philosophical Critique," published in 1996 in the proceedings of the **First International Conference On the Study of Consciousness Within Science**, University of California at Berkeley and at San Francisco, 1990. Bhaktivedanta Institute.

"Critical Compassion: The Meeting Ground of Science and Religion," **Synthesis of Science and Religion: Critical Essays and Dialogues**. Proceedings of the first **World Congress for the Synthesis of Science and Religion**, Bombay, 1986. Bhaktivedanta Institute, 1987.

"The Dance of the Spider: Choreography by Frederick Mayer," Introduction to Mayer's fifth book of poetry, **A Familiar In A Strange Land**. BBTY Press, 1987.

LECTURES AND TALKS

"Business Ethics," presentation to the Delta Sigma Pi Business Fraternity, CSU, Sacramento, April 12, 2000.

“Hinduism: Culture, History, and Philosophy, two three hour presentations to K-12 school teachers as part of the **California 3Rs Project**, administered and facilitated by the CSU, Sacramento Cross-Cultural Center’s International Studies Project, February 15, 1996 and 1997.

“Chinese Philosophy,” presentation to Sociologist Amy Liu’s Asian Society Class, fall, 1999.

“Personal Identity: Cross-Cultural and Comparative Perspectives” and “Indian Philosophy and Religion,” CSU, Sacramento Committee On Ideas and Values, fall, 1989 and spring, 1990.

“The Fine Art of Crap Detecting,” and “Zen Buddhist Logic,” CSU, Sacramento Philosophy Club, 1992 and 1993.

“Zen Buddhist Logic,” **Mensa** lecture, January, 1989.

Panelist, Public Forum, “Art As A Path to the Resolution of Conflict,” initiated by the **Institute for the Development of Intercultural Relations Through the Arts**, co-sponsored by the CSU, Sacramento Department of Music and **The Sacramento Bee**, April 14, 1986.

“Professional Ethics and Psychotherapy,” CSU, Sacramento Department of Psychology’s Graduate Professional Preparation Course, October 1, 1984.

“Depth Psychology and the New Ethic,” Newman Forum, CSU, Sacramento, spring 1979.

“Education, Philosophy, and Socratic Self-Examination,” Workshop series conducted for the California Youth Authority Camp Inmates, Pine Grove, CA, 1979.

“Carl Jung and Archetypes,” CSU, Sacramento Psychology Club, Spring, 1979.

“Philosophy and History of Psychology,” CSU, Sacramento, Contemporary Issues in Psychology Course, 1971.

“Bridging the Gap Between the Context of Discovery and the Context of Justification,” CSU, Sacramento Interdisciplinary course on Science and Creativity, 1971.

“Philosophy of Science,” CSU, Sacramento Cognitive Processes course in Psychology, 1971 and 1975.

During the 38 years of faculty service at CSU, Sacramento, I have responded to numerous invitations to give talks and presentations to the community. These activities are too numerous to list. Many of the appearances were at local and regional schools where I provided a service to students from Kindergarten through the 12th grade. The topics included Critical Thinking, Moral Education, Applied Philosophy and Psychology, and Contemporary Literature.

Five invited appearances at the **Annual Franklin Merrell-Wolff Conferences** in Lone Pine, CA, 1981-85. Dr. Wolff was a philosopher and Mathematician as well as a scholar in Indian and Buddhist Philosophy, formerly of Stanford and Harvard Universities. His work spanned seven decades. My presentations were devoted to the Far Eastern, Indian, and Comparative Philosophy. Dr. Wolff was my mentor in Indian and Buddhist Philosophy and the one who encouraged and prepared me to initiate a course in Indian Philosophy at CSU, Sacramento.

PAPERS

“The Vaishnavite Way,” presented at the **Second World Congress for the Synthesis of Science and Religion**, Calcutta, India, January, 1997.

“Critical Acuity and Social Assessment,” paper presented at the First International Conference held by the **Institute of International Social Development**, Mayapur, India, January, 1997.

“A Western Philosopher Looks at Philosophy in India,” delivered at a university-wide gathering, Manipur University, Imphal, Manipur, India, January, 1997.

“Comparative Philosophy and Culture,” delivered at Manipur University on state television to an audience of university faculty and students, Imphal, Manipur, India, January, 1997.

Between 1984 and 2005 I presented talks at the annual Department of Philosophy **Jamil Nammour Philosophy Symposium** on a wide variety of topics covering philosophy, psychology, psychiatry, sociology, art, comparative philosophy and culture.

“Phenomenology of Human Form and Spirit in Classical Ballet,” presented in the Appreciation of Ballet as A Visual Art course, CSU, Sacramento, Spring, 1977.

“Phenomenology of School, or Holding A Mirror Up to Myself,” Departmental faculty lecture and presentation to the Central California Philosophical Association, 1974.

“Michael Polanyi’s Theory of Knowledge,” CSU, Sacramento Department of Philosophy Lecture series, Fall, 1967.

COMMENTARIES

Over the years I have responded to numerous invitations to provide commentaries on papers and presentations at Symposia, Colloquia, and professional conferences, including the CSU, Sacramento Department of Philosophy annual colloquia, American Philosophical Association, and university honor societies.

CONFERENCES AND SYMPOSIA

Member, International Advisory Board and Key Planner, **Second World Congress for the Synthesis of Science and Religion**, held in Calcutta, India, January 6-12, 1997.

Key Planner, coordinator, and Chair of Education 2000, summit gathering of education and business leaders in El Dorado County to consider and discuss the ways business and education can work together to improve academic and vocational education. The event was sponsored by the El Dorado County School Boards Association (of which I was president) and the El Dorado County Office of Education, September 15, 1994.

Planner and presenter, **Leadership El Dorado**, a six-month program to train potential community leaders. Participants were business and nonprofit organizations. The El Dorado County Office of Education coordinated the program. Los Rios Community College Chancellor, Marjorie Blaha, Pat Kirkland, Dean of Placerville's Consumes River College campus, and Deputy County Superintendent of Schools, Vicki Barber, and I presented the component on Education. 1993.

Presenter, **First International Conference on the Study of Consciousness Within Science**, Berkeley and San Francisco, February 15-18, 1990. Presentation of "Concepts of Consciousness: A Philosophical Critique." Chaired and conducted panel on developing criteria for the scientific study of consciousness.

Member, International Advisory Board and Key Planner, **First International Conference on the Study of Consciousness Within Science**, 1988-90.

Member, advisory board, planner, and coordinator, **First World Congress for the Synthesis of Science and Religion**, Bombay, India, January 9-12, 1986. Activities included program coordination as well as chairing and conducting two major sessions.

PROFESSIONAL AND PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

Sabbatical Leave, spring, 1997. Research and writing devoted to Hindu and Buddhist literature in order to enhance teaching in those areas and to produce a series of short books on key philosophies of the Far East and Middle East for use in high schools.

Psychotherapy training with Dr. Harold Stone, Kentfield, CA. 1984. Instruction, training, and supervised use of Dr. Stone's Voice Dialogue Techniques.

Professional and personal renewal workshop and advanced psychotherapy training with Dr. W. Brugh Joy, Yucca Valley, CA, August, 1982. Workshop/intensive attended by Psychiatrists, Physicians, Psychotherapists, and Clinical Philosophers.

Danforth Conference on **Myth, Folklore, Religion, and Literature**, Stanford University, July 12-23, 1976.

Sabbatical leave, spring 1976. Studies in the Phenomenology of Consciousness. Systematic reading of primary and secondary sources in the following areas: Archetypal and Transpersonal Psychology with an emphasis on the work of Carl Jung, Mythology, Comparative Religion and Philosophy and Literature. History of Religion, Literature and Cultural Anthropology.

TEACHING OUTSIDE THE UNIVERSITY

Clinical Philosophy. Transformational Psychology Group of school teachers, Georgetown, CA, July-December, 1983, on a month basis. Working from a clinical philosophical point of view, I provided a blend of Socratic self-examination, (Psychotherapeia), Dasein-Analysis (Medard Boss), and Psychotherapeutic strategies to help enhance self-understanding and work as professionals. A similar group in Sacramento met 1983-84 on a monthly basis.

Training sessions for staff and crisis volunteers, El Dorado Women's Center, Placerville, CA, November 19, 1982 and October 21, 1983. Essentially a compressed version of the approach used in Georgetown. The goal was the enhancement of self-understanding in order to serve domestic violence and other crisis clients more effectively.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION WORK

Coordinator and Chair, Central California Philosophical Association, 1974-80. An active regional group of philosophers from four and two-year institutions which gathered several times a year for presentations of papers and works-in-progress.

HONORS AND AWARDS

Numerous honors and awards for service as an elected official and community contributor.

CSU, Sacramento Meritorious Performance Award, 1986.

National Defense Education Act Graduate Fellowship, Florida State University, 1964-67.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Faculty Sponsor, Punjabi Student Association, CSU, Sacramento, 2000.

Chair, Assessment Committee and author of the Department of Philosophy's Assessment Program, 1999-2001.

Member, General Education Advisory Committee, School of Arts and Science, 1990.

University Reviewer, Assigned Time and Research Grant Proposals, 1984-85 and 1986-87.

Member, School of Arts and Sciences Meritorious Performance and Professional Promise Awards, 1985.

Chair, Curriculum Committee, Department of Philosophy, CSU, Sacramento, 1984-85.

Pre-Law Advisor, 1983-2000.

University Student Discipline Panel, Hear Officer, 1980-87.

University Planning Committee, 1980-82.

Chair, School of Arts and Sciences Grievance Committee, fall, 1978 and Spring, 1975.

Member, Reorganization Committee, School of Arts and Sciences, 1974-75.

Member, Budget-Finance Committee, School of Arts and Sciences, 1973-75.

Ad Hoc Committee on University Goals and Mission, 1971. I co-wrote the university's mission statement at the time.

Member, Faculty Senate, 1970-72.

Member, Academic Standards Committee, 1968-71.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

The lectures, talks, presentations, and trainings noted earlier constitute a portion of my community service over the last 38 years. As a resident of El Dorado County for 32 years, I served in various volunteer and elective capacities for school and community districts and organizations.

Member and Committee Chair, El Dorado Forum, 1990-2001. This is a civic organization, which brings together educators, business persons, social services representatives, and community leaders. The organization's focus is educational. Its programs and speakers encompass a range of educational, community, and county development issues. Each year the Forum presents awards to individuals, projects, and programs in education, historical, cultural, artistic, and business categories. I chaired the awards selection

committee and made a number of presentations in the area of arts and business/art collaboration.

Member, Board of Directors, El Dorado Arts Council, 1995.

Member and Vice-president, El Dorado county Board of Education, June 1992-December 1994. The Board is directly responsible for policy and administration of a \$15 million dollar budget, 350 employees, 30 educational and service programs, and service to 15 school districts.

El Dorado County Board of Education representative to the Council of Representatives, El Dorado County School Boards Association (EDCSBA), 1993 an 1994. EDCSBA Treasurer, 1983. EDCSBA President, 1994.

MILITARY SERVICE

United States Air Force, 1957-60. Highest rank A2C. Service with the Air Defense Command, Kinross Air Force Base, Sault St. Marie, Michigan. Newspaper editor, Base Historian, Public Relations. Overseas service with the Armed Forces Radio Service, Iraklion Air Station, Iraklion, Crete (Greece). Radio and television production and engineering. I was instrumental in planning, designing, and construction of the first television station in Greece. Also, journalist for the European Edition of the military newspaper, **Stars and Stripes**.

California National Guard, Infantry Company, Chico, CA, 1954-57. Highest rank Corporal. Infantryman, Squad Leader, as well as company clerk.

