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Professional Honors:

- Guggenheim Fellow – (1985-1986)
- National Book Award for Non-Fiction (short-listed): *The Life of Jane Austen* -- (1985)
- Pulitzer Prize for Biography (short-listed): *The Life of Jane Austen* -- (1985)
- Fellow of the Royal Society of Literature -- (elected 1985)
- Pulitzer Prize for Biography (short-listed): *Gissing: A Life in Books* -- (1983)
- Guggenheim Fellow -- (1978-1979)

Publications:

- *Eminent Georgians* (St. Martin's Press, 1995)
- *Novelists in Their Youth* (St. Martin's Press, 1990)
- *Jane Austen's Lovers and Other Studies in Fiction and History from Jane Austen to le Carre* (St. Martin's Press, 1988)
- *The Life of Jane Austen* (Johns Hopkins UP, 1984)
- *C.P. Snow: An Oral Biography* (St. Martin's Press, 1983)
- *Gissing: A Life in Books* (Oxford UP, 1982)
- *Trollope Centenary Essays* (Macmillan and Barnes & Noble, 1981)
- *Trollope and Politics* (Macmillan and Barnes and Noble, 1977)
- *The Theory of the Novel: New Essays* (Oxford UP, 1975)
- *Jane Austen: Bicentenary Essays* (Cambridge UP, 1975)
- Editor of four paperback novels in the Oxford Worlds' Classics series

Biography:

He has taught at the State University of New York – Stony Brook, the University of Southern California, the University of Sheffield in England, and Vanderbilt University, where he was Centennial Professor of English for twenty-four years before coming to the Claremont Graduate University in 2007. At Vanderbilt he won both the Outstanding Graduate Teaching Award and the Outstanding Educator Award. At Claremont he teaches graduate courses in Victorian literature and culture, the nineteenth-century novel and its backgrounds, Modernism, and contemporary fiction. He is also an Honorary Fellow of Wolfson College, Oxford University.