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Education

Ph.D. in Philosophy

University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota, 2000

Dissertation - *Resistance and Resilience: The Cherokee Tribal Tradition and MacIntyre's Communitarianism*

M.A. in Philosophy

University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota, 1994

M.A. in Peace Studies

University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana, 1992

B.A. in Peace Studies

Manchester College, North Manchester, Indiana, 1991

Academic and Professional Positions

Associate Professor, Manchester College

2011 – present

Assistant Professor, Manchester College

2007 – 2011

Director, Peace Studies Institute, Manchester College

2010 – present

Department of Religion & Philosophy

Phil 215: Ethical Decision Making

Phil 444: Philosophy of Civilization

Phil 385: Native American Traditions

Rel 205: Religions & War

Phil 201: Introduction to Philosophy

Phil 230: Logic

Peace Studies Institute

Peac 110: Introduction to Peace Studies

Peac 235: Literature of Nonviolence

Peac 120: Current Issues in Peace & Justice

Peac 333: Peace Issues

Peace 330: Analysis of War and Peace

Interdivisional Courses

Indiv 121: First Year Colloquium

Assistant Professor, University of Minnesota

2002 – 2007

General College (2002-2006)

GC 1456: Functions & Problems of Logic

School of Social Work (2006-2007)

SW 3810: Introduction to Peace Studies

GC 1350: Political Power & Social Change

GC 1908: Violence & Nonviolence in Civil Society

Associated Faculty, MacArthur Program/Interdisciplinary Center for the Study of Global Change,
University of Minnesota

2003 – 2007

DSSC 8310: Topics in Development Studies & Social Change

Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Saint Thomas

2001 – 2002

Philosophy of the Human Person; Ethics	
Professional Development Educator, HECUA (Higher Education Consortium for Urban Affairs) Urban Environment: Diversity as Resource	2001
Associate Program Director, HECUA Metro Urban Studies Term	2000 - 2001
Community Faculty Instructor, Metropolitan State University Medical Ethics; Intro. to Multicultural Philosophy	1999 - 2000
Instructor, University of Minnesota Intro. to Political Philosophy; Intro. to Philosophy & Cultural Diversity	1997 - 1998
Teaching Assistant, University of Minnesota Law & Morality; Intro. to Political Philosophy; History of Philosophy (Early Modern); Intro. to Philosophy; Intro. to Philosophy & Cultural Diversity; Intro. to Logic	1994 - 1998
Instructor, Institute of Foreign Languages; Dalian, People's Rep.of China English Conversation and Comprehension	1990 - 1991
Nonviolence Trainer and Resource Person, Fellowship of Reconciliation Skills For Change (Urban Life Center, Chicago, IL)	Summer1988

Academic and Research Awards

Plowshares Grant, Manchester College, 2008
 Interdisciplinary Research, Scholarly and Creative Activities Award, UMN, 2003 - 2005
 President's Faculty Multicultural Research Award, University of Minnesota, 2003
 Graduate School Dissertation Fellowship, University of Minnesota, 1998 -1999
 MacArthur Predissertation Research Grant, University of Minnesota, 1995
 Experienced Faculty Development Fellowship, University of Minnesota, 1995
 Graduate Fellow, MacArthur Program on Peace and International Cooperation, 1992-1999
 Graduate Fellow, Consortium for Institutional Cooperation, 1992-1994
 International Scholar, Inst. for Internat'l Peace Studies, Univ. of Notre Dame, 1991-1992
 International Exchange Scholar, Dalian, People's Republic of China, 1990 - 1991
 Selected Scholar from the United States, Pearson United World College, 1985-1987

Publications

- Gray Brown, K. and Brown, Michael P. (Eds.). *Nonviolence: Critiquing Assumptions, Examining Frameworks*. New York: Rodopi Press. [Forthcoming]
- Gray Brown, K. (2009). Introduction to Peace Studies: a syllabus. In T. McElwee, B. Welling Hall, J. Liechty, and J. Garber (Eds.), *Peace, Justice, and Security Studies* (pp. 119-121). Boulder: Lynne Rienner Publishers.
- Borsema, D. and Gray Brown, K. (Eds.). (2006). *Spiritual and Political Dimensions of Nonviolence and Peace*. New York: Rodopi Press.
- Gray Brown, K. (2006). Introduction: Beyond Safe Ground. In Borsema and Gray Brown (Eds.), *Spiritual and Political Dimensions of Nonviolence and Peace* (pp. 1-8). New York: Rodopi Press.
- Gray Brown, K. (2005). Fulfilling the University's Promise: The Social Mission of Developmental Education. In J.L.Higbee, D.B.Lundell, & D.R.Arendale (Eds.), *The General College Vision: Integrating intellectual growth, multicultural perspectives, and student development*. Minneapolis: University of Minnesota, General College, Center for Research on Developmental Education and Urban Literacy.
- Gray Brown, K. and Mayer, L. (Eds.). (2005-2008). *American Philosophical Association Newsletter on American Indians in Philosophy*. Fall 2005 (Volume 5, Number 1); Spring 2006 (Volume 5, Number 2); Fall 2006 (Volume 6, Number 1); Spring 2007 (Volume 6, Number 2), Fall 2007 (Volume 7, Number 1); Spring 2008 (Volume 7, Number 2).
- Brown, M. and Gray Brown, K. (2004). Access In Theory and Practice: Americans Indians in Philosophy. *American Indian Quarterly*. Vol. 27, no. 1-2, Winter/Spring 2004.
- Brown, M., Copher, R., and Gray Brown, K. (2003). Democracy is an Endless Organizing Drive: Learning from the Failure and Future of Graduate Student Organizing at the University of Minnesota. In *Steal this University!: the Rise of the Corporate University and an Academic Labor Movement*. New York, NY: Routledge.
- Gray Brown, K. (2003). Book review of *Going Native: Indians in the American Cultural Imagination* for *Hypatia: A Journal of Feminist Philosophy*, Fall 2003.
- Lewis, D., Gray Brown, K., Bergin, L., Sargent, P., Phibbs, A., and Scheman, N. (1998). Writing and Cultural Diversity. *Teaching Philosophy*, volume 21, number 1, March 1998.
- Brown, K. and Gray Brown, K. (1995). Soft-Kill: Nonviolence and Nonlethal Weaponry. *Peace Studies Bulletin*, Fall 1995.
- Gray Brown, K. (Ed.) (1988-1991). *The Climate Changer: monthly newsletter of the Manchester Fellowship of Reconciliation*.

Selected Additional Teaching and Organizational Experience

Faculty Workshop Presenter	
“Homophobia and Heterosexism on Campus,” workshop with B. Burdge	Aug. 2011
“Teaching Intolerance,” Class demonstration	Aug. 2009
Poster session presenter, “Introduction to Peace Studies”	Aug. 2008
Faculty Development Series Presenter	
“Online Teaching”	Dec. 2009
Conference Organizer	
“Nonviolence: Critiquing Assumptions, Analyzing Frameworks”	Nov. 2007
Concerned Philosophers for Peace Conference, Manchester College	
Assistant to Instructor	Jan. 2006
Peace Studies Program, Manchester College	
Peace Issues: Civil Rights travel course	
Visiting Presenter	Oct. 2005
“Challenges Facing Students of Color & Immigrant Students”	
Commanding English/College in the Schools	
Visiting Presenter	April 2005
“Traditions of the Historic Peace Churches”	
St. Luke Presbyterian Church	
Visiting Presenter	April 2004
“Direct Nonviolent Action and Civil Disobedience”, Phil 3007 (Wallace)	
Visiting Presenter	Dec. 2003
“Collective Nonviolence,” GC1421 (Buturian)	
Training Facilitator	Nov. 2003
“Nonviolent Direct Action,” Hamline Universtiy	
Workshop Facilitator	Oct. 2003
“Political Philosophy & Social Inequality,” MUST (HECUA)	
Visiting Presenter	Nov. 2002
“Nonviolent Resistance & Civilian Based Defense,” Phil 3307:	
Social Justice & Community Service (Wallace)	
Workshop Facilitator	Sept. 2002
Peace & Nonviolence Action Circle, Earth Charter Summit	
Faculty Advisor	2001 - 2002
Student Coalition for Social Justice, University of St. Thomas	
Program Assistant	Jan. 1997
Peace Studies Program, Manchester College	
Peace Studies Practicum in Northern Ireland	
Labor Organizer	Spring 1999
GradSOC/American Federation of Teachers	
Alliance of First Nations Graduate and Professional Students, UMN	1995 - 1998
Vice Chair and founding member	
American Indian Student Mentoring Project, UMN	1994 - 1996
Graduate mentor, American Indian Learning Resource Center	
American Indian Advisory Committee to the President, UMN	1997 - 1999
Student Representative	
Fellowship of Reconciliation	1988 - 2007

Local, regional, national, and international positions

Professional and Institutional Service

Resources Sub-Committee, Accreditation Renewal Process	2011
Faculty Advisor, Kenapocomoco Coalition	2010-present
Associate Editor, <i>Journal of Religion, Conflict & Peace</i>	2009-present
Faculty Ambassador, Peace Studies, Manchester College	2009-present
Core Assessment (W) Sub-Committee	2009-2010
Student Retention Ad Hoc committee, Manchester College	2010
Peace Studies Council, Manchester College	2007- present
Peace Studies Institute, Manchester College (chair, 2009-present)	2007- present
Senior Comprehensive Exam Committee Member, Manchester College	2007-present
Referee for Jo Young Switzer Award, Manchester College	2007-2010
External Reviewer, <i>Peace & Change</i>	2007
Co-Editor, APA Newsletter on American Indian Philosophy	2005 - present
Committee on the Status of American Indians (APA committee)	2004 - present
External Reviewer, <i>Journal of Peace Research</i>	2005
Program Advisor, HECUA Civil Rights History Program	2004 - 2007
Program Advisor, HECUA City Arts Program	2002 – 2003
Grant reviewer, Minnesota Campus Compact	2003
Faculty Advisor, University of Minnesota Promise Alliance	2003
Participant, Bush Early Career Faculty Program, UMN	2003-2004
Participant, Next Generation of the Professorate	2003-2004
Retreat Facilitator, “Teaching as Hopework”, Twin Cities Folk School	Jan. 2003
Retreat Facilitator, “Epiphanies and Usable Past,” Twin Cities Folk School	Summer 2001

Conference and Public Presentations

“*Sixty-three years of Failure: Peace Studies at Manchester College*”, panel presentation, Peace and Justice Studies Association, Memphis, TN, Oct. 21, 2011

“*Brethren Nonviolence*” Days of Our Lives Series, Manchester Church of the Brethren, North Manchester, Oct. 15, 2011

“*When Strangers Are Angels: the Spiritual and Social Movements of Brethren, Friends, and Mennonites in the Twenty-First Century*,” panelist and discussion facilitator, Presidential Forum, Bethany Theological Seminary, Richmond, IN, April 8-10, 2010.

Living Peace Church Traditions, with Ken Brown. **Faithful and Just: Progressive Brethren Speak**, Indianapolis, IN, Nov. 8, 2008.

Guest speaker, “What Is A Feminist?” Kenapocomoco Coalition, April 23, 2007

- Guest speaker, "The Spiritual Powers of Fry Bread: Current Issues in Native America," Kenapocomoco Coalition, Manchester College, February 12, 2007.
- Panelist, "What Can I Expect If I Go to College?" College in the Schools, University of Minnesota, Oct. 12, 2005.
- Guest speaker, with Michael P. Brown, "A Case of Civil Obedience: Weapons, War, and Nonviolent Protest," MacArthur Presentation, University of Minnesota; March 10, 2004.
- Featured Guest, with Michael P. Brown, "Nonviolent Direct Action and Weapons of Indiscriminate Destruction," *The Bat of Minerva*, Minneapolis/St. Paul public access program. Jan. 2004.
- Claiming a Space: Native Americans in Philosophy*, with Michael P. Brown. **American Philosophical Association**, (Pacific Division); San Francisco, CA, March 28, 2003.
- Featured Guest, "A Confluence of Native American Philosophy and Peace Studies," *The Bat of Minerva*, Minneapolis/St. Paul public access program. August 2002.
- Commentator, *Indigenous Numerical Thought in Two American Indian Tribes* by Thomas Norton-Smith. Panel series on American Indians in Science, **American Philosophical Association**, (Central Division); Minneapolis, MN, May 2001.
- Commentator, *Indigenous Peoples and the Human Genome Project* by A.J. Guerrero. Panel series on American Indian Philosophy, **American Philosophical Association**, (Pacific Division); Albuquerque, NM, April 2000.
- Black Elk Speaks, John Locke Listens, and the Students Write*, panelist with co-authors, **American Philosophical Association**; Pittsburgh, PA, April 1997.
- Does the Teacher's Personal Self Belong in the Classroom? Investigating the Interplay of Identity, Personal Experience, and Authority*, panelist, **Pedagogy of the Oppressed Conference**; Omaha, NE, April 1997.
- Radical Philosophy and Activism*, **MN Philosophical Society**; Arden Hills, MN, October 1996.
- One of the Clan: Traditional Cherokee Political Structure*, invited speaker, **American Philosophical Society** (Pacific Division); Seattle, WA, April 1996.
- Commentator on *Deep Diversity: Charles Taylor and the Politics of Freedom*, by B. Singer, **Society for the Advancement of American Philosophy**; Toronto, Ontario, March 1996.
- Soft-Kill: the Development of Nonlethal Weapons*, **Consortium on Peace Research and Education** (COPRED), Saint Paul, MN, June 1994.
- Building Community, Breaking Free: Five Hundred Years of Resistance*, youth activist panelist, **Fellowship of Reconciliation National Conference**; Snow Mountain, CO, July 1992.

Falling Short of the Vision: The United Nations in the Gulf War and the New World Order, **Peace Studies Association**, Boulder, CO, May 1991.

Desert Storm: A Just War?, **Manchester College Convocation Series**, N. Manchester, IN, February 1991.