

RICHARD J. MCGOWAN

Education	Ph.D. Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI (1985) Dissertation: "The Imperfection of Woman in St. Thomas's Doctrine of Woman" Director: Dr. James Robb
Areas of Specialty	History of Philosophy, Gender Issues, Business Ethics, Applied Philosophy, Moral Development
Teaching Competence	Logic (prop. and pred.), Ethics, Philosophy of Technology, Plato, Aristotle, Philosophical Anthropology
Courses Taught	Introduction to Logic, Predicate Logic, Introduction to Philosophy, Philosophy of Human Nature, Philosophy of Religion, Eastern Philosophy, Philosophy of Technology, Philosophy and Feminism, Traditional Political Philosophy, Parenting for Moral Development, Core Curriculum (Contemporary America; Ancient History; India and China; Modern History), Introduction to the Humanities, Creative Thinking, History of Ancient Philosophy, Business Ethics, Ethics, Biomedical Ethics
Teaching Experience	1974-76 Teaching Assistant, Washington State University 1976-82 Part-time Lecturer, Teaching Assistant, Marquette University 1981-82 Adjunct Faculty for Milton College, Milton, WI 53563 1982-89 Associate Professor, Assistant Professor, Lecturer, Milwaukee School of Engineering 1989-92 Associate Professor, St. Joseph's College, Rensselaer, IN 47978 1992- Paternity leave 1993-2000 Adjunct Faculty, Butler University 1994 Visiting Lecturer (full-time), Butler University 2004, 2005 Visiting Professor, Helsinki School of Economics 2000-present Lecturer in Philosophy, Butler University
Management/ Administrative	2005- present Advisor, Pre-Law Society; Co-Director, Butler Undergraduate Research Conference

Experience

- 2001-present Advisor, Best Buddies; Advisor, Women's Lacrosse Club; Rowing Club
- 1994-95 President, Nora Elementary School PTO
- 1990-93 Area Chair for Men/Men's Studies-Popular Culture Association
- 1991-92 SJC: Director, Core 10 (Applied Ethics Course for seniors)
- 1990-92 Chair, Saint Joseph's College Philosophy Department; Athletic Committee member
- 1983-89 MSOE: Chair, Departmental Grant-writing Committee; Benefits Committee; Faculty Advisor, DSP (fraternity); Departmental Grant-writing Committee; Chair, Academic Rank Committee; Executive Educational Council Delegate (liaison between faculty senate and administration); Chair, In-service Committee; Academic Rank Committee and Handbook Committee Member; Faculty Senator; Chair, Academic Rank Document Modification Committee; Chair, Foreign Language Committee; Faculty Advisor for the Fitness and Ski Clubs; Campus Assistance Program (crisis counseling)
- 1971-73 Building Supervisor, Upham Downs Corporation, Rocky Point, NY (job coordination and quality control for a custom home contractor)

Societies

American Philosophical Association, Science and Culture Association

Publications/ Presentations/ Creative Work

- "Thomas's Doctrine of Woman and Thirteenth-Century Thought," Proceedings of the Illinois Medieval Association, vol. 2 (1985)
- "Augustine's Doctrine of Woman and Medieval Thought," Illinois Medieval Association Annual Meeting (Northern Illinois University, 1986)
- "Male Instructors, Feminism, and Women's Studies, Round Three," National Association of Women Deans, Administrators, and Counselors Annual Meeting (Denver, 1986)

Book review of Radical Management, Milwaukee Sentinel, March 27, 1986

“De reductione artium ad scientiam machinalem,” Liberal Studies Educator (Clarkson University, June 1986)

“You’ve come a Long Way, Maybe: Feminism and Sexist Scholarship,” Wisconsin Women’s Studies Conference (University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh, 1987)

“Augustine’s Spiritual Equality: The Allegory of Man and Woman with regard to Imago Dei,” Revue des Etudes Augustiniennes, vol. 33 (1987)

“Anthropomorphizing Machines: Do Transformers Die?” Popular Culture Association Annual Meeting (Montreal, 1987)

“The Three Cultures and Children’s TV,” The Lion and the Unicorn (Johns Hopkins Press, Oct. 1987)

“Teaching Cooperation,” Proceedings of the South Atlantic Philosophy of Education Society (1987)

“The Three Cultures, Disney’s Work and the Concept of Magic,” Popular Culture Association Annual Meeting (New Orleans, 1988)

Organized “Oriental Philosophy” panel for the Midwest Popular Culture Association Meeting (Bowling Green State University, 1988) Presented paper: “Confucius, Kohlberg and Ways of Life”

“Philosophy and Reasoning Skills for Children,” Popular Culture Association Annual Meeting (St. Louis, 1989)

“Babysitting Children: Impossible Things a Father Really Can’t Do,” Popular Culture Association Annual Meeting (Toronto, 1990)

“Aristotelian Biology and the Transmission of Original Sin in St. Thomas Aquinas,” The Institute for Liberal Studies, Kentucky State University, Annual Conference of Science, Technology, and Religious Ideas (1990)

“What Did Randy Travis Teach Ellen Goodman, or, Is Male-Bashing a Thing of the Past?” Popular Culture Association Annual Meeting (San Antonio, 1991)

“The Three Cultures, the Transcendent and the Future of Homo Sapiens,” The Institute for Liberal Studies, Kentucky State University, Annual Conference on Science, Technology, and Religious Ideas (1991)

“Misogyny in Augustine and Sexist Scholarship,” The University of Dayton Review 21, 3 (Spring 1992)

“Letter Home in December,” (short story) Grasslands Review, University of North Texas (Summer 1992)

“Alterite in Bly and Keen,” Popular Culture Association Annual Conference (Louisville 1992)

Book review of Carnes and Griffen’s Meaning for Manhood: Constructions of Masculinity in Victorian America, Journal of Popular Culture 26: 1

Book review of Carnes’s Secret Ritual and Manhood in Victorian America, Journal of Popular Culture 27: 1

“Human Development-Infant to Adult,” Saint Joseph’s College Core Science Syllabus, Spring Semester, 1993

“The Legitimacy of Female Professors as Men’s Studies Instructors,” Popular Culture Association Annual Conference (New Orleans 1993)

Book Review of Hearn’s Men in the Public Eye, Journal of Popular Culture 27: 1

Book Review of S. Adams’s The Best Man, Journal of Popular Culture 27:1

Book Review of D. Morgan’s Discovering Men, Journal of Popular Culture 27:3

“On Preferential Retiring,” Popular Culture Association Annual Conference (Chicago 1994)

“Mimesis,” (short story) Flying Island (Fall/Winter 1994)

Book Review of T. and J. Lickona’s Sex, Love, & You, St. Anthony Messenger (February 1995)

Several articles related to children and their development in Kids Newslines (March 1994, May 1994, Sept. 1994, Dec. 1995)

“Reflections of a Male PTO President,” Popular Culture Association Annual Conference (Philadelphia 1995)

Book Review of T. Lickona’s Raising Good Children, St. Anthony Messenger (Nov. 1995)

“Rape, Rage, and Restraint in Beauty and the Beast,” Midwest Popular Culture Conference (Indianapolis 1995); published in Indiana Policy Review 8:1 (Summer 1997)

“Another Long Commute,” (short story) Grasslands Review #15

“Attribution, Cooperation, Girls, and Science,” with Dr. Garrett J. McGowan, Science and Culture Conference (Kentucky State University 1996), published in Bulletin of Science, Technology, and Society 19, #6 (Dec. 1999)

“Ethics, MIS, and Education,” with Dr. Matthew K. McGowan, Science and Culture Conference (Kentucky State University 1996)

“A World of Difference,” (essay) Indianapolis Star, May 18, 1996

“Ethics in an MIS Education,” co-author with Matthew K. McGowan, Philosophy in the Contemporary World 3:3 (Fall 1996)

“Preferential Programs in Academia and the Disproportionate Burden Placed on Young Male (Philosophy) Scholars,” Journal of Men’s Studies 5:4 (May 1997)

“Whose Bones? The Ethics of Authenticity and Curating,” co-author with Ray Schuck, Ohio Archaeologist 47:3 (Summer 1997)

“The Prescient Pedagogy of Plato,” Proceedings of the Institute for Liberal Studies Science and Culture Conference 9 (Fall 1998)

“Thomistic Fathers, Ruddick’s Mothers, and Empirical Evidence,” Science and Culture Conference (Kentucky State University 1999)

“Post-graduate Education and the Changing Interaction with the Pharmaceutical Industry: A Cross-Cultural Perspective,” with Sean Ekins, Science and Culture Conference (Kentucky State University 1999)

"So You Want to Become a Teacher, Do You?" Indiana Policy Review 10:1 (Summer 1999)

"What Did They Do With the Men?" Indiana Policy Review, 11:2 (Summer 2000)

"The Limits of Reductionism: The Shifting Genomic Paradigm's Impact on Industry and Academia," Philosophy in Science 9 (2001)

"Internet Commerce and the Transformation of Economic Exchange," with Matthew K. McGowan, Science and Culture Conference (Kentucky State University 2001)

"Investigating the Feminist Standpoint in Modern Science," Science and Culture Conference (Kentucky State University 2001)

"Is Diversity Skin Deep?" with Megan Morgan, Indiana Policy Review (Spring 2002)

"A World of Difference," Indiana Policy Review (Spring 2002)

"Multicultural Morality," Indiana Policy Review (Spring 2002)

The Evolution of Student Thought: "Revisiting Student Relativism," "Ethical Relativity and Student Responses," and "Strategies for Teaching Moral Minimalism." Panel presentation with Matthew K. McGowan and Garrett J. McGowan, Science and Culture Conference (Kentucky State University 2002)

"What Birch Bayh Still Isn't Telling You About Sex," Indiana Policy Review (Fall-Winter 2002)

"What the Star and the News-Sentinel Still Aren't Telling You About Sex," Indiana Policy Review (Fall-Winter 2002)

"Post-graduate Education and the Pharmaceutical Industry: A Cross-Cultural Perspective," with Sean Ekins, Foundations of Science 2003

"Can an Ecofeminist be a Feminist?" Proceedings of the Institute for Liberal Studies Science and Culture Conference 14 (Fall 2003)

"What Happened to the STAR?" Indiana Policy Review (Fall-Winter 2003)

“For the Heartships of Mom and Dad” (artwork) El Dia de Los Muertos Exhibition, Indianapolis Art Center (Fall 2003)

“The Argumentation for Abortion and Considerations of Future Generations” (invited paper) for “A Day on Ethics and the Environment,” Institute for Liberal Studies, Kentucky State University (April 15, 2004)

“The Best Multi-Cultural Lesson,” Indianapolis Star (June 6, 2004)

“Jason Baker, Star Among Stars” (artwork), with the Baker family, El Dia de Los Muertos Exhibition, Indianapolis Art Center (Fall 2004)

“Butler University’s Integrated Ethics and Law Course,” Tri-State Academy for Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting (November 2004)

“The Psychological Foundation for an Integrated Course in Law and Ethics” Journal of Learning in Higher Education (forthcoming); presented for the Academic Business World Conference (July 2005)

“So, What Do Feminists Want?” Indiana Policy Review (Spring 2005)

“Teaching Business Ethics from a Philosophy Department Perspective,” published in Fulfilling Our Obligation: Perspectives on Teaching Business Ethics, ed. Sheb True (Kennesaw State University Press 2005)

“Teaching a Law and Ethics Course” (presentation plus a short, written description in conference materials) for AACSB’s “Teaching Business Ethics” Conference (July 2005)

“Monica and Raymond, July 23, 2005,” a consignment of paintings (80 miniatures)

“For Deryk” (installation art) a shrine for El Dia de Los Muertos Exhibit, Indianapolis Art Center (October, 2005)

“Catherine Sabrina DeBrosse: the Cat Who Might Have Been a Dawg,” (installation art) for El Dia de Los Muertos, Indianapolis Art Center (October, 2005)

**Awards/
Honors**

Special Recognition Award for contribution to racial equality,
NTA/NSBE, MSOE chapter, 1989

Second Place, Jasper County Creative Writing Contest, 1990

Induction into Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society in recognition of
teaching excellence, 1990

Nominee, Father Kaiser Faculty Scholar Award, 1991

Nominee, Moralitas Award, St. Joseph's College, 1994

Outstanding Faculty Member, Spring 2003, from Sigma Chi
Fraternity, Butler University Chapter

Outstanding Faculty Member in the College of the Liberal Arts and
Sciences, from Mortarboard, Senior Honor Society of Butler
University, Spring 2003

Baccalaureate Speaker, invited by the Graduating Class of Butler
University, Spring 2003

Commendation for Teaching Excellence, Fall 2003, from Alpha Chi
Omega Sorority, Butler University Chapter

Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 2004, 2005

**Directed
Student Work**

Midwest Popular Culture Association Meeting, Bowling, Green
State University, 1988 (two student presentations)

Annual conference on Science, Technology, and Religious Ideas,
The Institute for Liberal Studies, Kentucky State University, 1991
(one presentation)

Butler University Undergraduate Research Conference, 1991 (6
presenters); 1992 (9 presenters); 1993 (6 presenters); 1994 (3
presenters); 1995 (6 presenters); 1996 (2 presenters); 1997 (3
presenters); 1998 (4 presenters); 1999 (3 presenters); 2000 (7
presenters); 2001 (4 presenters); 2002 (15 presenters); 2003 (13
presenters); 2004 (6 presenters); 2005 (5 presentations)

Popular Culture Association Annual Conference, 1993 (one
presentation)

Science and Culture Conference, Kentucky State University 2003
(two presentations)

Poster presentations(5) for “A Day on Ethics and the
Environment,” Institute for Liberal Studies, Kentucky State
University (April 15, 2004)

Tri-State Academy for Legal Studies in Business Annual Meeting,
2004 (3 presentations)

**Grants/
Funding**

ANC Pipeline Company Grant, 1986
Research and development of creative thinking courses and
curricula

Wisconsin Humanities Committee Mini-Grant, 1987
Organization of lectures on railroad history and the ethical issues
involved with an industry in demise.

Kalmbach Publishing Company, 1988
Public program of railroad lectures for the Society of Model
Engineers’ (student organization) “open house”

Saint Joseph’s College Lilly Endowment Grant, 1990
Public lecture by Dr. Tom Lickona for the college and town

Lilly Endowment, Inc. Grant, 1991
Ethics Workshop/Program for Saint Joseph’s College community
(faculty and staff)

Washington Township Schools Foundation Grant, 1995-97
Support for foreign-born visitors to Nora Elementary School’s third
through fifth grades to teach “A Common World, A Shared
Humanity”