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***WORK EXPERIENCE***

2011- Emeritus Professor of French

*University of Illinois*

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*Department of French*

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*Summer Study Program at the Université Laval, Québec*

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***RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS***

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**Books**

1991 *For to Speke French Trewely The French Language in England, 1000-1600: Its Status, Description and Instruction*. Amsterdam: John Benjamins.

A Chinese translation of this work will be published by the Commercial Press, Beijing, in 2019 (Translation by Changliang Qu)

1991 *New Analyses of Romance Languages: Proceedings of the Eighteenth Linguistic Symposium on Romance Languages*. Amsterdam: John Benjamins. (Editor, with Dieter Wanner)

1998 *Language Legislation and Linguistic Rights*. Amsterdam/Philadelphia: John Benjamins. (Editor)

2005 *Voices of the Elders: An Evening of Stories with the Baoulé* (= *Wortkunst und Dokumentartexte in Afrikanischen Sprache*, 22)*.*  Hamburg: Rüdiger Köppe Verlag. (Translation of Baoulé folktales (Côte d’Ivoire))

2006 *French: A Linguistic Introduction*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. (with Zsuzsanna Fagyal and Frederick Jenkins)

2007 *History of Linguistics 2005. Selected Papers from the Tenth International Conference on the History of the Language Sciences*. (= *Studies in the History of the Language Sciences*, 112). Amsterdam/Philadelphia: John Benjamins (Editor)

2010 *Chomskyan (R)evolutions* (Editor) John Benjamins Publishing Co. (Amsterdam/Philadelphia):

2016 *Language and the Law. Linguistic Inequality in America.* Cambridge, Cambridge University Press.

2018 Critical edition of *Liberté de la langue françoise dans sa pureté* (1651) by Scipion Dupleix. (with Marcus Keller) Paris, Classiques Garnier.

Under contract with Classiques Garnier (Paris), critical edition of *Remarques sur la langue françoise* (1634) by Jean de Wapy.

Under contract with Cambridge University Press, a second revised edition of *French: A Linguistic Introduction* (with Zsuzsanna Fagyal, Harriet Burnett and Mireille Tremblay)

**Journal: Editor of special issue**

2003: Editor of special issue of *Histoire Epistémologie Langage* devoted to Language Policy and Linguistic Theory

Forthcoming (2019) co-editor with Danielle Candel of special issue of *Études de Linguistique Appliquée*, no.

190.

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**Articles and Book Chapters**

1982 "Iço/ço: The i - Forms of the Demonstratives in the Chanson de Roland." *SECOL Review* 6: 122-30.

1985 "Progress in Renaissance Bilingual Lexicography." *Dictionaries* 7:21-31.

1986 "John Palsgrave's *Lesclarcissement de la langue francoyse* (1530)." *Historiographia Linguistica* 12:27-62.

1986 "The Humanist Period in Renaissance Bilingual Lexicography." *The History of Lexicography.* R. R. K. Hartmann, ed., 137-146. Amsterdam: John Benjamins.

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1988 "L'enseignement du français en Angleterre au seizième siècle." *La langue française au XVIe siècle: Usage, enseignement et approches descriptives (=La pensée linguistique,* 2), Pierre Swiggers & Willy Van Hoecke, eds., 54-77. Louvain: Leuven University Press.

1989 "Enseigner la prononciation du français au seizième siècle". *Documents de la Société Internationale pour l'Histoire du Français Langue Étrangère ou Seconde* 3:15-20.

1989 "Les manuels anglais du XVIe siècle et l'imprimerie". *Documents de la Société Internationale pour l'Histoire du Français Langue Étrangère ou Seconde* 4:18-21.

1990 "French Grammarians and Grammars of French in the Sixteenth Century". *History and Historiography of Linguistics*, Hans-Josef Niederehe & Konrad Koerner, eds. I, 301-314. Amsterdam: John Benjamins.

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1990 "Language Variation and Linguistic Description in 16th-Century France". *Historiographia Linguistics* 18: 49-65.

1992 "Renaissance notions of medieval language and the development of historical linguistics" *Journal of Medieval and Renaissance Studies* 22:41-54.

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1993 "Durkheim, Language and History: A Pragmatist Perspective". *Sociological Theory* 11:152-172. (Co-authored with Robert A. Jones)

1993 "The First French Grammar in English? Ms Walter Rye 38". *Historiographia Linguistica* 19:415-418.

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2003 “Louis Meigret, le parler lyonnais et les politiques de la langue française à la Renaissance” In *Lyon et la défense et illustration de la langue française*, Gérard Dufaux, ed., Lyon: ENS Éditions, pp. 63-75.

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(b) "Language Policy and Planning in the Context of Standard Languages", Handbook of Language Standardization, John Bellamy & Wendy Ayres-Bennett (eds.), Cambridge, Cambridge U. Press.

(c) "Understanding Prescription in Language: A Corpus-based Approach", *Histoire Épistémologie Langage* (with Alan Craig)

(d) “Le droit et la conception de la norme chez Meigret”,

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*Perspectives psychomécaniques sur la syntaxe* by Roch Valin. (*Modern Language Journal* 67 (1983): 85)

*Syntaxe comparée du français et de l'anglais* by Jacqueline Guillemin-Flescher. (*French Review* 56 (1983): 808-9)

*Geschichte des französischen Kernwortschatzes* by Arnulf Stefenelli. (*French Review* 57 (1984):922)

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*Dictionnaire inverse de l'ancien français* by Douglas Walker, and *Dictionnaire inverse de l'ancien français* by Ralph de Gorog. (*French Review* 58 (1985): 769-70)

*Dictionnaire explicatif et combinatoire du francais contemporain. Recherches lexico-sémantiques* by Igor Mel'cuk et al. (*Modern Language Journal* 69 (1985): 175)

*An Introduction to Old French* by William Kibler. (*French Review* 59 (1986): 1015)

*Maurice Grevisse und die französische Grammatik. Zur Geschichte eines Phänomens* by Marie Lieber (*French Review* 61 (187) 338-339)

*César-Pierre Richelet (1626-1698): Biographie et oeuvre lexicographique* by Laurent Bray. (*Dictionairies* 9 (1987): 220-222)

*La linguistique, la grammaire et l'école, 1750-1914* by Jean-Claude Chevalier and Simone Delesalle. (*French Review* 62 (1988): 381-382)

*Acquisition linguistique et interférences* by Jean Petit. (*Modern Language* *Journal* 72 (1988): 335-6)

*Grammaire vivante du français* by Monique Callamand and I*mparfait et* *compagnie* by Jacques Montredon. (*Modern Language Journal* 72 (1988): 471-2)

*La langue volée. Histoire de la langue française* by Jean-Jacques Thomas (*The* *French Review* 65 (1991): 355-356)

*Studies in Romance Linguistics* edited by Carl Kirschner and Janet DeCesaris (*The Modern Language Journal* 75 (1991): 533-534)

*Les Inventeurs du bon usage (1529-1647)* by Danielle Trudeau (*Historiographia Linguistica* 19 (1992): 409-414)

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*Vers la réconciliation? La question linguistique au Canada dans les années* *1990* ed. by Daniel Bonin. (*Québec Studies* 15(1993):160-161)

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1980 "Renaissance Vernacular Grammar and the Development of the Port-Royal Model." SAMLA-SECOL, Atlanta, GA.

1981 "Vernacular Language Instruction in the Middle Ages." Southeastern Medieval Association, Morgantown, WV.

1981 "Icil/icist: The i - forms of the Old French Demonstratives." SAMLA-SECOL, Louisville, KY.

1982 "Je me souviens: An Historical Perspective on French-Canadian Society." University of Louisville Seminar on French Civilization.

1984 "From Glossaries to Dictionaries: The Development of Bilingual Lexicography in the Later Middle Ages." 20th Annual Conference of Medieval Studies, Kalamazoo, MI.

1984 "Bilingual Lexicography in the Renaissance: John Palsgrave's English-French Lexicon." 3rd International Conference on the History of the Language Sciences, Princeton, NJ.

1985 "Progress in Renaissance Bilingual Lexicography." Dictionary Society of North America, Ann Arbor, MI.

1986 "The Humanist Period in Renaissance Bilingual Lexicography." LEXeter Conference on the History of Lexicography, Exeter, England.

1986 "Bilingual Lexicography in the Middle Ages." Le pluralisme linguistique dans la société médiévale. Montréal, P.Q.

1987 "Plus ça change... 600 Years of French Dialogues", American Association of Teachers of French, San Francisco.

1987 "Phonetic Transcription and Phonological Description in the Sixteenth Century." Kentucky Foreign Language Conference, Lexington, KY.

1987 "Cross-Channel Influences in Phonetic Description in the Sixteenth Century." Fourth International Conference on the History of the Language Sciences. Trier, Germany.

1987 "Source négligées dans l'histoire du vocabulaire." Seventh International Conference on Historical Linguistics, Lille, France.

1988 "Ancients, Moderns and Lexicographers: Literary Sources for Renaissance Dictionaries." Central Renaissance Conference, Terre Haute, IN.

1988 "Alice's Adventures in French: What the Grammarian Found There." American Association of Teachers of French, Boston, MA.

1989 "Language Variation and Linguistic Description in 16th-Century France". Georgetown University Roundtable on Language and Linguistics.

1989 Organizer of a session on comparative syntax (French-English) at the meeting of the American Association of Teachers of French, (Paris, July 10-13) with Jacqueline Guillemin-Flescher (Université de Paris VII), Anne-Marie Léonard (Université Paul Valéry, Montpellier), and Hélène Chuquet and Michel Paillard (Université de Poitiers).

1989 Organizer of two sessions on the History of Linguistics at the joint meeting of the Linguistic Society of America and the North American Association for the History of Language Sciences.

1990 "Reason, Usage, and the Development of Historical Linguistics in the 16th Century" Fifth International Conference on the History of the Language Sciences (Galway, Ireland) September 1-6, 1990.

1990 "Multiple Translations, Comparative Syntax, and the Teaching of French" Annual Meeting ot the British Association of the French Language Studies, Liverpool, England September 10-12, 1990.

1990 "Anglo-Norman Literature and its Public(s)" Modern Language Association Chicago, IL December 27-30, 1990.

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1991 "Renaissance Perceptions of Medieval Language and the Origins of Historical Linguistics". For presentation at the annual meeting of the Renaissance Society of America, Duke University, April 1991.

1991 "Durkheim in Translation/Durkheim and Translation" (with Robert Jones); invited for presentation at a conference entitled: "Humanistic Dilemma: Translation in the Humanities and Social Sciences", SUNY-Binghamton, Sept. 26-28, 1991.

1992 "Durkheim, Language and Linguistics", Linguistic Society of America, Philadelphia.

1992 "Intention, interpretation, intelligibility: computerized research in canonical texts". Association for Literary and Linguistic Computing/Association for Computing in the Humanities, Oxford, England, April 1992 (with Robert A. Jones).

1993 "Dictionaries and Usage in 17th-Century France: Le Naïf François" International Conference on the History of the Language Sciences, Washington, D.C., August 1993.

1993 "The History of Disciplinary Vocabulary: A Computer-Based Approach to Concepts of 'Usage' in 17th-Century Works on Language" Association for Literary and Linguistic Computing/Association for Computing in the Humanities, Washington D.C. June, 1993.

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1995 “French Culture on the Internet”, American Association of Teachers of French, San Antonio, July 1995.

1996 “Legal and Linguistic Perspectives on Language Legislation”, Language Legislation and Linguistic Rights, Urbana IL, March 1996

1996 “Une comparaison des lois relatives à l’emploi de la langue en France et aux États-Unis”, American Association of Teachers of French, Lyon France, July 1996.

1996 “Perspectives pour l’exploitation des nouvelles technologies de l’information dans l’enseignement des langues”, American Association of Teachers of French, Lyon France, July 1996.

1997 “Linguistics and Official Language Declarations”, Law and Society Association, May 1997.

1997 “The Dictionary in the Service of the State: The French *Dictionnaire des Termes Officiels* and its Virtual Successors”, Dictionary Society of North America, May 1997.

1997 “Language and dialect in the history of linguistics: A case study of the politics of Anglo-Norman”, annual meeting of the Henry Sweet Society for the History of Linguistic Ideas, Luton, England, September 1997

1997 “Linguistic Human Rights and the Nature of Language”, Linguistic Human Rights Conference and Workshop for NGO-Representatives, Budapest, Hungary October 1997.

1997 “Teaching Language Teachers to Use the Internet”, 8th annual conference on Educational Technology and Language Learning, Newcastle England, November 1997

1998 “Le *Dictionnaire de l’Académie Française* dans son contexte: la création d’une base de données axée sur la cinquième édition du *DAF*”. International conference on dictionary databases, Limoges, France, November 19-21 1998.

1999 “’Le peuple’, ‘les peuples’, ‘un peuple’ dans la pensée linguistique en France . 1800-1850”. Eighth International Conference on the History of the Language Sciences, Paris, France.

1. “Le Dictionnaire de Trévoux et la politique de la langue française”, Journées Internationales d'Études Lexicographiques sur le Dictionnaire de Trévoux 1704 – 1771, Trévoux October 15-16.

2000 “The equivalence of language and species, from organic linguistics to the ecology of language”, LSA/NAAHoLS, Chicago, Jnnuary.

2000 “’I know what ‘it’ means when I say it: Étude sur la traduction d’*Alice au pays des merveilles*”, American Association of Teachers of French, Paris, France, July.

1. “Patois in the histories of the French language in the 19th century”, Nineteenth Century French Studies Conference, Urbana-Champaign, October.
2. “Language Protection and Cultural Policy in France” meeting of the Foundation for Endangered Languages in Agadir, Morocco. (Joint presentation with Samira El Atia)

2002 “Les avant-coureurs de la norme 1453-1647”, UIUC-CNRS Conference: “The Authority of Images, the Images of Authority”. Joint presentation with Philippe Caron. April 29 - May 1.

2002 “Language and the Politics of Decentralization in France”, International Academy of Language Law, Iasi Romania May 23-25.

2002 “Le langage vicieux, l’enseignement et la théorie grammaticale: Le *Dictionnaire critique et raisonné du langage vicieux ou réputé vicieux* (1835)”. 9th International Conference on the History of the Language Sciences, São Paolo, Brazil, August 26-29.

2004 “Prescriptive traditions in linguistics”, Linguistic Society of America/ North American Association for the History of the Language Sciences, January 9.

2004 “Free trade, fair trade and the linguistic marketplace: economic metaphors and language legislation”, Ninth International Conference on Language and Law, Beijing, China, Sept. 15.

2008 “The Battle for the French Language, *ca*. 1650”, Eleventh International Conference for the History of the Language Sciences, Potsdam, Germany.

2008 “Teaching to the Test: French Usage Manuals in the 19th Century”, Annual Meeting of the History of Education Society, St. Petersburg FL.

2009 “Patriotic roots of prescriptivism”, Patriotism and Prescriptivism Conference, University of Toronto, Toronto, ONT.

2012 “Standardisation linguistique et innovation lexicale au XVIIe siècle: la traduction et l’idéologie du standard”, “Translation and Innovation”, Université de Paris – Diderot, Paris.

2013 “Enseigner le genre aux XVIe et XVIIe siècles”, Journée d’études Claude de Sainliens, Société Internationale pour l’Histoire du Français Langue Étrangère ou Seconde, Paris.

2014 “A Remarqueur before the *Remarques*: Jean de Wapy”, 13th International Conference on the History of the Language Sciences, Vilareal, Portugal.

2017 "Des 'commentaires' aux 'remarques' : la confluence des disciplines en linguistique appliquée" 14th International Conference on the History of the Language Sciences, Paris, France.

**INVITED LECTURES AND CONFERENCE PLENARY PRESENTATIONS**

1991 "16th-Century Bilingual Dictionaries (French-English): Organization and Access, Then and Now". University of Toronto Conference on Early Dictionary Databases.

1992 "Durkheim and the Language of Secular Ethics", Program for the Study of Cultural Values and Ethics (with Robert A. Jones).

1992 "The Politics of Language in France" Center for Advanced Study, University of Illinois.

1993 "John Palsgrave: External Perspectives on the French Language in England in the Renaissance", Indiana University, Bloomington.

1993 "Baret's *Alvearies*: Challenges for the Scholar" University of Toronto Conference on Historical Dictionary Databases.

1993 "Variation et norme dans l'histoire des dictionnaires du français" CNRS - Groupe d'Étude en Histoire de la Langue Francaise, Paris.

1994 "Traductions multiples et syntaxe comparée de l'anglais et du français" Université de Poitiers

1994 “Vive le franglais, crève la France - Perspectives on Language Legislation in France" Queen's College, Cambridge, England.

1994 "Who Spoke French in Medieval England, When, Why and How" Queen's College, Cambridge, England.

1994 "Language legislation: linguistic myths and political realities" Université de Liège, Belgium.

1994 "La langue poétique selon Palsgrave (1530)" CNRS - Centre d'Études Métriques, Nantes, France

1994 "Emigrant Languages and Acculturation: The Case of Anglo-French" Plenary speaker at the Rasmus Rask Conference on Emigrant Languages, Odense, Denmark.

1996 “The Kolb/Proust Archive: A Model for Textual Digitization and Enrichment”. Advanced Information Technologies Seminar, Urbana IL.

1997 “Searching for the Land of ‘Miwk’ and Honey: A Comparative View of Language Standards and their Implementation in France, the United States and the United Kingdom”, University of Durham, England

1997 "Standard Languages, Historical Linguistics, and the History of Linguistics, with Special Reference to Anglo-Norman", University of Cambridge, England

1997 “Perspectives on Linguistic Policy and ‘Linguistic Imperialism’”, University of Edinburgh, Scotland

1997 “Language Policy and Standard Languages in the History of French”, Research Seminar of the University of Newcastle, England

1997 “Language and the Law in the US and in France”, University of Northumbria, England

1999 “Left Meets Right: Reflections on Language and Power”, Center for Advanced Study, University of Illinois

2000 “L’enseignement de la grammaire française en Angleterre aux XVIe et XVIIe siècles”, Université Stendhal – Grenoble III, June 21, 2000

2000 “*L’exception culturelle*: French Cultural Policy vs. World Trade Policy”, Ford Foundation Seminar on Transnational Culture Industries, Sept. 6, 2000

2000 “Louis Meigret, le parler lyonnais et les politiques de la langue au XVIe siècle”, Inaugural Colloquium celebrating the transfer of the École Normale Supérieure to Lyon, “Lyon et la défense et illustration de la langue française”, December.

2001 “Language myths and language policy in France, 1480-1647”, Illinois Program for Research in the Humanities (co-presentation with Philippe Caron)

2002 “The Politics of Grammar in the French Tradition: 1800-2002” Georgetown University, Department of Linguistics, March 11

2002 “A Revolt Against the Revolution: Corsican Autonomy in Contemporary French Politics”, University of Pittsburgh, European Union Center, Department of French and Italian and College of Law, April 1

2003 “Language rights and immigrant languages”, University of Texas, Austin., Sept. 26.

2004 “La nature de la prescription”, CNRS, UMR 7597 Histoire des theories linguistiques, Paris, May 15.

2004 “Current issues in Law and Language in the United States” University of Beijing, September 11.

2006 “Language Rights and Wrongs: French Linguistic Protections and the European Context” Conference on Europe in Translation, University of Iowa, Iowa City IA, March 3.

2006 “Les modes d’institution des langues et des faits linguistiques”. Biennale d’histoire des théories linguistiques: Histoire des représentations de l’origine du langage et des langues, Porquerolles, France. August 28-September 1.

2006 “Teaching vernacular languages in the Middle Ages”. Medieval Multilingualism in England, France, and Italy. University of Wisconsin, Madison, September 21-23.

2007 “A comparative view of minority language protection”, Beijing Forum, Beijing China, November 2-4.

2007 “Linguistic prescriptivism in linguistics and in language”, Prescription en langues, Paris France, November 14-15.

2008 “Linguistics before linguistics at the University of Illinois : the Bloomfield years”, Linguistic Society of America, North American Association for the History of the Language Sciences, Chicago IL, January 3-5.

2008 “Minority Language Rights: Historical and Comparative Perspectives”, Indigenous and Minority Languages under Siege: Finding Solutions to a Global Threat, St. Thomas University School of Law, Miami FL, January 25.

2008 “The European Union’s Path Towards a Common Immigration Policy”, Center for Advanced Study Colloquium on Comparative Immigration Policies, October 21.

2008 “Translation, the State and the Standard Language in France”, Translating the Middle Ages, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, October 29.

2009 “Tyrannie et liberté dans le discours normatif en France au XVIIe siècle”. Paris, France.

2009 « L’hégémonie du français, l’hégémonie d’un certain français : statut et corpus de la langue française dans l’histoire de l’Héxagone ». Globalization, France and the Future of French. University of Chicago, Chicago IL May 22-23.

2010 « Continuités et discontinuités dans l’histoire du prescriptivisme français ». Congrès mondial de linguistique française, New Orleans LA, July 11-15.

2010 « Débats récents sur l’intuition comme base de la linguistique chomskyenne ». Journée d’études sur la linguistique chomskyenne, Paris, December 11.

2010 “Curious tails and curiouser tales: translating *Alice in Wonderland*”. University of Illinois at Chicago, October 28.

2011 « L’absolutisme politique et linguistique en France dans la première moitié du XVIIe siècle », Vers une histoire générale de la grammaire française ? Paris, January 27.

2011 “Rethinking Prescriptivism in Linguistics”, University of California, Berkeley, October 20.

2011 « Le prescriptivisme lexical dans le dictionnaire de Randle Cotgrave », Paris December 9.

2013 «  Jean de Wapy : un remarqueur non remarqué », Groupe d’études en histoire de la langue française, Paris

2013 « Language and the Law in the United States » , Center for North American Studies, Université de Paris Diderot

2013 « Scipion Dupleix et Claude Favre de Vaugelas : un combat inégal », CNRS laboratory, Histoire des Théories Linguistiques

2013 « Translating Alice in Wonderland : a window into the genius of the language », Centre d’études de la traduction, Paris

2013 « L’absolutisme linguistique et politique au XVIIe siècle », Histoire des Théories Linguistiques, Université de Paris Diderot

2013 « Chomskyan Revolutions : a fifty-year detour ? » LingLunch, U, Department de Linguistique formelle, Université de Paris Diderot.

2016 "Jean de Wapy: remarqueur avant *Les Remarques*", Groupe d'Études en Histoire de la Langue Française, Université de Paris 4 Sorbonne.

2016 "Politiques linguistiques en France et aux États-Unis", Université Cheikh Anta Diop, Dakar, Senegal.

2017 "Go (and) Ask Alice: What the Translators Say About the Nature of English and French", Conference *Say what You Mean/ Mean What You Say*, Université de Mons, Belgium.

2017 "Language, Equality and Fairness" 14th International Conference on the History of the Language Sciences, Paris, France.

2017 "Linguists and Lawyers" Edinburgh Linguistics Circle, University of Edinburgh

2018 "Le droit et la conception de la norme chez Meigret", Conference "Actualités de Louis Meigret", Université de Nice

2018 "Language Policy and Planning in the Context of Standard Languages", Global Perspectives on Multilingualism, University of Cambridge

2019 “Language Standards and Linguistic Inequality in Europe”, Language rules, language standards and linguistic inequality: multilingualism and variation in education, law and citizenship”, University of Nottingham

2019 “A Century of Language as a Human Right”, Queen’s University, Belfast.

2019 “Langue, dialecte, idiome, patois, parler : la politique des designations linguistiques en France”, *Biennale de la langue française,* Chicago IL.

**GRANTS AND AWARDS**

1985 Arnold O. Beckman Research Award. For a concordance of French-English bilingual dictionaries of the Middle Ages and Renaissance.

1986 University of Illinois Research Board Grant. For continuing work on the concordance project.

1988 Flora Hewlett International Research Award. For the study of comparative syntax and semantics through the analysis of professional translations of *Alice in Wonderland*.

1988 Language Learning Laboratory Course Development Award. For the development of computer-assisted instructional material for advanced grammar courses.

1988 Arnold O. Beckman Research Award. For additional work on comparative syntax and semantics through the study of multiple translations of *Alice in Wonderland*.

1989 Research Board Grant to continue the work on *Alice in Wonderland*; renewed for 1990-1991 as well.

1990 Appointment to the Center for Advanced Study for one semester to pursue research in comparative syntax and semantics.

1990 Arnold O. Beckman Research Award to develop a database of the works of the French sociologist Emile Durkheim (with Robert Jones).

1991 Appointment as Fellow at the Program for the Study of Cultural Values and Ethics, to pursue a project entitled "Durkheim and the Language of Secular Ethics" (with Robert Jones). Renewed for 1992-1993).

1992 Summer Stipend, National Endowment for the Humanities: "The Politics of Language in France".

1994 Grant from the Services Culturels, Ambassade de France, to create the "Centre Culturel Virtuel", a site on the World Wide Web for the dissemination of information about France.

1995 National Endowment for the Humanities, mentor to Kathleen Kennedy, awardee of the Younger Scholars Program.

1995 Program for the Study of Cultural Values and Ethics, Course Development Grant (Language Legislation)

1996 “Models for Electronic Resources in the Humanities” Critical Research Initiatives Program, Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research

1996 Cultural Services of the French Embassy, Support for the International Colloquium on Language Legislation and Linguistic Rights

1996 Délégation du Québec, Support for the International Colloquium on Language Legislation and Linguistic Rights

1997 Appointment to the Center for Advanced Study for work on linguistic human rights and language in the workplace

1998 William and Flora Hewlett Foundation summer grant for research on French language policy and translation during the revolutionary period.

1998 CNRS-University of Illinois collaboration agreement; co-principal investigator/leader of team of medieval and renaissance scholars; leader of team on “Language and National Identity”.

1998 Arnold O. Beckman Research Award from the Research Board of the University of Illinois, for a project entitled “A Political History of Language in France”

1998 UI-Online, grant to develop on-line professional development sequence of courses in Translation, Commercial, Scientific and Technical French

1998 Study in a Second Discipline Award, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, University of Illinois, to permit leave to study French law.

1. Grant from the Services culturels of the French Embassy to work on Internef project

2000 French Cultural Services, designation of the University of Illinois as a “Centre d’études pluridisciplinaires”

2001 Grant from the Research Board, “Histoire d’une notion, la locution vicieuse”.

2002 Grant from the Research Board, “Guides to bad usage in 19th century France”.

2003 CIBER summer course development award, to develop course on “Français juridique”

2004 National Center for Supercomputing Applications, Faculty Fellow

2005 Grant from the Worldwide Universities Network to organize an international research team on the topic of language reform.

2007 National Endowment for the Arts: Big Read Program (*The Death of Ivan Ilyich*)

2008 Office of International Programs and Studies/ Worldwide Universities Network: “Prescriptivism and Language Reform”

2010 Lester J. Cappon Fellowship in Documentary Editing, Newberry Library, Chicago for “Political philosophy and the establishment of the standard language in France, 1550-1651”

2011 Camargo Foundation residency, Cassis, France

2013 Fellow, Institut des Humanités, Université de Paris – Diderot

2013 Invited scholar, CNRS Histoire des théories linguistiques, Paris.

2016 Fulbright Research Scholar, Paris, France

2017 Invited Scholar, Corpus de textes linguistiques fondamentaux, Paris, France.

2019 Leverhulme Trust Visiting Professor, University of Nottingham