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Employment/Activities

- 2004 Organizer/Presenter, two-day symposium in Sanaa on “The Famous Forty And Their Cohorts,” sponsored by the Yemeni Center for Study and Research and the American Institute for Yemeni Studies, Sanaa, Yemen
- 1999-2000 Acting Director, Middle East Center, Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies (JSIS), University of Washington
- 1998-2001 President, American Institute for Yemeni Studies (AIYS)
- 1990-2003 Adjunct Professor and research scholar, Middle East Center, Political Science Department and JSIS, University of Washington
- 1985-93 Consultant and writer on Yemeni affairs (Exxon, USAID, MEI, etc.)
- 1985-89 Adjunct Professor of political science, Hunter College (CUNY)
- 1982-86 Research Associate, Kevorkian Near East Center, New York University
- 1979-81 Director, Mahweit Rural Development Project, American Save the Children, Yemen Arab Republic (YAR)
- 1979 Consultant on training and project design, Save the Children, YAR
- 1978 Head, rural social survey, Sir William Halcrow and Partners, YAR
- 1976-78 Researcher in Yemen on Yemeni politics and on an SSRC-funded study of first-generation Yemeni modernists and Yemeni development
- 1973-76 Associate Professor of political science, American University of Beirut (AUB), Lebanon

1969-76 Director, NSF-funded computer-based political data archive and analysis projects (MECCA and MEDINA), New York University (NYU) and AUB

1961-73 Associate Professor of comparative politics, Politics Department, NYU (director of graduate studies, Politics Department, NYU, 1971-73)

Education

Ph.D (and MA), political science, Princeton University, 1967.

BA, political science and history, Dickinson College, Carlisle, PA, 1957.

Personal

Born in New Jersey on 21 July 1935, divorced, no children, good health

Books and Articles on Yemen

“The Republic of Yemen,” in David Long, Bernard Reich and Mark Gasiorowski, (eds.), *The Government and Politics of the Middle East and North Africa*, 6th ed. (Boulder, CO: Westview Press, forthcoming, mid-2010). 197-225.

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“Yemen”, *Encyclopedia Britannica* (2000).

“Ali Abdullah Saleh and the Prospects for Democracy in Yemen”, *Middle East Insight* (January-February, 2000), 35-38.

“Yemen”, *Microsoft Encarta 2000 Encyclopedia* (Microsoft, 2000).

“The Republic of Yemen: The Politics of Unification and Civil War, 1989-1995”, in Michael Hudson, (ed.), *Middle East Dilemma: The Politics and Economics of Arab Integration* (New York: Columbia University Press, 1999).

“al-Yaman: History from 1960 to the Present Day”, *The Encyclopedia of Islam* (1998).

“‘It’s the Economy, Stupid’: The Political Economy of Yemen and the 1997 Elections”, in E.G.H. Joffe, *et al.* (eds.), *Yemen Today: Crisis and Solutions* (London: Caravel Press, 1997).

“The Yemen Civil War of 1994: Impact on the Arab Gulf States”, in Jamal S. al-Suwaidi, (ed.), *The Yemen War of 1994* (London: Saqi Books, 1995), 71-80.

“Historical Background”, in Zayd Mutee Dammaj, *The Hostage* (New York: Interlink Books, 1994), 1-13.

“The YAR’s Legacy and Yemeni Unification”, *Arab Studies Quarterly*, 14/4 (Fall 1992), 41-68.

“Prelude to Unification: The Yemen Arab Republic, 1962-1990”, *International Journal of Middle East Studies*, 23 (November 1991), 483-506.

“The Other Side of the Red Sea and a Little More: The Horn of Africa and the Two Yemens”, in David Korn, (ed.), *The Horn of Africa and Arabia* (Washington, DC: Defense Academic Research Support Program, 1990), 63-74.

“Oil Strike and Leadership Crisis in South Yemen: 1986 and Beyond”, *Middle East Journal*, 43/3 (Summer 1989), 437-454.

“State-building and Political Construction in the YAR, 1962-1977, in Peter Chelkowski and Robert Pranger, (eds.), *Ideology and Power in the Middle East* (Durham, NC: Duke University Press, 1988).

The Yemen Arab Republic: *The Politics of Development, 1962-1986* (Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 1987).

“The Yemen Arab Republic and the Ali Abdullah Salih Regime: 1978-1984”, *Middle East Journal*, 39/3 (Summer 1985), 287-316.

Other Publications

Numerous articles, review articles, and book reviews in the 1960s and 1970s on quantitative methods and on Middle East within- and between-nation conflict and cooperation in edited collections and the *Middle East Journal*, *World Politics*,

Comparative Political Studies, Journal of Conflict Resolution, The American Political Science Review, International Journal of Middle Eastern Studies, etc.

Numerous papers written for presentation at professional meetings/conferences.

Numerous project and research proposals, reports, training manuals, and evaluation studies.