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Education:

Ph.D., Political Science; Minor, West European Studies, Indiana University, 1990
M.A., Political Science, Indiana University, 1980
B.A., Political Science, Indiana University, 1979

Dissertation:

Liberal and Social Democracy: Political Culture in the United States and Sweden

Employment:

Present-2004, Senior Lecturer in Political Science and the Hutton Honors College, Indiana University

2000-2003, Clinical Assistant Professor, Dept. of Political Science, Indiana University

1993-2000, Assistant Professor, Part-time and Undergraduate Coordinator, Dept. of Political Science, Indiana University (LWOP Spring, 1998-Spring, 1999.)

1990-1993, Visiting Assistant Professor, Dept. of Political Science, Indiana University

Teaching Awards and Grants:

Summer, 2010. Course development grant from the College of Arts and Sciences to design "Living a Sustainable Life, an interdisciplinary team taught class focused on the Themester topic of Sustainability.

1998, 1997, Teaching Excellence Recognition Award, Indiana University College of Arts and Sciences, awarded by the Dept. of Political Science.

1997, Brown Derby Award for Excellence in Teaching, Indiana University Chapter of Society of Professional Journalists, IU School of Journalism.

1995-1996, Indiana University Student Alumni Association Student Choice Award for Outstanding Teaching

Teaching Fields:

American Politics, Food Politics, the Politics of Sustainability, American Political Thought, Comparative Politics, European Politics, European Community, Ancient and Modern Political Philosophy

Courses Taught:

Introduction to American Politics (lecture course and Honors seminar)
Politics and Food
The Politics of What's for Dinner
Living a Sustainable Life (interdisciplinary team taught class)
American Political Controversies
September 11: Before and After (course designer and coordinator of 14 faculty team-teachers)
Introduction to Political Theory
History of Political Theory I & II
American Political Thought (lecture course and seminar)
European Political Systems
European Community (lecture course and seminar)

Recent Publications:

In talks with C.Q. Press to develop *The Politics of What's for Dinner: Where our food comes from and why it matters*. Textbook/popular audience survey of food and politics.

Christine Barbour and David Tallent, *Tallent in the Kitchen: New Heartland Recipes from the Bloomington Restaurant*, under contract, Indiana University Press.

Christine Barbour and Gerald Wright, *Keeping the Republic: Power and Citizenship in American Politics*, 5th full edition. Washington, D.C.: Congressional Quarterly Press, 2012. (Published February 2011.)

Christine Barbour and Gerald Wright, *Keeping the Republic: Power and Citizenship in American Politics*, 4th Brief edition. Congressional Quarterly Press, 2012. (Published, January, 2011)

Christine Barbour and Matthew Streb, *Clued in to Politics: A Critical Thinking Reader in American Government*. Washington: Congressional Quarterly Press, 2009. 3rd edition

Christine Barbour, various food articles, *Bloom Magazine*, 2007-present.
(<http://www.magbloom.com>)

Christine Barbour and Scott Hutcheson. *Home Grown Indiana: A Food Lovers Guide to Good Eating in the Heartland*. Bloomington: Indiana University Press, July 2008.

Christine Barbour, "Slow Food, Real Politics," Indiana University Research and Creative Activity, Fall, 2007. <http://www.iu.edu/~rcapub/v30n1/slowfood.shtml>

Christine Barbour and Gerald Wright, *American Government: Citizenship and Power*, EMC/Paradigm, 2007. (Keeping the Republic, rewritten and retooled for secondary schools.)

Christine Barbour, *Food Fare*, food column in the Bloomington *Herald Times*, appearing biweekly February 2003 – June 2006. <http://www.indiana.edu/~cbclass/shared/column.htm>

Christine Barbour and Scott Feickert: *Indiana Cooks! Great Restaurant Recipes for the Home Kitchen*. Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2005.

Christine Barbour, Helping Students Become Critical Consumers of the Media, in Steven R. Knowlton and Betsy O. Barefoot, ed., *Using National Newspapers in the College Classroom*. University of South Carolina Monograph Series, No. 28. 1999. pp. 78-79.

Recent Talks and Conference Participation:

February, 2011. Taped interview for WFIU *Profile*, to air in April. *Profiles* is a weekly 58-minute program that introduces members of the community as well as notable visiting artists, scholars, and entertainers to the WFIU audience.

December 2, 2010, Delivered guest lecture: "If You are What You Eat, Who Are You?" To Prof. Peter Todd's Honor's class: Food For Thought: The Cognitive Science of Eating.

November, 5, 2010, Earth Eats Interview with Annie Corrigan.

September 9, 2010. Paper presented "Culinary Activism: Changing the Way Bloomington Eats, One Plate at a Time." Food and Citizenship Panel at conference on Citizenship in the U.S.: Integrating Domestic and International Perspectives. Indiana University.

June 25, 2010, Mini University class: "The Sustainable Table"

March 5, 2010. CLUES to Critical Thinking, Talk at the Texas Community College Annual Meeting in Houston, Texas.

January 31-February 7, 2010. Guest Fellow, The Hoover Institute, Stanford University to work on book proposal, *The Politics of What's for Dinner*.

2010, January 22-24, one of 5 I.U. organizers, *Bloomington Eats Green: A Campus-Community Conference on Building a Sustainable, Local Food System*. Supported in part by a grant from the Multidisciplinary Ventures and Seminars Fund, Indiana University, awarded to Catherine Tucker (Anthropology), Benjamin Schultz (Kelly School of Business) and me.

2009, December 11. Talk to the Indiana University Librarians Association, "If You Are What you Eat, Who Are You?"

2008, 2006, 2004, attended Terra Madre and the Salone del Gusto, Slow Food International, Torino, Italy.

2008, November 16. "The Blues? Try CLUES! A Simple Strategy for Teaching Critical Thinking Skills" presented at the National Council for the Social Studies Annual Conference, Houston.

2008, November 6. "The Blues? Try CLUES! A Simple Strategy for Teaching Critical Thinking Skills" presented at the Indiana Council for the Social Studies Annual Conference, Indianapolis.

2008, October 9. Talk to the Bloomington Kiwanis Club, "If You Are What You Eat, Who Are You?"

2008, June. Mini-University Session: "If You Are What You Eat, Who Are You?"

2008, August. Talk to the Indiana Institute on Disability and Community, "If You Are What You Eat, Who Are You?"

2008, January 5. Talk on Slow Food Movement to the Rotary Club.

September 21-23, 2001. Attended Project Vote Smart conference as consultant to reevaluate survey instrument and mission.

2000, November 17-19. Attended Project Vote Smart conference as consultant (reevaluating its voter education mission).

2000, October. Featured author, with Gerald Wright, on WebCT.com. Participated in online discussion of *Keeping the Republic*, and election issues.

Recent University Service:

2011-2009. Co-chair, Food Working Group, Indiana University Office of Sustainability

2011-2009, Member, Sustainability Advisory Board, Indiana University Office of Sustainability

2011-2010. Honors Faculty Mentor, Union Street

2011-2009. Sponsored Independent Majors (IMP): Brad Good (graduated 2010); Sara Swan

October 12, 2010. Panelist for ArtWorks: Running a Creative Business. IU's Career Development Center.

Fall, 2010. Talks with Diana Jacobs and Denise Gowin about establishing a themed dorm floor on the subject of food.

2010, January 24, Hutton Honors College Workshop, "Where Does Our Food Come From, and Why Does it Matter?" with Gary Nabhan and Joel Salatin.

Present-2007. Faculty Advisor to *Slow Food on Campus*, Indiana University chapter (actually chartered in 2008)

Present-1993. A Professor's Perspective. Annual series of talks (three to four per summer) for Freshmen Orientation. Audience is new freshmen and their parents.

2008, January. Hutton Honors College Workshop, "Is This Any Way to Choose a President?"

2008, November, Hutton Honors College Workshop with Prof. Peter Todd, "What's for Dinner?"

2004-1997. Member of the Advisory Board, *New York Times* Professors Expect the World. National advisory board on the use of the media in the classroom.

2004-1999. Faculty Advisor, Indiana Public Research Group (INPIRG)

Present-1998. Participant in the Freshman Learning Project (FLP) colloquia series.

Present-2001,1999-1993. Participation in Exploring Majors, an Honor's Division panel, with representatives from the faculty of SPEA, Business, and Economics.

April 2003, Panel member and discussion facilitator for Student Affairs Spring Symposium.

March, 2002. Moderator, IUSA Debate "Point Counterpoint" between College Democrats and Republicans.

February, 2002. Participant on *Pro and Con*, moderated by Myles Brand, on the subject "The War at Home."

2002. Faculty Advisor. Political Science Club.

2002-2001. Faculty Advisor for Hoosier Review, an online student journal of conservative thought and politics.

Fall, 2001. Designed and organized Y200 – September 11: Before and After.

October 20, 2001. Participated as panelist in Office for Women's Affairs Conference on Women.

September 24, 2001. Moderated Union Board Panel: "Is Peace a Possibility?"

2000, Fall. Evaluated and ranked audience questions for Union Board sponsored talk by Colin Powell.

2000, April. Panelist at debate between John Hamilton and Paul Perry, candidates in Democratic primary for Indiana's 8th District, sponsored by College Democrats.

Recent Community Service

Present-2005. Director, Slow Food Bloomington

Present-2008, Food Editor, *Bloom Magazine*

2008-present, Served on Board, Home Grown Indiana Farm Tours (With the City of Bloomington.)

2006-2009, Served on Board, Bloomington Winter Farmers Market

2008, Served on the Board, Art of Chocolate, Options for Better Living.