

Curriculum Vitae
David J. McMenam, Ph.D.

Current Position: Associate Professor of the Practice
Department of Philosophy, Boston College

Education: Fordham University: B.A., Economics
Villanova University: M.A., Philosophy
Washington Theological Union: graduate study in Systematic
Theology
Boston College: Ph.D., Philosophy

Previous Positions: Director, PULSE Program for Service Learning, 1992-2013
Villanova University (1984-86)
Assistant Dean of Students; Instructor, Philosophy Department
Co-founder, Villanova University Center for Peace and Justice
Education.
Co-founder, Villanova Programs for Response to Student Drug
and Alcohol Abuse (which has evolved into the Center for
Alcohol and Drug Assistance).
University Retreat Team, Villanova

Recent Publication:

Invited Chapter
*Transforming Ourselves, Transforming the World; Justice in
Jesuit Higher Education*; (New York: Fordham University
Press, 2013)

Service-Learning Related Addresses:

“The Role of Faith in the Delivery of Social Services.” New York
City Dept. of Homeless Services Annual Outreach Conference.
October 2001.

“Service Learning: Pedagogy for Spirituality and Citizenship”
Keynote address at Taiwanese Government sponsored National
Conference on Service Learning at Fu Jen Catholic University,
Taipei. January 2000.

“Aristotle and Ignatius: Foundations for Curricular Integration of
Service-Learning.” Keynote address for Faculty Convocation
of Ateneo de Manila University, Philippines. January 1999.

Service-Learning Papers and Panel Presentations:

"Combining University Mission, Student Development and Student Vocational Discernment in Service Learning,"
Creighton University Symposium on Service Learning, April 2002.

"Service-Learning in Jesuit and Catholic Higher Education."
College of the Holy Cross, Faculty/Staff Seminar. March 2001

Papers and Panel Presentations (cont'd):

"Model Programs in Service Learning,"

- National Conference on the Commitment to Justice in Jesuit Higher Education, Santa Clara University, October 2000.
- Regional Conference on the Commitment to Justice in Jesuit Higher Education, Boston College, October 1999.

"Integrating Discipleship and Citizenship," Andrews-McMeel
Annual Conference: Service Learning in Catholic Higher
Education. University of Notre Dame, November 2000.

"The Informing Vision in Service," National Conference on Youth
Service. Harvard University, Spring 2001.

Similar addresses or related presentations have been made to
faculty and administrators of the following institutions:
Creighton University (in addition to the symposium above)
College of the Holy Cross (in addition to the seminar
above)
Loyola College in Maryland; LeMoyne College
University of Scranton; Barry University
Mt. St. Mary's College; Bentley College

Recent/Current Professional Activities:

National Planning team for the AJCU series of Conferences on the
Commitment to Justice in Jesuit Higher Education, from
February 1998 up to and including the National Conference at
Santa Clara in October 2000.

Coordinator of the Eastern Regional Conference on the
Commitment to Justice in Jesuit Higher Education; Boston
College, October 1999.

National Planning Team for the two-year follow-up Conference on
the Commitment to Justice in Jesuit Higher Education. October
2002 at Loyola University, Chicago.

National Steering Committee for creation of a Justice Group within the Association of Jesuit Colleges and Universities (Present, ongoing)

National Steering Committee for follow-up on the process of implementing action plans developed through the above conferences. (Present, ongoing)

Member of Directors of Service Learning Programs at Jesuit Colleges and Universities. (1995-2013)