

Curriculum Vitae (short)

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TEACHING AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

Fall 1997 -: Professor of English, Cornell University
Summer 2003: School for Criticism and Theory (two week mini-seminar)
Summer 2001: Faculty, Scandinavian Summer School of Literature and Theory
Visiting Professor of Comparative Literature, Hamilton College
Spring 1990-: Associate Professor of English, Cornell
Spring 1985-: Assistant Professor of English, Cornell
Fall 1983-: Instructor, Department of English, Cornell

Director, Future of Minority Studies Summer Institute (2005 – present)
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PUBLICATIONS (Selective)

Books

Literary Theory and the Claims of History: Postmodernism, Objectivity, Multicultural Politics (Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 1997; South Asian Edition: Delhi: Oxford University Press, 1998).

Identity Politics Reconsidered. Co-edited with Linda Martin Alcoff, Michael Hames-Garcia, and Paula Moya. New York: Palgrave, 2006

Six Acres and a Third by Fakir Mohan Senapati. Co-translated with Jatindra K. Nayak, Rabi Shankar Mishra, and Paul St-Pierre. With an Introduction by Satya P. Mohanty. Berkeley: University of California Press, 2005/New Delhi: Penguin, 2006.

The Future of Diversity: Academic Leaders Reflect on American Higher Education. Co-edited with Daniel Little. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, in press; to appear in Spring 2010.

Related Publications

Reclaiming Identity: Realist Theory and the Predicament of Postmodernism, ed. Paula Moya and Michael Hames-García (Berkeley: U California Press, 2000; South Asian Edition: Hyderabad: Orient Longman). [This interdisciplinary collection is devoted to the “realist theory” of identity and multiculturalismI argued for in my 1993 and 1997 publications; it reprints my 1993 publication “The Epistemic Status of Cultural Identity” as the lead essay.]

Special Issue of New Literary History devoted to the subject of my essay “Can Our Values Be Objective? On Ethics, Aesthetics, and Progressive Politics” (Autumn 2001); the issue includes my essay and several essays that respond to it.

EDUCATION

Ph.D., English, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, awarded 1985.

A. M., English, University of Illinois, 1978.

School for Criticism and Theory, Irvine, California, Summer 1978.

M. A., English, University of Delhi, India, 1976.

B. A., Honors in English, University of Delhi, 1974.

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, AWARDS

Grant from the Einaudi Center for International Studies, Cornell University, to organize a research project in India and the U.S. on “Literature, Religion, and Folk Culture.”

A multi-year (\$350,000) grant from The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation to run the national FMS Summer Institute (a two-week seminar and a colloquium) at Cornell, 2005-2007. Renewed 2007 – 2010 (\$630,000). Principal Investigator: Satya P. Mohanty.

Grant from the Society for the Humanities, Cornell, to organize a colloquium titled “Religion, Literature, and the Needs of a Secular Polity,” in Aurangabad, India (December 2000)

Several annual grants from the Vice President for Research, Cornell, and the Society for the Humanities, Cornell, to lead a team of scholars and translators working on translations and scholarly analysis of Indian literature (1992 – present)

Research Grant, ACLS-Social Science Research Council, 1989-90

Fellow, American Council of Learned Societies (Recent Recipients Category), Spring 1989

Research Grant, Social Science Research Council, Summer 1988 (declined)

Faculty Fellow, Society for the Humanities, Cornell, 1987-8