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- Moses and the Magicians in the Medieval Latin and Islamic Worlds, University of Freiburg-im-Brisgau, June 12, 2012.
- Animal Cognition according to Philosophers in the Islamic World, The Catholic University of America, November 16, 2012.

Moses and the Magicians in the Latin and the Islamic Worlds, Institut Catholique, Paris, May 30, 2012.

Al-Fârâbî on whether animals speak, The Catholic University of America Workshop on Medieval Philosophy, February 17, 2012.

Al-Fârâbî on Intersubjectivity in this Life and Thereafter, Subjectivity and Sociability in the Arabic and Latin Traditions, organized by the University of Syväskylä (Finland) in Paris, April 28-30, 2010.

- Metaphysics or Logic? Avicenna on Modes of Existence, Internatioanl Workshop on Semantics of Being: Univocity, Equivocity, Analogy, Loyola University, MD, March 2-5.
- Al-Farabi on How to translate Philosophical Terms, 8th International Conference of SIHSPAI (Société Internatioanle d'Histoire des Sciences et de la Philosophie Arabe et Islamique), London, Dec. 3, 2010.
- Avicennan Troubles: The Mysteries of the Heptagonal House and the Phoenix, Universidad Panamericana, Mexico City, November 8, 2010.
- Al-Fârâbî: An Arabic Account of the Origin of Language and of Philosophical Vocabulary, Presidential Address, Annual Meeting of the American Catholic Philosophical Association, Baltimore, November 7, 2010.
- The Interrelations of Causes in Avicenna's Physics, I, 11, Philosophy in the Avciennan Tradition: An International Discussion organized by Brigham University in Park City, Utah, June 8-10, 2010.
- Duns Scotus' Quaestiones surper secundum et tertium De Anima and Avicenna, Colloquium on Philosophical Psychology in Medieval Arabic and Latin Aristotelianism, Memorial for Edward P. Mahoney, Duke University, November 6-7, 2009.
- Causation in al-Fârâbî, PMR (Patristic Medieval and Renaissance) Conference, Villanova, October 16-18, 2009.
- The Misadventures of *Timaeus arabus*, Kalamazoo, May 8, 2009.
- Ibn Sina, Avicenna and Duns Scotus, University of Toronto Colloquium in Medieval Philosophy, September 19-20, 2008.
- La noétique d'al-Râzî, C.N.R.S. Paris, June 19-20, 2008.
- Duns Scotus' Quaestiones surper secundum et tertium De Anima and Avicenna, Colloquium on Philosophical Psychology in Medieval Arabic and Latin Aristotelianism, Mexico May 29-30, 2008.
- How Did Speech Begin? Al-Fârâbî's Answer in the *Kitâbal-Hurûf*, Professor Muhsin Mahdi Memorial, Harvard University, May 5, 2008.
- Can Averroes Blame al-Farabi for his Mistakes on the Intellect?, Vanderbilt, December 7, 2007.
- Panel Member at MESA, Montreal, Nov. 23, 2007.
- Keynote speaker "Eden-speak: Muslim and Christian Thinkers on the Origin of Language and the Multiplicity of Idioms" at the Annual Meeting of the Louisiana Consortium for Medieval and Renaissance Studies at Loyola University New Orleans, October 26-28, 2007;
- Plenary speaker, "Ibn Sina, Avicenna and Duns Scotus" at The First Session of the International Quadruple Congress, John Duns Scotus 1308-2008, The Franciscan Institute, St. Bonaventure Institute, N.Y., Oct. 18-21, 2007;
- Islam and Christianity: One Divine and Human Language or Many Human Languages, in the Philosophy-Theology Lecture Series at Creighton University, April 3, 2007;
- Islam and Christianity: One Divine and Human Language or Many Human Languages, for *The Muslim, Christian, and Jewish Heritage: Philosophical and Theological Explorations in the Abrahamic Traditions,* Marquette University, Feb. 28-March 2, 2007;
- Why on Earth Should the Philosopher King also Be a Prophet?, University of North Carolina at Asheville, February 8, 2006;
- Member of the panel on Medieval Arabic Political philosophy at the annual MESA meeting, Boston, Nov. 17-19, 2006;
- Commentary on a paper on Arabic Philosophy at the ACPA (American Catholic Philosophical Association), Granville, OH, Oct. 27-29, 2006;
- Chair of a session on Yahya ibn 'Adi at *In the Age of al-Fârâbî: Islamic Thought in the* 4th/10th Century, London, June 15-16, 2006;
- "Perrier with a Tangerine Twist or How to Integrate Islamic Philosophy in a Course of History of Medieval Philosophy," International Congress in Medieval Studies, Kalamazoo, May 5, 2006;
- Member of the panel on Medieval Arabic Political Philosophy at the annual MESA (Middle Eastern Studies Association) meeting, Washington, D.C., Nov. 22, 2005;
- "The Conception of God in Islam and Christianity" at the Universidad de los Andes and for the Department of Arabic studies of the Universidad de Chile, Santiago, Chile, May 22, 2005.

Awards:

- On November 19, 2022, Aquinas Medal at the meeting of the American Catholic Philosophical Association
- In July 2019 Award for Medieval Studies in Naples, Italy at the SIEPM (Société Internationale d'Étude de la Philosophie Médiévales) Congress
- In May 2018 A Service Award from The Catholic University of America
- In September 2014 the Marianist Award at the University of Dayton.

Offices:

Member of the editorial board of the series Philosophy in the Abrahamic Traditions of the Middle Ages, published by Brepols in Turnhout, Belgium (2016-).

Member of the Directing Board of the Journal of the History of Philosophy (2015-19).

President of SIHSPAI (Société Internationale d'Histoire des Sciences et de la Philosophie Arabes et Islamiques) (2010-17) (the seat is at the CNRS in Paris);

- Member of the Scientific Board of *On What There Was –Conceptions of Being 500-1650, East and West* (a European project) (2010-);
- Member of the Editorial Board of *Studia graeco-arabica* (2010-);
- Member of the Academic Board of Islamic Translation Series, Brigham Young University Press (2011-17);
- Member of the Scientific Board for *International Philosophical Bibliography*, formerly known as *Répertoire bibliographique de Louvain* (2009-);
- President of the American Catholic Philosophical Association (2009-2010);
- Vice-President of the American Catholic Philosophical Association (2008-2009);
- Program Director for the Society for Medieval and Renaissance Philosophy (2007-2008);
- Member of the Editorial Board of the Journal of Islamic Philosophy (2005-);
- Faculty Marshall (2003-18);
- Director of the Center for Medieval and Byzantine Studies (2001-2006) and Interim Director Summer 2008;
- Director of the new Minor in Islamic World Studies (2007-2011);
- President of the Society for Medieval and Renaissance Philosophy (2000-2002) and Vice-President (1998-2000);
- Member of the Executive Council of the Société Internationale d'Histoire des Sciences et de la Philosophie Arabes et Islamiques, 1998-2006 & 2010-2017 ;
- Secretary of the American Catholic Philosophical Association (1990-1992 and 1993-1997);

Member of the Board of Trustees of the DeSales School of Theology (1995-1997);

Member of the Steering Committee for the 1996 International Meeting of the Société Internationale

d'Histoire des Sciences et de la Philosophie Arabes et Islamiques/International Society for the History of Arabic and Islamic Science and Philosophy;

Member of the Executive Council of the Society for Medieval and Renaissance Philosophy (1993-1997);

- Member of the Program Committee of the American Philosophical Association, Eastern Division (1991-1992);
- Assistant Dean, School of Philosophy, The Catholic University of America (1991-1992);
- Member of the Steering Committee for the Program in Medieval and Byzantine Studies, The Catholic University of America (1987-2001);

Member of the Board of Editorial Consultants for the Journal *Medieval Philosophy and Theology;* Member of the Editorial Board of the *Journal of the History of Philosophy;*

- Member of the Board of Editorial Consultants of History of Philosophy Quarterly (1999-2003),
- Member of the Board of the Aquinas in Translation Series for C.U.A. Press;

Member of the Editorial Board of C.U.A. Press (1996-99);

Member of the American Steering Committee of F.I.S.P. (Fédération Internationale des Sociértés Philosophiques) for the 1998 World Congress of Philosophy

Philosophiques) for the 1998 World Congress of Philosophy.

Teaching Awards: Academic year 2016-17, Inspiring Teacher December 1994, Teacher of the Month.