

ELLA W. KIRK

EDUCATION:

Ph.D., Department of French and Italian, The
Ohio State University, Columbus, March, 1992.

M.A., French, The Ohio State University, 1985.

M.A. program, Teaching English as a Second Language,
Ball State University, 1982-83.

B.A., French, Spanish, Ball State University, Muncie,
Indiana, 1981.

L'Université Laval, Quebec, Canada, summer, 1981.

Goethe Institut, Nancy, France, 1982. German courses.

Hiram College, Hiram, Ohio, 1994. Japanese courses; 2006, Arabic courses

WORK EXPERIENCE:

2008- PROFESSOR, French, Foreign Language Department, Hiram College, Hiram, Ohio.

2007-2009 FACULTY CHAIR, Hiram College.

1998-2008 ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, French, Foreign Language Department, Hiram
College, Hiram, Ohio.

2003- CHAIR, Foreign Language Department, Hiram College

1997-2000 CHAIR, Foreign Language Department, Hiram College

1993-1998 ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, French, Foreign Language Department,
Hiram College, Hiram, Ohio.

1995-2001 DIRECTOR, English as a Second Language Program, Hiram
College, Hiram, Ohio.

1989-93 VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, French, Department of
Modern Languages, Union College, Schenectady, New York.

1986-87 COORDINATOR for 1987 Humanities Symposium, "The
Educated Citizen and the University of the Future."
College of Humanities, The Ohio State University.

1982-83 TEACHER, Delaware County Association of Gifted

Children, Muncie, Indiana. Beginning French.

1981-82 LECTURER, Department of English, Université de Nancy II, Nancy, France.

COORDINATOR, Cucès-Université Nancy, France.
Intensive English Weekend Workshops for French students.

ORGANIZATIONS/HONORS/AWARDS

Awards:

LEADERSHIP PORTAGE COUNTY, Hiram College. 2008-09.

MICHAEL STARR NEW FACULTY AWARD, Hiram College, 1997.

PAUL E. MARTIN FACULTY AWARD, Hiram College, 1997, 1999, 2008, 2012.

Grants:

NEH SUMMER INSTITUTE GRANT, Harvard University, 1998.
"Literature and Cartography" directed by Tom Conley.

E-Internship grant for the Terrier Bakery, Center for Integrated Entrepreneurship, Hiram College, 2011, \$5,000

Professional Organizations:

American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies,
AATF, OFLA, ACTFL

SERVICE:

Hiram College:

ACADEMIC ADVISOR

FACULTY ADVISOR, French Club, Alpha Mu Gamma.

Sponsored three student presentations at National Convention meeting of Alpha Mu Gamma in Allentown, PA, Sept., 1998.

COMMITTEES: Special Events Committee, International Programs Subcommittee, Academic Program Committee, International Forum, Masters AdHoc Committee, Recorder for College Assembly, Faculty/Trustee Committee, Search Committee for Management Department, Religious Studies, Biology Field Station Director and Assistant Director, ESL adjunct positions, Philosophy Department, Search Committee Chair for French Department, Planning Committee for Morgan Classroom, Capital Campaign Needs Assessment Committee, Appointment, Tenure and Promotion, Field Station Committee, Study Abroad

Board,

Assessment Committee, Search Committee for English Department, Search Committee for Spanish position, College Life Committee, Classroom Observation

Committee, Campus Judicial Board, Program Prioritization Subcommittee, Core Curriculum Sub-committee, Faculty Recorder, Dean's Search committee, College Life Steering Committee, Faculty Compensation Committee, Chinese adjunct positions, Registrar Search committee

DIRECTOR, English as a Second Language Program.

CHAIR, Foreign Language Department (1997-2000); (2003-)
READER, FIPSE proposals, Youngstown State University, February, 2003.
FACULTY MARSHALL, 2003-2010
FACULTY of RECORD, Distance Learning projects in Arabic with Montana State University (2006-07) and the University of Akron (2007-2010).

Union College:

DIRECTOR, Women's Studies Reading Group (1992-3)
FACULTY ADVISOR, French Club.
EDITOR, FOCUS newsletter for women.
ACADEMIC ADVISOR.
COMMITTEES: Women's Commission, Women's Liaison Group for the President, Committee for Inclusive Language Policy.

Ohio State University:

CONFERENCE COORDINATOR, for 1989 annual meeting, Midwestern American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, Columbus.
EDITOR, Helicon graduate literary journal.
TRANSLATOR for Department of Agriculture, State of Ohio, The Ohio Medical Board, Allis Chalmers.

PAPERS READ:

"The Grotesque and Sublime Vision of Amélie Nothomb," Library Forum, Hiram College, February, 2011.

"The Good, the Bad and the Precious: Charting *Salon* Activities in 17th Century France," Library Forum, Hiram College, March 2002.

"Strategies and Techniques in the Learner-Centered Classroom," Indiana Foreign Language Teachers Association, Indianapolis, Indiana, November, 1997.

"Madame DuDeffand: Femme philosophe du dix-huitième siècle," Alliance/Maison Française de Cleveland, Cleveland, Ohio, May, 1995.

"Letters in (R)evolution: Charrière's Mistress Henley," Midwestern American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, Columbus, Ohio, November, 1989.

"The Dialogics of Form and Content in La Religieuse," Cincinnati Conference on Romance Languages and Literatures, Cincinnati, Ohio, May, 1987.

"Teaching Francophone Culture," Ohio Modern Language Teachers Association (OMLTA), Columbus, Ohio, March, 1985.

"Some Lexical Differences in Quebecois French," Ohio Modern Language Teachers Association, Cincinnati, Ohio, March, 1984.

"Quebec French: A Lexical Study," Indiana Association of Teachers of English as a Second Language, Bloomington, Indiana, 1983.

Invited Presentations:

Featured Guest on 1220 AM radio talk show "Minding Your Business", October 25, 2011. Discussion of genesis of the Terrier Bakery.

Guest speaker at the Entrepreneurship Workshop, May 16, 2012. Entrepreneurship and the Humanities.

Roundtable discussion on the role of foreign languages for today's graduates given to the Board of Visitors at Hiram College, October 28, 2011.

"Rereading for Gender: The Case of Guilleragues' Lettres portugaises," Modern Language Colloquium Series, Union College, February, 1992.

"Bessie Head's A Question of Power," Women's Reading Group, Union College, April, 1991.

"The Francophone World," Foreign Language Day, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana, April, 1988.

PUBLICATIONS:

Articles:

"Survey of Faculty Opinion About the University of the Future," co-authored with Richard Bjornson, The University of the Future: Problems and Prospects. Columbus: Center for Comparative Studies in the Humanities, The Ohio State University, 1990, p. 129-140.

Reviews:

Williams, Jessica. Teaching Writing in Second and Foreign Language Classrooms. New York: McGraw Hill, 2005. Modern Language Journal, Vol. 91 (Spring 2007) 136-137.

Offord, Malcolm, Nicki Hatchcott, Sam Haigh, Laila Ibnlfassi, & Rosemary Chapman. (Eds.). Francophone Literatures: A Literary and Linguistic Companion. Modern Language Journal, Vol. 87, No. 1, 2003.

Siskin, H. Jay, & Cheryl Krueger. Entretiens: Cours de conversation. Modern Language Journal, Vol. 86, No. 4, 2002.

Graffigny, Françoise de. Lettres d'une Péruvienne. The Eighteenth Century: A Current Bibliography. New York: AMS Press.

Bennington, Geoffrey. Sententiousness and the Novel. The Eighteenth Century: A Current Bibliography. New York: AMS Press.

Sclippa, Norbert. Texte et idéologie: Images de la noblesse et de la bourgeoisie dans le roman français des années 1750 à 1830. The Eighteenth Century: A Current Bibliography. New York: AMS Press.

Honle-Grosjean, F., D. Honle and K. Mengler. A Vous de Parler. Modern Language Journal, Vol. 75, No. 3., 1991.

Blue Bitch, Sojourner, Center for Women's Studies, The Ohio State University, Vol. 14, No. 2, Nov/Dec, 1986, p. 20.

POETRY:

"Mother Swing," and "Untitled," Sojourner, Center for Women's Studies, The Ohio State University, Vol. 14, No. 2, Nov/Dec., 1986.

"Bloody Mary," invited submission, Sojourner, Center for Women's Studies, The Ohio State University, Vol. 14, No. 3, Mar/Apr., 1987.