

Curriculum Vitae
David J. McMEnamin, Ph.D.

Current Position: Adjunct Associate Professor
Director, Boston College PULSE Program
(May 1992-Present)

Coordinator for Justice Initiatives
University Office of Mission and Ministry
(2004 – Present)

Education: Fordham University: B.A., Economics, 1976.
Villanova University: M.A., Philosophy, 1983.
Washington Theological Union: graduate study in Systematic
Theology, 1983-84; 1986-87.
Boston College: Ph.D., Philosophy, 1994.

Previous Positions: Villanova University (1984-86)
Adjunct Instructor, Philosophy Department
Assistant Dean of Students
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.

Invited Addresses and Presentations:

“Service-Learning for Philosophy, Theology and Writing courses.”
Presentation to faculty symposium of Merrimack College, August,
2007.

“Incorporating Service into the Core Curriculum in Philosophy and
Theology.” Presentation to Theology and Philosophy faculty of
Loyola University, Chicago, September, 2005

“Catholic Social Teaching and Service Learning”
Keynote Address; Mercy Colleges Conference on Service Learning.
Salve Regina University, Newport RI; May, 2005

“What is Jesuit about Service Learning on Jesuit Campuses?”
AJCU Service Learning Directors Conference, USF, November,
2004.

“The Boston College PULSE Program as a Model for Engaged Learning.”
Bringing Theory to Practice Conference of the AAC&U. April, 2004

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

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

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

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

“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, Faculty Convocation of Ateneo de
Manila University, Philippines. January 1999.

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

“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.

Similar addresses or related presentations have been made to faculty and
administrators of the following institutions:

Creighton University (in addition to symposium above) 2002
College of the Holy Cross (in addition to seminar above), 2001
Loyola College in Maryland, 2000
LeMoyne College, 2000
University of Scranton, 1995
Barry University, 1994

Mt. St. Mary's College, 1994
Bentley College, 1993

Professional Activities:

National Steering Committee for the planning of the 2009 Conference on the Commitment to Justice in Jesuit Higher Education. (Present, on going.)

National Steering Committee for the planning of the 2005 Conference on the Commitment to Justice in Jesuit Higher Education. (2002 – 2005)

Member of Directors of Service Learning Programs at Jesuit Colleges and Universities. (Present/ongoing)

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

National Planning team (one of eight members) for the 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.