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Personal Information

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Education

B.A. (Economics) - University of California, Berkeley, 1941
Ph.D. (Economics) - University of California, Berkeley, 1954

Academic History

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of Washington 1949-1958
Associate Professor, Department of Economics, University of Washington 1958-1961
Professor, Department of Economics, University of Washington 1961 -
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Professional Career

Jr. Economist, War Production Board, Washington, D.C., 1942
Military Service, USAAF, 1943-1945
Economist, U.S. Strategic Bombing Survey, 1944-1945
Statistician, Voters' Research Institute, New York, September-December 1945
Business Manager, Nurses Guild of Alameda County, January-September 1946
Research Fellow, Institute of Industrial Relations, University of California, 1946-1949
Member, Institute for Comparative and Foreign Area Studies, 1950-
Fulbright Fellow (India), 1951-1952
Director, Economic Section, Human Relations Area Files China Project,
University of Washington, 1955-1956
Ford Foundation Fellow (India), 1956-1957
Visiting Professor of Industrial Relations, Xavier Labour Relations Institute,
Jamshedpur, India, January-July 1957
Member, Executive Committee on South Asian Studies, Association for
Asian Studies, 1959-1962
Associate Editor, Journal of Economic History, 1960-1966
Rockefeller Foundation Fellow (Great Britain), 1961-1962
Chairman, Committee on South Asian Studies, University of Washington,
1963-1964 and 1966-1967
Member, National Screening Committee, SSRC-ACLS Foreign Area Fellowship
Program, 1963-1965 and 1966-1967
Senior Research Fellow, American Institute of Indian Studies, New Delhi, 1965-1966
Acting Director, Institute for Economic Research, University of
Washington, 1966-1967

Professional Career (continued)

Member, Board of Trustees, American Institute of Indian Studies,
1966-1967 and 1969-
Member, Board of Directors, Association for Asian Studies, 1967-1970
Visiting Faculty Fellow, University of Sussex, March-August 1968
Visiting Fellow, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, 1968-1969
Member, Committee of Examiners, European History and World Cultures,
College Entrance Examination Board, 1968-1971
Corresponding Member, Government of India Historical Records Commission, 1969-
Member, Executive Committee, American Institute of Indian Studies, 1970-1973
Visiting Professor, Centre for Urban Studies, London University,
June-December 1971
Program Chairman (South Asia), 25th Annual Meeting, Association for
Asian Studies, 1973
Corresponding Member, Editorial Advisory Board, Modern Asian Studies, 1973-
Sometimes External Examiner, University of Baroda, Cambridge University,
Delhi University, Patna University
Sometimes editorial consultant for Journal of Economic History, Economic
Development and Cultural Change, Journal of Asian Studies,
Explorations in Economic History, American Historical Review,
University of California Press, Cambridge University Press,
Princeton University Press, University of British Columbia Press, etc.

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- "Order and Disorder in the Labour Force", The Economic Weekly, X, 44, 1 November 1958, 1387-1395
- "Trade Unions and the State", in Leadership and Political Institutions in India. Edited by R.L. Park and I. Tinker. (Princeton: 1959) 268-278
- "Two Classic Cases of Industrialization Reconsidered: A Comment", Journal of Economic History, XIX, 4, December 1959, 565-569
- "The Labor Market in India", in Labor Commitment and Social Change in Developing Areas. Edited by W.E. Moore and A.S. Feldman (New York 1960), 173-200
- "Caste and the Evolution of an Industrial Workforce in India", Proceedings of the American Philosophical Society, CIV, 2, April 1960, 124-133
- "The Recruitment of an Industrial Labor Force in Asia, with British and American Comparisons", Comparative Studies in Society and History, II, 3, April 1960, 305-328. (Reprinted in the Bobbs-Merrill Reprint Series in Sociology.)
- "The Economic History of India: A Bibliographic Essay" (With Burton Stein), Journal of Economic History, XXI, 2, June 1961, 179-207
- "Neglected Fields", in Resources for South Asian Area Studies in the United States. Edited by R. D. Lambert (Philadelphia, 1962), 90-102
- "Towards a Reinterpretation of 19th Century Indian Economic History", Journal of Economic History, XXIII, 4, December 1963, 606-618
Translated and reprinted in Problem i världsekonomin historia. Edited by R. Bunte and L. Jörberg (Lund, Sweden 1970).
Reprinted in M.D. Morris, T. Matsui, Bipan Chandra and T. Raychaudhuri, Indian Economy in the Nineteenth Century: A Symposium (Delhi, 1969)

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"Comment" on three papers in Indian economic history, Proceedings of the 2nd Congress of International Economic History (The Hague, 1965), 940-944

"The Effects of Industrialization on 'Race' Relations in India", in Industrialization and Race Relations. Edited by Guy Hunter (London 1965), 141-160

"Economic Change and Agriculture in 19th Century India", The Indian Economic and Social History Review, III, 2, June 1966, 185-209

"Values as an Obstacle to Economic Growth in South Asia", Journal of Economic History, XXVII, 4, December 1967, 588-607
Reprinted in Modern India: An Interpreted Anthology. Edited by T.R. Metcalf (London, 1971).

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"Economic Change and Occupational Cultures in South Asia", in The Modernization of Occupational Cultures in South Asia. Edited by M. Singer (Forthcoming, Duke University Press).