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EDUCATION: University of Iowa, Ph. D., American Civilization
University of New Mexico; Master of Arts, English, Bachelor of Arts,
English and History
Obirin University, Tokyo, Japan, Honorary Doctor of Philosophy
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CENTENARY UNIVERSITY, HACKETTSTOWN, NEW JERSEY, President and CEO

WESTHAMPTON COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND, Dean of the College

ALBION COLLEGE; Assistant Professor of English; Director, American Studies Program

BICENTENNIAL SUMMER INSTITUTES; Director, American Studies Association of Michigan

LORETTO HEIGHTS COLLEGE, Instructor of English

CURRENT RELATED ACTIVITIES:

American University (Washington, D.C.), Trustee
Naval War College, Trustee
Harwood Museum (Taos, New Mexico), Board of Directors
Indian River Land Trust (Vero Beach, Florida), Director, former Chairman, BOD
ORCA (Ocean Research and Conservation Association) Fort Pierce, FL, Director
Ladies of the Lagoon, Preservation Initiative, Co-Founder

CURRENT MEMBERSHIPS

Cherokee Nation, Registered Member
Conférence des Chevaliers du Tastevin, Sous-Commanderie de l'Etat Unie

International Women's Forum
John's Island Club, Vero Beach
New York Yacht Club
Quail Valley Club, Vero Beach
Union League Club of New York
University Club of New York City

PRIOR RELATED ACTIVITIES:

Blair Academy (Blairstown, New Jersey), Trustee
Five O'Clock Hour Committee (John's Island, Vero Beach, Florida), Co-Chair
Kent Place School, Trustee
United Methodist Board of Higher Education Foundation (Nashville, Tennessee), Trustee
National Association of Schools and Colleges of the United Methodist Church
(NASCUMC), Board of Directors
New Jersey Association of Colleges and Universities (NJACU); Secretary, Board of
Directors
Association of Independent Colleges and Universities of New Jersey (AICUNJ);
Chairman, Board of Directors
Hackettstown Area Chamber of Commerce, Board of Directors
Taos Art Museum, Board of Directors
United Jersey Bank/Northwest, Board of Directors
University of New Mexico Foundation (Albuquerque, New Mexico), Board of Directors
Wheelock College (Boston, Massachusetts), Trustee; Chair of Educational Committee
Executive Women of New Jersey, Board of Directors and Secretary
The New Jersey Women's Forum, Founding Member, President, Board of
Directors
Mount Vernon Ladies Association Advisory Committee
Presidents' Council of New Jersey Higher Education; Vice President, Executive
Committee
Southern Association of Colleges for Women, President
International Association of Methodist Schools, Colleges and Universities, (IAMSCU),
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PRIOR MEMBERSHIPS

American Council on Education National Identification Program for Women Leaders in
Education
American Studies Association
National Association of Women Deans and Administrators