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Freedom Scholar, Foundation for the Defense of Democracies  
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PREVIOUS POSITIONS:

1988-2008: Resident Scholar, American Enterprise Institute

1997-2005: Director, Lone Star Steakhouse & Saloon, Inc.

1985-present: personal adviser to President Denis Sassou-N'guesso of the Republic of Congo (Brazzaville).

1987-1993: Director, Baird's Inc., Johannesburg, South Africa

1982-1986: Consultant to the National Security Adviser to the President of the United States, to the Undersecretary for Political Affairs, U.S. Department of State, and to the Office of the Secretary of Defense. Senior Fellow, Center for Strategic and International Studies.

1981-82: Special Adviser to the Secretary of State.

1977-1981: Founding Executive Editor of The Washington Quarterly, and Senior Staff Member, Georgetown University Center for Strategic and International Studies, Washington, D.C.

1975-1977: Rome Correspondent for The New Republic; Visiting Professor of History, University of Rome, Italy.

1967-1974: Instructor and Assistant Professor of History, Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri.

#### EDUCATION:

B.A., Pomona College, 1962

M.S., Ph.D. University of Wisconsin (Madison), 1963 & 1969

#### SELECTED BOOKS:

Universal Fascism; the Theory and Practice of the Fascist International (New York, Howard Fertig, 1972). Italian edition L=internazionale fascista (Rome and Bari, Laterza, 1973);

The First Duce; D'Annunzio at Fiume (Baltimore and London, Johns Hopkins, 1977). Italian edition, D'Annunzio a Fiume (Rome and Bari, Laterza, 1976; New edition, Transaction Press, 2001)

Italy in Crisis (Beverly Hills and London, Sage, 1977). Italian edition, Il Complesso di Nerone (Milano, Editoriale nuova, 1978);

Intervista sul fascismo, with Renzo De Felice (Rome and Bari, Laterza, 1975). American edition, Fascism: a general introduction to its theory and practice (Transaction, 1976);

Intervista sul nazismo, with George L. Mosse (Rome and Bari, Laterza, 1978). American edition, Nazism, (Transaction, 1978);

Debate: the American Failure in Iran, with William L. Lewis (New York, Knopf, 1981). French, Italian and Hebrew editions.

Grave New World (New York and London, Oxford, 1985); reissued as Superpower Dilemmas (Transaction, 1992) with a new introduction.

The Grenada Documents (co-editor; U.S. Department of State, 1985);

West European Communism and American Foreign Policy (Transaction, 1987). Italian and French editions.

Perilous Statecraft; the Inside Story of the Iran-Contra Affair (Scribner's, New York, 1988)

The Golden Convoy, a novel written with Vladimir Bukovsky, Irina Ratushinskaya, Igor Gerashenko and Victor Suvarov (Moscow, 1991 and 2000). Italian Edition, 1994 (Spirali, Milano).

Freedom Betrayed; How the United States Led a Global Democratic Revolution, Won the Cold War and Walked Away (AEI, 1996).

Machiavelli on Modern Leadership (St. Martin=s Press, 1999). Many foreign editions.

Tocqueville on American Character (St. Martin=s Press, 2000)

The War Against the Terror Masters (St. Martin=s Press, 2002) New expanded edition, 2003.

The Iranian Time Bomb (St. Martin=s Press, 2007)

Accomplice to Evil; Iran and the War Against the West (St. Martin's, 2009)

Forthcoming:

Virgil's Magic Egg and Other Neapolitan Miracles

Several hundred essays, op-eds, blogs and investigative articles.