

CURRICULUM VITAE

Name: George J. Willauer

Professional Positions

Connecticut College

Professor of English Emeritus, 2002-
Professor of English, 1978-2002
Charles J. MacCurdy Professor of American Studies
Emeritus, 2002-
Charles J. MacCurdy Professor of American Studies,
1993-2002
College Marshal, 1988-2002
College Marshal Emeritus, 2002-
Chair, Department of English, 1971-76; 1991-94; 2000-
2002.
Associate Professor of English, 1972-78
Assistant Professor of English, 1966-72
Instructor in History (part-time), 1966-67
Instructor in English, 1962-66

Dean of Academic Programs, 1997-00

University of Dar es Salaam, 1996

Visiting Professor of Literature

Yale University, 1993-94

Visiting Faculty Fellow, Department of American
Studies

Amsterdam University, 1989

Visiting Lecturer, USIA

Leiden University, 1989

Germantown Friends School 1939-1953

Visiting Lecturer, USIA

Yale University, 1988-89

Mellon Visiting Faculty Fellow

Williams College, 1987-88

Maritime Studies Program

Westminster College, Oxford, England, 1982

Visiting Lecturer

University of Pennsylvania, 1958-62

Assistant Instructor

Education

University of Pennsylvania Ph.D. 1965

University of Pennsylvania M.A. 1959
Wesleyan University A.B. 1957

Teaching responsibilities

Regularly I taught introductory courses in literary analysis and composition; intermediate survey courses in British literature, American literature, and the literature of the sea; an advanced courses in William Faulkner, and an advanced seminar on the poetry of Emily Dickinson and Robert Frost. I also taught an advanced seminar on nature writing, which was interdisciplinary, including prose, prose fiction, poetry, and painting.

Scholarship

Original Discontents. ed. With Richard Buel, Jr., Hamden, CT: The Acorn Club, 2007.

"Conversion of a Skeptic," Smith College Alumni Magazine. Vol. LXXXVI, no.1 (Winter, 1994-95), 22, 24.

"The Disastrous Interview." Connecticut College Alumni Magazine. Vol. 63, No. 2 (Winter, 1985-86), 64-66.

"On Top of the World," Connecticut College Alumni Magazine. Vol. 62, No. 2 (Winter, 1985), 3-7.

Introduction, Glimpses of Old Saybrook in Colonial Days in Chesebrough, Harriet Chapman. Old Saybrook, 1984, pp. iii-iv.

DJ Becomes DJE," Connecticut College Alumni Magazine, Vol. 61 (1984), 12-13.

"Thomas Chalkley's Last Days as Mirrored in His Last Letters," Quaker History, Vol. 72 (1983), 120-129.

"Editorial Practices in Eighteenth-Century Philadelphia: The Journal of Thomas Chalkley in Manuscript and Print," The Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography, Vol. CVII (1983), 217-234.

"Eudora Welty, C. G. Jung, and Fantasy, "The

Connecticut College Library Bulletin,
Winter, 1981, pp. 11-15.

"My Friend Gussie," The Ebenezer Maxwell Mansion
Quarterly Intelligencer, Autumn, 1980, 3-5.

A Lyme Miscellany: 1776-1976. ed. Middletown, Conn.:
Wesleyan University Press, 1977.

"Ambiguity in the Landscape of Thoreau," Symposium on
Romanticism, ed. P. Deguise and R. Terras.
New London: privately printed, 1977, 58-62.

"First Publishers of Truth in New England: A Composite
List, 1656-1775," Quaker History, Vol. LXV (1976), 35-44.

"Recommended Reading," Connecticut College Alumni Magazine.
Vol. 50 (1973), 18.

"New England Friends Record the Visits of Ministers,"
Quaker History, Vol. LXII (1973), 111-118.

Review of Hawthorne and the Historical Romance in
New England by Michael Davitt Bell, American Quarterly ,
Vol. XXIV (1972), 265.

"An Irish Friend and the American Civil War: Some Letters
of Frederic W. Pim to His Father in Dublin, 1864,"
Journal of the Friends' Historical Society,
Vol. LXIII (1972), 62-75.

"Irish Friends Report on Their Missions to America,"
Quaker History Vol 59(1970), 15-23.

"Public Friends Report to London Yearly Meeting on Their
Missions to America 1693-1763," Journal of the Friends'
Historical Society, Vol. 52 (1969), 122-130.

Review of Hawthorne in England: Selections from
"Our Old Home" and "The English Notebooks,"
ed. Cushing Strout. Modern Language Review (Oct. 1966),

689.

Awards

College Medal, Connecticut College, 2002
Award of Merit from the American Association of
State and Local History for A Lyme Miscellany
(Wesleyan University Press, 1977)
English-Speaking Union Fellowship for Ireland, 1972
English-Speaking Union Fellowship for England, 1969

Trusteeships

Connecticut Humanities Council, 2003-2009
Florence Griswold Museum, 1978-; president, 1983-1988
Lyme Public Library, 1995-
Lyme Public Library Foundation, 1997-2016; president, 2003-
2016
MacCurdy-Salisbury Educational Foundation, 1976-
Musical Masterworks, 1998-2013, vice-president, 2001-2013,
honorary director, 2014-
Community Foundation of Southeastern Connecticut, 1996-
2002; president, 2000-2002
Lyman Allyn Art Museum, 1983-1988; 1996-2004
Lyme Land Conservation Trust, 1996-2002
Lymes Youth Service Bureau, 1978-83

Memberships

Who's Who in America
The Century Association, New York
First Congregational Church, Old Lyme, CT, deacon

Personal Details

Date of Birth: October 30, 1935
Place of Birth: Philadelphia, PA
Marriage to Cynthia Cameron Thun - June 11, 1966
Children:
George Jacob Willauer, III - November 12, 1968
Elizabeth Christian Willauer - April 13, 1969

Grandchildren:

Julian Willauer-Chung - November 27, 2009
Miles Willauer-Chung - October 10, 2012

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