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Present Position:

Professor of Education, Harvard University, 1971-
Chair, Program in Teaching, Curriculum and Learning Environments, Harvard Graduate School of Education, 1979-.

Formerly:

Assistant Professor of Education and Research Associate in
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Assistant Professor of Education, Harvard University,
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Chair, Program in Human Development/Reading, Harvard
Graduate School of Education, 1973-4 and 1976-7.
Associate Dean of Academic Affairs, Harvard Graduate School
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Visiting Fellow, Center for Human Information Processing and
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Program, University of California at San Diego, 1974-5
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Visiting Professor, University of New Mexico, Summer, 1980;
University of Alaska, Summer, 1982;
University of Auckland (New Zealand), Spring, 1983.
Member of the Faculty, Bread Loaf School of English
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Education:

A.B. Radcliffe College, 1946 (philosophy)
Bank St. College of Education, 1946-7 (elementary education)
M.Ed. University of Illinois, 1953 (elementary education)
Ed.D. Harvard University, 1965 (elementary education)
Post-doctoral participant: Conference on Learning and the
Educational Process, sponsored by Social Science
Research Council, Stanford University, Summer, 1965
Post-doctoral participant: Seminar on Language, society and
the Child, University of California at Berkeley,
Summer, 1986.

Honors:

Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral
Sciences, Stanford, California, 1978-9.
Distinguished Research Address, International Reading
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Award for Distinguished contributions to Research in
Education, American Educational Research Association,

San Francisco, 1986.
Fulbright Research Fellow, New Zealand, 1987.
Alumnae Recognition Award, Radcliffe College Alumnae Association, 1988.

Major Research Interests:

The development of children's verbal abilities in and out of school, and the functions of language in all educational settings.

Books:

Child language and education. New York: Holt, Rinehart and Winston, 1972.

Edited with V.P. John and D. Hymes, Functions of language in the classroom. New York: Teachers College Press, 1972. Reprinted by Waveland Press, 1985.

Edited, Language in early childhood education (Revised edition), Washington, D.C.: National Association for the Education of Young Children, 1981.

Classroom discourse: The language of teaching and learning. Portsmouth, N.H.: Heinemann, 1988.

Articles (selected items only):

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(Eds.), The development of competence in early childhood. New York: Academic Press, 1974. Pp. 197-221.

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How knowledge about language helps the classroom teacher--or does it: A personal account. The Urban Review, 1976, 9, 74-90.

Foreword. In H. Mehan, Learning Lessons. Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 1979. pp. vii-xii.

Language in education: Variation in the teacher talk register. In J. Alatis and R. Tucker (Eds.), Language in public life. Georgetown University Round Table on Language and Linguistics, 1979. Washington, D.C.: Georgetown University Press, 1979. pp. 144-162.

Toward a social educational psychology--with Soviet help. Contemporary Educational Psychology, 1980, 5, 196-201.

Four comments. In P. Gilmore & A. Glatthorn (Eds.) Ethnography and education: Children in and out of school. Washington, D.C.: Center for Applied Linguistics, 1982. pp. 209-226.

Contexts for literacy: In the mind and in the classroom. Journal of Reading Behavior, 1982, 14, 413-427.

Peekaboo as an instructional model: Discourse development at school and at home. Papers and Reports on Child Language Development, No. 17. Stanford University: Department of Linguistics, 1979, 1-29. Revised version in B. Bain (Ed.), The sociogenesis of language and human conduct: A multidisciplinary book of reading. New York: Plenum, 1983. Pp. 33-58.

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What is Sharing Time for? Language Arts, 1985, 62, 182-188.

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Reviews (from 1980 only):

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Review of L. Feagans & D. Farran (Eds.). The language of children reared in poverty: Implications for evaluation and intervention. Science, 1982, 216, 865-866.

Review of M. Stubbs, Language and literacy: The sociolinguistics of reading and writing. Language problems and language planning, 1983, 4, 88-89.

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Review of M.,}. Willes, Children into pupils: A study of language in early schooling. Journal of Child Language, 1986, 13, 447-450.

Review of H.S. Becker. Writing for social scientists: How to start and finish your thesis, book or article. Harvard Educational Review, 1987, 57, 220-222.

Review of S. Romaine. The language of children and adolescents: The acquisition of communicative competence. Teachers college Record, 1987, 88, 615-617.

Cazden, C.B. & Haynes, C. Review of D.N. Ripich & F.M. Spinelli (Eds.). School discourse problems. San Diego: College-Hill Press, 1985. Applied Psycholinguistics. 1986, 7, 394-395.

Cazden, C.B. & McCollum, H. Review of P. Atkinson. Language, structure, and reproduction: An introduction to the sociology of Basil Bernstein. Contemporary Sociology, 1987, 16, 908-910.

Professional Activities:

President, Council on Anthropology and Education (American Anthropological Association), 1980-1.

President, American Association for Applied Linguistics, 1985.

Chair, Board of Trustees, Center for Applied Linguistics, 1981-85.

Member, advisory board, Center for the study of Reading, University of Illinois, 1979-.

Senior advisor, Center for Language Education and Research, 1985-8.

Advisor, Center for the Study of Writing, 1986-.

Member of Executive Board, American Educational Research Association, 1981-4; member of the Publications Committee, AERA, 1984-6; Editor, Review of Research in Education, 1987-1990.

Past or present member of the editorial board: Child Development, Journal of Child Language, Language in Society, Discourse Processes, Applied Psycholinguistics, Journal of Applied Developmental Psychology, Early Childhood Research Quarterly.

Member, Board of Syndics, Harvard University Press, 1977-81.

Fellow of the American Psychological Association in Div. 7 (Developmental Psychology), Div. 9 (Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues), and Div. 15 (Educational Psychology).

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Honorary degree, Bank Street College of Education, 1986. Fulbright Research Fellow, New

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Alumnae Recognition Award, Radcliffe College, 1988.

Member, National Academy of Education, 1990-.

George and Louise Spindler Award, Council on Anthropology and Education, 1994

Member, Reading Hall of Fame, 1994

Publications (from 1988 only)

Books

(1988) Classroom discourse: The language of teaching and learning. Portsmouth, N.H.: Heinemann. (Spanish edition 1991; Chinese edition in press)

(1990) Edited, Review of research in education. Vol. 16. Washington; D.C.: American Educational Research Association.

(1990) Edited with C. Snow. English plus: Issues in bilingual education. THE ANNALS of the American Academy of Political and Social Science, Vol. 508. (Available separately from Newbury Park, CA: Sage Publications.)

(1992) Whole language plus: Essays on literacy in the United States and New Zealand. New York: Teachers College Press.

Articles, chapters, papers and reports (not including those now reprinted in above 1992 book)

(1988) Environmental assistance revisited: Variation and functional equivalence. In F. Kessel (Ed.), The development of language and language researchers: Essays in honor of Roger Brown (pp. 281-297). Hillsdale, N.J.: Erlbaum.

(1988) Social interaction as scaffold: The power and limits of a metaphor. In M. Lightfoot and N. Martin (Eds.), The word for teaching is learning: Essays for James Britton (pp. 3-13). Portsmouth, N.H.: Boynton/Cook.

(1988) Matching purpose and practice: Dialogue journals in graduate school. Dialogue, V (2), 8-9.

(1988) Issues of knowledge about language for children and teachers. Paper presented at a conference sponsored by the (British) National Association for the Teaching of English, London, June.

(1989) Texts and contexts: A response. In S. de Castell, A. Luke & C. Luke (Eds.), Language, authority and criticism: Readings on the school textbook (pp. 284-289). London & Philadelphia: Falmer Press.

(1991) Performing expository texts in the foreign language classroom. In K. Kramsch & S. McConnell-Ginet (Eds.), Text and context: Cross-disciplinary and cross-cultural perspectives on language study (pp. 67-78). Boston: D.C. Heath.

(1991) Metalinguistic awareness revisited: Its contribution to the child's appropriation of form. Plenary address to the Australian Reading Association (Adelaide), July. ED 362 066.

(1992) Reflections on the Language in the National Curriculum (LINC) project. LINC Papers #9. Slough (UK): National Foundation for Educational Research.

(1992) Does practice with specific "linguistic devices" matter? The Quarterly Newsletter of the Laboratory of Comparative Human Cognition, 14, 4, 113-114.

(1992) Revealing and telling: The socialization of attention in learning to read and write. Educational Psychology, 12, 305-313.

(1992) Language minority education in the United States: Implications of the Ramirez Report. Educational Practice Report 3. University of California Santa Cruz: National Center for Research on Cultural Diversity and Second Language Learning.

(1992) Visit to the Funds of Knowledge for Teaching Project. Focus on diversity, Fall, 2-3. Santa Cruz: National Center for Research on Cultural Diversity and Second Language Learning.

(1993) Does writing as process = writing as social practice? Paper presented at symposium honoring Sylvia Scribner, American Educational Research Association (Atlanta), April. ED 361 720.

(1993) Foreword. In B. Cope and M. Kalantsis (Eds.). of literacy: Genre approaches to teaching literacy. Philadelphia: Falmer Press.

(1993) A report on reports: Two dilemmas of genre teaching. Plenary address to conference on "Working with genre III." University of Technology, Sydney, May. (Sydney), May. ED 363 593

(1993) Contested conventions in writing about the law. In J. E. Alatis (Ed.). Georgetown University Round Tables of Languages and Linguistics 1992 (pp. 66-69). Washington, D.C.: Georgetown University Press.

(1993) Peace Day in South Africa. Bread Loaf News, Fall/Winter, 24-25.

(1993) Language socialization. In Encyclopedia of language and linguistics. Oxford: Pergamon.

(1993) Immersing, revealing and telling: A continuum from implicit to explicit teaching. Plenary address to the Second International Conference on Second Language Teacher Education, City Polytechnic of Hong Kong, March. ED 365 134

(1993) Genre in systemic linguistics, Bakhtin and linguistic anthropology. Plenary address to the 20th International Systemic-Functional Congress, University of Victoria, July.

(1994) Situational variation in children's language development revisited. In D. Biber & E. Finegan (Eds.), Sociolinguistic perspectives on register (pp. 277-293). New York: Oxford University Press.

(1994) Writing about cats: Constrasting philosophies of writing pedagogy. In D. Keller-Cohen (Ed.), Literacy: Interdisciplinary conversations (pp. 335-348). Cresskill, N.J.: Hampton Press.

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(1995) Review of C.Walton & W. Eggington (Eds), Language: Maintenance, power and education in Aboriginal contexts. International Journal of the Sociology of Language, 113, 151-6.

(in press) Review of R. A. Berman & D. I. Slobin, Relating events in narrative: A cross-linguistic study. Language in Society.

(in press) Review of P. McLaren, Schooling as a ritual performance: Towards a political economy of

educational symbols and gestures. Newsletter of the Language and Social Processes SIG, AERA.

(in press) Review of S. Pinker, The language instinct. American Anthropologist

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Professional Activities (since 1988)

Member, Research Committee, National Council of Teachers of English, 1988-1990

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Co-chair, Center for the Study of Writing and Literacy Advisory Committee, 1991-

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