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Education:

<u>School</u>	<u>Major</u>	<u>Minor</u>	<u>Degree</u>
Stanford University	History	Psychology	A.B. - 1957
Yale University	Psychology		M.S. - 1959
Yale University	Psychology (Personality and Social)	Developmental	Ph.D. - 1962

Employment:

1961-1967	Assistant Professor of Psychology, University of California, Los Angeles
1967-1969	Associate Professor of Psychology, University of California, Los Angeles
1967-1968	Visiting Lecturer in Social Psychology, Harvard University
1969-1971	Associate Professor of Psychology and Political Science, University of California, Los Angeles
1971-1995	Professor of Psychology and Political Science, University of California, Los Angeles
1972-1973	Visiting Professor of Political Science, University of California, Berkeley
1983-1984	Guest Scholar, Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C.
1983-1992	Dean of Social Sciences, College of Letters and Science, University of California, Los Angeles
1988-1989, 1992-1993	Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences

1993-2008 Director, Institute for Social Science Research, University of California, Los Angeles

1995-present Distinguished Professor of Psychology and Political Science, University of California, Los Angeles

Memberships:

American Psychological Association (Fellow)
Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues (Fellow)
Society for Personality and Social Psychology
Society for Experimental Social Psychology
American Political Science Association
Midwest Political Science Association
International Society of Political Psychology
American Association for Public Opinion Research
American Psychological Society

Professional Activities:

American Psychological Association, Division of Personality and Social Psychology:
Representative to APA Council of Representatives, 1967-1968; Program Chairman for 1967 annual convention.

Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues: Member of Council, 1969-1971;
Representative to APA Council of Representatives, 1973-1974.

National Science Foundation: Member of Advisory Panel for Social Psychology, 1971-1973.

American National Election Studies: Member of Board of Overseers, 1977-1986.

General Social Survey: Member of Board of Overseers, 1991-1994.

International Society of Political Psychology: Member of Governing Council, 1985-87; Chair, Nominating Committee, 1986-1987; Vice-President, 1989-91; Member, Search Committee for Councillor, 1990-91; Member, Publications Committee, 1991-92; President-Elect, 1993-94; President, 1994-95.

Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics: Member of Executive Council, 1989-present; Member, Nominating Committee, 1990-91; President-Elect, 1990-91; President, 1991-92.

Editorial Boards:

Sociometry, 1963-1967.
Journal of Experimental Social Psychology, 1967-1974.
Journal of Social Issues, 1968-1978, 1995-1999.
Sex Roles, 1980-1991.
Political Behavior, 1984-1989.
Social Behavior: An International Journal of Applied Social Psychology, 1986-1991.
Public Opinion Quarterly, 1987-1990.
Social Justice Research, 1987-present.
Journal of Personality and Social Psychology: Attitudes and Social Cognition, 1990-1994.
Political Psychology, 1990-present.
Social Psychology Quarterly, 1992-1997.
Psicologia Politica, 2000-present.
Journal of Politics, 2001-2004.
Social Influence, 2008-present.

Honors:

Edward L. Bernays Foundation Psychology and Social Issues Book Award for "The Politics of Violence: The New Urban Blacks and the Watts Riot." 1975. (with J. B. McConahay)

Gordon Allport Intergroup Relations Prize for "Symbolic Racism versus Racial Threats to 'The Good Life'," 1978. (with D. R. Kinder)

Katz-Newcomb Annual Lecture in Social Psychology, University of Michigan, 1988.

John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Fellowship, 1988-1989.

Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, 1988-1989, 1992-1993.

Fellow, American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 1991-present.

Keynote address, annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, 1991.

Guest Specialist, Summer Institute in Political Psychology, Ohio State University, July, 1991

Ernst Fraenkel Lecture, John F. Kennedy-Institut für Nordamerikastudien der Freien Universität Berlin, 1991

President, Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics, 1991-1992.

Ida Beam Lecture, University of Iowa, 1992

Harold D. Lasswell Award, International Society for Political Psychology, 1994.

Honors (continued):

President, International Society for Political Psychology, 1994-1995.

Warren E. Miller Prize (lifetime intellectual accomplishment and service to the profession in the elections, public opinion, and voting behavior field), Elections, Public Opinion, and Voting Behavior section, American Political Science Association, 2002.

Miller-Converse Lecture, University of Michigan, 2004.

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5. Sears, D. O., & Whitney, R. E. (1973) Political Persuasion. Morristown, NJ: General Learning Press, 24 pp.
6. Freedman, J. L., Carlsmith, J. M., & Sears, D. O. (1974) Social Psychology, Second Edition. Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice Hall, 526 pp.
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8. Freedman, J. L., Sears, D. O., & Carlsmith, J. M. (1981) Social Psychology, Fourth Edition. Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice Hall, 686 pp.
9. Sears, D. O., & Citrin, J. (1982) Tax Revolt: Something for Nothing in California. Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 280 pp.
10. Sears, D. O., Freedman, J. L., & Peplau, L. A. (1985) Social Psychology, Fifth Edition. Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice Hall, 531 pp.
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12. Lau, R. R., & Sears, D. O. (eds.) (1986) Political Cognition: The 19th Annual Carnegie Symposium on Cognition. Hillsdale, NJ: Erlbaum Associates, 408 pp.
13. Sears, D. O., Peplau, L. A., Freedman, J. L., & Taylor, S. E. (1988) Social Psychology, Sixth Edition. Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice-Hall, 644 pp.

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15. Sears, D. O., Peplau, L. A., & Taylor, S. E. (1991) Social Psychology, Seventh Edition. Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice-Hall, 634 pp.
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