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La Crosse Central High School (Wisconsin), graduated 1939.
A.B., Augustana College, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, 1943 (history).
M.A., University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, 1948.
Ph.D., University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, 1950 (political science and international relations).
LL.D., University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana, 1964.
L.H.D., West Virginia Wesleyan University, Buckhannon, West Virginia, 1970.
L.H.D., Nebraska Wesleyan University, Lincoln, Nebraska, 1971.
LL.D., Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Maine, 1972.
LL.D., Saint Michael's College, Winooski, Vermont, 1973.
LL.D., Saint Olaf College, Northfield, Minnesota, 1975.
Annual Medal, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, 1974.
LL.D., University of Denver, Denver, Colorado, 1983.
LL.D., Augustana College, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, 1985.

APPOINTMENTS:

Officer, U.S. Infantry and G-2, 1943-45; and Counter-Intelligence 1944-46.
Lecturer, University of Chicago (College), 1948).
Instructor and Assistant Professor, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois, 1948-51.
Assistant Professor, Political Science, University of Chicago, 1951-53.
Associate Professor and Chairman of International Relations Committee, Northwestern University, 1953-55.
The Rockefeller Foundation:
 Consultant in International Relations, 1953-55.
 Assistant Director for Social Sciences. 1955-57.
 Associate Director for Social Sciences, 1957-60.
 Director for Social Sciences, 1960-61.
 Vice President, 1961-74.
Director, Twelve Donor Agency Review of Higher Education in Africa, Asia and Latin America, 1974-75.
Director, Institute for the Study of World Politics, 1974-
Commonwealth Professor of Government and Foreign Affairs, University of Virginia, 1975-78; White Burkett Miller Professor of Government and Foreign Affairs, University of Virginia, 1978-; and Professor of Religious Studies, University of Virginia, 1978-
Director, White Burkett Miller Center of Public Affairs, University of Virginia, 1978-

ENDOWED LECTURSHIPS:

Riverside Memorial Lectures, New York, 1958; Lilly Endowment Lectures, Duke University, 1959; James Stokes Lectures, New York University, 1962; Rockwell Lectures, Rice University, 1965.
Geneva Bicentennial Lectures, Geneva, Switzerland, 1976; Ernest Griffith Lectures, American University, Washington, D.C., 1980; Andrew Cecil Lectures, University of Texas, 1982.

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Winston Churchill's World View: Statesmanship and Power. Kenneth W. Thompson Baton Rouge, Louisiana: Louisiana State University Press, 1983.

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Moralism and Morality in Politics and Diplomacy, University Press of America, 1985.

Politics Among Nations The Struggle for Power and Peace. Sixth edition, New York: Random House. Hans J. Morgenthau revised by Kenneth W. Thompson.

Traditions and Values in Politics and Diplomacy: Theory and Practice, Louisiana State University Press, 1992.

Fathers of International Thought: The Legacy of Political Theory, Louisiana State University Press, 1994.

Culture, Development, and Democracy: The role of the Intellectual. A Tribute to Soedjatmoko, Selo Soemardjan and Kenneth W. Thompson editors. United Nations University Press, November 1994.

Schools of Thought in International Relations: Interpreters, Issues, and Morality, Louisiana State University Press, 1996.

MILLER CENTER SERIES EDITOR:

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