

John Donald Pulliam has a wide range of educational experiences having served as elementary and secondary teacher, principal, superintendent, professor, department chair of Social Foundations of Education (OU) and as Dean of the University of Arkansas and the University of Montana, a position he currently holds.

He received the Bachelors degree in History, the Master of Science in Education in educational administration and educational theory and his Ed.D. in the History and Philosophy of Education from the University of Illinois - Urban where his major advisor was Harry Broudy. During his years at the University of Illinois he was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Phi Alpha Theta, received recognition as the outstanding graduate in the field of history as well as the Saaker Prize in History awarded by the Illinois Historical Society.

As an educator he has been honored as the Outstanding Teacher in Champaign (IL) County, as President of the University of Oklahoma Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa, with a Service Award for human rights activities, with the Regents' Award for Superior Teaching (OU), with appointment to the Oklahoma Citizen's Commission on Education, and with a "Dean Pulliam Day" by the University of Montana School of Education.

His research interests include futurism, history of education, social philosophy of education, and global and multicultural education. His History of Education in America (Charles Merrill Co.) is in its fourth edition. His other books, chapters in books, and articles reflect his research interests. His work appears in Journal of Thought, Vital Scholastical, Educational Studies, School Learning Resources,

Illinois Education, History of Education Quarterly, Review Journal of Philosophy and Social Science, School Learning Resources, Texas Outlook, and Proceedings of the Southwestern Philosophy of Education Society. As an internationally recognized futurist he has delivered papers, taught courses or conducted workshops in Mexico, Nicaragua, Guam Saudi Arabia, Canada, Korea, Israel, France, Greece and Japan.

As a Renaissance man, Professor Pulliam has built his own homes, worked as a farmer and hog producer, and enjoys Nordic and Alpine skiing, woodworking, chess, hiking and jogging, and stained glass craft. He is married to Wilhela (Willie) Candaday, has three grown sons and resides in Bonner, Montana.

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Professor Drake received his doctorate as a Peabody Fellow from the University of North Carolina. He contributed to the field of education in many capacities, as a teacher, a principal, a superintendent, a university professor and department chair. He served as consultant to the Supreme Court of Missouri on the Franklin