

George Stone

George Stone taught at The University of the Ozarks. Professor Stone is now emeritus professor at the University of the Ozarks.

Dr. Stone came to the University of the Ozarks in January 2001 as Professor of Education and Chair of the Division of Education from Buena Vista University in Storm Lake, Iowa where he was Professor and Dean, School of Education. He earned his B.A. degree from Southern Illinois University at Carbondale with majors in both history and government. His M.A. was awarded in history from Southern Illinois. He completed a Ph.D. major in American history at Ball State University and then transferred back to Southern Illinois where he finished his degree in cultural foundations of education with emphasis in both educational history and educational philosophy. While at Southern Illinois, he was a doctoral student of George S. Counts, father of the school of Social Reconstructionism.

Dr. Stone taught for nineteen years at Sterling College, Sterling, Kansas where he served as Chair, Division of Education and later as Chair, Division of Humanities and Department Head of History/Government. When he left Sterling for Lyon College to be the second Rountree Caldwell Bryan Distinguished Professor of Education, he held full professorships on three faculties, history/government, education and philosophy. After almost nine years as a tenured professor at Lyon, he moved to Buena Vista University as dean. He attended the Wye Seminar in Maryland and has won three teaching awards, including a National Teaching Fellowship. Dr. Stone has made scholarly presentations at many conferences and has publications in education, history and philosophy. The Center for Dewey Studies, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, lists him as a John Dewey Scholar for his research and publications on the thought of John Dewey. Additionally, his major grant proposals have been funded by such organizations as the Winthrop Rockefeller Foundation, the Association of American Colleges, U.S. Department of Education (FIPSE) and the Kansas Committee for the Humanities. He is a member of four honor societies, including Phi Kappa Phi, Pi Gamma Mu, Kappa Delta Pi and the professional-honor society of Phi Delta Kappa

More information on Dr Stone to follow.