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Dr. Duemer is a Professor in the Educational Psychology and Higher Education programs in the College of Education at Texas Tech University. He received his M.A. and Ph.D. from the University of Pittsburgh. His doctorate is in Social, Historical, and Philosophical Foundations of Education. He specializes in the history of higher education in the United States, and qualitative archival inquiry in education. Dr. Duemer has over 40 publications in professional research journals and book chapters, including *American Educational History Journal*, *Southern Studies: An Interdisciplinary Journal of the South*, and the *Journal of Philosophy and History of Education*, *The Negro Educational Review*, *Journal of Educational Technology Systems*, *Educational Studies*, *College Student Journal*, *Education Policy Analysis Archives*, *History of Education Quarterly*, and *Education*. Most recently, he has been working on examining the philosophical foundations of qualitative research.

Professor Duemer lives in Lubbock with his wife, Dr. Maria Teresa Leos-Duemer, and is the father of three sons, Joshua (16), Willem (8), and the late Josef Duemer (2004-2005).

In his spare time he enjoys Japanese gardening, raising koi, and learning Japanese sword. He has been an invited speaker about Japanese garden design and koi pond filtration.