

*Curriculum Vitae*

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**POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION**

University or Institution	Degree	Subject Area	Dates
Harvard University	Ph. D.	Economics	1970-1974
Harvard University	M.A.	Economics	1968-1970
Cambridge University	None	Economics	1967-1968
Harvard University	B. A.	Social Studies	1963-1967

**Title of Dissertation and Name of Supervisor**

"The Economic Impact of the Allotment Policy on the Flathead Indian Reservation," Ph. D. dissertation, Harvard University, 1974. Supervised by Kenneth J. Arrow with Albert O. Hirschman as committee member.

**EMPLOYMENT RECORD**

University, Company or Organization	Rank or Title	Dates
American Indian Studies, Graduate Interdisciplinary Degree Program, University of Arizona	Department Head, Professor	7/11 – 6/14 7/11 - Present
Department of Forest Resources, Management, Faculty of Forestry, University of British Columbia	Associate Professor and Professor	7/04 - 6/11
Native American Forestry Program, School of Forestry, Northern Arizona University	Director	8/89 - 6/04
School of Forestry, Northern Arizona University	Professor	1992 - 6/04
Department of Applied Indigenous Studies, Northern Arizona University	Interim Chairman	7/00 - 12/01
Institute for Native Americans, Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, Arizona	Interim Director	2/95 - 3/96
National Indian Policy Center, The George Washington University	Acting Director	1/94 - 12/94
Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, Arizona	Associate Professor	1989 - 1992
Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Indian Reservation, Pablo, Montana	Tribal Economist	9/83 - 8/89
Office of Planning, Management and Educational Resources, Council of Energy Resource Tribes, Denver, Colorado	Economist and Director	1/82 - 9/83
Social Welfare Research Institute, Boston College	Senior Research Associate	9/80 - 12/81
Harvard University Summer School	Assistant Professor of Economics	6/80 - 9/80
Boston College	Assistant Professor of Economics	9/77 - 6/80

University of Washington	Assistant Professor of Economics and Public Affairs	9/73 - 6/77
Harvard University	Graduate Teaching Assistant and Resident Tutor in Economics, Dunster House	9/69 - 6/72

### **AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS**

- (a) *Awards for Teaching (indicate name of award, awarding organizations, date)*
- Presidents Award, Northern Arizona University, May 2003 (Awarded for Teaching, Service, and Scholarship)
- (b) *Awards for Scholarship (indicate name of award, awarding organizations, date)*
- 2004 Ralf Yorque Competition Winner, *Ecology and Society*, awarded July 2005
- (c) *Other Awards*
- Ford Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship, 1972-1973
  - Danforth Scholarship, 1968-1972
  - Henry Fellowship, 1967-1968
  - Phi Beta Kappa, Harvard College, 1967
  - Jacob Wendell Scholarship, Harvard College, 1965
  - National Merit Scholarship, 1963-1967

### **NATIONAL SERVICE ON SCHOLARLY COMMITTEES**

- Chair, Traditional Ecological Knowledge Section, Ecological Society of America, 2013-2015
- Research Area Leader for Aboriginal Communities, and member, Research Policy Committee Sustainable Forest Management Network (2006-2009).
- Member, the Committee of Scientists to advise the Department of Agriculture and the US Forest Service on its forest planning regulations December 19, 1997 to September 1999.
- Member, National Research Council's Committee to Review Community Development Quotas, 1997-1998,
- Member, National Research Council's Committee on Prospects and Opportunities for Sustainable Management of America's Nonfederal Forests, 1996-1997.

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- Eddison Lee-Johnson and Ronald Troster. 2010. "Designing a New Governance Structure: Analysis of a Stelat'en model for Implementing Forest Management Devolution in British Columbia." In *Planning Co-existence: Aboriginal Issues in Forest and Land Use Planning, Research and Insights from the Aboriginal Program of the Sustainable Forest Management Network*, edited by Marc G. Stevenson and David C. Natcher, (CCI Press and Sustainable Forest Management Network), pp. 125-146.
- Jeremy Boyd and Ronald Troster, 2010. "The Use of Joint Ventures to Accomplish Aboriginal Economic Development: Two Examples from British Columbia." *International Journal of the Commons*. Vol 4, no. 1, pp. 36-55. Available online: <http://www.thecommonsjournal.org/index.php/ijc/article/view/132/127>
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- Troster, R. L. 2002. "Northwest Coast Indigenous Institutions that Supported Resilience and Sustainability," *Ecological Economics* 41, pp. 329-344.
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- Troster, R. L. 1998. "Incentive Systems that Support Sustainability: A First Nations Example," available on line in *Conservation Ecology* volume 2, issue 2, December. (<http://www.consecol.org/vol2/iss2/art11>). Reprinted in *The Global Ecology*, edited by Edward Moran, in *The Reference Shelf*, vol. 71, no. 4, (New York: H. W. Wilson, 1999), pp. 181-193.
- Troster, R. L. 1995. "Traditional American Indian Economic Policy," *American Indian Culture and Research Journal* 19:1, pp. 65-95. Reprinted in *Contemporary Native American Political Issues*, edited by Troy R. Johnson (Walnut Creek: Altamira Press, 1999), pp.139-162.
- Troster, R. L. 1988. "Multi-criterion Decision-Making in a Tribal Context," *Policy Studies Journal* 16:4 (Summer), pp. 826-842. Reprinted in *Native Americans and Public Policy*, ed. by Fremont J. Lyden and Lyman H. Legters. (Pittsburgh: Pittsburgh University Press, 1992), pp. 223-241.

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- Russel L. Barsh and Trosper, R. L. 1975. "Title I of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act of 1975," *American Indian Law Review* 3:2, pp. 361-396.

(b) *Other (including book chapters)*

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- D.B. Tindall and Ronald Trosper. 2012. "The Social Context of Aboriginal Peoples and Forest Land Issues" Chapter 1, pp. 3-11, in David B. Tindall, Ronald Trosper, and Pamela Perriault, editors. *Aboriginal Peoples and Forest Lands in Canada*. Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press.
- Ronald Trosper and D.B. Tindall. 2012. "Consultation and Accommodation: Making Losses Visible" Chapter 18, pp. 313-325, in David B. Tindall, Ronald Trosper, and Pamela Perriault, editors. *Aboriginal Peoples and Forest Lands in Canada*. Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press.
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John A. Parrotta and Ronald Trosper, Coordinating Editors. *Traditional Forest Knowledge: Sustaining Communities, Ecosystems and Biocultural Diversity*. Springer, 2012

## **NON-REFEREED PUBLICATIONS**

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Trosper, R. L. 1979. "Public Welfare and the American Indian," *The Urban and Social Change Review* 12:2 (Summer) pp. 28-31.

### *(b) Conference Proceedings*

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### **WORKS IN PROCESS**

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