

George Katsiaficas
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Summary of Accomplishments at Wentworth

During 30 years at Wentworth, Professor Katsiaficas published 13 books and more than 80 articles. His writing has been translated into 7 languages. His books have been widely reviewed and award winning. He has given talks on five continents, keynoted many international conferences, and lectured at dozens of universities, including Harvard, MIT, University of Athens, University of Copenhagen, Seoul National University, Brown University, University of Michigan, the Free University of Berlin, Gothenberg University, Sweden, Queen's University, Canada, University of Padova, Italy, Universidad Autónoma de la Ciudad de México, Columbia University, University of Heidelberg, American University of Paris, New York University, Yale Law School, Russian Academy of Sciences, Chonnam National University, University of Birmingham, England, and the University of Addis Ababa.

He was twice named a faculty research affiliate at Harvard University institutes: the Center for European Studies and the Korea Institute.

For 7 years, he was editor of a peer-reviewed political science journal, *New Political Science*.

Among the honors he has received are a Fulbright senior fellowship, Lifetime Achievement Award of the New Political Science section of the American Political Science Association, an award for Outstanding Service from the May Mothers' House (widows and mothers of men killed in the 1980 uprising for democracy in Gwangju, South Korea). In 2015, he was formally named honorary citizen of Gwangju.

He was founder and moving force of Wentworth's faculty arts initiatives, which led to the installation of contemporary sculpture between Ira Allen and the Annex. His connection to the world of art has seen him give talks at the Studio Museum of Harlem, Museum of Fine Arts, and San Francisco Art Institute. In 2013, he was coordinator of an international symposium sponsored by the Gwangju Biennale. His teaching has received consistently excellent student evaluations. He has developed four new courses and currently uses the MFA for almost half of his class lectures.

For 6 years, he served on Wentworth's Institute Review Committee (tenure and promotions). He was Secretary of the Faculty Assembly for 4 years, faculty advisor to the Vietnamese Students Association, Lebanese Students Club, and the Rugby Club. For more than ten years, he served as liaison with Mission Extension and Mission Hill projects, which led to establishment of a day care center with Wentworth's active participation.