

JAMES D. SWARTZ, PHD

Professor

1944

Born in Akron, Ohio to Oscar Tower and Laura Ann Swartz.

1967

Receives a Bachelor of Arts in speech-telecommunications from Kent State University.

1967

Becomes a lieutenant in the U.S. Navy.

1978

Marries Dorothy.

1982

Receives a Master of Arts in instructional design and technology from Ohio State University.

1982

Becomes a sociology instructor and director of media education services at Marion Technical College.

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1984

Becomes an adjunct assistant professor at Ohio State University.

1989

Receives a Doctor of Philosophy in instructional design and technology from Ohio State University.

1991

Becomes a professor at the University of Arkansas.

1997

Becomes a secretary and treasurer for the Society for Philosophy of Higher Education.

1999

Serves as chair of the special interest group, Media Curriculum Culture of the American Education Research Association.

2005

Becomes a professor at Miami University.

2009

Serves as president of the Society for Philosophy of Higher Education.

A Timeline of Professional Milestones