Curriculum Vitae Professor Dr Joseph W. Dauben

Name: **Joseph Warren Dauben**

Date of birth: **29 December 1944**

Research Priorities: History of Chinese science, history of mathematics, Georg Cantor, Charles S. Peirce and Abraham Robinson, history of Soviet and Russian science

Joseph W. Dauben is a US-American historian of science and mathematics. His research priorities are Georg Cantor, Charles S. Peirce and Abraham Robinson, as well as the history of Chinese science.

Academic and Professional Career

2005	Zhu Kezhen Visiting Professor, Institute for the History of Natural Sciences, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China
2002	Honorary Professor, Institute for the History of Natural Sciences, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China
1995	Visiting Professor, National Taiwan Normal University, Taipei, Taiwan
1991	Visiting Professor, Tsinghua University, Beijing, China
1989 - 1993	Visiting Professor, New York University (NYU), New York City, USA
1985	Research Stay, USSR
1982 - 1985	Visiting Professor, Columbia University, New York City, USA
since 1981	Distinguished Professor of History, Lehman College, City University of New York (CUNY), New York City, USA
1980	Visiting Professor, Oberlin College, Oberlin, USA
1979 - 1980	Visiting Professor, Columbia University, New York City, USA
1977 - 1978	Member, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton University, Princeton, USA

1972 - 1977	Assistant Professor, Lehman College, CUNY, USA
1966 - 1972	Degree in the History of Science and Doctorate, Harvard University, Cambridge, USA
1962 - 1966	Degree in Mathematics and English Literature, Claremont McKenna College, Claremont, USA

Functions in Scientific Societies and Committees

1997 - 1999	Chairperson, Section Philosophy of Science and History, New York Academy of Sciences, New York City, USA
1985 - 1994	Chairperson, Executive Committee, International Commission for the History of Mathematics (ICHM)
1977 - 1985	Editor, Historica Mathematica, ICHM
	Member, Clare Hall, University of Cambridge, Cambridge, UK

Honours and Awarded Memberships

2012	Albert Leon Whiteman Memorial Prize, American Mathematical Society (AMS), USA
since 2002	Honorary Member, Institute for the History of Natural Sciences, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China
since 2001	Member, German National Academy of Sciences Leopoldina, Germany
1998 - 2000	Outstanding Research Award, Lehman College Foundation, Lehman College, CUNY, New York City, USA
1998 - 1999	Senior Fellowship, American Council of Learned Societies (ACLS), USA
1998	Invited Speaker, International Congress of Mathematicians (ICM), Berlin, Germany
since 1991	Elected Member, International Academy of the History of Science
1986	Outstanding Teacher of the Year, Lehman College, CUNY, New York City, USA
since 1982	Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science, USA
since 1982	Fellow, New York Academy of Sciences, New York City, USA
1980	Guggenheim Fellowship, John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation, New York City, USA

Research priorities

Joseph W. Dauben is a US-American historian of science and mathematics. Key areas of his research are the mathematicians Georg Cantor, Charles S. Peirce and Abraham Robinson, as well as the history of Chinese science.

Dauben wrote the first biography of the American mathematician Abraham Robinson, one of the 20th century's most important mathematicians. Joseph W. Dauben's book links Robinson's life – as a Jew, Robinson had to flee Europe – to his achievements in pure and applied mathematics. In his work on the German mathematician Georg Cantor, Joseph W. Dauben also showed the influence that life experiences and illness can have on the research of individual academics. His work has also examined the intellectual and social development of mathematics.

Furthermore, Dauben is a renowned expert in the history of Chinese science and has held various teaching and research positions in China and Taiwan. Many of his works have been translated into Chinese.