

CSULA Emeriti Faculty Biography

Name: Olga Walden, formerly Termini
Department: Music
Academic rank: Professor
Year appointed: 1972 **Year retired:** 1996.
City of residence: Los Angeles
Email: owalden@roadrunner.com
Birth Place: Hamburg, Germany
Birth Year: 1930 **Marital status:** Married
Spouse or partner's name: Roy H. Walden
Family information: Two sons, one daughter (by marriage).
Four grandchildren (by marriage)

| Colleges or Universities Attended: | Year | Degree |
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| Hochschule für Musik, Hamburg, Germany | 1950-51 | |
| University of Southern California | 1952-54 | B.A. Mus. |
| University of Southern California | 1954-57 | M.M. |
| University of Southern California | 1970 | Ph.D. |

Teaching Experience:

| Institution | From | To |
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| Stevenson Junior High School, Los Angeles | 1954 | 1957 |
| Fairfax High School, Los Angeles | 1957 | 1972 |
| California State University, Los Angeles | 1972 | 1996 |
| Part-time: | | |
| Los Angeles City College | 1957 | 1964 |
| Claremont Graduate School | 1980s | |
| Cal State LA | 1996 | 2003 |

Courses taught:

Music History and Appreciation; German, Music Theory, Humanities (secondary school)
College: Music History and Musicology; Foreign Language Diction; Interdisciplinary Courses (Art and Music) in the general education program.

Administrative, Business, or Professional Experience:

Agency or Company

Associate Dean, School of Fine and Applied Arts 1979-1982, 1983-1984

Awards, Honors, Professional Recognition:

- Fulbright grant, 1966-67
- Outstanding Professor Award, 1988
- Trustees' Outstanding Professor Award, CSU system, 1990

Citations of Selected Publications, Presentations and/or Creative Activities:

- Articles in *New Grove Dictionary of Music and Musicians*, 1980, 1991.
- Articles and chapters in *The Music Review*, *Studi Musicali*, *Royal Music Association Research Chronicle*, *Drammaturgia Musicale Veneta*, *Current Musicology*, *American Music Teacher*, etc.

University Service:

- Music Department: Faculty Affairs, ARTP, IAC, Graduate Policies, etc.
- School Committees: Library Policies, Graduate Studies, Undergraduate Studies, GE Task Force, etc.
- University: Program Review Rep, Faculty Colloquium Board, many search committees, Strategic Planning Committee, etc.

Personal commentary:

- Friends of Music, President, 1997-2007.
- Neighborhood Music School Board of Directors, 1995-2008.
- Gregorian Schola, member.

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