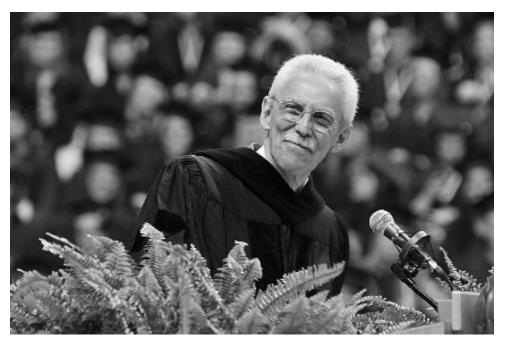
Michael T. Turvey



Michael T. Turvey received his Ph.D. from Ohio State University in 1967. He joined the University of Connecticut in 1967 and the Haskins Laboratories in 1970. His awards include a Guggenheim Fellow, the American Psychological Association (APA) Early Career Award, Fellow at the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Cattell Fellow, Honorary Doctorates from Free University of Amsterdam and Florida Atlantic University, APA Distinguished Scientist Lecturer, Board of Trustees Distinguished Professor (University of Connecticut), Fellow of the Society of Experimental Psychologists, American Psychological Foundation F. J. McGuigan Lecturer, Fellow Japan Society for the Promotion of Science, Ohio State University Distinguished Alumnus, President of the International Society of Motor Control, 2009 Bernstein Prize in Motor Control, the Society of Experimental Psychologists 2011 Lifetime Achievement Award, and the 2012 Glushko & Samuelson Distinguished Cognitive Scientist Award.

He has published over 380 scientific articles, produced more than 40 Ph.D.s, and taught more than 27, 000 undergraduates. His research on perception and action and their inter-relation follows James Gibson and Nicholai Bernstein in emphasizing the search for general laws and principles. His research on visual word recognition pursues the key role of phonology in reading identified by Alvin and Isabelle Liberman. He became Professor Emeritus in 2008.

Privately:

He reads science (widely), philosophy, and newspapers. He listens to classical music and opera but cannot imagine going to a theater or concert. He watches sport on television (primarily, football with the round ball) and rarely anything else. He likes to pub, and has an English pub in his home. It is used frequently by faculty, students, friends, and visiting scholars.

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