



 Get Print Book

# Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University

*By Jon A. Shields, Joshua M. Dunn Sr.*



Download



Read Online

## Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University

By Jon A. Shields, Joshua M. Dunn Sr.

Few seem to think conservatives should become professors. While the left fears an invasion of their citadel by conservatives marching to orders from the Koch brothers, the right steers young conservatives away from a professorial vocation by lampooning its leftism. Shields and Dunn quiet these fears by shedding light on the hidden world of conservative professors through 153 interviews. Most conservative professors told them that the university is a far more tolerant place than its right-wing critics imagine. Many, in fact, first turned right in the university itself, while others say they feel more at home in academia than in the Republican Party. Even so, being a conservative in the progressive university can be challenging. Many professors admit to closeting themselves prior to tenure by passing as liberals. Some openly conservative professors even say they were badly mistreated on account of their politics, especially those who ventured into politicized disciplines or expressed culturally conservative views. Despite real challenges, the many successful professors interviewed by Shields and Dunn show that conservatives can survive and sometimes thrive in one of America's most progressive professions. And this means that liberals and conservatives need to rethink the place of conservatives in academia. Liberals should take the high road by becoming more principled advocates of diversity, especially since conservative professors are rarely close-minded or combatants in a right-wing war against the university. Movement conservatives, meanwhile, should de-escalate its polemical war against the university, especially since it inadvertently helps cement progressives' troubled rule over academia.



[Download Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in t ...pdf](#)



[Read Online Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in ...pdf](#)

# Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University

*By Jon A. Shields, Joshua M. Dunn Sr.*

**Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University** By Jon A. Shields, Joshua M. Dunn Sr.

Few seem to think conservatives should become professors. While the left fears an invasion of their citadel by conservatives marching to orders from the Koch brothers, the right steers young conservatives away from a professorial vocation by lampooning its leftism. Shields and Dunn quiet these fears by shedding light on the hidden world of conservative professors through 153 interviews. Most conservative professors told them that the university is a far more tolerant place than its right-wing critics imagine. Many, in fact, first turned right in the university itself, while others say they feel more at home in academia than in the Republican Party. Even so, being a conservative in the progressive university can be challenging. Many professors admit to closeting themselves prior to tenure by passing as liberals. Some openly conservative professors even say they were badly mistreated on account of their politics, especially those who ventured into politicized disciplines or expressed culturally conservative views. Despite real challenges, the many successful professors interviewed by Shields and Dunn show that conservatives can survive and sometimes thrive in one of America's most progressive professions. And this means that liberals and conservatives need to rethink the place of conservatives in academia. Liberals should take the high road by becoming more principled advocates of diversity, especially since conservative professors are rarely close-minded or combatants in a right-wing war against the university. Movement conservatives, meanwhile, should de-escalate its polemical war against the university, especially since it inadvertently helps cement progressives' troubled rule over academia.

**Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University** By Jon A. Shields, Joshua M. Dunn Sr. **Bibliography**

- Sales Rank: #92321 in Books
- Published on: 2016-03-31
- Original language: English
- Number of items: 1
- Dimensions: 6.50" h x 1.10" w x 9.40" l, .0 pounds
- Binding: Hardcover
- 256 pages



[Download Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in t ...pdf](#)



[Read Online Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in ...pdf](#)

## **Editorial Review**

### **Users Review**

#### **From reader reviews:**

##### **Allison Price:**

The book Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University can give more knowledge and information about everything you want. So just why must we leave the good thing like a book Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University? Several of you have a different opinion about book. But one aim this book can give many data for us. It is absolutely proper. Right now, try to closer using your book. Knowledge or data that you take for that, you may give for each other; you can share all of these. Book Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University has simple shape however, you know: it has great and large function for you. You can look the enormous world by open up and read a e-book. So it is very wonderful.

##### **Joan Marcial:**

Hey guys, do you really wants to finds a new book you just read? May be the book with the subject Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University suitable to you? Often the book was written by renowned writer in this era. The actual book untitled Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University is a single of several books which everyone read now. That book was inspired many people in the world. When you read this guide you will enter the new age that you ever know previous to. The author explained their idea in the simple way, therefore all of people can easily to know the core of this e-book. This book will give you a great deal of information about this world now. So you can see the represented of the world within this book.

##### **Catherine Lyons:**

Reading can called head hangout, why? Because if you are reading a book specially book entitled Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University your brain will drift away trough every dimension, wandering in each aspect that maybe unknown for but surely can become your mind friends. Imaging every word written in a book then become one contact form conclusion and explanation that will maybe you never get before. The Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University giving you yet another experience more than blown away the mind but also giving you useful facts for your better life on this era. So now let us show you the relaxing pattern is your body and mind will probably be pleased when you are finished looking at it, like winning a casino game. Do you want to try this extraordinary spending spare time activity?

**Raymond Dixon:**

This Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University is new way for you who has attention to look for some information because it relief your hunger info. Getting deeper you on it getting knowledge more you know or else you who still having small amount of digest in reading this Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University can be the light food to suit your needs because the information inside this specific book is easy to get by simply anyone. These books produce itself in the form which is reachable by anyone, yeah I mean in the e-book form. People who think that in guide form make them feel sleepy even dizzy this publication is the answer. So there is absolutely no in reading a publication especially this one. You can find actually looking for. It should be here for you actually. So , don't miss the idea! Just read this e-book kind for your better life along with knowledge.

**Download and Read Online Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University By Jon A. Shields, Joshua M. Dunn Sr. #ZTOJRBLAMF5**

## **Read Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University By Jon A. Shields, Joshua M. Dunn Sr. for online ebook**

Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University By Jon A. Shields, Joshua M. Dunn Sr. Free PDF d0wnl0ad, audio books, books to read, good books to read, cheap books, good books, online books, books online, book reviews epub, read books online, books to read online, online library, greatbooks to read, PDF best books to read, top books to read Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University By Jon A. Shields, Joshua M. Dunn Sr. books to read online.

### **Online Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University By Jon A. Shields, Joshua M. Dunn Sr. ebook PDF download**

**Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University By Jon A. Shields, Joshua M. Dunn Sr. Doc**

Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University By Jon A. Shields, Joshua M. Dunn Sr. Mobipocket

Passing on the Right: Conservative Professors in the Progressive University By Jon A. Shields, Joshua M. Dunn Sr. EPub