

## FACULTY PROFILE



### **Kevin Geiman, Ph.D.**

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### **Biography**

Professor Geiman joined the VU faculty in 1989 after studies in Cincinnati, Paris, St. Louis, Frankfurt am Main and Bochum. He has published translations from and studies on 20<sup>th</sup> century French and 18<sup>th</sup> century German sources, and he teaches courses in environmental philosophy, Asian philosophy, and peace and social justice. His current research is on Buddhist ethics with a focus on the *pramit#s*. Professor Geiman has been training in Zen Buddhism since 1996. He will be ordained a Buddhist priest in Spring 2010.

### **Education**

Ph.D. in Philosophy - Washington University in St. Louis  
M.A. in Philosophy - Washington University in St. Louis  
B.A. in Philosophy - Xavier University (Cincinnati)

### **Courses Taught**

Phil 220: Asian Philosophy  
Phil 290: Nature in Chinese Thought  
EAST 390: Buddhism in China  
CHST 690: Shan-shui (##) in Chinese Art, Politics and Religion