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### SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

*School Syndrome: Our Belief That Schools Can Fix Everything and Change Nothing* (Under contract with Harvard University Press for publication in 2010)

*Education, Markets, and the Public Good: Selected Works of David F. Labaree* (2007)

*The Trouble with Ed Schools* (2004)

*How to Succeed in School Without Really Learning: The Credentials Race in American Education* (1997)

*The Making of an American High School: The Credentials Market and the Central High School of Philadelphia, 1838-1939* (1988)

Dr. David F. Labaree is currently the Associate Dean for Student Affairs and a Professor at Stanford University. Since earning his Ph.D. in Sociology from the University of Pennsylvania, Dr. Labaree has served on the faculties of Georgetown University, Widener University, Michigan State University, and Stanford University. He is also a past president of the History of Education Society. Dr. Labaree’s 1988 book *The Making of an American High School* won the Outstanding Book Award from both the American Educational Research Association and the History of Education Society, and his 1997 book *How to Succeed in School*



*Without Really Learning* earned the Critics’ Choice Award. In addition to these and other books, Dr. Labaree is the author of numerous journal articles and book chapters. Overall, his work is sociologically-oriented and focused on what he calls the “major processes and patterns that define the relationship between education and society in the United States.” Among many other topics and areas of interest, Dr.

Labaree has made substantial contributions to research concerning democratic education and the history and nature of education schools in the United States.