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## Research Interests

The central purpose of Hoebel's laboratory research is to reveal principles of nervous system function in the control of motivated behavior patterns such as feeding and drinking. **Environmental project.** Hoebel has founded the Delaware River Steamboat Floating Classroom. The goal is to promote clean drinking water. This program will foster health and human rights by teaching river ecology, the environmental ethic, and the role of the river and canals in the development of our democratic government. Project "S~P~L~A~S~H" will provide Student Participation in Learning Aquatic Science and History. They will use a replica of an 1890 shallow-river steamboat as a floating classroom to create a powerful learning experience for schoolchildren and adults. The steamboat will be a reminder of life along the river 100 years ago, as it teaches river stewardship to meet the goal of clean water for the future.

## Areas of Expertise

Environmental Issues, Ecology

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