Civility in Politics and Education

Edited by Deborah S. Mower and Wade L. Robison
# Contents

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Page</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Foreword</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Preface</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

## PART I

### The Problems of Civility and Incivility

1. **Debunking Three Myths about Civility**  
   TIMOTHY C. SHIELL  
   3

2. **Epistemic Peers and Civil Disagreement**  
   KRISTIN SCHAUPP  
   23

3. **“Fuck You” and Other Salutations: Incivility as a Collective Action Problem**  
   MARK KINGWELL  
   44

## PART II

### Accounts of Civility

4. **Communication and Civility**  
   MEGAN J. LAVERTY  
   65

5. **An Aristotelian Account of Civility**  
   HOWARD J. CURZER  
   80

6. **Civility and Magnanimity**  
   ANDREW TERJESEN  
   99
PART III
Expanding Accounts

7 Filial Piety as a Path to Civility: The Confucian Project 119
KAM-POR YU

8 Neither Morality Nor Law: Ritual Propriety as Confucian Civility 132
STEPHEN C. ANGLE

9 Civility as a Condition of Citizenship 154
ALAN TOMHAVE

10 Civility, Impartiality, and Cosmopolitanism 171
LAURA ARCILA VILLA

PART IV
Teaching Civility

11 Civility, Citizenship, and the Limits of Schooling 191
HARRY BRIGHOUSE

12 Civility as Democratic Civic Virtue 207
ROBERT F. LADENSON

13 Authentic Civic Participation Requires Critical Thinking Methods That Work 221
JEFF BUECHNER

14 Competition in the Classroom: An Ideal for Civility 240
PAUL GAFFNEY

Contributors 257
Index 263