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EDUCATION

- **Ph.D.**, Department of Urban Planning and Policy Development, Edward J. Bloustein School of Planning and Public Policy, Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, 1996. Dissertation title: *Urban Policy, Urban Change and Residential Desegregation in South Africa during the Political Transition: the Case of Cape Town*. (Awarded the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning Barclay Gibbs Jones Award for the best planning dissertation completed at an accredited program). Supervisor: Professor Susan Fainstein.
- **M.Sc. (DP)** (with distinction), Department of Town and Regional Planning, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa, 1989. Dissertation title: *Residential Segregation and Desegregation on the Witwatersrand: An Historical and Comparative Overview*.
- **H.D.E.** (Higher Diploma in Education) (with distinction), Post-Graduate, Secondary: Faculty of Education, University of Cape Town, South Africa, 1987 (Teaching subjects: Economics, History).
- **B.A. (Hons)**, African Studies, University of Cape Town, June 1986.
- **B.A.**, Economic History (Class Medalist) and History, University of Cape Town, 1984.

UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

NON-HOFSTRA

- **Treasurer, American Association of Geographers**, 2013-15 (elected)
- **Executive Committee, American Association of Geographers (AAG)**, 2013-15 (elected)
- **Chair and Member, Finance Committee, American Association of Geographers, 2013-16**
- **Regional Councilor, Middle States Association of Geographers**, 2012-15 (elected)
- **Vice-President, Middle States Association of American Geographers, 2014-15** (elected)
- **Secretary, Middle States Association of American Geographers**, 2013 – 14 (elected)
- **Visiting International Faculty Appointments**
 - Departament de Geografia, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, June-July, 2015; National Institute for South China Sea Studies, Haikou, China, June-July, 2012; Department of Town and Regional Planning, University of Cape Town, July-August 1998; Center for African Studies, University of Cape Town, May - August, 1994.
- **External Program Reviewer**
 - Department of Geography, Millersville University, PA; Department of Global Studies and Cultural Geography, Middle Tennessee State University, TN; Department of Geography and Urban Studies, William Paterson University, NJ.
- **Curriculum and Internationalization**
 - Designed the following, majors and specializations: Major/Minor in Global Studies, Major/Minor in Geography with GIS specialization, Pre-Med Major in Global Studies, Pre-Med Major in Geography, 3+1 Geography program with Xian University and Qiongzhou University; As Chair, approved and helped design the BS major in GIS, Joint Minor in GIS/Computer Science.

HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICE

- **Kalikow School Representative (elected), Provost's Council 2017/18, 2018/19**
- **Chair, Kalikow School Ad-Hoc Planning Committee, 2017**
- **Chair, Interdisciplinary Search Committee for the Director of Sustainability Studies, 2010**
- **Advisory Board, Hofstra Cultural Center, 2012-15**
- **Director, Global Studies Program, 2005-8**
- **Chair, Department Personal Committee, Economics/Geography, 2007**
- **Chair, University Senate Ad-Hoc Committee for the Academic Calendar, 2002-3**
- **Chair, University Senate Library Affairs Sub-Committee, 1998-99**

Served as a member on the following Committees: Senate sub-committees on Planning and Budgeting, Library and the Academic Calendar; College Committees for Graduate Affairs and Standards and Review (Curriculum), Outcomes Assessment Committee, Stessin Prize Committee (for outstanding junior faculty publication), Robinson Dissertation Prize Committee (for outstanding PhD thesis) and the Advisory Committees for Africana Studies and European Studies.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

- **Chair**, Department of Global Studies and Geography, Fall 2008 – to present.
- **Professor**, Department of Global Studies and Geography, Hofstra University, Fall 2011 to present.
- **Associate Professor**, Department of Global Studies and Geography, Hofstra University, Fall 2008 – Spring 2011.
- **Associate Professor (with tenure)**, Department of Economics and Geography, Hofstra University, Fall 2002 – Spring 2008.
- **Assistant Professor**, Department of Economics and Geography, Hofstra University, Fall 1996 - 2002.
- **Adjunct Assistant Professor**, Department of Economics and Geography, Hofstra University, 1995/6.
- **Adjunct Assistant Professor**, Department of Management and Urban Policy, Robert J. Milano Graduate School, The New School for Social Research, summer 1995 and 1996. Taught graduate course, *Political Economy of the City*.
- **Adjunct Assistant Professor**, Department of Urban Studies, Rutgers University, 1995.
- **Adjunct Assistant Professor**, Department of Geography and Urban Studies, Temple University, 1994.
- **Teaching Assistant**, Department of Urban Planning, Rutgers University, 1993/4.
- **Research Associate**, Center for Urban Policy Research, Rutgers University, 1991/2.
- **Project Leader and Urban Specialist**, Planning Unit: Urban Development, The Development Bank of Southern Africa ([DBSA](#)), 1989 – 1991 (HQ, Johannesburg, South Africa).
- **Graduate Assistant**, Department of Political Studies, University of Cape Town, 1986.
- **Tutor**, Department of Political Studies, University of Cape Town, 1985.

RESEARCH

My research interests range across global economics, urban planning, and urban, political and economic geography. I am conducting ongoing research in collaboration with a colleague at the Autonomous University of Barcelona on urban redevelopment planning of the *El Ravel* neighborhood in Barcelona. Additionally, I have been conducting research on how globalization has impacted the university education with particular reference to geography departments. Prior research focused on urban and economic issues in the US, particularly how the shift from manufacturing to services has changed the economic and social fabric of various suburbs in the New York Metropolitan Region.

PUBLICATIONS

Accepted for publication

"The contested nature of downtown urban space in Barcelona: Restructuring and Planning in Barcelona's El Raval quarter," with Antonia Casellas. Book Chapter accepted for inclusion in, *Mediterranean Urban Studies* (Working Title), Editors, Filiz Yenişehirlioğlu, Eyüp Özveren and Tülin Selvi Ünlü. Submitted and accepted book chapter, book is currently under review at Taylor and Francis.

In progress, working title, "The development of public Space in El Raval, a district in downtown Barcelona, 1988 - 2015. With Antonia Casellas, Chiara Minozzi and Alaitz Zabala.

BOOKS

- 1998. *Changing Cape Town: Urban Dynamics, Policy and Planning during the Political Transition in South Africa*. Lanham, Maryland: University Press of America.

REFEREED JOURNALS

- 2010. "The Challenges of Sustaining an Undergraduate Geography Program: Teaching Geography at Hofstra University." *Middle States Geographer*, Vol 43, pp. 26-34.
- 2010. "The Value(S) Of Space: The Discourses and Strategies of Residential Exclusion in Cape Town and Long Island", with Charlotte Lemanski, Vol.45 (4), *Urban Affairs Review*, pp.507 - 543.
- 2005. "The language of residential exclusion: Comparisons between Cape Town, and Farmingville, New York." *Safundi: The Journal of South African & American Comparative Studies*, Issue 19.
- 2001. "Exclusionary Discourse towards Squatters in Suburban Cape Town." *Cultural Geographies (Ecumene)*, Volume 8 (1), pp. 87-107.
- 2000. "Wall Street West: Enterprise Zones and the new Jersey City" *Middle States Geographer*, Volume 33, pp. 10-19.
- 1999. "Make No Big Plans: Two Cautionary Tales from South African Planning Praxis." *Middle States Geographer*, Volume 32, pp. 30-38.
- 1998. "Exclusionary Discourse in New York City and Cape Town, South Africa." *Middle States Geographer*, Volume 31, pp. 64-72.
- 1998. "The Effects of Informal Settlement on Suburban Property Values in Cape Town, South Africa." *Professional Geographer*, 50(4), pp. 449-464.
- 1996. "Claiming a Space in a Changing South Africa: The 'Squatters' of Marconi Beam, Cape Town." *Annals of the Association of American Geographers*, 86(2), pp. 235-255.
- 1995. "Residential Segregation in 'Post-Apartheid' South Africa: What Can Be Learned From the United States Experience." *Urban Affairs Review*, 30(6), pp. 782-808.
- 1994. "The Changing Face of the South African City: From Urban Apartheid to the Deracialization of Space." *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*, 18(3), pp. 377-391.
- 1993. "Science Parks: A Critical Assessment." *Journal of Planning Literature*, 8(2), pp. 107-123. With Hooshang Amirahmadi.
- 1993. "An Evaluation of Neighborhood Integration Management Programs in the United States and their Relevance for South Africa." *Urban Forum*, 4(1), pp. 55-80.
- 1991. "From Race to Space: Reconceptualising the Post-Apartheid Urban Spatial Environment." *Urban Forum*, 2(1), pp. 59-90.
- 1990. "The Probable Effects of the Introduction of Free Settlement Areas in Johannesburg." *Urban Forum*, 1(1), pp. 5-28.

ARTICLES IN BOOKS OR BOOK CHAPTERS

- 2018. Serna, A., Casellas, A., Saff, G., Gerrikagoitia J. K. "Big Data and Service Quality. Barcelona's Hospitality and Tourism Industry" (Chapter 14) In Cai, L.A and Alaedini, P. (Eds.) *Services and Experiences in Hospitality and Tourism (Bridging Tourism Theory and Practice, Volume 9*. Emerald Publishing Limited, p. 213-227. ISBN: 978-1-78756-384-1
<https://www.emeraldinsight.com/doi/abs/10.1108/S2042-144320180000009015>
- 2007. "New Jersey." *World Book Encyclopedia*. Chicago IL, World Book Inc.
- 2006. Reprint. "Claiming a Space in a Changing South Africa: The `Squatters' of Marconi Beam, Cape Town." In Kevin Cox (editor), *Political Geography: Critical Concepts in the Social Sciences*, (Vol. 4), Routledge (UK).
- 2006. "Suburbs and Suburbanization." *Encyclopedia of Human Geography*. Thousand Oaks, CA: SAGE, pp. 469-470.
- 2005. "Cape Town." *World Book Encyclopedia*. Chicago IL, World Book Inc, p. 189.

PUBLISHED PAPERS, MONOGRAPHS, OP-ED's, POLICY REPORTS AND PROGRAM REVIEWS

- 2016, External Program Evaluation Report, Department of Geography, Millersville University, PA, June, with Francis Galgano (Villanova University).
- 2015. "Globalization and the Deterritorialization of Academic Space". Proceedings from the the International Urban Fellows Association (IUFA) (Johns Hopkins, Institute for Health and Social Policy), meeting in Barcelona, June 22-23.
- 2015. External Program Evaluation Report, Department of Global Studies and Cultural Geography, Middle Tennessee State University, TN, April.
- 2012. External Program Evaluation Report, Department of Geography and Urban Studies, William Paterson University, New Jersey, April.
- 2012. "Apartheid's effect and the Republican vision." *Hofstra Chronicle*, September 13.
- 2011. "A Comparative Study of Tourism Development Models: Hainan, PDR of China and Florida, USA." With, Ying Qiu and Robert Brinkmann. Report prepared for National Institute for South China Sea Studies, Haikou, Hainan, PRC, 4 July 2012.
- 2010. "The Geography Program at Hofstra University, 1935-2010: Lessons, Challenges and Prospects." With Adrienne Gillespie.
- 2002. "Wall Street West: Jersey City before and after September 11." *Center for Urban Policy Research, Working Paper Series, Working Paper # 162*. New Brunswick, N.J.
- 1999. "Boundaries of Exclusion: Examining Exclusionary Discourse in New York City and Cape Town, South Africa" *Proceedings of the Nestval Conference* (Montreal), November 1998 Vol. XXVIII, pp.58-64.
- 1998. "Discourse Analysis, Residential Exclusion and Urban Planning: Comparisons between Cape Town, South Africa and New York City." *Center for Urban Policy Research, Working Paper Series, Working Paper # 139*. New Brunswick, N.J.
- 1994. "Residential Segregation in South Africa and the United States: Evaluating the Sustainability of Comparative Research." *Africa Seminar Series*, Centre for African Studies, University of Cape Town.
- 1993. "State Transportation Plan: Urban Transportation Supplement." Center for Urban Policy Research, Rutgers University, Piscataway, N.J. (with New Jersey Department of Transportation and New Jersey Transit), with Robert Burchell and Emilie Schmeidler (Principal Investigators), Lawrence Newton, Daniel Kueper, Bratati Biswas, Sean Thomson and Dimitri Ioannides.
- 1993. "An Analysis of Political and Economic Restructuring in South Africa, 1973-1992." *Center for Urban Policy Research, Working Paper Series, Working Paper #53*. Piscataway, N.J.
- 1992. Editor of (on behalf of the Development Society of Southern Africa) and author in, "Paul

Streets in South Africa: Reflections on a Journey." Pretoria: The Development Society of Southern Africa.

- 1992. "Science Parks: An Overview and Assessment." *Center for Urban Policy Research, Working Paper Series*, Working Paper # 46. Piscataway, N.J., with Hooshang Amirahmadi.
- 1992. "A Preliminary Evaluation of the Minneapolis Neighborhood Revitalization Program." *Center for Urban Policy Research, Policy Report # 10*, Piscataway N.J., with Susan Fainstein, Norman Glickman, Clare Gravon and Braivel Holcomb.

BOOK REVIEWS (ALL BY INVITATION)

- 2003. Review of *"The Atlas of Changing South Africa"* by A.J. Christopher (2001). In *The Journal of Geography*, 102(5), pp. 229.
- 1998. Review of *"Local and Global: Management of Cities in the Information Age"* by Jordi Borja and Manuel Castells (1996). In *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*, 22(4), pp.686-7.
- 1998. Review of *"Imagining Home: Class, Culture and Nationalism in the African Diaspora"* by Lemelle, S. and Kelley, R.D.G. (eds). (1994). In *Cultural Geographies (Ecumene)* 5(2), pp. 254-255.
- 1996. Review of *"Beyond Urban Bias in Africa: Urbanization in an Era of Structural Adjustment"* by Becker, C.M., A.M. Hamer & A.R. Morrison (1994). In *Canadian Journal of African Studies* 29(2), pp. 330-331.
- 1992. Review of *"Planning Settlements Naturally"* by Stephen Owen (1991). In *Journal of the American Planning Association* 58(4), p. 543.

CONFERENCE PAPERS

- 2018. "Pragmatic dilemmas in urban planning: the case of Plaça dels Àngels, Barcelona", with Antonia Casellas. Association of American Geographers Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA, April 11.
- 2017. "Globalization, neo-liberalism and the new academic landscape in the US." Association of American Geographers Annual Conference, Boston, MA, April (Also session Chair).
- 2016. "Design and daily life in contested public spaces of downtown Barcelona," with Antonia Casellas. Association of American Geographers Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA, March 29 – April 2,.
- 2015. "Globalization and the Deterritorialization of Academic Space." Presented at the International Urban Fellows Association (IUFA) (Johns Hopkins, Institute for Health and Social Policy), 2015: Healthy and Sustainable Cities in a Challenging World. Barcelona, University Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona School of Management, June 22-23.
- 2015. "Investigating the relationship between Tourism and Land Use Change in Haikou, China, 1996-2014". With Fengxia Wang and Antonia Casellas. Association of American Geographers Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, 24 April.
- 2014. "The challenges that Globalization is posing for the future Academic Landscape in the United States (and beyond)." Seventh Global Studies Conference, Center for Global Studies Shanghai University, Shanghai, China, 19-21 June.
- 2013. "China's Golf Obsession: Golf and the Contradictions of eco-tourism in Hainan, China." Association of American Geographers Annual Conference, Los Angeles, CA, April 10.
- 2012. "Using Interdisciplinary Programs to help grow enrollments in Undergraduate Geography." Association of American Geographers Annual Conference, New York, NY, February 26.
- 2011. "Strategies for Sustaining an Undergraduate Geography Program during a recession: the geography program at Hofstra University." Association of American Geographers Annual Conference, Seattle, Washington, April 15. (Also Session Chair for this panel).
- 2010. "The Challenges of Sustaining an Undergraduate Geography Program: geography at Hofstra

University, 1936-2010." Annual Meeting of the Middle States Division, Association of American Geographers, West Point, NY, DC, October 22.

- 2010. *"Building an Institutional History of your Department: The experience of the Geography Program at Hofstra University,"* with Adrienne Gillespie. Presented at the Association of American Geographers Annual Conference, Washington, DC, April 18.
- 2009. *"Immigration and the Post-Industrial Suburb: The Case of Edison, NJ."* The Diverse Suburb, Conference organized by Suburban Studies, Hofstra University, Hempstead, NY, October.
- 2009. *"The Post-Industrial suburb: Immigration and economic change in Edison, NJ."* Presented at the Association of American Geographers Annual Conference, Las Vegas, NV, March.
- 2008. *"From the Bottom Up: Documenting the costs and benefits of "illegal" immigration in a suburb, the case of Farmingville, Long Island."* Presented at Association of American Geographers Annual Conference, Boston, MA, April.
- 2007. *"The value(s) of space: the discourses and strategies of residential exclusion In Cape Town and Long Island",* with Charlotte Lemanski. Presented at Association of American Geographers 103rd Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California, April.
- 2006. *"The value(s) of space: Opposition to Hispanic day-laborers in Farmingville, Long Island."* Annual Meeting of the Middle States Division, Association of American Geographers, Rutgers University, New Brunswick N.J., October 13-14.
- 2006. *"Keeping the 'other' out: Exclusionary discourse toward Hispanic day-laborers in Farmingville, Long Island (New York, USA)."* Presented at XVI ISA World Congress of Sociology, Durban, South Africa July 23-29.
- 2005. *"From manufacturing to "high-end" retail: Edison, New Jersey and the rise of the service economy."* Presented at Association of American Geographers 101st Annual Meeting, Denver, Colorado, April 5 - 9. (Also Session Chair for this panel). With Hewan Girma.
- 2005. *"The Discourse of Residential exclusion: From Cape Town, South Africa to Farmingville, Long Island."* Presented at: New Visions of Suburban Life: An Interdisciplinary Conference. Hofstra University, March 18-19.
- 2004. *"Walls of Change: The Fortification of Post-Apart South African Suburbia"* Association of American Geographers 100th Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, March 14 - 19. (Also Session Chair for this panel).
- 2003. *"The Walls of Change: Fortification of Post-Apartheid South African Suburbs"* Annual Meeting of the Middle States Division, Association of American Geographers, SUNY, Albany, NY., October 31 - November 1.
- 2003. *"Urban Redevelopment in Jersey City: The paradox of 'success'."* Association of American Geographers 99th Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 5-9 (Also Session Chair for this panel).
- 2002. *"Urban Redevelopment in Jersey City, 1991 - 2002."* Annual Meeting of the Middle States Division, Association of American Geographers, Montclair State University, Montclair N.J., October 11-12.
- 2001. *"Wall Street West: Urban redevelopment in Jersey City."* Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, 42nd Annual Conference, Cleveland, Ohio, November 7-11.
- 2001. *"Urban Planning in South Africa: Lessons from the past and challenges for the future."* Annual Meeting of the Middle States Division, Association of American Geographers, C.W. Post Campus, Long Island, New York, October 19-20.
- 2001. *"The Comeback City: Jersey City in the 1990s."* Association of American Geographers 97th Annual Meeting, New York City, February 27 - March 3.
- 2000. *"Wall Street West: Enterprise Zones and the "new" Jersey City."* Annual Meeting of the Middle States Division, Association of American Geographers, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, October 20-21.
- 2000. *"Evaluating Enterprise Zones: The case of Jersey City, NJ."* Association of American Geographers 96th Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, April 4-8 (Also Session Chair).

- 1999. *"Make No Big Plans: Cautionary Tales from South African Planning Praxis."* Annual Meeting of the Middle States Division, Association of American Geographers, West Chester, Pennsylvania, October 8-9.
- 1998. *"Urban Policy, Urban Change and Residential Desegregation in South Africa During the Political Transition: the Case of Cape Town."* Special Session for Award Winners, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, 40th Annual Conference, Pasadena, California, November 5-8.
- 1998. *"Boundaries of Exclusion: Examining Discourse in New York City and Cape Town, South Africa."* North East and St-Lawrence Valley Divisions (Nestval), Association of American Geographers, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Canada, 16-17 October.
- 1998. *"Discourses of Residential Exclusion in New York City and Cape Town, South Africa."* Joint Annual Meeting of the Middle States and Middle Atlantic Divisions, Association of American Geographers, New Brunswick, New Jersey, October 9-10.
- 1998. *"Discourse Analysis, Residential Exclusion and Urban Planning."* American Association of Geographers 94th Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, 25-29 March.
- 1997. *"Discourses of Residential Exclusion in Cape Town, South Africa and New York City."* Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, 39th Annual Meeting, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, November 6-9.
- 1997. *"The Effects of Informal Settlements on Adjacent Suburban Areas: Three case studies from Cape Town, South Africa."* American Association of Geographers 93rd Annual Meeting, Fort Worth, Texas, April 2-5.
- 1996. *"An Examination of The Relationship Between Informal Settlement and Crime in Cape Town, South Africa."* Joint Annual Meeting Middle States and Middle Atlantic Divisions, Association of American Geographers, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, October 18-19.
- 1996. *"Contradictions on the Road to Urban Democracy in South Africa."* American Association of Geographers 92nd Annual Meeting, Charlotte, North Carolina, April 9-13.
- 1995. *"Urban Planning During Political Transitions."* Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, 37th Annual Meeting, Detroit, Michigan, October 19-22.
- 1995. *"Residential Desegregation and Class Based Exclusion in the 'New' South Africa: The case of Cape Town."* American Association of Geographers 91st Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois, March 14-18.
- 1994. *"Residential Exclusion in the 'new' South Africa: The case of Marconi Beam, an informal settlement in Cape Town."* Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, 36th Annual Meeting, Phoenix, Arizona, 3 November.
- 1994. *"Residential Segregation in South Africa and the United States: Evaluating the Sustainability of Comparative Research."* Africa Seminar, Centre for African Studies, University of Cape Town, 9 August.
- 1993. *"Residential Segregation in 'Post-Apartheid' South Africa: What can be learned from the United States Experience."* Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, 35th Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, October 28-31.
- 1993. *"Promoting Desegregation in the South African City."* South Africa: Problems and Prospects of Transition, Symposium on Contemporary Issues in South Africa, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey, 23 April.
- 1993. *"The Changing Face of the South African City: From Urban Apartheid to the Deracialization of Space."* Conference on Building the New South Africa: Progressive Planning and Politics, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, April 9-10.
- 1993. *"Urban Spatial Reordering in the 'new' South Africa."* Presented at the American Association of Geographers 89th Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, April 6-9 (Also served as session chair for this panel).

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INVITED PRESENTATIONS AND CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

- 2018. *"Local Economic Development and Urban Planning: "for the people" or "with the people" and why it matters: The case of Plaça dels Angels, Barcelona."* Departament de Geografia, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), November 20.
- 2017. "Sticking to the Plan? Evaluating the merits of pragmatism for urban planning and economic development." Departament de Geografia, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), November 20.
- 2017. *South Africa: From Apartheid to Democracy.* Beyond our Borders series, Oceanside Public Library, New York, November 30.
- 2016. *"The Pragmatic Dilemma in Urban Economic Development and Planning."* Departament de Geografia, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), November 21.
- 2016. *"Chairs' Symposium: Social Media in Department Life: Strategies and Examples."* Invited Panel at the Association of American Geographers Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA, March 29 – April 2.
- 2015. *"Strategies for designing and sustaining a Global Studies program within a rapidly changing academic landscape."* Departament d'Humanitats, University Pompeu Fabra (UPF), Barcelona, December 18.
- 2015. *"What is to be done? Saving geography departments in the age of age of neo-liberalism, inequality, crisis and MOOCs."* Departament de Geografia, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), December 15.
- 2015. *"Critically rethinking common sense in economic development and planning."* Departament de Geografia, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), December 9.
- 2015. *"Globalization and the Job Market for Geography Graduates,"* Department of Geography, Youngstown State University, Youngstown, OH, October 7.
- 2015. *"Globalization and the Job Market for Recent Graduates: Lessons from the United States",* Departament de Geografia, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), June 8.
- 2015. Invited, with Executive Director of the AAG, Douglas Richardson and President, Mona Domash to attend a seminar with faculty and students of the Geography Department at the University of Puerto Rico to discuss the future of the geography education and the role it can play in solving global problems, San Juan, Puerto Rico, February 27.
- 2014. Represented the Association of American Geographers at, *"Geography 2050, Mounting an Expedition to the Future,"* organized by the American Geographical Society (AGS), hosted by the Earth Institute, Columbia University, NY, November 19.
- 2014. Judge, Student Paper submissions for annual prizes, awarded at Middle States Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, York, PA, October 25.
- 2014. Participant, Chair's Discussion, West-Lakes/East-Lakes Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI, October 17.
- 2014. Moderator, "Current Issues Concerning Cities and Urbanization in China." *Asia Transforming: Old Values and New Presences.* International Conference, sponsored by Hofstra Cultural Center, NY Center on Asian Studies, Mid-Atlantic Region Association for Asian Studies. Hofstra University, September 18-20.
- 2014. *"The challenges that Globalization is posing for Universities in the United States and why Geography Department's are well placed to respond."* Xi'an International Studies University (XISU), China, 25 June.
- 2014. *"How Globalization has challenged the future of Universities, Departments and Academic Disciplines."* Geografos de Puerto Rico and the Asociacion Estudiantes de Geografia, San Juan, Puerto Rico, 27 February.
- 2014. *"Reflections on Nelson Mandela (panel discussion)."* Sponsored by the Multicultural and International Student Programs Office. Hofstra Cultural Center Theater, 13 March.
- 2014. *"How Globalization has threatened the future of Universities. Globalization Day, Hofstra*

University," Hofstra Center for Contemporary Culture, 2 March.

- 2013. "How Globalization has challenged the future of Universities, Departments and Academic Disciplines." Departamento de Estudios Regionales – Ineser, Centro Universitario de Ciencias Económico Administrativas (CUCEA), Universidad de Guadalajara, 20 August.
- 2013. Coordinator, Middle States Geography Bowl team, winner of the "World Geography Bowl" at the Annual Meeting of the AAG, Los Angeles, April.
- 2012. "*Planning a sustainable urban and suburban future: Case studies from the United States*" with Robert Brinkmann and Ying Qiu, National Institute for South China Sea Studies, Haikou, Hainan, PRC, July 4.
- 2012. "*Immigration and Suburban change in the United States: Case studies of Asian migration in New Jersey and Latino migration in New York.*" Seminar, National Institute for South China Sea Studies, Haikou, Hainan, PRC, 26 June 2012
- 2011. "Thoughts on Political transitions: The South African case." Day of Dialogue IX, Center for Civic Engagement, Hofstra University, October 26.
- 2011. Guest lecturer, "*Post-Apartheid Cape Town*," Rutgers University, Department of Urban Studies, 3 March (course titled, "Slums of the Global South").
- 2010. Discussant, "*People on the Move: Patterns of Global Migration*," Day of Dialogue VIII, Center for Civic Engagement, Hofstra University, October 27.
- 2009. Discussant, "*Immigrant Entrepreneurship in the Suburbs*," The Diverse Suburb, Conference, Hofstra University, October.
- 2008. Speaker, "*2008 US elections and their impact on Africa*," Day of Dialogue, Session 2: Africa and Latin America, September 24.
- 2006. "*South Africa's economic performance after Apartheid: What does it tell us about the global economy?*" Fourth Annual Roundtable on the State of Economic Globalization, "*Africa in the Global Economy*", Merrill Lynch Center for the Study of International Financial Services and Markets, Frank G. Zarb School of Business, Hofstra University, March 29.
- 2003. "*Aids in Africa.*" Keynote address to Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Xi Gamma Chapter, at their Annual Social Action Dinner, Hofstra University, February 13.
- 2002. "*The Political Geography of South Africa*," guest lecture, Department of Earth & Environmental Studies, Montclair State University, December 4.
- 2002. Invited by the American Association of Geographers to partake in a workshop titled, 'Race, Space, and Urban Development' in Johannesburg, South Africa, August 9-12.
- 2002. "*Gentrification in Jersey City*," guest lecture, Department of Geography, Rutgers University, March 5.
- 2002. "*Wall Street West: Jersey City before and after Sept 11.*" Spring Colloquium Series: Department of Geography, Rutgers University, February 8.
- 2001. Session chair and discussant, "*The Impact of Municipal Government*," Redefining Suburban Studies: Searching for a New Paradigm, An Interdisciplinary Conference, Hofstra University, NY, 30-31 March.
- 2001. Panel organizer and session chair, "*Teaching African Geography to US Undergraduates: Possibilities, Opportunities and Constraints.*" (Sponsored by the Africa Specialty Group & Geography Education Specialty Group), American Association of Geographers 97th Annual Meeting, New York City, February 27 - March 3.
- 2001. Co-organizer and guide of a walking tour of Battery Park City and the World Financial Center as part of American Association of Geographers 97th Annual Meeting, New York City, 27 February.
- 2000. "*Urban Planning in South Africa: Lessons from the past and challenges for the future.*" Presented as part of the, "African Development Challenges: Issues for the 21st Century," colloquium series jointly sponsored by the Department of Geology and Geography and the Regional Research Institute, West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV, April 29.
- 2000. Panel organizer and session chair, "*Teaching African Geography to US Undergraduates:*

Possibilities, Opportunities and Constraints." (Sponsored by the Africa Specialty Group & Geography Education Specialty Group), at American Association of Geographers 96th Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA, April 4-8.

- 2000. Panelist, "Finding *Democracy in a New South Africa*," American Association of Geographers 96th Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA, April 4-8.
- 2000. "The *Geographic Impact of Globalization on the Developing World.*" Talk sponsored by the Economics Association, Hofstra University, March 8.
- 1999. "Constructing the Boundaries of Exclusion: Comparisons of Exclusionary Discourse Towards Squatters in Cape Town and New York City." Milano Lunchtime Seminar Series, Robert J. Milano Graduate School, The New School for Social Research, New York, 21 April.
- 1998. Panel Organizer and Moderator, "Ph.D's, Teaching, the Job Market, and the Future of Planning Education." Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, 40th Annual Conference, Pasadena, California, November 5-8.
- 1998. Discussant, "International Planning." Planning Theory Session at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, 40th Annual Conference, Pasadena, California, November 5-8.
- 1998. "South Africa After Apartheid." International Affairs Forum, Hofstra University, October 22.
- 1998. "The Effects of Marconi Beam Informal Settlement on Property Values in Milnerton (Cape Town)." Seminar presentation, Department of Geography and Environmental Sciences, University of Cape Town, Cape Town, August 7.
- 1998. Panelist, "African Urban Issues." Panel Session, Africa Specialty Group, American Association of Geographers 94th Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, March 25-29.
- 1998. Discussant, "South Africa." Session, organized by the African Specialty Group, American Association of Geographers 94th Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, March 25-29.
- 1997. "From Race to Space: The Changing Urban Landscape in Post-Apartheid Cape Town, South Africa." African Studies Program, Speakers Series, Woodrow Wilson School, Princeton University, December 3.
- 1997. "Make no big plans: Two cautionary tales from South African Urban Planning Praxis." Keynote presentation as part of Geography Awareness Week, Department of Geography, Geology and Planning, Southwest Missouri State University, Springfield, Missouri, November 20.
- 1996. "Urban Planning during Political Change: Lessons from South Africa." Department of Geography, University of Western Michigan, Kalamazoo, February 23.
- 1994. "Similarities and Differences between residential segregation in the US and South Africa." Department of Urban Studies, University of Maryland, College Park, November 16.
- 1994. "Residential Exclusion in the new South Africa." Department of Urban Planning Colloquium Series, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey, October 27.
- 1994. "The Post-Apartheid City." Department of Town and Regional Planning, University of Cape Town, August 12.
- 1994. "From the Apartheid City to the Post-Apartheid City." Public and Development Management Programme, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, July 28.
- 1990. "Paul Streeten and South Africa." The Open Workshop in Honor of Paul Streeten, Human Sciences Research Council, Pretoria, May 11.

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL HONORS, GRANTS AND AWARDS

External Reviews and service to the profession

- 2018. External Examiner, Masters Thesis, Interdisciplinary Studies in Environmental, Economic and Social Sustainability, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), 29 June.
- 2018. Presided over two Annual PhD Committee Reviews, Departament de Geografia, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), 11 June.

- 2018. External Examiner, PhD thesis, Sociology, University of Cape Town, South Africa.
- 2018. External Evaluation for faculty promotion to Full-Professor, Department of Geography, US Military Academy, West Point.
- 2017, 2012, 2011 and 2007, External reviewer for the National Research Foundation (NRF) of South Africa.
- 2016. Reviewer, National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH), Humanities Connections Panel (reviewed 22 proposals), November 28, Washington, DC.
- 2016. External Program Reviewer, Department of Geography, Millersville University, Pennsylvania, March, 16-17.
- 2015. Book Proposal Reviewer, Routledge.
- 2015 and 2006, External Examiner for Masters Thesis, University of Cape Town (Sociology and Geography).
- 2015. External Program Reviewer, Department of Global Studies and Cultural Geography, Middle Tennessee State University, TN, March 18-20.
- 2015. External Grant Reviewer, Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research (Vidi Scheme), January.
- 2012. External Program Reviewer, Department of Geography and Urban Studies, William Paterson University, New Jersey, April 5, 2012.
- 2012 - 15, Webmaster, Middle States Division AAG.
- 2011/12. Local organizing committee for the Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting in New York City.
- 2009. Book reviewer, University of Georgia Press.
- 2008. Participant, Department Leadership Workshop organized by the American Association of Geographers, UCLA, 20-22 June.
- 2002-2007, Editorial Board, *Safundi: The Journal of South African & American Comparative Studies*.
- 2005. External Examiner, PhD thesis, Geography, Oxford University, UK.
- 2004. Geography Consultant for *3Clix.info*.
- 2000. Local organizing committee for the Association of American Geographers 97th Annual Meeting in New York City.
- 1999. Certificate, "Introduction to ArcView GIS", ESRI Course, January.
- 1996. Reviewer, faculty promotion and tenure decision, Department of Political Science, DePaul University, Chicago.
- 1991. Certificate, "The Essentials of Managerial Finance", Graduate School of Business Administration, University of the Witwatersrand.

Honors and Awards

- Visiting Research Associate, Departament de Geografia, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), June/July, 2015.
- Finance Committee, Association of American Geographers (AAG), 2013-16. Chair of the Committee, 2013 – 2015 (July).
- Elected Vice-President, Middle States Division of the AAG (2015).
- Invited to present *The Fifteenth Annual, Aims of Education Address. Hofstra University Honors College* (talk to incoming Freshman), 30 August 2014.
- Elected Secretary, Middle States Division of the AAG (2014).
- Awarded membership of *Mu Kappa*, the Hofstra University chapter of *Gamma Theta Upsilon* (GTU), Fall 2012.
- Elected, Treasurer of the Association of American Geographers (2013-2015). The Treasurer is

part of the 6-person Executive Committee of the AAG (with the Executive Director, President, Vice-President, Past-President and Secretary).

- Committee on Committees, Association of American Geographers, 2013-15 (July).
- Visiting Scholar, National Institute for South China Sea Studies, Haikou, Hainan, PRC, June-July, 2012.
- Elected, Regional Councilor, Middle States Division of the AAG (2012-2015).
- Selected by the International Research and Scholarly Exchange (IRSE) Committee of the Association of American Geographers to partake in a collaborative workshop on *'Race, Space, and Urban Development'*, Johannesburg, South Africa, 9-12 August 2002 (funded by the AAG and National Science Foundation).
- Awarded of the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) Barclay Gibbs Jones Award for the best Ph.D. planning dissertation completed at an accredited program, May 1996 - June 1998 (This award was presented at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning 40th Annual Conference, Pasadena, CA, November 1998) (\$500).
- Visiting Research Associate, Department of Town and Regional Planning, University of Cape Town, July-August 1998.
- Visiting Associate, Center for African Studies, University of Cape Town, May - August, 1994.
- Economic History Class Medalist, University of Cape Town, 1984.

Grants and Research Awards

- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2018/19 (\$1,300).
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2017/18 (\$2,700).
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2016/17 (\$1,500).
- Hofstra University, Special Administrative Leave, Fall 2015.
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2015/16 (\$1,700).
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2012/13 and 2013/14 (\$4,220).
- Hofstra Presidential Research Award, 2013 (\$300).
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2010/11 (\$694).
- Hofstra Presidential Research Award, 2010 (\$300).
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2009/10 (\$650).
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2008/09 (\$1,000).
- Hofstra Presidential Research Award, 2006 (\$450).
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2006/07 (\$1,200).
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2005/06 (\$1,150).
- Hofstra Presidential Research Award, 2005 (\$300).
- Hofstra Presidential Research Award, 2004 (\$500).
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2004/05 (\$1,650).
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2003/04 (\$1,000).
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2002/03 (\$800).
- Hofstra University, Special Research Leave, Spring 2002.
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2001/02 (\$1000).
- Hofstra Presidential Research Award, 2001 (\$500).
- Hofstra Presidential Research Award, 2000 (\$500).
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 2000/01 (\$1,250).
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 1998/99 (\$760).
- Hofstra Presidential Grant, 1998 (\$200).
- Hofstra College Faculty Research and Development Grant, 1997/98 (\$760).
- Hofstra Presidential Grant, 1997 (\$447).

- Graduate Fellowship, Department of Urban Planning, Rutgers University, 1994/5.
- Teaching Assistantship, Department of Urban Planning, Rutgers University, 1993/94 (three terms).
- Human Sciences Research Council (South Africa) Doctoral Merit Scholarship for overseas study, 1991/92 and 1992/93.
- Human Sciences Research Council Masters Research Scholarship, 1989.
- University of the Witwatersrand Senior Scholarship, 1988.
- University of Cape Town Study Bursary, 1987.
- Human Sciences Research Council Honours Bursary, 1985.
- Exchange Student, USSTS exchange program to the US, December 1982 - February 1983.

Professional Affiliations

- Association of American Geographers (AAG)
 - **Specialty groups**
 - *Africa Specialty Group*
 - *Economic Geography Specialty Group*
 - *Geographic Education*
 - *Regional Development and Planning Specialty Group*
 - *Urban Specialty Group*
- Middle States Association of American Geographers (MSDAAG)

Peer Reviewer (Select list, academic Journals)

- *African Geographical Review; Annals of Regional Science; Canadian Journal of African Studies; GeoForum; International Journal of Urban and Regional Research; Journal of Planning Education and Research; Journal of Geography; Middle States Geographer; Society and Space; South African Historical Journal; Theoria; Tijdschrift Voor Economische en Sociale Geografie; Urban Affairs Review; Urban Forum; Urban Geography*

TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND RESEARCH SUPERVISION

Hofstra University, Courses taught (Undergraduate)

- *The Global Financial Crisis* (Hofstra Honors College Seminar)
- *Introduction to the Global Economic Crisis* (GS 14, Freshman Seminar)
- *Globalization and the cinematic “unwinding” of America* (GS 104, Special Topics Seminar)
- *Senior Seminar in Global Studies and Research Methodology* (GS 180)
- *Introduction to Global Studies* (Inter-disciplinary distribution class) (GS 001)
- *Urbanization in the Developing World* (Cross-Cultural distribution Class) (Geog 106)
- *Economic Geography* (distribution class) (Geog 135)
- *Urban and Regional Economics* (Eco 165)
- *Honors Essay in Geography* (Geog 100)
- *Honors Essay in Economics* (Eco 100)
- *Honors Essay in Global Studies* (GS 100)
- *Human Geography* (distribution class) (Geog 002)
- *Urban Geography* (distribution class) (Geog 103)
- *Readings in Economics* (Eco 151)
- *Readings in Geography* (Geog 151/52)
- *Readings in Global Studies* (GS 151)

- *Introduction to Topical Geography* (distribution Class) (Geog 003)
- *Seminar in Geographic Methodology* (Geog 191)
- *Geography of Africa* (Cross-Cultural distribution Class) (Geog 145)

Hofstra University, Online courses developed and taught (Undergraduate)

- *Introduction to Global Studies* (Distance Learning, Inter-disciplinary distribution class) (GS 001)
- *Geography of Africa* (Distance Learning, cross-cultural distribution class) (Geog 145)

Non-Hofstra

- *Political Economy of the City* (New School University, New York City - Graduate) (URB301A)
- *World Cities* (Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ) (975:475)
- *World Urban Patterns* (Temple University, Philadelphia, PA) (GUSCO60)

Research Supervision

External Examiner: Graduate Thesis

Chiara Minozzi (MA), Interdisciplinary Studies in Environmental, Economic and Social Sustainability, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), (2018).
 Annual PhD Committee Reviews, Rafael Vicente Salar and Mingge Tian, Departament de Geografia, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), (2018).
 Merlin Ince (PhD, Sociology), University of Cape Town (2018).
 Mighael Lombard (M.Soc.Sc, Sociology), University of Cape Town (2015).
 Jacqueline Borel-Saladin (M.Sc, Geography), University of Cape Town (2006).
 Charlotte Lemanski (D.Phil, Geography), Oxford University (2005).

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Supervisor, Hofstra University

[Etana Jacobi](#) (2012, winner Hofstra University Library Research Award), [Hewan Girma](#) (2003), [Claire Bowler](#) (1999), [James Eyster](#) (1998).

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Examiner, Hofstra University

Samantha Spagnoli (2015), Lora Gerulsky (2015), Ross Nikides (2014), Kevin Tamerler (2014), Elizabeth Driscoll (2014), Nathan Shapiro (2013), Anna Okoniewski (2013), James Yantis (2012), Chelsea Whitfield (2011), Alyssa Coco (2011), Michael Carrigy (2010), Mathew Craig (2007).

SELECT MEDIA INTERVIEWS AND COVERAGE

- *New York Times*, "In a Long Island Hamlet, a Downtown Is Being Built From Scratch," By C.J. Hughes, September 30, 2014.
- *LI Herald.com*, "Mandela mourned across L.I.: Father of modern South Africa is remembered," By Brian Racow and Emily Webb, December 2013.
- Radio Interviews: *Channel 12*, Long Island, *KCMO* Kansas City, MO, *KCOL* Fort Collins, CO, *WDRG* Hartford, CT, *KFAB* Omaha, NE, *WVJR* Morgantown, WV – all December 2013.
- [WPIX](#), New York, 12 December 2013
- *Channel 12, Long Island* (interview by Rich Barrabi), 11 December 2013
- *Hainan News*, "Qiongzhou Uni. and Hofstra Uni. announce joint postgraduate programs," 23 July 2013.
- *Hofstra Asia Center Blog*, "Hofstra Scholars are invited to visit Qiongzhou University, China," 6 May 2013.
- *Channel 12, Long Island* (interview by Verginia Huie), (*on the Legacy of Nelson Mandela*), 26 June 2013.

- *Verizon Channel One: Long Island (on the Legacy of Nelson Mandela)*, 25 June 2013.
- Scholars from Hofstra University, US Wrap Up Academic Visit at NISCSS, 6 July 2012.
- *Hofstra Chronicle*, 15 February 2012
- *Main St*, 10 College Majors for a New Economy, 18 July 2011.
- *Hofstra Chronicle*, 14 February 2011.
- *Tumblr*, 9 December 2010.
- *Highland Park Mirror*, 29 July 2009.
- *Star Ledger*, 15 February 2008.
- *Home News Tribune*, 8 February 2008.
- Hofstra TV, "Both Sides of the Coin" debate on immigration, 2007.
- *Hofstra Chronicle*, 7 April 2005
- *New York Times*, 25 March 1998.

CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT (HOFSTRA)

- Co-designed a new BS GIS major, 2015/16.
- Co-designed a new joint GIS/Computer Science minor, 2016.
- Designed a new Geography Major and Minor with a Concentration in Geographic Information Systems (GIS), Fall 2014.
- Submitted the curriculum proposals to HCLAS for Geog 107 (*Urban Geography of Western Europe*), Spring 2012.
- 2012/13, Created distance learning versions of *Introduction to Global Studies* (GS 001) and *The Geography of Africa* (Geography 145).
- Submitted the curriculum proposals to HCLAS for GS 100 (*Honors in Global Studies*), Fall 2009.
- Ongoing curriculum development of the Global Studies and Geography programs (Fall 2008-)
- Designed and introduced the following new courses as part of the Global Studies Program (Fall 2006):
 - GS 001(*Introduction to Global Studies*), GS 104 (*Special Topics in Global Studies*), GS180 (*Senior Seminar in Global Studies and Research Methodology*), GS 151/152/153/154 (*Readings in Global Studies*), GS 190 (*Internship in Global Studies*)
- Designed and introduced the new program in Global Studies (Fall 2005-Fall 2006).
- Redesigned the requirements and courses for a major and minor in Geography and submitted the changes to the HCLAS.
- Changed Geography 106 from to a Cross-Cultural Distribution Class (2003).
- Submitted the curriculum proposals to HCLAS for G190 (*Internship in Geography*) and G150/151/152/153 (*Readings in Geography*) to be granted permanent approval as part of the geography curriculum (2000).
- Introduced "Geog 106: *Urbanization in the Developing World*" new course approved for inclusion into the Hofstra core curriculum (2000).
- Introduced "Geog 104: *Special Topics in Geography*" new course approved for inclusion into the regular Hofstra curriculum (1998).
- Introduced "Geog 190: *Internship in Geography*" new course approved for inclusion into the regular Hofstra curriculum (1998).
- Changed requirements for Geography majors, by including Geology 1C as an elective (1998).
- Wrote the report for "Geog 145: *The Geography of Africa*" to gain permanent inclusion into the Hofstra University cross-cultural core curriculum (1998).
- Revised the Hofstra Bulletin Description for "Geog 103: *Urban Geography*." (1998).
- Revised the Hofstra Bulletin Description for "Geog 002: *Human Geography*." (1997).
- Revised Prerequisite requirements for "Economics 165: *Urban and Regional Economics*." (1997).

SOFTWARE PROFICIENCY

- Adobe: Acrobat Pro, Dreamweaver, Photoshop.
- Academic: Banner Proper, Blackboard, Degreeworks, Digitalmeasures, ETime (payroll).
- MS Office: Excel, Outlook, PowerPoint, Word.
- Web Design: Wordpress.

HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY SERVICE**UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

- Kalikow School of Public Policy Representative on the Provost's Council, Fall 2017 -
 - Robinson Dissertation Prize Committee (for outstanding PhD thesis), Fall 2017.
 - HCLAS Ad Hoc Committee on Graduate Education, Fall 2017.
 - Advisory Board Member, Hofstra Cultural Center, 2012 – 2015.
 - Worked with the Inaba Family to set up a \$120,000 grant for an annual award to a student to support them at Hofstra (the *Inaba Award*).
 - Academic Advisor, Hofstra University Rugby Team, 2014 - 2016.
 - Hofstra Representative, LIRACHE Sustainability Conference, Stony Brook University February 11, 2011.
 - Chair, Interdisciplinary Search Committee for the Director of Sustainability Studies, Fall 2010.
 - Faculty reviewer of photographic submissions for the Multicultural Mixer's photo contest, Center for Civic Engagement, November 2010.
 - First Year Connections, Common Reading, faculty participant (*The Pickup*, Nadine Gordimer),
 - Reviewer for submissions to the Diverse Suburb Conference, Spring 2009.
 - Stessin Prize, committee member, 2008.
 - Appointed Director for the program (and major) in Global Studies (Fall 2005 - 2008).
 - Member, Organizing Committee for "New Visions of Suburban Life: An Interdisciplinary Conference", Hofstra University, March 18-19, 2005.
 - Authored the entry for the University Senate Ad-Hoc Committee for the Academic Calendar in the "Annual Report of the University Senate." (2003).
 - Chair, University Senate Ad-Hoc Committee for the Academic Calendar (Fall 2002 to Fall 2003).
 - Member, Organizing Committee for the 2001 "Redefining Suburban Studies" Conference (2000).
 - Member, University Senate Ad-Hoc Committee for the Academic Calendar (2000 - 2006).
 - Member, HCLAS Graduate Affairs Committee, (Spring 2000).
 - Faculty Mentor as part of the Center for Teaching Excellence mentoring program (1999/2000; 2001/02; 2002/03, 2008/9, 2009/10).
 - Participated in the Peer Teacher program (1997, 1999, 2005, 2006, 2009 - 19).
 - Authored the University Senate Library Sub-Committee entry in the "Annual Report of the University Senate." (1999).
 - Member, University Senate Planning and Budgeting Committee (1998 – 99).
 - Member, Hofstra Geographical Information Systems Advisory Committee (organized by the Business Development Center) (1998).
 - Chair, University Senate Library Affairs Sub-Committee (1998-99).
 - Member, University Senate Library Affairs Sub-Committee (1997 - 2003).
 - Member, HCLAS Standards and Review Committee (1997 – 98).
 - Member, Africana Studies (1996 - 2003), and European Studies Committee (2013 - 16).
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