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CURRICULUM VITAE**EDUCATION**

Temple University, Philadelphia, PA, Anthropology, 1992-20000, M.A. received, May 1995; Advanced to Candidacy, May 1995; Ph.D. received, January 2000.

Dissertation: Fighting for Their Lives: Poverty and AIDS Activism in Neoliberal Philadelphia; advisor, Judith Goode

Rutgers College, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 1984-1990, Chinese Language and Literature (Minor in Anthropology), BA received May 1990.

TEACHING POSITIONS HELD

Associate Professor, Ph.D. Program in Anthropology, CUNY Graduate Center, September 2007 to present.

Associate Professor, Department of Urban Studies, Queens College, CUNY, September 2007 to present.

Assistant Professor, Ph.D. Program in Anthropology, CUNY Graduate Center, January 2005 to 2007.

Assistant Professor, Department of Urban Studies, Queens College, CUNY, September 2002 to 2007.

Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology, Montclair State University, September 2001 to August 2002.

Adjunct Instructor, Temple University, Department of Anthropology, July 1993 to August 2000.

Lecturer, Beijing University, Department of English, Spring 1987.

RESEARCH POSITIONS HELD

Post-Doctoral Research Associate, Department of Anthropology, Temple University, September 1999 to August 2001.

HONORS

President's Award for Excellence in Teaching, Queens College, CUNY, Fall 2009

Lifesavers Award, Prevention Point Philadelphia, June 2004

The Polly Brinley Outstanding Volunteerism Award, Bread and Roses 9th Annual Tribute to Change, Bread and Roses Community Fund, May 1997.

Tuition Scholarship, Office of the Dean, Temple University, September 1996 to June 1997.

The Jonathan Lax Scholarship, Bread and Roses Community Fund, July 1995.

Certificate of Merit in Teaching, College of Arts and Sciences, Temple University, May 1995.

Graduate Assistantship, Temple University, Sept. 1992 to June 1995.

Henry Rutgers Honors Scholar, Rutgers College, Rutgers University, May 1990.

Merit Scholarship Recipient, Rutgers College, Rutgers University, Jan. 1990.

GRANTS, AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Experiment in Democracy, 2010 Teacher Scholar Grant for Innovative Course Development, with Roopali Mukherjee, **Queens College, Office of the President.**

Urban Diversity, 2010 Teacher Scholar Grant for Innovative Course Development, with Melissa Checker, Dana Davis and Martin Eisenberg, **Queens College, Office of the President.**

The Civic Life of the Poor: Urban Policy and Civic Governance in the New Inner City. PSC-CUNY Award. **Research Foundation of CUNY**, (\$2,400), PSCREG-37-649, Summer 2006.

Experiments with Democracy: New Voices in the US Public Sphere. **Faculty Development Program Award, CUNY**, (\$10,000), 2005 (with Roopali Mukherjee).

The Civic Life of the Poor: Citizenship, Difference and Inequality in the New Inner City, Fellow in the Justice, Citizenship and Civil Society Seminar, **Center for the Study of Philanthropy and Civil Society, The Graduate Center, CUNY**, September 2005 to May 2006.

Multiculturalism or Black Separatism?: An Ethnographic View of Black Politics in the Post-Civil Rights Era. PSC-CUNY Award. **Research Foundation of CUNY**, (\$3,000), Summer 2005.

The World Looks at Us: Rethinking the U.S. State, Conference Grant, **Wenner Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research**, (\$17,000), May 2004 (with Ida Susser).

Urban Poverty and Neoliberal Rule: Ethnographic Views from Philadelphia. PSC-CUNY Award. **Research Foundation of CUNY**, (\$5,800), Summer 2004.

Post-Doctoral Research Associate, *Poverty and Civic Participation in Three Impoverished Neighborhoods in Philadelphia*, Cultural Anthropology Program, Directorate of Social, Behavioral and Economic Sciences, **National Science Foundation**. Grant funded (\$300,000.), July 1999. (Judith Goode and Susan Hyatt, Principal Investigators).

Fighting For Their Lives: Health Care Activism Among HIV Positive Poor People in Philadelphia, Dissertation Write Up Grant, **Temple University** (\$16,000), 1998.

Fighting for Their Lives: Health Care Activism and the Politicization of Identity Among Poor People in Philadelphia, Ph. D. Dissertation Research Grant, **Wenner Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research**. Grant 6107 (\$10,000), 1997.

Poor People's Politics and Their Relation to the Establishment and Operation of Community-Based Organizations, Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant, Cultural Anthropology Program, Directorate of Social, Behavioral and Economic Sciences, **National Science Foundation**. Grant SBR-9632878 (\$11,987), 1996.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Urban Ethnography
Poverty Studies
The Ethnography of Power, Difference and Inequality
Anthropology of social movements
Anthropology of public policy
Political Economy
North America
East Asia (China)

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

Biosocial Urbanism: Poverty and the Fight for Life in the New Inner City.
Forthcoming, 2011 (under contract with Cornell University Press).

EDITED BOOKS

Rethinking America: The Imperial Homeland in the 21st Century. Bolder, CO:
Paradigm Press, 2009 (co-edited with Ida Susser).

*New Poverty Studies: The Ethnography of Power, Politics and Impoverished
People in the U.S.,* New York University Press, October 2001 (co-edited with
Judith Goode).

EDITED JOURNALS

“The Limits of Neoliberalism: Culture, Power and Governing Practices in the
Contemporary World,” *Critique of Anthropology*, June 2008 (co-edited with
Catherine Kingfisher).

“Global Inequalities and the American Scene.” A special issue of *Identities :
Global Studies in Culture and Power* (co-edited with Micaela di Leonardo),
Volume 13, Issue 1, March 2006.

“Globalization, Neoliberalism and Poverty in Mexico and the United States.” A
special issue of *Urban Anthropology and Studies of Cultural Systems and World
Economy*, Vol. 30, Nos. 2-3, 2001 (co-edited with Catherine Kingfisher).

ARTICLES IN PROGRESS

Urban Neoliberalism. Companion to *Urban Anthropology*, edited by Donald
Nonini. Blackwell (submission date: April 15, 2011).

The Limits and Limitations of Public Anthropology. Review Essay for *American
Anthropologist* (Spring 2011).

Be Careful What You Wish For: Public Anthropology for a Post-Public Era?
Activism and Anthropology, edited by Margot Weiss and Naomi Greyser, special
issue, *South Atlantic Quarterly* (February 2011).

Rediscovering the United States: Four Ways to Conceptualize A Country and its
Peoples. In *Handbook of Sociocultural Anthropology*, edited by James Carrier
and Deborah Gewertz. Berg Press (January 2011).

ARTICLES

“Fragmented” Security: Protecting the Homeland in the 21st Century United States. In *Rethinking America: The Imperial Homeland in the 21st Century*. Boulder, CO: Paradigm Press, 2009 (with Hilary Cunningham).

The Homeland Archipelago: Neoliberal Urban Governance after September 11. *Critique of Anthropology*, June 2008 (with Matthew Ruben).

Introduction: The Limits of Neoliberalism: Culture, Power and Governing Practices in the Contemporary *Critique of Anthropology*, June 2008 (with Catherine Kingfisher).

Governing the New Hometowns: Race, Power and Neighborhood Participation in the New Inner City. In *Identities*, Special Issue on Global Inequalities and the American Scene, guest edited by Micaela di Leonardo and Jeff Maskovsky, Volume 13, Issue 1, March 2006.

Introduction: The Force of A Thousand Nightmares. Global Inequalities and the American Scene. A special issue of *Identities: Global Studies in Culture and Power*, co-edited with Micaela di Leonardo, Vol. 13, Issue 1, (with Micaela di Leonardo).

Do People Fail Drugs, Or Do Drugs Fail People?: The Discourse of “Adherence.” *Transforming Anthropology*, Volume 13, Issue 2, 2005: 136-142.

The Anthropology of Welfare “Reform:” New Perspectives on U.S. Urban Poverty in the Post-Welfare Era.” In *Annual Review of Anthropology*, Vol. 32, 2003: 315-38 (with Sandra Morgen).

Global Justice in the Post-Industrial City: Beyond the Local/Global Divide. In *Reclaiming Cities*, edited by Jane Schneider and Ida Susser, Berg Press, 2003.

Do We All “Reek” of the Commodity?: Consumption and the Erasure of Poverty in Lesbian/Gay Studies. *Out in Theory*, Ellen Lewin and William Leap, eds., Urbana and Chicago: University of Illinois Press, 2002, pp. 264-286.

Introduction. In “Globalization, Neoliberalism and Poverty in Mexico and the United States.” A special issue of *Urban Anthropology and Studies of Cultural Systems and World Economy*, Kingfisher and Maskovsky, eds., Vol. 30, No. 2-3, 2001, (with Catherine Kingfisher).

The Other War at Home: The Geopolitics of U.S. Poverty. In “Globalization, Neoliberalism and Poverty in Mexico and the United States.” A special issue of *Urban Anthropology and Studies of Cultural Systems and World Economy*, Kingfisher and Maskovsky, eds., Vol. 30, No. 2-3, pp. 215-238, 2001.

Introduction. In *New Poverty Studies: The Ethnography of Politics, Policy and Impoverished People in the U.S.*, New York University Press, Goode and Maskovsky, eds., Oct. 2001 (with Judith Goode).

Afterword. In *New Poverty Studies: The Ethnography of Politics, Policy and Impoverished People in the U.S.*, New York University Press, Goode and Maskovsky, eds., Oct. 2001.

Sexual Minorities and the New Urban Poverty. In *Cultural Diversity in the United States: A Critical Reader*, Ida Susser and Tomas Patterson, eds., Oxford: Blackwell Publishers, 2000. (Reprinted in *Life In America: Identity and Everyday Experience*, edited by Lee Baker. Oxford, Eng: Blackwell Publishing, 2003.)

“Managing” the Poor: Neoliberalism, Medicaid HMOs and the Triumph of Consumerism Among the Poor in Philadelphia,” *Medical Anthropology*, Vol. 19, pp. 121-146, 2000.

High-Risk Adolescents and Female Condoms: Knowledge, Attitudes and Use Patterns, *Journal of Adolescent Health*, 26, Spring 2000: 392-398 (with C. Haignere, R. Gold, J. Ambrosini, C. Rodgers, and E. Gollub).

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Frugal Philly: From Cheap Eats to the Big Splurge. American Anthropological Association. November 2009. URL:<
<http://www.aaanet.org/meetings/info/travel/Frugal-Philly.cfm>> (January 2010).

Some New Directions in Anthropology “at Home.” *North American Dialogue*, 12.1 (Spring 2009): 6-9.

Urban Poverty. *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*, 2nd Edition. Darity et al., Eds. Farmington Hills, MI: Macmillan Reference USA, 2007.

Rethinking North America: The State of the Section. *North American Dialogue*, March, 2005.

Book Review. *Pathologies of Power: Health, Human Rights and the New War on the Poor*, by Paul Farmer. *American Anthropologist*, Vol. 107, No. 2, June 2005.

Kiyoshi Kuromiya, *Encyclopedia of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgendered History in America*, edited by M. Stein et al., Charles Scribner's Sons, 2004.

Anthropologists Confront Global Injustice at First SANA Meetings. In *North American Dialogue*, Volume 5, No. 1, September 2002: pp. 18-19.

The Poverty of Anti-Poverty Policy. In *Anthropological Newsletter, the Newsletter of the American Anthropological Association*, September 2001 (with Sandra Morgen).

A Dialogue with Esther Newton. In *Anthropology Newsletter, the Newsletter of the American Anthropological Association*, July 1997 (reprinted in *North American Dialogue, the Newsletter of the Society for the Anthropology of North America*, Fall 1997).

CONFERENCES AND PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS ORGANIZED

Obama's America: Imperialism, Crisis and Democracy. New York Academy of Sciences at Wenner Gren, New York, NY, May 11, 2009.

Social Justice, Culture and Power. Joint Conference of the SANA. AFA, ALLA and CASCA, Windsor, ON, May 2-5, 2002.

SESSIONS ORGANIZED FOR PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS

Diversity and the New Culture Wars: Challenges for the Classroom. Spring Meetings of the Society for the Anthropology of North America and the Association of Black Anthropologists. April 15-18, 2010.

Urban Subjects of Value: Ethnography in the Neoliberalizing City. Invited by SUNTA and SANA. Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association. San Francisco, CA, November 2008

Rethinking America. Presidential Invited Session. Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association. Washington, DC, December 2007.

Primitive America: A Dialogue with Paul Smith. Annual Meetings of the Society for the Anthropology of North America, New Orleans, LA: April 2007.

Sources of the Social. Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association. Reviewed by the American Ethnological Society. San Jose, CA, November 2007.

Anthropology in an Era of Uncertainty. Plenary. Meetings of the Society for the Anthropology of North America, Baruch College, CUNY, New York City, April 2006 (with Julian Brash).

The State of Security: Ethnographic Views of the State in an Era of Uncertainty. Annual Meetings of the Society for the Anthropology of North America, Baruch College, CUNY, New York City, April 2006 (with Hilary Cunningham).

What's All the Fuss About Same-Sex Marriage?: Myths, Realities and Controversies about Family and Marriage in America. Presidential Invited Session. Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, November 2005

Worldwide WalMart: A Dialogue with Liza Featherstone and Bill Fletcher, Jr on Race, Class and Gender Warfare. SANA Invited Session, Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, November 2005.

What's Wrong with the United States (with Apologies to Thomas Frank). SANA Invited Session, Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, November 2005.

Anthropology and Labor, Part I: What does politically engaged research and praxis look like? UADY/SANA/CASCA Conference, Merida, Mexico, May 2005.

Anthropology and Labor, Part 2: An ethical labor politics for professional organizations such as the American Anthropological Association, UADY/SANA/CASCA Conference, Merida, Mexico, May 2005.

The Trouble with Nature: A Dialogue with Roger Lancaster. SANA/SOLGA Plenary. Annual Meetings of the American Ethnological Society and the Society for the Anthropology of North America, Atlanta, GA, April 20-22, 2004.

Imagining Neoliberalisms: (Re)capitulations, Indigenizations, Alternatives. Invited Session. Society for Urban, National and Transnational Anthropology and the Society for the Anthropology of North American. Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, Chicago, IL, November 21, 2003 (co-organized with Catherine Kingfisher).

Living with Neoliberalism? Annual Meetings of the Canadian Anthropological Society and the Society for the Anthropology of North America, Halifax, Nova Scotia, May 7-11.

The Force of a Thousand Nightmares: Global Inequalities and the American Scene. Invited Session. Society for the Anthropology of North America and the Association for Feminist Anthropology. Annual meetings, American Anthropological Association, New Orleans, November 20-24 (co-organized with Micaela di Leonardo).

Neoliberalism and Its Discontents. Annual Meetings of the Canadian Anthropological Society and the Society for the Anthropology of North America, Windsor, Ontario, May 2-5 (co-organized with Catherine Kingfisher).

Social Movements, Social Justice and Neoliberalism in Latin America. Annual Meetings of the Canadian Anthropological Society and Society for the Anthropology of North America, Windsor, Ontario, May 2-5

Globalization from Below: A Dialogue With Jeremy Brecher, Tim Costello and Brendan

Smith, Invited Session, Society of Urban, National and Transnational Anthropology and Association of Feminist Anthropologists, Annual Meetings, American Anthropological Association, Washington, DC, November 28-December 2, 2001.

Global Capitalism, Neoliberal Policy and Poverty, Invited Session, Society of Anthropology of North America and the Society for Latino and Latina Anthropology, Annual Meetings, American Anthropological Association, San Francisco, CA, November 15-19, 2000 (co-organized with Catherine Kingfisher).

Beyond the Privatist Consensus: Poverty and Grassroots Activism under Neoliberalism, Annual Meetings, American Ethnological Society, Tampa, FL, March 23-25, 2000 (co-organized with Judith Goode).

Deconstructing "Reform": Health and Welfare at the End of the Millennium, Invited Session, Society of Transnational, National and Urban Anthropology and the Society for the Anthropology of North America, Annual Meetings, American Anthropological Association, Chicago, IL, November 1999 (co-organized with Jo Anne Schneider).

The Growth of the City?: Neoliberal Policy and "Vulnerable Populations" in Philadelphia, Annual Meetings, American Anthropological Association, Philadelphia, PA, December 1998 (co-organized with Judith Goode).

Update on the War on the Poor: Anthropological Views on How Public Policy Affects the Urban Poor in the U.S., Annual Meetings, American Anthropological Association, Washington DC, November 1997.

The Anthropology of Poverty and Poor People's Political Agency: A Critical Retrospective, Invited Session, Society for the Anthropology of North America, Annual Meetings, American Anthropological Association, San Francisco, November 1996.

PAPERS PRESENTED AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS

Dead Ends: The Foreclosure Crisis and the Limits of the Ownership Society, presented at the session, The Circulation of Bodies and Things: The Gift and the Commodity Revisited, Invited by the Executive Program Committee, Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, New Orleans, LA, Thursday, Nov. 18, 2010.

Discussant, Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, New Orleans, LA, Thursday, Nov. 19, 2010. Session Title: Re-Constructing The City: A Conversation with Kevin Fox Gotham.

Discussant, Spring Meetings of the Society for the Anthropology of North America and the Association of Black Anthropologists. April 15-18, 2010. Session title: Diversity and the New Culture Wars: Challenges for the Classroom.

Discussant, Plenary, Spring Meetings of the Society for the Anthropology of North America and the Association of Black Anthropologists. April 15-18, 2010. Session title: Still Policing the Crisis.

The New, New Poverty Studies. Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association. Philadelphia, PA, December 2009. Session Title: Power, Politics and Inequalities, A Festschrift in Honor of Judith Goode. Invited by SUNTA and SANA.

AIDS Activism and Intergenerational Knowledge Transfer. CASCA-AES Meetings, Vancouver, CA, May 2009. Session Title: Traveling Troubles: Translations, Localizations, and Assemblages of Politics and Policy.

The New Urban Danger: Cities and Security in 21st Century America. Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association. San Francisco, CA, November 2008. Session Title: Urban Subjects of Value: Ethnography in the Neoliberalizing City. . Invited by SUNTA and SANA.

Discussant. Primitive America: A Dialogue with Paul Smith. Annual Meetings of the Society for the Anthropology of North America, New Orleans, LA: April 2007.

The Homeland Archipelago: Neoliberal Urban Governance after September 11, Annual Meetings of the Society for the Anthropology of North America, April 2006 (with Matthew Ruben). Session title: The State of Security: Ethnographic Views of the State in an Uncertain Era.

Discussant, Annual Meetings of the Society for the Anthropology of North America, April 2006. Session title: Uncertainty and Insecurity in the Post Welfare Reform Era.

Bushed: Liberal Compassion Fatigue and the Urban Dilemma. Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, Washington, DC, December 2005. Invited Session: What's Wrong with the United States (with Apologies to Thomas Frank).

The Passion of the Anthropologist. Session Title: Representations of Misery. Invited Session, American Ethnological Society, *UADY/SANA/CASCA Conference, Merida, Mexico*, May 2005.

Tribal Loyalties: Discourses of Corruption and the Racial Construction of the U.S. State. Session Title: The Transgression Session. Annual Meetings of the American Ethnological Society and the Society for the Anthropology of North America, Atlanta, GA, April 20-22, 2004.

Staging Recovery: The Failure of Neoliberal Rule in Philadelphia. Session Title: Imagining Neoliberalisms: (Re)capitulations, Indigenizations, Alternatives. Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, Chicago, IL, November 21, 2003.

Mobilizing the Neighborhood: Race, Poverty and the Limits of Neoliberal Rule in Philadelphia. Session title: Living with Neoliberalism? Annual Meetings of the Canadian Anthropological Society and the Society for the Anthropology of North America, Halifax, Nova Scotia, May 7-11, 2003.

War of Position: Confronting Urban Poverty in the Contemporary United States. Session title: Intergenerational Perspectives On Anthropology And Social Advocacy/Activism: The 1980s and Forward. Annual Meetings of the Canadian Anthropological Society and the Society for the Anthropology of North America, Halifax, Nova Scotia, May 7-11, 2003.

On the Move: The New Civic Militarism. Annual meetings of the American Anthropological Association. Session title: The Force of a Thousand Nightmares: Global Inequalities and the American Scene. Invited session. Society for the Anthropology of North America and the Association of Feminist Anthropology, November 20-24.

Global Justice in the Post-Industrial City: Beyond the Local/Global Divide. Annual Meetings of the Canadian Anthropological Society and Society for the Anthropology of North America, Windsor, Ontario, May 2-5. Session Title: Neoliberalism and its Discontents.

Discussant. Annual Meetings of the Canadian Anthropological Society and Society for the Anthropology of North America, Windsor, Ontario, May 2-5. Session Title: Neoliberalism and its Discontents. Session Title: Queering Social Justice.

Anthropology for Sale?: Neoliberal Privatization and the Limits to the Current Anti-Poverty Research Agenda. Invited Session, AAA Executive Program Committee, Annual meetings of the American Anthropological Association, November 28-Dec. 2, 2001. Session Title: Public Myths, Private Realities: The Complexities of Poverty Through the Anthropological Lens.

Refuting the “Workist” Consensus: The Ideological Limits of Welfare Policy and Anthropology’s Contribution to the Political Mobilization of the Poor. Annual meetings of the American Ethnological Society, Montreal, May 3-4, 2000. Session Title: The Unfolding Burdens of Welfare Reform.

Poverty Out of Place: Neighborhood Revanchism and the Political Economy of Displacement. Annual meeting of the American Ethnological Society, Montreal, May 3-4, 2000. Session Title: U.S. Urban Legends: Race, Class and the Politics of Mythical Revitalizations.

Dilemmas of Place and Space: Traversing the Divide Between Neighborhood Activism and “Globalization From Below” in Philadelphia, Wenner Gren Conference on Wounded Cities, Tarrytown, NY, April 20-22, 2001.

Dilemmas of Place and Space: Traversing the Divide Between Neighborhood Activism and “Globalization From Below” in Philadelphia, *Off the Grid: Urban Ethnography and Radical Politics*, New York University. Session Title: Public Policy, Activism, and Ethnography, March 30-31.

The Other War at Home: The Geopolitics of U.S. Poverty, Annual Meetings, American Anthropological Association. Session Title: *Global Capitalism, Neoliberal Policy and Poverty*. Invited Session, Society for the Anthropology of North America and Society for Latino and Latina Anthropology, November 2000.

Discussant. Annual Meetings, American Anthropological Association. Session Title: *Out in the World: Lesbian and Gay Anthropologists Engage the Public*, November 2000.

Our Money or Your Life: The Cultural Politics of Cost-Containment. XIII International AIDS Conference. Oral Poster Presentation. Session Title: Strategic Partnerships in Resource Limited Settings, Durban, SA, July 12, 2000.

From Dependent Place to Investment Space: The Marketization of the “Ghetto” Under Neoliberalism, Annual Meetings, American Ethnological Society. Session Title: *Beyond the Privatist Consensus: Poverty and Grassroots Activism under Neoliberalism*, Tampa FL, March 23-25, 2000.

From Dependent Place to Investment Space: The Marketization of the “Ghetto” Under Neoliberalism, Work, Welfare and Politics Conference, University of Oregon. Session Title: *The Impact of Welfare Reform on Urban Neighborhoods and Community Organizations*, February 28-29, 2000

Unhealthy Consumers: Neoliberal Public Health Policy and the Limits of Consumer Choice, Annual Meetings, American Anthropological Association. Session Title: *Unhealthy Health Policies*. Invited Session, Society for Medical Anthropology, November 1999.

Clashing Epistemologies: The Challenge of Using Non-Essentialist Theories of Sexuality in Applied Research Contexts, Annual Meetings, Society for Applied Anthropology. Session Title: *Queer Life Matters: Applying Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Anthropology*, Tucson, April 1999.

The End of Public Health: Growth Strategies, Exportable Health Services, and the Erasure of Public Health in Philadelphia, Annual Meetings, American Anthropological Association (AAA). Session Title: *The Growth of the City?: Neoliberal Policy and “Vulnerable Populations” in Philadelphia*, Philadelphia, PA , December 1998.

Adolescent's Receptiveness to Female Condom Use, Annual Conference, American Public Health Association. Poster Presentation, Washington, D.C., November 1998 (with C. Haignere, R. Gold, J. Ambrosini, C. Rogers, and E. Gollup).

Do We All “Reek” of the Commodity?: Consumption and the Erasure of Poverty in Lesbian/Gay Studies, The 6th Annual Conference on Lavender Languages and Linguistics. Session Title: *Language and Lavender Space: Multiple Locations*, Washington, DC, September 1998.

The Contradictions of Peer Education as Employment for Poor People with HIV/AIDS, 12th World AIDS Conference. Poster Presentation, Geneva, Switzerland, June 28 - July 3, 1998 (with J. Davids).

Integrating Peer Educators into an HIV Clinic, 12th World AIDS Conference. Poster Presentation, Geneva, Switzerland, June 28 - July 3, 1998 (with J. Davids, J. Shull, A. Harley, and H. Gibbs).

How (Not) to Teach Sexuality in Introductory Anthropology Classes, Annual Meetings, American Ethnological Society. Session Title: *Anthropology and Cultural Diversity*, Toronto, May 9, 1998.

Discussant. Annual Meetings, American Ethnological Society. Session Title: *Doing Ethnography in a Period of Systemic Collapse*, Toronto, May 7, 1998.

“Managing” the Poor: Medicaid HMOs and the Triumph of Consumerism Among the Poor, Annual Meetings, American Anthropological Association, Session Title: *Update on the War on the Poor: Anthropological Views on How Public Policy Affects the Urban Poor in the U.S.*, Washington DC, November 1997.

The Labor of Our Peers: Is Peer Education Exploitation?, National Conference on Women and HIV. Poster Presentation, Pasadena, May 1997 (with J. Davids).

“We Can Tell You What We Need”: Poverty, AIDS Politics, “Consumer” Power and the State, Invited Session, Society for the Anthropology of North America, Annual Meetings, American Anthropological Association. Session Title: *The Anthropology of Poverty and Poor People’s Political Agency: A Critical Retrospective*, San Francisco, November 1996.

Imminent Domain?: Queer Political Agency and the Problem of Identity, Annual Meetings, American Anthropological Association. Session Title: *Queer Theory, Culture Theory: Critical Trends in the Study of Sexuality*, Washington, DC, November 1995.

Outing Class: The Material Limitations of Queer Political Discourse, Annual Conference, Lavender Languages and Linguistics, American University, Washington, DC, September 1995.

Queers and the Politics of Theory, Annual Meetings, American Anthropological Association. Session Title: *Marxism and Anthropology: Contemporary Debates*, Atlanta, GA, December 1994.

INVITED TALKS

Towards the Anthropology of the Homeland Security State. Department of Anthropology, University of California at Riverside. Riverside, CA, April 2007.

Homeland Security and the Neoliberal City: Ethnographic Views. Keynote Address. Interrogating Diversity: Understanding Issues of Contemporary Surveillance and Policing Conference. American University. Washington, DC, March 2007.

Discussant. What's Wrong with America? Conference, MIT, Boston, MA, May 2006.

Ten Ways to Combat Color-Blind Racism in 21st Century America. Plenary. Color-Blind Racism, a conference sponsored by LaGuardia Community College, Queens, New York, May 2006.

The Civic Life of the Poor: Trust, Accountability and Responsibility in the New Inner City. New Approaches to Qualitative Research on Poverty and Welfare Reform. Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin, March 1, 2005.

The Uses and Abuses of Ethnography. Department of Anthropology, University of Michigan, Flint, February 8, 2005.

The State of Sovereignty: Homeland Security in the Neoliberal Era. Session Title: New Sovereignties. Wenner Gren Foundation Conference, *The World Looks at Us: Rethinking the U.S. State*, Harriman, NY, October 8-10, 2004 (with Hilary Cunningham).

Solidarity with Whom? The Contradictions of Studying Up, Down and Sideways. Department of Anthropology, Purchase College SUNY, January 24, 2005.

Black Self-Determination in a Gentrifying Neighborhood . *The Future of Us All in New York City*. La Guardia Community College, New York, NY, March 30, 2004.

Habitual Feelings of Inferiority: Race, Poverty and the Limits of Neoliberal Rule in Philadelphia. Department of Anthropology, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, May 13, 2003.

Habitual Feelings of Inferiority: Race, Poverty and the Limits of Neoliberal Rule in Philadelphia. Department of Social Policy, Open University, Milton. Keynes, United Kingdom, April 10, 2003

“Here Lies a Dope Fiend:” Poverty, Sexual Identity and AIDS Activism in Philadelphia. Sager Symposium, Swarthmore College. Panel Title: Queer Activism and Community Building in Philadelphia since the 1970s, Philadelphia, PA, March 24, 2001.

Threat to Civility: Neighborhood Revanchism and the Sexual Policing of the (Un)productive Poor. The Architecture of Desire: A Symposium Sponsored by the

Department of Anthropology and Department of Women's Studies, Temple University, March 16, 2001.

The Limits of Consumer Empowerment: The Personal and Political Implications of Consumerism for Poor People Living with HIV and AIDS. Penn Interdisciplinary Dialogues on AIDS, School of Nursing, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, November 14, 2000.

Three Philadelphia Neighborhoods, Philadelphia Higher Education Network for Neighborhood Development and Urban Studies Program, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, October 19, 2000, (with Judith Goode and Susan Hyatt).

Poverty and Civic Participation in Three Urban Neighborhoods, Colloquium Series, Department of Geography and Urban Studies, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA, November, 2000 (with Judith Goode and Susan Hyatt).

Sexual Minorities and the New Urban Poverty: Theorizing Sexuality in Relation to the Global/National Restructuring of Capital, Department of Anthropology, American University, December 1996.

How (Not) to Teach Sexuality in Introductory Anthropology Courses, Department of Anthropology, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA, March 1996.

Bringing Theory Into Practice: What Anthropologists Can Do to Fight the War on the Poor in Philadelphia, Department of Anthropology, Temple University, September 1996.

Triple Trouble: AIDS Activism, 12 Step Ideology and Biomedical Hegemony, Department of Anthropology, Temple University, October 1995.

APPLIED RESEARCH

Program Evaluator, Community HIV/AIDS Mobilization Project, New York City, September 2004 to present.

Principal Evaluator, *The Safety Zone, An Adolescent Health Initiative*, Youth Health Empowerment Project, Research funded by William Penn Foundation, July 2000 to August 2004.

Principal Evaluator, *Process, Impact and Outcome Evaluation of Peer Education Training Program Targeting HIV Positive Low Income People of Color*, Project TEACH (Teaching and Educating About Combating HIV), Research funded through AIDS Prevention Programs Grant, Center for Disease Control and Prevention, October 1997 to June 1999.

Co-Principal Investigator, *Frequency of Female Condom Use Among Homeless Teens*, Research funded by the William Penn Foundation, Philadelphia, PA, April 1996 to May 1998 (with C. Haignere, M.P.H., Ph.D.).

Field Evaluator, *The Impact of Psychosocial Rehabilitation Programs on the Quality of Life of People Living with Dual Diagnoses - HIV and Mental Health*, HIV/AIDS Mental Health Demonstration Project, Center for Mental Health Services, Grant # 6 UD5 SM51727-01, April 1995 to March 1996.

Principal Evaluator, *Process and Impact Evaluation of Adolescent Street Outreach HIV Prevention Program*, Research funded by the William Penn Foundation, Philadelphia, PA, September 1994 to August 1996.

TEACHING

COURSES TAUGHT

Queens College, CUNY, Department of Urban Studies

Experiments in Democracy: New Voices in the US Public Sphere (mid-level seminar on applied civics; co-taught with Roopali Mukherjee in Media Studies, Queens College), Fall 2006

Urban Theory and Contemporary Issues (undergraduate reading seminar), Fall 2005, Spring 2007.

Urban Poverty and Affluence (introductory survey, urban studies overview), Fall 2002 (First Year Initiative); Spring 2003 (asynchronous online course); Spring 2004, Fall 2004(QC Extension Center), Spring 2005, Fall 2005, Fall 2006, Fall 2007, Spring 2008, Fall 2008.

Ethnography of Urban Communities (master's seminar, ethnographic research and writing), Fall 2002

Urban Subcultures (master's seminar, subcultural fieldwork studies), Fall 2003, Fall 2003 (Queens College Extension Center)

Queens College, CUNY, Division of Social Sciences

Honors in the Social Sciences (undergraduate reading seminar), Spring 2006, Spring 2007.

CUNY Honors College

Peopling of New York City (first year seminar; neighborhood fieldwork project), Spring 2004, Spring 2005, Spring 2006, Spring 2007, Spring 2010.

CUNY Graduate Center, Ph.D. Program in Anthropology

Proposal Writing, Spring 2010.

Urban Anthropology: Critical Ethnographies of the Urban Landscape (Ph.D. seminar), Fall 2006, Fall 2008.

Anthropology Core U702: Contemporary Issues and Debates (Ph.D. seminar; co-taught with Leith Mullings), Spring 2004, Spring 2005, Spring 2006.

Montclair State University, Department of Anthropology

Contemporary Practical Anthropology (mid-level seminar, applied anthropology overview), Spring 2002.

Anthropology of Multicultural America (75+ students, introductory survey, North American urban/cultural anthropology), Fall 2001

Urban Anthropology (mid-level seminar, urban anthropology overview), Fall 2001.

Temple University, Department of Anthropology

Anthropology of American Culture (80+ student-enrolled introductory survey, North American urban/cultural anthropology), 1993-96.

Cultures of the World (introductory survey, cultural anthropology), 1993-95.

Fundamentals of Cultural Anthropology (mid-level seminar, cultural anthropology theory overview), 1994-2000.

Origins of Cultural Diversity (introductory survey, physical anthropology and archaeology), 1993.

Political Anthropology (mid/upper-level seminar, political anthropology overview), 1996

Beijing University, Department of English

English Composition (essay writing for 3rd year English majors), 1987

TEACHING ASSISTANT

Temple University, Department of Anthropology

Anthropology of American Culture, 1992-93

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Anthropological Association
Society for the Anthropology of North America
American Ethnological Society
Association of Black Anthropologists
Society for the Anthropology of North America
Society for Urban, National and Transnational Anthropology
Society for Lesbian and Gay Anthropology
City and Society

SERVICE

SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT

Undergraduate Advisor, Fall 2009 to present
Chair, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, Fall 2004 to present
Departmental P&B, Spring 2007 to present
Search Committee, Spring 2006, Spring 2007

SERVICE TO THE COLLEGE

Macauley Honors College, Admissions Committee, Spring 2007, Spring 2008,
Spring 2009
Evaluation Committee for President's Award for Excellence in Teaching,
Spring 2010
Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, Spring 2009 to present.
General Education Advisory Committee, Fall 2007 to Fall 2009
Participant, June Institute on PLAS Course Development. Institute for Teaching
and Learning, June 5-7, 2007.
Acting Director, Honors in the Social Sciences, Spring 2007 to Spring 2008.

Faculty Senate

Urban Studies Departmental Representative, Fall 2002 to Spring 2005

General Education Task Force, Areas of Knowledge Working Group, Spring 2004

Faculty Sponsor, Association of Latin American Students, Spring 2005.

SERVICE TO THE Ph.D. PROGRAM IN ANTHROPOLOGY AT THE GRADUATE CENTER

Co-organizer (with Fernando Coronil), Colloquia Series, Anthropology Today for the World Tomorrow, Fall 2009 to present

Exam and Curriculum Committee, September 2006 to present, Chair, Spring 2010-present.

Advisees:

Raymond Pettit

Elan Abrell

2nd Exam and/or Dissertation Committees:

Claudine Piel

Tina Lee

Andrea Morrell

Chris Grove

Maggie Dickinson

Karen Williams

Jose Vasquez

Katrina Scott

Sophie Statzel

Kaja Tretjak

Mike Boyle

Neri de Kramer

Nazia Kazi

Naomi Adiv

Christian Anderson

Travel Grants Review Committee, Spring 2006, Spring 2007, Spring 2010

SERVICE TO THE GRADUATE CENTER

Dissertation Fellowships Review Committee, The Graduate Center, CUNY, Spring 2005, Spring 2006.

SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY

CUNY BACCALAUREATE for Unique and Interdisciplinary Studies
Faculty Mentor, John Sullivan (2012),

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

SUNTA

Councillor, Fall 2008 to present.

Chair, Graduate Student Award Committee, Fall 2009.

Wenner Gren Foundation

Panel of Reviewers, July 2006 to July 2008

National Science Foundation

Panelist, Cultural Anthropology and Linguistics Panel , Graduate Research Fellowship Program , February 2006.

Society for the Anthropology of North America

Co-chair, Nominations Committee, Fall 2008 to present.

President, November 2005 to 2007.

President Elect, November 2004-November 2005

Chair, Program Committee, November 2001 to November 2002

Co-chair, Program Committee, November 2000 to November 2001;

Student Board member, November 1995 to November 1998;

American Anthropological Association

Nominations Committee, Cultural Seat, November 2005-2008

New York Academy of Sciences,

Member, Anthropology Section Advisory Committee, April 2004-present

Society for Lesbian and Gay Anthropology,

Co-chair, Program Committee, November 2003-November 2005

Program Committee, Society for the Anthropology of Work, November 1999 to November 2000.

Manuscript Review:

American Anthropologist

American Ethnologist

Identities: Global Studies in Culture and Power

AIDS and Behavior

Anthropologica

Cultural Anthropology

City And Society

Medical Anthropology Quarterly

Social Problems
Human Organization

Abstracts Review:

National Conference on Women and HIV

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

Organizational Participation

Board of Directors, CHAMP (Community HIV/AIDS Mobilization for Power), Co-chair, Fall 2008 to Fall 2009, treasurer, January 2005-Fall 2008, Board of Directors, 2002 to January 2010.

Host/Producer. "From the Left: A Forum on Local, National and Global Politics."
DUTV Channel 54, Philadelphia, PA, August 2000 to the June 2004.

Study Leader, Legendary Landscapes of the Yangtze River, Smithsonian Study Tours, September to October 2000.

Lead Instructor, Project TEACH (Treatment Education Activists Combating HIV), October 1995 to May 2002.

Board of Directors, Prevention Point Philadelphia, November 1999 to present; Treasurer, March 2000 to December 2002; Chair, Executive Director Search Committee, May 2000 to September 2000; Co-Chair, Nominations Committee of Community Advisory Board, May 2000 to December 2002.

Board of Directors, The Institute for Social Medicine and Community Health, October 1998-May 2001.

Board of Directors, The AIDS Information Network, August 1998 to April 1999.

Board of Directors, We the People Coalition, June 1996 to December 1999. Treasurer, Nov. 1997 to December 1999; Chair, Finance Committee, July 1997 to December 1999

Advisory Committee, "Positive Health," Program of WYBE TV Channel 35, April 1996 to August 2000.

Board of Directors, The Philadelphia AIDS Consortium, June 1996 to July 1997; Co-chair, Resource Development Sub-Committee; Member, Evaluation/Quality Improvement Sub-committee; Member, Joint Planning (Ryan White Title I and II) Committee

Political Committee, National Abortion and Reproductive Rights Action League, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Chapter, January 1995 to April 1999.

Founding Member, Youth Health Empowerment Project, July 1993.

Project Coordinator, Citizen Health Advisory Committee to the Philadelphia Department of Public Health, July 1994 to April 1995.

Grant Writing

I have written **twenty-nine** funded grants and provided grant-writing technical assistance on behalf of different community-based organizations and activist groups in support of disease prevention services, health education programs, food banks, community organizing and health care advocacy initiatives. Grants were written on behalf of the following organizations:

- CHAMP (Community HIV/AIDS Mobilization Project)
- The Black Radical Congress
- The Youth Health Empowerment Project
- Project TEACH (Treatment Education Activists Combating HIV)
- The Jonathan Lax Immune Disorders Treatment Center
- The Institute for Social Medicine and Community Health and the Citizens Health Advisory Committee
- We The People Living with HIV/AIDS of the Delaware Valley
- NARAL/Philadelphia
- ACT UP/Philadelphia
- Prevention Point Philadelphia

The following public agencies and private foundations fund initiatives based on grants I have written:

- The AIDS Fund Philadelphia
- Bread and Roses Community Fund
- Center for Disease Control and Prevention
- Coordinating Office for Drug and Alcohol Programs, Philadelphia, PA
- Ford Foundation
- Health Resources and Services Administration, Ryan White Title I
- Health Resources and Services Administration, Ryan White Title II
- National Library of Medicine.
- Pennsylvania State Fund #106
- United Way Community Fund
- William Penn Foundation

LANGUAGE SKILLS

- English
- Chinese (Guoyu)
- Some Spanish