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### **EDUCATION**

- Ph.D. (Geography), Queen's University at Kingston, May 1998.  
Dissertation Title: "'Forward to a Farm': The Back-to-the-Land Movement as a Relief Initiative in Saskatchewan during the Great Depression."
- M.A. (Canadian History), University of Maine, December 1990.  
Thesis Title: "The Transformation of a Northern Alberta Frontier Community."
- B.A. (Geography and International Affairs), Mary Washington College, May 1986.

### **ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

- Professor. Department of Geography, University of Mary Washington, August 2011 – present.
- Associate Professor. Department of Geography, University of Mary Washington, August 2004 – July 2011.
- Assistant Professor. Department of Geography, Mary Washington College, August 1998 – July 2004.
- Lecturer. Department of Geography, Mary Washington College, August 1996 – May 1998.
- Teaching Assistant. Department of Geography, Queen's University, September 1992 – May 1995.
- Lecturer. Department of Geography, Mary Washington College, January 1991 – May 1992.

### **FELLOWSHIPS and SCHOLARSHIPS**

- Jepson Fellowship, University of Mary Washington, 2004-05.
- Government of Canada, Canadian Studies Faculty Research Grant, 2000-01.
- Government of Canada, Graduate Student Fellowship, 1994-95.
- Queen's Graduate Fellowship, Queen's University, 1994-95 and 1996-97.
- R. Samuel McLaughlin Fellowship, Queen's University, 1993-94.
- Fulbright Fellowship, Institute for International Education, 1992-93.

### **HONORS and AWARDS**

- Mary W. Pinschmidt Award (selected by graduating seniors as the professor they will most likely remember as the one who had the greatest impact on their lives), University of Mary Washington, 2016.
- Sabbatical Leave, University of Mary Washington, 2016-17.
- Excellence in Teaching Award, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, 2013.
- Grellet C. Simpson Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching, University of Mary Washington, 2012.
- Henry H. Douglas Award Distinguished Service Award for the Research, Publication, and Teaching of Material Culture, Pioneer America Society: Association for the Preservations of Artifacts and Landscapes, 2009.

**HONORS and AWARDS continued**

- Sabbatical Leave, University of Mary Washington, 2008-09.
- The Richard Palmieri Outstanding Professor Award, Mary Washington College, 2004.
- Excellence in Teaching Award, Academic Affairs Council, Mary Washington College, 2004.
- Distinguished Member, The National Society of Collegiate Scholars, 2003.
- Who's Who Among America's Teachers: 2002, 2004.
- Phi Alpha Theta (The International Honor Society in History), 1990.

**COURSES TAUGHT**

- Introduction to Human Geography
- Geography of Eastern North America
- Geography of Western North America
- Geography of Latin America and the Caribbean
- Geography and Development
- Geographic Field Methods
- American Conservation Movement (Seminar)
- Environmental Issues in the American West (Seminar)
- Nunavut: Culture and Environment (Seminar)
- Sustainable Development in Costa Rica (Study Abroad: 2000, 2001, 2004, 2006-2008)
- Ecotourism Development in Belize (Study Abroad: 2005)
- Grassroots Development in Maya Communities in Guatemala (Study Abroad: 2010-2018)

**JOURNAL ARTICLES (peer reviewed)**

- "Two Governments, a Railway and a Church: The Old Colony Mennonite Relocation to Central British Columbia in the 1940s." *Journal of Mennonite Studies* 36 (2018): forthcoming.
- "Education, Leadership, and Conservation: Empowering Young Q'eqchi' Women in Guatemala." *International Journal of Educational Development* 59 (March 2018): 28-34.  
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijedudev.2017.10.012>
- "The Roadside Gardens of Newfoundland's Northern Peninsula." *FOCUS on Geography* 58:3 (Fall 2015): 93-107. <https://doi.org/10.1111/foge.12053>
- "Resistance, Acquiescence, and Accommodation: The Establishment of Public Schools in a Conservative Old Colony Community." *Mennonite Quarterly Review* 74:4 (October 2010): 551-581.
- "Building a Trail and Connecting a Community: The Establishment of the Dahlgren Railroad Heritage Trail." *Southeastern Geographer* 49:3 (Fall 2009): 291-307. <https://doi.org/10.1353/sgo.0.0054>
- "Settling Alberta's Northern Agricultural Frontier: Perspectives on the Lower Peace River Country." *Alberta History* 57:3 (Summer 2009): 2-9.
- "To Bolivia and Back: Migration and Its Impact on La Crete, Alberta." *Journal of Mennonite Studies* 22 (2004): 59-82.

**JOURNAL ARTICLES continued**

"The Transformation of Richmond's Historic African-American Commercial Corridor." *Southeastern Geographer* 43:2 (May 2003): 260-278. <https://doi.org/10.1353/sgo.2003.0002>

"Agricultural Expansion in Northern Alberta in the Late Twentieth Century." *Geographical Review* 92:4 (October 2002): 503-525. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1931-0846.2002.tb00010.x>

"Die Auswanderung: Religion, Culture, and Migration among Old Colony Mennonites." *Canadian Geographer* 45:4 (Winter 2001): 461-473. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1541-0064.2001.tb01496.x>

"'Little Saskatoon': An Experiment in Land Settlement during the Great Depression." *Saskatchewan History* 51:1 (Spring 1999): 10-28.

"Lookin' for Margaritaville: Place and Imagination in Jimmy Buffett's Songs." *Journal of Cultural Geography* 16:2 (Spring/Summer 1997): 99-108. <https://doi.org/10.1080/08873639709478339>

"Carl Sauer, Field Exploration, and the Development of American Geographic Thought." *Southeastern Geographer* 36:2 (November 1996): 176-191. <https://doi.org/10.1353/sgo.1996.0000>

"'Forward to a Farm': Land Settlement as Unemployment Relief in the 1930s." *Prairie Forum* 20:2 (Fall 1995): 207-229.

"Preserving Tradition, Confronting Progress: Social Change in a Mennonite Community, 1950-1965." *American Review of Canadian Studies* 25:1 (Spring 1995): 53-77. <https://doi.org/10.1080/02722019509481786>

**OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

"Battle Harbour, Labrador: The Creation of a National Historic District." *PAST: The International Society for Landscape, Place, & Material Culture* 40 (2017): 15-34.

"Cloud Forest Conservation Hinges on Soil Conservation and Intensifying Food Production." *The Professional Geographer* 68:1 (2016): 1-13. Article co-authored by Ian Pope, Jon Harbor, Laura Zanotti, Guofan Shao, Dawn Bowen, and Gary Burniske. <https://doi.org/10.1080/00330124.2015.1006556>

"Deforestation of Montane Cloud Forest in the Central Highlands of Guatemala: Proximate Causes, Underlying Drivers, and Implications for Sustainability in Q'eqchi' Maya Communities." *International Journal of Sustainable Development & World Ecology* 22:3 (2015): 201-212. Article co-authored by Ian Pope, Dawn Bowen, Jon Harbor, Guofan Shao, Laura Zanotti, and Gary Burniske. <https://doi.org/10.1080/13504509.2014.998738>

"Expanding Farmland in Alberta, Canada." In *Understanding World Regional Geography*, Erin H. Fouberg and William G. Moseley, 383. Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley and Sons, 2015.

"Andrew Hill Clark." In *Encyclopedia of Geography*, ed. Barney Warf. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications, 2010 (online).

"Canadian Association of Geographers." In *Encyclopedia of Geography*, ed. Barney Warf. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications, 2010 (online).

"Preservation Through Recreation: The Dahlgren Railroad Heritage Trail." *Pioneer America Society Transactions* 31 (2008): 39-47.

"Little Saskatoon." In *Saskatchewan: Geographic Perspectives*, eds. B.D. Thraves, et al., 153-156. Regina: Canadian Plains Research Center, 2007.

**OTHER PUBLICATIONS continued**

"Richmond's African-American Commercial District: The Rise and Decline of 'The Deuce'." *Pioneer America Society Transactions* 25 (2001): 57-67.

"Conference Report: Eastern Historical Geography Association, Breckenridge, Colorado, 27-30 September 2001." *Journal of Historical Geography* 28:2 (April 2002): 282-284. Report co-authored with Jeff Smith.

"Agricultural Settlement and Readjustment in the Interior West: Some Recent Perspectives." *Past Place* 7:2 (Winter 1998): 4-7. Co-author with Marshall Bowen.

"Conference Report: Historical Geography at the Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, North Carolina, April 1996." *Journal of Historical Geography* 23:2 (April 1997): 76-77.

**BOOK REVIEWS**

*Out of Place: Social Exclusion and Mennonite Migrants in Canada* by Luann Good Gingrich (Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 2016). *Mennonite Quarterly Review* 91:2 (April 2017): 276-277.

*The Making of American Landscape, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed.*, edited by Michael P. Conzen. (New York: Routledge, 2010). *Material Culture* 45: 2 (2013): 84-86.

*Happyland: A History of the "Dirty Thirties" in Saskatchewan, 1914-1937* by Curtis R. McManus. (Calgary: University of Calgary Press, 2011). *Western Historical Quarterly* 44:3 (2012): 361-362.

*Places of Their Own: African American Suburbanization in the Twentieth Century* by Andrew Wiese (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2004). *Journal of Cultural Geography* 23:2 (Spring/Summer 2006): 118-120.

*The Planting of New Virginia: Settlement and Landscape in the Shenandoah Valley* by Warren R. Hofstra (Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, 2004). *Journal of Historical Geography* 31:4 (October 2005): 824-826.

*The Mennonite Old Colony Vision: Under Siege in Mexico and the Canadian Connection* by David M. Quiring (Steinbach, MB: Crossway Publications, 2003). *Mennonite Quarterly Review* 79:4 (October 2005): 548-550.

*The Last Best West: Essays on the Historical Geography of the Canadian Prairies* by Yossi Katz and John C. Lehr (Jerusalem: Hebrew University, 1999). *American Review of Canadian Studies* 30:1 (Spring 2000): 95-96.

*Wide Skies: Finding a Home in the West* by Gary Holthaus (Tucson: University of Arizona Press, 1997). *Journal of Cultural Geography* 18:2 (Spring/Summer 1999): 136-137.

*The Fruits of Their Labor: Atlantic Coast Farmworkers and the Making of Migrant Poverty, 1870-1945* by Cindy Hahamovich (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 1997). *Journal of Historical Geography* 26:2 (April 2000): 315-316.

*Settling the Canadian-American West, 1890-1915* by John W. Bennett and Seena B. Kohl (Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press, 1995). *American Review of Canadian Studies* 28:4 (Winter 1998): 547-548.

*Land of Plenty: Oklahomans in the Cotton Fields of Arizona, 1933-1942* by Marsha L. Weisiger (Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, 1995). *Journal of Historical Geography* 23:2 (April 1997): 232-233.

*The Great Jerusalem Artichoke Circus: The Buying and Selling of the Rural American Dream* by Joseph A. Amato (Minneapolis: University of Minnesota Press, 1993). *Journal of Historical Geography* 21:3 (July 1995): 348-349.

**INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

"Education, Leadership, and Conservation: Empowering Young Q'eqchi' Women in Guatemala." UMW Student Leadership Colloquium, Fredericksburg, VA, 8 October 2016.

"Heritage Tourism in Raleigh, Newfoundland: Where the Road Less Traveled Ends." Ohio University Geography Colloquium, Athens, Ohio, 8 April 2016.

"Changing Communities, Shifting Aspirations: Mennonite Connections between Alberta and Bolivia." The Babcock Lecture, University of Maine, 27 April 2007.

"Race, Residence, and Mobility in Richmond, VA: 1900 – 1930." Social Research Colloquium, University of Mary Washington, 8 February 2006

"Mennonites on the Move: The Recent Exodus from Bolivia." Mary Washington College, Department of Geography, Fredericksburg, Virginia, 20 November 2002.

"Agricultural Expansion and Community Building: A Northern Alberta Case Study." Ohio University Geography Colloquium, Athens, Ohio, 26 April 2002.

"Agriculture, Forestry, and Farm Expansion in Northern Alberta." South Dakota State University Geography Conference, Brookings, South Dakota, 30 March 2001.

"Forward to a Farm: Canada's Back-to-the-Land Movement in the Great Depression." Field, Forest, and the Flag: The Exploitation of Britain's Colonial Land Conference sponsored by Historical Geography Research Group, Annual Conference of the Royal Geographical Society with the Institute of British Geographers, Plymouth, England, 4 January 2001.

**CONFERENCE PAPERS**

"Kids and Birds: Engaging Guatemalan Youth in Conservation." Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Starkville, Mississippi, 20 November 2017. Co-authored with Heather Banikas, UMW '18.

"Jordan Country' in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century." The International Society for Landscape, Place, & Material Culture, Annual Meeting, Salt Lake City, Utah, 20 October 2017.

"At the Edge of the Continent: Isolation and Heritage Tourism at Battle Harbour, Labrador." Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Columbia, South Carolina, 21 November 2016.

"Battle Harbour, Labrador: From Resettlement to Restoration." The International Society for Landscape, Place, & Material Culture, Annual Meeting, Bowling Green, Kentucky, 16 September 2016.

"Tourism on the Edge: The Historic Village at Raleigh, Newfoundland." Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Pensacola, Florida, 23 November 2015.

"Heritage and Preservation: A Tourist Experience in Raleigh, Newfoundland." The International Society for Landscape, Place, & Material Culture, Annual Meeting, North Canton, Ohio, 25 September 2015.

"Roadside Gardens: Unexpected Landscape Features on of Newfoundland's Northern Peninsula." Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Athens, Georgia, 24 November 2014.

"The Roadside Gardens of Newfoundland's Northern Peninsula." Pioneer America Society, Annual Meeting, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, 10 October 2014.

**CONFERENCE PAPERS continued**

"Using a Conservation and Agroecological Model to Train a New Generation of Community Leaders: Maya Women's Education in Alta Verapaz, Guatemala." Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Roanoke, Virginia, 25 November 2013.

"Conservation & Agroecology Leadership Training: An NGO Empowers Young Maya Women in Alta Verapaz, Guatemala." Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, CA, 13 April 2013.

"Resettlement and Homesteading in the 1930s: A Canadian Perspective." Western History Association, Annual Meeting, Denver, Colorado, 6 October 2012.

"Experiential Learning in the Field: Short-Term Study Abroad Programs." Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Birmingham, Alabama, 22 November 2010.

"Short-Term Study Abroad Programs: Field-Based Learning Experiences." Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., 15 April 2010.

"Mennonites and Migration: A View of a 1940's Resettlement Program." Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Knoxville, Tennessee, 23 November 2009.

"Government Relief and Ethnic Settlement in Northern British Columbia in the 1940s." Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, Nevada, 23 March 2009.

"Railways and Relief: Mennonite Relocation to British Columbia in the 1940s." Eastern Historical Geography Association, Annual Meeting, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, 17 October 2008.

"Rails to Trails in Action: The Friends of the Dahlgren Railroad Heritage Trail." Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Charleston, South Carolina, 19 November 2007.

"Preservation Through Recreation: The Dahlgren Railroad Heritage Trail." Pioneer America Society, Annual Meeting, Hagerstown, Maryland, 12 October 2007.

"Changing Patterns of Race and Residence in Early Twentieth Century Richmond." Pioneer America Society, Annual Meeting, Springfield, Ohio, 6 October 2006.

"Race, Residence, and Mobility in Richmond, Virginia, 1900-1930." Southeastern Division, Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, West Palm Beach, Florida, 21 November 2005.

"Residential Segregation in an African-American Community: Richmond, Virginia, 1900-1930." Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Denver, Colorado, 5 April 2005.

"Mapping a Vernacular Region: The Bible Belt and the South." Southeastern Division, Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Biloxi, Mississippi, 22 November 2004.

"The Bolivian Connection: Migration between a Northern Alberta Mennonite Community and Eastern Bolivia." (with Marshall Bowen) Pioneer America Society, Annual Meeting, Newtown, Pennsylvania, 22 October 2004.

"The Impact of Return Migration on a Rural Community: La Crete, Alberta." Canadian Association of Geographers, Annual Meeting, Moncton, New Brunswick, 26 May 2004.

"The Changing Face of Eastern Aruba." Pioneer America Society, Annual Meeting, Bridgetown, Barbados, 14 October 2003.

**CONFERENCE PAPERS continued**

"How Many Will Come?: A Community Plans for Migrant Reintegration." Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana, 5 March 2003.

"To Bolivia and Back: Migration and Community Formation." Return of the Kanadier: A History Conference on a Migrant People, Winnipeg, Manitoba, 4 October 2002.

"The Agricultural Frontier and the Timber Industry: Northern Alberta in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century." Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, California, 21 March 2002.

"Second Street: The Historic Heart of Richmond, Virginia's, African-American Community." Southeastern Division, Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Lexington, Kentucky, 19 November 2001.

"Carving Farms from the Forest: Do Eastern Models Fit Western Realities?" Eastern Historical Geography Association, Annual Meeting, Breckenridge, Colorado, 28 September 2001.

"Religion, Culture, and Migration: The Causes and Consequences of Old Colony Mennonite Relocation." International Conference of Historical Geographers, Triennial Meeting, Québec City, Québec, 18 August 2001.

"Richmond's African-American Commercial District: The Rise and Decline of 'The Deuce.'" Eastern Historical Geography Association, Annual Meeting, Bar Harbor, Maine, 21 October 2000.

"Economic Development and Community Building: Richmond's African-American Commercial Strip." Pioneer America Society, Annual Meeting, Richmond, Virginia, 13 October 2000.

"Relief Policy and Agricultural Settlement in Saskatchewan during the Great Depression." ACSUS-in-Canada Colloquium, Calgary, Alberta, 15 September 2000.

"Expanding the Agricultural Frontier: Northern Alberta at the Close of the Twentieth Century." Canadian Association of Geographers, Annual Meeting, St. Catharines, Ontario, 3 June 2000.

"'The Last Best North': Agricultural Expansion in Northern Alberta," Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 8 April 2000.

"The Agro-Forestry Frontier: New Developments in Alberta's North," Association of Canadian Studies in the United States, Biennial Meeting, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 18 November 1999.

"The Great Depression, Unemployment Relief, and Land Settlement." Canadian Association of Geographers, Annual Meeting, Lethbridge, Alberta, 5 June 1999.

"Agricultural Settlement and Relief Policies in Western Canada during the Great Depression." Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Memphis, Tennessee, 23 November 1998.

"Two Relief Settlements on Saskatchewan's Northern Agricultural Frontier." Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, 26 March 1998.

"Place in the Imagination: The Construction of Jimmy Buffett's Margaritaville." Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Birmingham, Alabama, 24 November 1997.

"Lookin' for Margaritaville: Place and Imagination in Jimmy Buffett's Songs." Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Fort Worth, Texas, 4 April 1997.

**CONFERENCE PAPERS continued**

"Residential and Occupational Mobility in Depression Era Saskatoon." Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Charlotte, North Carolina, 11 April 1996.

"Land Settlement and the Unemployed: A 1930s Relief Strategy." Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois, 16 March 1995.

"Forward To A Farm: Land Settlement as Unemployment Relief." Eastern Historical Geography Association, Annual Meeting, Halifax, Nova Scotia, 30 September 1994.

"Depression-Era Back-to-the-Land Movements: A Saskatchewan Portrait." Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California, 31 March 1994.

"The Unemployed and the Land: Saskatchewan's Back-to-the-Land Initiatives During the Depression." Eastern Historical Geography Association, Annual Meeting, St. John, Barbados, 7 February 1994.

"Migration as a Response to Crisis: The 1930s Depression and Saskatchewan's Northern Frontier." Association for Canadian Studies in the United States, Biennial Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana, 20 November 1993.

"Mennonite Migrations in the Twentieth Century: A Northern Canadian Perspective." Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, 7 April 1993.

"A Battle They Could Not Win: The Introduction of Public Education into a Conservative Mennonite Community." Western Social Science Association, Annual Meeting, Denver, Colorado, 23 April 1992.

"Searching for a Promised Land: Migration To and From a Northern Alberta Mennonite Community." Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Asheville, North Carolina, 26 November 1991.

"Embracing the Unknown: The Migration Patterns of Northern Alberta's Mennonites." Association for Canadian Studies in the United States, Biennial Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, 23 November 1991.

"Expanding the Farmers' Frontier: Three Settlements in Alberta's North." Eastern Historical Geography Association, Annual Meeting, Portsmouth, New Hampshire, 12 September, 1991.

"Migration to a Northern Frontier: The Homesteaders of the Fort Vermilion District, Alberta, 1915-1940." Canadian Association of Geographers, Annual Meeting, Kingston, Ontario, 7 June 1991.

"Social Change in a Mennonite Community: La Crete, Alberta, 1950-1965." Western Social Science Association, Annual Meeting, Reno, Nevada, 27 April 1991.

"Cultural Change on the Northern Agricultural Frontier: The Transformation of an Alberta Mennonite Community." Eastern Historical Geography Association, Annual Meeting, Quebec City, Quebec, 5 October 1990.

"Early Agricultural Development in the Lower Peace River Country, Alberta, 1879-1935." Canadian Association of Geographers, Annual Meeting, Edmonton, Alberta, 31 May 1990.

"Pioneer Settlement in the Lower Peace River Country." Pioneer America Society, Annual Meeting, St. Charles, Missouri, 10 November 1989.



**POSTER PRESENTATIONS & PANEL PARTICIPATION**

Special Panel Discussion: "Promoting Gamma Theta Upsilon." Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Roanoke, Virginia, 25 November 2013.

"Agricultural Land Expansion in Alberta's North, 1980-1999." Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Tampa, Florida, 22 November 1999.

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Chair, Douglas Award Committee, International Society for Landscape, Place, & Material Culture (formerly the Pioneer America Society), 2013-2017.

External Reviewer, Program Review, Department of Geography, State University of New York at Geneseo, April 2015.

Chair, Wilhelm-Keiffer Student Research Award, International Society for Landscape, Place, & Material Culture (formerly the Pioneer America Society), 2011 - 2015.

Program Chair, Annual Meeting of the Pioneer America Society, Utica, New York, October 9-12, 2013.

Chair, Honors Committee, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, 2012-2013.

Member, Douglas Award Committee, Pioneer America Society, 2011 - 2012.

Workshop Co-leader, Economic Landscapes of the Tidewater: An Institute for Teachers of Virginia and United States History, Stratford Hall Plantation, Stratford, VA, 2011, 2012, 2013.

Chair, Honors Committee, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, 2012-2013.

Member, Honors Committee, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, 2011-2012.

Member, Program Committee, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, September 2010.

Member, Editorial Board, American Geographical Society's *Focus on Geography*, 2010-2012.

Panel Participant, Beyond the Bachelor's: Promoting and Preparing Undergraduates for Graduate School, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Washington, D.C., April 17, 2010.

Organizer and Chair, Student Perspectives on the Short-Term Study Abroad Experience, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Washington, D.C., April 15, 2010.

Organizer and Chair, Two Sessions in Honor of the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Department of Geography at Mary Washington, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Knoxville, Tennessee, November 23, 2009.

Conference Organizer and Program Chair, Joint Annual Meeting of the Pioneer America Society and the Eastern Historical Geography Association, Pipestem, West Virginia, October 28-30, 2009.

Member, Program Committee, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, September 2009.

Member, Board of Directors, Pioneer America Society, 2006-2008.

Judge, Hubert Wilhelm Student Paper Competition, Pioneer America Society, 2006 - 2010.

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE continued**

Chair, Tellers' Committee, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, 2005.

Member, Program Committee, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, September 2004.

Judge, Student Research Grant Competition, Cultural Geography Specialty Group, Association of American Geographers, January 2004.

Judge, Student Paper Competition, Cultural Geography Specialty Group, Association of American Geographers, December 2003.

Judge, Government of Canada 2001-02 Canadian Studies Graduate Student Fellowship Award and Faculty Enrichment Grant, January 2002.

Member, Honors Committee, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, 2001-2002.

Judge, Student Paper Competition, Cultural Geography Specialty Group, Association of American Geographers, Spring 2001.

Co-chair, Local Arrangements Committee, 2002 annual meeting of the Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Richmond, Virginia.

Member, Program Committee, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Annual Meeting, Fall 2000.

Conference Co-organizer and Local Arrangements Coordinator, Pioneer America Society, Annual Meeting, Richmond, Virginia, October 12-14, 2000.

Judge, Student Paper Competition, Historical Geography Specialty Group, Association of American Geographers, Spring 2000.

Member, Editorial Board, *The Southeastern Geographer*, 2000-2002.

Conference Organizer and Program Chair, Eastern Historical Geography Association Annual Meeting, Richmond, Virginia, September 30-October 2, 1999.

Judge, Student Paper Competition, Historical Geography Specialty Group, Association of American Geographers, Spring 1999.

Virginia State Representative, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, 1998-2000.

Member, Resolutions Committee, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, 1998-1999.

Newsletter Editor, Canadian Studies Specialty Group, Association of American Geographers, 1996-1999.

Secretary/Treasurer, Canadian Studies Specialty Group, Association of American Geographers, 1996-1999.

**INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE (University of Mary Washington)**

Faculty Fellow, First Year and Undeclared Student Advisor, Academic and Career Services, 2014-16.

Chair, College of Arts & Sciences Curriculum Committee, 2014-2016.

Member, College of Arts & Sciences Curriculum Committee, 2013-2014.

Secretary, Speaking Intensive Committee, 2012-2013.

Member, Committee on Sabbaticals, Fellowships, and Faculty Awards, 2011-2012.

Member, Speaking Intensive Committee, 2011-2012.

Member, Grellet C. Simpson and Barbara Alden International Scholarship Selection Committee, 2011-2015.

First Year Student Advisor, 2011-13.

Member, President's Task Force on Sustainability, 2010-2011.

Member, President's Task Force on Campus Security, Spring 2010.

First Year Student Advisor, 2009-10.

Faculty Advisor, Young Women Leaders Program, 2007-present.

Co-chair, Faculty Governance Study Group, 2007-08.

Chair, Faculty Organization Committee, 2007-08.

First Year Student Advisor, 2006-08.

Member, Faculty Organization Committee, 2006-07.

Faculty Advisor, *Gamma Theta Upsilon* (National Geography Honor Society), 2004-present.

Faculty Advisor, Honor Council, 2002-2005.

Secretary, General Education Committee, 2002-2005.

Member, Grellet C. Simpson and Barbara Alden International Scholarship Selection Committee, 2002-2007.

Secretary, Committee on Academic Affairs, 2000-2001.

Faculty Advisor, Cap and Gown Chapter of Mortar Board, 2000-2004.

Member, Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities Selection Committee, 2000-2008.

Member, Student Conduct Hearing Board, 2000-2004.

**REFERENCES**

Available upon request.