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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

2015 – present Associate Professor, Anthropology and NGO Leadership and Development (NGOLD)
Northern Illinois University

2012-2015 Assistant Professor, Anthropology and NGO Leadership and Development (NGOLD)
Northern Illinois University

2008-2012 Assistant Professor, African American Studies and Anthropology
York College, City University of New York

2007-2008 Adjunct Assistant Professor, Anthropology
Vassar College

EDUCATION

Ph.D 2007 Anthropology, Global Studies and Women's Studies Emphases
University of California, Santa Barbara (UCSB)

MA 2000-2002 Anthropology
UCSB

BA 1996 Anthropology, Sociology and Philosophy (with honors and distinction)
University of Minnesota, Morris (UMM)

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Haiti; NGOs; disasters; globalization; power and resistance; women, culture and development; race and gender; urban anthropology

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Forthcoming *Humanitarian Aftershocks in Haiti*. New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press.

Forthcoming 2016 Alessandra Benedicty, Jhon Picard Byron, Kaiama Glover, and Mark Schuller, eds. *The Haiti Exception: Anthropology and the Predicament of Narrative*. Liverpool: Liverpool University Press, Francophone Postcolonial Studies, vol. 7.

2012 *Killing with Kindness: Haiti, International Aid, and NGOs*. Foreword by Paul Farmer. New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press. French edition published 2015. Winner of the Margaret Mead Award.

- 2012 Mark Schuller and Pablo Morales, eds. *Tectonic Shifts: Haiti since the Earthquake*. Sterling, VA: Kumarian Press. Haitian Creole edition published 2013.
- 2008 Gunewardena, Nandini and Mark Schuller, eds. *Capitalizing on Catastrophe: Neoliberal Strategies in Disaster Reconstruction*. Lanham, MD: Alta Mira Press.
- 2006 thomas-houston, marilyn and Mark Schuller, eds. *Homing Devices: the Poor as Targets of Public Housing Policy and Practice*. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books.

Documentary

- 2009 Renée Bergan and Mark Schuller. *Poto Mitan: Haitian Woman, Pillars of the Global Economy*. Watertown, MA: Documentary Educational Resources. www.potomitan.net

Peer-Reviewed Articles

- Forthcoming
2015 “Introduction to Special Issue, Seeing Obama's Election through the Black Americas: Ethnographic Perspectives as a Mirror,” *Transforming Anthropology*. Volume 23, Number 2: 63-67.
- 2015 “Pa Manyen Fanm Nan Konsa: Intersectionality, Structural Violence, and Vulnerability Before and After Haiti’s Earthquake.” *Feminist Studies*, Volume 41, Number 1: 184-210.
- 2014 “Being an Insider Without: Activist Anthropological Engagement in Haiti after the Earthquake.” *American Anthropologist*, Volume 116, Number 2 (June): 409-412.
- 2014 Mark Schuller and Tania Levey. “Kabrit Ki Gen Twòp Mèt: Understanding Persistent Gaps in Water and Sanitation Services in Haiti’s IDP Camps.” *Disasters*. Volume 38, issue s1 (April): S1-S24.
- 2013 “Archiving Violence: A Conversation between Mark Schuller and Deborah Thomas on the Making of *Poto Mitan* and *Bad Friday*.” *Transition*. Volume 112: 153-168.
- 2013 “Enpak Èd Entènasyonal sou Enfrastriki Sivik: ONG nan Kan pou Deplase Yo.” *Haiti Perspectives*. Volume 2, Issue 2 (Summer): 38-45.
- 2012 “Challenges to Solidarity across Multiple Borders: Haiti’s Free Trade Zone.” *Caribbean Quarterly*. Volume 58, Number 4 (December): 87-110.
- 2012 Elizabeth Currans, Mark Schuller, and Tiffany Willoughby-Herard. “Negotiating Treacherous Terrain: Disciplinary Power, Security Cultures, and Affective Ties in a Local Anti-War Movement.” *Social Justice*, Volume 38, Issue 3: 1-24.
- 2012 “Genetically Modified Organizations? Understanding and Supporting Local Civil Society in Urban Haiti.” *Journal of Haitian Studies*, Volume 18, Issue 1 (Spring): 50-73.
- 2011 “‘They Have Forgotten about Us!’ Gender and Haiti’s IDP Camps.” *meridians: feminism, race, transnationalism*, Volume 11, Issue 1: 149-157.
- 2011 “Rasin Neyoliberal Kriz Lavi Chè a” (the neoliberal roots of Haiti’s food crisis). *Journal of Haitian Studies*, Volume 17, Issue 1: 140-154.
- 2010 “Haiti’s Disaster after the Disaster: the IDP Camps and Cholera.” *Journal of Humanitarian Assistance*, <http://sites.tufts.edu/jha/archives/869>
- 2009 “Gluing Globalization: NGOs as Intermediaries in Haiti.” *Political and Legal Anthropology Review*, Volume 32, Issue 1 (May): 84-104. Republished on online issue, new postscript.

- 2008 “Participation, More than Add Women and Stir? A Comparative Case Analysis in Post-Coup Haiti.” *Caribbean Review of Gender Studies*, issue 2: 1-34.
- 2007 “Invasion or Infusion? Understanding the Roles of NGOs in Contemporary Haiti.” *Journal of Haitian Studies*, Volume 13, Issue 2: 61-85.
- 2007 “Haiti’s 200-Year M \acute{e} nage-à-Trois: Globalization, the State, and Civil Society.” *Caribbean Studies*, Volume 35, Issue 1 (January – June 2007): 141-179.
- 2007 “Seeing Like a ‘Failed’ NGO: Globalization’s Impacts on State and Civil Society in Haiti.” *Political and Legal Anthropology Review*, Volume 30, Issue 1 (Spring): 67-89. Republished on online issue, new postscript.

Book Chapters / Encyclopedia Articles

- 2014 Mark Schuller and David Lewis. “Anthropology of NGOs.” In John L. Jackson, ed. *Oxford Bibliographies in Anthropology*. New York: Oxford University Press.
- 2014 “Spotlights and Mirrors: Media and the Humanitarian Community in Haiti’s Disaster.” In Michele Acuto, ed. *Negotiating Relief: The Dialectics of Humanitarian Aid*. London: Hurst: 99-109.
- 2013 “Cholera and the Camps: Reaping the Republic of NGOs.” In Millery Polyné, ed. *The Idea of Haiti: History, Development and the Creation of New Narratives*. Minneapolis: University of Minnesota Press: 181-201.
- 2012 “Haiti’s Bitter Harvest: the NGOization of Humanitarian Aid.” In Antonio Donini, ed. *The Golden Fleece: Manipulation and Independence in Humanitarian Action*. Sterling, VA: Kumarian Press: 171-193.
- 2010 “Mister Blan, or the Incredible Whiteness of Being an Anthropologist.” In Erin Taylor, ed. *Fieldwork Identities in the Caribbean*. Coconut Creek, FL: Caribbean Studies Press, 125-150.
- 2008 “Deconstructing the Disaster after the Disaster: Conceptualizing Disaster Capitalism.” In Gunewardena and Schuller, eds. *Capitalizing on Catastrophe*, 17-27.
- 2008 “Haiti Is Finished! Haiti’s ‘End of History’ meets Ends of Capitalism.” In Gunewardena and Schuller, eds. *Capitalizing on Catastrophe*, 191-214.
- 2006 “Jamming the Meatgrinder World: Lessons Learned from Tenants Organizing in St. Paul.” In thomas-houston and Schuller, eds. *Homing Devices*, 159-180.
- 2006 Mark Schuller and marilyn thomas-houston. “Introduction: No Place Like Home, No Time Like the Present.” In thomas-houston and Schuller, eds. *Homing Devices*, 1-19.

Editor-reviewed articles

- 2013 “Working with Students on a Mixed-Methods, Social Justice Approach to Understanding Haiti’s IDP Camps,” *Practicing Anthropology*, Volume 35, Issue 3 (Summer 2013): 3-7.
- 2010 “Shattered and Scattered: Haiti’s Earthquake within the Lens of Human Rights.” *NACLA Report on the Americas*, Volume 43, issue 5: (July-August 2010): 20-27.
- 2010 “Trauma and Solidarity in the New Haiti.” *NACLA Report on the Americas*, Volume 43, issue 2 (March-April 2010): 4.

- 2010 “From Activist to Applied Anthropologist to Anthropologist? On the Politics of Collaboration.” *Practicing Anthropology*, Volume 32, issue 1 (Winter 2010), 43-47.
- 2008 “Haiti’s Food Riots: an Early Warning Sign of the World’s Food Crisis.” *International Socialist Review*, issue 59 (May-June 2008), 3-5.

Book Reviews

- Forthcoming 2015 *Theorizing NGOs: States, Feminisms, and Neoliberalism*, edited by Victoria Bernal and Inderpal Grewal. *Anthropos*.
- Forthcoming 2015 “Organic Intellectuals: Los Angeles Community Action Network’s Defense of ‘Skid Row’ and the Right to Housing,” *National Political Science Review*. Volume 16.
- 2013 *Fault Lines: Views across Haiti’s Divide* by Beverly Bell (2013). *Journal of Haitian Studies*, Volume 19, Issue 2: Fall: 208-211.
- 2013 *Driven from New Orleans: How Nonprofits Betray Public Housing and Promote Privatization* by John Arena (2012). *Working USA: the Journal of Labor and Society*, Volume 16, Issue 2: 312-316.
- 2011 “Five Decades of Anthropological Engagement in the Caribbean: Sidney Mintz’ *Three Ancient Colonies* (2010).” *Anthropology Now*, Volume 3, Issue 2: 78-83.
- 2008 *Twinning Faith and Development: Catholic Parish Partnering in the US and Haiti* by Tara Hefferan (2007). *Journal of Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology*, Volume 13, Issue 2: November, 478-480.
- 2003 *When the Hands Are Many* by Jennie Smith (2001) *Journal of Haitian Studies*, Volume 9, Issue 1, spring 2003.

Other Publications

- 2012 *Homeward Bound? Assessing Progress of Relocation from Haiti’s IDP Camps*. Report published on November 16 by NIU and Université d’État d’Haïti: <http://ijdh.org/archives/29560>
- 2012 *Is it Time for MINUSTAH to Leave? Popular Perceptions of the UN Stabilization Mission in Port-au-Prince, Haiti*, report published on February 14 by York College: <http://ijdh.org/wordpress/wp-content/uploads/2012/02/MINUSTAH-Report.pdf>
- 2011 *Mèt Kò Veye Kò: Foreign Responsibility in the Failure to Protect against Cholera and Other Man-Made Disasters*, report published on January 22 by CUNY and Université d’État d’Haïti: <http://ijdh.org/archives/16896>
- 2010 *Unstable Foundations: Impacts of NGOs on Human Rights for Port-au-Prince’s Internally Displaced People*, report published on October 4 by CUNY and the Faculté d’Ethnologie, Université d’État d’Haïti: <http://ijdh.org/archives/14855>.
- 2010 – present Columnist for *Huffington Post*. Over twenty articles published since 2010, re-published elsewhere with permission.
- 2010 “Uncertain Ground: Haiti’s Earthquake and its Aftermath,” published on *Counterpunch*, February 10.
- 2010 “Starfish and Seawalls: Responding to Haiti’s Earthquake, Now and Long-Term,” published on *Common Dreams*, January 14.

- 2009 “Haiti’s Elections: ‘Beat the Dog Too Hard,’” published on *Counterpunch*, *Common Dreams*, and others: June.
- 2009 Report: “Haiti Needs New Development Approaches, not More of the Same,” published on HaitiAnalysis.com, Commonwealth Institute, and others: June.
- 2008 “Gluing Globalization: NGOs as Intermediaries in Haiti.” *Anthropology News*: vol. 49, no. 2: February, 40.
- 2007 “Sex, Lies, and International Aid: a Tale of Two Scandals.” *Anthropology News*: vol. 48, no. 6: September, 44.
- 2007-2013 Columnist, *SfAA Newsletter*
- 2006 “Break the Chains of Haiti’s Debt.” Report for Jubilee USA, May 20.
- 2006 “‘Privatizing the State’ in Haiti.” *Anthropology News*: vol. 47, no. 4: April, 41.
- 2006 “Assessing Participation in Haitian Health NGOs.” *Within Reach*: vol. 4, no. 4.
- 2000 *Will the Real Superman Please Stand Up?* Original play, directed by JB Becker, debuted at Minnesota Fringe Festival.
- 2000 Davis, Laura, Laura Jelinek, Melissa Manderschied, and Mark Schuller. 2000. “CDBG Workbook.” Minneapolis: Center for Urban and Regional Affairs, University of Minnesota, January 2000.

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

Extramural Awards

- 2015 National Science Foundation CAREER Grant # 1455142 (\$425,460)
- 2014 Bellagio Center Resident Scholar Program, Rockefeller Foundation
- 2013 Illinois Council on Humanities (\$5,000 – co-PI with Jennifer Kirker-Priest)
- 2013 Fondasyon Konesans ak Libète (FOKAL) (\$6,000)
- 2012 National Science Foundation, Supplementary Award (\$12,505)
- 2012 Fondasyon Konesans ak Libète (FOKAL) (\$5,000)
- 2011 Reaching Up (\$2,000)
- 2011 National Science Foundation Senior Research Grant # 1122704 (\$98,498)
- 2011 Haiti Education on Displacement Issues Project (HEDIP) (\$9,500)
- 2010 John F. Kennedy Junior Institute (\$2,726.30)
- 2008 Puffin Foundation (\$1,000)
- 2002-7 Graduate Research Fellowship, National Science Foundation (\$105,000)
- 2004 Finalist, IIE-Fulbright Student Research Competition (State Department prohibited student research in Haiti during field tenure)
- 2001 GLBA scholarship, Santa Barbara, CA (\$1,000)

Systemwide Awards

- 2011 Stewart Travel Award, CUNY (\$500)
- 2011 Faculty Research Grant, Professional Staff Congress-CUNY (\$5,998.45)
- 2010 Faculty Research Grant, Professional Staff Congress-CUNY (\$3,000)
- 2009 Faculty Research Grant, Professional Staff Congress-CUNY (\$4,000)
- 2007 Mini Grant, Labor and Employment Research Fund (\$4,000)
- 2004 Institute for Global Conflict and Cooperation Dissertation Fellowship (\$15,969)

Campus Awards

2007	Travel Grant, Faculty Senate, UCSB
2003-6	Albert Spaulding Fellowship, Department of Anthropology, UCSB (declined 2004)
2004	Fee fellowship, Department of Anthropology, UCSB
2003	Humanities and Social Science Research Grant, UCSB
2002	Pre-Dissertation Site Visit Grant, Department of Anthropology, UCSB

HONORS AND AWARDS

2015	Margaret Mead Award, Society for Applied Anthropology and American Anthropological Association
2014	Superior Achievement Award, Illinois Association of Museums, for <i>Fragments</i>
2012	Nomination, Elizabeth M. Eddy Endowed Professorship in Applied Anthropology, University of Florida
2011	President's Award for Faculty Scholarship, York College
2007	Association for Political and Legal Anthropology (APLA), Student Paper Award
2002	Community Service Award, Lavender Graduation, UCSB
2002	Dixon/ Levy Award, Graduate Students Association, UCSB
2000	Streetworker of the Year Award, St. Paul Area Coalition for the Homeless

LECTURES/ PRESENTATIONS

Invited Presentations

Discussions of *Killing with Kindness*

October 2015	Smith College
April 2013	Northern Illinois University Alumni Center
March 2013	New York University
November 2012	Institute for Justice and Democracy in Haiti, Boston
November 2012	Haiti Liberté / Grenadier Bookstore, Brooklyn
November 2012	Bluestockings Bookstore, Manhattan
November 2012	Inquiring Minds Bookstore, New Paltz
October 2012	David A Walsh '67 Arts and Sciences Seminar Series, Clarkson University
October 2012	African American Resource Center, York College

Discussions of *Tectonic Shifts*

February 2012	John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University
January 2012	Brecht Forum, New York
January 2012	Haitian Embassy, Washington, DC
January 2012	Busboys and Poets, Washington, DC
January 2012	Faculté d'Ethnologie, Port-au-Prince, Haiti

University discussions of *Poto Mitan* and Haiti's earthquake

October 2015	Smith College
March 2014	Eastern Michigan University
January 2014	Vassar College
November 2013	Illinois Council on Humanities

March 2013	Northern Illinois University
March 2012	Lehman College
January 2012	University of Cincinnati
November 2011	Bowdoin College
October 2011	Bowling Green State University
September 2011	California State University, Los Angeles
September 2011	California Lutheran University
September 2011	University of Missouri
April 2011	Harvard University
March 2011	Seattle University
February 2011	University of Texas, Austin
November 2010	Tulane University
November 2010	Pace University
November 2010	New York University
October 2010	University of Toronto
September 2010	Claremont University
April 2010	Hamline University
April 2010	Denver University
April 2010	University of Virginia
April 2010	College of William and Mary
April 2010	Virginia Commonwealth University
March 2010	Wesleyan University
March 2010	George Washington University
February 2010	American University
February 2010	Louisiana State University
December 2009	Drew University
November 2009	Indiana University /Purdue University of Indianapolis
October 2009	Fairfield University
October 2009	Dickinson College
October 2009	University of Miami
April 2009	Minnesota Journalism Center, University of Minnesota
April 2009	University of Minnesota, Morris
April 2009	University of Florida
April 2009	Florida Community College of Jacksonville
April 2009	Department of International Affairs, Columbia University
April 2009	Film and Culture Series, Medgar Evers College, CUNY
February 2009	Florida International University
February 2009	Provost Lecture Series, York College
February 2009	Middle Tennessee State University
January 2009	University of Southern California
January 2009	University of California, Los Angeles
March 2008	St. Ambrose University

Congressional Briefings

March 2012	“Update on Haiti’s IDP Camps: Research from Haitian Students and Affiliates”
January 2012	“Haiti: Where Did the Money Go?”
March 2011	“Update on Haiti’s IDP Camps”

Other

May 2015	“NGOing: Aid Aftershocks to Haiti’s Social Movements after the Earthquake,” Symposium on Social Movements and Globalization, Northwestern University.
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- March 2015 Workshops in Multidisciplinary Philanthropic Studies, Indiana University Lilly Family School of Philanthropy.
- March 2015 “Disaster Capitalism: A View from Haiti,” Graduate Colloquium Series, Political Science and International Relations, Florida International University.
- November 2014 “Governance and Accountability: Lessons (not) Learned,” Fooling the Sun, not Fooling the Rain: Housing and Shelter in Haiti 5 Years after the Earthquake, Elliot School for International Affairs, George Washington University.
- August 2014 “CultureShocks: Humanitarian Ruptures in Post-Quake Port-au-Prince, Haiti,” Médecins Sans Frontières Germany, Berlin.
- February 2014 “Pa Manyen Fanm Nan Konsa: Gender, Aid, and Violence after Haiti’s Earthquake,” University of Iowa, Department of Anthropology Colloquium Series.
- January 2014 “Displaced Cultures: Humanitarian Ruptures in Post-Quake Port-au-Prince, Haiti,” London School of Economics.
- January 2014 “Kabrit Ki Gen Twòp Mèt: Explaining Gaps in WASH coverage in Haiti’s IDP Camps,” School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, University of London.
- January 2014 “Pa Manyen Fanm Nan Konsa: Aid and Gender Based Violence in Haiti’s IDP Camps,” Royal Holloway University of London.
- November 2013 Konferans Deba sou Èd Imanitè, Fondasyon Konesans ak Libète (FOKAL), Port-au-Prince.
- October 2013 Government of Haiti, Ministère de Planification et Coopération Extérieure. *Première Forum National des ONG*.
- September 2013 After the Earthquake: Haiti and the Failure of International Aid. University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee.
- September 2013 Global Policy Forum: Humanitarian Aid Accountability: Expectations and Realities in Haiti. Elliot School for International Affairs, George Washington University.
- April 2013 *Humanitarianism in Haiti: Visions and Practice*. Duke University.
- December 2012 “Enpak Èd Entènasyonal sou Enfrastrikti Sivik: ONG nan Kan pou Deplase Yo,” *Colloque sur les Conditions de Vie dans les Camps*, l’Université d’État d’Haïti.
- November 2012 Invited Roundtable Participant, “Activism, Advocacy, and Academia: Undoing the Borders in Feminist Anthropology?” American Anthropological Association.
- November 2012 Plenary speaker, “Rethinking Haitian Women’s Rights,” Haitian Studies Association.
- May 2012 Keynote, “Tectonic Shifts: Haiti since the Earthquake,” Haitian Flag Day, University of California, Santa Barbara.
- March 2012 “Building Up Walls, Tearing Down Tents: Applied Anthropology in Haiti,” Coppin State University, Baltimore.
- January 2012 “Building Up Walls, Tearing Down Tents: Haiti’s IDP Camps Two Years Later,” *History’s Hauntings: The Future of Haiti’s Sovereign Sustainability*, University of Cincinnati.
- October 2011 “Intersectionality, Structural Violence, and Vulnerability Before and After Haiti’s Earthquake,” University of California, Santa Barbara.

- May 2011 Participant, *Haiti: Beyond the Headlines*. New York University School of Law.
- April 2011 “Unstable Foundations: Impacts of NGOs on Human Rights of Port-au-Prince’s Internally Displaced.” Fletcher School, Tufts University.
- April 2011 “Mèt Kò Veye Kò: Failures of International Aid following Haiti’s Earthquake.” Freie Universität, Berlin.
- April 2011 Participant, “Learning the Lessons: A Historical Perspective on Humanitarianism and Politics,” Rockefeller Foundation, Bellagio, Italy.
- April 2011 “Mèt Kò Veye Kò: Foreign Responsibilities in Haiti’s Camps.” State University of New York, New Paltz.
- March 2011 “Human Rights in the ‘Republic of NGOs’ in Post-Quake Haiti,” Hunter Faculty Human Rights Seminar, Hunter College, CUNY.
- February 2011 “Unstable Foundations: Whither Haiti’s Million-Plus Internally Displaced a Year after the Earthquake?” for 2011 Lozano Long conference, *From Natural Events to Social Disasters*, University of Texas-Austin.
- February 2011 “Thirsting for Justice: Human Rights, Cholera, and Port-au-Prince’s IDP camps a year following the earthquake,” for *Caribbean Cityscapes* conference, LHCS, Rutgers University.
- February 2011 “Pawòl Fanm: Narratives and Realities of Haitian Women, before and after the Earthquake,” for *Children, Families, and Disaster in Haiti: Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Immediate and long-term Responses to Catastrophic Events* conference, IHDSC, New York University.
- February 2011 Keynote address, “Mèt Kò Veye Kò: Impact of NGOs on Haiti’s IDP Camps.” 2011 Columbia University Program of International Affairs conference, *Internal Displacement: Unsettled, Uncertain, Unseen* conference, Columbia University.
- November 2010 Organizer / panelist, “Haiti’s ‘Unthinkable’ Earthquake and the Nightmare of History.” Presidential Session, American Studies Association, San Antonio.
- October 2010 Invited panelist, “CariBBeing Talks,” Flatbush Film Fest, Brooklyn College.
- April 2010 “Fault Lines: Haiti’s Earthquake, Perspectives from the Ground,” Macalester College.
- April 2010 “Rumblings: Human Rights Aspects of Haiti’s Earthquake.” Human Rights: Theory and Practice symposium, City College of New York.
- March 2010 “Ayiti: Lit la ap Vanse,” CUNY School of Law.
- February 2010 “Haiti’s Current Humanitarian Crisis: What Is Happening, and What Can We Do?” Department of Anthropology and Center for Space, Place, and Politics, CUNY Graduate Center.
- February 2010 “Haiti’s Current Humanitarian Crisis: What Is Happening, and What Can We Do?” York College.
- November 2009 “Killing with Kindness: Participation and Autonomy within NGOs in Post-Coup Haiti.” Department of Anthropology, Purdue University.
- October 2009 “Women and Structural Violence: the Gender of HIV/AIDS in Haiti,” Gender and Society Colloquium Series, Columbia University.
- January 2009 “Capitalizing on Catastrophe: Neoliberal Strategies in Disaster Reconstruction.”

Department of International Studies, University of California, Los Angeles.

- November 2008 “The Hell of High Water: Recent Hurricane Destruction in Haiti, Cuba, and Other Caribbean Countries.” York College Office of the Provost and African American Resource Center.
- April 2008 “Capitalizing on Catastrophe: Neoliberal Strategies in Disaster Reconstruction.” Feinstein International Center, Tufts University.
- May 2007 “Killing With Kindness? The Role of Foreign Assistance in Haitian NGOs.” California State University, Los Angeles.
- May 2006 “Cancel Haiti’s Debt: Pave the Way for Haiti’s Third Independence” and panelist on Southern social movements, Jubilee USA Roots Conference, Portland, OR.
- May 2006 “Killing With Kindness? Notes on the Roles of U.S. Assistance in Contemporary Haiti,” Multi-Cultural Center student speaker series, UCSB.
- March 2004 “An Anthropological View of the Last Days of the First Democratically Elected Leader of Haiti,” for African American Studies Program, Anthropology, and Center for Latin American Studies, University of Florida, Gainesville.
- June 2002 “What Makes an NGO Grassroots?” At International Shrimp Action Network conference, Santa Barbara.

Media Interviews (selected)

- January 2012 PBS: *Haiti: Where Did the Money Go?*
- January 2012 *Boston Globe*
- January 2012 *New Internationalist*
- January 2011 Al Jazeera
- August 2010 Democracy Now!
- March 2010 Al Jazeera English
- August 2009 Documentary on HIV/AIDS in Haiti, Unsociables Films.
- November 2008 Korea Today: Korean Broadcasting Systems TV
- November 2008 Dateline: Special Broadcasting Service TV (Australia)

Discussant for Peer Reviewed Sessions

- December 2014 “Development Politics: The Ethics of Grassroots Organizing,” American Anthropological Association.
- March 2014 “Navigating Landscapes of Disaster,” Society for Applied Anthropology.
- November 2013 “Author Meets Critics: *Feminist Activist Anthropology*,” American Anthropological Association.
- March 2013 “Disaster and the State,” Society for Applied Anthropology.
- November 2012 “Governmentality and Biopolitics in the Wake of Disaster,” American Anthropological Association.
- November 2012 “Early Twentieth Century Ethnographies on Haiti: Interdisciplinary Roundtable,” Haitian Studies Association.
- January 2012 “Haiti in Other Cultural Spaces,” *Roots and Branches: New Directions in Haitian Studies* conference, NYU.

- November 2011 “Culture: the Critical Factor in Disaster Research and Practice,” American Anthropological Association.
- December 2009 “The End of Blackness? Notes from the Field on U.S. Racial Politics.” American Anthropological Association.
- December 2009 “Neoliberalism’s Ever After: Disaster, Culture, and Social Alternatives,” American Anthropological Association.

Peer-Reviewed Presentations

- November 2015 (scheduled) “Dear Little Mothers” – Governing the “Republic of NGOs,” American Anthropological Association, Denver.
- October 2015 (scheduled) “NGO-ing: Aid Aftershocks to Haitian Social Movements after the Earthquake,” Haitian Studies Association, Montréal.
- May 2015 “Haiti’s Humanitarian Occupation, Then and Now,” Caribbean Studies Association, New Orleans.
- March 2015 “Plenary: Continuity and Change in the Anthropology of Risk, Hazards, and Disasters,” Society for Applied Anthropology, Pittsburgh.
- March 2015 Jennifer Kirker-Priest, Mark Schuller, Laura McDowell-Hopper, and Rachel Drochter, “Activist Anthropology in the Museum,” Society for Applied Anthropology.
- December 2014 Mark Schuller and David Lewis. “Nongovernmentalizing Anthropology? On the Ethics and Politics of Institutionalization of ‘NGO Studies,’” American Anthropological Association, Washington.
- November 2014 “SekouSekous: Humanitarian Ruptures in Postquake Port-au-Prince, Haitian Studies Association, South Bend.
- March 2014 “Pa Manyen Fanm Nan Konsa: Intersectionality, Structural Violence, and Vulnerability before and after Haiti’s Earthquake,” Society for Applied Anthropology, Albuquerque.
- November 2013 Roundtable Participant: “The Future of NGO Studies,” American Anthropological Association, Chicago.
- November 2013 “Ayiti nan Imajinè Antwopolojik,” Journée d’Etude - Ethnologie haïtienne et ethnologie d’Haïti: histoire et mémoires d’une discipline, Port-au-Prince.
- November 2013 “Enpak Èd Imanitè sou Enfrastrikti Sivik nan Kan pou Deplase nan Pòtoprens,” Haitian Studies Association, Port-au-Prince.
- November 2013 Roundtable Participant: “Lessons from the ground: NGOs, the Haitian Government, and the new hospital in Mirebalais (Hôpital Universitaire de Mirebalais/HUM).” Haitian Studies Association.
- June 2013 “Who Speaks for Haiti? Notes on Policy Advocacy in Washington following Haiti’s Earthquake,” Caribbean Studies Association, Grand Anse, Grenada.
- March 2013 “Haitians Need to Be Patient?: Notes on Policy Advocacy in Washington Following Haiti’s Earthquake,” Society for Applied Anthropology, Denver.
- May 2012 “Building Walls, Tearing Down Tents: Haiti’s IDP Camps Two Years On,” Caribbean Studies Association, Le Gosier, Guadeloupe.

- April 2012 “Solidarity Lessons Not Learned: Haiti’s Free Trade Zone,” Transnational Hispaniola II, Rutgers University.
- March 2012 “Impacts of Earthquake Aid on Haiti’s Civic Infrastructure: the Case of IDP Camps,” Society for Applied Anthropology, Baltimore.
- March 2012 Roundtable participant, “Human Rights Advocacy and IRB Research,” Society for Applied Anthropology.
- March 2012 “Accountability in Post-Earthquake Haiti: Reconstruction Failures and the UN’s Cholera Problem,” Left Forum, New York.
- November 2011 “Trickle-Down Imperialism: Insights of Studying NGOs for Understanding Power,” American Anthropological Association, Montréal.
- November 2011 “Inclusion of IDPs in Haiti’s Reconstruction,” Haitian Studies Association, Kingston, Jamaica.
- May 2011 “‘Kolera ak Blan se Marasa’ – Haiti’s Blan-Made Disaster,” Caribbean Studies Association, Willemstad, Curaçao.
- March 2011 “The Tremors Felt ‘round the World: Haiti’s Earthquake as a Global Imagined Community,” Society for Applied Anthropology, Seattle.
- March 2011 “Unstable Foundations: Remapping the Civic Infrastructure among Haiti’s 1.5 million IDPs,” Society for Applied Anthropology.
- March 2011 Panelist, “Helping Haiti rebuild with dignity, sovereignty and justice.” Left Forum, Pace University, New York.
- November 2010 “Fault Lines: the Haitian Earthquake through Many Perspectives,” American Anthropological Association, New Orleans.
- November 2010 Special Event: “Conversations Across the Americas: The Political Economy of Natural Disasters in the Americas,” American Anthropological Association.
- November 2010 “Sowing Seeds of Hope or Seeds of Dependency: NGOs and the Camp Committees,” Haitian Studies Association, Providence, RI.
- October 2010 “‘Beautiful T-Shirts Aren’t Development’: NGOs and Turf Struggles in Post-Coup Haiti,” Latin American Studies Association, Toronto.
- May 2010 “Starfish and Seawalls: Making Sense of Haiti’s Earthquake and Relief Efforts,” Caribbean Studies Association, St. Peter, Barbados.
- April 2010 “The Earthquake through Haitian Women’s Eyes,” Society for the Anthropology of North America / Association for Black Anthropologists, Denver.
- April 2010 Film screening, *Poto Mitan*, Society for the Anthropology of North America / Association for Black Anthropologists.
- March 2010 ‘Beautiful T-shirts Aren’t Development’ – NGOs and Turf Struggles in Haiti’s Popular Neighborhoods,” Society for Applied Anthropology, Mérida, Mexico.
- February 2010 “Killing with Kindness: Impacts of Foreign Assistance on Women’s NGOs in Post-Coup Haiti,” International Studies Association, New Orleans.
- February 2010 Panel discussion – *Poto Mitan: Haitian Women, Pillars of the Global Economy*, International Studies Association.

- December 2009 “‘We Are Prisoners!’ Neoliberalism and Daily Practice in Haitian NGOs,” American Anthropological Association, Philadelphia.
- November 2009 “‘Tout Blan Se Blan, Men Tout Blan Pa Menm: An Outline of a Haitian Sociology of *Blan*,” Haitian Studies Association, Bloomington, IN.
- November 2009 Panel discussion – *Poto Mitan: Haitian Women, Pillars of the Global Economy*, Haitian Studies Association.
- October 2009 “From Activist to Public Anthropologist: Lessons Learned about Collaboration.” Public Anthropology Conference, Washington, DC.
- October 2009 Filmmaker panel discussion and screening of *Poto Mitan: Haitian Women, Pillars of the Global Economy*, Public Anthropology Conference.
- June 2009 Panel discussion – *Poto Mitan: Haitian Women, Pillars of the Global Economy*, Caribbean Studies Association, Kingston, Jamaica.
- June 2009 “Decoding the Disaster: Haiti, Hurricanes and Human Rights,” Caribbean Studies Association.
- March 2009 “From Activist to Applied Anthropologist to Anthropologist? On the Politics of Collaboration.” Society for Applied Anthropology, Santa Fe.
- March 2009 With Beth Currans and Tiffany Willoughby-Herard. “Between Creativity and Conformity: Citizenship and Space in Santa Barbara’s Anti-War Movement.” Society for Applied Anthropology.
- November 2008 “‘Suddenly AIDS is the Great Craze:’ How ‘Partnerships’ Become Donor Mandates in a Recipient Haitian Women’s NGO,” American Anthropological Association, San Francisco.
- November 2008 “‘Enfrastrikti Sivik:’ Yon Zouti pou Konprann Jwèt ONG a nan Peyi Dayiti,” Haitian Studies Association, Montrouis, Haiti.
- June 2008 “An Anthropology of Disaster Capitalism: the Case of Haiti.” Global Studies Association, New York.
- May 2008 “Racialized Implications of Haiti’s ‘Regime Change,’” Caribbean Studies Association, San Andres, Colombia.
- March 2008 “The Road to the Spread of HIV/AIDS Is Paved with Good Intentions,” Society for Applied Anthropology, Memphis.
- November 2007 “Trickle-Down Imperialism: Global/Local Power and Inequality within the NGO/International Aid Complex,” American Anthropological Association, Washington, DC.
- October 2007 “Tectonic Shifts and the Political Tsunami: the Case of Haiti,” Haitian Studies Association, Boca Raton.
- May 2007 “Capitalizing on Borderlands Xenophobia: Haiti’s Free Trade Zone,” Caribbean Studies Association, Salvador, Bahia, Brazil.
- May 2007 “Gluing Globalization: NGOs as Intermediaries in Haiti,” Global Studies Association, Irvine.
- March 2007 “What’s in a Name? Suggestions for the Applied/Public Anthropology Debate,” Society for Applied Anthropology, Tampa.

- November 2006 “NGOs as Intermediaries: Gluing Globalization in Haiti,” American Anthropological Association, San Jose, CA.
- October 2006 “Haiti, 2003-6: A Successfully Failed State?” for “The Idea of a Failed State” Conference, Westfield, MA.
- October 2006 “Reconstructing the Renaissance: Impacts of International Assistance on Participation and Autonomy in Women’s NGOs in Post-Coup Haiti,” Haitian Studies Association, Charlottesville, VA.
- March 2006 “NGO Implementation in a Successfully Failed State,” Society for Applied Anthropology, Vancouver, BC.
- December 2005 “Directing Democracy, or the Uses of NGOs in Haiti,” American Anthropological Association, Washington, DC.
- October 2005 “Learning from Haiti’s 200-Year-Old Ménage-à-Trois: Globalization, the State and Civil Society,” Haitian Studies Association, Boston.
- October 2003 “Globalization and Other Challenges to Developing Haiti’s Human Capital,” Haitian Studies Association, Miami.
- November 2002 “Mèsi Desalin: Notes on Race, Color and Deliberative Space in Present-Day Haiti,” American Anthropology Association, New Orleans.
- October 2002 “Understanding Haiti’s ‘Cold War:’ Impressions of Civil Society and NGOs in Haiti,” Haitian Studies Association, Port-au-Prince, Haiti.
- December 2001 “Jamming the Meatgrinder World: The Making and Unmaking of a Tenant Movement in St. Paul,” American Anthropology Association, Washington, DC.

Organized Peer Reviewed Sessions

- November 2015 (scheduled) “Is Female to Male as NGO Is to the State?” American Anthropological Association.
- December 2014 “What’s in a name? Tracing anthropology’s uneasy ethnographic engagement with NGOs,” with David Lewis, American Anthropological Association.
- March 2012 Roundtable: “Mic Check! Implications of #Occupy on Social Justice Organizing and Activist Anthropology,” Society for Applied Anthropology.
- March 2012 “Building Walls, Tearing Down Tents: Applied Research in Haiti’s IDP Camps,” Society for Applied Anthropology.
- November 2011 “Thinking Through NGOs: How NGO Studies Contribute to Anthropological Theory,” American Anthropological Association.
- November 2011 “Unfinished Business of Haiti’s Relief and Reconstruction,” Haitian Studies Association.
- May 2011 “One Year Later, Whither Haiti’s Relief and Reconstruction?” Caribbean Studies Association.
- March 2011 “Thinking Globally, (re)Acting Locally: Toward New Approaches to Disasters,” with Gregory Button, Society for Applied Anthropology.
- November 2010 Roundtable: “Haiti, the Republic of 10,000 NGOs?” Haitian Studies Association.

- October 2010 “Claiming Community and Constituency: NGO Struggles for Grassroots Legitimacy in Latin America and the Caribbean,” with Benjamin Junge, Latin American Studies Association.
- March 2010 “Getting the Word Out: Working with the Media” workshop, Human Rights and Social Justice Committee, Society for Applied Anthropology.
- December 2009 “NGOs in an Age of Neoliberal (Non)Governmentality,” American Anthropological Association.
- December 2009 Special Event: “The Global Financial Crisis and the Federal Bailout: Views from the Grassroots” with Susan Hyatt, American Anthropological Association.
- March 2009 “A Two-Way Street: What Can Anthropologists Learn from Nonprofits/ NGOs?” Society for Applied Anthropology.
- November 2008 Special Event, “Collaborations for Human Security in Disaster Assistance and Reconstruction: Anthropological engagement beyond neoliberal strategies” with Nandini Gunewardena, American Anthropological Association.
- November 2008 “Yon Brase Lide sou Kriz Lavi Chè a: Kòz, Konsekans, ak Solisyon,” Haitian Studies Association.
- May 2007 “One Island, Two Peoples, Many Experiences of Globalization: Trans-nationalization of Haiti and the Dominican Republic” with Kiran Jayaram, Caribbean Studies Association.
- November 2006 Invited session, “Locating the Global: NGOs as Agents of Globalization,” American Anthropological Association.
- March 2006 “Stemming the Rise of Disaster Capitalism,” Society for Applied Anthropology.
- November 2002 “Spaces of Contest: Race and the Public Sphere,” American Anthropological Association.
- December 2001 Invited session, “Public Housing in the New Millennium,” with marilyn thomas-houston, American Anthropological Association.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- NIU
 Anthropology and Contemporary World Problems
 Contemporary Culture Theory
 Disasters without Borders
 International NGOs and Globalization
 Introduction to Research in Non-Governmental Organizations and Nonprofits
 Methods in Ethnography
 Nonprofits and Community Engagement
 Peoples and Cultures of the Caribbean
- York College,
 CUNY
 Anthropology of the Caribbean
 The Black Experience in the Caribbean
 Introduction to African American Studies
 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology (including online)
 Haiti and the World
 Global Inequalities
 Political Anthropology

Vassar College	Applied Anthropology The Caribbean
SUNY-New Paltz	Ecological Anthropology
Université d'État d'Haïti, Faculté d'Ethnologie	Antwopoloji ONG (Anthropology of NGOs) Seminè – Antwopoloji ONG (Seminar – Anthropology of NGOs) Research Methods Seminar
Université de Fondwa-2004	Entwodisksyon ONG (Introduction to NGOs)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING

1998-2000	Community Organizer, St. Paul Tenants Union
1998-9	Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs, University of Minnesota
1997	Community Organizer, Corcoran Neighborhood Organization
1996	Community Organizer, City Parents United/ Pillsbury Neighborhood Services
1996-7	Associate Editor, Lavender Magazine

SERVICE

2015	Planning committee, “NGOographies” conference
2014	Review panel, NSF Program on International Research and Education, NIU
2014	Chair, APLA student paper prize committee
2014 – present	Chair, Lambi Fund of Haiti
2013 – present	Co-editor, <i>Catastrophes in Context: a Series of Engaged Social Science on Disasters</i> , Berghahn Books
2013 – present	Curriculum committee, Anthropology, NIU
2013-14	Guest Curator, “Fragments: Haiti Four Years after the Earthquake” exhibit, NIU Anthropology Museum
2013 – present	Curriculum committee, NGOLD, NIU
2013	Planning committee, “the Future of NGO Studies”
2013	APLA student paper prize committee
2012-13	Sociology/NGOLD Search Committee, NIU
2012 – present	Board member, Lambi Fund of Haiti
2012	Member, Faculty Senate, York College
2011-12	Co-Chair, Haitian Studies Association host committee
2011-12	Provost Lecture Series committee, York College
2011	Board member, Honor and Respect Foundation
2013 – present	Chair, Graduate Thesis Committees, outside NIU – Djems Olivier, Ph. D (Geography, Université Paris 8 – co-chair)
2013 – present	Member, Graduate Thesis Committees, NIU – Tiffany Arnold, Tamunotonye Barango, Robert Bulanda, Rachel Drochter, Andres Florez (Geography), Colleen Gray, Mary Petrzilka, Alexxandra Salazar, Jesteen Schaez, Eric Sterling, Anthonie Tumpag, Jackie Whelan
2010 – present	Member, Graduate Thesis Committees, outside NIU – Margaret Alexandre, Ph.D (City University of New York); Scott Freeman, Ph.D (Columbia University); Fanel Merville, EdD (Northeastern University); Deepa Panchang, MA (Harvard University); Andrea Steinke, Ph.D (Freie Universität Berlin); Jenn Vansteenkiste, Ph.D (University of Guelph)
2010-12	CUNY Haiti Initiative
2010-13	Chair, Human Rights and Social Justice Committee, Society for Applied Anthropology
2010-12	Honors’ Advisory Council, York College

2009-12 Coordinator, African American Resource Center, York College
2009-12 Coordinator, African American Studies, York College
2009-10 Search committee member, Anthropology / African American Studies, York College
2009 – present Advisory board, My Country Haiti Project, Thimbleberry Press
2009-11 Department Captain, CUNY Campaign
2009 Convener, Caribbean Studies exploratory committee, York College
2008-12 Member, African American Resource Center advisory board, York College
2007 – present Manuscript reviewer: *American Anthropologist*, *Anthropology of Work Review*, *British Journal of Sociology*, Cornell University Press, *Disasters, Health and Place*, *Human Organization*, *Journal of Haitian Studies*, *Journal of Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology*, *Political and Legal Anthropology Review*, *Review of International Political Economy*, Routledge, Stanford University Press, *Transforming Anthropology*, Vanderbilt University Press
2007 Member, voices for Global Justice collective, KCSB (community radio station)
2006-13 Human Rights and Social Justice Committee, Society for Applied Anthropology
2006-7 PUEBLO Isla Vista organizing team (member of PUEBLO since 2001)
2006 Reviewer/ editorial consultant for Culture Grams, ProQuest
2006 Sociocultural hire search committee, Department of Anthropology, UCSB
2006 – present Advisory board, the Haiti Connection / Koneksyon Ayiti
2005 – present Board member, For My People Productions
2005 – present Course guest lectures: UCSB, American University, Simmons College, CSU-Los Angeles, St. Ambrose University, SUNY-New Paltz, UM-Morris, York College, Fairfield University, CUNY Graduate Center, Bowdoin College, Colorado State University-Pueblo, CSU-Long Beach, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, NIU, Indiana University/ Purdue University at Indianapolis
2003-4 Member, voices for Global Justice collective, KCSB
2002-3 Co-chair, Anthropology Graduate Student Association, UCSB
2002-3 Graduate student representative, Faculty Senate, UCSB
2001-3 Co-Facilitator, Bi-Centric, Women’s Center, UCSB
2001-2 Lead Teaching Assistant, Department of Anthropology, UCSB
2001-2 Graduate Student Association constitution committee, UCSB
2000-2 Departmental Representative, Graduate Student Association, UCSB
1998-9 Treasurer, West Bank Community Coalition, Minneapolis, MN
1997-9 Board member, West Bank Community Coalition

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Anthropological Association
 Association for Political and Legal Anthropology
 Interest Group on NGOs and Nonprofits
 Society for Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology
 Society for Urban, National, and Transnational/Global Anthropology
Caribbean Studies Association
Haitian Studies Association
Society for Applied Anthropology