

CURRICULUM VITAE

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DEGREES:

A.B. 1969: Univ. of California, Berkeley
M.A. 1971: The University of Chicago
Ph.D. 1974: The University of Chicago

SPECIALIZATION: Cultural Anthropology

Theoretical Interests:

- a. Symbolic anthropology
- b. Kinship and social organization
- c. Political development and socio-cultural change
- d. Cultural politics and invention of tradition
- e. Indigenous voyaging and navigation
- f. Medical anthropology
- g. Oral traditions

Ethnographic Areas:

- a. Oceania
- b. Native North America
- c. American culture

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

1974: Roosevelt University; temporary instructor
1974-1980: Kent State University; assistant professor
1980-1986: Kent State University; associate professor
1986-present: Kent State University; professor
1991: East-West Center; research fellow
2000: Solomon Islands Development Trust; research associate
2006: Consultant to British Broadcasting Corporation
2013: Consultant to Sedna Foundation and Secretariat for UN Convention on Biodiversity

COURSES TAUGHT:

Introduction to General Anthropology
Introduction to Cultural Anthropology
University Orientation
Introduction to Anthropological Theory
Introduction to American Studies
History of Anthropological Theory (graduate & undergraduate)
Socio-cultural Change (graduate & undergraduate)
Pacific Islands Ethnography (graduate & undergraduate)
Advanced Seminar on American Culture (graduate & undergraduate)
The Work of Margaret Mead (graduate & undergraduate)
Problems in Cultural Anthropology (graduate culture theory “core” course)
Marxist Anthropology (graduate & undergraduate)
Medical Anthropology (graduate & undergraduate)
Sex and Adolescence in Samoa: The “Mead-Freeman Debate” (graduate & undergraduate)
Kinship and Social Organization (graduate & undergraduate)
Politics of Culture (graduate and undergraduate seminar)
Religion: A Search for Meaning (graduate & undergraduate)
Interdisciplinary Seminar on Race and Racism in America (graduate and undergraduate)

MASTER'S THESES DIRECTED:

- Mark Artzner.** The structural analysis of myth in the New Guinea Highlands. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1975.
- Ronni Stearns.** Work role identity and work role performance: A case study. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1978.
- Martin Bramlett.** The American muskrat and his works: A Brady Lake ethnography. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1979.
- Martha Pigg.** A definition of feud and its relevance to the Cold War period 1946-1989. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1990.
- Thomas Block.** Millennial thought in liberation theology. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1990.
- Belita Leal.** Moral implications for interpretive anthropology on the influx of Central American refugees to the U.S. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1991.
- Andrew M. Cohen.** Piedmont style blues: A tradition of American griots. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1994.
- Elizabeth Burns.** Cultural identity and ethnic boundary maintenance: The Old Order Amish. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1996.
- Alex Pole.** West meets east: historic change in the Hare Krishna Movement in India and the United States. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1996.
- Todd A. Rickel.** Commonwealth of Independent States: A study of education students from some socialist countries in transition. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1996.
- Tazim Jaffer.** The marginalization of Makonde art in the USA. Master of Liberal Studies, Kent State University. 1997. (Co-chaired with Fred Smith, Department of Art History.)
- Sean E. Mahan.** Through it they shall walk the Good Red Road: Symbolism and syncretism in Lakota lifestyle as displayed in the Sun Dance. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1997.
- John N. Baba.** Black Elk's relationship to Christianity. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1998.
- M. Kathleen Strefeler.** Changes in Akamba domestic housing during the 20th century. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1999.
- Yan-Mei Xu.** Chinese women sojourners in the West: A qualitative study of four mainland Chinese wives in America. Dept. of Anthropology, Kent State University. 2002.
- Grace Fuller.** The sociobiology debate and evolution as an American cultural construct. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 2005.
- Melissa Wood.** Politics of representation/wars of position: The case of Asian America. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 2005.
- Joy St. James.** History of slavery, future of hope: Somali Bantu refugees in Cleveland, OH. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 2006.
- Ridgely Ann Dunn.** Challenging appropriation: Modern *moko* and western subculture. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 2011.
- Cathleen Conboy Pyrek.** The Vaeakau-Taumako wind compass: A cognitive construction for navigation in the Pacific. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 2011.
- Sarah K. Shaw.** Living in the liminal: A study of homelessness in Cleveland, Ohio. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 2011.
- Linsey Meldrim.** Positive Feedback Loops and Religious Insularity: A Case Study of the Israelite House of David. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 2012.
- Donna Miller.** Non-thesis option, completed via comprehensive exam. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 2013.
- Matthew Aaron Buttacavoli.** An Ethnographic Study of Translators and Technology. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 2014.
- Ghassan B. Rafeedie.** Palestinian Cultural Experiences in the United States. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 2014.

HONORS THESES DIRECTED:

- Keith Peterson.** Hallucinogenic drugs in cross-cultural perspective. 1992.
- Rebecca Grace Stoneman.** Sacred space; sacred word: a study of religious pluralism among the Navajo. 1995.
- Florencia Lorena Pezzutti.** Same-sex marriages in America: an anthropological study of kinship. 2005
- Mary-Bridget McMurtrie.** The transmission of gender in American culture through popular magazines. 2006.
- Remona Dowell.** Culture, gender, and agency: What Anthropology of the Arab world offers conflict management. 2013.

SERVICE ON Ph.D. DISSERTATION COMMITTEES:

- Michael D White.** An historical materialist analysis of Mary Shelly's *Frankenstein*. Union Graduate School. 1976.
- Gary Hawk.** Use of the MMPI in a forensic setting. Department of Psychology, Kent State University. 1980.
- Jarenchai Chonpairot.** Lam Khon Sawan: a vocal genre of southern Laos. Department of Music, Kent State University. 1990.
- Denise Ann Seachrist.** Snow Hill and the German Seventh-Day Baptists: Heirs to the musical traditions of Conrad Beissel's Ephrata Cloister. School of Music, Kent State U. Moderator. 1993.
- Chandra S. Balachandran.** The application of expert systems technology to combat land degradation. Department of Geography, Kent State University. Moderator. 1993.
- Mitchell E. Berman.** The effects of triazolam (halcion) and threat of harm on human aggression. Department of Psychology, Kent State University. Moderator. 1994.
- Beshakeh Stephen Fonkeng.** Mechanisms of DNA cleavage by hypervalent chromium complexes. Department of Chemistry, Kent State University. Moderator. 1996.
- Yi Li Zhou.** Age dependent learning and memory deficits of transgenic mice expressing the human mid-sized neurofilament gene: A mouse model of Alzheimer's Disease. Department of Psychology. 1997.
- Lu Guang.** Modern revolutionary Beijing Opera: context, contents, and conflicts. Department of Music, Kent State University. 1997
- Cynthia Ha.** Ascertaining the relationship of acculturation and the perception of psychological stress, self-concept, and locus of control among Vietnamese refugees and immigrants in the United States of America. College of Education, Kent State University. 1999
- Yuichi Ono.** Design and adoption of household tornado shelters to mitigate the tornado hazard in Bangladesh. Department of Geography, Kent State University. Moderator. 2001.
- Violet A. Dutcher.** Working out our salvation: an ethnographic study of two literacy practices of Anabaptist women. Department of English, Kent State University. 2002.
- Sutapa Chattopadhyay.** Involuntary migration and the mechanisms of rehabilitation: the discourse of development in Sardar Sarovar, India. Department of Geography, Kent State University. 2006.
- Neil R. Coulter.** Music shift: evaluating the vitality and viability of music styles among the Alamlak of Papua New Guinea. Moderator and Graduate Faculty Representative. School of Music. 2007.
- Amy Unruh.** Louis Moreau Gottschalk: The Role of Early Exposure to African-Derived Musics in Shaping an American Musical Pioneer from New Orleans. School of Music, Kent State Univ. 2009.
- Brenda Faverty.** Honor and gender in the antebellum South. Department of History, Kent State University. 2011.
- Edmund Asare.** An ethnographic study of the use of translation tools in a translation agency: Implications for translational tool design. Institute for Applied Linguistics, Department of Modern and Classical Languages. Kent State University. 2011.
- Matthew Todd Phillips.** The Millennium and the Madhouse: Institution and Intervention in Woodrow Wilson's Progressive Statecraft. Department of History, Kent State University. 2011.

- Jennifer Johnstone.** Reinterpreting Welshness: Songs and Choral Membership in Cultural Identity. School of Music, Kent State University. 2012.
- Yeonmin Kim.** Postnationalism, Hybridity, and Utopia in Paul Durcan's Poetry: Toward an Irish Minoritarian Literature. Department of English, Kent State University. 2013
- Ming-yen Lee.** An Analysis of the Three Modern Chinese Orchestras in Greater China in the Context of Cultural Interaction across Greater China. School of Music, Kent State University. 2014.

SERVICE ON MA THESIS COMMITTEES:

- Keith G. Ryder.** The Campbell and Boblett Mound Groups: Late Hopewell manifestations in the Lower Mad River Valley of Southwestern Ohio. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1981.
- Dennis P. Griffin.** Differential production technologies: A comparison of the lithic flakes from two related Fort Ancient Sites in Ohio. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1981.
- Robert Tague.** Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1983.
- Robert Shanafelt.** The Amish in Ohio. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1985.
- Robyn G. Elliott.** The effects of colonialism and subsequent government policies on Australian Aborigines and the Seneca and Delaware Indians of the USA. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1989.
- David Perusek.** Medicine and culture in American: From artifact to Weltenschaung. Master of Liberal Studies, Kent State University. 1989.
- Dana E. Coury.** Origins and development of agriculture in Ohio prehistory. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1992.
- Mark Scheve.** The transition from as to celt in the Middle Ohio Valley: a consideration of reliability and efficiency. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1995.
- Ronald Fosbrink.** A Diachronic study of professional trends in cultural anthropology textbooks from 1945-present. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1997.
- Jennifer Lynne Vayo.** Honor, debt and obligation in Japanese culture. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 1999.
- Stephanie Hall.** Member of examination committee for non-thesis option. Department of Anthropology, Kent State University. 2000.
- Kevin Nolan.** The Hopewell blade industry and craft specialization: A comparative analysis. Dept. of Anthropology, Kent State University. 2005.
- James Lewis.** The impacts of religion and the peacebuilding roles of chaplains in current operations in Iraq. Master of Liberal Studies, Kent State University. 2009.
- Donald Ray Garrett.** The Asabano People of Papua New Guinea and their Medical System. Department of Anthropology, Trent University (Peterboro, Ontario). External examiner. 2009.
- Katie Harding.** Aging Death and Remembrance—A Case Study from Melanesia. Institute for Applied Linguistics, Department of Modern and Classical Languages. Kent State University. 2014.

SERVICE ON HONORS THESIS COMMITTEES:

- Robert Shanafelt.** Anthropological explanations for "Arctic Hysteria." 1983.
- Carolyn Y. Hooper.** The role of affect in stereotyping and prejudice. 1992.
- Steven M. Sallot.** The role of the Blomberg-Fritsch crisis in the *Gleichschaltung* of the German army. 1994.
- Eric G. Metz.** Are the tops of figures more salient than the bottoms? 1996.
- Erin Kathleen Osborne.** Understanding Caesar's Gallic ethnography: a contextual approach to proto-history. 2001.
- Tiffany R. Kurtz.** Professional caregivers' attitudes and perspectives on spiritual care in acute-care settings. 2004.

FIELD RESEARCH:

- June-September 1970: Navajo Indian Reservation (N.I.H. grant).
January 1972-May 1973: Anuta, Solomon Islands (N.I.H. grant).
June 1978-1982: Brady Lake, Ohio (sponsored: Kent State University Research Council and Department of Anthropology).
August 1983-January 1984: Solomon Islands Independence and Culture Change in Anuta (Kent State Research Council, paid research leave).
January-June 1984: National Independence and Culture Change; Bougainville Island and Nukumanu Atoll, Papua New Guinea (K.S.U. sabbatical leave).
May-August 1988: Oral Traditions on a Polynesian Outlier (Kent State Research Council, summer research stipend).
July 1993-August 1993: Oral Traditions on a Polynesian Outlier (continuation of 1988 study).
July-November 2000: Competing Development Strategies on a Polynesian Outlier (Kent State Research Council, summer research stipend and KSU sabbatical leave).
August-November 2007: Reviving and Testing Indigenous Navigation on Taumako, Part I (funded by US National Science Foundation and academic year research leave sponsored by Kent State Research Council).
June-December 2008: Reviving and Testing Indigenous Navigation on Taumako, Part II (funded by US National Science Foundation and academic year research leave sponsored by Kent State Research Council).
May-July 2012: Inter-island Voyaging and Navigation in Tokelau (funded by Kent State University College of Arts and Sciences).
June-July 2013: Sustainability and Biodiversity on Anuta, Solomon Islands (in collaboration with 1000 Days for the Planet, a project supported by the Sedna Foundation, the UN Secretariat for the Convention of Biodiversity, and the government of Quebec).

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE:

- 2009-14: Central States Anthropological Society representative to American Anthropological Association's Section Assembly.
2008-2014: Member, Faculty Advisory Committee, Kent State Univ. Dept. of Anthropology.
2010-14: Coordinator, Studies in Globalization, Identity, & Space: Interdisciplinary Minor involving departments of Anthropology, Geography, and Pan African Studies. Kent State University.
2014: Departmental representative, College Curriculum Committee. Arts & Sciences, Kent State U.
2013-14: Member, Governing Council, American Association of University Professors. Kent chapter.
2012-14: Faculty Advisor, Anthropology Student Association. Kent State University.
2012-14: Faculty Advisor, Students for Justice in Palestine. Kent State University.
2012-14: Member, Bicycle Advisory Committee. Kent State University.
2011-14: Member, Graduate Division, Educational Policies Council. Kent State University.
2012-13: American Anthropological Association Task Force on Section and Interest Group Relations.
2012-13: Member, Academic Strategic Planning Committee. Kent State University.
2011-12: Member, Globalization Task Force. Kent State University.
2010-14: Member, American Anthropological Association Writers Circle (at request of AAA president Virginia Dominguez)
2010: Acting Chair, Department of Anthropology (5/19-6/1). Kent State University.
2010: Member, Search Committee for Geography Department Chair
2009-10: Member, African Studies Program Advisory Committee
2009: External Evaluator for University of Tennessee at Knoxville's Department of Anthropology.

2008-12: Executive Board, Central States Anthropological Society.
 2008: President's Commission on Inclusion. Kent State University.
 2008: Chair, Faculty Senate Nominating Committee. Kent State University.
 2007: Member: Kent State Democracy Symposium Organizing Committee.
 2007: Provost's Promotions Advisory Board. Kent State University.
 2007: Faculty Senate Nominating Committee. Kent State University.
 2006-07: Past Chair & Executive Board Member, Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania.
 2005-07: Faculty Senate By-laws Review Commission. Kent State University.
 2005-06: Chair, Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania.
 2005-06: Immediate Past-President & Executive Board Member, Central States Anthropological Soc.
 2005-06: Member, Program Review Committee: Department of Geography. Kent State University.
 2004-05: President, Central States Anthropological Society.
 2005-09: Corresponding Editor for Pacific Region, *AnthroGlobe Online Journal*.
 2003-07: Member, Board of Directors, Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania.
 2003-04: First Vice President and Program Chair, Central States Anthropological Society.
 2003: Member, Search Committee for Director of Affirmative Action. Kent State University.
 2003: Member, Faculty Senate Nominating Committee. Kent State University.
 2002-03: Second Vice President, Central States Anthropological Society.
 2002-03: University Priorities and Budget Advisory Committee. Kent State University.
 2002-03: Member, Board of Ohio Chapter, Amigos de las Americas.
 2002-03: Member, Jewish Studies Program Advisory Board. Kent State University.
 2002: Nominated by Exec. Board of Amer. Anth. Assoc. as candidate for Ethics Comm. (2003-2006).
 2001-02: Faculty Senate By-laws Review Commission. Kent State University.
 2001: Faculty Club Planning Advisory Committee. Kent State University.
 2000-01: Member, Post-Secondary Enrollment Option Recommendations Committee. Kent State U.
 2000-01: University Committee on Undergraduate Retention. Kent State University.
 2000: Chair, Conference Planning Committee, First Annual Diversity Conference. Kent State University. February 3-4, 2000.
 2000: Member, Faculty Senate Nominating Committee. Kent State University.
 2000: Member, Distinguished Scholar Awards Committee.
 1999-03: Program Chair, Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania.
 1999-02: Member, Institutional Diversity Advisory Council, Kent State University.
 1999-00: Elected to 5-Member Executive Committee of Ohio Faculty Council.
 1999-00: Vice President, Keel Haulers Paddling Club.
 1999: Chair, Faculty Relations Comm., Institutional Diversity Advisory Council, Kent State U.
 1999: Member, Distinguished Scholar Awards Committee.
 1999: Chair, Faculty Senate Nominating Committee. Kent State University.
 1998-00: Elected Representative from Kent State University to statewide Ohio Faculty Council.
 1998-99: Elected to 5-Member Executive Committee of Ohio Faculty Council.
 1998-99: Member, Program Review Committee, Kent State University School of Music.
 1998-99: Secretary, Keel Haulers Paddling Club.
 1997-99: Member, Kent State University Cultural Self-Study Committee.
 1997-98: Chair, Faculty Senate, Kent State University.
 1997-98: President, Kent Research Society.
 1997-98: Member, Educational Policies Council, Kent State University.
 1997-98: Chair, Committee on Administrative Officers, Kent State University.
 1997-98: Member, University Priorities and Budget Advisory Committee.

1997-98: Member, Committee on Committees, Kent State University Faculty Senate.
 1997: Provost's Promotions Advisory Board, Kent State University.
 1996-97: Departmental Liaison to University-wide Undergrad Retention Comm, Kent State University.
 1996-97: Vice-President, Kent Research Group.
 1996-97: Faculty Advisor, Kent State University Anthropology Club.
 1996-97: College Curriculum Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, Kent State University.
 1995-96: Vice-Chair, Kent State University Faculty Senate.
 1995-96: Member, Search Committee for Dean of Arts and Sciences, Kent State University.
 1995-96: Member, Search Committee, Department of Anthropology, Kent State University.
 1995-96: Chair, Committee on Committees, Kent State University Faculty Senate.
 1995-96: Member, Committee on Administrative Officers, Kent State University Faculty Senate.
 1994-96: PEW Contemporary University Issues Forum Organizing Committee. PEW Charitable Trusts and Kent State University.
 1995: Participant: American Council on Education/W. K. Kellogg Project on Leadership and Institutional Transformation, Kent State University.
 1995: Provost's Promotions Advisory Board, Kent State University.
 1995: Member, College of Arts and Sciences Teaching Development Awards Selection Panel, Kent State University.
 1994-98: Editor, *CSAS Bulletin* (semi-annual newsletter of the Central States Anthropological Soc.).
 1994-98: Ex-officio Member: Executive Committee, Central States Anthropological Society.
 1994-96: Member, Kent State University Educational Policies Council sub-committee on Diversity in the Curriculum.
 1994-95: Member, Editorial Advisory Board for special issue of *Uhuru* magazine.
 1994-95: Alternate, Kent State University Educational Policies Council.
 1993-99: Member, PEW Campus Round Table. PEW Charitable Trusts and Kent State University.
 1993-94: Member, PEW Campus Round Table Project Planning Committee. PEW Charitable Trusts and Kent State University.
 1992-93: Vice-Chair, Kent State University Faculty Senate.
 1992-93: Chair, Committee on Committees, Kent State University Faculty Senate.
 1992-93: Committee on Administrative Officers, Kent State University Faculty Senate.
 1992-93: Member, University-wide Diversity Planning Committee, Kent State University.
 1992-93: Chair, Curriculum Subcommittee, University-wide Diversity Planning Comm., Kent State U.
 1992: Kent State University Representative to Statewide Faculty Advisory Committee to the Chancellor and Ohio Board of Regents.
 1991-96: Member, Dean's Advisory Committee, Kent State University College of Arts and Sciences.
 1991-96: Chair, Faculty Advisory Committee, Kent State University Department of Anthropology.
 1991-94: At-Large Member, Executive Committee, Kent State University Faculty Senate.
 1991-92: Alternate, Kent State University Educational Policies Council.
 1990-94: Member, Kent State University Honors College Policy Council.
 1990-93: Member, Editorial Board, Kent State University Press.
 1990-91: Member, Kent State University Research Council.
 1988-89: Chair, Kent State University Faculty Senate Review Committee for Merit Pay.
 1987-91: Editor, *ASAO Newsletter* (quarterly newsletter of the Assoc. for Social Anth. in Oceania).
 1987-89: At-Large Member, Executive Committee, Kent State University Faculty Senate.
 1987-88: Secretary to Kent State University Faculty Senate.
 1986-04, 2005-14: Member, Kent State University Faculty Senate.
 1986-89: Member, Study Commission on Models of University Governance.
 1983-84: Member, Undergraduate Program Internal Review Committee, Department of Pan-African Studies, Kent State University.
 1982-87: Member, Assoc. for Social Anth. in Oceania (ASAO) Monograph Series Editorial Board.
 1980-81: Acting Coordinator, American Studies Program, Kent State University.
 1980: Member, Graduate Program Internal Review Comm., Dept. of Consumer Studies, Kent State U.
 1979-80: Dept. delegate to Executive Council of United Faculty Professional Assoc., Kent State U.
 1976-80: Member, Human Subjects Review Board, Dept of Soc. & Anth., Kent State University.

REVIEWER FOR PUBLISHERS AND GRANTING AGENCIES:

American Anthropologist
American Ethnologist
Current Anthropology
Ethos (Journal of the Society for Psychological Anthropology)
Anthropology and Humanism
Journal of the Polynesian Society
Pacific Studies
Health: An Interdisciplinary Journal for the Social Study of Health, Illness, and Medicine
The Contemporary Pacific
Anthropological Forum
Singapore Journal of Tropical Geography
Harvard University Press
University of Illinois Press
Kent State University Press
Northern Illinois University Press
Thomas Jefferson University Press
ASAO Monograph Series
McGraw-Hill
Allyn and Bacon
Wadsworth Publishers
Crawford Publishing
Pearson Publishing
University of Hawai'i Center for Pacific Islands Studies Monograph Series
National Endowment for the Humanities
Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research.
Kent State University Research Council
Central States Anthropological Society Student Prize Competition
Rolex Awards

GRANTS, HONORS, AND AWARDS:

- 2014 **Kent State University Division of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion.** Diversity Trailblazer Award nominee.
- 2013 **Fulbright Foundation.** Application for Fulbright International Scholarship to spend fall semester 2014 in the Department of Ethnology, Charles University, Prague. Pending.
- 2013 Travel to Anuta, Solomon Islands, to assist in making documentary film on biodiversity and culture change. **Sedna Foundation**, in collaboration with the **UN Secretariat for the Convention on Biodiversity**. Funded ~\$5,000.
- 2012 Research and travel grant for field study of indigenous navigation and voyaging in Tokelau, Central Pacific. **Kent State University College of Arts and Sciences**. Funded: \$4,000.
- 2011 Travel Grant for participation in Section Assembly of the American Anthropological Association. Montreal, CANADA. November 16-20. **Central States Anthropological Society**. Funded: \$250.
- 2011 **Baker-Nord Center for the Humanities** stipend for participation in annual seminar on "Globalism and its Origins" at Case Western Reserve University. Funded: \$2,500.
- 2007-09 Principal Investigator: "Reviving and Testing Indigenous Navigation on Taumako." **National Science Foundation Proposal #0719673**. Co-Principal Investigators: B. Finney and M. George. Funded: \$99,877.

- 2007 Fall semester paid research leave for field study of indigenous navigation on Taumako, Solomon Islands. **Kent State University Research Council.**
- 2007 Travel Grant to participate in Conference on Sustainable Livelihoods and Resource Management in Small Islands. **Knud Højgaards Fond and Danish Social Science Research Council.** August 22-23. Copenhagen, DK. Approx: US\$3,000.
- 2005 Principal Investigator: "Reviving and Testing Indigenous Navigation on Taumako." Proposal to **National Science Foundation.** Co-Principal Investigators: B. Finney and M. George. Amount requested: \$313,390. Judged "fundable" but not funded due to budgetary constraints.
- 2004 Principal Investigator: "Polynesian Voyaging—A Maritime Ethnography of Taumako, Solomon Islands." Proposal to **National Science Foundation.** Co-Principal Investigators: B. Finney and M. George. Amount requested: \$356,752. Declined.
- 2003 Distinguished Scholar Award Finalist. **Kent State University.**
- 2001 **Pacific Island Scholars Fund:** Fee waiver for Takaronga Kuautonga to participate in session on Current Research among the Polynesian Outliers at the 2002 annual meeting of the Assoc. for Social Anth. in Oceania. Approx: \$100.
- 2000 **Pacific Island Scholars Fund:** Fee waiver for Takaronga Kuautonga of the Vanuatu Cultural Centre to participate in exploratory session on The State of Research among the Polynesian Outliers, organized by Richard Feinberg and Janet Dixon Keller at the 2001 annual meeting of the Assoc. for Social Anth. in Oceania. Approx: \$100.
- 2000 Summer Research Award: **Kent State University Research Council.** \$6,500.
- 2000 Travel Grant to conduct field research in Solomon Island: **Kent State University Research Council.** \$2700.
- 1998 Travel Award to facilitate workshop on the teaching of sociocultural change at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. **Kent State University Teaching Council.** \$300.
- 1997 Teaching Development Award from **Kent State University Teaching Council** for development of interdisciplinary course on Race in America, involving Departments of Anthropology, English, Geography, History, and Political Science. \$1733.25.
- 1994 Elected to membership in **Sigma Xi Science Honorary.**
- 1993 Elected to membership in **Kent Research Society.**
- 1993 Selected for membership in **Kent State University PEW Campus Round Table.** PEW Charitable Trusts and Kent State University.
- 1991 Politics of Culture and Identity: Pacific Islands Perspectives. **National Endowment for the Humanities** Summer Seminar, hosted by East-West Center, Institute of Culture and Communication. June 10-August 2, 1991. \$3700 Stipend.
- 1991 Grant in support of "Leadership and Change: International Conference in Honor of Sir Raymond Firth on the Occasion of his Ninetieth Birthday." December 19-21, 1991: London, England. **Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research.** \$5500.
- 1991 Grant in support of "Leadership and Change: International Conference in Honor of Sir Raymond Firth on the Occasion of his Ninetieth Birthday." December 19-21, 1991: London, England. **Kent State University Research Council.** \$2250.
- 1988 Summer Research Award: "Oral Traditions of a Polynesian Outlier: Anuta, Solomon Islands." **Kent State Research Council.** \$5000.
- 1988 Travel Grant: **American Council of Learned Societies.** Toward participation in Interdisciplinary Conference on Environment and Religion. Eichstatt, West Germany. May 1988. \$500.
- 1983-84 Paid research leave for field study of national independence and culture change on outer islands in the southwestern Pacific. **Kent State University Research Council.**
- 1982 Travel grant, auspices of Institute for Polynesian Studies to present paper to Conference on Evolving Political Cultures in the Pacific Islands. February 4-6, 1982, in Lā'ie, Hawai'i. \$400.

- 1981-2007 Listed repeatedly in *Who's Who in America*, *Who's Who in the World*, *Who's Who in the Midwest*, *Who's Who in Oceania*, *Men of Achievement*, *Reference Encyclopedia of the American Indian*, *Most Admired Man and Women of the Year*, *Contemporary Authors*, *International Authors and Writers Who's Who*, and several other bibliographical directories.
- 1978 **U.S. National Institutes of Health** subvention to assist in publication of *Anuta: Social Structure of a Polynesian Island*, under joint imprint of the National Museum of Denmark and the Institute for Polynesian Studies (Brigham Young University). \$2000.
- 1970-74 **U.S. National Institutes of Mental Health Graduate Student Traineeship** supporting tuition, stipend, and field research as graduate student at the University of Chicago.
- 1969 University of California Honor Student Society.
- 1964 New York State Regents Scholarship.

PUBLICATIONS

A. BOOKS, MONOGRAPHS, AND SPECIAL ISSUES OF JOURNALS

- 1977 *The Anutan Language Reconsidered: Lexicon and Grammar of a Polynesian Outlier*. Two Volumes. HRAFlex Books. New Haven: Human Relations Area Files Press.
- 1979 *Social Change in a Navajo Community*. HRAFlex Books. New Haven: Human Relations Area Files Press.
- 1979 *Anutan Concepts of Disease: A Polynesian Study*, with foreword by D. Carleton Gajdusek, M.D. IPS Monograph Number 3. Lā'ie, Hawai'i: Institute for Polynesian Studies.
- 1980 *Tempest in a Tea House: American Attitudes Toward Breast-Feeding*, edited by Richard Feinberg. Kent, Ohio: Kent Popular Press.
- 1981 *Anuta: Social Structure of a Polynesian Island*, with foreword by Sir Raymond Firth. Lā'ie and Copenhagen: Institute for Polynesian Studies and the National Museum of Denmark.
- 1983 *Anuta: Social Structure of a Polynesian Island*. Second Printing.
- 1988 *Polynesian Seafaring and Navigation: Ocean Travel in Anutan Culture and Society*, with foreword by Ben R. Finney. Kent, Ohio: Kent State University Press.
- 1991 *ASAO Bibliography: Publications Resulting from Sessions at Annual Meetings of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania*, compiled and edited by Richard Feinberg and Susan Win. Kent, OH: Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. (Updated by Lynette Furuhashi and Karen Peacock, and reprinted in 1996.)
- 1995 *Politics of Culture in the Pacific Islands*, edited by Richard Feinberg and Laura Zimmer-Tamakoshi. *Ethnology* 34(2-3):89-209. Special issue.
- 1995 *Seafaring in the Contemporary Pacific Islands: Studies in Continuity and Change*, edited by Richard Feinberg. DeKalb, IL: Northern Illinois University Press.
- 1996 *Leadership and Change in the Western Pacific: Essays in Honor of Sir Raymond Firth*, edited by Richard Feinberg and Karen Ann Watson-Gegeo. London School of Economics Monographs on Social Anthropology, Number 66. London: Athlone.
- 1998 *Oral Traditions of Anuta: A Polynesian Outlier in the Solomon Islands*. Oxford Studies in Anthropological Linguistics, Volume 15. New York and Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 2001 *The Cultural Analysis of Kinship: The Legacy of David M. Schneider*, edited by Richard Feinberg and Martin Ottenheimer. Urbana, IL: University of Illinois Press.
- 2002 *Oceania: An Introduction to the Cultures and Identities of Pacific Islanders*, by Andrew J. Strathern, Pamela Stewart, Laurence M. Carucci, Lin Poyer, Richard Feinberg, and Cluny Macpherson. Durham, NC: Carolina Academic Press.
- 2003 *Polynesian Seafaring and Navigation: Ocean Travel in Anutan Culture and Society*. Kent, Ohio: Kent State University Press. Second (paperback) edition.
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- 1993 *Tikopia Songs: Poetic and Musical Art of a Polynesian People of the Solomon Islands* by Raymond Firth. *Pacific Affairs* 66(1):152-153.
- 1993 *Traditional Fishing in the Torres Strait Islands* by R. E. Johannes and J. W. McFarlane. *Pacific Affairs* 66(3):465-466.
- 1994 *Prehistoric Exploration and Colonisation of the Pacific* by Geoffrey Irwin. *Journal of the Polynesian Society* 103(1):96-97.
- 1994 *Clowning as Critical Practice: Performance Humor in the South Pacific*, edited by William Mitchell. *Pacific Studies* 17(2):157-160.
- 1994 *Custom and Confrontation: The Kwaio Struggle for Cultural Autonomy* by Roger M. Keesing. *Pacific Affairs* 67(1):478-479.
- 1995 *The Ngatik Massacre: History and Identity on a Micronesian Atoll* by Lin Poyer. *Pacific Affairs* 68(2):307-308.
- 1995 *More than a Living: Fishing and the Social Order on a Polynesian Atoll* by Michael Lieber. *Pacific Affairs* 68(3):469-470.
- 1998 *Tokelau: A Historical Ethnography* by Judith Huntsman and Antony Hooper. *The Contemporary Pacific* 10(2):473-475.
- 2001 Media review: *Heirs of Lata: A Renewal of Polynesian Voyaging*, and *Vaka Taumako: The First Voyage*. Vaka Taumako Project Archive and Research Center. *The Contemporary Pacific* 13(2):614-616.
- 2001 *Bugis Navigation* by Gene Ammarell. *American Anthropologist* 103(3):16-17.
- 2004 *Empowering the Past, Confronting the Future: The Duna People of Papua New Guinea* by Andrew Strathern and Pamela Stewart. New York: Palgrave Macmillan. Endorsement: back cover.
- 2005 *Sailing in the Wake of the Ancestors: Reviving Polynesian Voyaging* by Ben Finney. *The Contemporary Pacific* 17(1):232-235.
- 2006 *The character of kingship*, edited by Declan Quigley. *Anthropological Forum* 16(3):315-317.
- 2013 *Saltwater Sociality: A Melanesian Island Ethnography* by Katharina Schneider. *American Ethnologist* 40(2):417-418.
- 2014 *Nungon People of Uruwa: Drawings from Papua New Guinea* by Julie Hubeňáková and Martin Soukup. *Culturologia*. In press.

F. IN-HOUSE REPORTS

- 2013 Academic Strategic Plan. Co-authored section on “Engaging in our World Beyond our Campuses” with AnnMarie LeBlanc (subcommittee chair), Shawn Fitzgerald, Wanda Thomas, Stephen Minnick, and Susan Iverson.
- 2012 Report of Globalization Task Force to Kent State University president and provost. (With Mark James et al.)
- 2009 Anthropology departmental review, University of Tennessee at Knoxville. Report presented to the UTK provost and dean of Arts and Sciences. (With T. R. Kidder, D. L. Thompson, Thomas E. Burman, and Christine R. Boake.)
- 2006 Geography departmental review. Report presented to the dean of Research and Graduate Studies. (With Joseph Ortiz, Lothar Reichel, and David Riccio.)
- 2005 Philosophy of shared governance. Presentation to Faculty Senate Retreat. October 3, 2005. Kent State University.
- 1999 Shared Decision Making at Kent State University. Presentation to Faculty Senate Retreat. August 28, 1999.
- 1999 Kent State Univ. Cultural Self-Study Advisory Committee report and recommendations (With L. Andrews, S. Barnard, S. Booth, V. Brooks, L. Carter, K. Cushner, K. Davis, D. Dimitrov, C.

- DuBois, A. Edgell, S. Fugarino, T. Grove, E. Hall, D. Harris, A. Herrington, S. Kandel, D. Lyons, N. Midamba, L. Muir, T. Sosnowski, B. Turkoski, B. Waters, L. Welch, and R. Witsaman.)
- 1999 Kent State Univ. School of Music internal grad. program review. (With I. Gerling and F. Susi)
- 1998 The state of shared governance at Kent State University. Chair's address to Faculty Senate. April 27, 1998.
- 1997 Diversity, global and domestic: proposal for a diversity requirement at KSU. Chair's Remarks to Faculty Senate. Distributed July 10, 1997.
- 1993 The case for a core diversity curriculum. Discussion paper presented to Kent State University Faculty Senate on behalf of Diversity Follow-up Commission.
- 1993 Report of the University-wide Diversity Planning Committee, section on curricular concerns. (With D. Kadish, E. Crosby, S. Bhardwaj, T. Steuernagel, and M. Johnson)
- 1992 Statement by Faculty Senate Executive Committee to Ohio Board of Regents and State Legislature in response to the report of statewide Managing for the Future Task Force. (With K. Calkins, G. Glazer, and L. Walker)
- 1992 The debate on political correctness and its implications for Kent State University. Discussion paper presented to Kent State Faculty Senate.
- 1991 On broadening the concept of scholarship. Discussion paper presented to Kent State University Faculty Senate.
- 1989 Review Committee for Merit Pay. (With S. Bhardwaj, T. Chandler, B. Hall, V. Morofka, T. Sosnowski, R. Stadulis, and H. Williams)
- 1984 Kent State University internal undergraduate program review of Department of Pan-African Studies. (With B. Holly, F. Ekechi, and G. Knott)
- 1984 National independence and local autonomy: report to Kent State University Research Council on 1983-84 field project.
- 1980 Kent State University Department of Consumer Studies internal graduate program review. (With A. Graham, and F. Endres)

G. WORK IN PROGRESS

1. Conceptualizing 'Front' and 'Back': Frames of Reference and Taumako Representations of Space.
2. The Vaeakau-Taumako Wind Compass and "Navigational Toolkit" (with Cathleen Conboy Pyrek).
3. *Cultural and Social Change: An Anthropological Perspective.*
4. *History and Oral History in Polynesia.*
5. *Teoti: Autobiography of an Adopted Papua New Guinean.*

PRESENTATIONS:

- 1976 Supernatural sanctions and the social order on a Polynesian outlier: Anuta Island, B.S.I.P. Paper presented to a symposium entitled, "Sources of Conflict and Processes of Resolution" at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 26-9, in Charleston, SC.
- 1976 The role of the ethnographer in shaping attitudes toward anthropologists: a case in point. Paper presented to a working session entitled, "The Control and Utilization of Knowledge in Oceania" at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 26-9, in Charleston, SC.
- 1977 The significance of 'knowledge' on Anuta Island. Paper presented at a working session entitled, "Concepts of Knowledge in Oceania." March 2-6, in Monterey, CA.
- 1978 On 'love' and 'brotherhood' or the domain of 'sibling' in Anutan Culture. Paper presented at a symposium entitled, "The Meaning of Sibling in Oceania" at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 15-9, at Asilomar Conference Center, Pacific Grove, CA.

- 1978 The roots of 'knowledge' on a Polynesian outlier. Paper presented to a symposium entitled, "Knowledge in Oceania" at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 15-9, at Asilomar Conference Center, Pacific Grove, CA.
- 1979 Muskrats of Brady Lake: a case of American totemism. Paper presented to a symposium entitled, "Modern Utopian and Community Concepts" at the Ohio-Indiana/Midcontinent American Studies Association Joint Meeting. March 5-7, at New Harmony, IN.
- 1980 Anutan names. Paper presented to a working session entitled, "Naming in Oceania" at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 27-March 2, at Galveston, TX.
- 1980 Symbolic dimensions of breast-feeding in America. Paper presented to a symposium entitled, "The Position of Women in Contemporary America" at the Annual Joint Meeting of the American Culture Association and Popular Culture Association. April 19, in Detroit, MI.
- 1981 What's in a name? Personal identity and naming on Anuta. Paper presented to a symposium entitled, "Personal Names and Naming in Oceania" at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 25-March 1. San Diego, CA.
- 1982 Structural Dimensions of Sociopolitical Change in Anuta, S.I. Paper presented to a conference on Evolving Political Cultures in the Pacific Islands, sponsored by the Institute for Polynesian Studies, February 4-6. Lā'ie, HI.
- 1982 The significance of laughter in Oceania. Organized and chaired session for the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. March 3-7. Hilton Head, SC.
- 1983 Laughter in Oceania. Organized and chaired session for the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. March 9-13. 1983, New Harmony, IN.
- 1983 The significance of laughter on Anuta. Paper presented at a symposium entitled, "The Significance of Laughter in Oceania" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. March 9-13. New Harmony, IN.
- 1983 The meaning of laughter in the Pacific Islands. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 6-9. Cleveland, OH.
- 1984 Change and acculturation: Observations on Nukumanu culture history. Presented to North Solomons University Centre public forum. June 8. Arawa, Papua New Guinea.
- 1984 National integration and cultural autonomy for the Polynesian atolls. Presented to the University of Papua New Guinea's Department of Anthropology and Sociology. June 22. Port Moresby, Papua New Guinea.
- 1985 National independence, political integration, and local autonomy in Papua New Guinea. Presented to a symposium entitled, "World System and the Pacific Islands" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. March 6-10. Salem, MA.
- 1985 Illness as an index of social stress and acculturation. Presented to a session entitled, "The State of the Art in Medical Sociology and Medical Anthropology" at the joint meeting of the North Central Sociological Association and Central States Anthropological Society. April 24-27, Louisville, KY.
- 1985 Custom and development on Nukumanu Atoll. Presented to a session entitled, "Political Action and Idiom in the Context of Change" at the joint meeting of the American Ethnological Society and Canadian Ethnological Society. May 9-12. Toronto, CANADA.
- 1987 Hierarchy and egalitarianism: The logic of rank on two Polynesian Outliers. Paper presented to a session entitled "Beyond Hierarchy" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. March 4-8. Monterey, CA.
- 1987 Medical and spiritual healing on Nukumanu. Paper presented to a session entitled "Health in the Modern Pacific" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. March 4-8. Monterey, CA.
- 1987 Seamanship in the modern Pacific. Presented paper and organized and chaired session by same name at annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. March 4-8. Monterey, CA.
- 1987 Rank and equality on two Polynesian outliers. Paper presented to the Central States Anthropological Society. April 1987. Columbus, OH.
- 1987 Reflections on the logic of rank in Polynesia. Paper presented to annual meeting of the Ameri-

- can Anthropological Association. Chicago, IL.
- 1988 Medical pluralism and hierarchy of resort on Nukumanu atoll, Papua New Guinea. Paper presented to a symposium entitled "Medical Aspects of Modernization in Oceania" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. Savannah, GA.
- 1988 Commentary on New Age religion. Interview with Kevin Niedemeier for WCPN Cleveland (92.3 FM) and National Public Radio.
- 1988 Sociospatial symbolism and the logic of rank in Polynesia. Paper presented to an interdisciplinary symposium on Environment and Religion. May 1988. Eichstatt, WEST GERMANY.
- 1989 Solomon Islands tenth anniversary of independence: problems of national symbolism and national integration. Paper presented to a session entitled Art and Politics in Oceania at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 22-26. San Antonio, TX.
- 1989 New Guinea models on a Polynesian outlier? Paper presented to the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. November 15-December 19, 1989. Washington, DC.
- 1990 Nukumanu seamanship. Paper presented to a session entitled "Seamanship in Modern Oceania" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. March 21-25, 1990. Lihue, HI.
- 1991 Sanctity and power on Anuta: Polynesian chieftainship revisited. Paper prepared for presentation to a "Special Session in Honor of Sir Raymond Firth on the Occasion of his Ninetieth Birthday" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. March 27-30, 1991. Victoria, BRITISH COLUMBIA.
- 1991 Continuity and change in Nukumanu maritime technology and practice. Paper prepared for presentation to a formal symposium entitled "Continuity and Change in Modern Oceanic Seafaring" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. March 27-30, 1991. Victoria, BRITISH COLUMBIA.
- 1991 Christian Polynesians and pagan spirits: Anuta, Solomon Islands. Paper prepared for presentation to a session entitled "Spirits of the Pacific: Studies of Polynesian Spirits in Culture and Mind" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. March 27-30, 1991. Victoria, BRITISH COLUMBIA.
- 1991 Outer islanders and urban resettlement in the Solomon Islands: the case of Anutans on Guadalcanal. Paper prepared for a session entitled "Development of Urban Cultures in Oceania" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. March 27-30, 1991. Victoria, BRITISH COLUMBIA.
- 1992 Rationality and spirit belief on Anuta. Paper presented to a formal symposium entitled "Spirits of the Pacific" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 19-23, 1992. New Orleans, LA.
- 1992 Leadership in Oceania: some general considerations. Paper presented to a session entitled "Chiefs Today" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 19-23, 1992. New Orleans, LOUISIANA.
- 1992 Contested worlds: reflections on the politics of culture. Address to meeting of Ohio Anthrolink at Cuyahoga Community College. April 21, 1992. Cleveland, OH.
- 1992 Self-determination and the translation of cultures: is Marxist anthropology possible? Paper presented to a session entitled "Politics of Translation" at international conference on Rethinking Marxism. November 12-24, 1992. Amherst, MA.
- 1993 Merit pay in higher education? Paper presented to a panel entitled "The Role of Faculty Senates in University Leadership" at a national conference of American Association for Higher Education on Faculty Roles and Rewards. January 28-30, 1993. San Antonio, TX.
- 1993 Elements of leadership in Oceania. Paper presented to symposium entitled "Chiefs Today" at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. March 25-28, 1993. Kona, HI.
- 1993 Discussant for public lecture entitled "The Golden Word: Verbal Messages of Akan Gold Work" by Martha Ehrlich. At exhibition on Leadership Arts of West Africa, sponsored by the Kent State University School of Art Gallery. September 13, 1993.
- 1993 Politics of anthropology and politics of culture: implications for ethnomusicologists. Colloqui-

- um of the Center for the Study of World Musics: School of Music. October 19, 1993. Kent State University.
- 1993 Liberal education, anthropology, and the study of culture. Guest lecture to Master of Liberal Studies Program. Kent State University. October 20, 1993.
- 1993 Anthropology and its critics: politics of culture and the politics of anthropology in the Pacific Islands. Paper presented to a Society for Cultural Anthropology Invited Session entitled "The Politics of Culture in the Pacific" at the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. November 17-21, 1993. Washington, DC.
- 1993 Co-organizer (with Laura Zimmer-Tamakoshi) of Society for Cultural Anthropology Invited Session entitled "The Politics of Culture in the Pacific" at the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. November 17-21, 1993. Washington, DC.
- 1994 Family and fieldwork in the Solomon Islands. Paper presented to a session entitled "Fieldwork and Family in Oceania" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 9-13, 1994. San Diego, CA.
- 1994 Contemporary life in the Pacific Islands. Presentation to World Cultural Awareness Day. Revere High School. April 15, 1994. Richfield, OH.
- 1994 Development and men's lives on Anuta: a study in cultural ambivalence. Paper presented to a Society for Cultural Anthropology Invited Session entitled "Men and Development in the Pacific: A More Critical Perspective," organized by Jeanette Dickerson-Putman and Laura Zimmer-Tamakoshi at the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. November 30-December 4, 1994. Atlanta, GA.
- 1994 Cultural politics: an anthropological perspective. Presentation to Kent Research Group. December 14, 1994.
- 1995 Righting wrongs on Anuta. Paper presented to a working session entitled "Righting Wrongs: Compensation, Apology and Retribution in Contemporary Pacific Societies," organized by Jan Rensel and David Akin, at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 22-26, 1995. Clearwater, FL.
- 1995 Discussant: National Conference on "Culture and the Production of Security and Insecurity in International Politics." April 28-29, 1995. Kent State University.
- 1995 Anthropological perspectives on sorcery and witchcraft. Interview with Sarah Szweda for WKDD Akron (96 FM). Sunday, October 29. 7:10 AM and 10 PM.
- 1995 Multiculturalism and Kent State University: Presentation to workshop on multiculturalism for student leaders. Office of Campus Life. November 6, 1995. Kent State University.
- 1995 Knowledge, understanding, and communication in higher education: New perspectives on "The Boyer Model" and its relevance to Kent State University. Presentation to PEW Contemporary University Issues Forum. November 28, 1995. Kent State University.
- 1996 Social control and righting wrongs on Anuta. Paper presented to a formal symposium entitled "Righting Wrongs: Compensation, Apology and Retribution in Contemporary Pacific Societies," organized by Jan Rensel and David Akin, at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 7-12, 1996. Kailua-Kona, HI.
- 1996 Organizer and chair of session entitled "The Social Responsibilities of Anthropologists: Special Session in Appreciation of Karen Watson-Gegeo," at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 7-12, 1996. Kailua-Kona, HI.
- 1996 Introduction and biographical synopsis of Karen Ann Watson-Gegeo at session entitled "The Social Responsibilities of Anthropologists: Special Session in Appreciation of Karen Watson-Gegeo," organized by Richard Feinberg, at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 7-12, 1996. Kailua-Kona, HI.
- 1996 Serving multiple masters: social responsibilities of anthropologists and the dilemmas of field research in the Solomon Islands. Paper presented to session entitled "The Social Responsibilities of Anthropologists: Special Session in Appreciation of Karen Watson-Gegeo," organized by Richard Feinberg, at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 7-12, 1996. Kailua-Kona, HI.
- 1996 Ethical considerations in conduct of qualitative research in anthropology and education. Guest presentation to doctoral seminar entitled "Qualitative Research Methods in Education" at the in-

- vitation of Beth Swadener. February 19, 1996. Kent State University.
- 1996 Navigating without instruments: Pacific Island voyaging techniques. Presentation to Kent Research Group. April 10, 1996. Kent, OH.
- 1996 Moderator of Kent PEW Roundtable Panel Discussion entitled, "Can We Talk About Race?" May 2, 1996. Kent State University.
- 1996 Authority and truth: An anthropological perspective on the representation of history and tradition. Presentation to Kent Retired Faculty Association. November 6, 1996. Kent State University.
- 1997 Competing development strategies in a Polynesian chiefdom. Paper presented to a Working Session entitled "Contemporary Choices and Strategies in Polynesia," organized by Victoria Lockwood and Jeanette Dickerson-Putman at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 18-23, 1997. San Diego, CA.
- 1997 Schneider's cultural analysis of kinship and its implications for anthropological relativism. Paper presented to symposium entitled "The Cultural Analysis of Kinship: the Legacy of David Schneider and its Implications for Anthropological Relativism" at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 3-6, 1997. Milwaukee, WI.
- 1997 Co-organizer and co-chair (with Martin Ottenheimer) of symposium entitled "The Cultural Analysis of Kinship: the Legacy of David Schneider and its Implications for Anthropological Relativism" at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 3-6, 1997. Milwaukee, WI.
- 1997 Chair of session entitled "Native Americans" at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 3-6, 1997. Milwaukee, WI.
- 1997 Canoeing and navigation in the Pacific Islands. Presentation to Keel Haulers Canoe Club. September 9, 1997. Middleburg Heights, OH.
- 1998 Competing development strategies in Polynesia. Paper presented to a formal symposium entitled "Choices and Strategies in Contemporary Polynesia," organized by Victoria Lockwood and Jeanette Dickerson-Putman at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 4-7, 1997. Pensacola, FL.
- 1998 Egalitarian spaces in a Polynesian hierarchy? The case of Anuta Island. Paper presented to a working session entitled "Regarding Hierarchy," organized by Ernest Olson and Richard Feinberg at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 4-7, 1997. Pensacola, FL.
- 1998 Co-organizer and co-chair (with Ernest Olson) of a working session entitled "Regarding Hierarchy" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 4-7, 1997. Pensacola, FL.
- 1998 Facilitator of Teaching Workshop on Sociocultural Change at annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 2-5, 1998. Kansas City, MO.
- 1998 Cultural relativism, postmodernism, and cultural diversity. Presentation to Kent Research Group. April 8, 1998. Kent State University.
- 1998 The State of Shared Governance at Kent State University. Chair's address to Faculty Senate. April 27, 1998. Kent State University.
- 1998 Cultural relativism in anthropology and ethnomusicology. Guest lecture to doctoral seminar in ethnomusicology at invitation of Terry Miller. April 30, 1998. Kent State University.
- 1998 Native American adaptations to their natural environments. Invited address to University of Findlay. September 24, 1998.
- 1998 Relationships between anthropologists and Indians. Presentation to third annual Blanchard Indian Pow-wow. September 26, 1998. Findlay, OH.
- 1998 Relationships between Indians and Whites. Presentation to third annual Blanchard Indian Pow-wow. September 26-27, 1998. Findlay, OH.
- 1998 Current topics concerning native people. Panel discussion at third annual Blanchard Indian Pow-wow. September 26-27, 1998. Findlay, OH.
- 1998 Theory and ethnography in teaching of cultural anthropology. Poster display at fifth annual Teaching Conference. October 16, 1998. Kent State University.

- 1998 My mom was drunk when I got out of prison: geographical knowledge, culture, and traditional seafaring strategies in the Pacific Islands. Presentation to Geography Department Colloquium. Friday, November 6, 1998. Kent State University.
- 1998 Schneider's cultural analysis of kinship and its implications for anthropological relativism. Paper presented to a session entitled "The Cultural Analysis of Kinship: The Legacy of David Schneider and its Implications for Anthropological Relativism" at the 97th annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. December 2-6, 1998. Philadelphia, PA.
- 1998 Co-organizer and co-chair (with Martin Ottenheimer) of symposium entitled "The Cultural Analysis of Kinship: The Legacy of David Schneider and its Implications for Anthropological Relativism" at the 97th annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. December 2-6, 1998. Philadelphia, PA.
- 1998 Can academic scholarship help to solve the problem of racism in America? Presentation to panel on "Race in Academe: Interdisciplinary Approaches." December 9, 1998. Kent State University.
- 1999 Nukumanu kinship and the contested character of cultural definition. Paper presented to a session entitled "Kinship Studies on the Eve of the Millennium" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 4-7, 1999. Hilo, HI.
- 1999 Polynesian seascapes: Images of land and sea in Greater Anuta. Paper presented to a session entitled "Pacific Seascapes: Practical Knowledge of the Maritime Environment" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 4-7, 1999. Hilo, HI.
- 1999 Studying a Polynesian culture. Presentation to Department of Sociology and Anthropology, University of Edinboro, PA. April 22, 1999.
- 1999 Shared decision making at Kent State University. Presentation to Faculty Senate Retreat. August 28, 1999. Kent State University.
- 1999 Who will build America in the 21st century? Comments to Panel entitled "Who Will Build One America?" as part of second annual Campus Week of Dialog on Race Relations. October 5, 1999. Kent State University.
- 1999 Discussion facilitator on Interdisciplinary Teaching. Campus Conversations, Annual University Teaching Conference. October 21, 1999. Kent State University.
- 2000 The Anutan seascape: Land and sea in Greater Anuta. Paper presented to a session entitled "Pacific Seascapes: Practical Knowledge of the Maritime Environment" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 15-19, 2000. Vancouver, BC.
- 2000 Cultural relativism in anthropology and ethnomusicology. Guest lecture to graduate seminar in ethnomusicology. March 28, 2000. Kent State University.
- 2000 Custom and development in the Solomon Islands: Some thoughts on an intractable problem. Presentation to Department of Anthropology and Global Development Program at Grinnell College. Monday, May 1, 2000. Grinnell, IA.
- 2001 Co-organizer and co-chair (with Janet Dixon Keller) of a session entitled "The State of Research among Polynesian Outliers" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 12-16, 2001. Miami, FL.
- 2001 Random thoughts on the value of ethnography. Paper presented to a session entitled "Critical Ethnography" at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 12-16, 2001. Miami, FL.
- 2001 Conducting fieldwork in a war zone: Studies in DE-velopment. Presentation to Department of Anthropology. February 28, 2001. Kent State University.
- 2001 Cruising the South Pacific. Presentation to Student Multicultural Center. April 4, 2001. Kent State University.
- 2002 Local identity and national disintegration in the Solomon Islands. Paper presented to a session

- entitled “Retribalization and ‘Racial’ Conflict: Negotiated Ethnicity amid Political Crisis in Fiji and the Solomon Islands” at the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. November 28-December 2, 2001. Washington, DC.
- 2002 Mihi from Nga Manuhiri. Represented Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania at official Welcome (*Powhiri*) to University of Auckland Marae. Address delivered in Polynesian and English.
- 2002 Co-organized (with Janet Dixon Keller), chaired, and introduced a session entitled “The Current State of Knowledge on the Polynesian Outliers” at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 19-23, 2002. Auckland, NEW ZEALAND.
- 2002 Seafaring in the Polynesian outliers (with Marianne George). Paper presented to a session entitled “The Current State of Knowledge on the Polynesian Outliers,” organized by Richard Feinberg and Janet Keller at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 19-23, 2002. Auckland, NEW ZEALAND.
- 2002 Ruminations on the value of ethnography. Paper presented to session entitled “Critical Ethnography,” organized by Michèle Dominy and Laurence M. Carucci at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 19-23, 2002. Auckland, NEW ZEALAND.
- 2002 The culture concept and its importance in understanding terrorism. Guest lecture to seminar entitled “Terrorism: Roots, Responses, and Ramifications,” taught by Al Edgell, Department of Political Science and Honors College. February 28, 2002. Kent State University.
- 2002 Conducting anthropological research in Polynesia. Presentation to Commerce Club of Akron. June 26, 2002. Akron, OH.
- 2002 Culture areas of Native North America. Guest lecture to class on “Native Americans,” taught by Christina McVay, Department of Pan African Studies. October 31, 2002. Kent State Univ.
- 2002 Traditional Pacific Islands lifeways in the 21st century. Presentation to Keel Haulers Canoe Club. December 10, 2002. Middleburg Heights, OH.
- 2003 Anthropology and the study of diversity. Presentation to Student Multicultural Center. January 28, 2003. Kent State University.
- 2003 The culture concept and its relevance to understanding terrorism. Guest lecture to undergraduate A&S special topics course on Terrorism: Roots, Responses, and Ramifications (A&S 30095), taught by Alvin Edgell. February 26, 2003. Kent State University.
- 2003 Culture and terrorism. Guest lecture to A&S graduate course on Terrorism: Roots, Responses, & Ramifications (A&S 61095), taught by Alvin Edgell. March 4, 2003. Kent State University.
- 2003 Comments on personal names as an index of social relations. Paper presented to a session entitled “Conceptions of Social Relationships in Pacific Societies,” organized by Alan Howard and Andrew Moutu at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 12-15, 2003. Vancouver, BRITISH COLUMBIA.
- 2003 Structures of geographical and cosmological space: A Polynesian case study. Presentation to a conference in honor of Bernd Lambert. April 5, 2003. Cornell University.
- 2003 Firth and Hogbin’s Polynesia: Revisiting the classics. Paper presented to a session entitled “The Fieldwork that Made Us Anthropologists,” organized and chaired by Alice B. Kehoe, at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 17-19. Louisville, KY.
- 2003 Geographical and cosmological space on Anuta Island. Paper presented to a session entitled “Cognitive Anthropology,” chaired by James Dow, at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 17-19. Louisville, KY.
- 2003 US action in Iraq: A critical perspective. Contribution to panel discussion on US involvement in Iraq, sponsored by Concerned Faculty of Kent and the College of Arts and Sciences. April 29,

2003. Kent State University.
- 2003 Anthropological and psychological approaches to the study of myth. Presentation to Central State University Honors Colloquium. October 22 and 29, 2003. Central State University.
- 2004 Discussant in session entitled “Historical and Contemporary Research in the Western Solomon Islands,” organized by Debra McDougall, Cato Berg, and Christine Dureau, at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 24-28, 2004. Salem, MA.
- 2004 American labor and world politics. Presentation to “Week of Labor Action.” March 31, 2004. Kent State University.
- 2004 Faculty-administrative tensions in academic governance. Paper presented to session entitled “Governance at American Colleges and Universities: Faculty-Administrative Relations,” organized by Richard Feinberg, at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 15-18, 2004. Milwaukee, WI.
- 2004 Organizer and chair of session entitled “Governance at American Colleges and Universities: Faculty-Administrative Relations,” presented at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 15-18, 2004. Milwaukee, WI.
- 2004 Discussant in session entitled “Cultural Relativism—Then and Now,” organized by Thomas H. Johnson at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 15-18, 2004. Milwaukee, WI.
- 2004 Effects of global warming on Pacific Islanders. Earth Day presentation. Kent State University. April 22, 2004.
- 2005 Co-organizer and co-chair (with Richard Scaglione) of session addressing “The Current State of Knowledge on the Polynesian Outliers” at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. Līhu‘e, Hawai‘i. February 2-5, 2005.
- 2005 Organizer and chair of CSAS Presidential Session on “Anthropological Ethics and Organizational Politics” at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. March 10-12, 2005. Oxford, OH.
- 2005 Introduction to “Human Origins as an Adaptive Suite”: Distinguished Lecture by C. Owen Lovejoy to the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. March 10-12, 2005. Oxford, OH.
- 2005 Water. Earth Day Presentation on behalf of Kent State Students Ending Environmental Destruction. April 20 2005. Kent State University.
- 2005 Background to US military involvement in Iraq. Presentation to Teach-In on Iraq. Kent Unitarian Universalist Church. October 2, 2005. Kent, OH.
- 2005 Symbolic representations of geographical and cosmological space. Colloquium Presentation. Department of Geography. October 28, 2005. Kent State University.
- 2005 Discussant comments to CSAS invited session entitled “Rethinking Cultural Relativism,” organized by Thomas Johnson, at the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. November 29-December 4, 2005. Washington, DC.
- 2005 Structures of geographical and cosmological space: a Polynesian case study. Paper presented to the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. November 29-December 4, 2005. Washington, DC.
- 2006 Discussant comments to session entitled “‘From the Native’s Point of View Revisited’: On the Problem of Empathy in the Pacific,” organized by Douglas Hollan and Jason Throop at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 7-11, 2006. San Diego, CA.
- 2006 Discussant for session entitled “Survival at Sea,” organized by David Counts and Dorothy

- Counts at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 7-11, 2006. San Diego, CA.
- 2006 Introduction to Distinguished Lecture entitled "Talking about Sex: On the Relationship between Discourse and Sexual Pleasure, Power, Secrecy, and Subjectivity in Melanesia," presented by Gilbert Herdt. Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 9, 2006. San Diego, CA.
- 2006 Co-organizer and co-chair (with Nancy McDowell) of session entitled "Academic Governance: An Anthropological Perspective" at the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. November 15-19, 2006. San Jose, CA.
- 2006 Faculty-administrative tensions in academic governance. Paper presented to the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. November 15-19, 2006. San Jose, CA.
- 2007 Do Anutans Empathize? Paper presented to session entitled "'From the Native's Point of View Revisited': On the Problem of Empathy in the Pacific," organized by Douglas Hollan and Jason Throop at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 20-24, 2006. Charlottesville, VA.
- 2007 Discussant: Panel on "Culture and Identity" at 22nd Annual Graduate Student Senate Colloquium. March 3, 2007. Kent State University.
- 2007 Why do they hate us? Speech to Portage Peace Coalition. March 18, 2007. Kent, OH.
- 2007 Cognition, spatial orientation, and indigenous navigation in Polynesia. Talk to Anthropology Student Organization. April 5, 2007. Kent State University.
- 2007 Vaka Taumako: The First Voyage. Film screening at annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 12-15, 2007. Minneapolis, MN.
- 2007 Discussant: Panel on "Critical Perspectives on Democracy Promotion" at 8th Annual Symposium on Democracy. May 2-3, 2007. Kent State University.
- 2007 Environmental sustainability and local sovereignty. Keynote address to Conference on Sustainable Livelihoods and Resource Management in Small Islands. August 22-23. Copenhagen, DK.
- 2009 Conducting anthropological research on Taumako, Solomon Islands. Presentation to Kent Coalition for Sanctuary. January 8, 2009. Kent, OH.
- 2009 Introduction of Honorary Fellow to opening plenary of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 11-14, 2009. Santa Cruz, CA.
- 2009 Voyagers of the South Seas. Presentation to Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, sponsored by the Department of History and Anthropology. March 24, 2009. Edinboro, PA.
- 2009 Radial representations of space in Polynesia: Taumako systems of spatial orientation. Paper presented to session entitled "Exploring Human Cognition" at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 2-5, 2009. Urbana, IL.
- 2009 Chaired session entitled "(Post-)Colonial Psychology and Identity in Oceania at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 2-5, 2009. Urbana, IL.
- 2009 Thoughts on the future of anthropology. Contribution to Presidential Roundtable on the Future of Anthropology at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. (Shared podium with past and current presidents of the American Anthropological Association, American Ethnological Society, European Association of Social Anthropologists, Israel Anthropological Association, International American Studies Association, Society for Humanistic Anthropology, Association of Latina/Latino Anthropologists, and Central States Anthropological Association.) April 2-5, 2009. Urbana, IL.
- 2009 Life in Polynesia: Taumako, Solomon Islands. Presentation to Keel Haulers Canoe Club. Sep-

- tember 8, 2009. Middleburg Heights, OH.
- 2009 Ethnographic Filming with the BBC: “Going Tribal” on Anuta. Presentation to Keel Haulers Canoe Club. October 13, 2009. Middleburg Heights, OH.
- 2010 Introduction to session on “Spatial Orientation in Oceania,” organized by A. Mawyer and R. Feinberg at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 9-13. Alexandria, VA.
- 2010 Radial Representations of Space in Polynesia: Spatial Cognition on Taumako. Paper presented to session on “Spatial Orientation in Oceania,” at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 9-13. Alexandria, VA.
- 2010 Marine Resource Conservation on Anuta. Guest lecture to class on “Anthropology of Sustainability,” taught by Richard Currie Smith, Department of Anthropology. March 9, 2010. Kent State University.
- 2010 Mysteries of Navigation in the Southeastern Solomons. Paper presented to session on “Spatial Representation and Spatial Orientation” at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society, April 7-11. Madison, WI.
- 2010 Chaired session on “Spatial Representation and Spatial Orientation” at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society, April 7-11. Madison, WI.
- 2010 Consulting for BBC. Paper presented to session entitled, “Ethnographic Film” at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society, April 7-11. Madison, WI.
- 2010 Pacific Navigation. Invited talk at Lake Forest College. April 12. Lake Forest, IL
- 2010 Co-chair of invited session on “Spatial Representation, Orientation, and Circulation,” organized by R. Feinberg and A. Mawyer at the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. November 17-21. New Orleans, LA.
- 2010 Introduction (by A. Mawyer and R. Feinberg) to invited session on “Spatial Representation, Orientation, and Circulation” at the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. November 17-21. New Orleans, LA.
- 2010 Radial Representations of Space in Polynesia: Taumako Systems of Spatial Orientation. Paper presented to the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. November 17-21. New Orleans, LA.
- 2010 Anthropology in the Pacific Islands. Guest lecture at Hawken School. December 1, 2010.
- 2011 Co-organizer (with Alex Mawyer) of working session entitled “Spatial Orientation and Representation in Oceania” at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 8-12. Honolulu, HI.
- 2011 Introduction (by A. Mawyer and R. Feinberg) to working session on “Spatial Orientation and Representation in Oceania,” organized by A. Mawyer and R. Feinberg at the annual meeting of the Assoc. for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 8-12. Honolulu, HI.
- 2011 Conceptualizing front and back: Frames of reference and Taumako representations of space. Paper presented to working session on “Spatial Representation in Oceania,” organized by A. Mawyer and R. Feinberg at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 8-12. Honolulu, HI.
- 2011 Non-giving in the Polynesian Outliers. Paper presented to session on “Avoiding Giving in Oceania,” organized by E. Berman at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 8-12. Honolulu, HI.
- 2011 Engaging with capitalism on Taumako, Solomon Islands. Paper presented to session on “Engaging with Capitalism in Oceania,” organized by Kate Barclay and Fiona McCormack at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 8-12. Honolulu, HI.

- 2011 Sustainability and Marine Conservation on Anuta. Guest lecture to class on “Anthropology of Sustainability,” taught by Richard Currie Smith, Department of Anthropology. March 10, 2011. Kent State University.
- 2011 Comment as panelist on “There Once Was an Island (*Te Henua e Noho*),” at Cleveland International Film Festival. Tower City Cinema, Cleveland, OH. April 1, 2011.
- 2011 Presentation to African American, Latin American, and Native American (AALANA) workshop for new faculty on tenure and promotion. August 19. Kent State University.
- 2011 We, the Taumako: Polynesian Outlier Kinship in the Twenty-first Century. Paper presented to session entitled, “Kinship: Traces, Tidemarks, and Legacies,” organized by Dwight Read and Fadwa El Guindi at the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. Montreal, Quebec. November 16-20, 2011.
- 2012 Co-organizer (with Alex Mawyer) of working session entitled “Spatial Orientation and Representation in Oceania” at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 7-11. Portland, OR.
- 2012 Introduction, by R. Feinberg and A. Mawyer to working session on “Spatial Orientation and Representation in Oceania,” organized by A. Mawyer and R. Feinberg at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 7-11. Portland, OR.
- 2012 Conceptualizing Front and Back on Taumako Representations of Space. Paper presented to working session on “Spatial Orientation and Representation in Oceania,” organized by A. Mawyer and R. Feinberg at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 7-11. Portland, OR.
- 2012 The Vaeakau-Taumako Wind Compass and “Navigational Toolkit” by Cathleen Conboy Pyrek and Richard Feinberg. Paper presented to working session on “Spatial Orientation and Representation in Oceania,” organized by A. Mawyer and R. Feinberg at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 7-11. Portland, OR.
- 2012 Development, *Aloha*, and Non-Giving among Polynesian Outlier Communities. Paper presented to working session on “Avoiding Giving,” organized by Elise Berman at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. February 7-11. Portland, OR.
- 2012 Sustainability and Marine Conservation on Anuta. Guest lecture to class on “Anthropology of Sustainability,” taught by Richard Currie Smith, Department of Anthropology. February 21, 2012. Kent State University.
- 2012 Anthropological Fieldwork in the Pacific. Presentation to Anthropology Student Organization. February 28, 2012. Kent State University.
- 2012 Racial Stereotypes in the US and Southeastern Solomon Islands. Paper presented to a session entitled “A Century of Fighting Racism,” organized by Alice Kehoe at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. March 22-24. Toledo, OH.
- 2012 Pacific Anthropology as a Career. Invited presentation to the University of the South Pacific Centre, Atafu, TOKELAU. July 3, 2012.
- 2012 Pacific Islands Voyaging and Navigation. Presentation to the Kent Retired Faculty Association. September 12, 2012. Kent Free Library.
- 2012 Encroachment of the World Market in Remote Pacific Communities. Presentation to the Transnational Studies Reading & Working Group. September 28, 2012. Kent State University.
- 2013 Perils of Subsistence Production on a South Sea Island. Paper presented to the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 4-6, 2013. St. Louis, MO.
- 2013 Chaired session entitled “Environmental Consciousness and Sustainability” at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. April 4-6, 2013. St. Louis, MO.

- 2013 Conducting Fieldwork in the Pacific Islands. Guest lecture for ANTH 18210 (Intro. to Cultural Anth.), taught by Joy St. James, Dept. of Anthropology. Kent State University. Sept. 9, 2013.
- 2013 Conducting Fieldwork in the Pacific Islands. Guest lecture for ANTH 18210H (Honors Intro. to Cultural Anth.), taught by Joy St. James, Dept. of Anthropology. Kent State U. Sept. 9, 2013.
- 2013 Semiotics and Spatial Cognition in Polynesia. Guest lecture for ANTH 48095 (Ecology and Semiotics), taught by Richard Curry Smith, Dept. of Anthropology. Kent State University. October 17, 2013.
- 2013 Fieldwork on Anuta, Solomon Islands. Guest lecture for “Introduction to Anthropology,” taught Matthew Phillips. Notre Dame College. November 7, 2013.
- 2013 Enclosures: Spatial Symbolism in House Layout among Polynesians in Melanesia. Paper presented to session entitled “Spatial Politics of Enclosure: Creating Persons and Publics,” organized by Barbara Andersen and Tate Lefevre at the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. Chicago, IL. November 20-24, 2013.
- 2014 The Kon-tiki Expedition and Pacific Anthropology. Presentation to Center for International Education, Lakeland Community College. Kirtland, OH. January 31, 2014.
- 2014 Discussant for session entitled First Fieldwork, organized by Laura Zimmer-Tamakoshi and William Heaney at the annual meeting of the Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania. Kona, HI. February 5-8.
- 2014 Auto-experimentation in Taumako Seafaring. Presented to session on “Canoes and Navigation” at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. Normal IL: April 10-12.
- 2014 Introduction to Celestial Navigation. Presented to session on “Canoes and Navigation” at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. Normal IL: April 10-12.
- 2014 Chaired session “Anthropological Approaches to Religion and New Religious Movements” at the annual meeting of the Central States Anthropological Society. Normal IL: April 10-12.
- 2014 Auto-experimentation in Taumako Seafaring: Learning to Handle a Dugout Canoe. Presented to panel on “Pacific Voyaging” at “Across the Pacific,” the twentieth annual conference of the New Zealand Studies Association, in association with the Norwegian Maritime Museum, the Kon-Tiki Museum, and the University of South Australia. Oslo, NORWAY: June 25-28.

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