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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:

Ph.D. 1981 - University of California, Berkeley
M.A. 1976 - University of California, Berkeley
A.B. 1975 - University of California, Berkeley
University of California, Santa Cruz

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

2/17- Associate Dean, Henry Kendall College of Arts and Sciences, University
of Tulsa
8/13 – 6/17 Co-Director, Women's and Gender Studies Program, U. Tulsa
7/09 - Kendall Professor of Anthropology, University of Tulsa
6/08 – 5/09 President, University of Tulsa Faculty Senate
6/06 – 8/10 Chair, Dept. of Anthropology, University of Tulsa
1/99 - Research Partner, Q2 Consulting Group, LLC
1/99 - 5/99 Visiting Professor of Anthropology, University of California, Berkeley
1/92 – 1/09 Professor of Anthropology, University of Tulsa
6/91 - 6/95 Chair, Department of Anthropology
6/91 - 10/92 Acting Chair, Department of Sociology
8/88 - 1/92 Associate Professor of Anthropology, University of Tulsa
8/82 - 7/88 Asst. Professor of Anthropology, University of Tulsa
9/81 - 6/82 Visiting Asst. Professor, Southwestern at Memphis
7/77 - 8/79 Visiting Research Scholar, Research School of Pacific Studies, Australian
National University

FIELD RESEARCH:

7/16 Port Vila; Tanna (Vanuatu)
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7/14 Port Vila (Vanuatu)
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7/11 - 8/11 Port Vila; Tanna (Vanuatu)
7/10 - 10/10 Port Vila; Tanna (Vanuatu)
9/88 - 1/89 Port Moresby, Papua New Guinea
6/88 - 9/88 Vanuatu

6/87 - 8/87 Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands; Tanna, Vanuatu
 6/85 - 8/85 Australia, Papua New Guinea, Fiji, Vanuatu, Solomon Islands (WW2 photo archives)
 5/83 - 8/83 Tanna, Vanuatu
 6/82 - 8/82 Tanna, Vanuatu
 2/78 - 11/79 Tanna, Vanuatu

DISSERTATION: Achieving Wisdom: Knowledge and Politics on Tanna (Vanuatu)

LANGUAGES: French (reading good; speaking medium)
 Bislama (Melanesian Pidgin)
 Kwamera (Southeast Tanna)

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, HONORS, SERVICE:

2013 Program Reviewer, Dept. of Sociology and Anthropology, Montana State University, Bozeman, MT
 2011-15 National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship Review Panel (cultural anthropology and linguistics)
 2010 Visiting Austronesian Scholar, invited by the Graduate Institute of Austronesian Studies, National Taitung University, Taiwan
 2010 Post-PhD Research Grant, Wenner-Gren Foundation, "Resilient Lives: Postcolonial Personhood in Vanuatu"
 2010 Visiting Scholar, Dept of SocioAnthropology, University of Bergen, Norway
 2009 Invited Professor, CREDO Marseilles (Centre de Recherche et de Documentation sur l'Océanie), Ecole des Haute Etudes en Social Sciences
 2009 Oklahoma Humanities Council Research Grant
 2009 Oklahoma State Board of Regents Faculty Advisory Committee member
 2008 World Austronesian Studies Visiting Scholar, National Tsing Hua University Hsinchu, Taiwan
 2001 – 2004 National Screening Committee, Institute of International Education (for Fulbright Awards for Graduate Study in Australia)
 2000 Grant—Oklahoma State Department of Health, Rapid Ethnographic Community Analysis Process (questionnaire development and data analysis)
 2000 University of Tulsa Women's Studies Course Development Fellowship ("The Body")
 1998 - International Advisory Board, *Anthropological Forum* (Perth)
 1998 Panelist, Collaborative Research: African, Pacific, and Asian Studies, National Endowment for the Humanities.
 1997 Multicultural Studies Committee Grant, University of Tulsa
 1997 Technology in Teaching Grant, Henry Kendall College, University of Tulsa
 1996 - 2008 Book Review Forum Editor, *Pacific Studies*

- 1996 Research Scholar, Macmillan-Brown Centre for Pacific Studies, University of Canterbury, Christchurch, New Zealand
- 1995 - 1996 Foreign Visiting Researcher, Kagashima University Research Center for The South Pacific
- 1995 Co-director, National Endowment for the Humanities, Summer Seminar For College Teachers, "The Politics of Culture and Identity: Pacific Islands Perspectives" East-West Center, Honolulu
- 1994 Tulsa University Women's Studies Program Course Development Fellowship
- 1994 - Special Publications Editor/Distinguished Lectureship Committee Chair, Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania
- 1993 Co-director, National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Seminar for College Teachers, "The Politics of Culture and Identity: Pacific Islands Perspectives" East-West Center, Honolulu.
- 1993 Panelist (Politics and Society), National Endowment for the Humanities, Division of Fellowships (Summer Seminars for College Teachers)
- 1993 Panelist (Humanities and Social Science), National Endowment for the Humanities, Division of Research Programs (Interpretive Research)
- 1992 Masayoshi Ohira Memorial Prize (for *The Pacific Theater: Island Representations of World War II*, co-edited with G. M. White
- 1991 Co-director, National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Seminar for College Teachers, "The Politics of Culture and Identity: Pacific Islands Perspectives" East-West Center, Honolulu
- 1990 - 1991 Rockefeller Fellowship in the Humanities, Center for Pacific Island Studies, University of Hawaii, Honolulu
- 1990 NEH Summer Seminar in the Social Sciences, Tulsa University
- 1990 Tulsa University Multicultural Summer Fellowship
- 1988 - 1989 Council for the International Exchange of Scholars, Fulbright Research Award, Vanuatu and Papua New Guinea
- 1988 Small Grant, Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research, "The Ethnohistory of World War II in Vanuatu"
- 1988 - 1995 Editorial Board, Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania
- 1987 - 1989 Research Grant: "Cultural Encounters in the Pacific War: Text and History in Two Melanesian Societies," National Endowment for the Humanities (Geoffrey M. White, co-investigator)
- 1987 - 1988 Fellow, Institute of Culture and Communication, East-West Center, Honolulu
- 1986 - 1989 Member, Board of Directors, Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania
- 1985 University of Tulsa, Faculty Fellowship
- 1984 - 1985 Area Studies Fellow, East-West Center
- 1984 National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Fellowship (Anthropology of Law)

1983 Henry Kendall College of Arts and Sciences Faculty Summer Grant
 1980 Phi Beta Kappa Graduate Fellowship
 1980 Robert H. Lowie Fellowship, UC Berkeley
 1979 Fulbright Hays Doctoral Dissertation Grant
 1978 - 1979 Pacific Fellowship of the English Speaking Union
 1978 Robert H. Lowie Fellowship, UC Berkeley
 1976 McCown Prize, UC Berkeley Dept. of Anthropology
 1975 - 1978 Graduate Fellow, National Science Foundation
 1975 Phi Beta Kappa

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS:

European Society for Oceania
 Royal Anthropological Institute
 American Anthropological Association
 Pacific History Association
 Assn. for Social Anthropology in Oceania
 The Polynesian Society
 Japanese Society for Oceanic Studies
 Melanesian Interest Group, AAA

AREAS OF INTEREST:

Linguistic Anthropology/Sociolinguistics	Social Change
Practice of Anthropology	Religion
Local Knowledge Systems	Oceania
Culture Theory	Ethnohistory

PUBLICATIONS:

Books:

2013 *Across the World with the Johnsons: Visual Culture and Empire in the Twentieth Century* (written with Fiona Paisley and Prudence Ahrens). Farnham (UK): Ashgate.

1998 *Big Wok: Storian Blong Wol Wo Tu long Vanuatu* (edited with James Gwero). Suva: Institute of Pacific Studies, University of the South Pacific; Christchurch: Macmillan Brown Centre for Pacific Studies, University of Canterbury.

1997 *Chiefs Today: Traditional Pacific Leadership and the Postcolonial State* (co-edited with G. M. White). Stanford: Stanford University Press.

1994 *Kwamera* (written with John Lynch). Languages of the World. Munich: Lincom Europa. (46pp.)

1994 *Culture, Kastom, Tradition: Developing Cultural Policy in Melanesia* (co-edited with G. M. White). Suva: Institute of Pacific Studies.

1993 *Cargo Cult: Strange Stories of Desire from Melanesia and Beyond*. Honolulu: University of Hawaii Press.

- 1992[1997] *Kava: The Pacific Drug* (written with V. Lebot and M. Merlin). New Haven: Yale University Press. Reprinted as *Kava: The Pacific Elixir: The Definitive Guide to its Ethnobotany, History, and Chemistry*. Rochester, VT: Healing Arts Press.
- 1990 *Knowledge and Power in a South Pacific Society*. Smithsonian Institution Press.
- 1990 *Island Encounters: Black and White Memories of the Pacific War* (written with G. M. White). Washington, DC: Smithsonian Institution Press.
- 1989 *The Pacific Theater: Island Recollections of World War II* (edited with G. M. White). Honolulu: University Press of Hawaii; Melbourne: Melbourne University Press.
- 1987 *Drugs in Western Pacific Societies: Relations of Substance*. Assn. for Social Anthropology in Oceania, Monograph #11. Lanham: University Press of America.
- 1986 *Kwamera Dictionary/Nikukua Savai Nagkiariien Nininife*. Pacific Linguistics Series C-95. Canberra: Dept. of Linguistics, Research School of Pacific Studies.

Journal Articles:

- 2017 *Respek and Other Urban Vanuatu Keywords*. *Journal de la Société des Océanistes*
- 2016 Shooting Melanesians: Martin Johnson and Edward Salisbury in the Southwest Pacific. *Visual Anthropology* 29:360-381.
- 2016 Names Redux: Person, Structure, Change (with Kun-hui Ku). *Pacific Studies* 39(1/2):1-10.
- 2016 Nomination and Social Reproduction. *Pacific Studies* 39(1/2):11-29.
- 2013 Agnes C. P. Watt and Melanesian Personhood. *Journal of Pacific History* 48(3):243-266.
- 2013 Geoffrey Gorer and Féral Benga: A Collaboration. *History and Anthropology* 24:183-205.
- 2011/12 Urban(e) Tannese: Local Perspectives on Settlement Life in Port Vila, Vanuatu. *Journal de la Société des Océanistes* 133:18-29.
- 2011 Vanuatu Migrant Lives in Village and Town. *Ethnology* 50:1-15.
- 2009 Kava Pirates in Vanuatu? *International Journal of Cultural Property* 16:291-308.
- 2009 Grammars of the South Pacific. *Reviews in Anthropology* 38(1):1-21.
- 2008 Transformations in Melanesian *Kastom*. *Anthropological Forum* 18:161-178.
- 2007 Bislama into Kwamera: Code-mixing and Language Change in Vanuatu *Journal of Language Documentation and Conservation* 1(2):216-239.
- 2007 Survivor Vanuatu: Myths of Matriarchy Revisited. *The Contemporary Pacific* 19:162-174.
- 2006 Afterward 1: New Relations of Substance. *Oceania* 76:258-261.
- 2000 Cargo Cult Horror. *Oceania* 70:294-303.

- 1998 Sophia Elau, Ungka the Gibbon and the Pearly Nautilus. *Journal of Pacific History* 33:5-27.
- 1997 Cultural Tourism in the Pacific. *South Pacific Study* 18(1):33-45.
- 1996 Seeking Personal Responsibility in Strange Places (review article). *Semiotica* 111:173-182.
- 1995 Anthropology's New Cargo: Future Horizons (with G. M. White). *Ethnology* 34:201-209.
- 1993 Introduction: Custom Today (with G. M. White). *Anthropological Forum* (Guest Editor, Special Issue) 6(4):467-473.
- 1993 Cargo Cult Culture: Toward a Genealogy of Melanesian Custom. *Anthropological Forum* 6:495-513.
- 1991 Kava, Cash, and Custom in Vanuatu. *Cultural Survival Quarterly* 15(2):28-31.
- 1990 Big Men As Ancestors: Inspiration and Copyrights on Tanna (Vanuatu). *Ethnology* 29:313-326.
- 1990 Local Knowledge Systems and the Pacific Classroom. *Papua New Guinea Journal of Education* 26(1):5-17.
- 1989 Charisma and the Production of Messages on Tanna (Vanuatu). *Religion* 19:377-397.
- 1989 Cultural Encounters in the Pacific War (written with G. M. White). *Humanities* 10(6):26-31.
- 1988 Big-men and the Conversational Marketplace on Tanna, Vanuatu. *Ethnos* 53:159-189.
- 1985 Personal Names and Social Reproduction on Tanna, Vanuatu. *Journal of The Polynesian Society* 94:27-45.
- 1984 Doctor, Lawyer, Wise Man, Priest: Big-Men and Knowledge in Melanesia. *Man* 19:291-309.
- 1983 Say What? Language and Political Boundaries on Tanna, Vanuatu. *Anthropological Linguistics* 25:387-403.
- 1983 Metaphors of Debate on Tanna. *Naika: Journal of the Vanuatu Natural Science Society* 12:6-9.
- 1982 Leftamap Kastom: The Political History of Tradition on Tanna (Vanuatu). *Mankind* 13:316-329.
- 1982 Bigman: A Short Terminological History. *American Anthropologist* 83:900-905.
- 1981[1996] Cult and Culture: American Dreams in Vanuatu. *Pacific Studies* 4:101-123. [Reprinted in *Amok Journal*, Los Angeles: Amok].
- 1980 Spitting on Tanna. *Oceania* 50:228-234.
- 1979[1990] Americans on Tanna: An Essay from the Field. *Canberra Anthropology* 2:36-45. [Reprinted In P. DeVita (ed.), *The Humbled Anthropologist: Tales From The Pacific*. Belmont: Wadsworth.]
- 1978 Bigman or Chief? Knowledge in Political Process on Tanna. *Kroeber Anthropological Society Papers* 57/58:122-146.

- 1978 Cargo Cults, Sexual Distance and Melanesian Social Integration. *Canberra Anthropology* 1(2):42-58.
- 1975 California Wine Categories. *Anthropological Linguistics* 17:273-285.

Book Chapters:

- 2017 Cargo Cult Post Mortem. In Eric Hirsch and Will Rollason (eds.), *The Melanesian World*. Routledge.
- 2016 Darkness and Light in Black and White: Traveling Missionary Imagery from the New Hebrides. In J. Taylor and K. Alexeyeff (eds.), *Touring Pacific Cultures: Mobility, Engagement and Value*, pp. 31-55. Canberra: ANU E-Press.
- 2015 The Culture of Smoking: A Case Study of Tobacco Control. In E. Christopher (ed.), *International Management and Intercultural Communication: A Collection of Case Studies*, vol 2, pp. 1-16. London: Palgrave Macmillan.
- 2015 Scraps of Memory: Pacific War Tourism on Efate Island (Vanuatu). In G. Carr and K. Reeves (eds.), *Heritage and Memory of War: Responses from Small Islands*, pp. 160-176. New York: Routledge.
- 2015 Cultural Heritage, Politics, and Tourism on Tanna, Vanuatu. In E. Hviding and G. White (eds.), *Pacific Alternatives: Cultural Politics in Contemporary Oceania*, pp. 180-199. Oxford: Sean Kingston.
- 2013 Social Relations. In M. Rapaport (ed.), *The Pacific Islands: Environment and Society*, Revised Edition, pp. 172-181. Honolulu: University of Hawaii Press.
- 2013 Postmodernism. In J. Carrier and D. Gewertz (eds.), *The Handbook of Socio-Cultural Anthropology*, pp. 68-87. London: Bloomsbury.
- 2013 On Safari with Martin and Osa Johnson. In J. Bell, A. Brown, and R. Gordon (eds.), *Reinventing First Contact: Expeditions, Anthropology and Popular Culture*. pp. 147-161. Lanham, MD: Rowan and Littlefield.
- 2013 Even More Strange Stories of Desire. In M. Tabani (ed.), *Kago, Kastom, Kalja*, pp. 169-186. Marseille: Cahiers de CREDO.
- 2011 Personhood, Cargo, and Melanesian Social Unities. In E. Hviding and K. Rio (eds.), *Made in Oceania: Social Movements, Cultural Heritage and the State in the Pacific*, pp. 253-272. Oxford: Sean Kingston.
- 2011 Naming and Memory on Tanna, Vanuatu. In E. Hermann (ed.), *Changing Contexts - Shifting Meanings: Transformations of Cultural Traditions in Oceania*, pp. 141-156. Honolulu: University of Hawaii Press.
- 2011 *Big Wok: The Vanuatu Cultural Centre's WW2 Ethnohistory Project*. In Thieberger, Nicholas, Mary Patterson, John Taylor and Stephen Zagala (eds.) *After 26 years: Collaborative research in Vanuatu since Independence*, pp. 43-57. Canberra: ANU E-Press.

- 2010 Making a Modern Girl from Coast to Coast: The Visual Construction of 'Osa Johnson' across the Pacific (with Prue Ahrens). In Prue Ahrens and Chris Dixon (eds.), *Coast to Coast: Case Histories of Modern Pacific Crossings*, pp. 103-116. Newcastle upon Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Pub.
- 2007 A Body of Postcards from Vanuatu. In Sandra Bamford (ed.), *Embodying Modernity and Postmodernity in Melanesia*, pp. 257-282. Durham, Carolina University Press.
- 2006 They Sold Adventure: Martin and Osa Johnson in the New Hebrides. In L. Vivanco and R. Gordon (eds.), *Tarzan was an Ecotourist: The Anthropology of Adventure*, pp. 93-110. New York: Berghahn Books.
- 2005 Trumpet and Road: Two Classic Cargo Texts. In Brij V. Lal and Doug Munro (eds.), *Texts and Contexts: Reflections in Pacific Islands Historiography*, pp. 178-188. Honolulu: University of Hawaii Press.
- 2004 Cargo Cult at the Third Millennium. In H. Jebens, *Cargo Cult & Culture Critique*, pp. 15-35. Honolulu: University of Hawaii Press.
- 2003 History, Folklore, Traditional and Current uses of Kava. In Y. Singh, *Kava: From Ethnology to Pharmacology*, pp. 10-28. London: Taylor & Francis.
- 2001 Images of Islanders in Pacific War Photographs. In T. Fujitani, L. Yoneyama, and G. White (eds.), *Perilous Memories: The Asia-Pacific War(s)*, pp. 107-128. Durham: Duke University Press.
- 2000 The Tannese. In Judith M. Fitzpatrick, *Endangered Peoples of Oceania: Struggles to Survive and Thrive*, pp. 183-195. Westport, CT: Greenwood.
- 1998 Social Relations. In Moshe Rapaport (ed.), *Pacific Islands: Environment & Society*, pp. 195-207. Honolulu: Bess Press.
- 1998 Pasin Tumbuna: Culture and Nationalism in Papua New Guinea. In V. Dominguez and D. Wu (eds.), *From Beijing to Port Moresby: the Politics of National Cultural Policies*, pp. 141-188. Amsterdam: Gordon and Breach.
- 1997 Custom Remade. In D. Denoon et al., *The Cambridge History of the Pacific Islanders*, pp. 407-415. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- 1997 Chiefs Today in Vanuatu. In G. White and L. Lindstrom (eds.) *Chiefs Today: Traditional Pacific Leaders and the Post-colonial State*. Stanford: Stanford University Press.
- 1996 Représentations matérielles et mentalité locale dans une île sans traditions artistiques importantes: Tanna. In *Vanuatu Océanie: Arts des îles de cendre et de corail*, pp. 124-129. Paris: Réunion des Musées Nationaux.
- 1996 Arts of Language and Space, south-east Tanna. In J. Bonnemaïson et al. (eds.), *Arts of Vanuatu*, pp. 123-128. Honolulu: University of Hawaii Press.
- 1996 Cargo Inventories, Shopping Lists, and Desire. In W. Haviland and R. Gordon (eds.), *Talking about People: Readings in Contemporary Cultural Anthropology* (2nd ed.), pp. 35-39. Mountain View, CA: Mayfield Publishing.

- 1995 Cargoism and Occidentalism. In J. Carrier (ed.), *Occidentalism*, pp. 33-60. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 1994 Cultural Policy: An Introduction. In L. Lindstrom and G. White (eds.), *Culture, Kastom, Tradition*. Suva: Institute of Pacific Studies.
- 1994 Traditional Cultural Policy in Melanesia. In L. Lindstrom and G. White (eds.), *Culture, Kastom, Tradition*. Suva: Institute of Pacific Studies.
- 1993 Global Rights Summary. Oceania: Islands, Land, People (with G. White). In M. Miller (ed.), *State of the Peoples: A Global Human Rights Report on Societies in Danger*, 96-99. [Co-coordinator of Oceania Reports, pp. 100-113]. Boston: Beacon Press.
- 1993 Singing History: Island Songs from the Pacific War (with G. White). In P. Dark and R. Rose (eds.), *Artistic Heritage in a Changing Pacific*, pp. 185-196. Bathurst, NSW: Crawford House Press.
- 1992 Context Contests: Debatable Truth Statements on Tanna (Vanuatu). In C. Goodwin and A. Duranti (eds.), *Rethinking Context: Language as an Interactive Phenomenon*, pp. 101-124. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- 1990 Straight Talk on Tanna. In K. Watson-Gegeo and G. White (eds.), *Disentangling: Conflict Discourse in Pacific Societies*, pp. 373-411. Stanford: Stanford University Press.
- 1990 Knowledge of Cargo, Knowledge of Cult: Truth and Power on Tanna, Vanuatu. In G. W. Trompf (ed.), *Cargo Cults and Millennium Movements: Transoceanic Comparisons of New Religious Movements*, pp. 239-261. Berlin: Mouton de Gruyter.
- 1989 War Stories (with G. White). In G. M. White and L. Lindstrom (eds.), *The Pacific Theater: Island Recollections of World War II*, pp. 3-40. Honolulu: University Press of Hawaii.
- 1989 Working Encounters: Oral Histories of World War II Labor Corps from Tanna, Vanuatu. In G. M. White and L. Lindstrom (eds.), *The Pacific Theater: Island Recollections of World War II*, pp. 395-417. Honolulu: University Press of Hawaii.
- 1987 Drunkenness and Gender on Tanna, Vanuatu. In L. Lindstrom (ed.), *Drugs in Western Pacific Societies: Relations of Substance*, pp. 99-119, Lanham: University Press of America.
- 1987 Relating With Drugs. In L. Lindstrom (ed.), *Drugs in Western Pacific Societies: Relations of Substance*. pp. 1-12. Lanham: University Press of America.
- 1985 The Politics of Dictionary Making on Tanna, Vanuatu. In Andrew Pawley and Lois Carrington (eds.), *Austronesian Linguistics at the 15th Pacific Science Congress*. Pacific Linguistics Series C-88, pp. 329-341. Canberra: Dept. of Linguistics, Research School of Pacific Studies.
- 1983 Cultural Politics: National Concerns in Bush Arenas on Tanna (Vanuatu). In G. Cronin (ed.), *Emerging Political Cultures in the Pacific*, pp. 232-246. Institute for Polynesian Studies. Laie, Hawaii.

- 1982 Grog Blong Yumi: Alcohol and Kava on Tanna (Vanuatu). In Mac Marshall (ed.), *Through a Glass Darkly: Beer and Modernization in Papua New Guinea*, pp. 421-432. Boroko: Institute for Applied Social and Economic Research.
- 1981 Speech and Kava on Tanna. In M. Allen (ed.), *Vanuatu: Politics, Economics and Ritual in Island Melanesia*, pp. 379-393. New York: Academic Press.

Book and Media Reviews:

- 2017 Judith A. Bennett and Angela Wanhalla (eds.), *Mothers' Darlings of the South Pacific: The Children of Indigenous Women and U.S. Servicemen World War II. The Contemporary Pacific*
- 2017 Nicholas Thomas et al., *Artefacts of Encounter*. **Choice** 54 (May, 54-4314).
- 2016 Claude Lévi-Strauss, *We are all cannibals and other essays*. **Choice**
- 2016 Cara Bergstrom-Lynch, *Lesbians, gays, and bisexuals becoming parents or Remaining childfree: Confronting social inequalities*. **Choice** 53 (July, 53-5051).
- 2016 Christina Twomey and Ernest Koh (eds.), *The Pacific War: Aftermaths, remembrances and culture*. **Journal of Pacific History** 51:71-73.
- 2016 Luc Pauwels, *Reframing visual social science: towards a more visual sociology and anthropology*. **Choice** 53 (April, 53-3561).
- 2016 Suzanne S. Finney, Mary Mostafanezhad, Guido C. Pigliasco, and Forrest Wade Young (eds.), *Ethnographic Encounters in Asia and the Pacific Islands* **Choice** 53 (March, 53-3121).
- 2016 Christina Toren and Simonne Pauwels (eds.), *Living Kinship in the Pacific*, **Choice** 53 (November, 53-1365).
- 2016 James Fairhead, *The Captain and the "Cannibal": An Epic Story of Exploration, Kidnapping, and the Broadway Stage*. **Pacific Affairs** 89:249-251.
- 2015 Jack Corbett, *Being Political: Leadership and Democracy in the Pacific Islands*. **Pacific Studies** 38:373-375.
- 2015 *Tanna*. Award-winning film Tanna sets Romeo and Juliet in the South Pacific. **The Connection** <http://theconversation.com/award-winning-film-tanna-sets-romeo-and-juliet-in-the-south-pacific-49874>
- 2015 Edvard Hviding and Cato Berg (eds), *The Ethnographic Experiment: A. M. Hocart and W. H. R. Rivers in Island Melanesia, 1908*. **Anthropological Forum** 25:439-441.
- 2015 Courtney Handman, *Critical Christianity: Translation and Denominational Conflict in Papua New Guinea*, **Choice** 52 (May, 52-4843).
- 2015 Moshe Shokeid, *Gay Voluntary Associations in New York*, **Choice** 52 (April, 52-4506).
- 2015 *Cargo Cult* (animated short film). **The Contemporary Pacific** 27:315-317.

- 2014 Niko Besnier and Kalissa Alexeyeff (eds.), *Gender on the Edge: Transgender, Gay, and Other Pacific Islanders*. **Choice** 51 (August, 51-7046).
- 2014 Haidy Geismar, *Treasured Possessions: Indigenous Interventions into Cultural and Intellectual Property*. **Comparative Studies in Society and History**
- 2014 David Chappell, *The Kanak Awakening*. **Choice** 51 (May, 51-5171).
- 2014 Matt Tomlinson and Debra McDougal (eds.), *Christian Politics in Oceania*. **Anthropological Forum** 24:313-315.
- 2013 Steven Roger Fischer, *A History of the Pacific Islands*. **Choice** 51 (February, 51-3393).
- 2013 Michael French Smith, *A Faraway, Familiar Place: An Anthropologist Returns to Papua New Guinea*. **Choice** 51(4 December), 51-2170).
- 2013 Simon Harrison, *Dark Trophies: Hunting and the Enemy Body in Modern War*. **Comparative Studies in Society and History** 55:505-507.
- 2011 Holger Jebens, *After the Cult: Perceptions of Other and Self in West New Britain (Papua New Guinea)*. **Pacific Affairs** 84:416-418.
- 2010 The Me(ad) Generation and the Free Man. Review of Paul Shankman, *The Trashing of Margaret Mead: Anatomy of an Anthropological Controversy*. **Anthropology Now** 2(2):82-88.
- 2010 Sabine C. Hess, *Person and Place: Ideas, Ideals and the Practice of Sociality on Vanuatu Lava, Vanuatu*. **Paideuma** 56.
- 2010 David H. Price, *Anthropological Intelligence: The Deployment and Neglect of American Anthropology in the Second World War*. **Pacific Affairs** 83:144-145.
- 2009 Eriksen, Annelin, *Gender, Christianity and Change in Vanuatu: An Analysis of Social Movements in North Ambrym*. **Oceania** 80:117-118.
- 2009 Connell, John and Barbara Rugendyke (eds.), *Tourism at the Grassroots: Villagers and Visitors in the Asia-Pacific*. **Pacific Affairs** 82:111-112.
- 2009 Worsley, Peter, *An Academic Skating on Thin Ice*. **Pacific History** 44:118-120.
- 2008 Scott, Michael W., *The Severed Snake: Matrilineages, Making Place, and a Melanesian Christianity in Southeast Solomon Islands*. **Australian Journal of Anthropology** 91:368-370.
- 2008 Barker, John (ed.), *The Anthropology of Morality in Melanesia and Beyond*. **Journal of the Polynesian Society** 117:303-305.
- 2008 Rio, Knut M., *The Power of Perspective: Social Ontology and Agency on Ambrym, Vanuatu*. **The Contemporary Pacific** 20:490-492.
- 2008 Gay y Blasco, Paloma and Huon Wardle, *How to Read Ethnography*. **Anthropological Forum** 18:90-92.
- 2007 Brunton, Ron, *The Abandoned Narcotic: Kava and Cultural Instability in Melanesia*. **Social History of Alcohol and Drugs** 22:90-92.
- 2006 Otto, Ton and Poul Pedersen (eds.), *Tradition and Agency: Tracing Cultural Continuity and Invention*. **Anthropological Forum** 16:319-321.

- 2006 Harkin, Michael E. (ed.), *Reassessing Revitalization Movements: Perspectives from North America and the Pacific Islands*. ***Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute*** 12:984-985.
- 2006 Errington, Frederick and Deborah Gewertz, *Yali's Question: Sugar, Culture, and History*. ***Anthropological Forum*** 16:188-190.
- 2006 Allen, Michael., *Ritual, Power, and Gender: Explorations in the Ethnography of Vanuatu, Nepal and Ireland*. ***Anthropological Forum*** 16:97-99.
- 2005 Foster, Robert J., *Materializing the nation: commodities, consumption, and media in Papua New Guinea*. ***Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute*** 11: 173-174.
- 2005 Poyer, Lin, Falgout, Suzanne and Laurence M. Carucci, *The Typhoon of War: Micronesian Experiences of the Pacific War*. ***The America Neptune***
- 2004 Billings, Dorothy K., *Cargo Cult as Theater: Political Performance in the Pacific*. ***The Contemporary Pacific*** 16:201-203.
- 2003 Faubion, J. D., *The Shadows and Lights of Waco: Millennialism Today*. ***Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute*** 9:158-159.
- 2003 Mufwene, Salikoko S., *The Ecology of Language Evolution*. ***Southwest Journal of Linguistics*** 22:11-13.
- 2002 Pointer, Margaret. *My Heart is Crying a Little: Niue Island Involvement in the Great War*. ***Pacific Affairs*** 75:157-158.
- 2001 Sillitoe, Paul, *Social Change in Melanesia: Development and History*. ***The Contemporary Pacific*** 13:585-586.
- 2001 *At Home in Vanuatu: Tradition in the Western Pacific*. Photographic Exhibition, California Academy of Sciences. ***The Contemporary Pacific*** 13:617-618.
- 2000 Jennifer Cornish Media, *Selo! Selo! Bigfala Canoe* (video). ***The Contemporary Pacific*** 12:564-565.
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- Feb, 2016 ASAO Special Publications and Distinguished Lectures, ASAO annual meeting, San Diego, CA
- July, 2015 Stone and Memory: Relics on Tanna (poster), 8th Lapita Conference, Port Vila, Vanuatu.
- June, 2015 Shooting Melanesians: Martin John and Edward Salisbury in the Southwest Pacific. Meetings of the European Society for Oceania. Brussels, Belgium. Also University of Göttingen, University of Aix Marseille (invited lectures).
- June, 2015 *Respek* and Other Urban Vila Keywords. Meetings of the European Society for Oceania. Brussels, Belgium.
- Feb, 2015 History of ASAO's Special Publications and Distinguished Lectures. Annual meetings of the Assoc for Social Anthropology in Oceania, Santa Fe, NM
- July, 2014 Shooting Melanesians: Early Still and Motion Pictures from the Southwest Pacific. Broken Images: Early American Photography of the Asia Pacific, 1850-1950, Griffiths University, Brisbane, Australia.
- Feb, 2014 Nomination and Social Reproduction; Nature Collecting in the New Hebrides. Annual meetings of the Assoc. for Social Anthropology in Oceania, Kona, HI.
- July, 2013 Stretem Problem long Kastom. TAFEA Filwoka Woksop, Lenakel, Tanna, Vanuatu
- Feb, 2013 Nomination and Social Reproduction; Nature Collecting in the New Hebrides. Annual meetings of the Assoc. for Social Anthropology in Oceania, San Antonio, TX

- Mar, 2012 Migrant Lives in Vanuatu. “Power in the Pacific” conference, University of Bergen, Bergen, Norway
- Feb, 2012 Nomination and Social Reproduction. Annual meetings of the Assoc. for Social Anthropology in Oceania, Portland, OR.
- Nov, 2011 Village And Town: Migrant Lives And Places In Vanuatu. Annual meetings of the American Anthro. Assn, Montreal, Canada.
- Sept, 2011 Urban(e) Migrants: Local Perspectives on Settlement Life in Port Vila, Vanuatu. East-West Centre, Honolulu, HI.
- July, 2011 Urban Migration, Tanna-Vila since Independence, University of the South Pacific, Emalus Campus, Port Vila, Vanuatu.
- July, 2011 History of Anthropological Research on Tanna, TAFEA Kaljral Senta.
- Feb, 2011 Discussant, Austronesian Linkages, ASAO annual meetings, Honolulu, HI
- Nov, 2010 Geoffrey Gorer and Féral Benga, A Collaboration. Annual meetings of the American Anthropology Assn., New Orleans, LA.
- Oct, 2010 Urban(e) Tannese: Local Perspectives on Settlement Life in Port Vila (Vanuatu). Melanesian Urbanism Workshop, University of Bergen, Norway
- Aug, 2010 Settling and Unsettling Disputes: A View from the Village. Invited Keynote address to Law and Culture: Meaningful Legal Pluralism in the Pacific and Beyond conference, Port Vila, Vanuatu (also presented as an invited Seminar, Department of Anthropology, University of Bergen (November 2010) and at the Institute for Aboriginal Studies, Taitung, Taiwan (December 2010)
- Jun, 2009 A Body of Postcards from Tanna, Vanuatu; Dreaming of Unity and Cargo in Melanesia, Centre de Research et de Documentation sur l’Océanie, Université de Provence, Marseille, France.
- May, 2009 Cultural Heritage, Tradition and Tourism on Tanna. Ecole des Haute Etudes in Sciences Sociales, Paris, France.
- Mar, 2009 Cultural Heritage, Politics, and Tourism on Tanna (Vanuatu), Pacific Alternatives: Cultural Heritage and Political Innovation in Oceania conference, Honolulu, HI
- Feb, 2009 Even More Strange Stories of Desire, ASAO annual meetings, Santa Cruz, CA
- Apr, 2008 Martin and Osa Johnson in the New Hebrides, Martin and Osa Johnson Safari Museum 2008 Film Festival, Chanute, KS
- Dec, 2007 On Safari with Martin and Osa Johnson. American Anthropological Assn. annual meetings, Washington, DC
- Mar, 2007 Dreaming of Unity and Cargo in Melanesia,” Invited paper. Anthropology Colloquium Series, Dept. of Anthropology, University of Hawaii, Honolulu
- Feb, 2007 “Kava Pirates in Vanuatu?” ASAO annual meetings, Charlottesville, VA.
- Dec, 2006 Robert Tonkinson’s Relocations of Melanesian *Kastom*.” Invited paper, Anthropology in the West, 1956-2006, 50th anniversary of the University of Western Australia’s Dept. of Anthropology, Perth, Australia

- Nov, 2006 "Big Wok: The Vanuatu Cultural Centre's Pacific War Ethnohistory Project," 25 Years of Vanuatu Research, Port Vila, Vanuatu
- Oct, 2006 "Dreaming of Unity and Cargo on Tanna (Vanuatu), Invited Keynote, Cultural Heritage and Political Innovation in Island Melanesia, University of Bergen, Norway
- Apr, 2006 "Code-mixing and Language Change in Vanuatu," Towards a Unified Framework in Developmental Linguistics, 16th Annual Comparative Literature Symposium, University of Tulsa, Tulsa, OK
- Feb, 2006 "Naming and Memory on Tanna," Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania annual meetings, San Diego, CA; Changing Contexts, Shifting Meanings: Transformations of Cultural Traditions in Oceania, Honolulu Academy of Arts, HI
- Dec, 2005 Discussant: An Ambivalent Commodity: Marijuana among Pacific Island Communities. American Anthropological Assn. annual meetings, Washington, DC
- Mar, 2005 "First Contact," Utah State University Museum of Anthropology Film Series, Logan, UT.
- Feb, 2005 "Survivor Vanuatu: Myths of Matriarchy Revisited," Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania annual meetings, Lihue, HI.
- Feb, 2005 "Kava Pirates in Vanuatu," Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania annual meetings, Lihue, HI.
- Feb, 2004 "Youthscapes," Comments on "Young People in the Global Pacific: Culture and Agency" symposium, Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania annual meetings, Salem, MA.
- Mar, 2003 "Win One for the GPRA: Recent Experiences in Applied Anthropology. Invited Lecture, San Diego State University.
- Nov, 2002 "Adventure for Sale: Martin and Osa Johnson in the New Hebrides," American Anthropological Assn. annual meeting, New Orleans
- Nov, 1999 "Cargo Cult 2000," keynote address. Cargo, Cult and Culture Critique. Workshop Sponsored by the Frobenius-Institute and Aarhus University, Aarhus, Denmark.
- Nov, 1999 "A Body of Postcards from Vanuatu," American Anthropological Assn. Annual meetings, Chicago, IL
- Oct, 1999 "Cargo Cult 2000," Department of Anthropology, University of Illinois.
- Jun, 1999 "Cargo Cults and the Pacific War," NEH Summer Institute, Honolulu, HI
- Oct, 1997 "Why No One is Creative on Tanna, Vanuatu," Semiotic Society of America annual meetings, Louisville, KY
- Nov, 1996 "Mambu Phone Home: The Return of Cargo Cults," American Anthropological Assn. annual meeting, San Francisco, CA
- Jul, 1996 "Chiefs and the State in the Pacific," National Center for Development Studies, State, Society and Governance in Melanesia Series, Australian National University
- Jul, 1996 "Cargo Cult Inventories, shopping Lists and Desire," Anthropology Seminar Series, Australian National University

- Jun, 1996 "Images of Island Natives in Pacific War Photographs," Auckland University; Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand
- Feb, 1996 "Chiefs, National Identity and National Unity in the Pacific," National Museum of Ethnology, Osaka, Japan
- Dec, 1995 "Pacific War Ethnohistory," Kagoshima University Center for Pacific Studies, Kagoshima, Japan.
- Sep, 1995 "Images of Island Natives in Pacific War Photographs," The Politics of Remembering the Pacific War, East-West Center, Honolulu, HI.
- Dec, 1994 "Cargo Inventories, Shopping Lists, and Desire," American Anthropological Assn. annual meetings, Atlanta, GA.
- Mar, 1994 "Cargo Cult 2000," Amhurst College Dept. of Religion.
- Nov, 1993 "How Women Take the Floor: Gender in Melanesian Public Discourse," American Anthropological Assn. annual meetings, Washington, DC.
- Jul, 1993 "Cargo Cults," Program on Education and Training, East-West Center, HI.
- Dec, 1992 "Cargo Cultism," American Anthropological Assn. annual meetings, San Francisco, CA.
- Aug, 1992 "Kastom Polisi long Kastom: Traditional Cultural Policy in Melanesia," Developing Cultural Policy in Melanesia Workshop, Honiara, Solomon Islands.
- Mar, 1992 "Chiefs and the State in Vanuatu," Assn. for Social Anthropology in Oceania annual meetings, Victoria, BC.
- Nov, 1991 "The Genealogy of Cargo Cult," American Anthropological Assn. meetings, Chicago, IL.
- Oct, 1991 "Americans" and "Natives": Images of the Other in World War Two Vanuatu. American Society for Ethnohistory Annual Meetings, Tulsa, OK.
- May, 1991 "The Genealogy of Cargo Cult." Center for Pacific Islands Studies, University of Hawaii, Honolulu, HI.
- Nov, 1990 "Cargo Cult Culture: Towards a Genealogy of Melanesian Kastom. American Anthropological Assn. meetings, New Orleans, LA.
- Apr, 1990 "Island Encounters: Black and White Memories of World War II." (1) Field Museum of Natural History Lecture Series, Chicago; (2) Dept. of Anthropology, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS.
- Mar, 1990 "Pasin Tumbuna: Cultural Tradition and National Identity in Papua New Guinea." Assn. for Social Anthropology in Oceania, annual meetings, Kauai, HI.
- Nov, 1989 "Telling and Not Telling War Stories in Vanuatu." American Anthropological Assn. annual meetings, Washington, DC.
- Aug, 1989 "Singing History: Island Songs from the Pacific War" (with G. White). Pacific Arts Assn. meetings, Honolulu, HI.
- Feb, 1989 "Bislama into Kwamera: Code-mixing of a Pidgin and a Vernacular on Tanna, Vanuatu." Assn. for Social Anthropology in Oceania annual meetings, San Antonio, TX.

- May, 1988 "The Vanuatu Labor Corps Experience." Cultural Encounters in the Pacific War, Honolulu, HI.
- Nov, 1987 "Big-Men and the Conversational Marketplace of Tanna (Vanuatu)." American Anthropological Assn. annual meetings, Chicago, IL.
- Dec, 1986 "Context Contests: Debatable Truth Statements on Tanna (Vanuatu)." American Anthropological Assn. annual meetings, Philadelphia, PA.
- May, 1986 "The Politics of Truth." Melanesia Seminar, University of California at San Diego.
- Mar, 1986 "Working Encounters: World War II Labor Corps in Vanuatu." Assn. for Social Anthropology in Oceania annual meetings, New Harmony, IN.
- Dec, 1985 "Charisma and the Exchange Value of Knowledge." American Anthropological Assn. annual meetings, Washington, DC.
- June, 1985 "Working the War: World War Two Labor Corps Oral History." Pacific History Assn. annual meetings, Suva, Fiji.
- Nov, 1984 "The Power of Ear-Witnessing on Tanna, Vanuatu." American Anthropological Assn. annual meetings, Denver, CO.
- Feb, 1984 "Literacy on Tanna." Assn. for Social Anthropology in Oceania annual meetings, Molokai, HI.
- Feb, 1984 "Drunkenness and Gender on Tanna, Vanuatu." Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania annual meetings, Molokai, HI. Chair: Symposium on Drugs and Interpersonal Relations in the Pacific.
- Nov, 1983 "Place and Landscape on Tanna." American Anthropological Assn. annual meetings, Chicago, IL. Chair: Symposium on Austronesian Cultures and the Notion of Place.
- Dec, 1982 "Say What? Language and Political Boundaries on Tanna." American Anthropological Assn. annual meetings, Washington, DC. Chair: Symposium on Vanuatu: Politics and Kastom.
- Feb, 1982 "Cultural Politics: National Concerns in Bush Arenas on Tanna (Vanuatu)." Evolving Political Cultures in the Pacific Islands Conference, Institute of Polynesian Studies, Laie, HI.
- Dec, 1981 "Doctor, Lawyer, Wise Man, Priest: Knowledge and Power in Melanesia." American Anthropological Assn. annual meetings. Chair: Symposium on Knowledge and Power.
- Sept, 1980 "John Frum and the Concept of America." California American Studies Assn. meetings, Berkeley, CA.
- Feb, 1980 "Personal and Impersonal Names on Tanna." Assn. for Social Anthropology in Oceania annual meetings, Galveston, TX.
- Mar, 1979 "The Politics of Difference on Tanna." Dept. of Anthropology, Research School of Pacific Studies Seminar Series, Canberra, Australia.

EXHIBITIONS:

Tart Cards from London: Pop Style and Sexuality

University of Tulsa, 1996

Pacific Encounters: Island Memories of World War II.

John Burns Hall, East-West Center, 30 March -- 22 May, 1987

Solomon Islands, Papua New Guinea, Australia, Vanuatu,

July 1987 -- December 1988

Field Museum, Chicago, IL, March -- June, 1989

Various US Navy Bases and Embassies, Pacific Region (sponsored by US

Navy), 1992-1993

T-Shirts From Tanna

Vanuatu Cultural Centre, 2007

University of Tulsa, May 1984 - December 1985

Southwestern at Memphis, March -- June 1982

Lowie Museum of Anthropology, Berkeley, September 1980 – February
1981