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School of Geography, Development, and Environment
University of Arizona

EDUCATION

- Ph.D.* Geography, University of Washington, 2000
Graduate Certificate in Women's Studies
Dissertation: *Remaking Gender and Citizenship in a Mexican Indigenous Community*. Adviser: Victoria Lawson
- M.A.* Geography, University of Washington, 1996
Thesis: *Neoliberalism as contested ideological terrain: state practices and peasant agencies in Michoacán, Mexico*. Advisor: Victoria Lawson.
- B.A.* International Studies, University of Oregon, 1990
Minors: Environmental Studies and Spanish, *summa cum laude*

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- Professor, University of Arizona. Geography, Development and Environment; July 2025-present.
- Associate Professor, University of Arizona. Geography, Development and Environment; January 2019-June 2025.
- Associate Professor, The Pennsylvania State University. Joint appointment: Department of Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies and the Department of Geography; August 2013-December 2018.
- Associate Professor, University of Oregon. Department of Geography. September 2008—July 2013.
- Assistant Professor, University of Oregon. Department of Geography. September 2001—August 2008

ADMINISTRATIVE LEADERSHIP

- Interim Director, Geography, Development and Environment. University of Arizona August 2024-July 2025.

PUBLICATIONS

Books and Edited Collections

Nelson, Lise. (2025) *Illegality and the Production of Affluence: Undocumented Labor and Gentrification in Rural America*. University of California Press.

Nelson, Lise and Joni Seager, Eds. (2005) *A Companion to Feminist Geography*. London: Blackwell, 617 pages.

Peer-Reviewed Articles (*indicates student advisee)

Kaufman, Sonia Bat-Sheva* and **Nelson, Lise**. (2025) Interpreting Title IX: A feminist legal geography of sexual assault prevention on US college campuses. *Political Geography*, 116, 103252. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.polgeo.2024.103252>.

Nelson, Lise. (2024) The limits of participatory action research: when does participatory “action” alliance become problematic, and how can you tell? In *Sage Research Methods: Diversifying and Decolonizing Research*. SAGE Publications.
<https://doi.org/10.4135/9781529683998>.

Nelson, Lise., Smith, Barbara Ellen, & Winders, Jamie. (2021) Between aggrieved whiteness and class precarity: a feminist politics of interpretation. *Gender, Place & Culture*, 29(7): 961–982. <https://doi.org/10.1080/0966369X.2021.1921704>.

Emard, Kelsey* and **Lise Nelson**. (2021) “Geographies of global lifestyle migration: Towards an Anticolonial Approach” *Progress in Human Geography*, 45(5): 1040-1060.
<https://doi.org/10.1177/0309132520957723>

Fritzsche, Lauren* and **Lise Nelson** (2019) Refugee resettlement, place and the politics of Islamophobia. *Social and Cultural Geography*, 21(4): 508-526.
<https://doi.org/10.1080/14649365.2019.1672775>

Bickham-Mendez, Jennifer and **Lise Nelson**. (2016) Producing “quality of life” in the “Nuevo South”: The spatial dynamics of Latino’s social reproduction in Southern amenity destinations. *City and Society*, 28(2): 129-151. <https://doi.org/10.1111/ciso.12079>

Nelson, Lise, Laurie Trautman,* and Peter Nelson. (2015) Latino immigrants and rural gentrification: Race, “illegality,” and precarious labor regimes in U.S. rural amenity destinations. *Annals of the Association of American Geographers* 105(4): 841-858.
<https://doi.org/10.1080/00045608.2015.1052338>

Nelson, Peter B., **Lise Nelson** and Laurie Trautman.* (2014) Linked migration and labor market flexibility in rural amenity destination in the United States. *Journal of Rural Studies* 36: 121-136. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jrurstud.2014.07.008>

- Nelson, Lise. (2013) Engaging Butler—subjects, cernment and ongoing limits of performativity. Peer-reviewed contribution to: *Performativity, Politics, and the Production of Social Space*, edited by Michael R. Glass and Reuben S. Rose-Redwood. London: Routledge.
- Kaufman, Emily* and **Lise Nelson**. (2011) Malthus, gender and the demarcation of 'dangerous' bodies in 1996 U.S. welfare reform. *Gender, Place, and Culture: A Journal of Feminist Geography*, 19(4): 429-448. <https://doi.org/10.1080/0966369X.2011.625081>
- Nelson, Lise and Peter Nelson. (2011) The global rural: Gentrification and linked migration in the rural USA. *Progress in Human Geography*, 35 (4): 441-459. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0309132510380487>
- Nelson, Peter B., Alexander Oberg, and **Lise Nelson**. (2010) Rural Gentrification and Linked Migration in the United States. *Journal of Rural Studies*, 26: 343-352. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jrurstud.2010.06.003>
- Nelson, Lise. (2010) Geographical Perspectives on Development Studies. In Robert Denemark et al. eds., *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of International Studies*. Oxford. (peer-reviewed) <https://doi.org/10.1093/acrefore/9780190846626.013.197>
- Nelson, Peter, Ahn Wei Lee, and **Lise Nelson**. (2009) Linking baby boomer migration and Hispanic migration into rural America: A multi-scaled approach. *Population, Space and Place*, 15: 277-293. <https://doi.org/10.1002/psp.520>
- Nelson, Lise and Nancy Hiemstra.* (2008) Latino immigrants and the renegotiation of place and belonging in small town America. *Social & Cultural Geography*, 9(3): 319-342.
- Nelson, Lise. (2008) Racialized landscapes in an era of globalization: Whiteness and the struggle over farmworker housing in Woodburn, OR. *Cultural Geographies*, 15(1): 41-62.
- Nelson, Lise. (2007) Farmworker housing and spaces of belonging in Woodburn, Oregon. *The Geographical Review*, 97 (4): 520-541.
- Nelson, Lise. (2006) Geographies of state power, protest, and women's political identity formation in Michoacán, Mexico. *Annals of the Association of American Geographers*, 96 (2): 365-88.
- Nelson, Lise. (2006) Artesanía, mobility and the crafting of indigenous identities among Purhépechan women in Mexico. *Journal of Latin American Geography*, 5 (1): 55-71.
- Nelson, Lise. (2004) Topographies of citizenship: Purhépechan Mexican women claiming political subjectivities. *Gender, Place and Culture*, 11 (2): 163-87.

Nelson, Lise. (2003) De-centering the movement: Collective action, place and the 'sedimentation' of radical political discourses. *Environment and Planning D: Society and Space*, 21: 559-81.

Nelson, Lise. (1999) Bodies (and spaces) *do* matter: The limits of performativity. *Gender, Place and Culture*, 6(4): 331-54.

Book Chapters (reviewed by editors)

Kinkaid, Eden* and **Lise Nelson**. (2020) "On the subject of performativity: Butler's influence in geography" in *Routledge International Handbook of Gender and Feminist Geographies*, edited by Anindita Datta, Peter Hopkins, Lynda Johnston, Elizabeth Olson, and Joseli Maria Silva. London: Routledge.

Nelson, Lise. (2019) "Illegality" in *Keywords in Radical Geographical Thought*, edited by Tari Jazeel, Andy Kent, Katherine McKittrick and Nik Theodore. Wiley Blackwell Publishers.

Nelson, Lise. (2017) "Farm labor, immigration and race" in *Food and Place: A Critical Exploration*, edited by Pascale Joassart-Marcelli and Fernando J. Bosco. Rowman and Littlefield Publishers.

Nelson, Lise. (2017) Geografía feminista anglosajona: Reflexiones hacia una geografía global, [Anglo Feminist Geography: Reflections towards a Global Geography] pp. 132-157 in *Geografías feministas de diversas latitudes: Orígenes, desarrollo y temáticas contemporáneas* [Feminist Geographies of Diverse Latitudes: Origins, Development and Contemporary Themes], edited by María Verónica Ibarra Garcia and Irma Escamilla-Herrera. Editoriales UNAM: Mexico City.

Nelson, Lise. (2016) Soccer and the mundane politics of belonging: Latino immigrants, recreation and spaces of exclusion in the rural U.S. South. *Critical Geographies of Sport*, edited by Natalie Koch and Justin Spinny. New York: Routledge.

David Barker, Anne Bonds, Jennifer Devine, Lucy Jarosz, Victoria Lawson, **Lise Nelson**, and Peter Nelson. (2011) Rural Restructuring. In Michael Brown and Richard Morrill, eds. *Seattle: Geographies of Here and Beyond*. Seattle, WA: University of Washington Press.

Nelson, Lise. (2008) Espacio y etnografía en un contexto globalizado. [Space and Ethnography in a Globalized Context] *Sendas de la Globalización. Comprensiones Etnográficas sobre Poderes Y Desigualdades* [Paths of Globalization: Ethnographic Understandings of Powers and Inequalities], edited by Francisco Javier Gómez Carpineiro. Puebla, Mexico: Instituto de Ciencias Sociales y Humanidades, Benemérita Universidad Autónoma de Puebla, 260 pages.

Nelson, Lise and Joni Seager. (2005) "Introduction: The poetics of bodies, spaces, place and politics." In *A Companion to Feminist Geography*, edited by Lise Nelson and Joni Seager, 1-11. London: Blackwell.

Non-academic, social media publications

Nelson, Lise. (2016) "Trump's wall ignores the economic logic of undocumented immigrant labor" *The Conversation*. Published online October 25, 2016:

<https://theconversation.com/trumps-wall-ignores-the-economic-logic-of-undocumented-immigrant-labor-67371>.

Republished: http://www.huffingtonpost.com/the-conversation-us/trumps-wall-ignores-the-e_b_12676750.html

Republished: <http://www.salon.com/2016/10/27/forget-the-wall-why-are-employers-so-interested-in-hiring-undocumented-labor-partner/>

Nelson, Lise, Laurie Trautman, and Peter B. Nelson. (2015) "Landscapes of luxury in the rural U.S. depend on the recruitment of low-wage and often undocumented Latino workers." *The London School of Economics and Political Science, daily blog on American Politics and Policy*. Published online September 5, 2015: <http://bit.ly/1VBEoWy>.

In Process or Preparation

Luna Garcia, Wendy* and Lise Nelson "The scholarly invisibility of Latine immigrants laboring in the unconventional oil and gas industry" In preparation.

Book Reviews

Nelson, Lise. (2018) Undocumented Fears: Immigration and the Politics of Divide and Conquer in Hazleton, Pennsylvania, by Jamie Longazel, *The Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography* 142(1): 123-124.

Nelson, Lise. (2008) Women and Change at the U.S.-Mexico Border: Mobility, Labor and Activism, by Doreen J. Mattingly and Ellen R. Hansen, *Annals of the Association of American Geographers*, 98 (3): 752-754.

Nelson, Lise. (2004) Geopolítica, Identidad y Globalización [Geopolitics, Identity and Globalization], by Joan Nogué Font and Joan Rufí, *Professional Geographer*, 56 (4): 588.

Nelson, Lise. (2002) Mexico: The Struggle for Democratic Development, by Daniel C. Levy, Kathleen Bruhn and Emilio Zebadúa, *Progress in Development Studies*, 2 (4): 351-352.

Nelson, Lise. (2001) Thinking space, ed. by Nigel Thrift and Mike Crang, *Gender, Place and Culture*, 8 (2): 208.

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

- 2009 National Science Foundation (PI) "Linked migration and shifting labor markets in the rural United States" (BCS-0852104) \$340,000.
- 2008 Fulbright Fellowship, Michoacán, Mexico "Political change and the remaking of gender and indigeneity in Michoacán, Mexico 1988-2000." \$17,000.
- 2003 Resident Scholar, Wayne Morse Center for Law and Politics, University of Oregon. \$10,000.
- 2002 Summer Research Award, University of Oregon. \$4,000
- 2001 Junior Professor Development Grant, University of Oregon (also awarded 2004, 2005 and 2007) \$6,500 total
- 1998 Inter-American Foundation Dissertation Fieldwork Grant (\$7062)
- 1997 National Science Foundation Dissertation Improvement Grant (\$9894)
- 1994 National Science Foundation Graduate Fellowship

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2018 Humanities Institute Faculty Fellow, Penn State University
- 2012 Ed Price Faculty Service Award, Department of Geography, University of Oregon
- 2006 Ed Price Faculty Service Award, Department of Geography, University of Oregon
- 2006 Rippey Innovative Teaching Award, University of Oregon (\$3,000)

INVITED LECTURES AND COLLOQUIA

- 2024 *Invited panelist "Sustaining Arizona's Communities through Historical Newspapers" University of Arizona Library Symposium, April 12th.*
- 2023 *Invited lecture "Title IX and Ending Sexual Violence on Campus: A Feminist Legal Geography." Symposium organized in honor of Alec Murphy. University of Oregon, June 3rd.*
- 2022 *Geografías de la gentrificación rural en los EE.UU y la migración laboral transnational latinoamericana.* [Geographies of rural gentrification in the United States and transnational Latin American labor migration.] Virtual lecture, Fórum Instituto de Geografía [Institute of Geography Forum], Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM). Mexico City. September 9th.

- 2020 *La gentrificación rural en los Estados Unidos* [Rural gentrification in the United States]. Virtual lecture, Estudios del Territorio [Territorial Studies], El Colegio de San Luis Potosí, Mexico. December 7th.
- 2018 *Working with vulnerable populations: Feminist perspectives*. Invited speaker for the 25th Annual Methods Workshop: Hard to Reach Populations, Penn State Sociology and Demography Graduate Students. May 16th, University Park, PA.
- 2017 *Atlas.ti: Qualitative data analysis*. Invited talk Software in the Humanities and Social Sciences Series, December 13th. Penn State Libraries, University Park, PA.
- 2017 *Mujeres inquietas: Construyendo geografías relacionales y inquietas para la liberación*. [Restless women: Building relational and restless geographies of liberation.] In-person keynote address, Segundo Congreso Internacional sobre Género y Espacio; y el Tercer Seminario Latinoamericano de Geografía, Género y Sexualidades. [Second International Congress on Gender and Space; Third Annual Seminar on Latin American Geography, Gender and Sexualities.] May 16-20. Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México and La Universidad Nacional Autónoma Metropolitana. Mexico City, Mexico.
- 2016 *Immigrant labor and the fractured geographies of everyday life in the context of rural gentrification*. "Moving: Gendered Experiences of Migration, Gentrification, and Displacement" Workshop. University of Pittsburgh, April 8 & 9.
- 2015 *Soccer, space, and the racial politics of belonging in El Nuevo South*. Coffee Hour Series, Department of Geography, The Pennsylvania State University. Feb. 13.
- 2015 *Revealing Dependencies: HB87 and immigrant labor regimes in rural Georgia, USA*. Changing American Neighborhoods and Communities Working Group, Population Research Institute, the Pennsylvania State University. March 2.
- 2014 *Latino immigrants and rural gentrification: Race, legality and precarious labor regimes in rural U.S. amenity destinations*. Population Research Institute, Penn State. September 22.
- 2013 *Geografía feminista anglosajona: Reflexiones hacia una geografía feminista global*. [Western feminist geography: Reflections towards a global feminist geography.] Facultad de Geografía [Geography Faculty], Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM). Mexico City. October 10.
- 2012 *Luxury, legality and whiteness in rural U.S. amenity destinations*. Department of Geography, University of Washington. November 9.
- Negotiating human subject protocols: From the practical to the philosophical*. Center for the Study of Women in Society, University of Oregon. April 11.
- 2011 *Landscapes of invitation: Gentrification and undocumented immigration in the rural United States*. Fall Immigration Symposium, New Landscapes in Legalization: An Interdisciplinary Exploration. Lewis and Clark School of Law, Portland: Oct. 28.

- 2011 *Categorizing and understanding migration. LENS Institute: Mapping Migrations. University of Redlands. June 1.*
- Conceptualizing place and identity in social theory. UO Schol of Journalism. May 11.*
- Globalization and the production of the “illegal” immigrant. Community Justice Symposium, Middlebury College. March 2.*
- Rural gentrification and the politics of Latino/a immigrant “integration” in the rural United States. Sociology Department, University of Oregon. February 4.*
- 2010 *Space and the struggle over farmworker housing. Guest speaker, University of Oregon Architecture Program. Portland, April 12.*
- 2009 *Geografías del poder del estado, protesta popular y la formación fragmentada de identidades políticas en Michoacán, México. Facultad de Geografía, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM). Mexico City, November 5.*
- 2008 *Geografías del poder del estado, protesta popular, y la formación fragmentada de identidades políticas en Michoacán, México. [Geographies of state power, popular protest, and the fragmented formation of political identities in Michoacán, Mexico] Facultad de Geografía, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM). Mexico City, November 20.*
- 2007 *Indigenous peoples and globalization in Latin America. World Affairs Council, Juneau, Alaska, May 11.*
- 2006 *Contested boundaries of race, place, and belonging: The struggle over farmworker housing in Woodburn, Oregon. Oregon State University, Dept. of Philosophy “Ideas Matter: Boundaries, Borders, and Frontiers” series, January 12.*
- 2005 *Artesanía and the crafting of indigenous identities among Purhépechan women in Mexico. (Re)examining Race and Gender Symposium. Seattle University, Seattle, WA. March 17.*
- 2004 *Women defending the plaza: Gender, citizenship and the politics of place. Geography Department, University of Colorado colloquium, March 9.*
- 2003 *The surprising worlds of Geography. Invited speaker at The Oregonian newspaper, Portland, Oregon. February 18.*
- 1999 *Prácticas y discursos emergentes de ciudadanía en Cherán, Michoacán. El Colegio de Michoacán, April. Zamora, Mexico. February 18.*

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2025 *Asylum politics and local humanitarianisms along the U.S.-Mexico border (co-authors Diego Piña Lopez, Alex Nava, Liz Oglesby and Christry Stewart). American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Detroit, MI. (April)*

- 2023 *Asylum politics and the shifting landscapes of humanitarianism in Southern Arizona* (co-author Liz Oglesby) Race, Ethnicity Place Conference. Washington D.C.
- 2023 *Title IX and the feminist legal geography of sexual assault prevention on U.S. college campuses.* (with Sonia Kaufman) American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting. Denver, CO. (April)
- 2022 Panelist: "Teaching Qualitative Methods in Geography," American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting. Virtual conference (February)
- 2019 Panelist: "Innovations in Teaching Qualitative Methods," American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C. (April)
- 2018 *Mujeres inquietas: Reflexiones sobre el poder y la agencia narradas por mujeres Purhépechas en Michoacán, México.* [Restless women: Reflections on power and agency narrated by Purhépechan women in Michoacán, Mexico.] Congress of Latin Americanist Geographers Annual Meeting, San José, Costa Rica. (May)
- Illegality as Dispossession.* Invited Participation in session "Dimensions of dispossession: Spatialities, temporalities, and (im)materialities" organized by Joel Correia and Max Counter. American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. (April)
- Panelist: "Labour Geography: Where should it go?" organized by Madhumitta Dutta, American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA.
- 2017 *Whiteness, masculinity, and economic precarity: Interpretive, normative and ethical dimensions.* Invited participation in session "Precarious times, precarious politics: Whiteness, masculinity, and working-class lives" organized by Jamie Winders and Barbara Ellen Smith. American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. (April)
- 2016 *Labor markets, illegality, and immigrant social networks: A view from the rural United States.* Trans-Atlantic Rural Research Network Meeting. Queen's University, Belfast. (May)
- 2015 *Geographies of social vulnerability and precarious labor in el Nuevo South.* National Women's Studies Association meeting. Milwaukee, WI (November).
- The geopolitics of low-wage labor.* Association of American Geographers Annual meeting. Chicago, IL (April).
- 2014 *Revealing dependencies: HB87 and immigrant labor regimes in rural Georgia, USA.* Relational Poverty Network Meeting, University of Washington, Seattle. (October)
- Soccer and the politics of belonging: Latino immigrants, recreation and spaces of exclusion in rural Georgia.* Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting Tampa, FL (April).
- 2013 *Luxury, legality and whiteness in rural U.S. amenity landscapes.* Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Los Angeles, CA (April).
- 2012 *Soccer and the politics of belonging for Latino/a immigrants in the rural U.S.* Latin American Studies Association XXX International Congress. San Francisco, CA (May).

- Race, legality, and precarious labor regimes in U.S. rural amenity destinations.* Association of Pacific Coast Geographers Meeting. San Francisco, CA (October).
- Latino immigrants and rural gentrification: Integration, exclusion, and contested re-imaginings of rurality in the U.S.* Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Seattle, WA (April).
- Panelist, *Author Meets Critic: Begging as a Path to Progress: Indigenous Women and Children and the Struggle for Ecuador's Urban Spaces.* Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Seattle, WA (April).
- 2011 Panelist, *Feminist Geography Re-Examined: Epistemological Frameworks, Methodological Approaches.* Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Seattle, WA (April).
- 2010 *Rural gentrification and the politics of belonging for Latino immigrants living in rural America.* Latin American Studies Association XXIX International Congress. Toronto, Ontario (October).
- Reproduction of North-South power relations in migrant hometown association networks.* Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C. (April).
- Changing rural Geographies in the United States.* Discussant. Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C. (April).
- 2007 Panelist "Qualitative methods: pedagogy and praxis." Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA (April).
- 2006 Panelist "Where is the social in social and cultural geography?" Organized by Vincent del Casino and Sallie A. Marston. Association of Pacific Coast Geographers. Eugene, OR (Sept).
- 2005 *Housing security and claims to social citizenship: Latino/a farmworkers in Oregon.* Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Denver, CO (April).
- 2004 *The politics of transnational citizenship: Mexican immigrants and urban space in Woodburn, Oregon.* Latin American Studies Association, XXV International Congress. Las Vegas, Nevada (October).
- Race, place and citizenship: Struggles over farmworker housing in Woodburn, Oregon.* Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. (March)
- Panelist on "Geographical Perspectives on Ethnography I: Theorizing Ethnography" Organized by Heather Merrill and Karen Till. Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (March).
- 2003 *Contested urban landscapes: Race, place and citizenship in Woodburn, Oregon.* Association of Pacific Coast Geographers Meeting, September. Portland, OR.
- The Shifting spatialities of public and private: Gender, ethnicity and "modernization" in Mexico.* Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA (March).

- 2002 *Exploring gender and citizenship through transnational feminist perspectives.* Association of American Geographers Meeting, March. Los Angeles, California.
- 2001 *The geo-politics of ethnic and gendered identity formation in the Meseta Purhépecha, Michoacán.* Latin American Studies Association XXIII International Congress. Washington, D.C. (September).
- The spatial 'consolidation' of new gendered political identities and citizenship practices in Cherán, Michoacán.* Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. New York, NY (March).
- 2000 *Re-conceptualizing citizenship from a transnational perspective: Political transitions in Michoacán, Mexico.* Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania (April).
- 1998 *Las que defienden al pueblo: Emerging Practices and Discourses of Citizenship in Michoacán, Mexico.* Latin American Studies Association XXI International Congress. Chicago, IL (September).
- Theorizing citizenship within ethnographic research.* Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Boston, MA (March).
- 1997 *Neoliberalism as contested ideological terrain: State practices and peasant agencies in Michoacán, Mexico.* Latin American Studies Association XX International Congress Guadalajara, April. Mexico.
- 1996 *Challenging modernization paradigms and clientelistic state practices: Indigenous forestry communities in Michoacán, Mexico.* Association of American Geographers Meeting, March. Charlotte, South Carolina.

CONFERENCES AND SESSIONS ORGANIZED

- 2025 Co-organizer (with Sarah Elwood and Austin Crane) two panels "Honoring Vicky Lawson." American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting. Detroit, MI. (April)
- 2019 Co-organizer (with Lorraine Dowler) two panels "Innovations in teaching qualitative methods in Geography" at the American Association of Geographers Meeting. Washington, D.C. (April)
- 2015 Co-organizer (with Laurie Trautman) sessions "The geopolitics of low-wage labor" at the Association of American Geographers Meeting. Chicago, IL (April)
- 2013 Co-organizer (with Political Scientist Dan Tichenor) of three symposia events "The Borders within: Immigrants, Race, and the Politics of Surveillance and Enforcement in the United States" at University of Oregon March, April and May. Funded through Savage Grant for Peace and Justice, Wayne Morse Center for Law & Politics, and other grants (\$30,000)
- 2012 Co-organizer of two paper sessions (with Jennifer Bickham Mendez, College of William and Mary) "New Borderlands in Las Américas: The Dynamics of Inclusion

- and Exclusion in Recent Sites of Migrant Reception I & II” for Latin American Studies XXX International Conference. San Francisco, CA. (May)
- 2011 Co-organized a five-session series (with Monica Varsanyi, CUNY; Mathew Coleman, Ohio State; and Jill Harrison University of Wisconsin) New Immigrant Destinations in the U.S.
- 2010 Contemporary geographic research on (im)migration 4: Immigration and the politics of belonging and identity I. Chair. Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C. (April)
- 2007 Co-organized panel discussion (with Somin Cheong, University of Kansas) “Qualitative methods: Pedagogy and Practice” for Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA. (April)
- 2006 Co-organized two sessions (with Susan Hardwick), “Immigrant and urban landscapes: migration, identity and place I & II” for Association of Pacific Coast Geographers Meeting. Eugene, OR. (September)
- 2005 Co-organized two sessions (with Nancy Hiemstra), “Political Geographies of Mobility: Race, Place and Belonging I & II.” Discussant Richard Wright and Patricia Ehrkamp, for Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Denver, CO (April).
- 2004 Co-organized community forum, sponsored by the Wayne Morse Center for Law and Politics, “Organizing against the End-game of Globalization” by Neil Smith. January 22nd.
- 2003 Co-organized session (with Thomas Perrault, Syracuse and Patricia Martin, Dartmouth), “Geographies of Development and Neoliberalism in Latin America: Gender and Power under Neoliberal Reform” AAG Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA (March).
- 2002 Co-organized session (with Heather Merrill, Dickinson College), “Global and Transnational Feminism in the context of Neoliberal Globalization.” Discussant Ruth Wilson Gilmore, for Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Los Angeles, California (March).
- 1996 Co-organized session (with Patricia Martin) “Transforming Political and Gendered Identities: Transitions to Democracy and the ‘Free’ Market” for Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting. Charlotte, South Carolina (March).

ACADEMIC SUPERVISION AND PLACEMENT

University of Arizona: Chair or co-chair

Fritzsche, Lauren	Ph.D.	<i>Geopolitics of refugee resettlement in United States (2024)</i>
Kaufman, Sonia	Ph.D.	<i>Political ecology of trash and neoliberal urban governance</i>
Luna Garcia, Wendy	M.A.	<i>Gendered household dynamics unconventional oil and gas workers (2024)</i>

Penn State University: Chair or co-chair

Christian, Jenna	Ph.D.	<i>Making a Military: Race, Citizenship, and a School-to-Military Pipeline in Houston Texas</i> (co-chair with Lorraine Dowler---2022). Instructor, Bucknell University.
Emard, Kelsey	Ph.D.	<i>Foreign amenity migration and geographies of race in Costa Rica</i> (2020). Assistant Professor, Graduate Faculty of Geography and Environmental Sciences, Oregon State University (2024--present)
Fritzsche, Lauren	M.A.	<i>Refugee resettlement and the politics of Islamophobia</i> (2018)
Kinkaid, Eden	M.A.	<i>Small-scale agriculture and the politics of innovation</i> (2017)

University of Oregon: Chair or Co-chair (in Geography unless indicated)

Naylor, Lindsay	Ph.D.	<i>Food security and resistance in Southern Mexico</i> (2014) Associate Professor, tenured. Department of Geography, University of Delaware, Newark. (Fall 2015-present)
Trautman, Laurie	Ph.D.	<i>Temporary worker, permanent alien: A comparative analysis of guest worker policy in the United States and Canada</i> (2014) Director, Border Policy Institute. Western Washington University, Bellingham. (Fall 2014-present)
Nelson, Ingrid	Ph.D.	<i>A feminist political ecology of livelihoods and activism in the Miombo woodlands of Zambézia, Mozambique.</i> (2012) Associate Professor, tenured. Department of Environmental Studies and Department of Geography, University of Vermont, Burlington. (Fall 2013-present)
Lu, Meche	Ph.D.	<i>Neoextractivism and indigenous citizenship in the Peruvian Amazon</i> (advisor 2009-2013 until I left for Penn State)

University of Arizona: Committee Member (in Geography unless indicated)

Lister, Majerle	Ph.D.	<i>Territories, resources and sovereignties on the Navajo Nation</i>
Obrecht, Ava	M.A.	<i>Geographies of overdose response in Philadelphia</i>

Penn State University: Committee Member (in Geography unless indicated)

Kong, Hyoungee	Ph.D.	<i>Femininity and nationalism in early modern French art</i> (Art History)
Liu, Shan-Jan	Ph.D.	<i>Media discourse on immigration: An examination of gender and the politics of belonging.</i> (Political Science, 2016)
Lomeli, Hilario	Ph.D.	<i>Latinidad, performativity and the spaces of identity</i> (Education)
Oz, Irem	Ph.D.	<i>Turkish immigrant landscapes in Germany</i> (Landscape Arch)

Parikh, Aparna	Ph.D.	<i>Feminized labor and shifting urban landscapes in the context of globalization.</i>
Tsantsoulas, Tiffany	Ph.D.	<i>Phenomenology, subjectivity and the body (Philosophy)</i>
Wornell, Emily	Ph.D.	<i>Immigrant Informal Economic Participation in New Destinations in the United States (Rural Sociology)</i>

University of Oregon: Committee Member (In Geography unless indicated)

De la Cruz, Sonia	Ph.D.	<i>Indigenous community radio and the construction of transnational communities, Mexico-U.S. (School of Journalism)</i>
Nate Bellinger	M.A.	<i>Free Trade and Tuna Fisheries in Ecuador (2010)</i>
Coleman, Amanda	Ph.D.	<i>Dialectics of Region and Nation: The South and the Remaking of US Citizenship during the Great Depression (2008)</i>
Dixon, Megan	Ph.D.	<i>The Baltic Pearl in the Window to Europe: St. Petersburg's Chinese Quarter (2008)</i>
Johnson, Corey	Ph.D.	<i>Spatial Strategies for Coping with Globalization: Case of Eastern Germany (2008)</i>
Vogel, Eve	Ph.D.	<i>The Pacific Northwest's River: The evolution and Consequences of Regional Claims on the Columbia River (2007).</i>
Laudati, Ann	Ph.D.	<i>The Greening of the Fortress: Reclaiming the Politics of Exclusion in a Green Era (2007).</i>
McFarland, Sarah	Ph.D.	<i>Engendering the Wild: The Construction of Animals in Twentieth Century Nature Writing (2005—English).</i>
Mosely, Mose	M.A.	<i>Puerto La Playita: The Story of a Mexican Fishing Village and the Resort that Changed It (2005—Journalism and Communication)</i>
Hurley, Patrick	Ph.D.	<i>Whose vision?: The Political Ecology of Land-Use Policy in Nevada County, California (2004)</i>
Medrado, Andrea	M.A.	<i>Community Television : A Case Study from Favela da Rocinha, Brazil (2004—Journalism and Communication)</i>
Castro, Carlos	Ph.D.	<i>Capitalist Underdevelopment and Resistance in the Fishing Communities of Pearl Lagoon, Nicaragua (2004--Sociology)</i>
Baldwin, Jeff	Ph.D.	<i>Reconceiving Wealth for Geographic Analysis: Intersections of Environments, Life, and Ethics (2003)</i>

University of Oregon: Undergraduate Thesis Advising

Comnes, Meredith	<i>Moroccan immigrants in Spain: Small scale protest and national legislative response (2013)</i>
Kaufman, Emily	<i>Population and the perversity paradigm: The Demarcation of 'dangerous' bodies in public welfare policy (2008)</i>

PRINCIPAL ADVISEE MAJOR FUNDING AWARDS

AAUW Fellowship	Kelsey Emard (2018)
Fulbright-Hays Fellowship	Kelsey Emard (2017); Eden Kinkaid (2019); Linda Choi (2022)
NSF Graduate Research Fellowship	Jenna Christian (2013); Eden Kinkaid (2017); Sonia Kaufman (2021)
Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship	Eden Kinkaid for advanced Hindi training (2016 & 2017); Lauren Fritzsche for advanced Arabic (2017)
National Science Foundation Dissertation Improvement Grant	Jenna Christian for fieldwork Houston, TX (2015); Kelsey Emard for fieldwork Costa Rica (2017); Lauren Fritzsche for fieldwork with refugees U.S. (2020)
ACSUS-Enders Fellowship	Laurie Trautman for dissertation fieldwork in Canada (2013)
Evelyn L. Pruitt Fellowship	Kelsey Emard, for dissertation research in Costa Rica (2017)

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

University of Arizona (Geography)

2024-2025	Interim Director Organizer, Jan Monk Lecture Organizer, Graduate Professional Development workshops (fall)
2023-2024	Personnel Committee (chair) SGDE colloquium series (co-organizer) School Director Search Committee (member) Organizer, Jan Monk Lecture Coordinator Graduate Student Professional Development Series
2022-2023	Personnel Committee (member) Undergraduate Program Committee, BA in Geography Representative Organizer, Jan Monk Lecture
2021-2022	Director of Graduate Studies Organizer, Jan Monk Lecture
2020-2021	Co-coordinator SGDE Colloquium series Organizer, Jan Monk Lecture Undergraduate Committee Member (Lead, Geography B.A.)
2019-2020	Promotion & Tenure committee, member Graduate Admissions committee, member Jan Monk Special Lecture committee, co-organizer

Spring 2019 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, member

Penn State University (Geography and Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies)

2017-2018 Director of Graduate Studies (WGSS)
Promotion and Tenure Committee (WGSS)
Search Committee Member (GEOG—TT urbanization search)
Public Presence Committee (GEOG)

2016-2017 Director of Graduate Studies (WGSS)
WGSS Advisory Committee
Promotion & Tenure Committee Member (WGSS)
Search Committee Member (Gender & Environment, with Rural Soc)
Graduate Awards Committee Member (GEOG)

2015-2016 Director of Graduate Studies (WGSS)
WGSS Advisory Committee
Search Committee Chair (WGSS-Rock Ethics hire)
Search Committee Member (Geography-Rock Ethics hire)
Geography Graduate Curriculum Committee Member

2014-2015 Director of Graduate Studies (WGSS)
Department of WGSS, Advisory Committee
Co-coordinator Coffee Hour Speaker Series (Geography)

2013-2014 Undergraduate Program Committee (WGSS)
Coordinator of On-line Diversity course and certificate (WGSS)
Member joint faculty search committee (Psychology-Women's Studies)
Member strategic planning sub-committee on "Community and Diversity" (Geography)

University of Oregon (Geography Department)

2011-2013 Director of Graduate Studies

2010-2011 Undergraduate Studies Director
Member, GIS Search Committee
Internships Coordinator

2009-2010 Chair, Urban Sustainability Search Committee
Internships co-coordinator
Grad Scholarships / Fellowships
Co-Coordinator, Winter Geography Tea Seminars

2007-2008 Graduate Admissions Committee
Internship co-coordinator
Grad Scholarships / Fellowships
Coordinator, Spring Geography Tea Seminars

2005-2006 Internship co-coordinator

	Grad Scholarships / Fellowships Search Committee, Biogeography Position Coordinator, Fall Geography Tea Seminars
2004-2005	Graduate Admissions Committee Internship co-coordinator Grad Scholarships / Fellowship
2003-2004	Graduate Admissions Committee Internship co-coordinator Grad Scholarships / Fellowships Co-coordinator, Winter Geography Tea Seminars
2002-2003	Library Liaison Coordinator, Spring Geography Tea Seminars
2001-2002	Graduate Admissions Committee

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

University of Arizona

2023-2025	Graduate Council Representative, College of Social and Behavioral Sciences.
2022, 2023	College of Social and Behavioral Science Doctoral Research Award review committee
2020-2022	Faculty Sabbatical Review Committee, College of Social and Behavioral Sciences
2020-2021	Member of the Social and Behavioral Sciences DEI Committee
2019-present	Affiliate Gender and Women's Studies Department

Penn State University

2017-present	Affiliate, Rock Ethics Institute
2017-present	Affiliate, School of International Affairs
2015-2017	College of Liberal Arts appointed representative, Joint Curriculum Committee, Graduate Council
2015-2017	Graduate Curriculum Coordinator, College of Liberal Arts
2014-2016	Graduate Council Representative, Joint Curriculum Committee
2014-2018	Affiliate Faculty, Latin American Studies Program
2013-2018	Affiliate Faculty, Latina/o Studies Program

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2000-2013	Affiliate Faculty, Latin American Studies Program
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2000-2013	Affiliate Faculty, Women's and Gender Studies Program
2002-2013	Affiliate Faculty, International Studies Program
2005-2013	Affiliate faculty, Environmental Studies Program
2012-2013	Latin American Studies Advisory Board
2010-2013	Center for Latino/a and Latin American Studies, Advisory Board Member
2010-2013	Co-coordinator Américas RIG (CSWS)
2011-2012	Chair, University Graduate Council
2011-2012	Morse Center for Law and Politics. Member advisory committee for events on <i>Capitalism and the Common Good</i> (2012-2013)
2009-2012	Graduate Council, Social Science Representative
2009-2010	Center for the Study of Women in Society, Faculty grant review committee.
2007	Search committee, Environmental Politics in Latin America position, Intl Studies Program.
2005-2007	Women's and Gender Studies Program Committee (also 2002-2004)
2005-2006	Event Planning Committee, Wayne Morse Center for Law and Politics
2004-2006	Senator, UO Faculty Senate
2004	Search committee, Faculty Development Director (UO Grad School)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND SERVICE

1994-present	American Association of Geographers (AAG)
2015-2018	National Women's Studies Association (NWSA)
1994-2013	Latin American Studies Association (LASA)
2003-2013	Association of Pacific Coast Geographers
2010-2012	Geographic Perspectives on Women (specialty group, AAG), Secretary.
2009-2013	Association of Pacific Coast Geographers, Women's Network Coordinator.
2009-2012	AAG Student Award and Scholarship Committee
2006-2009	Editorial Board, Gender, Place and Culture.
2006-2007	Chair, Committee on the Status of Women in Geography, AAG
2004-2007	Committee on the Status of Women in Geography, AAG

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Antipode
Canadian Social Science and Humanities Research Council

Cultural Geographies
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Environment and Planning D: Society and Space
Gender, Place and Culture
Geoforum
International Journal of Migration and Residential Mobility
International Migration Review
Journal of Community Development
Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies
Journal of Latin American Geography
Journal of Rural Studies
Latino Studies
National Science Foundation
Oxford University Press
Political Geography
Professional Geographer
Progress in Human Geography
Rural Sociology
Social & Cultural Geography
Sociological Compass
Southeastern Geographer
Stanford University Press
University of Georgia Press