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EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy in Sociology (joint program in Sociology & Communication); May 2005

University at Albany, State University of New York

Comprehensive Areas: Culture & Political Communication

Dissertation: *Providence, Presidents, & the Press: Inaugural Rhetoric of Religion in a Historical Perspective.*

GPA: 3.70

Master of Arts in Communication; December 2001

University at Albany, State University of New York

Concentration: Political Communication

Master's Project: *Power Plays by the Powerless: A Study of Attempted Diffusion of Innovative Reforms by the New York State Assembly Minority Conference*

GPA: 3.91

Bachelor of Arts in Communication; May 2000

University at New Paltz, State University of New York

Concentration: Public Relations

Minor: Journalism

GPA: 3.95

Associate of Arts in Liberal Arts and Social Sciences; December 1998

Finger Lakes Community College, State University of New York

Concentration: Social Science

GPA: 3.97

TEACHING

AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Public speaking
- Political communication & rhetoric
- Civil society, the public sphere, & collective action/civic engagement
- Persuasion
- Women's rhetoric & gender communication
- Rhetoric in civil & public religions
- Mass media studies in culture/society & politics

TEACHING POSITIONS

CURRENT POSITION

Assistant Professor of Communication, Dept. of English & Communication (Women's & Gender Studies affiliate faculty, Africana Studies affiliate faculty), SUNY Potsdam; Fall 2006 - present

Undergraduate courses:

- ***Basic Principles of Speech (COMM106)*** – freshman speaking (FS)
- ***Persuasive Speaking (COMM324)*** – speaking intensive (SI)
- ***Contemporary Political Communication (COMM370)*** – speaking intensive (SI)
- ***Rhetoric of Civil and Public Religion (COMM390)***
- ***Religion and Messages of Change (COMM390)*** – social analysis (SA)
- ***The Rhetoric of Social Movements (COMM415)*** – diverse voices (dv); Africana Studies elective
- ***The Voices of American Women (COMM416)*** – speaking intensive (SI) & diverse voices (dv); Women's & Gender Studies elective
- ***Wo/Men & Elections (COMM417)*** – American history (AH); Women's & Gender Studies elective
- ***Communication Theory (COMM465)***
- ***Research Methods in Communication (COMM475)*** – writing intensive (WI)

Graduate:

- M.A. Thesis Committee of A. Alton, Spring 2008-present: A critique of the publication of American military death photos from war.
- M.A. Thesis Committee of S. Totten, Spring 2009-present: A rhetorical analysis of the statements of George Washington to study how he adapts to the (religious) beliefs of varying audiences.

PAST POSITIONS

Adjunct, School of Arts & Sciences, Genesee Community College; Fall 2005

Undergraduate courses:

- ***Public Speaking (SPE108)***

Adjunct, Communication & Media Arts, Monroe Community College; Fall 2005

Undergraduate courses:

- ***Public Speaking (SPT142)***
- ***Introduction to Media (COM101)***

Lecturer, Communication Dept., University at Albany; Fall 2004-Spring 2005

Undergraduate courses:

- ***Media & Culture (COM378)***
- ***Political Advertising (COM378)***
- ***Oral Discourse & Civic Culture (COM399)***
- ***Introduction to Public Relations Theory & Practice independent study (COM397)***

Instructor of Record (Teaching Asst), Communication Dept., University at Albany; Spring 2002-Spring 2004

Undergraduate courses:

- ***Speech Composition & Presentation (COM203)***

Adjunct Instructor, Sociology Dept., College of St. Rose; Spring 2003

Undergraduate courses:

- ***Mass Media as a Social Force (SOC243/COM243)***

Teaching Assistant, Communication Dept., University at Albany; Fall 2000 & Fall 2001

Undergraduate courses:

- ***Speech Composition and Presentation (COM203)***
- ***Human Communication (COM100)***

DISTINCTIONS & SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

- Project Censored Affiliate Faculty: 2008/2009, 2010/2011 (see Censored 2010: The Top 25 Censored Stories of 2008-2009, P. Phillips & M. Huff, Eds.)
- Outstanding Teaching by a Graduate Student, International Communication Association (Instructional & Developmental Division); SUNY Albany, 2005

SCHOLARSHIP

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Sociology of the military, military & war communication, communication of civil-military relations
- Political rhetoric
- Sociology & communication of religion
- Collective identity
- Gendered communication

RESEARCH POSITIONS

Production Assistant; *Primaries: The Defining Battle in New Hampshire*. Educational video produced & directed by K.E. Kendall, University of Maryland; January 2004. Published/Distributed by Films Media Group.

Archivist/Co-editor; Mayoral WebSphere project directed by K. Foot, University of Washington, & S. Schneider, SUNY Institute of Technology as part of WebArchivist.org; September – December 2001

Research Assistant; National Communication Association and American Forensic Association Panel on Presidential Debates, June 2001-April 2002

Focus Group Facilitator; Debate Watch 2000 Sponsored by the Commission on Presidential Debates; Albany, NY October 2000

PUBLICATIONS

Knopf, C.M. (forthcoming). Those who bear the heaviest burden: War and American exceptionalism in the age of entitlement. In J. Edwards & D. Weiss (Eds.), Anthology of American Exceptionalism Rhetoric. McFarland Press.

Knopf, C.M. (2010). Al Gore's rational faith and unreasonable religion. In D. Weiss (Ed.), What Democrats Talk About When They Talk About God, pp. 93-113. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books.

Knopf, C.M. (2006, March). Review of David Michael Ryfe's *Presidents in Culture. The Meaning of Presidential Communication*. PUBLIZISTIK – Vierteljahreshefte fuer Kommunikationsforschung, 3/2006 , 396-397.

GRANTS & DISTINCTIONS

- National Endowment of the Humanities Summer Seminar on Law & Religion: participant/grant recipient: July 2010.

TRAINING

- CITI Human Research Curriculum - most recent completion 04/07/10
- CITI Humanities Responsible Conduct of Research Curriculum - most recent completion 04/09/10
- CITI Social & Behavioral Responsible Conduct of Research Curriculum - most recent completion 04/07/10

PRESENTATIONS

INTERNATIONAL & NATIONAL

- Knopf, C.M. (2010, Nov). A bridge too far to cross? Veterans' narratives of returning to civilian life and the implications for cultural civil-military relations. *War & the Military in Political Communication*. National Communication Association Conference: San Francisco, CA.
- Knopf, C.M. & Ziegelmayer, E.J. (2010, Sep). "Friending" the enemy: The US military, strategic communication, and social media in the War on Terror. *Social Media I*. Global Media & 'the War Terror': An International Conference, sponsored by the Communication and Media Research Institute: University of Westminster, London.
- Knopf, C.M. (2010, May). "Language will not convey": Rhetorical formation of interpersonal civil-military relations. *Rhetoric in Military and Foreign Policy*. Rhetoric Society of America Biennial Convention: Minneapolis, MN.
- Knopf, C.M. (2009, Nov). Speaking to one god but addressing many: The inaugural address as counterweight to the inaugural prayer. *Let "Us" Pray: Rhetoric, Religion, and the 2009 Presidential Inauguration*. National Communication Association Conference: Chicago, IL.
- Knopf, C.M. (2008, Nov). Unconventional expectations in conventional settings: Using innovation in the classroom. *Putting My Students First: The Pedagogical Implications of Student Centered Teaching Practices in the College Classroom*. National Communication Association Conference: San Diego, CA.
- Knopf, C.M. (2008, May). Perspectives on piety: The press's use of incongruity. *Rhetoric, Religion, and the Rhetoric of Religion: Perspectives and Prospects*. Rhetoric Society of America Biennial Convention: Seattle, WA.
- Knopf, C.M. (2007, Nov). Participatory communication practices in Dianic Wicca: Witchcraft as third wave feminist action. *Second and Third Wave Feminism and Beyond*. National Communication Association Conference, Chicago, IL.
- Knopf, C.M. (2006, Nov). How the news media act as saints and sinners of civil religion on Inauguration Day. *Saints, Sinners, Sex: Exploring Hostility, Objectivity, and Religious Norms in the News*. National Communication Association Conference, San Antonio, TX.
- Knopf, C.M. (2006, Nov). The prodigal son and the promised land: The unique and not so unique religious nature of George W. Bush's Inaugural addresses. *Issues in Political Communication*. National Communication Association Conference, San Antonio, TX.
- Knopf, C.M. (2004, Nov). Providence, presidents, & the press: Using the past to understand the present & future of religious language in & about U.S. inaugurations. *God Today: Religion in Contemporary Culture*. National Communication Association Conference: Chicago, IL.
- Knopf, C.M. (2003, Nov). Redefining crisis rhetoric in the wake of localized national tragedies. *Political Rhetoric*. National Communication Association Conference: Miami, FL.

REGIONAL

- Knopf, C.M. (2010, Apr). Hidden costs & unsung heroes: Issues of media coverage and cultural scripts in noncombat military deaths. *The Political Discourse of Waging War & Combating Terrorism*. Eastern Communication Association Convention: Baltimore, MD.
- Knopf, C.M. (2009, Apr). Eco-nfessions: CMC, secrets, and environmental action at TrueGREENconfessions.com. *Old & New Media on the Internet: Economics & Adaptations*. Eastern Communication Association Convention: Philadelphia, PA.
- Knopf, C.M. (2009, Apr). The rhetoric of polarization: Media, mediation and the new politics of division. *Defining the Genre: The Rhetoric of Polarization Revisited*. Eastern Communication Association Convention: Philadelphia, PA.
- Knopf, C.M. (2009, Apr). Lipschtick: Masculine political metaphors get a makeover. *Campaign Frames:*

- Meaning Making and Constraint in '08*. Eastern Communication Association Convention: Philadelphia, PA.
- Knopf, C.M. (2008, May). IR, PR, the E.U. & the U.S.: Bush's and Chirac's conflicting sacred/secular national identities regarding Iraq. *Bent Emotions: Perspectives on Foreign Policy and Candidate Evaluations*. Eastern Communication Association Convention: Pittsburgh, PA.
- Knopf, C.M. (2007, Apr). Civil religion in presidential inaugural addresses from George Washington to George W. Bush. *Religion and Political Communication: New Research*. Eastern Communication Association Convention: Providence, RI.
- Knopf, C.M. (2006, Apr). Like gathering moonbeams: Challenges facing the solidification and reinforcement of Pagan Pride. *Constructions of Self and Other: Selected Papers in Voices of Diversity*. Eastern Communication Association Convention: Philadelphia, PA.
- Knopf, C.M. (2004, Apr). Looking to Heaven for answers: A computer-based rhetorical critique of Christian sermons following the Oklahoma City bombing & the 9/11 terrorist attacks. *The Progress of Life & Death: Rhetorical Evocation & Response*. Eastern Communication Association Convention: Boston, MA.
- Knopf, C.M. (2004, Apr). The fightin' side of country: Political messages from 'Music City' in wartime. *Modern Politics: Fear, Celebrity, Parody, & Country Music and Political Messages*. Eastern Communication Association Convention: Boston, MA.
- Knopf, C.M. (2003, Apr). One nation under question: How the media did (or didn't) cover the Pledge decision. *Competitive Papers in Mass Communication: Media Coverage of U.S. Issues*. Eastern Communication Association Convention: Washington, DC.
- Knopf, C.M. (2002, Apr). Capturing character: Variations in media coverage of candidate character in the first 2000 presidential debate. *Debates 2000: A Close Look*. Eastern Communication Association Convention: New York City, NY.

STATE & LOCAL

- Knopf, C.M. (2008, Oct). Pants on fire: An intradisciplinary game for the public speaking or basic course. *GIFTS Panel*. New York State Communication Association 66th Annual Conference: Kerhonkson, NY.
- Knopf, C.M. (2007, Oct). When good teachers teach badly: A look at the communication traps in innovative teaching. *Topics in Teaching*. New York State Communication Association 65th Annual Conference: Kerhonkson, NY.
- Knopf, C.M. (2007, Feb). The rhetorical *mythstep* in the 2005 inaugural address: How a president toppled the American creed. *Pratt Colloquium Series*, SUNY Potsdam.
- Knopf, C.M. (2003, Nov). Stoking the flame: Developing a passion for community service. SKILL 2003: *Sharing Knowledge, Insights, and Lessons Learned* CETL Conference for UAlbany Graduate Teaching Assistants: Albany, NY.
- Knopf, C.M. (2003, Oct). Redefining crisis rhetoric in the wake of localized national tragedies. *Art of Communication*. New York State Communication Association 61st Annual Conference: Kerhonkson, NY.
- Knopf, C.M. (2002, Oct). Capturing character: Candidate Coverage as Cue to the Crisis of Civil Society. *Roundtable*. New York State Communication Association 60th Annual Conference: Terrytown, NY.

CONFERENCE & PRE-CONFERENCE SEMINARS

- Knopf, C.M. (2009, Nov). Toward a model of reasonable religion. Position paper *Re-visiting & Re-visioning: Religion in the Public Sphere* seminar. National Communication Association Convention: Chicago, IL.
- Knopf, C.M. (2007, Nov). Reconciling reason and religion. Position paper in *Public Sphere Studies in Action: Looking Back on 10 Years and Forward to the Next 10* seminar. National Communication Association Convention: Chicago, IL.

- Knopf, C.M. (2006, Nov). Lessons worth learning about innovations and interventions: Thinking about cases our students connect to – The Facebook Fiasco. Position paper in *Connection and Action in Public Sphere Studies: Conversations About What We Do and Why We Do It* seminar. National Communication Association Convention: San Antonio, TX.
- Knopf, C.M. (2005, Nov). Leaping the gap of faith: Diagnosing what ails dialogues involving spirituality. Position paper in *Health of Public Spheres and Public Deliberation* seminar. National Communication Association Convention: Boston, MA.
- Knopf, C.M. (2003, Apr). Disconnected in a wireless world? Position paper in *Discourses of Citizenship Pre-Conference*. Eastern Communication Association Convention: Washington, DC.
- Knopf, C.M. (2002, Nov). Girl talk in a man's world: Losing the "counter" in multiple public spheres. Position paper in *Public Sphere Theory Seminar*. National Communication Association Convention: New Orleans, LA.

CONTINUING DEVELOPMENT

TEACHING PEDAGOGY AND PRACTICES WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS, & COURSES

- *Straight Talk about Teaching Communication Research Methods*. NCA Short Course. November 15, 2010: San Francisco, CA.
- *Conquer Speech Anxiety: Design a Class, Module, Workshop or Program that Works*. NCA Short Course. November 14, 2010: San Francisco, CA.
- *Routines and Surprises in Teaching Millennial Students*. NCA Short Course. November 13, 2009: Chicago, IL.
- *Teaching Communication Theory*. NCA Short Course. November 13, 2009: Chicago, IL.
- *Teaching Digital Natives*. Annual Teaching Effectiveness Conference, sponsored by the Associated Colleges of the St. Lawrence Valley. November 7, 2009: Potsdam, NY.
- *Researching and Teaching Across the Qualitative Methods Continuum*. NCA Short Course. November 23, 2008: San Diego, CA.
- *The Quantitative Methods Toolkit: Equipping Faculty to Teach Undergraduate and Graduate Research Methods*. NCA Short Course. November 22, 2008: San Diego, CA.
- *Teaching Political Communication*. NCA Short Course. November 21, 2008: San Diego, CA.
- *Preparing our Students for the World through a Globalized Curriculum*. Annual Teaching Effectiveness Conference, sponsored by the Associated Colleges of the St. Lawrence Valley. November 1, 2008: Canton, NY.
- *Political Difference and Change: Teaching Gender and Political Communication Courses*. ECA Short Course. May 1, 2008: Pittsburgh, PA.
- *Teaching Public Speaking in an Evolving Communication Environment*. November 15, 2007: Chicago, IL
- *Active Learning, Lesson Delivery & Assessment in the College Classroom: New Faculty Seminar*. Sponsored by the Office of the Provost & the Learning and Teaching Excellence Center, SUNY Potsdam. January 26, 2007.
- *A Short Course on Teaching American Women's Public Address*. NCA Short Course. November 18, 2006: San Antonio, TX.
- *Teaching Pedagogy: New Faculty Seminar*. Sponsored by the Office of the Provost & the Learning and Teaching Excellence Center, SUNY Potsdam. September 15, 2006.
- *Facilitating Student Participation through Instructional Discussion*. NCA Short Course. November 18, 2005: Boston, MA.
- *Teaching Communication Courses with Feature Films*. NCA Short Course. November 12, 2004: Chicago, IL.

- *Cooperative Learning*. Led by B. Wilkinson, University at Albany. Sponsored by the Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, University at Albany; March 31, 2004: Albany, NY.
- *New Approaches to Plagiarism*. Sponsored by the Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, University at Albany; March 23, 2004: Albany, NY.
- *Engaging the Masses: Creative Uses of Popular Culture in Teaching*. Sponsored by the Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, University at Albany; March 5, 2004: Albany, NY.
- *SKILL 2003, Sharing Knowledge, Insights, and Lessons Learned Conference for UAlbany Graduate Teaching*
- *Assistants*. Sponsored by the Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, University at Albany; November 1, 2003: Albany, NY.
- *Incorporating Service Learning into the Public Speaking Course*. Wadsworth Public Speaking Online Lecture Series, Thomas Learning. October 30, 2003.
- *Discourses of Citizenship*. ECA Pre-Conference. April 23, 2003: Washington, DC.
- *Teaching Critical Media Literacy to Undergraduates*. ECA Short Course. April 27, 2003: Washington, D.C.
- *Preventing, Identifying, and Dealing with Plagiarism in Your Classes*. Sponsored by the Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, University at Albany; March 20, 2002; Albany, NY.

METHODOLOGY AND THEORY WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS, & COURSES

- *Women, Rhetoric, and Political Agency: What Do Women Need to Know About Their History in Order (Phronesis) to be Successful Politically?* RSA Summer Institute. June 26-28, 2009: Penn State.
- *Rhetorical Criticism*. RSA Summer Institute June 22-25, 2009: Penn State.
- *Expanding Public Sphere Vocabulary*. Annual Public Sphere Pre-Convention Seminar at NCA. November 20, 2008: San Diego, CA.
- *The Rhetoric of Religion: Perspectives and Prospects*. RSA Summer Institute. June 22-24, 2007: Troy, NY.

ADMINISTRATION WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS, & COURSES

- *Faculty Peer Mentoring*. SUNY Center for Professional Development. September 12, 2008: E. Syracuse, NY.
- *Student Learning Assessment Open Session*. With Linda Suskie. Sponsored by the Learning and Teaching Excellence Center, SUNY Potsdam. October 1, 2008.
- *Smooth Sailing through the IRB Process: Introducing the Newly Revised Campus IRB Policy and Application*.
- Sponsored by the Learning and Teaching Excellence Center, SUNY Potsdam. September 28, 2007.
- *Academic Advising: New Faculty Seminar*. Sponsored by the Office of the Provost & the Learning and Teaching Excellence Center, SUNY Potsdam. April 6, 2007.
- *More than Site: Developing and Maintaining the Essentials of a Communication Center as Centerpiece of Connection and Action*. NCA Short Course. November 16, 2006: San Antonio, TX.
- *Professional Development Funding: New Faculty Seminar*. Sponsored by the Office of the Provost & the Learning and Teaching Excellence Center, SUNY Potsdam. September 29, 2006.
- *Developing Useful Mid-Semester Assessments*. Sponsored by the Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, University at Albany; February 20, 2004: Albany, NY.

TECHNOLOGY AND ONLINE LEARNING WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS, & COURSES

- *Pedagogy and Technology of Online Learning*. SUNY Potsdam; 2009.
- *Contextual Inquiry – User Centered Product Design: McGraw-Hill Higher Education Research and Product Development*. February 25, 2009.

- *Introduction to DreamWeaver MX 2004*. Sponsored by the Interactive Media Center, University at Albany; March 23, 2004: Albany, NY.
- *Introduction to Simple JavaScripts*. Sponsored by the Interactive Media Center, University at Albany; March 16, 2004: Albany, NY.
- *Teaching the Public Speaking Course Online: Strategies, Tactics, and Realities*. Wadsworth Public Speaking Online Lecture Series, Thomas Learning. March 10, 2004. *Certificate earned*
- *Introduction to XHTML*. Sponsored by the Interactive Media Center, University at Albany; February 24, 2004: Albany, NY.
- *Adobe Photoshop*. Sponsored by the Interactive Media Center, University at Albany; February 23, 2004: Albany, NY.

SERVICE

SERVICE TO THE COLLEGE

COMMITTEES

SUNY POTSDAM

School/College Committees

- Arts & Sciences Council: November 2008 – present.
- Faculty Senate: Fall 2007 – Spring 2009
- General Education Committee: Oral Skills Coordinator, Fall 2006 – present
- Graduate Affairs: Spring 2007

Departmental Committees

- Curriculum Committee: Chair, Fall 2009 – present
- Rhetoric Position search committee: Fall 2007/Spring 2008
- Department of English and Communication Graduate Committee: Fall 2006 – Fall 2008

OTHER

SUNY POTSDAM

- Open House representative: March 7, 2009
- Elsie D. Kristiansen Speech Contest judge: 2007, 2008
- Exam Week Midnight Breakfast volunteer: 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009
- Speaker on the “Know Your Vote” panel; organized by the SUNY Potsdam Student Liaison Committee and the SGA: October 2008.
- Campaign 2008 open discussion with students - Student Life event, Draime Hall at SUNY Potsdam: February 2008.
- A Major Affair representative: 2007
- First Year Funnel faculty participant: 2007
- Welcome Weekend Carnival volunteer: 2007
- Graduate Commencement faculty participant: 2007
- Undergraduate Commencement faculty participant: 2007, 2009

COLLEGE OF ST. ROSE

- Middle States Evaluation selected participant: May 2003

SUNY ALBANY

- Student expectations & concerns Focus Group Facilitator; Communication Department: November 2001

SERVICE TO THE DISCIPLINE

OFFICES & COMMITTEES

- Co-organizer for the National Communication Association Pre-Convention Seminar on Public Sphere Theory: 2009, 2010.
- Chairperson to the Political Communication interest group of the Eastern Communication Association: 2008-2009.
- Program planner of the Political Communication Interest Group for the Eastern Communication Associations 100th Anniversary Convention: 2009.
- Representative to the Nominating Committee, Eastern Communication Association: 2009.
- Vice-Chairperson to the Political Communication Interest Group of the Eastern Communication Association: 2007-2008.

REVIEWING

- Review of *Advanced Public Speaking: A Leader's Guide to Communication*. Pearson A&B, Longman, 2008.
- Review of Simonds, Hunt, Simonds, & Rattenborg, *Presenting Ideas: Public Speaking*. Prentice Hall Pearson Education, 2005.
- Competitive paper reviewer for the Political Communication Division, ECA: 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010
- Competitive paper reviewer for the Political Communication Division, NCA: 2006, 2008, 2009, 2010
- Competitive paper reviewer for the Mass Communication Division, NCA: 2006

CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

PANEL RESPONDENT

Political Communication across the Globe. Eastern Communication Association 2010 Convention: Baltimore, MD.

Defining Moments in Political Communication – 1909. Eastern Communication Association 2009 Convention: Philadelphia, PA.

Strategies of Image Construction, Attack, and Defense. National Communication Association 2008 Convention: San Diego, CA

PANEL CHAIR

Top Competitive Papers in Political Communication. Eastern Communication Association 2009 Convention: Philadelphia, PA.

The Power of Incumbency: Taking a Closer Look at the 2006 "Earthquake." Eastern Communication Association 2007 Convention: Providence, RI.

News, The Supreme Court, and Political Communication. National Communication Association 2006 Convention: San Antonio, TX.

Integrating Persuasion, Entertainment, Metaphor, and the News: Media Representations of Health and Disease. National Communication Association 2006 Convention: San Antonio, TX.

OTHER

- Co-Facilitator: *Public Sphere Theory Pre-Conference Seminar – Making Connections, Breaking Bonds: Identity & the Public Sphere*. National Communication Association 2010 Convention: San Francisco, CA.
- Co-Facilitator: *Public Sphere Theory Pre-Conference Seminar – Re-Visiting & Re-Visioning: Religion in the Public Sphere.* National Communication Association 2009 Convention: Chicago, IL.

- Host: *Wine & Spots*. Eastern Communication Association 2008 Convention: Pittsburgh, PA.

PRIMARY AFFILIATIONS

- Eastern Communication Association
- National Communication Association
- New York State Communication Association
- Rhetoric Society of America
- American Sociological Association

SECONDARY AFFILIATIONS

- International Communication Association
- American Political Science Association

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

- Judge: SUNY Canton's Scholarly Activity Celebration, April 29, 2010: Canton, NY.

OTHER

RELATED PROFESSIONAL/PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE

Graduate Intern Research Assistant; New York State Minority Research & Program Development; Albany, NY; January – June 2001

Campaign Volunteer/Substitute Photographer; 129th NYS Assembly Race; Canandaigua, NY; July – October 2000

Intern; 129th New York State Assembly District Office; Geneva, NY; June – August 2000

Web Designer; Network Services Group, LLC; Webster, NY; July 1999 – December 2000

Photographer; The Poughkeepsie Journal, Poughkeepsie, NY; January 2000 – April 2000

Campaign Volunteer/Web designer; New Paltz Town Elections; New Paltz, NY; October – November 1999

Technical Writer; DACKNO, Inc.; Canandaigua, NY; June 1996 – January 2000

Aide; Finger Lakes Community College Office of College Relations; Canandaigua, NY; September 1998 – January 1999