

Curriculum Vitae
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EDUCATION

- 2006 Ph.D. School of Justice and Social Inquiry
 Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ.
 Dissertation: “Covering the Border War: How the News Media Create
 Race, Crime, Nation and the USA-Mexico Divide” (Professor Cecilia
 Menjívar, Chair)
- 1998 M.A. Religious Studies, *Arizona State University*
 Thesis: “Death Penalty, Civil Religion, and the Diseased Body
 Politic” (Professor Tracy Fessenden, Chair).
- 1995 B.A. English and Religious Studies, *James Madison University*

Research and Teaching Interests:

Critical Theories on Race and Racism
 Immigration and Crime
 Militarization and the USA-Mexico Border
 Media and Discourse Analysis
 Scholar Activism and Social Justice
 Immigrant Health Capital

PUBLICATIONS

Book Manuscripts:

“Covering the Border War: How the News Media Create Race, Crime, Nation and the USA-Mexico Divide,” Book Prospectus and Sample Chapters under review at Rutgers UP.

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles:

- Kil, Sang Hea. (2013) “A Diseased Body Politic: Nativist Discourse and the Imagined Whiteness of the USA,” *Cultural Studies* 28 (22); 177-194.
- Kil, Sang Hea. (2012). “Fearing ‘Yellow,’ Imagining ‘White’; Media Analysis of the Chinese Exclusion Act, 1882,” *Social Identities: Journal for the Study of Race, Nation, and Culture* 18(6); 1-15.
- Adelman, Madelaine and Sang Hea Kil. (2007). “Dating Conflicts: Rethinking Dating Violence & Youth Conflict,” *Violence Against Women* 13 (12); 1296-1318.

Menjívar, Cecilia and Sang Hea Kil. (2002). “‘For Your Own Good’: Benevolent Rhetoric and Exclusionary Language in Public Officials’ Discourse on Immigrant-Related Issues,” *Social Justice* 29 (1-2); 160-176.

Peer-Reviewed Book Chapters:

Kil, Sang Hea, Jennifer Allen, and Zoe Hammer. (2011). “The Border Action Network and Human Rights: Community-Based Resistance Against the Militarization of the U.S.-Mexico Border.” *Human Rights in Our Own Backyard: Injustice and Resistance in the United States* (Eds. Armaline, William T., Glasberg, D.S., and Purkayastha, B.). Philadelphia, PA: UPenn. Press.

Kil, Sang Hea. (2011). “Immigration and ‘Operations;’ the Militarization (and Medicalization) of the USA-Mexico Border,” *Traversing Transnationalism: The Horizons of Literary and Cultural Studies*, (Eds. Frassinelli, P.T., Frenkel, R., and Watson, D.). Amsterdam: Rodopi Press.

Kil, Sang Hea, Cecilia Menjívar, and Roxanne Lynne Doty. (2009). Securing borders: patriotism, vigilantism and the brutalization of the US American public.” *Immigration, Crime and Justice, Sociology of Crime Law and Deviance, Volume 13* (Ed. McDonald, William F.). Bingley, UK: Emerald Group Publishing Limited.

Kil, Sang Hea and Cecilia Menjívar. (2006). “The ‘War on the border’: The Criminalization of Immigrants and Militarization of the US- Mexico border,” *Immigration and Crime: Race, Ethnicity, and Violence* (Eds. Martinez Jr., Ramiro, and Valenzuela Jr., Abel) New York: New York University Press.

Peer-Reviewed Entries

Kil, Sang Hea. (2013). “Race, Nationality, and Migration,” *Encyclopedia of Global Human Migration*, Ed. Immanuel Ness. Hoboken, NJ: Wiley-Blackwell.

Book Reviews:

Kil, Sang Hea (2010). “Whiteness: An Introduction [by Steve Garner],” *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, 36 (3); 538-539.

Kil, Sang Hea (2004) “Ethnic Minorities and the Media: Changing Cultural Boundaries [Ed. Simon Cottle],” *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 30 (4); 849-850.

Work in Progress:

“Unbearable Whiteness of Seeing: How the media advances whiteness.” Article Manuscript in progress to be presented at *Law and Society Association* in June 2012.

“Immigrant Health Capital: Exploring Health Seeking Practices and Knowledge Among Mexican Immigrants in Silicon Valley.” Field research stage.

“Social justice Strategies for Handling ‘Spirit Injuries’: Ruminations on Everyday Activism.” Article Manuscript.

Research and Professional Activities support:

Spivak Program in Applied Social Research and Social Policy of the American Sociological Association. (\$3,000). 2012-2013. “Immigrant Health Capital: Exploring Health

Seeking Practices and Knowledge Among Mexican Immigrants in Silicon Valley
(with co-researchers Dr. Natalie Boero and Dr. Carlos Garcia).

COSS SJSU Research Foundation Grants. (\$1,300). Fall 2011. Research Grant [Submitted by co-researcher Carlos Garcia]. "Health Capital among Mexican Immigrants."

COSS SJSU Research Foundation Grants. (\$1,300). Summer 2011. Research Grant [Submitted by co-researcher Natalie Boero]. "Health Capital among Mexican Immigrants."

Silicon Valley Center for Global Innovation and Immigration (20% release time). 2011-2012. Research Associate.

California State University (\$5,000). 2009-2010. Research Grant. "Documenting Health Capital, Understanding Health Literacy: Exploring Health Seeking Practices among Mexican Immigrants in Silicon Valley."

University Planning Council, SJSU (.20 course release). Spring 2010. Faculty Initiatives to Support Student Success. "Social Justice, Scholar Activism, and Civic Engagement: SJSU's Student Activist Retreat."

California State University (\$7,500). 2008-2009. Pair Grant. "Border Action Network and the Militarization of the USA-Mexico Border."

University Planning Council, SJSU (.20 course release). Spring 2009. Faculty Initiatives to Support Student Success. "Social Justice, Scholar Activism, and Civic Engagement: SJSU's Student Activist Summit."

Global Studies Initiative, SJSU (\$4,000). 2008-2009.

Office of Faculty Affairs, SJSU (.20 release time and \$1000). 2008-2009. Junior Faculty Career Development Grant. Book manuscript support.

College of Arts and Sciences, SJSU (\$10,000). 2007-2009. Compact to develop a bridge between Future of Minority Studies and SJSU.

California State University (\$7,500). 2007-2008. Pair Grant. "The Border Spectacle: Patriotism, Vigilantes and Brutalization of the US American Public."

Office of Faculty Affairs, SJSU (\$11,071.00). 2008. Learning Productivity Program, Co-researcher, Dr. Soma Sen and Dr. Meekyung Han. "Identity in the Classroom: Threat or Safety in SJSU Area S and V Courses."

Graduate Student Association Graduate Research Support Grant, ASU (\$1300). 2002-2003. Dissertation support.

ASASU Graduate Research Support Grant, ASU (\$750). 2000-2001. Independent research support.

Center for Urban Inquiry, ASU (\$6,000). 1999-2000. Co-researcher, Randall Amster.
 “Legal Technologies and Urban Geographies: Anti-Homeless Legislation and the Sanitizing of Public Space.”

HONORS, AWARDS, DISTINCTIONS

Global Studies Fellow, SJSU: 2009.

Semifinalist. Best Dissertation Award for the Race, Politics, and Ethnicity Section of the *American Political Science Association*: 2007-2008.

Future of Minority Studies Mellon Fellow: 2005-2006.

The Young Women’s Collaborative: Southwest Regional Leadership Training for Reproductive Justice: 2005.

Best PhD Student Paper Award 2005 for “Fearing Yellow, Imagining White,” School of Justice and Social Inquiry, ASU.

The Earl A. and Lenore H. Tripke Professional Workshop Travel Awards 2003-2004.

Graduate Student Workshop Participant, *Law and Society Association*, Chicago; May 25-26, 2004.

Davis-Putter Scholar-Activist Fellow: 2003-2004.

ASU Faculty Women’s Association’s Distinguished Achievement Award: 2002-2003.

Ethnic Minority Fellow for the *American Society of Criminology*: 2001-2002.

PFF (Preparing Future Faculty) Fellow: 2000-2002.

Graduate Student Workshop Participant, *Law and Society Association*, Miami; May 24-25, 2000.

Graduate Tuition Scholarship (4 awards): 1999-2002.

Theta Alpha Kappa, Religious Studies National Honor Society.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND PARTICIPATION

Panel Organizer and Presenter. “Using Art to Resist: Three illustrations from the San Francisco Bay Area” *National Women Studies Association*, San Juan, Puerto Rico: November 13-16, 2014.

Workshop Moderator. "Structural and Everyday Racism" *M.E.Ch.A. Statewide Conference*, San Jose, Ca; November 23, 2013.

Roundtable Co- Presenter with Adán Luevano, School Psychologist San Francisco Unified School District. “Microaggressions: Analyzing the Racial Impact of Interpersonal Interactions within Schools. *National Association of School Psychologists*. Washington, D.C.; February 18-21, 2013.

- Presenter. “Unbearable Whiteness of Seeing: How the News Media Covers the Militarization of the USA-Mexico Border. Aliens and the Legal Construction of the Other Panel. *International Conference on Law and Society Association, Honolulu, HI*: June 5-8, 2012.
- Workshop Organizer and Co-Presenter with Reverend Israel Alvaran (Jobs with Justice & Pride at Work) and Saqib Keval (People’s Kitchen, Oakland). “The Holly Park Collective: An Activist Queer POC Collective in SF.” *5th Annual Queer Asians of Color Conference, UC Berkeley*: April 27-29, 2012.
- Presenter. “Criminalization, Militarization, and SB1070: The Radicalized Brutalization of Arizona.” The Politics of Migration Control Panel. *Law and Society Association, San Francisco*: June 2-5, 2011.
- Discussant. “Gender and Migration Panel.” *Pacific Sociological Association, Seattle*: March 10-13, 2011.
- Presenter. “Immigration and ‘Operations’: Whiteness, Nativism, and the USA-Mexico Border.” *American Society of Criminology, San Francisco*: November 17-20, 2010
- Organizer and moderator. “Youth Organizing and Outreach: Debug and YUCA creating social justice in the South Bay.” Workshop presentation at the *US Social Forum*; Wayne State University, Detroit: June 22-26, 2010.
- Discussant. “Immigrant Tales of Identity Panel.” *Pacific Sociological Association, Oakland*: April 8-11, 2010.
- Invited panelist. “Getting Engaged with My Community.” *I THINK Program, Cesar Chavez Community Action Center*; San Jose State University, San Jose: March 11, 2010.
- Co-Presenter with Brian Grossman and Carlos Garcia. “Description of the research: Mexican Immigrant Health in Silicon Valley,” Presented at the *Silicon Valley Center for Global Innovation and Immigration (SVCGII)*, Asilomar: January 29-31, 2010.
- “Defending Borders and Brutalization of the US American Public” The Criminalization and Deportation of Immigrants in the U.S. panel. Presented at the *American Sociological Association, San Francisco*: August 8-11, 2009.
- Moderator and Organizer. “De-bug'ing the System: Using Media to Win Inside the Courtroom and on the Streets [Co-presenters from De-Bug].” Workshop at the Allied Media Conference; Wayne State University, Detroit: July 15-19, 2009. [I fundraised for myself and four members from Debug c. \$6,000]
- Invited session panelist. Sang Hea Kil, SJSU, Cecilia Menjivar & Roxanne Lynn Doty, ASU: “Securing Borders: Patriotism, Vigilantism & the Brutalization of the US American .” In Public Immigration: Building Walls, Building Relationships Panel. Presented at the *Pacific Sociological Association, San Diego*: April 8-11, 2009.
- Co-Organizer. “Community Response Network: A Dialogue about Neighborhood Policing.” *Holly Courts Housing Project*. San Francisco; April 18, 2009.

Invited speaker. "Founders Panel" *Local to Global Justice* Arizona State University Tempe AZ February 27-March 1, 2009

Participant. *Difficult Dialogues: Future of Minority Studies National Conference*; Spelman College, Atlanta: September 19- 20, 2008

Workshop Panelist. "Future of Minority Studies Fellows' Book Proposal." *Future of Minority Studies Summer Colloquium*; Cornell University, Ithaca; August 1-2, 2008.

Moderator. "Undoing 'Crime': Media to De-criminalize and De-colonize." *Allied Media Conference: Our Evolution Beyond Survival: Media Strategies for the Next Ten Years*, Detroit; June 20-22, 2008.

"Protecting Whiteness: The 'War' on the USA-Mexico Border" How the State Constitutes Race in Diverse Contexts Panel. Presented at the *Law and Society Association Meetings*, Montreal, Canada; May 29-June 1, 2008.

Organizer and Moderator. "Global Perspectives on Migration and Justice" Panel. *Local to Global Justice: Challenging the Criminalization of People of Color*, San José State University, San José: April 25, 2008.

"New Racism and the Nativist Imagination: How the Media Determines How We See Immigrants." Presented at the *San José State University: From Strawberries to Software: Immigration to Silicon Valley Conference*, San José: April 10-11, 2008.

Panel Organizer. *Future of Minority Studies; Junior Scholar Caucus*. Ann Arbor; Michigan. March 13-16, 2008.

Invited Participant. *Future of Minority Studies: Activist Scholars and Pedagogies of Transformation*, Syracuse; September 21-22, 2007.

Moderator. "No End in Sight? Organizing the Present for the Future in Penal California." *Penal California: Tracing Its Origin, Sketching Its Future*, San José; April 6, 2007.

Invited Participant. *National Asian Pacific American Women's Forum: Power, Justice, and Community*, Los Angeles; September 14-16, 2006.

Invited Participant. *Future of Minority Studies: Identities, Individuals, Institutions*, Palo Alto; July 27-29, 2006.

Invited Participant. *Future of Minority Studies: Mentoring and Multiculturalism, Junior Scholars Caucus Event*, Ann Arbor; September 29-October 2, 2005.

"Borderlands: Contestation and Containment." Section on International Migration. Presented at the *American Sociological Association*, San Francisco; August 14-17, 2004.

"New Racism and the News Media: Neutrality, Whiteness and Racial Subjugation." Presented at the *Society for the Study of Social Problems*, San Francisco; August 13-15, 2004.

- “Fearing “Yellow,” Imagining “White”; Media Analysis of the Chinese Exclusion Act, 1882.” Presented at the *Law and Society Association Meetings*, Chicago; May 27-30, 2004.
- “Social Justice and the Classroom: Oppressive ‘isms’ and the Politics of Teaching.” Presented at the *Women of Color: Pedagogy Series* at the University of Arizona, Tucson; April 30, 2004.
- “Race, Nation, and Whiteness: The Discourse of the USA-Mexico Border.” Presented at the *New Directions in Critical Theory: The Borders, Territories, and Frontiers Conference* at the University of Arizona, Tucson; April 8-10, 2004.
- “The ‘War on the Border’: the Criminalization of Immigrants and Militarization of the USA-Mexico border.” 2nd author Cecilia Menjivar. Presented at the NCOVR Workshop on *Beyond Racial Dichotomies of Violence: Immigrants, Ethnicity and Race* at the University of California, Los Angeles; November 6, 2003.
- “The ‘War on Drugs’ and the ‘War on Terror’ at the USA-Mexico Border: The Language of Race, Nation, and Crime.” Presented at the *Race, Sex, and Globalization: Mapping Insurgencies* at the University of Arizona, Tucson; April 25-26, 2003.
- “How the Concept of Neutrality Advances ‘Whiteness’: Liberalism and the News Media.” Presented at the *National Association of Ethnic Studies*, Phoenix; April 3-5, 2003.
- “Coalition Building.” Roundtable presentation at the *Over the Rainbow Conference*, LGBT Studies, at Arizona State University, Tempe; March 29, 2003.
- “How Do We Build Community among Women on Campus?” Roundtable presentation at the *Womyn’s Student Teachin*, at Arizona State University, Tempe; March 28, 2003.
- “Student Organizing and Building Coalitions.” Roundtable presentation at the *Womyn’s Student Teachin*, at Arizona State University, Tempe; March 28, 2003.
- “Social Justice Strategies for Handling ‘Spirit Injuries’: Ruminations on Everyday Activism.” Presented at the “*Gathering at the River*”: *Women of Color in the Arizona Academy*, at Arizona State University, Tempe; February 21-22, 2003.
- “From a Wounded Healer to a Resistant Warrior: Strategies for Everyday Harms.” Presented at the *Women of Color: Brown Bag Series*, at the University of Arizona, Tucson; February 14, 2003.
- “Images of One Race and Nation: Media Analysis of the Chinese Exclusion Act of 1882.” *Pacific Sociological Association*. Vancouver, B.C., Canada; April 18-21, 2002
- “Dealing with Privilege (My Own and Other Peoples’): Everyday Activism in an Unjust, Racialized Univers(e)ity.” Roundtable presentation at the *Desert Women: Surviving and Thriving in the Academy, The ASU Women of Color Conference*, at Arizona State University, Tempe; February 8, 2002.
- “Doing Gender, Defending Monogamy.” Co-author Madelaine Adelman. Presented at the *Law and Society Association Meetings*, Budapest, Hungary; July 4-7, 2001.

“Legal Technologies and Urban Geographies: Anti-Homeless Legislation and the Sanitizing of Public Space.” Co-presenter with Randall Amster for *Center for Urban Inquiry* at Arizona State University, Tempe; March 2, 2001.

“The Politics of Language and Immigrant Exclusion in Contemporary America.” Presented at the *Society for the Study of Social Problems*, Washington D.C.; August 11-13, 2000.

“Racial Hygiene in Chandler Arizona: the ‘Roundup,’ ‘Sweep,’ and ‘Raid’ of Undocumented Immigrants.” Presented at the *American Sociological Association Meetings*, Washington D.C.; August 12-16, 2000.

“A Diseased Body Politic.” Paper presented at the *Law and Society Association Meetings*, Miami; May 26-29, 2000.

“‘We Want You Out!...But It’s For Your Own Good’: New Liberal Rhetoric and Immigrant Exclusion in America.” Co-author Cecilia Menjivar. Presented at the *National Association for Ethnic Studies*, Boston; March 23-25, 2000.

“The Cost of Life.” Co-presenter Professor John Johnson. Presented at the *Couch-Stone Symposium*, Las Vegas; February 7, 1999.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Associate Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. “Media and Justice [Canvas].” Spring 2013.

Associate Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. “Critical Issues [Canvas].” Spring 2013.

Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. “Immigration and Justice.” Spring 2012.

Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. “Critical Issues [D2L].” Winter 2012.

Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. “Research Methods [D2L].” Winter 2012.

Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. “Research Methods [D2L].” Fall 2011.

Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. “Senior Seminar.” Fall 2011.

Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. “Research Methods [D2L].” Spring 2011.

Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. “Immigration and Justice.” Spring 2011.

- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Masters Theory." Fall 2010.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Critical Issues." Fall 2010.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Senior Seminar." Spring 2010.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Social Inequality and the Law." Spring 2010.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Internship." Spring 2010.
- Instructor, Educational Opportunity Program, SJSU, "Bridge Program." Summer 2009.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Methods [Blackboard]." Fall 2009.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Social Inequality and the Law." Fall 2009.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Internship." Fall 2009.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Social Inequality and the Law." Spring 2009.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Methods [online]." Winter 2009.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Internship." Spring 2009.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Research Methods." Winter 2009.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Justice Theory." Graduate seminar. Fall 2008.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Social Inequality and Social Justice (MUSE)." Fall 2008.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Internship." Fall 2008.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Special Topics: Social Inequality and the Media." Graduate Seminar. Spring 2008.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Race, Gender, Inequality and the Law." Spring 2008.
- Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Internship." Spring 2008.

Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Research Methods." Fall 2007.

Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Race, Gender, Inequality and the Law." Fall 2007.

Assistant Professor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Internship." Fall 2007.

Faculty Associate Instructor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Race, Gender Inequality and the Law." Summer 2007

Faculty Associate Instructor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Research Methods." Spring 2007.

Faculty Associate Instructor, Justice Studies, San José State University. "Race, Gender, Inequality and the Law." Spring 2007.

Faculty Associate Instructor, School of Justice Studies, ASU. "The Death Penalty in the USA." Winter session 2004

Faculty Associate Instructor, School of Justice Studies, ASU. "The Death Penalty in the USA." Winter session 2003

Faculty Associate Instructor, School of Justice Studies, ASU. "Immigration and Justice," Spring 2002.

Faculty Associate Instructor, Asian Pacific American Studies, ASU. "Introduction to Ethnic Studies," Spring 2002.

Faculty Associate Instructor, School of Justice Studies, ASU. "The Death Penalty in America," Winter Session 2001-2002.

Faculty Associate Instructor, School of Justice Studies, ASU. "Legislation of Morality," Fall 2001.

Faculty Associate Instructor, School of Justice Studies, ASU. "Research in Justice Methods," First Summer Session 2001.

Graduate Student Instructor, School of Justice Studies, ASU. "The Death Penalty in America," Spring Semester 2001.

Graduate Student Instructor, School of Justice Studies, ASU. "The Death Penalty in America," Fall Semester 2000.

Part-time Faculty, Criminal Justice Department, Northern Arizona University (NAU). "The Death Penalty in America," First Summer Session 2000.

Graduate Student Instructor, School of Justice Studies, ASU. "Critical Race Feminism," Fall Semester 1999.

Graduate Student Instructor, School of Justice Studies, ASU. "The Death Penalty in America," Second Summer Session 1999.

DEPARTMENT, UNIVERSITY, PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Justice Studies Department, San José State University:

Justice Studies Internship Coordinator [.2 assigned time]. Fall 2010-Spring 2014.

Member. Undergraduate Curriculum Committee. Justice Studies Department. 2007-2013.

Department representative. California Faculty Association. 2008-present.

College representative. California Faculty Association. 2009-2011.

Organizer. *Social Justice, Scholar Activism, and Civic Engagement: SJSU's Student Activist Retreat*. San José State University, San José: March 12-13, 2010.

Organizer. *Social Justice, Scholar Activism, and Civic Engagement: SJSU's Student Activist Summit*. San José State University, San José: February 13, 2009.

Organizer. *Local to Global Justice: Challenging the Criminalization of People of Color* conference, San José State University, San José: April 25, 2008.

Member. Faculty Hire Search Committee. Justice Studies Department. 2007-2008.

Developed New Internship Opportunities with SIREN (Services, Immigrant Rights, and Education Network) and YMCA's Project Inspire After-School Program with the placement of new interns. 2009-2010.

Developed New Internship Opportunities with Billy Defrank LGBT Community Center and San José Peace and Justice Center with the placement of new interns. 2008-2009.

Developed New Internship Opportunities with De-Bug and Unite Here! with the placement of new interns. 2007-2008.

San José State University:

Faculty Advisor. M.E.Ch.A. Student Group. Fall 2013-Spring 2014.

Keynote speaker. "Asian American/Pacific Islander New Student Welcome Reception." MOSAIC Cross Cultural Center. San José State University: August 31, 2011.

Presenter and Co-Organizer. "Health Capital among Mexican Immigrants in Silicon Valley: A Community Conversation." San José State University: May 16, 2011.

Invited Workshop Moderator. "Scholar Activist Workshop for Student Activists." Sponsored by the *Sociology Student Club and the Sociology Department* at the University of Alaska, Anchorage: February 19th, 2011.

Invited Guest Lecturer. "Brownness and the Border: An Analysis of the Media Coverage of

the "War" on the USA-Mexico Border." *Dr. Zeynep Kilic's Race and Ethnicity Class* at the University of Alaska, Anchorage: February 16th, 2011.

Graduation Speaker. Rainbow graduation, SJSU. May 2010.

Speaker. "Scholar-Activism: A personal narrative of the intersection of race, class, gender, and sexuality in the academy." Women's Resource Center's Brown Bag Lunch Series. November 11, 2009.

Speaker. "Career Exploration." Counselor Education Department, SJSU. October 23, 2008.

College Representative. California Faculty Association, SJSU. Fall 2009- present.

Department Representative. Committee to Enhance Equity and Diversity. Fall 2008-Spring 2010.

Member. Joint Council for Affirmative Action and Education Opportunity Program Advisory Council. 2007-2008.

Representative. Future of Minority Studies and SJSU Collaboration. College of Arts and Sciences. 2007-2009.

Representative for Justice Studies. SJSU Faculty Grievance Panel. 2007-2008.

School of Justice and Social Inquiry, Arizona State University:

Writing Mentor, School of Justice Studies, Arizona State University. 2001-2004.

Treasurer and a Founding member of *GRRRR* (Graduate Representatives for Radical Revolutionary Reform). School of Justice Studies, ASU Tempe: academic year 2000-2002.

Graduate Representative for *COLASS* (Committee on Law and Social Sciences). Arizona State University Tempe: academic year 2000-2001.

Graduate Representative for the Faculty Hiring Committee. School of Justice Studies, ASU Tempe: academic year 1999-2000.

Graduate Peer Mentor. School of Justice Studies, ASU Tempe: academic year 1999-2003.

Arizona State University:

Founding Member of the Local to Global Justice Student Group, Arizona State University. Active member 2003.

Member of Organizing Committee, *Local to Global Justice: Sustaining Our Collective Roots*. ASU, Tempe, February 2004.

Member of the Fundraising Committee, *Local to Global Justice: Weaving a Web of Knowledge*. ASU, Tempe: February 2003.

Member of the Organizing Committee, *Local to Global Justice: Knowledge, Networks, and Action*, a conference on social justice that joined campus activism with community activism. ASU, Tempe: April 2002.

Member of the *ASU Graduate Student Association*. Active member 2001-2002.

Founding member of the *Progressive Student Union*, ASU. Active member 2001-2002.

Presentation Judge. "Crossing Boundaries, Uniting Horizons: Graduate Research Exposition." Arizona State University; April 2-6, 2001. Sponsored by the Associated Students of Arizona State University, Office of Graduate Student Affairs.

Honors Thesis committee member. Sean Evans: May 2001.

Roundtable discussion co-facilitator, *Making Money Off of Welfare*. "Economic Exclusion, Public Control, and Hidden Apartheid," *Critical Forum on Prisons and Welfare Policies*. ASU, Tempe: April 1999.

University of Arizona (Visiting Scholar Activity):

Member of the Steering Committee, "Decolonizing the University: Women of Color in Arizona Higher Education." Fifth Annual *Women of Color Conference*, April 1-2, 2005

Co-Chair, *Women of Color*, University of Arizona. 2004-2006.

Member of the *Women of Color*, University of Arizona. Active member 2002-6. Served on the film series, social events, and brown bag lecture series committee.

Professional Service:

Committee Member. Future of Minority Studies Junior Scholar Caucus Committee. August 2007-2008.

Community Service/Activism:

Acting President of the Board. Free Speech Radio News. October 2011-January 2012.

Delegate. *UNITE HERE Community Delegation*. April 9th, 2012.

UNITE HERE represents workers throughout the U.S. and Canada who work in the hotel, gaming, food service, manufacturing, textile, distribution, laundry, and airport industries. I was invited to this delegation because my student is an embattled Hyatt worker and wanted me to show my support by speaking to her employer about her labor dispute with her employers.

Vice-President of the Board. Free Speech Radio News. Fall 2010-present. <http://fsrn.org/>
Board Member. Free Speech Radio News. Fall 2008- present.

FSRN is an independently produced half hour daily national and international radio news program focusing on peace and social justice issues in the US and around the world. Its workers and reporters collectively run FSRN from all corners of the globe. It is a non-profit organization, with funding from Pacifica Radio Network, as well as community radio stations across the US and grassroots listener/donors. The newscast is independently distributed by FSRN, as well as by the Pacifica radio network.

Volunteer and member. Silicon Valley De-Bug. Fall 2007- present.

<http://www.siliconvalleydebug.org/>

I volunteer with De-Bug and do many collaborative projects. I helped De-Bug with fundraising and workshop presentations to several academic and community events. I have taken SJSU students and De-Bug members to two Allied Media Conferences to do workshops on De-Bug campaigns.

Co-organizer. "Queer Qumbia." Spring 2010-present.

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Queer-Qumbia/299606000979?v=info>

I help to organize monthly grassroots fundraising events for local, bay area social justice organizations that promote queer awareness. To date, we have raised over ten thousands dollars for local groups using cumbia music as an organizing tool. We hold these events at Bollyhood Café in San Francisco every 3rd Friday of each month. We recently expanded Queer Qumbia in the East bay to the 1st Saturday of each month at Missouri Lounge. We celebrate our 2-year anniversary this March 2012. We have fiscally supported nearly 30 different social justice groups in the Bay Area.

Founder and member. Holly Park Collective. Spring 2008- present.

The Holly Park Collective is a radical, queer, person of color housing collective that is a counter-space for activists to live with low rent housing situation and in solidarity with other activist who do local, grassroots community work at the intersections of race, class, gender, sexuality, disability, and citizenship.

Organizer. *United for Human Dignity: Boycott Arizona*. Tucson, AZ: May-August 2005.

The recent trend of hate in Arizona, with the passage of Prop 200, the presence of racist vigilante groups, and anti-immigrant legislation that has passed or is pending, calls for an economic boycott of Arizona to highlight the troubling pattern of nativism and racism in this state against immigrants and people of color.

Legal Observer. *American Civil Liberties Union of Arizona* for the Minuteman Project. Arizona-Sonora Border, April 2005- May 2005.

The Minuteman Project gained national attention as armed, white nationalist converged on the Arizona-Sonora border to "hunt" people who cross the border without documents. As a trained ACLU legal observer, I volunteered to watch their activities for any abuses of civil and human rights.

Board Member. *Border Action Network*. Tucson, AZ: November 2003-present. Volunteer and Member, June 2002-May 2006.

Border Action Network is a grassroots, membership based, non-profit organization in Tucson, Douglas, and Nogales, Arizona. BAN works to protect the human rights, civil rights and the environment of the bi-national border communities against the militarization of the USA-Mexico border.

Volunteer caseworker. *Mercy House, Inc.* Harrisonburg Va.: August 1995.

Invited Community Lectures, Workshops and Consulting Work:

Consultant. Corporate Accountability International. Fall 2010.

I provided consultation for CAI, a grassroots movement that demands direct corporate accountability to public interests, on their presentation "Unhappy Meal: How Fast

Food Corporations Target Low-Income and People of Color Communities.” I provided feedback and analysis on racial and food justice issues.

- 2009 Consulted “Teachers of Color for Equity,” a group of teachers and psychologists at James Lick Middle School, San Francisco, on the role of whiteness and privilege in education.
- 2004 “The militarization of the border and environmental impacts.” International College, University of Arizona.
- 2004 “The militarization of the USA-Mexico border and social movements” Department of Sociology, University of Arizona.

Professional Membership and Affiliations:

Member National Association of Women Studies, 2014-2015.

Member of the *Society for the Study of Social Problems*, 2000-2005, 2011-present.

Member of the *Future of Minority Studies Consortium*, 2005-present.

Member of the *Law and Society Association*, 2000-2009; 2011-present.

Visiting Scholar, University of Arizona, Women’s Studies, 2005-2006.

Visiting Scholar, University of Arizona, Department of Sociology, 2003-2005.

Member of the American Sociological Association, 2004-2006.

Member of the *Pacific Sociological Association*, 2001-2002.

Member of *Society for the Study of Symbolic Interactionism*, 1999.

Community Memberships and Affiliations:

Queer Qumbia, 2010-present.

Free Speech Radio News, 2008-present.

De-bug, 2007- 2010.

Border Action Network, 2003-present.

National Asian Pacific American Women’s Forum, 2006-present.

Community Publications:

2008 “A critique” and “Final, final comments.” In the zine *The Struggle Within: Recognizing Patriarchy/ De Adentro Luchamos: Reconociendo el Patriarcado* (eds. Luis Herrea and Adán Luévano).

2005 “Minutemen Hide Their Racism behind Patriotism” *Ya Basta!* An alternative publication of Border Action Network.

- 2004 Jones, Bryn and Sahee Kil. "Environmental Protection on the Line: The Untold Environmental Impacts of Arizona/Mexico Border Enforcement." *Border Action Network*.
- 2004 "Justice on the Line: The Unequal Impacts of Border Patrol Activities in Arizona Border Communities. Researcher. *Border Action Network*.
- 2004 "Hate or Heroism: Vigilantes on the Arizona-Mexico Border" Editor. *Border Action Network*

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