

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

Ph.D. (1989) University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana
Department of Political Science, with Area Certificate, Soviet and East European Studies Program
Dissertation Title: *Reform of Agricultural Management at Local Levels in the Soviet Union: The Difficulties of Regime-Induced Change*

M.A. (1984) University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana
Department of Political Science
Thesis Title: *Political Stability and the Socialist State*

B.A. (1982) Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana
Department of Political Science, with Area Certificate from the Russian and East European Institute

Positions

Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Political Science, Western Michigan University, 2004-present.

Professor of Political Science, Western Michigan University, 2000-present.

Visiting Fulbright Scholar, Department of Political Science, Saratov State University, Saratov, Russia, 2009-2010.

Visiting Associate, Centre for African Studies, University of Cape Town, South Africa, 2002-2003 and 2004.

Associate Director, Haenicke Institute for International and Area Studies, Western Michigan University, 2000-2003.

Director, Institute of Government and Politics, Western Michigan University, 1994-1999.

Associate Professor of Political Science, Western Michigan University, 1993-2000.

Assistant Professor of Political Science, Western Michigan University, 1988-1993.

Publications

Jim Butterfield and Ekaterina Levintova, "Academic Freedom and International Standards in Higher Education: Contestation in Journalism and Political Science at Moscow State University." *Communist and Post-Communist Studies* 44:4 (forthcoming December 2011).

"The Struggle Against Xenophobia in South Africa." *Preduprezhdenie Nasil'stvennykh Konfliktov Mul'tikyl'turnikh Soobshchestvakh i Formirovanie Kul'tury Mira (Prevention of Violent Conflict in Multicultural Societies and the Development of a Culture of Peace)*. Institute of Eastern Studies, Ukrainian Academy of Sciences, Simferopol, Ukraine (2011).

Ekaterina Levintova and Jim Butterfield, "History Education and Historical Remembrance in Contemporary Russia: Sources of Political Attitudes of Pro-Kremlin Youth." *Communist and Post-Communist Studies* 43:2 (June 2010), 139-166.

Ekaterina Levintova and Jim Butterfield, "Kak formiruetsia istoriia i otnoshenie k nei: shkoly nye uchebniki o noveishei otechestvennoi istorii" ("How history and attitudes toward it are formed: school texts about recent Russian history"), *Vestnik obschestvennogo mneniia* 3 (101), June-September 2009.

Moataz A. Fattah and Jim Butterfield, "Muslim Cultural Entrepreneurs and the Democracy Debate," *Middle Eastern Critique* 15:1 (Spring 2006), 49-78.

"South African Democracy and Local Participation," in Ismail Davids (ed), *Voices From Below: Reflecting on Ten Years of Public Participation*. Cape Town: Foundation for Contemporary Research, 2005.

"Agricultural Sectoral Reform and Rural Development in Uzbekistan," in Kurt Engelmann (ed.), *Central Asia between Russia and the Middle East: Land Reform, Environmental Constraints, and Rural Development*. University of Washington Press, 2002.

"The New Uzbek Land Code: Reform or Reversal?" *The Cyber-Caravan*, Johns Hopkins Central Asian-Caucasus Institute, December 18, 1998 [<http://www.sais-jhu.edu/CASA/cybercaravan/01/04.htm>]

Jim Butterfield, Mikhail Kuznetsov and Sergei Sazonov, "Peasant Farming in Russia." *Journal of Peasant Studies* 23:4 (July 1996), 79-105.

Preliminary Recommendations for Local Government Service Delivery, Report to USAID, June 1996.

Needs Assessment Surveys from Cherepovets and Griazovets Districts, Vologda Province, with Konstantin Efremov. Report to USAID, May 1996.

Russian Farm Enterprise Viability, with Sergei Kiselov and Alexander Petrikov. Report to USAID, July 1994.

Agricultural Land Privatization and Farm Reorganization Models, with Gordon Bremer and Donald Van Atta. Report to USAID, June 1994.

Marcia Weigle and Jim Butterfield, "Civil Society in Reforming Communist Regimes: The Logic of Emergence." *Comparative Politics*, October 1992, 1-23.

Judith Sedaitis and Jim Butterfield (eds.), *Perestroika from Below: Social Movements in the Soviet Union*. Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 1991.

Jim Butterfield and Marcia Weigle, "Unofficial Social Groups and Regime Response in the Soviet Union," (1-12), and Jim Butterfield and Judith Sedaitis, "The Emergence of Social Movements in the Soviet Union," (175-196), in Sedaitis and Butterfield (eds.), *Perestroika from Below: Social Movements in the Soviet Union*.

Jim Butterfield, "State Response to Informal Groups," in *Nationalities Papers* 18:2 (Fall 1990), 56-64.

Jim Butterfield, "Devolution in Decision-making and Organizational Change in Soviet Agriculture," in *Comparative Economic Studies*, Spring 1990, reprinted in Moskoff, *Perestroika in the Countryside*. M.E. Sharpe, 1990, 19-46.

Jim Butterfield, "Raion Agroindustrial Associations in Soviet Agriculture," in Karl-Eugen Wadekin, (ed.), *Communist Agriculture*. London: Routledge, 1990.

Grants and Awards

Fulbright Research/Teaching Grant for field research in Russia based at Saratov State University, 2009-2010.

Faculty Research and Creative Activities Support Fund Award (WMU), May 2004 for field research in South Africa.

Visiting Associateship, Centre for African Studies, University of Cape Town for 2002-2003 and summer 2004.

International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX) Short-Term Travel Grant, February 1998 for summer 1998 field research.

International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX) Short-Term Travel Grant, December 1993 for winter 1993-4 field research.

International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX) Short-Term Travel Grant, April 1993 for summer 1993 field research.

American Councils For International Education Research Scholars Grant, March 1993 for summer 1993 field research.

American Councils For International Education Research Scholars Grant, January 1992 for summer 1992 field research.

Faculty Research and Creative Activities Support Fund Award (WMU), December 1991 for field research and travel support in the Soviet Union, 1992.

American Councils For International Education Research Scholars Grant, April 1991 for summer 1991 field research.

Provost's Discretionary Fund (WMU), for summer 1991 field research.

International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX) Collaborative Activities Grant, November 1989, for consultations with Soviet scholars.

Faculty Research and Creative Activities Support Fund (WMU), October 1988 for field research and travel support in the Soviet Union, 1989.

International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX) Graduate Student and Young Faculty Fellowship for long-term field research in the Soviet Union, 1986-7 .

Kellogg Institute of International Studies Seed Money Grant for research and travel support in Slavic collections in West Germany and Britain, Spring 1985.

Summer Research Laboratory Associate, University of Illinois Center for Soviet and East European Studies, 1985, 1986, and 1992.

Professional Activities

Paper, "The Struggle Against Xenophobia in South Africa." Conference on the Prevention of Violent Conflicts and Peace Education in Multicultural Societies. Sevastopol, Ukraine, October 7, 2011.

Paper, "Academic Freedom and International Standards in Higher Education: Contestation in Journalism and Political Science at Moscow State University," with Ekaterina Levintova, International Studies Association Conference, Montreal, March 18, 2011.

Paper, "Preparing Journalists and Political Scientists in the Context of Sovereign Democracy: The Case of Four Departments at the Moscow State University," with Ekaterina Levintova, Association for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies Conference, Los Angeles, November 17, 2010.

Presentation on Russian history education as part of round table, "Reading and Re-Writing History: Shaping Young People's Attitudes and Identity," Organization for Cooperation and Security in Europe (OSCE), Dushanbe Office, February 5, 2010.

Presentation, "The Challenge of Transition," the Aga Khan Humanities Project, University of Central Asia, Dushanbe, Tajikistan, February 4, 2010.

Presentation, "New Directions of Foreign Policy Under the Obama Administration," Tajik Academy of Sciences, Dushanbe, Tajikistan, February 2, 2010.

Paper, "Kogda konstitutstionnye prava i gospodstvuyushchie v obshchestve vzgliady vstupayut v protivorechie: istoriia legalizirovannogo rasizma v USA v period posle Grazhdanskoi voiny" ("When Constitutional Rights and Prevailing Attitudes Conflict: The History of Legalized Racism in the United States after the Civil War"). Presented at the plenary session of the International Constitutional Forum "Constitutional Principles of Justice: Problems of Their Realization." Conference in honor of the 15th anniversary of the Saratov Oblast Duma and the 100th anniversary of Saratov State University, December 15, 2009 (in Russian).

Paper, "'Border Crossings' for Cross-Cultural Awareness Through the Use of Interdisciplinary Simulations in the Social Sciences," Conference on Innovative Pedagogy and Interactive Learning at the Herzen State Pedagogical University, St Petersburg, Russia, October 23, 2009.

Paper, "Russia's Costly Decentralization," Central European Regional Studies Conference, Košice, Slovakia, October 8, 2009.

Presentation, "Micro-Level Approaches to Poverty Alleviation in the Developing World," Midwest Institute for International/Intercultural Education, Kalamazoo, MI, August 5, 2009.

Paper, "Community Development for Poverty Alleviation in South Africa," World Civic Forum, Seoul, South Korea, May 6, 2009.

Paper, "Political Socialization and Mobilization in Post-Communist Russia: A Case of Pro-Kremlin Youth Groups," with Ekaterina Levintova, Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, April 3, 2009.

Paper, "History Education and Historical Remembrance: Pro-Kremlin Youth and Attitudes Toward the 1990s," with Ekaterina Levintova, American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies Conference, Philadelphia, November 22, 2008.

Paper, "Social Mobilization and Rights in Rural South Africa: RMT meets RBA," African Studies Association Conference, San Francisco, November 16, 2006.

Paper, "Municipal-Community Partnerships for Services and Livelihoods in South Africa: Community Based Alternatives to PPPs," The Association of Third World Studies Conference, Santo Domingo, November 22, 2005.

Paper, "Civil Society and the State: Setting the Public Agenda in South Africa," Centre for African

Studies, University of Cape Town, May 7, 2003.

Presentation, "Civil Society and Democratic Deepening," University of Stellenbosch, March 27, 2003.

Paper, "NGO Involvement in Land Reform Implementation: A Comparison of Russia and South Africa," Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, April 28, 2000.

Presentation, "Russian Land Reform," United States Agency for International Development (USAID). December 10, 1998.

Paper, "Agricultural Sectoral Assessment and Rural Development in Uzbekistan," American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies Annual Conference, Boca Raton, FL, September 24, 1998.

Paper, "Enterprise Restructuring in Russian Agriculture," Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) Ad-Hoc Group of Experts Conference, Paris, October 4, 1995.

Presentation, "State Intervention in the U.S. Agricultural Sector," Michurinsk Agricultural Academy, Michurinsk, Tambov Province, Russia, May 15, 1994.

Paper, "Conflicting Values and Rapid Transition in Russia," Conference on Value Inquiry, Drew University, NJ, April 22, 1994.

Paper, "Social Groups, Parties and Local Government in Russia," Midwest Political Science Association Conference, Chicago, IL, April 15, 1994.

Report, Working Session on Multiculturalism and Democracy, Cultural Legacies Institute Conference on Multiculturalism in the Higher Education Curriculum sponsored by the American Consortium of Colleges and Universities, February 24, 26, 1994.

Paper, "Food Systems in Flux: Factors that Impinge on the Food Provision System in Russia," American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies Annual Conference, Honolulu, November 22, 1993.

Presentation, "The State of Political Science in the United States," Institute of Sociology (St. Petersburg branch), Sector for Social Movements, July 6, 1993 (in Russian).

Presentation, "The Geography of Russian Reform," Davenport Community College, November 16, 1992.

Paper, "The Non-Democratic Spectrum in Russia," APSA Annual Conference, Chicago, September 3, 1992.

Presentation, "The Drive for Political and Economic Independence in Latvia," St. Xavier University, April 30, 1992.

Presentation, "The Politics of Economic Reform in the Soviet Union, and Implications for the

West," Kalamazoo Valley Community College, January 25, 1991.

Presentation, "Perestroika and Agriculture: Current Developments in Soviet Agricultural Reform," University of Northern Iowa, December 4, 1990.

Presentation, "The Pre-Requisites of Civil Society in the Soviet Union," Michigan State University, November 14, 1990.

Paper, "The Emergence of Civil Society in the Soviet Union," American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies Annual Conference, Washington, D.C., October 18, 1990.

Paper, "Stages in the Development of Civil Society in Reforming Communist Regimes: The Soviet case in Comparative Perspective," World Congress on Soviet and East European Studies, Harrogate, England, July 26, 1990.

Presentation, "The Soviet Union and Eastern Europe: The End of an Era?," Grand Rapids World Affairs Council, March 12, 1990.

Paper, "Soviet Agricultural Management: The Search for a Formula," American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies Annual Conference, Chicago, November 3, 1989.

Paper, "Social Groups and Regime Response in the Soviet Union," Symposium on Social Groups in the Soviet Union, Columbia University, November 28, 1989.

Paper, "Social Groups and Regime Response in the Soviet Union," American Political Science Association (APSA) Conference, Atlanta, GA, September 3, 1989.

Presentation, "Civil Society, Social Movements and Democratization in the Soviet Union," at the Institute of the International Labor Movement, Moscow, USSR, July 31, 1989 (in Russian).

Presentation, "Observations on Successes and Potential Dangers in the Drive Towards Democratization and Independence," at the Latvian Popular Front, Riga, Latvia, USSR, July 17, 1989 (in Russian).

Paper, "Social Groups, Social Movements and Regime Response in the Soviet Union," New England Political Science Association Conference, Cambridge, MA, April 7, 1989.

Paper, "Devolution in Decision-making and Organizational Change in Soviet agriculture," American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies Annual Conference, Honolulu, Hawaii, November 18-22, 1988.

Paper, "Problems of Authoritative Integrity in Local Agricultural Administrative Organs in the Soviet Union: The Impact on Reform," Conference on Economic Reform in Centrally Planned Economies, The Indian School of Political Economy, Lonavla, India, November 30-December 4, 1987.

Paper, "Soviet Agriculture and the RAPO Reforms," Eighth International Conference on Soviet and East European Agriculture, at the University of California, Berkeley, August 7-10, 1987.

Presentation, "Government Intervention in the American Agricultural Economy," at the Siberian Branch of the Lenin Academy of Agricultural Sciences, Krasnoobsk (Siberia), USSR, February 24, 1987 (in Russian).

Consulting Experience

Report on recent advances in poverty alleviation strategies for the Clinton Global Initiative Annual Summit, commissioned by the Gerson Lehrman Group, September 2006.

Proposal Research and Writing and Local Recruitment for Asian Development Bank Agricultural Sector Assessment Project in Uzbekistan, Pragma International, July 1997.

Social Services Delivery and Local Government Reform Consultant, USAID Market-Oriented Farm Support Activities Project in Vologda, Russia, Chemonics International, April-May 1996.

Consultant to proposal writing effort for USAID project, Market-Oriented Farm Support Activities, Chemonics International, June 1994-February 1995.

Consultant to USAID Farm Privatization and Training Project, Moscow, January-February 1995. Contracted with Chemonics International.

Initiator and Consultant of USAID project in Russia on Farm Privatization and Training, October-November 1994.

Consultant to Chemonics, International in preparation for a bid for contract on post-privatization support of Russian agriculture, June-July, 1994, with special focus on service provision.

Team Leader on USAID project in Russia on emerging models of farm reorganization: Identification of Agricultural Land Privatization and Farm Reorganization Models Task Order, Moscow, Russia (with field work in seven provinces). Contracted with Chemonics International. Served as team leader, co-author of final report (April 24-June 11, 1994).

Co-designed and authored study on viability of post-privatized farms: Viability of Farm Enterprises during and after Reorganization and Privatization, Moscow, Russia. Contracted with Chemonics International. Served as team leader. Supervised field teams, authored final report (June 13-July 22).

Consultant on projects including the establishment of a partnership arrangement between Kalamazoo and Pushkin, Russia; a sister-university relationship between WMU and both Saratov State University and the University of Latvia; and social studies curriculum reform in the Detroit Public Schools.

Courses Taught

Undergraduate:

Central European Politics (in Prague, Czech Republic)
Comparative Politics (including in Saratov, Russia)
Critical Thinking about Politics
Democratization
International Relations
Introduction to Political Science
Nationalism and Ethnicity
Poverty Seminar
Russian and Central Asian Politics (earlier, Russian and East European Politics, Soviet and East European Politics)

Graduate:

Civil Society and Social Movements
Comparative Politics
Democratization and Institutional Design
Political Change in Russia
Poverty Seminar
Rural Development and Agrarian Reform
Teaching Excellence
Proposal Workshop

Supervision of Student Projects

Dissertation Chair, Jane Okwako, *Innovative Governance and Natural Resource Management in Kenya: A Qualitative Modeling of Procedural and Substantive Outcomes of Civil Society Participation*. Ongoing.

Dissertation Chair, Stacey Pollard, *The State and Civil Society in the Arab Middle East*. Ongoing.

Dissertation Co-Chair, Joel Raveloharimisy, *Becoming Formal or Informal Entrepreneurs: How Institutions Matter*. Graduated December 2011. Placed at Andrews University.

Dissertation Chair, Mihaiela Ristei, *An Institutional Analysis of Corruption in Romania: A Comparison of the Judiciary, Customs, Health Care and Public Procurement*. Awarded WMU Dissertation Fellowship and WMU Gwen Frostic Fellowship, 2008. Graduated in April 2010. Placed at Central Michigan University (three-year position).

Dissertation Chair, Fodei Batty, *What Role for Ethnicity? Political Mobilization in Post-conflict Sierra Leone and Liberia*. Awarded Jennings Randolph Peace Fellowship by United States Institute of Peace for 2007-2008. Graduated in April 2010. Placed at Quinnipiac University (tenure track).

Dissertation Chair, Ekaterina Levintova, *Government-Affiliated Intellectuals, Official Discourse and Public Opinion in Post-Communist Countries (Russia and Poland)*. Recipient of three external grants (IREX and ACTR/ACCELS). Graduated in June 2004. Placed at Texas A&M/Texarkana,

subsequently at University of Wisconsin/Green Bay (tenure track).

Dissertation Chair, Aparna Thomas, *Women's Participation in the Panchayati Raj: A Case Study of Maharashtra, India*. Carrie Chapman Catt Prize for Research on Women and Politics, 2003. Graduated in June 2004. Placed at Cornell College, Iowa (tenure track).

Dissertation Chair, Moataz Abdelfattah, *Islamic Norms and the Democratic Alternative: Cross Cultural Examination of Muslims' Belief Systems*. Graduated in June 2004. Recipient of LIPS/MERC grant. Placed at Central Michigan University and Cairo University (tenure track). Dissertation published by Routledge as *Democratic Values in the Muslim World* (2006). Selected by *Choice* magazine as an "Outstanding Academic Title" in 2006.

Dissertation Chair, Sukhee Lee. *A Foundation for Democratic Transition: The Evolution of Korean Civil Society 1972-1987*. Graduated in August 2002. Placed at Dankook University, South Korea (tenure track).

Masters Thesis Chair, Robert Wood, *Regime Failures and Opposition Consolidation in the Overthrow of Hosni Mubarak*. Graduated December 2011.

Masters Thesis Chair, Brian Crisher, *Ending Conflict: Raising the Costs of Defection in African Failed States*. Graduated June 2007.

Masters Thesis Chair, Lyudmyla Pustelnyk, *The Independent Press in Emerging Democracies: The Cases of Poland, Ukraine and Russia*. Graduated April 2007.

Masters Thesis Chair, Christopher Ebsch, "Which Islam-ism? Diversity in Islamic Thought & the Implications for Democracy." Graduated April 2006.

Masters Thesis Chair, Elena Koumna, *The Origins of Greek Cypriot National Identity*. Graduated December 1998.

Masters Thesis Chair, Karl Hokenmaier, *Contracts in Conflict: Perestroika and the Decline of Soviet Legitimacy*. Graduated August 1993.

Supervisor, Internship and Report, Sabina Balos, *Capacity Building and Social Mobilization in the Western Cape of South Africa* (internship conducted at the Southern Cape Land Committee, an NGO), May-June 2005.

Honors Thesis Chair (a partial list):

- Evan Mayo, "Fixing the Weak State" (2011)
- Nayibe Tavares, "Three Approaches to Judicial Reform: Making Judiciaries Work for the Less Fortunate" (2011)
- Stephanie Hodek, "The Impact of European Union Membership on Romani Children's Ability to Access an Equal Education in the Czech Republic" (2011)
- Kevin Martini, "Kyrgyzstan's Post-Soviet Struggle to Develop Political Stability" (2010)
- Katie Ely, "Fighting an Epidemic: Government Responses to HIV/AIDS" (2007)
- Erika Rubino, "Land Reform in Latin America: A Look at the Brazilian and Venezuelan Cases of the 1960s and Today" (2006)

- Lisa Cathcart, "Urban Informal Settlements and Alleviation Programs in Developing Countries: Three Case Analyses" (2006)
- Clifton Hartsuff, "The Efficacy of International Economic Sanctions: Lessons from South Africa and Application to Myanmar and North Korea" (2006)
- Joshua Lampen, "Fighting for the Riches of the Earth: Inter-State Relationships and Water Scarcity within the Tigris-Euphrates River System" (2005)
- Sabina Balos, "Children Soldiers in Africa" (2004)
- Kenneth Springer, "Cold War Legacies in the Middle East and South Asia" (2004)
- Fabian Best, "Globalization From Above Meets Below: A New Era of Globalization" (2004)
- Aki Nakashima, "Aid to the Health-Related Sector: The United States, Japan, and Germany" (2004)
- Ian Lively, "Truth Commissions and Civil Society: A Synergistic Collaboration" (2004)
- Dragana Djukic, "Debt Crisis in Heavily Indebted Poor Countries" (2004)
- Anne McGee, "Mexico's Changing Party System" (1999)
- John Spykerman, "The Media and Civil Society in Eastern Europe: Opening the Public Forum to Everyone" (1997)
- Ilissa Kabak, "Breaking Tradition: A Look at Paraguayan Democracy" (1994)
- Arlene Hendricks, "The Effects of the Caribbean Basin Initiative on Jamaica's Trade" (1992)
- Mark Wolfgram, "Psychological Implications of German Reunification upon the German Population" (1992)
- Katherine Andersen, "The Democratic Political Spectrum in Russia" (1992)
- Peter Albertins, "Unofficial Latvian Political Organizations in the Gorbachev Era: Evolution, Accomplishments and Goals" (1990)

Language

Russian, proficient (sufficient to teach, give public lectures and conference papers)

International Education Activities

- Presiding Presenter, International Education Forum, Faculty Senate: April 2006.
- Chair, Faculty Senate International Education Council: 2003-present.
- American Council on Education Internationalization Collaborative Annual Meetings in Washington, DC: 2004, 2005 and 2006.
- Cultures and Languages Across the Curriculum Conference, Portland, Oregon: October 2006.
- CIEE, NAFSA and International Education Association of Southern Africa conferences (multiple from 2000 to 2002).
- Associate Director, Haenicke Institute for International and Area Studies: 2000-2003.
- Short-Term Study Abroad Seminar, Austin, TX: 2000.
- International Faculty Development Seminar (Council on International Educational Exchange), South Africa: 1999.
- Chair, President's Committee on Study Abroad, WMU: 1997-2000.
- Member, President's Committee on Study Abroad, WMU: 1994-2000.
- Site development activity in Russia (1995, 2000, 2006), Germany (1997, 2000), Spain (1998), Botswana (1999), South Africa (1999, 2000, 2003), Belgium (2000), Mexico (2000), Netherlands (2000), Sweden (2000), Slovenia (2000), Croatia (2000), Australia (2001), New

Zealand (2001), Turkey (2001), Egypt (2001), Syria (2001), U.K. (2002), Czech Republic (2001, 2002), Commonwealth of Northern Marianas Islands (2002).

International Research and Work-Related Experience

Armenia	France	Slovakia
Australia	Georgia	Slovenia
Azerbaijan	Germany	South Africa
Belarus	Latvia	South Korea
Belgium	Lesotho	Spain
Botswana	Lithuania	Swaziland
Canada	Mauritius	Sweden
CNMI	Mexico	Syria
Croatia	Netherlands	Tajikistan
Czech Republic	New Zealand	Turkey
Egypt	Qatar	Ukraine
Estonia	Russia	Uzbekistan

University and Departmental Service

College of Arts and Sciences Internationalization Committee, 2008-9, 2010-11

Provost Search Committee: 2007-8

International Education Council of the Faculty Senate, Chair: 2003-2007

Senator: 2003-2007

College of Arts and Sciences Strategic Planning Committee: 2001

President's Study Abroad Advisory Committee: Member, 1995-2000; Chair, 1998-2000

Institute of Government and Politics, Director: 1994-1999

Departmental Committees: Executive Committee, Graduate Committee, PhD Admissions Committee, Comparative Field Committee, various search committees, (multiple each)

Other

Interviews, live and taped, on numerous radio and television stations in the US, Russia, and Tajikistan, and by newspapers in the US and Russia.

Presentations to numerous civic groups in the Southwest Michigan area.

A series of lectures to university and civic audiences in Russia on American politics, American foreign policy, renewable energy, American higher education, American graduate education, foreign political systems, and international politics between November 2009 and April 2010 in association with the Fulbright Grant.