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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Communication, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL (2008)
M.S., Speech Communication, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL (2003)
B.A., Radio-Television, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL (2001)
A.S., Business Administration, Danville Area Community College, Danville, IL (1999)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Chair and Professor (2017-present), Department of Communication, Bradley University, Peoria, IL

Chair and Associate Professor (2014-2017) | Assistant Professor (2008-2014) | Director of Graduate Studies (2011-2014) | Department of Communication, Media and Theatre; Affiliate Faculty, Department of Women and Gender Studies (2013-2017); Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, IL

Graduate Teaching Assistant (2004-2008), University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

Graduate Teaching Assistant (2001-2004), Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL

PUBLICATIONS

Books/Monographs

Berry, K., Gillotti, C., & Adams, T. E. (2020). Living Sexuality: Storying LGBTQ Relationships, Identities, and Desires. Brill | Sense.

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Reviewed in Qualitative Research (2015) and Cadernos de Saúde Pública (2015). Received the 2013 “Best Edited Book of the Year” award from the Ethnography Division of the National Communication Association.

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The Dark Side of Family Communication (1/13)
Opacity and the Closet: Queer Tactics in Foucault, Barthes, and Warhol (11/12)
Global Masculinities and Manhood (7/12)
Words at Work and Play: Three Decades in Family and Community Life (9/12)
Marital Communication (5/12)
Fixing Gender: Lesbian Mothers and the Oedipus Complex (2/12)

Adams, T. E. (2014, July). 5 great books on Queer Theory. CHOICE Magazine.

Adams, T. E. (2016). Review of Beyond New Media: Discourse and Critique in a Polymediated Age. Iowa Journal of Communication, 48, 171-173.

Adams, T. E. (2016). Review of Transgender Communication Studies: Histories, Trends, and Trajectories. Women's Studies in Communication, 39, 347-351. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07491409.2016.1199760>

Adams, T. E. (2015). Review: Staring at/with Speedy. Forum Qualitative Sozialforschung/Forum: Qualitative Social Research. [Review of Staring at the Park: A Poetic, Autoethnographic Inquiry]

Adams, T. E. (2015). Review of Home, Uprooted: Oral Histories of India's Partition. Text and Performance Quarterly, 35, 408-410. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10462937.2015.1073778>

Adams, T. E. (2011). Review of Body, Paper, Stage: Writing and Performing Autoethnography and Leaning: A Poetics of Personal Relations. Liminalities: A Journal of Performance Studies, 7. <http://liminalities.net/7-3/spry-pelias-rev.html>

Adams, T. E. (2011). Legislating Humanity. Sexuality & Culture, 15, 399-401 [Review of From Disgust to Humanity: Sexual Orientation and Constitutional Law] <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12119-011-9102-5>

Adams, T. E. (2007). Making Democracy Personal. The Review of Communication, 7, 131-133. [Review of A Need to Know: The Clandestine History of a CIA family] <https://doi.org/10.1080/15358590701211431>

Adams, T. E. (2006). Hidden Dimensions of the Hidden Dimension. The Review of Communication, 6, 150-152. [Review of Where the Ball Drops: Days and Nights in Times Square] <https://doi.org/10.1080/15358590600763466>

Adams, A. E. (2003). Review of Collective Behavior and Public Opinion. American Communication Journal, 6, <http://ac-journal.org/journal/vol6/iss4/iss4/reviews/ginneken.htm>

Miscellaneous Publications

Adams, T. E. (2019). Foreword. In J. Peters, A Feminist Post-transsexual Autoethnography on Challenging Normative Gender Coercion (pp. xv-xvii). Routledge.

Adams, T. E. (2017). Foreword. In G. A. Tilley-Lubbs, Critical Autoethnography and Spiritual Discovery (pp. xv-xvii). Peter Lang.

Adams, T. E. (2017). Foreword. In A. F. Herrmann (ed.), Organizational Autoethnographies: Power and Identity in Our Working Lives (pp. xiii-xv). Routledge.

Adams, T. E. (2016, March 27). An angry plea to Illinois politicians [Letter to the editor]. The State-Journal Register. Springfield, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2016, March 1). Illinois colleges facing serious threat [Letter to the editor]. The News-Gazette. Champaign-Urbana, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2014, October 9). Publishing online and outside of a discipline. PhD2Published.com. <http://www.phd2published.com/2014/10/09/publishing-online-and-outside-of-a-discipline-by-tony-e-adams/>

PRESENTATIONS

Invited Lectures

Narrating Forgiveness, keynote/plenary/public lectures: Angelo State University (2/15) | University of Edinburgh (11/15) | University of Utah (3/18) | Northeastern Illinois University (4/18) | Universidad Autónoma de Aguascalientes (10/19) | Ball State University (1/20)

Narrating the Closet, keynote/plenary/public lectures: University of South Carolina-Upstate (9/11) | Angelo State University (2/13) | University of North Carolina-Charlotte (3/13) | Texas A&M University (3/14); in-person/virtual class visits: University of South Carolina-Upstate (9/11, 11/12) | Northern Kentucky University (6/11) | University of North Carolina Greensboro (10/11) | University of Missouri-Columbia (10/11) | University of Alabama (12/11, 12/12, 3/14, 4/15, 9/17) | University of South Florida (12/11) | University of Southern Indiana (6/12, 7/14, 4/16) | College of Charleston (9/12) | University of Wisconsin-Superior (12/12) | College of Wooster (12/12) | Angelo State University (2/13, 2/14) | University of North Carolina-Charlotte (3/13, 10/15, 11/15) | Wayne State University (10/09)

Autoethnography, in-person/virtual class visits: University of Alabama (3/14; 2/20) | University of Texas at El Paso (3/14) | Texas A&M University (3/14) | University of Edinburgh (1/15, 2/20) | University of South Florida (2/20) | University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (9/16) | Universidad Autónoma de Aguascalientes (10/19) | College of Wooster (11/20)

Workshops

Adams, T. E. (2021, February 10). The Art of Autoethnography. Lancaster University.

Adams, T. E. (2020, August 5-6). Subjectivity in Qualitative Inquiry: Making Social Research Complex, Ethical, and Accessible. Two-day workshop held at the 17th Annual Qualitative Research Summer Intensive. Chapel Hill, NC.

Adams, T. E., Swartout, K. & Maietta, R. (2020, August 7). Because it was Qualitative: How to Build Unapologetic Arguments for the Strength of Our Work. One-day workshop held at the 17th Annual Qualitative Research Summer Intensive. Chapel Hill, NC.

Adams, T. E. & Berry, K. (2018, November 20). Performative Autoethnography: Maneuvering the Borders and Boundaries of Representation. Workshop held at the Contemporary Ethnography Across the Disciplines. Santiago, Chile.

Swartout, K. & Adams, T. E. (2015, July 30-July 31). Doing Qualitative Research Online. Two-day workshop held at

the 12th Annual Qualitative Research Summer Intensive. Chapel Hill, NC.

Adams, T. E., Hamilton, A. & Maietta, R. (2015, July 29). Because it was Qualitative: How to Build Unapologetic Arguments for the Strength of Our Work. One-day workshop held at the 12th Annual Qualitative Research Summer Intensive. Chapel Hill, NC.

Adams, T. E. (2014, July 31-August 1). Autoethnographic Research. Two-day workshop held at the 11th Annual Qualitative Research Summer Intensive. Chapel Hill, NC.

Holman Jones, S. & Adams, T. E. (2014, May). Queer Autoethnography. Workshop held at the 10th annual International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2014, February). The Ethics of Autoethnography. Workshop held at the Doing Autoethnography conference. Angelo State University. San Angelo, TX.

Adams, T. E. (2013, July). Learning from the Subjective. Two-day workshop held at the 10th Annual Qualitative Research Summer Intensive. Chapel Hill, NC.

Holman Jones, S. & Adams, T. E. (2013, May). Queer Communities, Qualitative Inquiry, and Telling Stories (Not Often Told). Workshop held at the 9th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2013, March). Evaluating Autoethnography. Workshop held at the Doing Autoethnography conference. Angelo State University. San Angelo, TX.

Holman Jones, S. & Adams, T. E. (2012, May). LGBTQ Communities and Qualitative Inquiry: Experiences, Issues, and Seeking Change. Workshop held at the 8th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2012, April). Teaching Autoethnography as a Method for Communication Research. Short Course held at the Central States Communication Association. Cleveland, OH.

Adams, T. E. (2011, November). The Purpose of Autoethnography: Possibilities for Communication Research. Workshop held at the Doing Autoethnography conference. Wayne State University, Detroit, MI.

Competitive Conference Papers

Manning, J. & T. E. Adams (2016, April). Popular culture studies and autoethnography: An essay on method. Central States Communication Association, Cincinnati, OH.

Adams, T. E. & Manning, J. (2015, November). Autoethnography and family research. National Communication Association. Las Vegas, NV.

Berry, K. and Adams, T. E. (2014, April). Notes on Cohen. Central States Communication Association, Minneapolis, MN.

Adams, T. E. (2011, April). Frames of homosexuality: Los Angeles Times' coverage of California's Proposition 6 (1978) and Proposition 8 (2008). Central States Communication Association, Milwaukee, WI.

Adams, T. E. & Ellis, C. (2010, November). An autoethnographic, relational exploration of gay identity. National Communication Association, San Francisco, CA.

- Adams, T. E. (2010, April). Why "Video Killed the Radio Star": Teaching "The Medium is the Message." Central States Communication Association, Cincinnati, OH.
- Adams, T. E. (2009, November). The double bind of gay identity. National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
- Adams, T. E. (2008, November). Conditions of "the closet." National Communication Association, San Diego, CA.
- Adams, T. E. & Holman Jones, S. (2008, April). Autoethnography is queer. Central States Communication Association, Madison, WI. [Top Three Paper, Performance Studies and Theatre]
- Adams, T. E. (2008, April). Webcams: Re-Viewing travel and tourism. Central States Communication Association, Madison, WI.
- Adams, T. E. (2007, November). A review of narrative ethics. National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
- Adams, T. E. (2007, November). Animals as media: Speaking through nonhuman beings. National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
- McRae, C., Adams, T. E., Owen, J. A. T., & Vitale, A. (2007, November). truth troubles. National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
- Adams, T. E. (2006, November). Viewing aquaria through "the past." National Communication Association, San Antonio, TX.
- Adams, T. E. (2006, November). Copied nature. National Communication Association, San Antonio, TX.
- Adams, T. E. (2006, April). Speaking for others: Finding the "whos" of discourse. Central States Communication Association, Indianapolis, IN. [Top Student Paper, Communication Theory]
- Adams, T. E. (2005, November). Interrogating "signs" of nature: Dissecting a (post)modern aquarium. National Communication Association, Boston, MA.
- Adams, T. E. (2005, April). Packaged wilderness: Investigating simulated- and televised-nature experience. Central States Communication Association, Kansas City, MO. [Top Student Paper, Media Studies]
- Adams, T. E. & Gangnon, B. A. (2004, April). A phenomenological reading of media determinism: The medium as the condition for the possibility of the message. Central States Communication Association, Cleveland, OH. [Top Four Student Paper, Media Studies]

Panel Presentations

- Adams, T. E. (2020, November). Panelist, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion: What are they and what do they mean in Interpersonal Communication? National Communication Association (virtual conference).
- Adams, T. E. (2019, November). Panelist, Remembering Dr. Bernard J. Brommel. National Communication Association, Baltimore, MD.
- Adams, T. E. (2019, May). Looking out: Gay bars, safe spaces, and the Pulse Massacre. International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2019, April). Panelist, Dialogue about Mediated Autoethnography. Central States Communication Association, Omaha, NE.

Adams, T. E. (2019, April). Panelist, When Theories Change, What Do We Do with Their Past? Central States Communication Association, Omaha, NE.

Adams, T. E. (2019, April). Panelist, Creating Inclusive Conference Spaces: A Continuing Dialogue. Central States Communication Association, Omaha, NE.

Adams, T. E. (2019, April). Panelist, Queer Autoethnography: Dialogue on Queer Theory, Autoethnography, and Researching Sex, Sexuality, and Gender in Communication. Central States Communication Association, Omaha, NE.

Adams, T. E. (2019, April). Missed (Craigslist) Connections. Central States Communication Association, Omaha, NE.

Adams, T. E. (2018, May). Panelist, Autoethnography: Queer(y)ing the person in personal narratives. International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2018, April). Performance Studies and Autoethnography: Living with the Tensions [Panelist]. Central States Communication Association, Milwaukee, WI.

Adams, T. E. (2018, April). Difference ⇔ Adversity in the Communication Classroom [Panelist]. Central States Communication Association, Milwaukee, WI.

Adams, T. E. (2017, May). Critical autoethnography, education, and a call for forgiveness. International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2016, May). Autoethnography, activism, and public scholarship. International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2015, November). Critical interpersonal communication, forgiveness, and the paranoid queer. National Communication Association. Las Vegas, NV.

Adams, T. E. (2015, November). Forgiveness and compassionate interviewing. National Communication Association. Las Vegas, NV.

Berry, K. and Adams, T. E. (2015, November). Family bullies. National Communication Association. Las Vegas, NV.

Adams, T. E. (2015, November). Response to Transgender Communication Studies: Histories, Trends, and Trajectories. National Communication Association. Las Vegas, NV.

Adams, T. E. (2015, October). Oral history and forgiveness. Oral History Association, Tampa, FL.

Adams, T. E. (2015, May). Watching reality television. Eleventh International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2015, May). The basics of autoethnography. Eleventh International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2015, May). Publishing online and outside of a discipline. Eleventh International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Boylorn, R. M. & Adams, T. E. (2015, May). Queering and quaring autoethnography. 11th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2014, November). Misadventures in autoethnography. National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2014, November). Sex at 100: The closet, forgiveness, and “queer.” National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2014, November). Queer lineages. National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2014, May). Investigating Art’s Index [response to the book Coming to Narrative: A Personal History of Paradigm Change in the Human Sciences]. 10th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2014, April). Writing with Honey Boo-Boo. Central States Communication Association, Minneapolis, MN.

Adams, T. E. (2013, November). Family shame [response to the book Sweetwater: Black Women and Narratives of Resilience]. National Communication Association, Washington, DC.

Adams, T. E. (2013, May). Reflections of West Hollywood: Interrogating attention, attraction, access, and acknowledgment [response to the book Concrete and Dust: Mapping the Sexual Terrains of Los Angeles]. 9th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2012, November). Post coming out complications. National Communication Association, Orlando, FL.

Adams, T. E. (2012, November). A student organization and a commuter campus. National Communication Association, Orlando, FL.

Adams, T. E. (2012, October). Narrating the Closet. Organization for the Study of Communication, Language and Gender. Tacoma, WA.

Adams, T. E. (2012, April). Identity-as-achievement: A queer concept. Couch/Stone Symposium of the Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction, Evanston, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2012, March). Bad autoethnography. Central States Communication Association, Cleveland, OH.

Adams, T. E. (2012, March). The people we should stigmatize: An exercise in labeling and acknowledgment. Central States Communication Association, Cleveland, OH.

Adams, T. E. (2011, November). LGBTQ Publishing. National Communication Association, New Orleans, LA.

Adams, T. E. (2011, May). Finding joy in autoethnography. 7th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2011, April). Everyday LGBTQ mentoring: The politics of informal, unsolicited conversations. Central States Communication Association, Milwaukee, WI.

Adams, T. E., & Berry, K. (2011, April). Disruptions of masculinity: The performance of food, fat, and fetish. Central States Communication Association, Milwaukee, WI.

- Adams, T. E. (2010, May). The call of, and for, meta-autoethnography: Revisiting and revising experience. 6th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.
- Adams, T. E. (2010, May). Missing, each other. 6th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.
- Adams, T. E. (2010, April). Re-considering "family." Central States Communication Association, Cincinnati, OH.
- Adams, T. E. (2010, April). Intersexuality: Revising cultural assumptions of sex and gender. Central States Communication Association, Cincinnati, OH.
- Adams, T. E. (2009, November). Making sense of an abrupt death: Autoethnography, gay identity, and the politics of loss. National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
- Adams, T. E. (2009, November). Seeking father (again). National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
- Adams, T. E. (2009, May). The spatial bias of ethnography. 5th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.
- Adams, T. E. (2009, May). The state of "gay" in Proposition 8. 5th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.
- Adams, T. E. (2009, April). Being practically queer. Central States Communication Association, St. Louis, MO.
- Adams, T. E. (2009, April). Incorporating Transgender and Transsexual Research into the communication curriculum. Central States Communication Association, St. Louis, MO.
- Adams, T. E. (2008, May). Mentoring relationships. 4th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.
- Holman Jones, S. and Adams, T. E. (2008, May). Autoethnography is queer. 4th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.
- Adams, T. E. (2008, April). Staying sane on the academic job market. Central States Communication Association, Madison, WI.
- Adams, T. E. (2007, May). Autoethnography's "uncontestable evidence." 3rd International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.
- Adams, T. E., Owen, J. A. T., McRae, C., & Vitale, A. (2007, May). Truth in life research. 3rd International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.
- Adams, T. E. (2007, March). (Human) media coverage of LGBTQ nonhumans. Central States Communication Association, Minneapolis, MN.
- Adams, T. E. (2007, February). A just and critical approach to "coming out." Western States Communication Association, Seattle, WA.
- Adams, T. E. (2006, November). The aquaria is the message. National Communication Association, San Antonio, TX.
- Adams, T. E. (2006, May). The politics of story-writing, -telling, and -listening. 2nd International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Boylorn, R. M. and T. E. Adams. (2006, May). Talking across the divide: Dialoguing race and gender. 2nd International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2005, May). Seeking father: Relationally reframing a troubled love story. 1st International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Adams, T. E. (2005, April). Doing environmentalist. Central States Communication Association, Kansas City, MO.

Adams, T. E. (2004, April). The (un)naturalness of my existence: Phenomenologically investigating relationships between nature and culture. Central States Communication Association, Cleveland, OH.

Adams, T. E. (2003, November). Apparently I'm a "homo-phoney": Being accused of being "straight." National Communication Association, Miami, FL.

Adams, A. E. (2002, November). Two's company: Living the gay life "straightly." National Communication Association, New Orleans, LA.

TEACHING | ADVISING

Courses

Graduate: Relational Communication | Communication Theory | Communication Research Methods | Introduction to Graduate Studies

Undergraduate: Communication and Diversity | Communication, Gender & Identity | Family Communication | Persuasion | Interpersonal Communication | Group Communication | Theories of Communication, Media and Theatre | Nonverbal Communication | Introduction to Communication | Public Speaking

Advising

Graduate Theses, Primary Advisor, Northeastern Illinois University: Samentha Sepulveda (2017) | Alecia Acevedo (2014) | Kristina Saldarelli (2013) | Jules Wight (2012) | Michalina Maliszewska (2009)

Graduate Theses/Dissertations, Committee Member/External Reviewer: Nicole Kashian (2011; Northeastern Illinois University) | Dagmara Lukasik (2009; Northeastern Illinois University) | Richard Reardon (2010; Northeastern Illinois University) | Diane Madison (2010; Northeastern Illinois University) | Lori Mages (2011; Northeastern Illinois University) | Derek Bolen (PhD; Wayne State University; 2012) | Amanda Manypeney (MA; Victoria University; 2014) | Colin Brown (PhD; RMIT University; 2014) | Benjamin van Loon (2015; Northeastern Illinois University) | Michael John McCall (MS; Curtin University; 2015); Jennifer Baker (PhD; Southern Cross University; 2015) | Carrie Reffitt (2016; Northeastern Illinois University) | Kristen Tarantino (2016; PhD; The College of William and Mary) | Julie Peters (2016; PhD; Deakin University) | Keith Lindsay Stacey (2016; PhD, Curtin University) | Garrett Neal (2017; PhD, Aurora University); Chris Churchill (2017) | Edgar Rodriguez Sánchez (2018; PhD, University of Edinburgh); Haleh Rafi (2018; PhD; Monash University); Phyllis Denise Dannhauser (2018; PhD, University of Johannesburg); Peter Foley (PhD; 2018; University of Queensland); Rachael McMahon (2019; PhD, University of Wollongong)

Undergraduate Theses, Committee Member: John Luchetti (2008) | Emily Noelle Wilson (2008) | Nayke Popovich (2007) | Melissa Brand (2014)

High School Thesis, Wells Renken (10/20-present)

Awards and Honors

Outstanding Educator Award, Sigma Delta Tau, Bradley University (5/20)
Outstanding Scholar in Performance Studies and Autoethnography, Performance Studies and Autoethnography Division, Central States Communication Association (4/20)
James W. Chesebro Award for Scholarly Distinction, Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Caucus, Central States Communication Association (4/19)
Bernard J. Brommel Distinguished Research Professor, Northeastern Illinois University (5/17)
Article of the Year, Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Caucus, Central States Communication Association (3/17)
Reviewer of the Year, The Qualitative Report (1/17)
Best Special Issue, Ethnography Division, National Communication Association (8/16)
Honorable Mention, The Anselm Strauss Award for Qualitative Family Research, Qualitative Family Research Network (7/16)
Innovator Award, Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Caucus, Central States Communication Association (4/16)
Best Journal Article, Midwest Popular Cultural Association (10/15)
Faculty Excellence Award for Research, Northeastern Illinois University (4/14)
Best Edited Book, Ethnography Division, National Communication Association (11/13)
Best Special Issue, Ethnography Division, National Communication Association (11/13)
Book of the Year, GLBTQ Division/Caucus on LGBTQ Concerns, National Communication Association (11/13)
Student Choice Award for Teaching, Northeastern Illinois University (4/13)
Faculty Excellence Award for Research, Northeastern Illinois University (1/13)
Best Book, Ethnography Division, National Communication Association (11/12)
Best Book, Organization for the Study of Communication, Language and Gender (10/12)
Honorable Mention, Distinguished Dissertation Award, International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry (5/11)
Best Book Chapter, Ethnography Division, National Communication Association (11/10)
Arthur P. Bochner Award in Recognition of Outstanding Achievement in Doctoral Studies, Department of Communication, University of South Florida, Tampa (4/08)
Distinguished Graduate Achievement Award, College of Arts and Sciences, University of South Florida, Tampa (3/08)
Provost's Commendation for Outstanding Teaching by a Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of South Florida, Tampa (4/07)
International Communication Association Teacher of the Year, Department of Communication, University of South Florida, Tampa (3/07)
College of Arts and Sciences Publication Award, University of South Florida, Tampa (12/06)
Bernard Downs Spirit Award, Department of Communication, University of South Florida, Tampa (4/06)
Top Paper, Communication Theory Interest Group, Central States Communication Association (4/06)
Samuel Becker Top Paper Award, Media Studies Interest Group, Central States Communication Association (5/05)
Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistant of the Core Curriculum, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale (10/03)
Thomas J. Pace Graduate Teaching Award, Department of Speech Communication, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale (5/03)
One of 25 Most Distinguished Seniors, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale (4/01)
FM Student of the Year, Department of Radio-Television, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale (4/01)
Joe Foote Off-Campus Study Scholarship, Department of Radio-Television, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale (4/00)
Scarpelli Endowment for Academic Excellence, Department of Radio-Television, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale (4/00)

Service

Journal

Founding co-editor, with Andrew F. Herrmann, Journal of Autoethnography, University of California Press (November 2018-Present)

Book Series

Co-editor, with Arthur P. Bochner and Carolyn Ellis, Writing Lives: Ethnographic Narratives, Routledge (April 2016-Present)

Manuscript Reviewer, Books

University of Georgia Press (8/20)
American Psychological Association (2/20)
Wiley (7/19)
Cardiff University Press (5/19)
University of California Press (3/18)
Demeter Press (9/18)
Rowman & Littlefield | Lexington Press (9/18, 5/19, 6/20)
Peter Lang (9/13, 3/17, 4/17, 11/17)
Routledge (7/13, 7/14, 7/15[2], 10/15, 2/16, 9/16, 5/17, 6/17, 7/19, 6/20)
Sage Publications (7/09, 11/10, 7/11, 6/12, 5/13)
Left Coast Press (7/11)
Palgrave Macmillan (1/14, 2/15, 9/15)
Oxford University Press (8/14, 8/15, 11/17, 9/18, 8/20)
McFarland Press (10/16)
Springer (4/17)
Harrington Park Press (11/17)

Editorial Board, Teaching Gender book series (Sense Publishers; 8/12-Present)

Manuscript Reviewer, Journals

Editorial Board, International Journal of Qualitative Methods (2020-present)
Editorial Board, Text & Performance Quarterly (2019-present)
Editorial Board, Women & Language (2019-present)
Editorial Board, Qualitative Inquiry (2017-present)
Editorial Board, Cultural Studies ↔ Critical Methodologies (2017-present)
Editorial Board, Communication Teacher (2017-present)
Editorial Board, Communication Studies (2016-present)
Editorial Board, Critical Studies in Media Communication (2018-present)
Editorial Board, Journal of Contemporary Ethnography (2015-present)
Editorial Board, QED: A Journal in LGBTQ World Making (2013-present)
Editorial Board, Health Communication (2014-present)
Editorial Board, Journal of Family Communication (2014-present)
Editorial Board, Departures in Critical Qualitative Research (2014-present)
Editorial Board, The Qualitative Report (2010-present)
Editorial Board, Kaleidoscope: A Graduate Journal of Qualitative Communication Research (2006–present)
Editorial Board, Humanities and Technology Review (2011-present)
Editorial Board, Journal of Communication Pedagogy (2017-2019)
Editorial Board, Western Journal of Communication (2014-2017)
Editorial Board, Women's Studies in Communication (2013-2016)

Associate Editorial Board, Communication Studies (1/13-12/15)

Guest Editorial Board, Communication Education (2020)
Guest Editorial Board, Communication Teacher (2016)
Guest Editorial Board, Communication Studies (2/11-8/11)
Guest Editorial Board, Southern Communication Journal (9/08-9/09)
Guest Editorial Board, Iowa Journal of Communication (2008, 2014)

Alternation (3/21) | Oxford Encyclopedia of Queer Studies and Communication (8/20; 2/21); Theory & Psychology (10/20) | Methodological Innovations (10/20) | American Journal of Qualitative Research (9/20) | Research Evaluation (7/20) | Urban Education (3/20) | Social Currents (1/20) | International Journal of Research & Method in Education (11/19) | Journal of Education (11/19) | The Review of Communication (10/19, 11/19) | Environmental Communication (10/19) | disClosure: A Journal of Social Theory (3/19) | Frontiers in Environmental Science (3/19) | International Journal of Qualitative Studies in Education (3/19) | International Journal of Research & Method in Education (12/18) | Annals of the International Communication Association (10/18, 3/19) | Journal of the Assembly for Expanded Perspectives on Learning (9/18) | International Political Science Review (9/18) | Design Studies (8/18) | Transgender Studies Quarterly (7/18) | Angelika (5/18) | Studies in Symbolic Interaction (4/18) | Journal of Academic Ethics (9/17) | Oñati Socio-Legal Series (7/17) | Journal of GLBT Family Studies (7/17, 9/17) | Contemporary Social Science (7/17) | Communication Education (7/17) | Ethnography (7/17) | Genealogy (6/17) | Palgrave Communications (5/17) | Qualitative Research in Psychology (4/17) | The Antonius Journal (3/17) | Behavioral Sciences (3/17) | The Arts in Psychotherapy (2/17) | Critical Studies in Media Communication (10/16, 5/17) | SQS-Journal of Queer Studies in Finland (9/16) | Secularism and Nonreligion (9/16) | International Journal of Qualitative Methods (8/16; 11/19 [2]) | ACME: An International E-Journal for Critical Geographies (6/16) | Humanities (3/16) | Journal of Health Psychology (2/16 [2], 10/20) | International Journal of Social Research Methodology (10/15, 1/17) | Health Psychology Open (10/15) | The South African Review of Sociology (9/15) | Communication Theory (8/15) | Journal of LGBT Youth (8/15) | Communication Quarterly (7/15, 12/16, 11/17) | Men and Masculinities (7/15, 11/16) | Qualitative Research Journal (7/15) | International Journal of Multiple Research Approaches (11/14) | Women & Language (8/14, 2/18) | Journal of Communication Inquiry (4/14) | Emerging Adulthood (3/14) | The Social Science Journal (1/14) | Journal of Homosexuality (12/13, 9/15, 8/16, 11/16, 12/16, 10/17) | Qualitative Research in Sport, Exercise and Health (10/13) | Journal of Personal and Social Relationships (9/13, 5/20, 9/20, 12/20, 2/21) | Journal of Contemporary Ethnography (9/13, 5/15) | Journal of Family Studies (5/13) | International Journal of Transgenderism (2/13) | Text & Performance Quarterly (2/13, 8/14, 5/17, 7/18) | International Review of Qualitative Research (1/13; 4/16) | Emotion, Space and Society (7/12, 8/12, 1/13, 12/14) | Qualitative Sociology (5/12, 2/16) | The Sociological Quarterly (10/12) | Sexuality & Culture (2/12, 8/12, 3/13, 11/13, 1/17, 10/17, 7/18, 8/19) | Journal of Organizational Ethnography (12/11, 4/17, 9/17, 11/17, 12/17, 6/18) | Communication Studies (5/12, 8/12) | Qualitative Research (8/11; 8/20; 2/21) | Qualitative Communication Research (6/11, 2/12) | Sociology of Sport Journal (6/11, 11/13, 1/18) | Liminalities (1/11, 2/12, 3/13) | Health Communication (9/10, 8/11, 8/12, 3/13, 4/13, 6/13, 11/13) | Journal of Family Communication (6/10) | Qualitative Inquiry (9/06, 2/08, 5/08, 3/09, 9/10, 4/12, 5/13, 4/14, 12/14, 8/15, 4/16, 8/16, 11/16, 12/16, 9/17) | Western Journal of Communication (1/09) | International Journal of Multicultural Education (11/08, 6/09, 7/12, 6/14, 10/17) | Anthropologica (9/08) | Cultural Studies ↔ Critical Methodologies (9/06, 9/07, 1/11, 7/11, 4/12, 10/13, 8/15, 5/17, 8/17, 9/17, 10/17) | Sexualities (8/07, 9/09, 11/12, 2/14, 4/14, 6/16, 7/17, 6/18, 2/21) | Forum: Qualitative Scholarship (11/05, 5/06, 11/16, 6/18) | Rocky Mountain Communication Review (5/05)

Manuscript Reviewer, Conferences

Performance Studies and Autoethnography Interest Group, Central States Communication Association (2018)
Popular Culture Interest Group, Central States Communication Association (2018)
Ethnography Division, National Communication Association (2006-2013; 2016-2017; 2020)
Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Caucus, Central States Communication Association (2009-2011; 2014; 2018)
Communication Theory Interest Group, Central States Communication Association (2007-2012)

Gay/Lesbian/Bisexual/Transgendered Communication Studies Division, National Communication Association (2007, 2011)
Intercultural Communication Interest Group, Central States Communication Association (2009-2010)
American Studies Division, National Communication Association (2010)
Critical and Cultural Studies Division, National Communication Association (2007)
Caucus on Gay and Lesbian Concerns, National Communication Association (2007)
Graduate Student Caucus, Central States Communication Association (2006-2007)
Media Studies Interest Group, Central States Communication Association (2005-2006)

National-Regional-Disciplinary Service

Communication Studies Article of the Year Committee, Central States Communication Association (2021)
Qualitative Research Working Group, National Communication Association (2019-present)
External Grant Reviewer, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Ottawa, Ontario
External Reviewer, Governor's State University (10/20)
External Reviewer, University of Nebraska at Kearney (6/19)
Awards Committee, Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Caucus, Central States Communication Association (4/15-present)
Chair, Communication Studies Article of the Year Committee, Central States Communication Association (2017-18)
Vice Chair, Communication Studies Article of the Year Committee, Central States Communication Association (2017-18)
Book Award Committee, Ethnography Division, National Communication Association (8/17)
Program Planner, Research in Progress Roundtables, National Communication Association (11/15-11/16)
Immediate Past Chair, Ethnography Division, National Communication Association (11/14-11/15)
Co-Planner, Seminar Series, National Communication Association (11/14-11/15)
Chair, Member Working Committee, National Communication Association (1/13-12/15)
Member, Federation Research Prize Committee, Central States Communication Association (5/14-3/15)
Member, Outstanding New Teacher Award Committee, Central States Communication Association (5/14-3/15)
Chair, Ethnography Division, National Communication Association (11/13-11/14)
Vice Chair, Ethnography Division, National Communication Association (11/12-11/13)
Vice-Chair-Elect, Ethnography Division, National Communication (11/11-11/12)
Chair, Book Chapter Award Committee, Ethnography Division, National Communication Association (8/11)
Book Award Committee, Ethnography Division, National Communication Association (7/10)
Chair, Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Caucus, Central States Communication Association (4/10-4/12)
Nominating Committee, Central States Communication Association (1/10-5/10)
Legislative Assembly, National Communication Association (1/10-1/13)
Article Award Committee, Ethnography Division, National Communication Association (6/09)
Member, Member Working Committee, National Communication Association (3/09-12/12)
Vice Chair, Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Caucus, Central States Communication Association (4/07-4/10)
Chair, Communication Theory Interest Group, Central States Communication Association (4/08-4/09)
Campus Representative, Florida Communication Association (1/05-5/08)
Vice Chair, Communication Theory Interest Group, Central States Communication Association (3/07-4/08)
Secretary, Communication Theory Interest Group, Central States Communication Association (4/06-3/07)

University-Department Service

Chair, Department of Communication, Bradley University (8/17-present)
Chair, Higher Learning Commission Review Committee (Ethics and Integrity), Bradley University (9-18-present)
External Reviewer, Academic Program Review, Department of History, Bradley University (12/18)
University Sabbatical Leave Committee, Bradley University (9/17-present)

Safe Zone Training, Northeastern Illinois University (4/16)
Undocumented Student Ally Training, Northeastern Illinois University (6/15)
Online Design Course II, Northeastern Illinois University (8/16-12/16)
Online Design Course I, Northeastern Illinois University (9/15)
Chair, Department of Communication, Media and Theatre, Northeastern Illinois University (7/14-6/17)
Research and Creative Activities Advisory Group, College of Graduate Studies and Research, Northeastern Illinois University (5/14-6/17)
Search Committee, Director of Communications for Academic Affairs, Northeastern Illinois University (7/14)
Editor, ComMuniTY newsletter, Department of Communication, Media and Theatre, Northeastern Illinois University (1/11-7/16)
Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Communication, Media and Theatre, Northeastern Illinois University (7/11-6/14)
Search Committee, Dean of the College of Graduate Studies and Research, Northeastern Illinois University (5/13)
Brommel Doctoral Research Award Committee, Northeastern Illinois University (2011-2014; 2016)
Summer Research Proposal Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, Northeastern Illinois University (4/12)
Faculty Search Committee, Department of Philosophy, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago (3/12)
Work Group on the Needs of Women and LGBTQ Students, Northeastern Illinois University (1/11-5/11)
Co-Chair, Faculty Search Committee, Department of Communication Media and Theatre, NEIU (9/09-12/09)
Chair, Advisory Committee on Faculty Awards, Northeastern Illinois University (9/09-Present)
Member, Advisory Committee on Library, Northeastern Illinois University (9/09-8/11)
Member, Faculty Senate, Northeastern Illinois University (9/09-8/11)
Co-Advisor, Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender Alliance, Northeastern Illinois University (2/09-Present)
Faculty Search Committee, Department of Communication Media and Theatre, Northeastern Illinois University (10/08-1/09)
Co-Moderator, Sexual Harassment Awareness, Center for 21st Century Teaching Excellence, University of South Florida, Tampa (8/07)
Faculty Search Committee, Department of Communication, University of South Florida, Tampa (11/06-2/07)
Co-President, Graduate Communication Association, University of South Florida, Tampa (6/05-5/06)
Moderator, Speaker's Forum, Department of Speech Communication, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale (4/04)

Community

Instructor, Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, Bradley University (10/20)
Presentation on Nonverbal Communication, Mobile Doctors, Chicago, IL (12/12)
Volunteer, Florida Aquarium, Tampa, FL (1/05-7/06)
Volunteer, WSIU-FM, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale (6/99-5/01)

Professional Affiliations

National Communication Association (Life Member)
Central States Communication Association (Life Member)
International Association of Qualitative Inquiry (5/05-Present)