

Curriculum Vitae

Liz Carlisle

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Education

Ph.D., University of California-Berkeley

Geography, 2015

Designated Emphasis in Science and Technology Studies

Dissertation Title: Pulses and Populism: Diversified Farming on the Northern Great Plains

Committee: Nathan Sayre (chair), Jake Kosek, Claire Kremen, Ryan Galt

B.A. (summa cum laude) Harvard University

Folklore & Mythology, 2006

Language Citation in Spanish

Appointments

Stanford University

Lecturer, Thinking Matters Program

2016

- Served as part of the teaching team for two courses in Stanford's critical thinking-focused liberal arts program, a requirement for first-year students

University of California-Berkeley

Lecturer, Environmental Science, Policy, and Management

2016

- Developed and taught community engagement capstone course for new Food Systems minor; advised students in the minor, initiated community partnerships

Fellow, Berkeley Food Institute

2013-2015

- Served on inaugural Executive Committee for the Berkeley Food Institute, contributing to strategic planning, program development; Wrote and published a popular book, based on original research.

Program Coordinator, Center for Diversified Farming Systems

2011-2013

- Managed workshop and speaker series, website, and list-serv. Coordinated transition from roundtable series to campus center, including website launch, identification of faculty and student affiliates, and multi-functional agriculture convergence event.

Program Coordinator, Workshop on Environmental Politics

2009-2010

- Coordinated Luce Green Governance Conference, capstone project of 5 year-grant, bringing together scholars and activists from

Nigeria, Brazil, and Indonesia; Arranged monthly workshops with visiting authors; Prepared archive and bibliography to document workshop-related scholarship from past 15 years

Office of United States Senator Jon Tester

Legislative Correspondent, Agriculture and Natural Resources

2008-2009

- Policy research, communication with diverse stakeholders
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Recent Publications

Book

- 2015. *Lentil Underground: Renegade Farmers and the Future of Food in America*. New York: Gotham/Penguin Random House.

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- 2016. Factors Influencing Farmer Adoption of Soil Health Practices in the US: A Narrative Review. *Journal of Agroecology and Sustainable Food Systems*. DOI: 10.1080/21683565.2016.1156596
- 2016. Making Heritage: The Story of Black Beluga Agriculture on the Northern Great Plains. *Annals of the Association of American Geographers* 106(1): 130-144.
- 2016. DeLonge, M., Miles, A., and **Carlisle, L.** Investing in the Transition to Sustainable Agriculture. *Environmental Science & Policy* 55(1): 266-273.
- 2015. Audits and Agrarianism: The Moral Economy of an Alternative Food Network: *Elementa: Science of the Anthropocene* 3: 66 doi: 10.12952/journal.elementa.000066
- 2014. Diversity, Flexibility, and the Resilience Effect: Lessons from a Social-ecological Case Study on the Northern Great Plains. *Ecology and Society* 19(3): 45.
- 2013. **Carlisle, L.** and Miles, A. Closing the Knowledge Gap: How the USDA Could Tap the Potential of Biologically Diversified Farming Systems. *Journal of Agriculture, Food Systems, and Community Development* 3(4): 219-225.
- 2013. Critical Agrarianism. *Renewable Agriculture and Food Systems* 29(2): 135-145.
- 2012. Sayre, N., **Carlisle, L.**, Huntsinger, L., Fisher, G. and Shattuck, A. The Role of Rangelands in Diversified Farming Systems: Innovations, Obstacles, and Opportunities in the US. *Ecology and Society* 17(4): 43.

Popular Media Articles and Reports

- 2016. "The Terrace Keepers." *Stanford Social Innovation Review* 14(4): 13-14.
- 2016. "Building Up Impact." *Stanford Social Innovation Review* 14(3): 10-11.
- 2015. "Who's Keeping Organic Food Honest." *Enzia* 23 November. <http://ensia.com/voices/whos-keeping-organic-food-honest>
- 2015. **Carlisle, L.** and M. Jahi Chappell. "A Better Way for Our Food System." *The Equation* 17 November, Union of Concerned Scientists. <http://blog.ucsusa.org/science-blogger/a-better-way-for-our-food-system-962>
- 2015. "Waste Not, Want Not: How to Reduce Food Waste (and Sustainably Feed the World)." *Ziptopia* 23 October. <http://www.zipcar.com/ziptopia/future-city/how-to-reduce-food-waste-and-sustainably-feed-the-world>

- 2015. "Obamacare and Food as a Public Health Concern." *San Francisco Chronicle* 10 August. <http://www.sfchronicle.com/opinion/openforum/article/Obamacare-and-food-as-a-public-health-concern-6434175.php>
- 2015. "Is Farming a Public Service?" *Los Angeles Times* 9 July. [http://www.latimes.com/opinion/op-ed/la-oe-0709-carlisle-farming-public-good-20150708-story.html?="](http://www.latimes.com/opinion/op-ed/la-oe-0709-carlisle-farming-public-good-20150708-story.html?=)
- 2015. "American Farms are in Trouble – This Modest Crop Could Save Them." *Business Insider* 2 February. <http://www.businessinsider.com/modest-crop-could-save-american-farms-2015-2>
- 2015. "Learn to Live with Drought – Eat More Lentils." *San Francisco Chronicle* 23 January. <http://www.sfgate.com/opinion/article/Learn-to-live-with-drought-eat-more-lentils-6036213.php>
- 2015. "You Are What You Eat – and What It Eats Too." *The Equation* 22 January, Union of Concerned Scientists. <http://blog.ucsusa.org/you-are-what-you-eat-and-what-it-eats-too-795>
- 2014. "The Downside of Eating Too Locally." *New York Times* 26 November. <http://www.nytimes.com/2014/11/27/opinion/the-downside-of-eating-too-locally.html?smid=tw-share>
- 2014. Carlisle, L. Montana's Lentil Underground. In *Lentils: Gems in the Treasure State*, Ed. Alison Harmon. Bozeman: Montana State University, p. 7.
- 2013. **Carlisle, L.** and Miles, A. Strengthening the U.S. Agricultural Research System. *Five Perspectives on Improving the U.S. Public Research, Education, and Extension System*. AGree. <http://www.foodandagpolicy.org>
- 2012. Bartolome, J., Fisher, G., Schowalter, N., Starrs, C., **Carlisle, L.**, Zhang, T., Gurney, C. Management and monitoring recommendations for Wildcat Regional Park. East Bay Regional Parks District.

Teaching Experience

Stanford University

- EARTH 280: Pursuing Sustainability: Managing Complex Social Environmental Systems
- Thinking Matters 40: Meeting the Global Sustainability Challenge
- Thinking Matters 53: Food Talks: The Language of Food

University of California-Berkeley

- ESPM 197: Community Engagement in Food Systems
- Alternative Spring Break: Food Justice & Sustainability
- ESPM 167/Public Health C160: Environmental Health and Development
- Geography 298: Political Economy of Food and Agriculture
- Environmental Sciences 196/Senior Research Seminar in Environmental Sciences

Selected Guest Lecturing

- Stanford University, EARTH 180B: Principles and Practices of Sustainable Agriculture
- Willamette University, Sociology 358: Sustainability, Justice & Society
- University of Wisconsin, Community and Environmental Sociology Collective
- University of San Francisco, Environmental Studies 145: Community Garden Outreach (Service Learning)
- University of Montana, Environmental Studies 430: Culture and Agriculture

- University of Montana, Anthropology 133X: Food and Culture
- University of California-Berkeley, Geography 130: Food and the Environment
- University of California-Berkeley, Natural Resources C101: Edible Education
- Brown University, Environmental Studies Seminar
- Syracuse University, Food Studies 303: Food Movements
- Iowa State University, Sustainable Agriculture 600: Colloquium

Recent and Scheduled Presentations

- “Marketing from the Ground Up.” Market Montana. University of Montana. Missoula, MT 9/12/16
- “How to Prepare Students to Change the World.” Moderator, Sustainable Agriculture Education Association annual meeting, Santa Cruz, CA 7/30/16
- “Women in Food & Agriculture Vocational Q&A.” Tasting Australia, Adelaide, 5/8/16
- “The Wonders of Pulses.” Google. Mountain View, CA 4/29/16
- “The Wonders of Legumes.” CSU East Bay, Hayward, CA, 4/21/16
- “Agricultural Networks, Agricultural Policy: A Promising Interface for Agricultural Change?” Session Chair, Association of American Geographers annual meeting, San Francisco, 4/1/16
- “Conversations Between Science and Technology Studies and Agri-Food.” Panelist, Association of American Geographers annual meeting, San Francisco, 3/31/16
- “Experiential Learning in Food and Agriculture.” Panelist, UC Davis, Davis, CA 2/20/16
- “Diversified Farming Systems.” Moderator. Edible Education, Berkeley, CA 2/2/16
- “Hungry Writers in a Dry Land.” Panelist. Lit Crawl SF, San Francisco, CA, 10/17/15
- “The Roots of Change.” Keynote Speech. Alternative Energy Resources Organization Expo and Annual Meeting, Great Falls, MT 9/25/15
- “The Wonders of Legumes.” Moderator. Eat Real Festival, Oakland, CA, 9/20/15
- “Putting Agroecology to Work: From Science to Practice and Policy.” Panel Session. Ecological Society of America meeting, Baltimore, MD, 8/12/15
- “Pitching Political Ecology Projects to Publishers and Funders.” Panel Session. Practicing Political Ecology: A Left Coast Workshop. UC Berkeley, 5/7/15
- “Lentil Underground: Renegade Farmers and the Future of Food in America.”
 - Petaluma Seed Bank, Petaluma, CA 2/3/15
 - Book Passage, San Francisco, CA 2/4/15
 - University of California-Berkeley, Berkeley, CA 2/5/15
 - Stanford University, Stanford, CA 2/6/15
 - Montana State University, Bozeman, MT 2/20/15
 - University of Montana, Missoula, MT 2/24/15
 - Flathead Valley Community College, Kalispell, MT 2/25/15
 - Town Hall Seattle, Seattle, WA 3/3/15
 - Village Books, Bellingham, WA 3/4/15
 - University of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC 3/5/15
 - Powell’s Books, Portland, OR 3/9/15
 - Willamette University, Salem, OR 3/10/15
 - Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR 3/11/15
 - University of Oregon, Eugene OR 3/12/15
 - North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC 3/24/15
 - Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA 3/25/15
 - University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 3/26/15

University of Vermont, Burlington, VT 4/6/15
 Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH 4/7/15
 Harvard University, Cambridge, MA 4/8/15
 Brown University, Providence, RI 4/9/15,
 Yale University, New Haven, CT 4/10/15
 University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 4/20/15
 Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI 4/21/15
 Field Museum of Natural History, Chicago, IL 4/22/15
 Urban Ecology Center, Milwaukee, WI 4/23/15
 University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI 4/24/15
 Macalester College, St. Paul, MN 4/27/15
 University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN 4/28/15
 Iowa State University, Ames, IA 4/29/15
 Wallace Centers of Iowa, Des Moines, IA 4/30/15
 Berkeley Public Library, Berkeley CA 5/23/15
 Heirloom Seed Exposition, Santa Rosa, CA 9/8/15
 Montana Book Festival, Missoula, MT 9/12/15
 National Orientation Directors Association, Denver, CO, 10/26/15
 University of California-Davis, Davis, CA 11/19/15
 Montana Organic Association, Bozeman, MT 12/5/15

- “Nothing Minor About It: Formalizing Food Systems Learning with Specializations, Tracks, & Minors.” Session Co-Chair, Sustainable Ag. Ed. Assoc., Raleigh, NC, 8/6/14
- “Closing the Knowledge Gap: How the USDA Could Tap the Potential of Biologically Diversified Farming Systems.” Poster Session. Sustainable Agriculture Education Association, Raleigh, NC, 8/4/14
- “Developing Seeds in Diversified Farming Systems.” Moderator, Diversified Farming Systems Roundtable, UC Berkeley, 4/28/2014.
- “Making Alternative Food Networks Work.” Session Co-Organizer, Association of American Geographers annual meeting, Los Angeles, 4/9/13
- “Strengthening USDA Research, Education, and Extension.” With Albie Miles. Diversified Farming Systems Roundtable. UC Berkeley, 3/1/2013.
- “Strengthening the U.S. Agricultural Research System.” With Albie Miles. Presentation to AGree convening on Food and Ag Research, Education, and Extension, Washington, DC, 2/5/2013
- “The Next Generation: Beginning Farmers and Farm Transitions.” Montana Organics Association conference, Helena, MT, 11/30/12
- “You’d Think the A Stood for Agriculture: A History of AERO’s Role in Developing the Sustainable Agriculture Movement.” Alternative Energy Resources Organization annual meeting, Lewistown, MT, 10/27/12
- “Internships to Incubators: Developing On-farm Models for Beginning Farmer Training that Leads to Farm Ownership.” Session Co-Chair, Sustainable Agriculture Education Association, Corvallis, OR 9/10/12
- “Diversified Farming Systems on the Northern Great Plains.” Center for Diversified Farming Systems, UC Berkeley, 4/5/12
- “The Role of Rangelands in Diversified Farming Systems: Innovations, Obstacles, and Opportunities in the US.” Co-Presenter with N. Sayre, L. Huntsinger, A. Shattuck, G. Fisher, Diversified Farming Systems Roundtable, UC Berkeley, 12/2/11
- “A Genetic Articulation of Indigeneity.” Discussant for paper presented to UC Berkeley Workshop on Environmental Politics by K. Tallbear, 11/4/11
- “Reflections on Teaching in the Social Sciences.” Invited panelist, Teaching Conference for New Graduate Student Instructors, UC Berkeley, 8/19/11

- “Troubleshooting the Food Systems Class: Teachers Reflect.” Session Co-Chair, Sustainable Agriculture Education Association, Lexington, KY, 8/4/11

Recent Media Interviews and Coverage

Radio

- Health Matters (Yellowstone Public Radio, Regionally Syndicated), 1 August 2016
- Radio Adelaide, 101.5fm, 8 May 2016, “Gastronaut.”
- ABC (Australian Broadcasting Corporation) Rural, Mt. Gambier 13 April 2016
WCGO, Chicago, IL 1590 am, 25 February 2016, “Voices of Dissent.”
- WDYK, Cumberland, MD 100.5 fm, 23 February 2016, “The Magic Morning Show.”
- WBEL, Janesville, WI 1380 am, 23 February 2016, “Big Radio News.”
- WHMP, Springfield, MA 96.9 fm, 23 February 2016, “The Bill Newman Show.”
- WKNY, Kingston, NY 1490 am, 23 February 2016, “Mornings w/Warren Lawrence.”
- WNDB, Daytona Beach, FL 1150 am, 23 February 2016, “Morning Drive.”
- WFIN, Toledo, OH 1330 am, 23 February 2016, “Good Mornings.”
- KKVI, Dallas-Forth Worth, 89.9 fm, 23 February 2016, “The Valder Beebe Show.”
- KMBH, Brownsville/McAllen, TX 88 fm, 23 February 2016, “Good Books Radio.”
- Jefferson Public Radio, Medford, OR, 23 February 2016, “Jefferson Exchange.”
- KJAQ, Seattle-Tacoma, WA 96.5 fm, 23 February 2016, “Community Matters”
- KPCW, Salt Lake City 91.9 fm, 22 February 2016, “Mountain Money.”
- KWMR, Point Reyes 90.5 fm, 8 July 2015, “Turning Pages.”
- KZYX, Mendocino 90.7 fm, 12 May 2015, “The Ecology Hour.”
- Home Ground (Montana Public Radio, Yellowstone Public Radio, Regionally Syndicated), 12 April 2015,
http://www.ypradio.org/programs/local/home_ground.html
- The Write Question (Montana Public Radio, Regionally Syndicated), 19 March 2015
<http://mtptr.org/post/lentil-underground>
- The Splendid Table (NPR, Syndicated), March 2015,
<http://www.splendidtable.org/story/lentil-underground-an-alternative-to-the-industrial-farming-system-in-montana>
- KBOO, Portland 90.7 fm, 15 March 2015, “The Food Show,”
<https://kboo.fm/foodshowon4152015>
- KEXP, Seattle 90.3 fm, 14 March 2015, “Mind Over
Matters,” http://media.kexp.org/podcasts/mom/media/2015-03-19_sustainability_segment_03-23-15_carlilsle.mp3.
- KGEZ, Kalispell, MT 600 am, 23 February 2015, “Morning Show.”
- WSFG, South Florida, 12 February 2015, “Food and Wine Talk,”
<http://www.southfloridagourmet.com/index.php/radio/food-a-wine-talk-wsfg/2239-2014-07-24-23-42-05.html>
- WLRN, Miami 91.3 fm, 9 February 2015, “Topical Currents,”
<http://wlrn.org/post/lentil-underground-renegade-farmers-and-future-food-america>
- KCRW, Los Angeles 89.9 fm, 31 January 2015, “Good Food Show,”
<http://www.podcastchart.com/podcasts/kcrw-s-good-food/episodes/city-of-gold-the-story-of-starry-kitchen-montana-s-lentil-underground>
- The Thom Hartmann Show (Syndicated), 27 January 2015,
<https://www.freespeech.org/video/thom-hartmann-program-january-27-2015>

- WCBQ, Raleigh 1340 am, 27 January 2015, "Morning Show."
- WHTX, Youngstown, OH 1570 am, 27 January 2015, "Brainfood from the Heartland."
- KCBS, San Francisco 106.9 fm, 27 January 2015, "Morning Show."
- KFNN, Phoenix 99.3 fm, 27 January 2015, "Business for Breakfast."
- KMA, Omaha 99.1 fm, 27 January 2015, "Morning Show."
- KKUP, San Francisco 91.5 fm, 27 January 2015, "News."
- WBSM, Providence 1420 am, 27 January 2015, "Morning Show."
- The Bill Martinez Show (Syndicated), 27 January 2015.
- WHOM, Portland, ME 94.9 fm, 27 January 2015, "Perspectives."
- WNEW, Washington, DC 99.1 fm, 27 January 2015, "News."
- KRSN, Albuquerque/Santa Fe 107.1 fm, 27 January 2015, "Morning Show."
- KFRU, St. Louis 1400 am, 27 January 2015, "Morning Show."
- WMNF, Tampa 88.5 fm, 27 January 2015, "Radioactivity."
- KEVT, Tuscon 1210 am, 27 January 2015, "The Jim Parisi Show."
- Kentucky Focus (Regionally Syndicated), 27 January 2015.
- KORN, Mitchell, SD 1490 am, 27 January 2015, "Let's Talk."
- The Allan Handelman Show (Syndicated), 27 January 2015.
- Food and Wine with Chef Jamie Owen (Syndicated), 27 January 2015.
- KDSU, Fargo 91.9 fm, 27 January 2015, "Main Street."
- WSVA, Harrisonburg, VA 92.1 fm, 27 January 2015, "Late Afternoon."
- KAHJ, Sacramento 950 am, 27 January 2015, "Poppoff Radio Show."
- KHHT, Los Angeles 92.3 fm, 27 January 2015, "The Community Review."
- KPCW, Salt Lake City 105.3 fm, 27 January 2015, "The Mountain Life."

Print

- Hassinger, Amy. 2016. "Lentil Power." *Sierra Magazine* 13 July. <http://www.sierraclub.org/sierra/2016-4-july-august/green-life/lentil-power?mostpopular=true>
- Mayer, Amy. 2016. "Coastal foodies and Montana farmers meet over lentils ... and have lessons for the future of food." *Harvest Public Media/Iowa Public Radio* 4 May. http://harvestpublicmedia.org/content/coastal-foodies-and-montana-farmers-meet-over-lentils...-and-have-lessons-future-food#.Vy_FgbzNjZY
- Bogle, Deborah. 2016. "First person: author and activist Liz Carlisle." *The Advertiser [Australia]* 30 April.
- O'Connor, Teresa. 2016. "Celebrate International Year of Pulses." *UC Food Observer* 3 February. <http://ucfoodobserver.com/2016/02/03/celebrate-international-year-of-pulses/?platform=hootsuite>
- Shusterman, Alexis. 2015. "Lentil Underground" [Review]. *Berkeley Science Review*. Fall Issue. <http://berkeleysciencereview.com/article/book-review-lentil-underground/>
- Patel, Raj. 2015. "Amber Waves of Lentils." *Yes! Magazine*. Fall Issue: 52-55. <http://lentilunderground.com/raj-patel-reviews-lentil-underground-for-yes-magazine/>
- Reizman, Mike. 2015. "Lentil Underground" [Review]. *Z Magazine*. 26 August. <https://zcomm.org/zmagazine/lentil-underground-by-liz-carlisle-2/>
- Walters, Chris. 2015. "Triumphs and Tribulations in the Heartland." *Acres* 45(6). <http://lentilunderground.com/book-review-in-acres/>
- Hayden-Smith, Rose. 2015. "Q&A with Liz Carlisle." *UC Food Observer*. 7 April. <http://ucfoodobserver.com/2015/04/07/qa-liz-carlisle/>

- Lappe, Anna. 2015. "Q&A with Liz Carlisle." *Real Food Reads*. 27 March. <http://annalappe.com/2015/03/liz-carlisle-qa/>
- Schwarz, Sarah. 2015. "Interview: Lentil Underground Aims to Save Family Farms." *Blast Magazine*. 17 March. <http://blastmagazine.com/2015/03/17/interview-lentil-underground-aims-to-save-family-farms/>
- Mitchell, Doug. 2015. "Author Q&A: Lentil Underground's Liz Carlisle." *Montana Magazine*. March. <https://www.montanamagazine.com/author-qa-lentil-undergrounds-liz-carlisle/>
- Rothman, Lauren. 2015. "Turns Out Boring Old Lentils are Surprisingly Radical." *Vice Magazine*. 16 February. <http://munchies.vice.com/articles/turns-out-boring-old-lentils-are-surprisingly-radical>
- Guy, Ann Brody. 2015. "More Reason to Eat Your Legumes." UC Division of Agriculture and Natural Resources Food Blog. 9 February 2015. <http://ucanr.edu/blogs/blogcore/postdetail.cfm?postnum=16749>
- Wallace, Hannah. 2015. "Lentil Underground" [Review]. *San Francisco Chronicle*. 22 January. <http://www.sfgate.com/books/article/Lentil-Underground-by-Liz-Carlisle-6033946.php>
- Seligman, Katherine. 2015. "Spilling the Beans: New Book Blows the Lid Off Montana's Organic 'Lentil Underground.'" *California Magazine*. 8 January. <http://alumni.berkeley.edu/california-magazine/just-in/2015-01-11/spilling-beans-new-book-blows-lid-montanas-organic-lentil>
- LeVaux, Ari. 2015. "Lentil Underground is a Montana Phenomenon." Flash in the Pan [syndicated column]. <https://www.hcn.org/articles/lentil-underground-is-a-montana-phenomenon>

Fellowships and Awards

- Green Prize for Sustainable Literature, for *Lentil Underground*, 2016
- Elsevier Atlas Award for research with social impact, for "Investing in the Transition to Sustainable Agriculture," 2016
- Hayward Book-to-Action Program Selection, for *Lentil Underground*, 2016
- Montana Book Award, for *Lentil Underground*, 2015
- *Civil Eats* Best Food and Farm Books of 2015, for *Lentil Underground*, 2015
- Green Book Festival Winner, General Nonfiction, for *Lentil Underground*, 2015
- Charles Redd Center Summer Research Grant, awarded 2013
- Soroptimist Founder Region Dissertation Fellowship, awarded 2013
- P.E.O. Scholar Award, awarded 2013
- Designated Emphasis in Science & Technology Studies, UC Berkeley, accepted 2012
- National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship, 2010-2013
- Nelson W. Polsby Memorial Graduate Student Fellowship, UC Berkeley, 2009-10
- Department Block Grant Recipient, Geography, UC Berkeley, 2009-10
- Harvard College Research Fellowship, 2005
- Radcliffe Fellowship, Harvard University, 2004
- Delivered the Undergraduate English Address at 2006 Harvard Commencement
- Departmental Nominee, Hoopes Prize, outstanding undergraduate thesis work
- John Harvard Scholar, 2002-06
- Harvard College Scholar of Academic Excellence, 2002-06
- David McCord Prize, Outstanding Senior in the Arts, Quincy House, Harvard
- Finalist, Harvard College Women's Leadership Award

Institutional and Professional Service

- Reviewer, *Agroecology and Sustainable Food Systems, Journal of Rural Studies, Rural Sociology*
- Member, Union of Concerned Scientists Science Network
- Search Committee, Food Systems lecturer, UC Berkeley, 2016
- Planning Committee, UC Berkeley undergraduate minor in Food Systems, 2014-2016
- White paper author and discussion participant, Meridian Institute convening on agricultural policy, Washington DC, Spring 2013
- Executive Committee, Berkeley Food Institute, UC Berkeley, 2012-13
- Consultant, "Our Global Kitchen: Food, Nature, Culture," exhibition at the American Museum of Natural History, November 17, 2012-August 11, 2013
- Steering Council, Sustainable Agriculture Education Association, 2012-2014
- Mentor, Undergraduate-Graduate Mentorship Program, UC Berkeley, 2012-2013
- Steering Committee, Berkeley Workshop on Environmental Politics, 2010-2012
- Volunteer tutor, "Great San Francisco Personal Statement Weekend," 826 Valencia
- Graduate Student Faculty Liaison, Berkeley Geography Department, 2010-2011
- Marshal, Phi Beta Kappa Alpha Iota Chapter, 2005-2006
- Intern, Harvard Foundation for Intercultural and Race Relations, 2003-2004
- Contributor, *Diversity and Distinction*, Harvard University, 2003-2004