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EDUCATION

- 2014 Ph.D., Applied Anthropology, Columbia University/Teachers College.
2011 M. Phil., Applied Anthropology, Columbia University/Teachers College.
2002 M.A., Latin American studies, University of Kansas.
1998 B.A., Mathematics, University of Kansas.
1995 A.A., General Studies, Johnson County Community College.

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

- 2017-present Assistant Professor, Anthropology. University of South Florida.
2015-2017 Assistant Professor, Anthropology and Black Studies. York College (CUNY).
2014-2017 Postdoctoral Fellow, Faculté d'Ethnologie. Université d'Etat d'Haïti.
2014-2015 Lecturer, African and African-American Studies. University of Kansas.
2011-2015 Adjunct Associate Professor, Anthropology. Johnson County Community College.

PUBLICATIONS

Edited Volumes

- 2018 *Transnational Hispaniola: New Directions in Haitian and Dominican Studies*. April J. Mayes and Kiran Jayaram, eds. Gainesville: University of Florida Press.
2016/2018 *Keywords of Mobility: a Critical Anthropological Engagement*. Salazar, Noel and Kiran Jayaram, eds. New York: Berghahn Books. (hardback/paperback)

Peer Reviewed Writings

- 2020 Debating Decolonization in the Caribbean: Assessment and Polyvocal Response to *Island Anthropologies* Workshop (March 18–20, 2019). *Journal of Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology* 25(3).

- 2018 Fruits of colonialism: The production of mangoes as commodities in northern Haiti. *Critique of Anthropology* 38(4): 461-482.
- 2018 Entre el estado, el mercado, y xenophobia: los haitianos universitarios en la República Dominicana. *Estudios Sociales* 41(156): 101-123.
- 2016a Jean Raymond Giglio. *Dictionary of Caribbean and Afro-Latin American Biography*. Henry Louis Gates, Jr. & Franklin W. Knight, Editors in Chief. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 2016b Louis Lesly Marcelin. *Dictionary of Caribbean and Afro-Latin American Biography*. Henry Louis Gates, Jr. & Franklin W. Knight, Editors in Chief. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 2016c Richard Auguste Morse. *Dictionary of Caribbean and Afro-Latin American Biography*. Henry Louis Gates, Jr. & Franklin W. Knight, Editors in Chief. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 2013 Transnational Hispaniola: Towards New Paradigms in Haitian and Dominican Studies (with April Mayes, Yolanda Martín, Carlos Decena, and Yveline Alexis). *Radical History Review* 115:26-32.
- 2011 State Literacies and Inequalities: Managing Haitian Immigrants in the Dominican Republic (with Lesley Bartlett and Gulin Bonhomme). *International Journal of Educational Development* 31(6):587-595.
- 2010 Capital Changes: Haitian Migrants in Contemporary Dominican Republic. *Caribbean Quarterly* 55(3):31-54.

Book Chapters

- forthcoming Borders as Bellwethers: Border of Lights, Transnational Hispaniola, and American Futures. In *The Border of Lights Reader*.
- forthcoming Transnational Hispaniola: the First Decade in Support of a New Paradigm for Haitian and Dominican Studies. In *Caribbean Migrations*, Anke Birkenmaier, ed. Rutgers University Press, Caribbean Critical Studies series.
- 2018 Global Capital Disguised as Sustainability in Post-Earthquake Haiti. In *Transnational Hispaniola: New Directions in Haitian and Dominican Studies*. April J. Mayes and Kiran C. Jayaram, eds. Pp. 182-200. Gainesville: University of Florida Press.
- 2018 An Introduction (with April J. Mayes). In *Transnational Hispaniola: New Directions in Haitian and Dominican Studies*. April J. Mayes and Kiran C. Jayaram, eds.

- Pp. 1-20. Gainesville: University of Florida Press.
- 2018 Epilogue (with April J. Mayes). In *Transnational Hispaniola: New Directions in Haitian and Dominican Studies*. April J. Mayes and Kiran C. Jayaram, eds. Pp. 247-258. Gainesville: University of Florida Press.
- 2018/2016 Capital. In *Keywords of Mobility: a Critical Anthropological Engagement*, Salazar, Noel and Kiran Jayaram, eds. Pp. 13-32. New York: Berghahn Books.
- 2013 State, Market, Xenophobia: Making Haitian Educational Migrants in the Dominican Republic. In *Lives in Motion: Migration and Education in Global Perspective*, Lesley Bartlett and Ameena Ghaffar-Kucher, eds. Pp. 22-37. New York: Routledge.

Professional Reports

- 2017 Issues Facing Primary School Girls in Two Communities in Haiti. World Bank.
- 2016 Community Schooling Needs in Ten Haitian Rural Communities. World Bank.
- 2016 Stakeholder Assessment for Haiti Education Project Preparation. World Bank.
- 2016 On Establishing a Doctoral Program in Anthropology at Université d'Etat d'Haïti.
- 2015 Ethnographic Aspects of the Return on Investment among Haitian Youth. World Bank.
- 2015 Delayed Enrollment in Primary School among Haitian Children. World Bank.
- 2014 Expert Report on asylum case. International Institute of Connecticut.
- 2011 Faces of Haiti (with Maryemma Graham, Brian Rosenblum, and C.B. Claiborne). University of Kansas: Haitian Research Initiative.
- 2010 Report on Land Tenure in Post-Earthquake Haiti. New York: Earth Institute.
- 2010 Report on Social Dynamics Within the Pòtapiman Watershed. New York: Earth Institute.

Legal and Professional Testimonies

- 2019 Expert witness on asylum case. Integrated Refugee & Immigrant Services.
- 2014 Expert witness on asylum case. International Institute of Connecticut.

Non-Peer Reviewed Publications

- 2013 Be(com)ing the Scholars We Know We Are. Section News, National Association of Student Anthropologists. *Anthropology News*, May 2013.
- 2013 On the Role of History and Social Science in Policy. Focus on Haiti Initiative, George Washington University. Online document. <http://focusonhaiti.org/>
- 2010 Desarrollando un Programa de Haitianismo en la RD. Observatorio Migrantes del Caribe

- (OBMICA). Online document. <http://www.obmica.org/http://www.obmica.org/>
- 2008 Engaging the Structures of Power: a Reflection from the Field. *Newsletter of the Society for Applied Anthropology* 19(3):26-28.
- 2008 Brother, Can You Spare a Dime?: a Reflection from the Field. *Newsletter of the Society for Applied Anthropology* 19(1):32-33.
- 2007 Problems Encountered on the Research Path: a Reflection from the Field. *Newsletter of the Society for Applied Anthropology* 18(4):4-5.
- 2007 Seeing Disasters through Human Rights and Social Justice (with Mark Schuller). *Newsletter of the Society for Applied Anthropology* 18(3):4-6.
- 2007 Translating Realities: Challenges, Opportunities, and Anthropology in Software Development. Computer-Mediated Anthropology website. Online document. <http://anthropology.usf.edu/cma/Translating-Realities.doc>
- 2004 The Politics of Culture in the *mouvman rasin* in Haiti. Occasional Papers in Haitian Studies, no. 29, Bryant C. Freeman, ed. Institute of Haitian Studies, Kansas University.
- 2003 Translations, Transnations, Transgressions: Trouillot's "Imigrasyon" (with Michel-Rolph Trouillot, A. Isadora Del Vecchio, and Abdourahman Idrissa) *Chain* 10:213-227.

Book Reviews

- forthcoming Review of Maroon Nation: a History of Revolutionary Haiti. *Journal of Anthropological Research*.
- 2010 Review of Haiti in the Balance: Why Foreign Aid has Failed and What We Can Do About It. *Latin American Politics and Society* 52(4):153-156.
- 2007 Review of The Devil Behind the Mirror: Globalization and Politics in the Dominican Republic. *Caribbean Studies Newsletter* 34(1).
- 2003 A Matter of Words: On Ethnographic Authority in Elizabeth McAlister's Rara! *Cultural Survival Quarterly* 27(2).

Works in Progress

- N.D. *Island Anthropologies: Anthropological Knowledge Production in Haiti and the Dominican Republic*. In preparation for University of Virginia Press.
- N.D. *Antwopoloji zile: pwodiksyon konnesans antwopolojik ann Ayiti ak Repiblik Dominiken an*. In preparation for Editions Université d'Etat d'Haïti.
- N.D. *Antropologías isleñas: producción conocimiento antropológico en Haití y la República Dominicana*. In preparation for Ediciones Fundación Juan Bosch.

- revising “Towards a Transnational Hispaniola Present for a Caribbean Future. In preparation for *New West Indian Guide*.
- revising Kinship as a driver of Late Entry Into Primary School in Haiti: A Mixed-Methods Study. (with Tillmann Heidelk). In preparation for *Human Organization*.
- revising Change Over Time: Teaching Biological Anthropology in Haiti. In preparation for *American Anthropologist*. With Norberto Baldi.
- revising On the Meaning in an Archive of Haitian Creole Proverbs. *Yon repètwa pwovèb an kreyòl*. Institute of Haitian Studies, University of Kansas Press.
- revising *Hitting the Books and Pounding the Pavement: Haitian Educational and Labor Migrants in the Dominican Republic*. Under advanced contract by University Press of Florida.

RESEARCH-BASED GRANTS, AWARDS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2019 American Jewish World Service, Publication Grant, “Island Anthropologies”
- 2018 Wenner-Gren Foundation, Workshop Grant, “Island Anthropologies”
- 2017 PSC-CUNY Traditional A, Cycle 48 Research Award
- 2016-2018 Institute for International Education, Fulbright Flex Research Award
- 2016 US Embassy Public Affairs Grant; Port-au-Prince, Haiti
- 2014-2018 Wenner-Gren Foundation, Institutional Development Grant, Haiti (project co-facilitator)
- 2007 J. William Fulbright Scholarship; Institute of International Education
- 2007 Research Award; Office of Policy and Research, Teachers College
- 2006 Research Grant; Institute of Latin American Studies, Columbia University
- 2005, 2006 Anthropology Program Research Award; Teachers College
- 2004-2006 Minority Group Scholarship Fund; Teachers College
- 2001 Oppenheimer Research Award; Center for Latin American Studies, University of Kansas
- 2001, 2002 Field Research Grant; Tinker Foundation/University of Kansas
- 2001 James B. Pearson Fellowship; Kansas Board of Regents
- 2000 Research Award; Institute of Haitian Studies, University of Kansas

HONORS AND RECOGNITIONS

- 2016-2017 Faculty Fellowship Publishing Program; City University of New York
- 2015 Invited participant, Statistics in Ethnographic Research; National Science Foundation
- 2012 Emerging Scholars Award; Haitian Studies Association

- 2011 College Scholars Award; Johnson County Community College
 2005 Invited participant, Summer Institute on Research Design; National Science Foundation

TEACHING-BASED AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2018 Faculty Fellow, Global Citizen Project; University of South Florida
 2018 Interdisciplinary Course Award, General Education Council; University of South Florida

INVITED LECTURES

- 2020 Actually Existing Decolonization: On Collaborative Efforts to Bolster Anthropology in the Americas. Public Anthropology, Institute for Policy & Social Research, University of Kansas, October 23.
- 2019 Historical Political Economy and Systems of Inequality in the Caribbean: the case of Hispaniola. Teacher Workshop on the African Diaspora in Latin America and the Caribbean, University of South Florida, June 11.
- 2017 Haitian Creole Proverbs and Vodou: a Sociolinguistic *Dans*. Haiti-Cuba Workshop, University of Florida, Sept. 21.
- 2016 Unspectacular Violence: the *Sentencia* in Historical and Anthropological Context. Symposium: Rendering Stateless, Bowdoin College, Nov. 4.
- 2016 Towards a Transnational Hispaniola Present for a Caribbean Future. Closing Plenary at Caribbean Studies Association, Port-au-Prince, Haiti, June 11.
- 2016 Interdisciplinary Insights on Issues facing Haitians and Haitian Dominicans in Contemporary Dominican Republic. St. John's University, Feb. 17.
- 2015 Using Anthropology to Understand Conflict. Rutgers University, Nov. 30.
- 2015 Doing Haitian Studies: Fieldwork and the Field. Haitians Studies Association Pre-conference for students, Oct. 22.
- 2015 Migration Issues in the Dominican Republic. Siena College, Oct. 13.
- 2015 Why are Dominicans of Haitian Descent being Expulsed? A Teach-In on Contemporary Legal Issues in the Dominican Republic. New York University, Sept. 21.
- 2011 Disaster in the Comparative Context: Haiti with St. Vincent and the Grenadines. Model Organization of American States, University of Kansas, Feb. 14.
- 2011 Disaster in Haiti...then came 2010. Marshall University, Feb. 10.
- 2011 Coping with and Responding to the Apocalypse: the Past, Present and Future of Haiti

- after the Earthquake and Cholera Outbreak. Georgia State University, Feb. 2.
- 2008 Distinción y ambivalencia: aspectos del mercado en la vida de la población haitiana en Santo Domingo. Fundación Global Democracia y Desarrollo, D.R., July 28.
- 2006 Negotiating Realities: Issues in Applied Anthropology for Educational Software Development. Margaret Mead Film Festival, American Museum of Natural History, Nov. 11.
- 2003 Contemporary issues in Haiti: Latin American Convocation. Sterling College, Kansas, Feb. 12.

CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

Conferences and Panels Organized

- 2019 Island Anthropologies: Anthropological Knowledge Production in Haiti and the Dominican Republic. Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, March 18-20 (with Luisa Rollins Castillo).
- 2016 Transnational Hispaniola III: Theories into Practice. Port-au-Prince, Haiti, June 5-11 (with April J. Mayes).
- 2015 Anthropology's Caribbean: Critical Histories. American Anthropological Association. Denver, CO, Nov. 18-22 (with Kevin Yelvington).
- 2013 Critical Anthropological Engagements with Mobility: the Keywords. American Anthropological Association. San Francisco, CA, Nov. 20-24 (with Noel Salazar).
- 2013 Gedenkschrift for Michel-Rolph Trouillot. Latin American Studies Association. Washington, D.C., May 30-June 1 (with April J. Mayes).
- 2012 Transnational Hispaniola: Towards New Paradigms in Haitian and Dominican Studies. Haitian Studies Association. Queens, NY, Nov. 8-10 (with April J. Mayes).
- 2012 Building and Rebuilding the National Patrimony: Universities and Research Archives Recovering from Disaster. Latin American Studies Association. San Francisco, CA, May 23-26 (with April J. Mayes).
- 2012 Transnational Hispaniola II Rutgers University. New Brunswick, NJ, April 12-15. (with Carlos Decena).
- 2007 With Comitas on our Minds: Reflections on the Life and Work (so far) of a Practicing Anthropologist. American Anthropological Association. Washington, D.C., Nov. 28-Dec. 2 (with Karen Robinson).

Papers Presented

- 2020 Iridescence and Power: “Pearl of the Antilles” as Political Economic Projection. Haitian Studies Association, Virtual Conference, October 8-10.
- 2019 Moves in Anthropological Studies of Migration. Island Anthropologies, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, Mar. 18-20.
- 2017 Learning the World, Learning the Whirled: Ethnographic Methods of Urban Mobility. Second International Human Migration Conference, Mexico City, Mexico, Oct. 17-21.
- 2017 Entre libros y chiripeos: los migrantes universitarios y laborales de Haiti. Universidad Autónoma de Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, July 3.
- 2017 Learning the World, Learning the Whirled: Ethnographic Methods of Urban Mobility. Int’l. Union of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences, Ottawa, Canada, May 3-6.
- 2016 The Meaning of Mangoes for Haitian Agriculturalists. American Anthropological Association, Minneapolis, MN, Nov. 16-20.
- 2016 *Ispanyola ak Antwopoloji*. Caribbean Studies Association, Port-au-Prince, Haiti, June 6-11.
- 2016 *Antwopoloji ak ekonomi*. Transnational Hispaniola III, Port-au-Prince, Haiti, June 5.
- 2015 Teaching Biological Anthropology in Haiti. American Anthropological Association. Denver, CO, Nov. 18-22.
- 2015 Policing Haitian Migrants in the Dominican Republic. Haitian Studies Association. Montreal, Canada, October 22-24.
- 2013 Anthropology of Mobility Keyword: Capital. American Anthropological Association. San Francisco, CA, Nov. 20-24.
- 2013 Globalizations from below: the complementary capitalism of Haitian labor migrants to the Dominican Republic. Haitian Studies Association. Port-au-Prince, Haiti, Nov. 7-9.
- 2013 Articulated histo-geneity: Michel-Rolph Trouillot's impact on a Young Anthropologist. Latin American Studies Association. Washington, D.C., May 30-June 1.
- 2012 Trends in Haitian Studies: Analysis of 24 years of Presentations at the HSA. Haitian Studies Association. Queens, NY, Nov. 8-10.
- 2011 Between Market Skills and Global Knowledge: Making Haitian University Students in the Dominican Republic. American Anthropological Association. Montreal, Nov. 16-20.
- 2011 *Bay bwèlt Sendomeng*: Variation in Haitian Creole in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic. Haitian Studies Association. Kingston, Jamaica. Nov. 10-12.
- 2011 *Bay bwèlt Sendomeng: Fòm kreyòl ayisyen Sendomeng*. Kòlòk sou Akademi Kreyòl Ayisyen. Petionville, Haiti, Oct. 27-29.

- 2007 Different Groups, Grouped Differences: Haitians in contemporary Santo Domingo. Caribbean Studies Association. Salvador, Brazil, May 28-June 1.
- 2007 Translating Realities: Challenges and Opportunities for Anthropology in Software Development. Society for Applied Anthropology. Tampa, FL, March 28-31.
- 2006 Multiplicity of Haitian Identities in 21st Century Santo Domingo. Institute of Latin American Studies, Columbia University. Nov. 28.
- 2005 World and the Word: a Grand History of an Individual's Literacy Practice. Caribbean Studies Association. Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, May 30-June 4.
- 2005 The Anti-Literacy Literacies Machine in Haiti: Kreyòl Literacy Campaigns in Haiti. Caribbean Scholars Association of New York, John Jay College. April 15-16.
- 2005 *Aprann* the Limits of your *Alfabetizasyon*: Kreyòl Literacy Campaigns in Haiti. Education in the Americas Graduate Student Conference, Teachers College. April.
- 2003 *Libète, Egalite, Fraternidad?* Florida Anthropology Students Association Colloquium, University of Florida. Nov. 21.
- 2002 Of the Blood of Biasou and Boukmann: Haitian Resistance to the Duvalier Regime. ILASSA, University of Texas. Feb 14-16.

Discussant

- 2016 Puentes en Construcción: Historias alternas de conflict y solidaridad entre Haití y República Dominicana. Latin American Studies Association, New York, NY. May 28.
- 2016 The DR Dossier. Haiti: Impunity, Responsibility, and Citizenship. CUNY Graduate Center, March 18.

CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY TALKS

- 2017 Learning my Gender. The Vagina Men-ologues. York College, CUNY, Mar. 9.
- 2014 Haiti 101 for Health Care Workers. Lecture for Bethel College nursing students and faculty. Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies, University of Kansas, Jan. 8.
- 2013 Understanding the Caribbean: Unity and Diversity. Educator Workshop on the Caribbean, University of Kansas, January 26.
- 2005 Teaching the Current Haitian Crisis in New York City Elementary and Secondary School Curriculum. Teachers College, Columbia University. March 4.
- 2004 On the departure of President Aristide. Civic Media Center, Gainesville, FL, April 4.
- 2003 Why Haiti matters in the War in Iraq. Lawrence Public Library, Lawrence, KS, Feb. 15.

2000 The Bass in Afro-Caribbean Music (with Stanley Sheldon). Latin American Studies
Lecture Series. University of Kansas.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND COURSES

Graduate Courses Taught

University of South Florida

Global Migration and Mobility (spring 2018)

Anthropological Theory Today (spring 2019, spring 2020)

Columbia University, Teachers College

Urban Situations & Education (spring 2017)

Faculté d'Ethnologie, Université d'Etat d'Haïti

Peopling of the Americas (winter 2016), co-taught with Norberto Baldi

Biological Anthropology (winter 2015), co-taught with Norberto Baldi.

Political Anthropology (summer 2015), co-taught with Bartholomew Dean.

Universidad Iberoamericana (Santo Domingo, República Dominicana)

Research Methodology (fall 2009), co-taught with Lesley Bartlett

Undergraduate Courses Taught

Department of Anthropology, University of South Florida

Cultural Anthropology (2017-present; online and f2f)

Exploring Cross-Cultural Diversity (fall 2018)

Anthro of Urban Education in a Globalizing World (fall 2019)

Department of History and Philosophy, York College (CUNY)

Transnational Hispaniola: a Social Science Approach (spring 2017)

Introduction to Cultural Anthropology, (2015-2016; online/hybrid sections)

Culture and Personality, (spring 2016; online section)

Department of African and African-American Studies, University of Kansas

Elementary and Intermediate Haitian Creole (2014-2015, 1999-2003)

Haiti: History and Culture (fall 2014)

Department of Romance Languages, University of Florida

Elementary Haitian Creole (2003-2004)

Professional Development for Teaching

University of South Florida

- ATLE Course Design Institute (August 2019)
- ATLE Online Instruction Course (July 2019)
- ATLE Peer Observation Program (spring 2019)
- ATLE Teaching Essentials, Canvas-based course (2019)

FIELD AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2020-present Pedagogical Practice during Covid (online research). Various locations.
- 2017, 2018 Continuing research on Haitian migrants. Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic.
- 2016-2018 Research on mango export industry in Haiti. Various locations in Haiti.
- 2014-present Research on primary and secondary schooling, World Bank. Various locations in Haiti.
- 2014 Consultant on graduate curriculum in Anthropology. Université d'Etat d'Haïti
- 2011 Co-investigator, Haiti Research Initiative (University of Kansas). Port-au-Prince, Haiti.
- 2010 Applied research for Advanced Consortium on Cooperation, Conflict and Complexity. (Earth Institute) on Land Tenure. Multiple Locations, Haiti.
- 2010 Applied team research for Haiti Regeneration Project (Earth Institute/UNEP) on Institutional Collaboration and Trust in a Watershed. Port-a-Piment, Haiti.
- 2009 Applied team research on education in secondary schools. Wanament, Haiti.
- 2008 Living wage calculation for free-trade zone workers. Haitian-Dominican border.
- 2008-2011 Doctoral research. Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic.
- 2006 Assistant to George Bond; Agricultural change among the Tumbuka, Zambia.
- 2006 Pre-dissertation research on Haitians in Santo Domingo.
- 2005 Assistant to Lambros Comitas; Caribbean bibliography and archiving.
- 2005 Research on political economy in a rural town of Northern Haiti.
- 2005 Assistant to Charles Harrington; Cross-cultural understandings of depression.
- 2004 Applied team research on Mexican and Haitian workers. Collier County, Florida.
- 2003 Fieldwork on Haitian identity in a Marxist-Leninist regime. Camagüey, Cuba.
- 2001 Fieldwork on Afro-Cuban identity in a Marxist-Leninist regime. La Habana, Cuba.
- 1999-2004 Nine months of independent fieldwork in Haiti, including M.A. thesis work.

SERVICE AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- 2018-present Editorial Board. Journal of Latin American and Caribbean Studies
- 2018-present Chair, Graduate Curriculum Committee. USF CAS & USF School of Social Sciences
- 2018-2019 Boren Scholarship and Fellowship Faculty Review Committee. USF
- 2017-present Graduate Program Committee. USF Department of Anthropology
- 2017-2019 Review Panelist. National Science Foundation
- 2016-2019 Coordinator. Transnational Hispaniola Working Group (Caribbean Studies Association)
- 2016-2019 Reviewer. Anthropology & Education Quarterly
- 2016-2017 Coordinator. Black Studies, York College (CUNY)
- 2014-2017 Board Member. Society for Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology, AAA
- 2014-2017 Adjunct Associate. Laboratory in Biological Anthropology, University of Kansas
- 2013-2014 Co-editor, *Hare and Bell*. Johnson County Community College
- 2011-2013 Research Affiliate. Haitian Research Initiative, University of Kansas
- 2010-2016 Co-Chair, Haiti-Dominican Republic Section. Latin American Studies Association
- 2006 Educational Consultant. Global Kids/Play 4 Keeps (<http://ayiti.globalkids.org/game/>)
- 2005-2007 Outreach Coordinator. Center for African Education, Teachers College
- 2002-2003 Outreach Coordinator. African Studies Resource Center, University of Kansas

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- 2016-present Caribbean Studies Association
- 2011-present Haitian Studies Association
- 2010-2016 Latin American Studies Association
- 2004-present American Anthropological Association

LANGUAGES

- English Native Speaker
- Haitian Creole Near-native fluency in written and oral skills
- Spanish Near-native fluency in written and oral skills
- French Advanced reading skills, intermediate oral skills
- Portuguese Intermediate reading skills, beginning oral skills