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### EDUCATION

**PhD** in Rhetoric & Writing (Self-designed Concentration: Rhetoric, Environment, Culture)  
2012-2013 Cultural Heritage Informatics Fellow  
2010-2011 College of Arts & Letters Merit Fellow  
2009-2010 Andrew E. Rasmussen Fellow  
Michigan State University, August 2013

**MA** in Critical Studies in Literacy & Pedagogy  
Michigan State University, 2009

**BA** in Latin and **BA** in English: American Language & Literature  
University of Tennessee at Chattanooga, 2006

### APPOINTMENTS

Univ. Texas-Austin	Fall 2018-Present	Assistant Professor of Rhetoric & Writing
Wayne State Univ.	Fall 2013-Summer 2018	Assistant Professor of English
Michigan State Univ.	Fall 2012-Spring 2013	Graduate Teaching Assistant, Professional Writing Program Department of Writing, Rhetoric, & American Cultures
	Spring 2012-Sum 2013	Communication Assistant, University Outreach and Engagement
	Spring 2011-Sum 2013	Research Assistant, Writing in Digital Environments Center
	Fall 2008-Spring 2009	Graduate Teaching Assistant, Tier 1 Writing Program Department of Writing, Rhetoric, & American Cultures
	Fall 2009-Fall 2010	Writing Center Fellow, Library Writing Center Coordinator
	Fall 2007-Spring 2008	Course release for AAGA Fellowship
Lansing CC	Spring 2011-Spring 2012	Instructor, English Department
Univ. of Tennessee	Summer 2006 & 2007	Acting Director, Foreign Language Lab
	Spring 2006-April 2007	Assistant Director, Center for Online Writing Support (COWS)

### RECOGNITION

2017 Wayne State University President's Award for Excellence in Teaching  
2011 Michigan Campus Compact Heart and Soul Award

### PUBLICATIONS

journal articles  
refereed

**Sackey, Donnie Johnson** (2020). One-Size-Fits-None: Heuristic for Proactive Value Sensitive Environmental Design. *Technical Communication Quarterly*, 29(1), DOI: [10.1080/10572252.2019.1634767](https://doi.org/10.1080/10572252.2019.1634767)

Cobos, Casie, Gabriela Raquel Rios, **Donnie Johnson Sackey**, Jennifer Sano- Franchini & Angela M. Haas (2018). Interfacing Cultural Rhetorics: A History and a Call. *Rhetoric Review*, 37(2), 139-154.

Turner, Heather Noel, Minh-Tam Nguyen, Beth Keller, **Donnie Johnson Sackey**, Jim Ridolfo, Stacey Pigg, Benjamin Lauren, Liza Potts, Bill Hart-Davidson, Jeff Grabill. (2017). WIDE Research Center as an incubator for graduate student experience. *Journal of Technical Writing and Communication*, 47(2), 130-150.

**Sackey, Donnie Johnson**, Minh-Tam Nguyen, Jeffery T. Grabill. (2015). Constructing learning spaces: What we can learn from studies of informal learning online. *Computers & Composition*, 35, 112-124.

Alexander, Phil, Karissa Chabot, Matt Cox, Dànielle Nicole DeVoss, Barb Gerber, Staci Perryman Clark, Julie Platt, **Donnie Johnson Sackey**, and Mary Wendt. (2012). Teaching with technology: Remixing and remediating the teaching philosophy statement. *Computers & Composition*, 29(1), 23-38.

Sano-Franchini, Jennifer, **Donnie Johnson Sackey**, and Stacey Pigg. (2011). "Methodological dwellings: A search for feminisms in rhetoric & composition." *Present Tense: A Journal of Rhetoric in Society*, 1(2). Available: <http://www.presenttensejournal.org/vol1/methodological-dwellings-a-search-for-feminisms-in-rhetoric-composition/>

journal articles  
non-referred

Hurley, Elise Verzosa et al., 2021. Octalog IV: The Politics of Rhetorical Studies. *Rhetoric Review*, 40(4): 321–348.

**Sackey, Donnie Johnson**, Casey Boyle, Mai Nou Xiong, Gabriela Ríos, Kristin L. Arola, and Scot Barnett. (2019). Perspectives on Cultural and Posthumanist Rhetorics. *Rhetoric Review*, 38(4): 375-401.

Beech, Jennifer, Josh Bailey, Ansley Eichhorn, **Donnie Johnson**, Myron Johnson, Jamie Nichols, Justin Szabo, and Amanda Womac. (2004). Activism as active citizenship and as civic responsibility. *Lore: An E-journal for Teachers of Writing*, 1. Available: <http://www.bedfordstmartins.com/loresp04/stairwell/content.htm?com04>

editorial

Opel, Dawn S. and **Donnie Johnson Sackey** (Eds.) (October 2019). Special Issue: Reciprocity in Community-Engaged Food and Environmental Justice Scholarship. *Community Literacy Journal*, 14(1): 1-128.

Hidalgo, Alexandra and **Donnie Johnson Sackey** (Eds.) (December 2015). Special Issue: Race, Rhetoric, and the State. *Present Tense: A Journal of Rhetoric in Society*. <http://www.presenttensejournal.org/editorial/vol-5-2-special-issue-on-race-rhetoric-and-the-state/>

book chapters

**Sackey, Donnie Johnson**. (2018). An environmental justice paradigm for technical communication. Michelle Eble and Angela Haas, (Eds.) *Integrating Theoretical Frameworks for Teaching Technical Communication* (pp. 138-160). Logan, UT: Utah State University Press.

**Sackey, Donnie Johnson**, Jim Ridolfo, and Dànielle Nicole DeVoss. (2018). Making space in Lansing, Michigan: Communities and/in circulation. Laurie E. Gries and Collin Brooke, (Eds.) *Circulation, Writing, & Rhetoric* (pp. 27-42). Logan, UT: Utah State University Press.

**Sackey, Donnie Johnson** and William Hart-Davidson. (2016). Writing devices. Casey Boyle and Scot Barnett, (Eds.) *Rhetoric of Everyday Things* (pp. 69-82). Tuscaloosa, AL: University of Alabama Press.

Ríos, Gabriela R. and **Donnie Johnson Sackey**. (2014). Biocultural diversity and copyright: Linking intellectual property, language, knowledge and environment. In Dànielle Nicole DeVoss and Martine Courant Rife, (Eds.) *Cultures of Copyright* (pp. 211-225). New York, NY: Peter Lang International Academic Publishers.

**Sackey, Donnie Johnson** and Dànielle Nicole DeVoss. (2011). Ecology, ecologies, and institutions: Eco and composition. Sidney I. Dobrin, (Ed.) *Writing ecology: Ecology, writing theory, and new media* (pp. 195-212). New York, NY: Routledge.

conference  
proceedings

Moldenhauer, Judith A., and **Donnie Johnson Sackey**. (2016). Transdisciplinarity, community-based participatory research, and user-based information design research: The D•VERSE group and two projects. In *Design, User Experience, and Usability: Design Thinking and Methods - 5th International Conference, DUXU 2016 Held as Part of HCI International 2016, Proceedings*. (Vol. 9746, pp. 323-332). (Lecture Notes in Computer Science (including subseries Lecture Notes in Artificial Intelligence and Lecture Notes in Bioinformatics); Vol. 9746). Springer Verlag. DOI: [10.1007/978-3-319-40409-7\\_31](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-40409-7_31)

Hodder, Rachel, **Donnie Sackey**, and Michael McLeod. (2013). Building a better conference experience. Proceedings of the 31st Annual International Conference on Design of Communication, SIGDOC 2013, Greenville, NC, September 30th-October 1, 2013.

**Sackey, Donnie Johnson** and Noah Ullmann. (2012). Visualizing data, encouraging change: Technical interventions in food purchasing. Proceedings of the 2012 International Professional Communication Conference, IPCC 2012, Orlando, FL, October 8-10, 2013. Available: <http://ieeexplore.ieee.org/xpl/articleDetails.jsp?arnumber=6408654>

**Sackey, Donnie Johnson**. (2011). "Tracing Ecologies." Proceedings of the 2011 International Professional Communication Conference, IPCC 2011, Cincinnati, OH, October 17-19, 2011. Available: <http://ieeexplore.ieee.org/xpl/articleDetails.jsp?arnumber=6087188>

book reviews

(2014). Review of *Forms of Fanonism: Frantz Fanon's Critical Theory and the Dialectics of Decolonization* by Reiland Rabaka. *JAC: A Quarterly Journal for the Interdisciplinary Study of Rhetoric Culture and Politics*, 34(1-2), 390-396.

online resources

**Sackey, Donnie Johnson** and Letitia Fowler. (2011). Facilitation annotated bibliography. Facilitating learning in digital museum environments. Available: <http://informal.science.org/documents/0000/0132/FacilitationAnnotatedBibliography.pdf>

digital projects

Ullmann, Noah and **Donnie Johnson Sackey**. (2010). Baked Potato: A justice-oriented shopping application.

publications in  
progress

Evasive Species: Rhetoric, Communities, Invasion Ecology. [In-progress book manuscript; under contract Ohio State University Press].

*Technical Communication Quarterly* 2022 Special Issue: "Black Technical and Professional Communication." Co-editor.

## GRANTS

Food@MSU. Improving Data-Driven Approaches to Michigan Food Security and Nutritional Health and Well-Being. Co-Investigator. [Funded: \$10,000]

National Institutes of Health. Spatial and Temporal Analyses of Neonatal Blood Lead Levels of Flint Children. Co-Investigator. [\$3,735,392.00; Not funded].

National Institutes of Health. RAPID: Response to contaminants in Flint drinking water: Formation of disinfection by-products in the distribution system. Co-Investigator. [Funded: \$421,435].

Institute for Population Studies, Health Assessment, Administration, Services and Economics. A community-based approach to study adolescent asthma through personal monitoring of airborne particulate matter. Co-Investigator. [Funded: \$75,000].

Detroit Medical Center Foundation: Community-based Health Care Information Grant. Enhancing environmental health communication between scientists and affected populations through community media design workshops. 2014. PIs: Donnie Johnson Sackey, Judith Moldenhauer; Co-Investigators: Joseph Caruso, Freda Giblin Shawn McElmurry, Robert Reynolds, Nicholas Schroeck, Paul Stemmer, Judy Westrick, Kezhong Zhang. [\$100,000; Not funded].

Center for Urban Responses to Environmental Stressors. Petcoke in an urban environment: A community-based participatory model. Co-Investigator. 2014-2016. [Funded: \$150,000].

Institute for Museum and Library Services. Facilitating learning in digital environments. 2010-2013. Research Assistant. [Funded: \$686,422].

Power of We Consortium. NorthStar Center capacity building. 2010. Writer. [Funded: \$23,748].

## COMPETITIVE AWARDS

Wayne State Univ.

Graduate Research Assistant Competition for FY 2016. Tracing local environmental literacy. 2015. Principle Investigator. [Funded]

College of Liberal Arts & Sciences Online Course Development Fellowship. English 3060. 2015. Principle Investigator. [Funded: \$2000]

National

Whiting Public Engagement Fellowship. 2020-2021. Principle Investigator. [University of Texas at Austin's nominee, not funded]

National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Stipend Program. Constructing Invasion: Rhetoric & Environmental History. 2016. Principle Investigator. [Wayne State University's nominee, Not Funded]

## PRESENTATIONS

conferences

Heidi Harris, Barry Maid, **Donnie Johnson Sackey**, Michelle Sidler, Julie Staggers (2019, November). Roundtable: Applied Writing: A Swiss Army Knife Leading to Employment and Social Engagement. Association of Writing and Rhetoric Studies. Austin, TX.

(2019, October). Rethinking Consumer Confidence Reports. Special Interest Group on Design of Communication. Portland, OR.

(2019, March). Digital Environments and Bodily Performances of Advocacy. Conference on College Composition & Communication. Pittsburgh, PA.

(2018, May). Contextualizing Contextualism. Rhetoric Society of America conference. Minneapolis, MN.

(2018, May) Thinking with Water. Rhetoric Society of America conference. Minneapolis, MN.

(2016, May). Writing Devices. Rhetoric Society of America conference. Atlanta, GA.

(2016, May). Thinking to Moving: Using Space. Rhetoric Society of America conference. Atlanta, GA.

(2016, March). Toward A Cultural Rhetorics Inquiry. Conference on College Composition and Communication. Houston, TX.

(2015, June). Carpe opportunitatem: Developing Disciplinary Diversity for Petcoke. Science of Team Science (SciTS) Conference. National Institutes of Health, Bethesda MD.

(2015, June). Visualizing Environmental Justice. HASTAC. East Lansing, MI.

(2015, March). The Challenge of Mapping Environmental Justice. Conference on College Composition and Communication. Tampa, FL.

(2015, March). Dialog on Cross-Generational Perspectives. Conference on College Composition and Communication. Tampa, FL. [Featured Session]

(2015, March). Executive Orders as Rhetorical Actors. Association of Teachers of Technical Writing, Tampa, FL.

(2014, October). Enacting Justice. Thomas R. Watson Conference. Louisville, KY.

(2014, May). Mapping Complexity: Re-tooling Environmental Rhetorics. Rhetoric Society of America conference. San Antonio, TX.

Bell III, David F., Matthew K. Gold, Kevin Kee, Cecilia Márquez, Kelli Massa, William Albert Pannacker, and **Donnie Johnson Sackey**. (2014, January). The Praxis Network: Rethinking Humanities Education, Together and in Public. Modern Language Association, Chicago, IL.

(2013, October). Encountering Difference: Some Notes on Geography, Digital Objects and Materiality. Western States Literacy, Salt Lake City, UT.

McLeod, Michael, **Donnie Johnson Sackey**, and Rachel Hodder. (2013, June). Building a Better Conference Experience with User-Centered Design and Cultural Rhetorics. Computers & Writing, Frostburg, MD.

(2013, April). Mapping complex Environmental Problems: Asian carp & the actor-network. American Society for Environmental History Conference, Toronto, ON, CA.

**Sackey, Donnie Johnson** and Noah Ullmann. (2012, October). Baked Potato: Supporting user differences in the US food system. International Professional Communication Conference, Orlando, FL.

(2012, April). Building a cultural rhetorical history of invasive species. EGSA Graduate Conference, College Station, TX.

**Sackey, Donnie Johnson** and Noah Ullmann. (2012, May). Baked Potato: Supporting user differences in the US food system. Computers & Writing, Raleigh, NC.

(2012, March). Carp stories: Swimming through an archive of invasion. Conference on College Composition and Communication, St. Louis, MO.

(2012, March). Visualizing data, encouraging change: Technical interventions in food purchasing decisions. Association of Teachers of Technical Writing, St. Louis, MO.

(2011, October). Tracing ecologies of writing: Locating sustainability. International Professional Communication Conference, Cincinnati, OH.

(2011, April). History & recognition: Mapping the local in rhetoric & writing. Conference on College Composition and Communication, Atlanta, GA. [Featured Session].

(2010, April). Respondent to Louise Wetherbee Phelps, Paul Prior and Tricia Serviss in Remixing our roots: Three takes on relations between theory and method. Conference on College Composition and Communication, Louisville, KY. [Accepted but not presented].

(2010, April). Making a rhetoric of sustainability: Tracing 'local' dimensions in environmental writing. Conference on College Composition and Communication, Louisville, KY.

Pigg, Stacey, **Donnie Johnson Sackey** and Jennifer Sano. (2009, October). Feminisms in rhetoric & composition scholarship and practice. Feminism(s) and Rhetoric(s) Conference, East Lansing, MI.

(2009, March). University-communities, sustainability & digital media: Evaluating online spaces as sites for community ecological advocacy. Conference on College Composition and Communication. San Francisco, CA.

Alexander, Phil, Matt Cox, **Donnie Johnson Sackey**, Julie Platt, Danielle Nicole DeVoss. (2008, October). The new work of the teaching philosophy statement. Thomas R. Watson Conference, Louisville, KY.

Alexander, Phil, Matt Cox, **Donnie Johnson Sackey**, Julie Platt, Danielle Nicole DeVoss (2008, May). Open-sourcing ourselves: Remixing and remediating the teaching philosophy statement. Computers & Writing, Athens, GA.

(2007, October). 'So you're a guy right?': Negotiating the discursive limits of the male body in advocating for a women's studies major at the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga. Feminism(s) and Rhetoric(s) Conference, Little Rock, AR.

**Sackey, Donnie Johnson** and Darris Saylor. (2007, April). Interrupting the tropics of race: Examining FX's *Black.White*. Through the lens of critical race theory. Conference on College Composition and Communication, NYC, NY.



(2006, March). *Animal, vegetable, and woman: The rhetoric behind vegetarian ecofeminism*. Southeastern Women's Studies Association, Valdosta State University, Valdosta, GA.

invited lectures

Temptaous Mckoy, **Donnie Johnson Sackey**, Ja'La Wourman, Kimberly Harper, Cecilia Shelton, Natasha N. Jones, Constance Haywood. (2020, November 30). *Black Technical & Professional Communication*. Virginia Tech, Department of English. Blacksburg, VA.

(2020, October 22). *Water Matters*. Biennial Hutton Lecture Series. Purdue University, Department of English. West Lafayette, IN.

(2020, March 12). *Engaging Environment, Designing Justice*. Colorado State University, Department of English. Ft. Collins, CO.

(2020, February 27). *Engaging Environment, Designing Justice*. University of Tennessee at Chattanooga, Department of English. Chattanooga, TN.

(2019, October). *Deep Think Tank: "Building Capacity for Advocacy: Research to Action in Science."* Conference on Community Writing. Philadelphia, PA.

(2018, November). "Water Matters." Western States Rhetoric & Literacy Conference. Las Cruces, NM.

(2017, October). *Deep Think Tank: "Reciprocity in Food and Environmental Justice."* Conference on Community Writing. Boulder, CO.

(2016, November). "Human Rights & The Flint, Michigan Water Crisis." 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Human Rights & Social Justice Program's Thirsty for Change Lecture. Miami-Hamilton, Hamilton, OH.

(2016, October). "Research Note from Flint: Using Social Media to Bridge Relations." WIDE/EMU Co-Keynote Speaker. Eastern Michigan University. Ypsilanti, MI.

(2015, October). MARW Visiting Scholar. Department of English. University of Findlay. Findlay, OH.

(2013, September). *Designing mobile applications for change*. Department of Writing Studies, University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL.

(2011, October). *Designing mobile applications for change*. Department of English, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH.

(2010, June). *Leveraging social media for engagement: Critical reflections on some environmental campaigns*. Peace Education Center, East Lansing, MI.

(2009, October). *Designing arguments through multimedia*. Department of English, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH.

workshops  
facilitated

(2016, February 13). National Institute of Health BEST Phase II: Communication. Sponsored by The Graduate School, Wayne State University.

Cobos, Casie, Tim Dougherty, Angela Haas, Andrea Riley Mukavetz, Matthew Novak, Madhu Narayan, Malea Powell, Martine Courant Rife, **Donnie Johnson Sackey**, Jennifer

Sano-Franchini, and Doug Schraufnagle. (2012, March). Co-imagining cultural rhetorics: Practice, performance, and pedagogy. Workshop. Conference on College Composition and Communication.

(2012, February; 2011, July; 2011, May). Navigating the PhD: Writing processes and strategies for academic writing. Sponsored by The Graduate School and The Writing Center, Michigan State University.

**Sackey, Donnie Johnson**, Marilee Brooks- Gillies, and Jennifer Sano-Franchini. (2010, June; 2010, October). Personal statement workshop for Ronald E. McNair Scholars. Sponsored by The Writing Center, Michigan State University.

(2009, October). Personal Statement Workshop for Ronald E. McNair Scholars. Co-facilitator with Jennifer Sano. Sponsored by The Writing Center, Michigan State University.

## TEACHING

Univ. of Texas-Austin	Spring 2021	RHE 330C: Rhetoric, Risk, and Environmental Justice RHE 328: Writing for Nonprofits NSC 110H: Environmental Justice
	Fall 2020	(On research leave)
	Spring 2020	RHE 330C: Information Design E 388 M: Teaching with Technology NSC 110H: Environmental Justice
	Fall 2019	RHE 330C: Rhetoric, Risk, and Environmental Justice RHE 328: Writing for Nonprofits
	Spring 2019	RHE 330C: Mobile Environments RHE 330C: Information Design
	Fall 2018	RHE 330C: Mobile Environments
Wayne St. Univ.	Winter 2018	ENG 3060: Technical Writing (Presentations)
	Fall 2017	ENG 7064: The Teaching of (Community) Writing ENG 3060: Technical Communication (Presentations) ENG 5992: Senior Seminar (Digital Detroit)
	Fall 2016	ENG 2440: Introduction to Visual Culture ENG 5795: Special Topics in Rhetoric & Writing (Information Design)
	Winter 2016	ENG 3060: Technical Writing (Presentations) ENG 8007: Cultural Rhetorics
	Fall 2015	ENG 5795: Environmental Rhetoric ENG 3050: Technical Writing (Reports)
	Winter 2015	ENG 7007: Composition Theory ENG 3050: Technical Writing (Reports)
	Fall 2014	ENG 7063: History of Rhetoric & Composition
	Winter 2014	ENG 5790: Visual Rhetoric for Professional Writers ENG 3050: Technical Writing (Reports)
	Fall 2013	ENG 5830: Introduction to Technical & Professional Writing Practices
Michigan St. Univ.	Summer 2014-16	WRA 341: Nature, Travel, and Environmental Writing
	Spring 2013	WRA 202: Introduction to Professional Writing
	Fall 2012	WRA 341: Nature, Travel, and Environmental Writing
	Spring 2009	WRA 110: Science & Technology
	Fall 2008	WRA 1004/0102: Preparation for College Writing



Lansing CC

Spring 2011-2012 WRIT 121: Composition I, Lansing Community College (4 sections)

## **SERVICE**

national

### **Committee Membership/Leadership**

- 2021 - CCCC Braddock Committee (Chair)
- 2020 - 2021 CCCC Task Force on Assessing the Experience of African American Male Members of CCCC for Equity, Understanding, and Change within CCCC/NCTE (Chair)
- 2020 - 2021 CCCC Task Force Black Technical Communication
- 2020 - 2021 CCCC Braddock Award Committee
- 2019 - 2020 CCCC Outstanding Dissertation Award in Technical Communication Committee
- 2019 - 2020 CCW Distinguish Community Engaged Scholar Award (Chair)
- 2018 - C&W Graduate Research Network (Co-Coordinator)
- 2017 - 2020 CCCC Executive Committee
- 2016 - 2021 MLA RCWS History and Theory of Rhetoric Committee
- 2016 - 2017 CCCC LGBT Awards (Chair)
- 2015 - 2016 CCCC James Berlin Outstanding Dissertation Award Committee
- CCCC Resolutions Committee
- 2014 - 2016 CCCC Queer Caucus (Co-Chair)
- 2014 - 2015 CCCC Stonewall Service Award Committee
- CCCC Scientific and Technical Communication Awards Committee

### **Journal Editorial Board Membership & Peer Reviewer**

Special Issue/Response Section Editor, *enculturation*  
Advisory Board, *Community Literacy Journal*

Journal Special Issue Reviewer, *Connexions: International Professional Communication Journal*, Special Issue on Professional Communication, Social Justice and the Global South. Gerald Savage and Godwin Y. Agboka Eds., 2015.

Journal Special Issue Reviewer, *Enculturation*, Special Issue on Cultural Rhetorics. Cultural Rhetorics Theory Lab, Eds., 2015.

### **Conference Proposal Reviewing**

Proposal Reviewer. Conference on College Composition & Communication. Milwaukee, WI. 2019.

Proposal Reviewer. Council for Programs in Technical & Scientific Communication, West Chester, PA. 2019.

Proposal Reviewer. Rhetoric Society of America, Minneapolis, MN. 2018.

Proposal Reviewer. Conference on College Composition & Communication. Kansas City, MO. 2018.

Proposal Reviewer. Computers & Writing. Findlay, OH. 2017.

Proposal Reviewer. Association of Teachers of Technical Writing. Portland, OR. 2017.

Proposal Reviewer. Conference on College Composition and Communication. Portland, OR. 2017.

Stage 2 Proposal Reviewer. Conference on College Composition and Communication. Portland, OR. 2017.

Reviewer. Rhetoric Society of America. Atlanta, GA. 2016.

Stage I Reviewer. Conference on College Composition and Communication. Tampa, FL, 2015.

Proposal Reviewer. Association of Teachers of Technical Writing. Tampa, FL, 2015.

Stage I Reviewer. Conference on College Composition and Communication. Indianapolis, IN, 2014.

Proposal Reviewer. Cultural Rhetorics Conference. East Lansing, MI, 2014.

Proposal Reviewer. Computers & Writing. Pullman, WA, 2014. Proposal Reviewer.

International Professional Communication Conference. Vancouver, BC, CA, 2013.

Stage I Reviewer. Conference on College Composition and Communication. Atlanta, GA, 2011; Las Vegas, NV, 2013.

Reviewer. Biennial Feminism(s) and Rhetoric(s) Conference, East Lansing, MI, 2009.

university	Fall 2018—	Polymathic Scholars Steering Committee Smart Cities Bridging the Disciplines
department Univ. of Texas-Austin	Fall 2019/Spring 2020	Committee on the Major Faculty Recruiting Search Committee Executive Committee Hairston Prize Committee
	Fall 2018/Spring 2019	Lower Division Curriculum Committee John Slatin Prize Award Committee
Wayne St. Univ.	Fall 2016-Winter 2018	Appointments Committee Graduate Committee
	Fall 2015/Winter 2016	Appointments Committee
	Fall 2014/Winter 2015	Graduate Committee Appointments Committee
	Fall 2013/Winter 2014	Department Chair Search Committee (Winter 2015) Graduate Committee Working with Voice in Student Writing (March 5, 2014)
community	Executive Board Member. Michigan Environmental Justice Coalition. August 2013-June 2018.	
	Crisis Advocate and Peer Educator. Sexual Assault Crisis Intervention Program, Greater-Lansing Area. March 2008-2013.	

Organizer and Grant Writer. NorthStar Center, Lansing, MI. August 2008-May 2012.

Organizer and Grant Writer. Worker's Center, Lansing, MI. March 2010-May 2012.

At-Large Board Member. Peace Education Center, East Lansing, MI. April 2009-April 2010.

Advocate. Partnership for Family, Children and Adults, Chattanooga, TN. June 2006-July 2007.

Organizer. Chattanooga Food Not Bombs, Chattanooga, TN. March 2003-July 2007.

Advocate. St. Matthew's Emergency Shelter, Chattanooga, TN. August 2003-July 2007.

## **MENTORING**

Univ. of Texas-Austin  
Graduate

*Committee Member:* Justin Hatch (Summer 2020)

Undergraduate

*Director:* Amarachi Ngwakwe (Summer 2020) Arely Valenzuela, Azelia Lau (Spring 2021)

Wayne St. Univ.  
Graduate

*Director:* Rachel Dortin, Hillary Weiss, Clare Russell (Spring 2020); Corey Hamilton (in-progress)

*Committee Member:* Hind Ababtain (Fall 2014), Cindy Mooty (Fall 2015), Luke Thominet (Spring 2015), Nicole Varty (Fall 2016), Vytautas Malesh (Spring 2017), Melinda Meyers (Summer 2018), Joe Lewis (Spring 2019), Catherine Donaldson (Fall 2019), Sarah Primeau (Spring 2020); Chris Susak, Ruth Boeder, Matthew Warner (Spring 2021)

Undergraduate

*Director:* Diana Svinarich (Fall 2014)

Michigan State Univ.  
Undergraduate

*Director:* Abigail Lynch (Spring 2013)

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

American Society for Environmental History  
Association of Teachers of Technical Writing  
Conference on College Composition and Communication  
Council in Programs in Technical and Scientific Communication  
Forest History Society  
Modern Language Association  
National Council of Teachers of English

## **LANGUAGE COMPETENCIES**

German (B2-Intermediate; writing, reading, and speaking)