

Education

- 2025 **Student Affairs Administration**, Graduate Certificate, Colorado State University
- 2024 **Supervisor Development Program**, Certificate, Talent Development, Colorado State University
- 2019 - 2021 **Doctor of Philosophy student in Anthropology**, Colorado State University
Dissertation (working title): *Abortion in Late Pregnancy: An Ethnographic Examination of Space, Discourse, and Decision Making*
- 2016 **Safe Zone: Creating More Inclusive and Affirming Spaces for LGBTQ Individuals**, Office of the Vice President for Diversity, Colorado State University
- Safe Zone: Training to be a Facilitator**, Office of the Vice President for Diversity, Colorado State University
- 2014 **Certificate in Creating Inclusive Excellence** (inaugural cohort), Office of the Vice President for Diversity, Colorado State University
- 2007 - 2013 **Doctor of Philosophy student in Anthropology**, University of Nevada, Reno
Dissertation (working title): *Abortion in Late Pregnancy: An Ethnographic Examination of Space, Discourse, and Decision Making*
- 2007 **Master of Arts in Anthropology**, California State University, Fullerton
Thesis: *Sexual Risk-Taking and Health-Seeking Behavior in Orange County Adults: A Survey of Potential Influences*
- 2006 **Graduate certificate in Teaching and Learning**, with an emphasis in Community College Teaching, California State University, Fullerton
- 2004 **Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology**, California State University, Fullerton

Academic Employment

- 2020 – present **Academic Success Coordinator II, College of Liberal Arts**, Colorado State University
Advancement to ASC Tier II in recognition of experience and high-quality academic guidance practices that improve the quality of undergraduate educational experiences and enhance student learning and success
- 2013 – 2020 **Academic Success Coordinator I, College of Liberal Arts**, Colorado State University
Advising and academic resource management for three majors (Anthropology, Geography, and Sociology); collect data as part of a retention success initiative; provide outreach to departing students; identify students on or at risk for academic probation; coordinate resources for students on planned leave; lead instructor for LB 193 (Concepts and Critical Thinking in the Liberal Arts)

2014 – present	Instructor, Department of Anthropology and Geography, Colorado State University Courses taught: ANTH 100 (Introduction to Cultural Anthropology); ANTH101 (Practicing Anthropology); ANTH 200 (Cultures and the Global System); ANTH321 (Beer, Brewing, and Culture); ANTH333 (Anthropology of Sex and Reproduction); ANTH 340 (Medical Anthropology); ANTH3XX-1 (Study Abroad-Belgium: Culture, History, Brewing); ANTH487 (Internship); ANTH495 (Independent Study)
2014 – 2017	Contingent Faculty Liaison, Department of Anthropology and Geography, Colorado State University Work with non-tenure-track faculty to answer questions or solve problems that may arise; work to schedule teaching evaluations
2010 – 2013	Adjunct faculty, Anthropology, Front Range Community College Courses taught: ANT 101 (Introduction to Cultural Anthropology); ANT 111 (Introduction to Physical Anthropology); ANT 250 (Medical Anthropology)
2010 – 2012	Adjunct faculty, Anthropology, Red Rocks Community College Course taught: ANT 101 (Introduction to Cultural Anthropology)
2009 – 2013	Adjunct faculty, Independent Learning, University of Nevada, Reno Courses taught: ANTH 101 (Introduction to Cultural Anthropology); ANTH 201 (Peoples and Cultures of the World)
2009 – 2010	Adjunct faculty, Anthropology, University of Nevada, Reno Course taught: ANTH 101 (Introduction to Cultural Anthropology)
2009 – 2010	Ph.D. Instructor, Anthropology, University of Nevada, Reno Course taught: ANTH 101 (Introduction to Cultural Anthropology)
2008	Teaching Assistant for Dr. Erin Stiles, Anthropology, University of Nevada, Reno Assisted with course preparation, testing, and grading for ANTH 101; held office hours; met with students
2007 – 2010	Adjunct faculty, Anthropology, Truckee Meadows Community College Courses taught: ANTH 101 (Introduction to Cultural Anthropology); ANTH 201 (Peoples and Cultures of the World); ANTH/SOC 205 (Ethnic Groups in Contemporary Society)
2007 – 2008	Graduate Assistant, University Studies Abroad Consortium, University of Nevada, Reno Assistant to Enrollment Services Director; worked with faculty on campus to determine transfer equivalencies of University of Nevada courses taught by partner universities abroad
2006 – 2007	Graduate Assistant, Evening Advising Center, California State University, Fullerton Assistant to Assistant Dean of Student Affairs; provided advising and resource referral to students in the evening hours

Publications

2017	Author, <i>Exploring Cultural Anthropology (Revised Edition)</i>, Kendall Hunt Publishing
2014	Author, <i>Exploring Cultural Anthropology</i>, Kendall Hunt Publishing
2012	Pedagogy Editor for <i>Course Reader: Anthropology</i> (updated), Wadsworth-Cengage

Author, *Gender Equity in Anthropology*, Anthropology News (National Association of Student Anthropologists section news), Volume 54, Issue 7

2011 **Pedagogy Editor** for *Course Reader: Anthropology*, Wadsworth-Cengage

Author, *On Being Both a Student and a Teacher*, Anthropology News (National Association of Student Anthropologists section news), Volume 52, Issue 5

2008 **Author**, *Sexual Risk-Taking and Health-Seeking Behavior in Orange County Adults: A Survey of Potential Influences*, Verlag Dr. Müller Press

2007 **Author**, review of Judith A. Houck's *Hot and Bothered: Women, Medicine, and Menopause in North America* in Anthropology and Aging Quarterly, Volume 28, Issue 1

Symposia and Conferences

2025 **"Invisible Labor: The Potential Symbiosis Between Advising and Teaching,"** presentation, College of Liberal Arts Faculty Success is Student Success Professional Development Conference, Fort Collins, CO (co-presenter: Joanna Doxey)

2024 **"Feeling at Home on Campus: Building Networks and Community Among Administrative Professionals,"** presentation, Symposium for Inclusive Excellence, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO (co-presenter: Gentry Noel-Heunes)

2024 **"Feeling at Home on Campus: Building Networks and Community Among Advisors,"** presentation, Colorado/Wyoming Academic Advising Association conference, Fort Collins, CO (co-presenter: Gentry Noel-Heunes)

2015 **"Responding to Student Concerns: Strategies for Preparing Anthropology Students for the Real Job Market,"** *invited* panel presentation, American Anthropological Association annual meeting, Denver, CO (co-presenters: Jason Miller, Marcy O'Neil, Alexander Orona, and Andrew Tarter)

2012 **"Without Boundaries? Gender Equity in Anthropology,"** *invited* roundtable presentation, American Anthropological Association annual meeting, San Francisco, CA (co-presenters: Susan Harper, Lisa Henry, Diane Levine, and Emily McEwan-Fujita)

2011 **National Association of Student Anthropologists Student/Mentor Workshop**, presentation on applied service in anthropology, American Anthropological Association annual meeting, Montréal, Quebec, Canada

2010 **"Go-Go Grad School: Tips for Getting In and Staying In,"** panel presentation, Southwestern Anthropological Association annual meeting, Reno, NV (co-presenters: Benjamin Barna, Kanhong Lin, and Maritza Maksimow)

2009 **"Impacts of Immigration and Labor Choice on Reproductive Decision-Making,"** poster presentation, Southwestern Anthropological Association annual meeting, Las Vegas, NV (co-presenter: Julie Goodman-Bowling)

- 2006 **“Reproductive Success: Why Does Fertility Vary Cross-Culturally?”** Evolutionary Anthropology Society poster session, American Anthropological Association annual meeting, San Jose, CA (co-presenters: Carolyn Medrano and Katie Zeoli)
- “Stress, Socioeconomic Status, and Development of Social Inequality: Studies of Historical Populations and the Future of a Growing World,”** poster presentation, Anthropology Department Symposium, California State University, Fullerton
- “Organizational Anthropology: Overview and Case Studies,”** organizer/chair of panel presentation, Southwestern Anthropological Association annual meeting, Pasadena, CA (co-presenters: Julie Goodman-Bowling, Carolyn Medrano, and Sean Smith)
- “Barriers to Access and Use of California’s Medi-Cal Program: Analysis and Case Studies,”** Lambda Alpha Student Colloquium, California State University, Fullerton

Service and Outreach

- 2025 COWY ACADA Board member, **Faculty Representative** for 2024-2025
 UCW-CSU Organizing Committee member, **AP Representative** for 2024-2025
 Member of the NACADA Center for Research Respondent Pool: NACADA Topic of the Month Series – 2025
 NACADA Annual Conference Proposal Reviewer

Colorado State University

- Reviewed scholarship applications for the CSUSA committee
- Judge for Celebrating Undergraduate Research and Artistry symposium (was asked to judge service-learning posters)
- Volunteer exam proctor for Student Disability Center
- Spring 2025 commencement volunteer
- Supervised six capstone projects (ANTH321) and three internships (ANTH487)
- Continued to co-lead a working group with other CLA Academic Success Coordinators to examine pay equity
- Outside committee member for JT Story (MS, Student Affairs in Higher Education)

- 2024 ACPA Annual Conference Proposal Reviewer
 NACADA Annual Conference Proposal Reviewer
 Elected to COWY ACADA Board as **Faculty Representative** for 2024-2025
 Elected to UCW-CSU Organizing Committee as **AP Representative** for 2024-2025
 Book review for Oxford University Press (*Asking Questions about Cultural Anthropology* and *Cultural Anthropology*) for updated edition

Colorado State University

- Teaching non-faculty member of Non-Tenure Track Advisory Committee for the College of Liberal Arts
- Reviewed scholarship applications for the CSUSA committee
- Invited guest speaker for CSU’s Zero Waste Team menstrual cup event
 Topic: Period stigma

- Judge for Celebrating Undergraduate Research and Artistry symposium (was asked to judge service-learning posters)
- Volunteer exam proctor for Student Disability Center
- Spring 2024 commencement volunteer
- Proposal reviewer for Faculty Success is Student Success: College of Liberal Arts Student Success Professional Development Conference
- Developed ANTH321 (Beer, Brewing, and Culture) and supervised capstone project for one student
- Participated in a coworker's interview project on first-generation students working in higher education
- Co-formed a working group with other CLA Academic Success Coordinators to examine pay equity
- Completed Supervisor Development Certificate

2023

ACPA Annual Conference Proposal Reviewer
NACADA Annual Conference Proposal Reviewer

Colorado State University

- Member of committee representing CLAASC for Clark Building Revitalization Project
- Teaching non-faculty member of Non-Tenure Track Advisory Committee for the College of Liberal Arts
- Reviewed scholarship applications for the CSUSA committee
- Judge for Celebrating Undergraduate Research and Artistry symposium (was asked to judge service-learning posters)
- Volunteer exam proctor for Student Disability Center
- Received approval to develop ANTH321 (Beer, Brewing, and Culture), which was also approved as a capstone course for the department

2022

Outside reviewer for Mr. Jason Higa's materials for Tenure and Promotion in ACCESS at the Hawai'i at Mānoa

Proposal review (*Reproduction as Human Experience: The Basics* by Sallie Han and Cecilia Tomori) for Routledge Anthropology's *The Basics* series (invited peer reviewer)

Colorado State University

- Member of hiring committee for office administrative assistant for the College of Liberal Arts Academic Support Center
- Chair of the hiring committee for Academic Support Coordinator for the Department of Communication Studies
- Assisted with training of new Academic Support Coordinator, office manager, and administrative assistant in the Academic Support Center in the College of Liberal Arts
- Helped form a working group of ASCs who are interested in exploring a hybrid ASC/faculty position
- Reviewed scholarship applications for the CSUSA committee

2021	Chapter review (Gender; Health, Illness, and the Body) for 2022 edition of <i>Cultural Anthropology: A Toolkit for a Global Age</i> by Kenneth Guest
	Colorado State University
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Developed ANTH101 (Practicing Anthropology, the new student/freshman seminar for the Department of Anthropology and Geography) • Reviewed scholarship applications for the CSUSA committee • Assisted with training of new Academic Support Coordinators and office manager of the Academic Support Center in the College of Liberal Arts • Attended a webinar on Jewish Identity and Antisemitism on Campus
2020	Colorado State University
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attended Intergroup Relations Institute (nominated by Chair of the department of Anthropology and Geography) • Reviewed scholarship applications for the CSUSA committee • Assisted with training of new Academic Support Coordinators in the College of Liberal Arts • Chair of the hiring committee for Academic Support Coordinator for the School of Music, Theatre, and Dance • Reviewed scholarship applications for the CSUSA committee • Reviewed scholarship applications for the First-Generation Award
2019	Colorado State University
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chair of the hiring committee for Assistant Director of Advising Training and Professional Development for the Collaborative for Student Achievement • Reviewed scholarship applications for the CSUSA committee • Member of College of Liberal Arts Academic Support Center Awards Committee • Attended Trans Inclusive Pedagogy Workshop for Faculty and Staff • Formed a working group with other CLA Academic Success Coordinators to examine pay equity • Worked with faculty from the Department of Anthropology and Geography to compile a list of recommended study abroad programs
2019	Invited member of the Academic Advisory Board for <i>Annual Editions: Anthropology</i> (McGraw-Hill Publishing)
2018	Colorado State University
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assisted with training of new Academic Support Coordinators in the College of Liberal Arts • Judge for Celebrating Undergraduate Research and Creativity symposium • Represented the College of Liberal Arts at CASA's Exploring Majors Fair • Reviewed scholarship applications for the CSUSA committee
2017	Colorado State University
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chair of the hiring committee for Academic Support Coordinator for the Department of Political Science • Volunteer for the Victim Assistance Team through the Women's and Gender Advocacy Center

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Judge for Celebrating Undergraduate Research and Creativity symposium • Represented the College of Liberal Arts at CASA's Exploring Majors Fair • Reviewed scholarship applications for the CSUSA committee
2017	<p>Invited guest speaker for Rams for Progress</p> <p>Topic: Women's and reproductive health issues in the current political climate</p>
2016	Publication review (textbook), Oxford University Press, <i>Asking Questions About Cultural Anthropology: A Concise Introduction (First Edition)</i> , comments for revision on Second Edition
2016	<p>Colorado State University</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assisted with training of new Academic Support Coordinators in the College of Liberal Arts • Chair of the hiring committee for three new Academic Support Coordinators for the Departments of Economics, History, and Sociology • Facilitator for Safe Zone training sessions • Volunteer for the Victim Assistance Team through the Women's and Gender Advocacy Center • Represented the College of Liberal Arts at CASA's Exploring Majors Fair • Reviewed scholarship applications for the CSUSA committee • Served as the College of Liberal Arts representative on the Probation Committee • Volunteered as a navigator at U-Turn
2015	<p>Colorado State University</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assisted with training of new Academic Support Coordinators in the College of Liberal Arts • Served on the hiring committee for a new Academic Support Coordinator for the departments of Music, Theater, and Dance • Volunteer for the Victim Assistance Team through the Women's and Gender Advocacy Center • Represented the College of Liberal Arts at CASA's Exploring Majors Fair • Reviewed scholarship applications for the CSUSA committee • Served as the College of Liberal Arts representative on the Probation Committee • Volunteered as a navigator at U-Turn
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2009	Publication review (textbook), McGraw-Hill Press, <i>On Being Different: Diversity and Multiculturalism in the North American Mainstream (Third Edition)</i> , comments for revision on Fourth Edition
2008	Peer reviewer, National Association of Student Anthropologists E-Journal

- 2007 - 2014 American Anthropological Association (National Association of Student Anthropologists)
- Newsletter Editor (2009-2014)
 - Graduate Representative-at-Large (2008-2010)
 - Nominations Committee Chair (2007-2013)
 - Carrie Hunter-Tate Award Committee Chair (2007-2011)

Honors and Awards

Member, Lambda Alpha (Anthropology) Honor Society
 Member, Phi Beta Delta (International Scholars) Honor Society
 Member, Phi Kappa Phi (Academic) Honor Society

- 2025 *Nominee*, Excellence in Student Mentorship Award, Colorado State University
- 2022 *Nominee*, Distinguished Administrative Professional Award, Colorado State University
- 2021 *Nominee*, AP Star Award, Colorado State University
Nominee, Best Teacher Award, Colorado State University
- 2020 *Nominee*, Oliver P. Pennock Distinguished Service Award, Colorado State University
- 2019 *Nominee*, Distinguished Administrative Professional Award, Colorado State University
- 2017 *Nominee*, Outstanding Service to the College of Liberal Arts, Colorado State University
- 2016 *Nominee*, Outstanding Service to the College of Liberal Arts, Colorado State University
- 2016 **Recipient**, Margaret B. Hazaleus Award, Colorado State University
- 2014 Recognized by the American Anthropological Association for exceptional work as a Contributing Editor for *Anthropology News*
- 2013 *Nominee*, Master Teacher of the Year (Adjunct), Front Range Community College
- 2012 *Nominee*, Master Teacher of the Year (Adjunct), Front Range Community College
- 2010 **Recipient**, Graduate Student Association Outstanding Student Award, University of Nevada, Reno
- 2009 - 2010 **Recipient**, Graduate Student Access Grant, University of Nevada, Reno
- 2007 **Recipient**, Travel Award, Graduate Student Association, University of Nevada, Reno
- 2007 **Recipient**, Master's Thesis/Project Award, California State University, Fullerton
- 2006 - 2007 **Recipient**, Meritorious Academic Achievement Award, California State University, Fullerton
- 2006 - 2007 **Recipient**, Professional Enhancement Award, California State University, Fullerton
- 2006 **Recipient**, Student Internationalist Award, Phi Beta Delta Honor Society

2005 - 2006	Recipient, Untereiner Humanistic Anthropology Award, California State University, Fullerton
2005 - 2006	Recipient, Meritorious Service Award, California State University, Fullerton
2005 - 2006	Recipient, Professional Enhancement Award, California State University, Fullerton

Membership in Professional Organizations

- Colorado-Wyoming Academic Advising Association
 - Faculty Representative (2024-2025)
- National Academic Advising Association
- United Campus Workers - Colorado State University
 - Elected to Administrative Professional Representative (since 2024; reelected 2025)