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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. **University of California, Santa Barbara**, 1985-1990, in Cultural Anthropology.
Advanced Studies (进修) **Peking University**, 1985-1986, in Chinese Language, Center for International Educational Exchange (CIEE)
M.A. **University of California, Santa Barbara**, 1982-1985, in Cultural Anthropology
B.A. **University of Virginia**, 1978-1982, in Anthropology, with high distinction.

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 1994-present **University of Missouri, St. Louis**, Department of Anthropology & Archaeology
2008-present, Professor
1998-2008, Associate Professor
1994-1998, Assistant Professor

VISITING ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2003-2020 **International Olympic Academy** (Greece), Invited Lecturer, Post-graduate seminar (summer 2003, 2004); Young Participants Session (summer 2009, fall 2020); Master's Degree in Olympic Studies, Olympic Education, Organization and Management of Olympic Events (summer 2011, 2012)
January-July 2015 **Heidelberg University** (Germany), Guest Professor, Institute for China Studies and Centre for Transcultural Studies, funded by Cluster of Excellence Asia-Europe
Fall 2014 **Yale University**, Visiting Professor, Department of Anthropology and Council on East Asian Studies
March 26-28, 2014 **University of Amsterdam**, Guest Professor, Amsterdam Institute for Social Science Research, Workshop on Body Culture, Medicine, and the Globalization of Biopower
September 2013, October 2012 **Communications University of China**, M-League International Professor's Workshop, graduate short course
May-June 2012 **Shanghai University**, Guest Professor, College of Journalism and Communication, Shanghai Events and Exhibitions Research Institute
May-August 2010 **Fudan University** (Shanghai), Special Appointment Professor, International M.A. in China Studies, Cultural Anthropology Studies Center

2007-2008	Beijing Sport University , Fulbright Senior Researcher & Guest Professor, Olympic Studies Centre
May 29, 2007	University of Amsterdam , Guest Professor, Amsterdam Institute for Social Science Research Stafseminar on Body, Society, Politics
Fall 1996, Spring 2000, Spring 2002, Spring 2004	Washington University in St. Louis , Assistant and Associate Professor, Joint M.A. Program in East Asian Studies with the University of Missouri-St. Louis
Fall 2000	Yale University , Visiting Associate Professor, Department of Anthropology and Council on East Asian Studies
1992-1993	Yale University , Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology and Council on East Asian Studies
1991-1992	University of Washington , Visiting Assistant Professor, Jackson School of International Studies and Department of Anthropology
1990-1991	Middlebury College , Visiting Assistant Professor, Sociology/Anthropology Department
Summer 1989	University of California, Santa Barbara , Lecturer, Department of Anthropology

HONORS AND AWARDS

2019 Choice Outstanding Academic Titles, #1 in the category of “Sporting Life,” for Besnier, Brownell, and Carter, *The Anthropology of Sport: Bodies, Borders, Biopolitics* (Oakland, CA: University of California Press, 2018). <https://www.choice360.org/choice-pick/the-sporting-life/>

2018 University of Missouri System President’s Award for Service – Citizenship and Leadership. In recognition of service as chair of the Department of Anthropology (8 years); chair of the UMSL Appointments, Tenure, and Promotion Committee; chair of the Inter-Campus Faculty Council (IFC); and chair of the IFC Post-Tenure Review Task Force.

2015 Chancellor’s Award for Research and Creativity, University of Missouri-St. Louis.

2009 Best Anthology Award of the North American Society for Sport History for Susan Brownell, ed., *The 1904 Anthropology Days and Olympic Games: Sport, Race and American Imperialism* (University of Nebraska Press, 2008).

2003 UMSL Trailblazer Award recognizing outstanding women at the university. The award specifically recognized that I was the first female member of the Research Council of the International Olympic Committee’s Olympic Studies Centre in Lausanne.

RESEARCH

Books

authored

Niko Besnier, Susan Brownell, and Thomas F. Carter, *The Anthropology of Sport: Bodies, Borders, Biopolitics* (Oakland, CA: University of California Press, 2018).

Spanish translation, Buenos Aires: Siglo XXI Editores (2018); French translation, Paris: Éditions de la rue d'Ulm (2020); Japanese translation, Tokyo: Kyōwakoku (2020).

Susan Brownell, *Beijing's Games: What the Olympics Mean to China* (Lanham, MD: Rowman and Littlefield, 2008).

Susan Brownell, *Training the Body for China: Sports in the Moral Order of the People's Republic* (Chicago, IL: The University of Chicago Press, 1995).

edited

Pamela R. Frese and Susan Brownell, eds., *Experiential and Performative Anthropology in the Classroom: Engaging the Legacy of Edith and Victor Turner* (London: Palgrave MacMillan, 2020).

Susan Brownell, ed., *From Athens to Beijing: West Meets East in the Olympic Games, vol. I: Sport, the Body and Humanism in Ancient Greece and China* (New York: Greekworks, 2013).

William Kelly and Susan Brownell, eds., *The Olympics in East Asia: Nationalism, Regionalism, and Globalism on the Center Stage of World Sports* (New Haven, CT: Yale Council on East Asian Studies Monograph Series, 2011).

Susan Brownell, ed., *The 1904 Anthropology Days and Olympic Games* (Lincoln, NE: University of Nebraska Press, 2008)(see Honors and Awards).

Susan Brownell and Jeffrey N. Wasserstrom, eds., *Chinese Femininities/Chinese Masculinities: A Reader* (Berkeley, CA: University of California Press, 2002).

Refereed Journal Articles

“Why 1984 Medalist Li Ning Lit the Flame at the Beijing 2008 Olympics: The Contribution of the Los Angeles Olympics to China's Market Reforms,” *International Journal of the History of Sport* 32(1)(2015): 128-143.

“‘Brand China’ in the Olympic Context: Communications Challenges of China’s Soft Power Initiative,” *Javnost – The Public, Journal of the European Institute for Communication and Culture* 20(4)(2013): 65-82.

“The Olympic Public Sphere: The London and Beijing Opening Ceremonies as Representative of Political Systems,” *International Journal of the History of Sport* 30(11)(2013): 1315-27.

Niko Besnier and Susan Brownell, “Sport, Modernity, and the Body,” *Annual Review of Anthropology* 41(October 2012): 443-459.

“Human Rights and the Beijing Olympics: Imagined Global Community and the Transnational Public Sphere,” *British Journal of Sociology* 63(2)(2012): 306-27.

“Beijing’s Olympic Education Program: Re-Thinking *Suzhi* Education, Re-Imagining an International China,” *China Quarterly*, vol. 197(2009): 44-63.

“Challenged America: China and America – Women and Sport, Past, Present and Future,” *International Journal of the History of Sport*, Special Issue on Sport and American Society: Insularity, Exceptionalism and “Imperialism,” 22(6)(Nov 2005): 1173-1193.

“The View from Greece: Questioning Eurocentrism in the History of the Olympic Games,” *Journal of Sport History* 32(2)(summer 2005): 203-216. An article in a forum of the same title organized by Susan Brownell and Christina Koulouri. Also by Brownell, “Eurocentrism and the Olympic Games,” 199-201, “Eurocentrism is about more than Language – response to Guttman,” 231-32.

“The Problems with Ritual and Modernization Theory, and Why We Need Marx: A Commentary on *From Ritual to Record*.” *Sport History Review* 32(1)(May 2001): 28-41.

“The Body and the Beautiful in Chinese Nationalism: Sportswomen and Fashion Models in the Reform Era.” *China Information* XIII(2/3) (Autumn/Winter 1998-1999): 36-58.

“Mainstreaming Gender, Washing Away Feminism.” Response to Jankowiak, “Chinese Women, Gender, and Sexuality: A Critical Review of Recent Studies.” *Bulletin of Concerned Asian Scholars* 31(1) (January-March 1999): 29-40.

“Representing Gender in the Chinese Nation: Chinese Sportswomen and Beijing’s Bid for the 2000 Olympic Games.” *Identities: Global Studies in Culture and Power* special issue on “The Nation/State and its Sexual Dissidents” 2(1): 223-247(1996).

“Cultural Variations in Olympic Telecasts: China and the 1992 Olympic Games and Ceremonies,” *The Journal of International Communication*, special issue on “Olympian Communication” 2(1): 26-41 (1995).

“Qing Dynasty Grand Sacrifice and Communist National Sports Games: Rituals of the Chinese State?,” *Journal of Ritual Studies* 7(1):45-64 (1993).

“Sports in Britain and China, 1850-1920: An Explanatory Overview,” *The International Journal of the History of Sport* 8(2):114-120 (1991).

Non-Refereed Journal Articles

Dong Jinxia 董进霞 and Susan Brownell 包苏珊, “Why We Need Social Theory to Understand Sport Mega-Events/为什么需要用社会科学理论来解读大型赛事,” (published in English and Chinese) 《体育与科学》 [*Journal of Sports and Science*], 35(4)(July 2014): 110-115.

Richard Giulianotti and Susan Brownell, “Olympic and World Sport: Making Transnational Society?,” Introduction to the special issue, *British Journal of Sociology* 63(2)(2012): 199-215.

Zhang Min 张敏 and Susan Brownell 包苏珊, 《大国崛起的盛典 -- 当下视野中的美国 1904 年圣路易斯世博会》 [“When a Superpower Holds a Coming-Out Party: America’s 1904 St. Louis World’s Fair in Current Perspective”], 《上海大学学报》 [*Journal of Shanghai University*] 18(2)(Mar 2011): 119-30.

“The Beijing Olympics as a Turning Point? China’s First Olympics in East Asian Perspective,” *The Asia-Pacific Journal: Japan Focus*, Vol. 23-4-09 (June 8, 2009). www.japanfocus.org/-Susan-Brownell/3166.

Susan Brownell, “Western-centrism in Olympic Studies and its Consequences in the 2008 Beijing Olympics,” “Pathways: Critiques and Discourses in Olympic Research,” Proceedings of the Ninth International Symposium, *Olympika: The International Journal of Olympic Studies*, vol. 17, 2008, 20-30.

“America’s and Japan’s Olympic Debuts: Lessons for Beijing 2008 (and the Tibet Controversy),” *The Asia-Pacific Journal: Japan Focus* (May 16, 2008). <http://www.japanfocus.org/-Susan-Brownell/2754>

Susan Brownell 包苏珊, 《论北京模式 - 东方特色的奥林匹克教育, 发展中国家模式》, [“On the Beijing Model: Olympic Education with Eastern Characteristics”] 《教育科学研究》 [*Educational Science Research*] December 2007, 18-20.

Special Journal Issue Edited

Richard Giulianotti and Susan Brownell, eds., *British Journal of Sociology* Special Issue on “Olympic and World Sport: Making Transnational Society?,” June 2012, vol. 63, no. 2.

Chapters in Books

“Neoliberalism, the Gift Economy, and Gender,” in *Sport, Migration, and Gender in the Neoliberal Age*, ed. Niko Besnier, Domenica Gisella Calabrò, Daniel Guinness (New York, Routledge, 2021), 249-56.

“Structure, Anti-structure, and Communitas in the Classroom: Notes on Embodied Theory,” in *Experiential and Performative Anthropology in the Classroom: Engaging the Legacy of Edith and Victor Turner*, ed. Pamela R. Frese and Susan Brownell (London: Palgrave MacMillan, 2020), 1-20.

Susan Brownell and Pamela R. Frese, “The Foundations of Experiential Performance Pedagogy,” in *Experiential and Performative Anthropology in the Classroom: Engaging the Legacy of Edith and Victor Turner*, ed. Pamela R. Frese and Susan Brownell (London: Palgrave MacMillan, 2020), 1-20.

Pamela R. Frese and Susan Brownell, “Moving Forward,” in *Experiential and Performative Anthropology in the Classroom: Engaging the Legacy of Edith and Victor Turner*, ed. Pamela R. Frese and Susan Brownell (London: Palgrave MacMillan, 2020), 187-91.

“The Beijing Olympics: Retrospective: Reflection on the Impact of the Global Media” *Media, Sport, Nationalism: East Asia: Soft Power Projection Via the Modern Olympic Games*, ed. Keiko Ikeda, Tianwei Ren, Chang Wan Woo (Berlin: Logos, 2019), 269-92.

“The View from China: Accepting Olympism, Rejecting Human Rights,” in *The Ideals of Global Sport: From Peace to Human Rights*, ed. Barbara J. Keys (Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press, 2019), 178-99.

“Figure Skating in Southern California: From Frontier to Epicenter,” in *LA Sports: Play, Games, and Community in the City of Angels*, ed. Wayne Wilson and David K. Wiggins (University of Arkansas Press, 2018), 71-92.

“Olympic Hospitality Houses in Rio/Casas de Hospitalidade no Rio,” in *Mega Events Footprints – Past, Present, and Future*, ed. Leonardo Mataruna Dos Santos and Bianca Gama Pena (Rio de Janeiro, Brazil: Engenho, 2017), 53-70.

“Wushu and the Olympic Games: ‘Combination of East and West’ or Clash of Body Cultures?,” in *Perfect Bodies: Sports, Medicine and Immortality*, ed. Vivienne Lo (London: British Museum, 2012), 61-72.

“The Beijing Olympics as a Turning Point? China’s First Olympics in East Asian Perspective,” in *The Olympics in East Asia: Nationalism, Regionalism, and Globalism on the Center Stage of World Sports*, ed. William Kelly and Susan Brownell (New Haven, CT: Yale Council on East Asian Studies Monograph Series, 2011), 185-203.

“Why Were Chinese People so Angry about the Attempts to Seize the Torch in the International Torch Relay?,” 81-87; “China’s Olympic Road,” 147-161. “Why was Yao Ming Fined?,” 226, in *China in 2008: A Year of Great Significance*, ed. Kate Merkel-Hess, Kenneth L. Pomeranz, Jeffrey N. Wasserstrom (Lanham, MD: Rowman and Littlefield, 2009).

“The Global Body Cannot Ignore Asia,” in *The Body in Asia*, ed. Bryan S. Turner and Yangwen Zheng (New York and Oxford: Berghahn Books, 2009), 23-39.

“‘Sport and Politics Don’t Mix’: China’s Relationship with the IOC during the Cold War,” in *East Plays West: Essays on Sport and the Cold War*, ed. Stephen Wagg and David Andrews (New York: Routledge, 2007), 261-78.

“Food, Hunger and the State.” *The Cultural Politics of Food and Eating: A Reader*, ed. James L. Watson and Melissa L. Caldwell (Malden, MA: Blackwell, 2005), 251-58. Excerpt from Brownell, *Training the Body for China*.

“China Reconstructs: Cosmetic Surgery and Nationalism in the Reform Era,” in *Asian Medicine and Globalization*, ed. Joseph Alter (Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press, 2005), 132-150.

“Longer Contemplation,” in *New Reflections on Anthropological Studies of (greater) China*, ed. Xin Liu, Institute of East Asian Studies (University of California - Berkeley, 2004), 78-84.

“China and Olympism,” in *Post-Olympism? Questioning Sport in the Twenty-First Century*, ed. John Bale and Mette Krogh Christenson (Oxford, UK: Berg Press, 2004), 51-64.

“Making Dream Bodies in Beijing: Athletes, Fashion Models, and Urban Mystique in China,” in *China Urban: Ethnographies of Contemporary Culture*, ed. Nancy N. Chen, Constance D. Clark, Suzanne Z. Gottschang, Lyn Jeffery (Durham, NC: Duke University Press, 2001), 103-23.

“Why Should an Anthropologist Study Sports in China?,” in *Games, Sports and Cultures*, ed. Noel Dyck (Oxford, UK: Berg Press, 2000), 43-64.

Bruce Kidd, Robert Edelman, Susan Brownell, “Comparative Analysis of Doping Scandals: Canada, Russia, and China,” in *Doping in Elite Sport: The Politics of Drugs in the Olympic Movement*, ed. Wayne Wilson and Edward Derse (Champaign, IL: Human Kinetics, 2001), 153-188.

“Gender and Nationalism in China at the Turn of the Millennium,” in *China Briefing 2000: The Continuing Transformation*, ed. Tyrene White (Armonk, NY: M.E. Sharpe in cooperation with The Asia Society, 2000), 195-232.

“Strong Women and Impotent Men: Sports, Gender, and Nationalism in Chinese Public Culture,” in *Spaces of Their Own: Women’s Public Sphere in Transnational China*, ed. Mayfair Mei-hui Yang, (Minneapolis, MN: University of Minnesota Press, 1999), 207-231

“Thinking Dangerously: The Person and his Ideas,” in *Body Cultures: Essays by Henning Eichberg*, ed. J. Bale and C. Philo, (Routledge, 1998), 22-44.

“The Stadium, the City, and the State: Beijing,” in *The Stadium and the City*, ed. J. Bale and O. Moen, (Staffordshire, UK: Keele University Press, 1995), 95-110.

“Sports,” in *Handbook of Chinese Popular Culture*, ed. Wu D. and P. Murphy (Greenwood Press, 1994), 113-36.

“The Changing Relationship between Sport and the State in the People's Republic of China,” in *Sport...The third millennium: Proceedings of the International Symposium, Quebec, Canada, May 21-25, 1990*, ed. F. Landry, M. Landry, M. Yerles (Les Presses de l'Universite Laval, 1991), pp. 295-301.

Encyclopedia and Handbook Articles

“Anthropology, Sport, and International Development,” in *Handbook on Sport and International Development*, ed. Nico Schulenkorf, Jon Welty Peachey, Ramón Spaaij, and Holly Collison (Edward Elgar, in progress).

“China, Sport, and Globalization,” *The Palgrave Handbook of Globalization and Sport*, ed. Joseph Maguire, Katie Liston, Mark Falcoux (Palgrave Macmillan, 2021, forthcoming).

Niko Besnier & Susan Brownell, “Sport,” in *The Cambridge Encyclopedia of Anthropology* [online], ed. Matei Candea, Hildegard Diemberger, Sian Lazar, Joel Robbins, Andrew Sanchez, Rupert Stasch, and Felix Stein (University of Cambridge, 2019). <https://www.anthroencyclopedia.com/entry/sport>

Susan Brownell and Niko Besnier, “Value and Values in Global Sport,” in *Oxford Research Encyclopedia in Anthropology* [online], ed. Mark Aldenderfer (Oxford University Press, October 2019). <https://oxfordre.com/anthropology/anthropology/abstract/10.1093/acrefore/9780190854584.001.0001/acrefore-9780190854584-e-19>

“Sport in China,” in *The Oxford Handbook of Sports History*, ed. Robert Edelman and Wayne Wilson (Oxford University Press, 2017), 241-56.

“Sport since 1750,” in *The Cambridge History of the World*, Merry Wiesner-Hanks, editor-in-chief, vols. 8 and 9: *Production, Connection, and Destruction, 1750-present*, ed. Kenneth Pomeranz and J.R. McNeill (Cambridge University Press, 2015), 225-48.

Robert Edelman, Anke Hilbrenner, and Susan Brownell, “Sport Under Communism,” in *The Oxford Handbook of the History of Communism*, ed. Stephen A. Smith (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2014), 602-616.

Susan Brownell and Niko Besnier, “Gender,” *Handbook of Sociocultural Anthropology*, James G. Carrier and Deborah B. Gewertz, eds. (Bloomsbury Press, 2013), 239–258.

“Sport Ethnography: A Personal Account,” in *The Sage Handbook of Fieldwork*, ed. Dick Hobbs and Richard Wright (Sage, 2006) 243-254. Reprinted in *Ethnography in Context, vol. 3, Sport, the Body, and Leisure*, ed. Dick Hobbs (Sage, 2011).

“Physical Culture, Sports and the Olympics,” in *The Cambridge Companion to Modern Chinese Culture*, ed. Kam Louie (Cambridge University Press, 2008), 339-360.

“Multiculturalism.” *Berkshire Encyclopedia of World Sport* (Berkshire Publishing, 2005), 1051-53.

“Victor Turner” and “John MacAloon,” in *Biographical Dictionary of Anthropology*, ed. Vered Amit. Routledge (London: Routledge; 2004), 326-327, 521-523.

“Women and Popular Dance Forms in China,” in *International Encyclopedia of Women and Sports*, ed. Karen Christensen, Allen Guttmann, and Gertrud Pfister. MacMillan (2001), 225-226.

Research Grants and Gifts

external funding

2018 **InterAsian Connections Conference** (Social Sciences Research Council with Vietnamese Academy of Social Sciences) for workshop of 12 international scholars on “Sport Mega-Events and InterAsian Interactions,” co-organized with Gwang Ok, Chungbuk National University (Korea), Hanoi, and Ninh Binh, Vietnam, December 3-7)(approximately \$15,000)(co-PI, 80%).

2014-2015 Enhancing International Exchange Guest Professors and Fellows Program, Institute for China Studies and Centre for Transcultural Studies, funded by **Cluster of Excellence Asia-Europe, University of Heidelberg** (Germany)(€47,250/\$55,800) (PI, 100%).

2010 “The Beijing 2008 Olympic Games: A Memoir by the Man in the Middle,” for travel to Lausanne, Switzerland, January 5-12, **International Olympic Committee**, Olympic Studies Centre (\$2,000)(PI, 100%).

- 2010 **Shanghai World Expo Coordinating Bureau**, for travel to Shanghai and research related to Expo, October-November, \$2,000 (PI, 100%).
- 2007-2009 From Athens to Beijing: West meets East in the Olympic Games. A series of three academic conferences in St. Louis, Beijing, Athens and Olympia. \$100,000 gift from **Costamare Shipping Company, S.A.** (Co-PI with Michael Cosmopoulos, 50%).
- 2007-2008 The 2008 Beijing Olympic Games: “One World, One Dream”? **Fulbright Senior Research Award**, \$66,000 (PI, 100%).
- 1996 **International Olympic Committee**, project on television and intercultural communication in the Atlanta Olympic Games. One of five international scholars given credentials for the International Broadcasting Center, the Main Press Center, press conferences at venues, the Olympic Village, and free public transportation, in addition to opening and closing ceremonies tickets (July-August), \$1000 (PI, 100%).
- 1992-1993 Richard Carley Hunt Postdoctoral Fellowship, **Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research** (\$6,000). Awarded for writing of book manuscript (PI, 100%).
- 1987-1988 Dissertation Research Fellowship, National Academy of Sciences, **Committee on Scholarly Communication with the People’s Republic of China** (\$14,600)(PI, 100%).

internal funding

- 2021 How to Hold Olympic Games in a Pandemic: Transnational Governance and Mass Gatherings Health Policies, Fellowship in Global Studies, UMSL, \$5,000. (Unused because of restrictions on travel to the Tokyo Olympics.)
- 2018 UMSL College of Arts & Sciences Visiting Scholar grant for visit and public lecture by Sharon DeWitte on The Past, Present, and Future of the Bubonic Plague, \$4,200.
- 2018 Olympic Hospitality and East Asia’s Position in Globalization, Fellowship in International Studies, UMSL, \$2,000.
- 2016 Global Networking: Corporate Hospitality Programs at the Rio Olympic Games. Fellowship in International Studies, UMSL, \$1,800.
- 2016 Global Networking: Corporate Hospitality Programs at the Rio Olympic Games. UMSL College of Arts & Sciences Research Grant, \$1,500.
- 2012 Research on the Nemean Games Re-enactment, Nemea, Greece. Fellowship in International Studies, UMSL, \$2000.
- 2012 Nemean Games Re-enactment: Victor Turner's Ritual Theory and Experiential Learning, UMSL College of Arts and Sciences, \$2,000.
- 2011 Collection of Beijing Olympics Documents in Archives of SportAccord, Lausanne, Switzerland. Fellowship in International Studies, UMSL, \$2,000.
- 2004 International Congress on the 1904 St. Louis Olympic Games and Anthropology Days: A Centennial Retrospective, University of Missouri Research Board Award, \$10,000; UMSL Center for International Studies \$2,000 (July to December).
- 2003-2005 He Zhenliang and the Olympic Games: A Memoir of China and the International Olympic Committee, UM-St. Louis Research Award, (\$5,559). Awarded for archival research in Lausanne, Switzerland, and research in Beijing, China.

- 1995-1997 University of Missouri Research Board Award (\$19,934). Awarded for research in China on “The Body in Consumer Culture in Beijing.”
- 1995-1996 University of Missouri, St. Louis, Research Award (\$9,621). Awarded for research in China on “The Body in Consumer Culture in Beijing.”

Chinese to English Translations

Shanghai Declaration (a document advocating sustainable urban development. Issued in the name of 246 participating nations and organizations, it became the blueprint for China’s successful application for a UN-designated World Cities Day to commemorate the Expo. Its drafting was overseen by the Coordinating Bureau of the Expo.)

<https://lawinfochina.com/display.aspx?id=7883&lib=tax&SearchKeyword=&SearchCKeyword=>

Report on Beijing’s Olympic Education Programs, Beijing Municipal People’s Government, Olympic Education Standing Office official report (Beijing: Beijing Sport University Press, 2010).

Olympic Studies Reader, ed. Hai REN, Lamartine DaCosta, Ana Miragaya. HE Zhenliang, “The Development of the International Olympic Movement since the 1980s and the Issues it Faces,” LU Yuanzheng, “Hope Lies in the Revival of Eastern Sport Culture,” REN Hai, “Olympic Education and Cross Cultural Communication,” (Beijing: Beijing Sport University Press, 2010).

http://www.sportsinbrazil.com.br/livros/olympic_studies_reader.pdf

The Olympics and China [large-format illustrated album] (Beijing: Chinese Olympic Committee, 2008).

Liang Lijuan, *He Zhenliang and China’s Olympic Dream* (Beijing: Foreign Languages Press, 2007)(511 pages) [Biography of He Zhenliang by his wife; he was the PRC’s senior sports diplomat and first member of the International Olympic Committee. The book recounts his career, including working as French interpreter for Zhou Enlai, Ping Pong Diplomacy, China’s return to the Olympic Games, and Beijing’s Olympic bids.] <https://digital.la84.org/digital/collection/p17103coll16/id/1829/rec/1>

“The People’s Republic of China” (translated, edited, and co-wrote with Cao Xiangjun), Ed. L. Chalip, A. Johnson, and L. Stachura, *National Sports Policies: An International Handbook* (Greenwood Press, 1996), 67-88.

“A Summary of Sport Sociology Research in the PRC,” by Kong Xiang’an, Niu Xinghua, and Qiu Bo (translated and edited). *International Review for the Sociology of Sport* 25(2): 93-108 (1990).

Keynote Addresses and Distinguished Lectures

“Olympic Games, China, and Human Rights,” Olympic Symposium on “Culture, Covid, Controversy: Tokyo 2021 & Beijing 2022,” hosted by 21M.848 PS: Advanced Theories of Sport, **Department of Theater and Media Studies, Massachusetts Institute of Technology**, May 5, 2021.

“The Pursuit of Soft Power Through Sport Mega-Events: China’s Lessons for Qatar,” Conference on The Digital Transformation of Sport Media, **Northwestern University in Qatar**, Doha, Qatar, January 29-30, 2020.

“Why We Need Social Theory to Understand Sport Mega-Events,” **International Sociology of Sport Association**, Beijing University, July 10, 2014.

“Can the Olympic Games Contribute to a Better World? Lessons from Beijing 2008,” **European College of Sport Sciences**, Bruges, Belgium, July 6, 2012.

“‘Brand China’ in Political and Cultural Context: Challenges of Human Rights and Tibet for China’s Soft Power Initiative,” at Global Media Worlds and China: 2011 **MLeague International Symposium, University of Uppsala**, Sweden, October 6-7, 2011.

“Sport, Politics, and World Peace: Lessons from the Beijing Olympics” and “The Olympic Games in the World System: Reflections on the Future of Globalization,” **Olympic Chair Henri de Baillet-Latour and Jacques Rogge, University of Ghent and Catholic University of Louvain**, March 26 to April 2, 2011. Two keynotes and four invited lectures delivered to the public, faculty, and students during the week.

“China's Secret Olympic Weapon: Women Athletes,” Joan Hult Distinguished Lecture in Sport History, Department of Kinesiology, **University of Maryland, College Park**, March 23, 2009.

“Western-centrism in Olympic Studies and its Consequences in the 2008 Beijing Olympics,” 18th Earle F. Zeigler Lecture – Keynote Address, “Pathways: Critiques and Discourses in Olympic Research, 9th International Symposium for Olympic Research of the International Olympic Studies Centre of the **University of Western Ontario**, Beijing, China, August 7, 2008.

“Olympic Education: The Development of an East Asian Model, 1964-2008,” anniversary lecture of the Olympic Studies Centre, **Hong Kong Baptist University**, March 1, 2008.

International Chair in Olympism 2007, Olympic Studies Centre, **Autonomous University of Barcelona**. Research seminar on “China, Culture and the Olympic Games” delivered before the Faculty of Communication, UAB; seminar on “The Beijing 2008 Olympics: Communication Challenges and Opportunities” delivered before the **Catalan Journalists’ College**; “The Beijing 2008 Olympic Games: will the Games change China or will China change the Games?,” Inaugural Lecture of the CEO-UAB 2007/08 academic year, organized in collaboration with the **General Secretary of Sport of the Generalitat of Catalunya**. November 19-22, 2007.

“The Body in Asia.” The International Conference on The Body in Asia: Human Cosmos and Culture Canvas, organized by Zheng Yangwen and Bryan S. Turner, **National University of Singapore**, March 15, 2007.

“Sport and Body Culture: A Cross-Cultural Comparison of East and West” (keynote panel chair and presenter). Panel on Sport, the Body and Health: East vs. West, 9th **World Leisure Congress**, Hangzhou, China, October 19, 2006.

Invited Presentations* (past 20 years)

*titles given in Chinese were delivered in Chinese.

2021

“Your National Team is an Illusion: Re-thinking the History of Global Sport as a History of Connections Rather than National Rivalries,” Association for Political History, **University of Antwerp**, Virtual Symposium on History at the Intersection of Sports and Politics, September 30, 2021.

“Olympic Games, Human Rights, and China,” Virtual Symposium on “The Asia Olympics: Past Achievements and Future goals,” **Hellenic Studies Program and the Council on East Asian Studies, Yale University**, April 19, 2021.

2020

“Olympic Games and Human Rights,” Virtual Session of the 60th International Session for Young Participants, **International Olympic Academy**, Olympia, Greece, September 4-10, 2020.

“Tokyo Olympics and Soft Power,” Conference on “Japan’s Soft Power: Prospects and Challenges in a New Era,” Center for Public Diplomacy, **University of Southern California**, February 28, 2020.

2019

“Olympic Studies and Olympic Education: The State of the Field,” Development Seminar on “Sports Discipline Development for International Experts,” **Capital University of Physical Education and Sports**, Beijing, October 19-20, 2019.

“Wenhua” [Culture], Conference on The Social Lives of Keywords for Social Difference, Institute of Ethnology, **Academia Sinica**, Taipei, Taiwan, July 30-31, 2019.

“Olympic Games and the Rise of China and East Asia,” Invited Lecture, **National Taiwan Sport University**, July 27, 2019.

2018

“Olympic Games and the Rise of China and East Asia,” Sport and the Nation Symposium, Institute of Advanced Studies, **Loughborough University** (UK), November 7, 2018.

“Social Responsibility in Sport Mega-Events after the Beijing Olympics,” **Central Pennsylvania Consortium Symposium** on Critical Perspectives on Soccer and Social Justice II, Dickinson College, Carlisle, PA, Saturday, 29 September 2018.

“Social Responsibility in Sport Mega-Events after the Beijing Olympics,” International Conference on “Participation, Inclusion and Social Responsibility in Global Sports,” Cambridge, MA, sponsored by the Olympiacos Football Club (Greece) and the **Weatherhead Initiative on Global History, Harvard University**, May 31-June 2.

Live webstreamed presentation and roundtable at the invitation of the Center for Public Diplomacy, **Annenberg School of Communication, University of Southern California**, on “Sports Diplomacy Through the Olympics,” sponsored by the Korea Foundation and attended by the vice-consul of the Korean consulate in Los Angeles, March 1, 2018.

2017

“Olympic Games and the Rise of East Asia: Insights from the Theory of the Gift Economy,” Seoul, Department of Anthropology, **Seoul National University**, June 29, 2017.

Discussant, Implication and Prospect of PyeongChang Winter Olympics,” Panel at **Korean National Folk Museum**, Seoul, June 24, 2017.

“The Coming East Asian Olympic Games: What PyeongChang 2018, Tokyo 2020, and Beijing/Zhangjiakou 2022 tell us about East Asia’s place in the world,” special invited panel at **AAS-in-Asia Conference**, Korea National University, Seoul, June 25, 2017.

2016

“When China Broke the Ice: China's Participation in the Los Angeles Olympics and the End of the Cold War,” International Conference on “The Cold War History Project – Battling Boycotts,” **Cambridge University** (UK), September 20-21, 2016.

2015

“Olympic Games and the Rise of Asia: China's Bid for the 2022 Winter Olympic Games and the Concerns about Olympic Bids in the West,” Department of Anthropology, **University of Nevada-Las Vegas**, September 14, 2015.

“Why we Need Ritual Theory to Understand Chinese Mega-Events,” **Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology**, Halle, Germany, June 4, 2015.

“Olympic Games and the Rise of Asia: China's Bid for the 2022 Winter Olympic Games and the Concerns about Olympic Bids in the West,” Graduate School in East Asian Studies, **Freie Universität Berlin**, June 1, 2015.

2014

Discussion of Susan Brownell, “Human Rights and the Beijing Olympics: Imagined Global Community and the Transnational Public Sphere,” China Studies Workshop, **Yale University**, November 21, 2015.

“Chinese Sport as Ritual and Political Theater,” **Performance Studies International Annual Meeting**, Shanghai Academy of Theater, July 8, 2014.

“Clash of Body Cultures? Local Body Practices within the Transnational Frame of Biomedicine,” Amsterdam Institute for Social Science Research anthropology workshop: Body culture, medicine, and the globalization of biopower, **University of Amsterdam**, March 26–28, 2014.

“Why 1984 Medalist Li Ning Lit the Flame at the Beijing 2008 Olympics: The Contribution of the Los Angeles Olympics to China’s Market Reforms,” Conference on “The 1984 Los Angeles Olympic Games: Assessing the 30-Year Legacy,” **The LA84 Foundation and the California State University**, Fullerton, Los Angeles, January 24-25.

2013

“Community-Based Research and Digital Research Tools: Combining the Local and the Global in a University Curriculum,” International Forum of Higher Education in Media & Communication, Mleague Education Forum, **Communications University of China**, Beijing, September 27-28, 2013.

2012

“Issues in East-West and North-South Communication in a Global Context: Olympic Communication as a Case Study,” International Forum of Higher Education in Media & Communication, Mleague Education Forum, **Communications University of China**, Beijing, October 19-22, 2012.

“The Olympics and International Diplomacy: Lessons from Beijing 2008,” Conference on “The State of the Games,” **University of Southern California** Annenberg Institute of Sports, Media, & Society, Los Angeles, February 15, 2012.

2011

“The Organization of American Youth Sports and its Problems: Lessons for China” [可供中国参考的美国青少年体育运动的组织与问题], Third Annual Beijing Olympic Forum on Urban Development, **Beijing Olympic Development Association**, Beijing, China, August 9, 2011.

“World Expo Shanghai 2010: Why it wasn’t a media event, but still attracted 70 million spectators,” International Conference on Media and Culture in Contemporary China, **UCLA and USC**, Los Angeles, October 21-22, 2011.

“Analysis of Western Media Reporting on China’s Olympic Games and World Expo” [西方媒体对中国举办奥运会和世博会报道的分析], The 32nd Salon, Center for World Media Studies, **Chinese Academy of Social Sciences**, August 10, 2011, Beijing.

“China’s National Image in the Beijing Olympics and Shanghai Expo.” Roundtable on “China’s Soft Power in the Making: Mega Events, Governance, and Peaceful Rise in Chinese Politics,” **University of California-Los Angeles**, January 27, 2011.

2010

“Reflections on the Beijing Olympics, Shanghai Expo, and Urban Change,” Panel on Shanghai Study Abroad, **University of California-Los Angeles**, October 15, 2010.

“Analysis of Western Media Reporting on China’s Olympic Games and World Expo” [西方媒体对中国举办奥运会和世博会报道的分析], **Pudong Economic Development Research Institute**, Shanghai, China, July 28, 2010.

“Analysis of Western Media Reporting on China’s Olympic Games and World Expo” [西方媒体对中国举办奥运会和世博会报道的分析], **Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences**, June 23, 2010.

“When a Superpower Holds a Coming-Out Party: The 1904 St. Louis World’s Fair and the 2010 Shanghai World Expo,” **Fudan University** Contemporary Anthropology Lecture Series, Shanghai, China, June 8, 2010.

“When a Superpower Holds a Coming-Out Party: The 2010 Shanghai World Expo and the 1904 St. Louis World’s Fair,” Joint East Asian Studies Colloquium Series, **Washington University and University of Missouri-St. Louis, St. Louis**, April 2, 2010.

“Taking the Olympic Spirit into the Earthquake Disaster Zone: Global, National and Local Meanings of the Beijing Olympics,” Asia Pacific Studies Institute, **Duke University**, February 17, 2010.

2009

“China's Olympic Debut - its Place in Olympic and East Asian History.” Carroll R. Pauley Memorial Endowment Symposium on “The Great Common Denominator: Sports in History, History in Sports,” **University of Nebraska-Lincoln**, October 23, 2009.

“Did the Olympics Change China, or Did China Change the Olympics?,” **University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign**, April 16, 2009.

“Taking the Olympic Spirit into the Earthquake Disaster Zone: Civil Society and Ritual Reenactment in Sichuan, China,” Department of Anthropology, **University of Virginia**, Charlottesville, VA, March 20, 2009.

“The Beijing Olympics and China’s National Image: Who was the Target Audience, Really?,” International Conference on “The 2008 Beijing Olympic Games: Public Diplomacy Triumph or Public Relations Spectacle?,” **University of Southern California**, January 30, 2009.

2008

“Did the Olympics Change China, or Did China Change the Olympics?” Center for East Asian Studies, **Indiana University**, December 5, 2008.

“The Legal Legacy of the Beijing Olympics,” **Washington University** Law School, St. Louis, MO, October 23, 2008.

“The Beijing Olympic Games and Western Media: One World, Two Dreams,” International Conference on “Presenting China: Theory and Pedagogy,” **Washington University in St. Louis**, October 17-18, 2008.

“Did the Olympics Change China, or Did China Change the Olympics?” Fairbank Center for East Asian Studies, **Harvard University**, October 2, 2008.

“Beijing 2008: “Combination of East and West” or Clash of Body Cultures?” International conference on Sport, Medicine and Immortality: From Ancient China to the World-Wide Web, **The British Museum** and **Queen Mary University East London**, March 28-29, 2008.

Participant at the Hong Kong Research Forum, organized by the **U.S. Fulbright Committee with the Chinese University of Hong Kong**, Lingnan University, New Territories, March 3-7, 2008.

“Multiculturalism in the Olympic Movement,” **Hong Kong Baptist University**, March 1-3, 2008.

2007

“The Legal Legacy of the 2008 Beijing Olympic Games.” Second World Congress on Sport Management, **University of the Peloponnese**, Sparta, Greece, June 10, 2007.

“China and the Olympic Games: Body Culture, East and West.” Amsterdam School for Social Science Research Stafseminar on Body, Society, Politics, **University of Amsterdam**, May 29, 2007.

“Update: My Olympic Review Article.” International conference on Narrative, Counter Narrative and The Beijing Olympics: Hearts, Minds and the Projection of Modern China, Annenberg School of Communication, **University of Pennsylvania**, September 2007.

“Will the Olympics Change China, or Will China Change the Olympics?” **Morningside College**, Sioux City, Iowa, February 8, 2007.

2006

“The Beijing 2008 Olympic Games: ‘One World, One Dream’?” Princeton-Harvard China and the World Program, **Princeton University**, Princeton, NJ, November 30, 2006.

“Relations between the Academic World and the International Olympic Committee.” Workshop on Communications and the Beijing Olympics, organized by the Project for Global Communication Studies, Annenberg School of Communication, **University of Pennsylvania** and the **Communications University of China**, Beijing, China, July 28-29, 2006.

“China’s Relationship with the International Olympic Committee: ‘One World, One Dream’?” The 41st Otago Foreign Policy School conference on Sport and Foreign Policy in a Globalizing World, 23-26 June, 2006, **University of Otago**, Dunedin, New Zealand.

“Will China change the Olympics?: The Problem of Eurocentrism in Global Culture.” Center for East Asian Studies, **Yale University**, January 23, 2006.

2005

“Will the Olympics Change China, or Will China Change the Olympics?” “**Play the Game**” Conference on “Governance in Sport: The Good, the Bad and the Ugly.” Copenhagen, Denmark, 9 November 2005.

“Civilizing Processes and Body Discipline in China.” Invited talk for the Research Workshop on Civilizing Institutions, **University of Copenhagen**, Denmark, November 7, 2005.

“China and the International Olympic Committee: A Love-Hate Relationship.” Globalization and Sport in Historical Context, **University of California-San Diego**, March 19-20, 2005.

2004

“Sport and Body Culture: A Cross-Cultural Comparison of East and West,” **University of Koblenz**, Germany, December 10, 2004.

“The ‘Oriental Eye’: From the 19th Century Anthropology of Race to Contemporary Chinese Cosmetic Surgery.” Sociology and History of Science Department, **University of Pennsylvania**, October 9, 2004.

“The ‘Oriental Eye’: The Legacy of Nineteenth-Century Western Racism in Contemporary Chinese Cosmetic Surgery,” Workshop on Globalization and Emergent Femininities and Masculinities in China and Taiwan, Fairbank Center for East Asian Research, **Harvard University**, April 24-25, 2004.

“China and the Olympic Games,” lecture series on “Sport in Asia,” **Union College**, New York, April 13, 2004.

2003

“China and the Olympic Games,” East Asian Institute, **University of Cologne**, Germany, December 1, 2003.

“Europe and the People without Sport History, or What Hosting and Olympic Games Means to China.” Workshop on *The World in Asia, Asia in the World*, **University of Chicago**, December 5, 2003.

Discussant for the panel on “Reflections on Women and Sexuality in China,” Women’s Sexualities: Historical, Interdisciplinary, and International Perspectives, **Kinsey Institute**, Bloomington, IN, November 13-15, 2003.

“China and Olympism,” International Conference on “The Olympic Dream: Past, Present and Future of the Olympics,” Greek Studies Program, **University of Missouri-St. Louis**, St. Louis, MO, March 21-23, 2003.

2002

“China Reconstructs: Cosmetic Surgery and Nationalism in the Reform Era.” International conference on “Asian Medicine: Nationalism, Transnationalism, and the Politics of Culture,” Asian Studies Program, **University of Pittsburgh**, November 14-16, 2002.

“China and Olympism.” International Seminar on “Post-Olympism? Questioning Sport in the Twenty-First Century,” **University of Aarhus**, Denmark, September 9-11, 2002.

“Beijing 2008: China and the Future of the Olympic Games,” East Asian Department, **University of Aarhus**, Denmark, September 12, 2002.

“Mulan’s Eyes: Gender, Race, and Global Popular Culture.” Asian Cultural Center, **Harvard University**, March 14, 2002.

15-minute commentary delivered for the International Conference on Anthropology in and of China: A Cross-Generational Conversation. **University of California-Berkeley**, March 8-9, 2002.

2001

“Beijing’s Bid for the 2008 Olympics: A Force for Change?” International Symposium on “Globalization and China: Challenging Cultural Boundaries,” EPIIC Program, **Tufts University**, February 2-4, 2001.

Reviews (past 20 years):

Staging China: The Politics of Mass Spectacle, by Florian Schneider. In *The China Journal*, vol. 86 (July 2021), 193-95.

Empire of Infields: Baseball in Taiwan and Cultural Identity, 1895–1968, by John J. Harney. In *The Journal of Asian Studies* 79(4)(November 2020): 986-87.

Pan-Asian Sports and the Emergence of Modern Asia, 1913-1974, by Stephan Huebner. In *Asia Pacific Perspectives: A Publication of the Center for Asia Pacific Studies*, University of San Francisco (Fall 2017) (ejournal).

Women and Sport in China: Holding up More than Half the Sky. In *China Quarterly* 176 (December 2003): 1106-1108.

Masculinity Besieged: Issues of Modernity and Male Subjectivity in Chinese Literature of the Late Twentieth Century, by Xueping Zhong. *The China Journal* (47) (2001):192-194.

Of Body and Brush: Grand Sacrifice as Text/Performance in Eighteenth-Century China, by Angela Zito. *American Historical Review* (April 2000): 523-24.

Footbinding, Feminism and Freedom: The Liberation of Women's Bodies in Modern China, by Fan Hong. *The China Journal* 42 (July 1999):208-10.

Sex, Culture, and Modernity in China: Medical Science and the Construction of Sexual Identities in the Early Twentieth Century, Frank Dikötter. *The American Historical Review* 102(5): 1548-49 (December 1997).

TEACHING

Courses taught at the University of Missouri, St. Louis

1994-present <i>undergraduate</i>	University of Missouri, St. Louis Past, Present and Future of Pandemics; Medicine in Culture and History; Health, Diet, and Exercise in Global Perspective; The Body in Culture; Sex and Gender Across Cultures; Anthropology of Sport; Cultures of East Asia; Culture and Business in East Asia; Issues in Contemporary Chinese Society; China after the Beijing Olympics; Introduction to Cultural Anthropology; History, Theory and Practice of Anthropology; Ethnographic Research Methods; Ideas and Explanations in Anthropology; Professionalism and Practice in Anthropology; Past, Present, and Future of Anthropology.
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Courses taught at other institutions

January-July 2015 <i>graduate/ undergraduate</i>	Heidelberg University (Germany), Institute for China Studies, East Asian Studies, Centre for Transcultural Studies The Body in East Asia, Mega-Events and the World System
Fall 2014 <i>undergraduate graduate</i>	Yale University , Department of Anthropology, Council on East Asian Studies Body and Gender in China Cultural Performances in Modern East Asia
2003-present <i>undergraduate graduate</i>	International Olympic Academy , Women's Sports in China and the U.S., Olympic Games and Human Rights Anthropological Approaches to Olympic Games (various topics)
March 26-28, 2014 <i>graduate</i>	University of Amsterdam , Amsterdam Institute for Social Science Research Workshop on Body Culture, Medicine, and the Globalization of Biopower
September 2013 October 2012 <i>graduate</i>	Communications University of China , M-League International Professor's Workshop, graduate short course Mega-Events and Communication; History and Theory of Mega-Events and Communication: Beijing Olympics and Shanghai World Expo as Case Studies
May-June 2012 <i>graduate</i>	Shanghai University , College of Journalism and Communication, Shanghai Events and Exhibitions Research Institute Mega-Events and Communication: Beijing Olympics and Shanghai Expo as Case Studies [delivered in Chinese]

May-June 2010 <i>graduate</i>	Fudan University , International Master of Arts Degree Anthropology of Contemporary Chinese Society (joint-taught with Zhu Jianfeng)
May 29, 2007 <i>graduate</i>	University of Amsterdam , Amsterdam Institute for Social Science Research Stafseminar on Body, Society, Politics
Fall 2000 <i>undergraduate</i> <i>graduate</i>	Yale University , Department of Anthropology; Center for East Asian Studies; Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies Program The Body in Culture Sports, Fitness and Fashion in East Asia (joint-taught with Bill Kelly)
1996-2003 <i>graduate</i>	Washington University in St. Louis (Joint M.A. Program in East Asian Studies with UM-St. Louis) Culture and Business in East Asia, The Body in East Asian Culture
1992-93 <i>undergraduate</i> <i>graduate</i>	Yale University , Department of Anthropology; Center for East Asian Studies; Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies Program Anthropology of Gender; Chinese Culture and Society; Ideology and Social Change in Contemporary China Anthropology of the Body
1991-92 <i>undergraduate</i> <i>graduate</i>	University of Washington , Department of Anthropology; Jackson School of International Studies Introduction to Anthropology; Anthropology of the Body; Anthropological Aspects of Communication; Traditional Chinese Society Anthropology of Modern Urban China
1990-91 <i>undergraduate</i>	Middlebury College , Sociology/Anthropology Department, East Asian Studies, Gender Studies Introduction to Socio-Cultural Anthropology; Women, Culture, and Society; Chinese Society and Culture; Language in Culture and Society; Sport in Comparative Perspective (co-taught)
Summer 1989 <i>undergraduate</i>	University of California, Santa Barbara , Department of Anthropology Contemporary Chinese Society

Ph.D. Dissertation Committee Memberships and Examinations

2021	Ph.D. Examiner for Honglu Zhang, School of Physical Education, University of Auckland , "Governing Olympic Education in Beijing Primary Schools."
2017-present	Ph.D. Dissertation Committee member for Matt Haugen, Department of Kinesiology, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign . Dissertation on "Chinese Student-Athlete: A Socio-Cultural Examination of Education for Chinese Athletes."
2017-2018	Ph.D. Dissertation Committee member for Mark Hann, Department of Anthropology, University of Amsterdam . Dissertation on "Senegalese Wrestling and Football in the Neoliberal Era."
2017-2018	Ph.D. Dissertation Committee member for Uroš Kovač, Department of Anthropology, University of Amsterdam . Dissertation on "Moral Masculinities: Football, Pentecostalism, and Transnational Aspirations in Cameroon."
2015-2017	Ph.D. Dissertation Committee member for Rose Keimig, Department of Anthropology, Yale University . Dissertation on "Growing Old in China's New Nursing Homes."

- June 2014 D.Phil. Examiner for Daniel Guinness, Department of Anthropology, **Oxford University**. Dissertation on “Being Fijian in the Global System of Professional Rugby Union: Articulating Multiple Values through Mobile Bodies.”
- 2011-2012 Co-educated Ph.D. Advisor for Xie Chen, Sport Sociology, **Beijing Sport University**. Dissertation on “Youth Sport in America: Lessons for China.”
- 2009-2011 Co-educated Ph.D. Advisor for Niu Ben, School of Sport Management, **Beijing Sport University**. Dissertation on “How to accelerate the establishment and promotion of the system of volunteerism in China on the basis of the American experience in volunteerism and the opportunity created by the Beijing Olympic Games.”
- 2009-present Co-educated Ph.D. Advisor for Zhang Li, Literature Department, **People’s University** (Beijing). Dissertation on “The pre-understanding structure of media text and cultural context: the example of communication in the Beijing Olympics.”
- May 2008 Dissertation Defense Committee member for Liu Jian, School of Sport Management, **Beijing Sport University**, Dissertation on 《我国优秀运动员的人力资本投资分线规及其应对研究》 [Applied Research on Divisions in the Investment of Human Capital in China’s Elite Athletes].
- 2004-2009 Ph.D. Dissertation Committee member for Hyeon Jung Lee, Department of Anthropology, **Washington University in St. Louis**. Dissertation on “The Effects of Suicide Prevention Programs on Local Understandings of Suicide and Gender in Rural China.”
- Dr. Lee is now an associate professor in the Anthropology Department at Seoul National University, the premier anthropology department in Korea.
- 2006 Ph.D. Dissertation Committee member for Karen Warner, Department of Anthropology, **Yale University**. Dissertation on “Soccer Fans, Language Politics, and Nationalism in Galicia, Spain.”
- Fall 2000 Acting Ph.D. advisor for Tiantian Zheng, Department of Anthropology, **Yale University**.
Zheng’s dissertation-based book, *Red Lights: The Lives of Sex Workers in Postsocialist China* (University of Minnesota Press), won the 2010 Sara A. Whaley Book Prize of the National Women’s Studies Association. I mentored her through the revision of her dissertation into a book.
- 1997-2002 Ph.D. Dissertation Committee member for Julie Brandenburg, Dept. of Psychology, **UM-St. Louis**. Dissertation on “Body Image among Ethnic Minority Women.”
- May-August 2000 Ph.D. Dissertation Committee member for Sharon Yuet Mei Leung, **The Hong Kong Polytechnic University**. Dissertation on “The Image of Beauty: representations of female.”
- February-October 1999 Ph.D. Dissertation Committee member for Bonnie Adrian, Department of Anthropology, **Yale University**. Dissertation on “Framing the Bride: Beauty, Romance, and Rites of Globalization in Taiwan’s Bridal Industry.”
- Adrian’s dissertation-based book, *Framing the Bride* (University of California Press), won the **2004 Hsu Book Prize** for an outstanding work in the anthropology of East Asia from the East Asia Section of the American Anthropological Association.
- 1996-1999 Ph.D. Dissertation Committee member for Perri Strawn, Department of Anthropology, **Yale University**. Dissertation on “Teaching Nationalism in the Crucible: Changing Identities in Taiwan High Schools after Martial Law.”

Senior Theses and Master's Theses and Examinations

I have been the thesis advisor, committee member, or member of the examining committee for 32 master's theses for the

- Institute for Humanities and Social Studies, Hong Kong University, 2018 (1)
- M.A. in Chinese Studies, Heidelberg University, 2014 (3)
- M.A. in Olympic Studies, Olympic Education, Organization and Management of Olympic Events, International Olympic Academy (Greece), 2011-2014 (24)
- Joint M.A. in East Asian Studies, Washington University in St. Louis, 1996-2004 (3)
- M.A. in Sport Sciences, University of Koblenz-Landau (Germany)(1)

As the instructor of Senior Seminar at the University of Missouri-St. Louis, in which students were required to write a senior thesis, I was the primary advisor for several hundred senior theses from 1994 to the present. I have been the senior thesis advisor or second reader for 6 senior theses for the

- B.A.s in Anthropology, American Studies, and East Asian Studies, Yale University, 1994, 2000, 2014 (5)

Ruoxi Yu's senior thesis, "The Girl with the Peanut Necklace: Experiences of Infertility and in vitro Fertilization in China," was a co-winner of the 2015 Williams Prize for Outstanding Essays from the Council on East Asian Studies, Yale University.

- B.A. in Sociology/Anthropology at Middlebury College (1)

Other activities relevant to teaching

Presenter at the workshop on "Performing Gender in the classroom: Ethnographic Performance of a Bridal Shower and Bachelor party," Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, Vancouver, BC, November 23, 2019.

Co-organizer with Pam Frese, panel on "Engaging the Legacy of Experiential and Performative Anthropology: Anthropological Imaginations Today," Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, San Jose, CA, November 17, 2018. Presented paper on "Structure, Anti-Structure, and Communitas in the Classroom: Notes on Embodied Theory."

Organized the panel on "Victor and Edith Turner's Experiential Anthropology as 'Engaged Learning': Anthropological Contributions to Current Pedagogical Debates," Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, Atlanta, GA, November 2004. Presented a paper on "Other Ways of Knowing: Reflections on the use of Anti-Structure in the Classroom."

LEADERSHIP

- 2016-2017 **Chair, Intercampus Faculty Council**, University of Missouri System *Advisory council to the UM System President consisting of three elected members from each of the four campuses.*
- 2015-2017 **Chair of Task Force on Post-Tenure Review.** *Coordinated among the 4 campuses in revising the system rules and regulations for evaluation of tenured faculty; this was a response to threats to tenure from the state legislature. Primarily for this service I was awarded the UM President's Award for Service – Citizenship and Leadership (see Awards, above).*
- 2016-2020 **Treasurer, Society for East Asian Anthropology** (section of the American Anthropological Society)
- 2002-2007, 2008-2009, & 2012-2014 **Chair of the Department** of Anthropology, Sociology, and Languages, University of Missouri-St. Louis. *The Anthropology department absorbed the Foreign Languages department in 2007 (becoming Anthropology & Languages), and the Sociology Department in 2010 (becoming Anthropology, Sociology, & Languages), and became independent again in 2015 (becoming Anthropology & Archaeology).*
- 2012-2014 **Member, Steering Committee of the Faculty Senate**, University of Missouri-St. Louis. *This committee meets with the Chancellor and Provost to set the agendas for Faculty Senate meetings.*
- 2011-2014 **Chair, Faculty Senate Committee on Appointments, Tenure, and Promotions**, University of Missouri-St. Louis. *The ATP committee is the final, university-wide level of evaluation of tenure and promotion cases.*

SERVICE

Editorial and Advisory Boards

Member, **Book Series Editorial Board, University of California Press**, series on “Sport in World History” (2011- present).

Advisory Board, SAPIENS: Anthropology/Everything Human (web portal established by the Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research) (2017-2019)

Associate Editor, *American Ethnologist* (2016- 2019) (journal of the American Ethnological Society, a section of the American Anthropological Association)

Editor, *China and Global Media*, open access journal published by Sage in collaboration with the Communication University of China (2016-present).

Member, Advisory Board, Hong Kong University Press, series on “Transnational Asian Masculinities” (2015-present).

Member, Advisory Council of the Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research (the major funding agency for the discipline of anthropology in the U.S. and worldwide) (2012-2016).

Member of the Academic Experts Team, Forum Department of the Coordinating Bureau of the World Expo Shanghai 2010 (May 1-October 31, 2010). Attended 4 forums and 1 Summit Forum, returned comments on and translated into English drafts of the Shanghai Declaration, revised the English translation of the Collected Papers of the Forum on Cultural Heritage and Urban Development and

translated some sections. I was the only non-Chinese member. Awarded “Certificate of Appreciation” by the Organizing Committee and the Executive Committee of World Expo 2010 Shanghai, China, November 2010.

Member of the Academic Experts Team, Olympic Education Standing Office, Beijing Municipal Education Commission. Participated in ceremonies, visited schools and interviewed principals and teachers, wrote an essay for Educational Science, translated into English the final report on Beijing’s Olympic education programs. I was the only non-Chinese member (2007-2009). Awarded “Advanced Contributor to the Beijing Olympic Games” by the Beijing Municipal Government, October 2008; “Advanced Contributor to the Beijing Olympic Games” by the Beijing Organizing Committee for the Olympic Games, November 2008.

Member of the Evaluation Panel, Information Office of the Chinese State Council, for the 90-second national image advertisement for “China” (December 2007), aired on BBC and CNN on August 8, 2008.

Member, Research Council/Postgraduate Grant Selection Committee of the International Olympic Committee’s Olympic Studies Centre, Lausanne, Switzerland. Advised the Olympic Museum, selected recipients of postgraduate grants, acted as a liaison between IOC staff, the Olympic Studies Centre, and the academic world (2000-2008).

Conferences and Workshops Organized

(co-organized with Gwang Ok) **InterAsian Connections Conference (Social Sciences Research Council),** workshop on “Sport Mega-Events and InterAsian Interactions,” Vietnamese Academy of Social Sciences, Hanoi and Ninh Bin, Vietnam, December 3-7, 2018 (see under *external funding* above).

(co-organized with Barbara Mittler, Heidelberg University) International Workshop on “Publics and Intellectuals in China and the West,” **Heidelberg University,** Germany, May 18, 2015.

(co-organized with William Kelly, Yale University) International Workshops on “The Olympics in East Asia: The Crucible of Localism, Nationalism, Regionalism, and Globalism” at the **Institute for Social Sciences and Humanities, Hong Kong University,** March 15-16, 2008, and **Yale University,** October 5-7, 2008. Published as *The Olympics in East Asia: Nationalism, Regionalism, and Globalism on the Center Stage of World Sports* (Yale Council on East Asian Studies Monograph Series, 2011).

(co-organized with Michael Cosmopoulos, UMSL; Ren Hai, Beijing Sport University; and Christina Koulouri, University of the Peloponnese), International 3-Conference Series, “From Athens to Beijing: West Meets East in the Olympic Games.” Part I, “Athletics and Humanism in Ancient Greece and China,” April 14, 2007, **UM-St. Louis,** St. Louis, U.S.; Part II, “Multiculturalism in the Olympic Movement,” **Beijing Sport University,** Beijing, China, August 19-21, 2007; Part III, “The Past in the Present of the Olympic Games,” organized with the **University of the Peloponnese,** held at the International Olympic Academy, Olympia, Greece, May 23-24, 2008 (see under *external funding* above). Published as *From Athens to Beijing: West meets East in the Olympic Games* (Greekworks, 2013). These 3 conferences brought together 38 scholars from twelve countries: Greece, the U.S., Belgium, Germany, France, the U.K., China, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Korea, Japan, and Brazil.

International Conference, “International Congress on the 1904 St. Louis Olympic Games and Anthropology Days: A Centennial Retrospective,” **Missouri History Museum** in Forest Park, St. Louis, September 11-12, 2004. Funded by University of Missouri Research Board Award, \$10,000; UMSL Center for International Studies \$2,000 (PI, 100%). Published as *The 1904 Anthropology Days and Olympic Games* (University of Nebraska Press, 2008).

University of Missouri-St. Louis and University of Missouri System Service (recent highlights)

2020-present	Member, Provost's Extra Compensation Task Force, UMSL
Summer-Fall 2021	Member, Grievance Panel, UMSL
2020-present	Pool Member, Hearing Panelist – Equity & Title IX, UMSL
2018-present	Member, Faculty Senate Committee on Committees, UMSL
2015-2019, 2012-2014	Member, Inter-Campus Faculty Council, University of Missouri System <i>Advisory council to the UM System President consisting of three elected members from each of the four campuses.</i>
2010-2014, 2016-present	Member, Faculty Senate, UMSL
Spring 2018	Member, University of Missouri System Committee to Review Inclusive Excellence Compacts in Strategic Plans of the Four UM Campuses
Spring 2018	Internal Review Committee for Biology Department Five-Year Review
Spring 2017	Intercampus Course Sharing Committee
Fall 2016	College of Arts & Sciences Grants Review Committee
Fall 2016	Senate Ad Hoc Committee on Informational Sessions (about unionization effort at UMSL)
Spring, Fall 2016	Provost Search Committee, UMSL
Fall 2015	Internal Review Committee for History Department Five-Year Review

Reviews

journal manuscripts

Amerasia Journal, American Ethnologist, American Historical Review, Anthropology and Humanism, Asian Medicine – Tradition and Modernity, British Journal of Sociology, China: An International Journal, China Information, China Quarterly, City and Society, Comparative Studies in Society and History, Cultural Anthropology, Ethnic and Migration Studies, Gender and History, International Journal of the History of Sport, International Review for the Sociology of Sport, Journal of Asian Studies, Journal of Feminist Studies, Journal of International Communication, Journal of Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology, Journal of Modern Greek Studies, Medical Anthropology Quarterly, Modern China, Political Studies Review, positions: east asia cultures critique, Studies on Asia, The Australian Journal of Anthropology, Twentieth Century China

book manuscripts and prospectuses

Berg Publishers, Columbia University Press, Cornell University Press, Duke University Press, Harvard University Press, Hong Kong University Press, Palgrave MacMillan, Routledge, Rutgers University Press, Stanford University Press, The University of Chicago Press, University of Arizona Press, University of California Press, University of Minnesota Press, Yale Council on East Asian Studies

grant proposals

American Councils for International Education, Institute for Advanced Studies at Durham University (UK), Economic and Social Research Council (UK), Fulbright National Screening Committee, Global

Change Student Research Grant, National Science Foundation, Research Grants Council of Hong Kong, Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research, Yale-National University of Singapore

As Advisory Council member of **Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research**, reviewed symposia and Institutional Development Grant Proposals, 2012 to 2016.

Fulbright National Screening Committee, reviewed China and Mongolia Fulbright applications, January 20, 2006.

As Selection Committee member, **Olympic Studies Centre (International Olympic Committee)**, Lausanne, reviewed Postgraduate Grant programme applications.

tenure reviews

Colby College, City College-CUNY, Duke University, Indiana University–Purdue University Fort Wayne, Louisville University, Michigan State University, Texas Tech, University of Vermont, Western Michigan University, Victoria University

promotion reviews

Academia Sinica (Taiwan), Brighton University (UK), Loyola Marymount University, Texas A&M, Lewis & Clark College, Western Michigan University

hiring review for full professor

MIT

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

E-Journal Articles, Online Commentaries

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