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EDUCATION

Syracuse University

Ph.D. in Social Science, 2000

Graduate Certificate in Advanced Studies in Women's Studies

Future Professoriate Certificate in University Teaching

SUNY Binghamton University Master of Arts in Social Science, 1992

SUNY Binghamton University BS in Applied Social Sciences, 1989

ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

Assistant Professor, Syracuse University, Women's and Gender Studies 2006 – Present
(tenure granted 2012)

Assistant Professor, State University of New York at Plattsburgh, 2002- 2006

Associate Director, Syracuse University, Women's Studies Program 1999 -2002

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Depicting the Veil: Transnational Sexism and the War on Terror. London: Zed Press
2013

Feminism and War: Confronting US Imperialism, co-edited with Chandra Talpade
Mohanty and Minnie Bruce Pratt. London: Zed Press, 2008.

Interrogating Empire: Conversations on Gender, Race, and War, co-edited with Naeem
Inayatullah. New York: Palgrave MacMillan, 2006.

Articles/Essays

“Race, Gender, and Rescue: Reading News About Palestine, Iraq and Syria.” *Middle East Women’s Studies Newsletter* October 2014

“Hidden Soldiers: Working for the National Defense.” *Over There: Living with the U.S. Military Empire from World War II to the Present*. Eds. Seungsook Moon and Maria Hoehn. Durham, NC: Duke University Press, 2010. 203-227

: Living

“Achieving Real Equality: A Work in Progress for LGBT Youth in Spain” with Jose Ignacio Pichardo Galan and Belen Molineuvo Puras. *Journal of LGBT Youth* add volume: 6, No.2-3 issue (2009): 272-287

“Study Guide for Teaching about Gender, Militarism and War.” *Sociology Compass* add volume: issue (2009): 3:1 (2009): 161-165

“Feminism and US Wars—Mapping the Ground” with Chandra Talpade Mohanty and Minnie Bruce Pratt. *Feminism and War: Confronting US Imperialism*. Eds. Robin L. Riley, Chandra Talpade Mohanty, and Minnie Bruce Pratt. London: Zed Books: 2008. 1-16.

“Women and War: Militarism, Bodies, and the Practice of Gender.” *Sociology Compass* 2:4 (2008): 1192-1208. <<http://www3.interscience.wiley.com/journal/120840829/issue>>

“Introduction” with Naeem Inayatullah. *Interrogating Imperialism: Conversations on Gender, Race, and War*. Eds. Naeem Inayatullah and Robin L. Riley. New York: Palgrave MacMillan, 2006. 1-14.

“Valiant, Vicious, or Virtuous: Representation and the Construction of Gender in the War on Iraq.” *Interrogating Imperialism: Conversations on Gender, Race and War*. Eds. Naeem Inayatullah and Robin L. Riley. New York: Palgrave MacMillan, 2006. 183-206.

“‘So Few of Us and So Many of Them’: US Women Resisting Desert Storm.” *International Feminist Journal of Politics* 7:3 (2005): 341-357.

“Hidden Soldiers: Women with Jobs in the Defense Industry Must Keep Their Work Secret, from Friends, Family and Even Themselves.” *The Women’s Review of Books*. September, 2004: 21:12: 22-23.

“The Multi-disciplinary Possibilities of Feminist Pedagogy” with Diane Lyden Murphy. *University Teaching*. Eds. Leo Lambert and Stacey Lane Tice. New York: Syracuse University Press, 2002. 89-96 (Not in rank)

Book Reviews

“The Women’s War.” Review of Nimmo’s *War, Emma’s War: Making Feminist Sense of the Iraq War* by Cynthia Enloe. *Ms. Magazine*: spring 2010. Vol. XX No. 2: 57-58.

“Xena and Buffy: ‘Female Just Warriors?’ Or, Just Warriors?” Review of *Athena’s Daughters: Television’s New Women Warriors* by Frances Early and Kathleen Kennedy. H-net Peace: May 2004. <http://www.h-net.org/reviews/showrev.php?id=9416>

Review of *Maneuvers: The International Politics of Militarizing Women’s Lives* by Cynthia Enloe. *Nexus Journal of Peace, Conflict and Social Change*, Spring/Fall 2001: issue 3: 14. (Not in Rank)

Community Publications

“The Price of ‘Free’ Speech.” Syracuse *Peace Council Newsletter* #773. April 2008. <http://www.peacecouncil.net/pnl/08/773/773freespeech.htm>

“Women and War: Many Contradictions” with Chandra Talpade Mohanty. *Syracuse Post Standard*. November 5, 2006: E3

Reviewer

SUNY Press

University of Illinois Press

Zed Press

International Feminist Journal of Politics (Routledge)

International Feminist Journal of Politics Reviewer for Enloe Award(Routledge)

Feminist Formations (National Women’s Studies Association Journal)

Politics & Gender (Cambridge University Press)

Frontiers (Arizona State University)

Feminist Africa (online journal)

Polity(Palgrave Macmillan)

National Women’s Studies Association conference proposals (2009/2010/2011)

Grants

August 2011

Imagining America Grant awarded for LGBT Archive Project (\$2,000)

May 2007

Ford Foundation grant awarded by the Department of African American Studies to support research on “Somebody Else’s War: The Empire’s Consumers As Citizens” (\$ 2,000)

May 2007

Tolley Grant for the purposes of interdisciplinary course development (\$750.00)

October 2006

Subvention funds awarded by the College of Arts & Sciences to assist in the indexing of *Interrogating Imperialism* (\$800.00)

Conference Presentations

Chair Panel: Violent Geographies: Transnational Representations of Gender, war and Resistance” National Women’s Studies Association San Juan Puerto Rico November 2014.

“We Are All Soldiers Now: Deploying Western Women.” Transnational Feminist Solidarities Panel Accepted for International Studies Association Meetings in Toronto Canada March 2014

“Deployed: Transnational Sexism and Women in War” International Studies Association San Francisco CA: April 2013

“Veiled Propaganda: Representation and the Circulation of Images of Women in the War On Afghanistan and Iraq.” National Women’s Studies Association. Denver, CO: November 2010.

“Interrogating Intersectionality: The Problem of Coalition Building Across Borders.” National Women’s Studies Association. Atlanta GA: November 2009.

“Atrocity and Perversion in Himadeep Muppiddi’s *The Colonial Signs of International Relations*.” Northeast Circle of International Studies Association. Baltimore, MA: October 2008.

“Somebody Else’s War: The Empire’s Consumers as Citizens.” International Studies Association. Chicago IL: March 2007.

“Imperial Citizens Consume Comedy Central: The War on Iraq, Pop Culture, and International Relations.” Feminism and War Conference. Syracuse, NY: October 2006.

“What About the War? Popular Culture, International Relations, and US Students Ideas About the War on Iraq.” International Studies Association. San Diego, CA: March 2006.

“The Iconography of Empire: Some Transnational Feminist Questions About Abu Ghraib.” Syracuse University’s LGBT Studies Regional Conference. Syracuse, NY: October 2004.

“Valiant, Vicious Or Virtuous: Representation and the Construction of Gender in the War on Iraq.” National Women’s Studies Association. Milwaukee, WI: June 2004.

“Huda, Rihab, and Jessica: Imperialism, Representation and the Construction of Gender in the War on Iraq.” International Studies Association. Montreal, Canada: March 2004.

“Osama Yo Mama: The De-Masculinization of an Enemy.” International Studies Association. New Orleans, LA: March 2002.

“Patriots or Patsys: Women, War, National Defense and the Missing Missile.” International Studies Association. Chicago, IL: February 2000.

“Hidden Soldiers: Gender, Militarism and the Discourses of Defense.” International Studies Association. Washington, D.C.: February 1999.

“Militarism as a Social Problem: American Women and Defense.” American Sociological Association. San Francisco, CA: August 1998.

“Practical Warriors: Women and Militarism.” American Sociological Association. Toronto, Canada: August 1997.

“Patriot(ic) Missiles, Missions, and Messages: American Women and Gulf War Protest.” International Studies Association. Toronto, Canada: March 1997.

“Spoken and Unspoken: Discourses of Feminism, Militarism and Peace Studies.” Coalition of Peace Researchers and Educators Conference at George Washington University. Washington, D.C.: August 1996.

Invited Presentations and Lectures

“Race, Gender, and Rescue: Reading News About Palestine, Iraq, and Syria.” Ernst and Young Lecture Series SUNY Oswego, 10/16/2014

“Depicting the Veil: Transnational sexism and the War on Terror” Women’s and Gender Studies Department Brown Bag September 25, 2013

“Teaching LGBT Studies Trans-nationally.” Syracuse University’s LGBT Studies Conference. Syracuse, NY: September 2010.

“Memories & Consequences: September 11th 2001.” Women’s Studies Forum at SUNY Plattsburgh, NY: September 11, 2004.

Response to *International Relations and the Problem of Difference* by Naeem Inayatullah and David Blaney. Northeast Circle of International Studies Association: November 2002.

“OsamaYo Mama: The De-Masculinization of an Enemy.” Women’s Studies Forum at SUNY Plattsburgh: September 26, 2002.

“Same Old Story, ‘New War’ Reflections on Heroes, Gender, and Paradox.” Critical Conversations on Gender and War Series at Syracuse University: October 30, 2001.

“Invisible Soldiers: Militarism and Gender.” Working Papers in Gender Studies Lecture Series at Syracuse University: Spring 2000.

“Authority in the Classroom.” Syracuse University Graduate School Future Professoriate Program Professional Seminar: October 1999.

“Facilitating Student Participation in the Classroom.” Syracuse University Graduate School Future Professoriate Project Seminar: September 1999.

“Development and Implementation of Feminist Inquiries.” Syracuse University Women’s Studies Program’s Fall Retreat: Fall 1998.

“Pedagogical Approaches to Teaching Feminist Theory and Philosophy of Feminism.” Syracuse University Women’s Studies Program’s Fall Retreat: Fall 1997.

“Practical Warriors: Connecting Gender & Militarism.” Conversation in Conflict Studies for the Program on the Analysis and Resolution of Conflict at Syracuse University: April 1997.

COURSES TAUGHT:

Women’s and Gender Studies Department, Syracuse University

Undergraduate Teaching:

Introduction to Women’s and Gender studies
Transnational Feminism
Feminist Inquiry
Gender and Popular Culture
Gender, Militarism, and War
Senior Seminar

LGBT Studies Teaching:

Queer Histories, Communities, Politics
Sexuality and Social life in Spain

Graduate Teaching:

Feminist Theory
Gender and the State: Immigrants, Soldiers, Queers

Women’s Studies Program, SUNY Plattsburgh

Undergraduate Teaching:

Globalization and Transnational Feminism
Senior Seminar
Introduction to Women’s Studies
Feminist Frameworks
Women of Color
Gender and War

Women's Studies Program, Syracuse University

Undergraduate Teaching:

Introduction to Women's Studies
Feminist Theory
Feminist Inquiries
Feminisms in an International Context
Senior Seminar

Graduate Teaching:

Contemporary Feminist Theory
Gender, Education and Culture.

1996-1999 Teaching Associate

Introduction to Women's Studies
Philosophy of Feminism
Senior Seminar

1996-1998 University College

Introduction to Women's Studies
Sociology of Sex and Gender.

Sociology Department, Syracuse University

Social Problems

SUNY Binghamton University

School of Education and Human Development

1993-1997 Adjunct faculty member

Social Science and Human Values
Issues in Human Services

ADMINISTRATIVE

Director of Undergraduate Studies, Women's and Gender Studies Department at
Syracuse University (Fall 2010-Spring 2011)

Director, Women's Studies Program at SUNY Plattsburgh (Fall 2004-Spring 2005)

Associate Director, Women's Studies Program at Syracuse University (1999-2002)

Graduate Assistant, Program on the Analysis and Resolution of Conflict at Syracuse University (1994-1995)

SERVICE at Syracuse University

Co-founder and Editorial board member of the *Journal of Diverse Sexualities*, a new open access online publishing to be published by Syracuse University Press (2011-present)

Mary Marshall Award Selection Committee (Spring 2011)

First Year Advising (Fall 2011)

Syracuse University Sustainable Benefits Working Group (Fall 2009-Spring 2010)

Member, Trans-nationalizing LGBT Studies Conferences Planning Committee at Syracuse University (2009-2011)

Syracuse University Senate (2009 -2011)

Member, Search Committee to hire T. Jackie Cuevas (2009)

First Year Advising (Fall 2009)

Syracuse University Senate Committee on Diversity (Fall 2009 to present)

Member, Search Committee to hire Himika Bhattacharya (2008)

Humanities Center Faculty Advisory Board (Fall 2008 to 2009)

Environmental Justice and Black Women's Health Symposium Planning Committee, Department of African American Studies at Syracuse University (Spring 2008)

Co-chair with Vivian May, Curriculum Committee, Women's and Gender Studies Department at Syracuse University (2007-2009)

Syracuse University LGBT Concerns Senate Committee (Fall 2006 to 2009)

Feminism and War Conference Planning Committee at Syracuse University (Fall 2006)

Women's Studies Advisory Board (1996-2002)

SERVICE at SUNY Plattsburgh

Women's Studies Steering Committee (2002-?)

Chair, Women's Studies Curriculum Committee, Women's Studies Program (2002-?)

Member, Task Force for the Center for Diversity, Pluralism, and Inclusion (2003-?)

Member, Curriculum Committee for the Center for Diversity, Pluralism, and Inclusion (2004-?)

Member, Committee on Courses and Programs (2003-2004)

Advisory Board Africana Studies Program (2003-?)

General Education Assessment Committee (2003-2005)

Advisor, Student Organization, Committee for Women's Concerns (2002-2004)

Honors and Awards

Foundation Award for Outstanding Faculty Member from the LGBT Resource Center (2010)

Meredith Teaching Award (2009)

Outstanding Teaching Associate College of Arts and Sciences (1999)

Joan Lukas Rothenberg Graduate Student Service Award for Outstanding Service (1999)

Joan Lukas Rothenberg Graduate Student Service Award for Outstanding Service (1998)

Outstanding Thesis Award, School of Education and Human Development, SUNY Binghamton (1992)

Alpha Sigma Lambda National Honor Society, SUNY Binghamton (1986-1989)

Community Service

LGBT Archiving Project in Syracuse, NY (August 2010-present)

Member, Committee for Inclusion in Fair Practices Legislation - Onondaga County (1997-1998)

Affiliate Program on the Analysis and Resolution of Conflict (1994-1997)

Member, Coalition of Peace Researchers and Educators 1994-1996

Professional Service

External Reviewer, Women's Studies Program at SUNY Oswego (2005)

Memberships

National Women's Studies Association 1998-present

International Studies Association 1996-present