

*Curriculum Vitae*

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**EMPLOYMENT**

- 2022-           **Professor**, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech  
Faculty Affiliations: Appalachian Studies; Global Change Center; Women's and Gender Studies;  
Alliance for Social, Political, Ethical, and Cultural Thought (ASPECT); Center for Coastal Studies
- 2017-22       **Associate Professor**, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech  
Faculty Affiliations: Appalachian Studies; Women's and Gender Studies; Alliance for Social,  
Political, Ethical, and Cultural Thought (ASPECT); Center for Coastal Studies
- 2018-21       **Director of Graduate Studies**, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2016-17       **Associate Professor**, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky  
Program Faculty, Environmental & Sustainability Studies  
Faculty Affiliations: Lewis Honors College; Gender & Women's Studies; Appalachian Studies
- 2013-16       **Co-Director**, Greenhouse Environment & Sustainability Residential College, University  
of Kentucky
- 2010-16       **Assistant Professor**, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky  
Program Faculty, Environmental & Sustainability Studies  
Faculty Affiliations: Gender & Women's Studies; Appalachian Studies

**EDUCATION**

- 2010           **Ph.D.**, Sociology, University of Oregon (**M.S.** Sociology, University of Oregon, 2007)
- 2010           **Graduate Certificate**, Women's and Gender Studies, University of Oregon.
- 2005           **M.A.**, Applied Community Change & Conservation, Future Generations University
- 2004           **M.S.W.**, Community Organizing and Social Administration, West Virginia University
- 2000           **B.S.**, Biology and **B.A.**, Religion, Washington and Lee University. *Summa cum laude*

**AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, and HONORS**

National and International Awards

- 2021           **Allan Schnaiberg Outstanding Publication Award**, Environmental Sociology Section  
of the American Sociological Association
- 2017           **Excellence in Research Award**, Rural Sociological Society
- 2017           **Association of American Publishers Professional and Scholarly Excellence  
(PROSE) Award Winner, Sociology & Social Work**  
*For Fighting King Coal: The Challenges to Micromobilization in Central Appalachia*
- 2017           **Society for Human Ecology Gerald L. Young Book Award in Human Ecology**  
*For Fighting King Coal: The Challenges to Micromobilization in Central Appalachia*
- 2016           **Nautilus Book Awards, Gold Medal**  
*For Fighting King Coal: The Challenges to Micromobilization in Central Appalachia*
- 2014           **Association for Humanist Sociology Book Award**

*For Our Roots Run Deep as Ironweed: Appalachian Women and the Fight for Environmental Justice*

- 2013 **Practice and Outreach Award**, Environmental Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association.
- 2013 **Robert Boguslaw Award for Technology and Humanism**, Environmental Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association.
- 2012 **Early Career Research Award**, Rural Sociological Society (\$1,000).
- 2012 **Honorable Mention, Distinguished Dissertation Award in the Social Sciences**, Council of Graduate Schools/ProQuest International
- 2011 **Rural Sociology Best Article Award**, Rural Sociological Society (\$1,000).
- 2011 **Honorable Mention, Allan Schnaiberg Outstanding Publication Award**, Environmental Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association.

#### University Awards and Honors

- 2015 **Excellence in Writing Award**, Department of Writing, Rhetoric, and Digital Studies, University of Kentucky.
- 2013 **Outstanding Teaching Award**, College of Arts & Sciences, Univ. of Kentucky (\$1,500).
- 2009-10 **University of Oregon Doctoral Dissertation Research Fellowship**, University of Oregon Graduate School and the Office of the Vice President for Research (\$18,000).
- 2009 **Jane Grant Dissertation Fellowship**, Center for the Study of Women and Society, University of Oregon (\$12,000; declined due to acceptance of UO Doctoral Fellowship).
- 2009 **Student Publication Award**, Department of Sociology, University of Oregon (\$500).
- 2008-09 **Wasby-Johnson Dissertation Award**, Dept. of Sociology, University of Oregon (\$7,500).
- 2006 **Data Collection & Presentation Award**, Dept. of Sociology, University of Oregon (\$500).
- 2005 **Outstanding Rural Health Research Project**, West Virginia Univ. Office of Rural Health.
- 2003-04 **National Health Service Corps SEARCH Program Fellowship**, West Virginia Rural Health Education Partnerships, West Virginia University (\$8,000).
- 1996-00 **Washington and Lee University Honor Scholarship** (Full tuition, four years of study).
- 1999 **Phi Beta Kappa**, Washington and Lee University

## PUBLICATIONS

### Books

- 2016 Bell, Shannon Elizabeth. ***Fighting King Coal: The Challenges to Micromobilization in Central Appalachia***. The MIT Press, Urban and Industrial Environments Series.
- Awards: Association of American Publishers Professional and Scholarly Excellence (PROSE) Award; Gerald L. Young Book Award in Human Ecology; Gold Medal, Nautilus Book Awards
  - Reviewed in *American Journal of Sociology*; *Social Forces*; *Mobilization*; *Rural Sociology*; *Journal of Appalachian Studies*, *Environmental History*; *Review of Policy Research*; *Choice*
  - Featured book in University Press Scholarship Online  
<http://www.universitypressscholarship.com>

- 2013 Bell, Shannon Elizabeth. ***Our Roots Run Deep as Ironweed: Appalachian Women and the Fight for Environmental Justice***. University of Illinois Press.
- Awards: Association for Humanist Sociology Book Award; Silver Medal, Nautilus Book Awards; Runner-up, Green Book Festival
  - Reviewed in *Social Forces*; *Gender & Society*; *Capitalism Nature Socialism*; *Rural Sociology*; *International Journal of Environmental Studies*; *Mobilization*; *Environmental History*; *Peace & Change*; *H-Environment, Humanity & Society*; *West Virginia History*; *Choice*
  - Interviews and other content from *Our Roots Run Deep as Ironweed* were used in the creation of a theatrical performance titled, *The Ironweed Tales*, which was produced by Folklab and performed by Felicia Cooper. The performance ran from May 30-June 3, 2018 at Aftershock Theatre in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

### **Journal Editorships**

- 2012 Guest Co-Editor (with Richard York). "Special Issue on Coal and the Environment." *Organization & Environment*. 25(4).

### **Journal Articles** (\*indicates graduate student coauthor)

- Forth-coming **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth**, Michael Hughes, Grace Tuttle, Russell Chisholm, Stephen Gerus, Danielle Mullins\*, Cameron Baller\*, Kelly Scarff, Rachel Spector,\* and Denali Nalamalapu. "Pipelines and Power: Psychological Distress, Political Alienation, and the Breakdown of Environmental Justice in Government Agencies' Public Participation Processes." *Energy Research & Social Science*.
- 2023 Sovacool, Benjamin K., **Shannon Elizabeth Bell**, Cara Daggett, Christine Labuski, Myles Lennon, Lindsay Naylor, Julie Klinger, Kelsey Leonard, and Jeremy Firestone. "Pluralizing Energy Justice: Incorporating Feminist, Anti-Racist, Indigenous, and Postcolonial Perspectives." *Energy Research & Social Science*.  
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.erss.2023.102996>
- 2022 **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth**, Steven Gerus\*, Danielle Mullins\*, and Michael Hughes. "Resistance, Acceptance, and Quiescence: The Role of Social Networks in Predicting Responses to a New Natural Gas Pipeline." *Environmental Justice*. 16(1):29-35.  
<https://www.liebertpub.com/doi/10.1089/env.2021.0112>
- 2020 **Shannon Elizabeth Bell**, Cara Daggett, and Christine Labuski (equal authorship). "Toward Feminist Energy Systems: Why Adding Women and Solar Panels is Not Enough." *Energy Research & Social Science*. 68:  
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.erss.2020.101557>
- Received the 2021 Allan Schnaiberg Outstanding Publication Award from the Environmental Sociology Section of the American Sociological Society.
  - Translated to French.
- 2020 Emily Satterwhite, **Shannon Elizabeth Bell**, Linsey C. Marr, Christopher K. Thompson, Aaron J. Prussin II, Lauren Buttling, Jin Pan, and Julia M. Gohlke. "Building Interdisciplinary Partnerships for Community-Engaged Environmental Health Research in Appalachian Virginia." *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*. 17(5):1695. <https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph17051695>
- 2019 Dockstader, Sue\* and **Shannon Elizabeth Bell**. "Ecomodern Masculinity, Energy Security, and Green Consumerism: The Rise of Biofuels in the United States." *Critical Sociology*. 46(4-5): 643-660. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0896920519885010>

- 2019 **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth**, Jenrose Fitzgerald, and Richard York. "Protecting the Power to Pollute: Identity Co-optation, Gender, and the Public Relations Strategies of Fossil Fuel Industries in the United States." *Environmental Sociology*. 5(3): 323-338. <https://doi.org/10.1080/23251042.2019.1624001>
- 2019 Hao, Feng; Jay Michaels, and **Shannon Elizabeth Bell**. "Social Capital's Influence on Environmental Concern in China: An Analysis of the 2010 Chinese General Social Survey." *Sociological Perspectives*. 62(6):844-864. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0731121419835504>
- 2019 York, Richard and **Shannon Elizabeth Bell**. "Energy Transitions or Additions? Why a Transition from Fossil Fuels Requires More Than the Growth of Renewable Energy." *Energy Research & Social Science*. 51:40-43. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.erss.2019.01.008>
- 2017 **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth**. "Environmental Injustice and the Pursuit of a Post-Carbon World: The Unintended Consequences of the Clean Air Act as a Cautionary Tale for Solar Energy Development." *Brooklyn Law Review*. 82(2):529-557. <https://brooklynworks.brooklaw.edu/blr/vol82/iss2/6/>
- 2017 Social Sciences Feminist Network Research Interest Group (co-authors listed alphabetically at end of article). "The Burden of Invisible Work in Academia: Social Inequalities and Time Use in Five University Departments." *Humboldt Journal of Social Relations*. Special Issue on Diversity in Higher Education. 39:228-245. <https://digitalcommons.humboldt.edu/hjsr/vol1/iss39/21/>
- 2015 **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth**, Alicia Hullinger\*, and Lilian Brislen\*. "Manipulated Masculinities: Agribusiness, Deskillling, and the Rise of the Businessman-Farmer in the United States." *Rural Sociology*. 80(3):285-313. <https://doi.org/10.1111/ruso.12066>
- Lead article.
- 2015 **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth**. "Bridging Activism and the Academy: Exposing Environmental Injustices through the Feminist Ethnographic Method of Photovoice." *Human Ecology Review*. 21(1): 27-58. <https://press-files.anu.edu.au/downloads/press/p313031/pdf/ch023.pdf>
- An earlier version of this manuscript was awarded the 2013 Robert Boguslaw Award for Technology and Humanism from the Environment & Technology Section of the American Sociological Association.
- 2014 York, Richard and **Shannon Elizabeth Bell**. "Life Satisfaction Across Nations: The Effects of Gender Equality and Public Priorities." *Social Science Research*. 48:48-61. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ssresearch.2014.05.004>
- 2012 **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth** and Richard York. "Coal, Injustice, and Environmental Destruction: Introduction to the Special Issue on Coal and the Environment." Special Issue on Coal and the Environment, *Organization & Environment*. 25(4):357-365. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1086026612468138>
- 2010 **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth** and Richard York. "Community Economic Identity: The Coal Industry and Ideology Construction in West Virginia." *Rural Sociology*. 75(1):111-143. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1549-0831.2009.00004.x>
- Received the inaugural Best Scholarly Paper Award from the Rural Sociological Society in 2011 (\$1,000).
  - Received Honorable Mention for the 2011 Allan Schnaiberg Outstanding Publication Award from the Environment and Technology Section of the American Sociological Society.

- Reprinted in *Environmental Sociology: From Analysis to Action*, edited by Leslie King and Deborah McCarthy Auriffeille (Roman & Littlefield, 2014).
- 2010 **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth** and Yvonne A. Braun. "Coal, Identity, and the Gendering of Environmental Justice Activism in Central Appalachia." *Gender & Society*. 24(6):794-813. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0891243210387277>
- Featured in the "Discoveries: New and Noteworthy Social Research" section of the Summer 2011 issue of *Contexts*, the American Sociological Association's public outreach journal.
  - Reprinted in *Green Planet Blues: Critical Perspectives on Global Environmental Politics*, Sixth Edition, edited by Ken Conca and Geoffrey D. Dabelko. (Routledge, 2019).
- 2009 **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth**. "'There Ain't No Bond in Town Like there Used to Be': The Destruction of Social Capital in the West Virginia Coalfields." *Sociological Forum*. 24(3): 631-657. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1573-7861.2009.01123.x>
- 2008 **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth**. "Photovoice as a Strategy for Community Organizing in the Appalachian Coalfields." *Journal of Appalachian Studies*. 14(1-2):34-48. <https://www.jstor.org/stable/41446801>

### **Book Chapters**

- Forth- (Invited) Labuski, Christine, and **Shannon Elizabeth Bell**. "Ecofeminisms." In Jordan coming Besek, Ian Carrillo, J.P. Sapinski, and Diana Stuart (eds.) *Environmental Sociology Now*. University of California Press.
- 2021 (Invited) Ergas, Christina, Laura McKinney, and **Shannon Elizabeth Bell**. "Intersectionality and the Environment." In Beth Caniglia, Andrew Jorgensen, Stephanie A. Malin, Lori Peek, David N. Pellow, and Xiaorui Huang (eds.) *International Handbook of Environmental Sociology*. Springer.
- 2020 (Invited) **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth**. "Energy, Society, and the Environment." In Kenneth A. Gould and Tammy L. Lewis (Eds.) *Twenty Lessons in Environmental Sociology*, Third Edition. Oxford University Press.
- 2018 Martínez Novo, Carmen, **Shannon Elizabeth Bell**, Subhadra Mitra Channa, Annapurna Devi Pandey, and Luis Alberto Tuaza Castro. "Indigenous Social Movements in Mountain Regions." In Ann Kingsolver and Sasikumar Balasundaram (Eds.) *Global Mountain Regions: Conversations Toward the Future*. Indiana University Press.
- 2015 Sharon L. Harlan, David N. Pellow, and J. Timmons Roberts, with **Shannon E. Bell**, William G. Holt, and Joane Nagel. "Climate Justice and Inequality: Insights from Sociology." Chapter 5 in Riley E. Dunlap and Robert J. Brulle (Eds.) *Climate Change and Society: Sociological Perspectives*. Report of the American Sociological Association's Task Force on Sociology and Global Climate Change. New York: Oxford University Press.
- 2014 (Invited) Boudet, Hilary Schaffer and **Shannon Elizabeth Bell**. "Risks and Social Movements: Examining the Role of Communication." Chapter 25 in Hyunyi Cho, Torsten Reimer, and Katherine McComas (Eds.). *The SAGE Handbook of Risk Communication*. Sage Publications.
- 2014 (Invited) **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth**. "Energy, Society, and the Environment." In Kenneth A. Gould and Tammy L. Lewis (Eds.) *Twenty Lessons in Environmental Sociology*, Second Edition. Oxford University Press.

- 2014 (Invited) **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth**. "Sacrificed So Others Can Live Conveniently': Social Inequality, Environmental Injustice, and the Energy Sacrifice Zone of Central Appalachia." In Claire M. Renzetti and Raquel Kennedy Bergen (Eds). *Understanding Diversity: Celebrating Difference, Challenging Inequality*. Boston: Allyn and Bacon.
- 2011 (Invited) **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth**. "The Southern West Virginia Photovoice Project: Community Action through Sociological Research." Pp. 178-183 in Kathleen Odell Korgen and Jonathan M. White (Eds). *Sociologists in Action*. Sage Publications.
- 2009 **Bell, Shannon Elizabeth**. "Coal is all West Virginia's Got': The Coal Industry's Propagation of a False Ideology." Pp. 109-116 in Shirley Stewart Burns, Mari-Lynn Evans, and Silas House (Eds). *Coal Country: Rising Up Against Mountaintop Removal Mining*. Sierra Club Books/Counterpoint.
- 2004 **Bell, Shannon**. "The Jolo Church of the Lord Jesus." Pp. 194-199 in Mari-Lynn Evans, Robert Santelli, and Holly George-Warren (Eds). *The Appalachians: America's First and Last Frontier*. New York: Random House.

### Invited Book Reviews

- 2016 Bell, Shannon Elizabeth. Review of *How Organizations Develop Activists: Civic Organizations and Leadership in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*. (New York: Oxford University Press, 2014) by Hahrie Han. *Mobilization*. 21(1):130-131.
- 2011 Bell, Shannon Elizabeth. Review of *Removing Mountains: Extracting Nature and Identity in the Appalachian Coalfields* (Minneapolis: University of Minnesota Press, 2010) by Rebecca K. Scott. *American Journal of Sociology*. 116(6):2034-2036.
- 2010 Bell, Shannon Elizabeth. Review of *Recovering the Commons: Democracy, Place and Global Justice*. (Chicago: University of Illinois Press, 2010) by Herbert Reid and Betsy Taylor. *Newsletter of the Loyal Jones Appalachian Center at Berea College*.

### GRANTS RECEIVED

#### External Funding

- 2023 Co-Investigator (with John Munsell, PI, Katie Trozzo, Co-I). "Accelerating Forest Farming in Central Appalachia: Strengthening Market Connections and Collaboration for Long-Term Sector Impact and Sustainability." Appalachian Regional Commission, \$490,647.
- 2023 Co-Investigator (with Benjamin Sovacool, PI; Jeremy Firestone, Lindsay Naylor, Julie Klinger, Kelsey Leonard, Cara Dagget, and Christine Labuski). "Advancing Transformational Energy Justice across the Renewable Energy Supply Chain." Alfred P. Sloan Foundation, \$ 497,428.
- 2022 Principal Investigator (with John Munsell, Co-I and Emily Satterwhite, Co-I). "Sustaining Wild Harvesting Economies in Central Appalachia." Appalachian Teaching Project Grant, East Tennessee State University/Appalachian Regional Commission. \$5,000.
- 2021 Principal Investigator. Niskanen Center Unsolicited Grant. "Do Natural Gas Pipelines Affect Property Values? A Multi-Method Study." \$10,000.
- 2018 Co-Investigator (with Emily Satterwhite, PI; Julia Gohlke, Co-I; Linsey Marr, Co-I; and Korine Kolivras, Co-I). "Addressing Community Health Concerns Near the Radford Army Ammunition Plant." East Tennessee State University and the Appalachia Regional Commission. \$4,500.

- 2009-10 Principal Investigator, Sydney S. Spivack Program in Applied Social Research and Social Policy Community Action Research Initiative Award, American Sociological Society. "Water Contamination in Coalfield Communities Legislative Guide." \$2,800.
- 2008-09 Principal Investigator, Appalachian Regional Commission Flex-E-Grant. "Southern West Virginia Photovoice Project" (Awarded in association with Cabin Creek Health Systems) \$10,000
- 2008-09 Principal Investigator, The Greater Kanawha Valley Foundation. "Southern West Virginia Photovoice Project" (Awarded in association with Cabin Creek Health Systems) \$10,000.
- 2008 Principal Investigator, Ohio Valley Environmental Coalition Special Project Fund. "Southern West Virginia Photovoice Project." \$2,000.

### Internal Funding

- 2023 Faculty Lead (with John Munsell, collaborator, and Appalachian Sustainable Development, collaborator). Monuments Across Appalachian Virginia. "The Forest Botanicals Region Living Monument." \$102,000.
- 2023 Principal Investigator (with John Munsell, Co-I). Institute for Culture, Society, and Environment Scholars Program, Virginia Tech. "Addressing Social Inequalities and Sustainability Concerns in the Appalachian Herbal Industry Supply Chain." \$30,000.
- 2022 Principal Investigator. Niles Research Grant, College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences, Virginia Tech. "Wild Harvesting Traditions and the Forest Commons in Central Appalachia." \$6,000.
- 2022 Principal Investigator. COVID-19 Reset Grant, Institute for Culture, Society and Environment, Virginia Tech. "Sustaining Wild Harvesting Traditions in Central Appalachia." \$7,500.
- 2021 Co-Investigator (with Christine Labuski, PI and Cara Daggett, Co-I). Pathways General Education Curriculum Development Grant, Virginia Tech. "Environmental and Climate Justice Studies Minor." \$10,000.
- 2021 Co-Investigator (with Andrea Baldwin, PI). Departmental Diversity Grant, College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences, Virginia Tech. "Making All Black Lives Matter Course and Public Speaker Series." \$6,000.
- 2020 Co-Investigator (with Christine Labuski, PI and Cara Daggett, Co-I). Faculty Research Incentive Grant, College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences, Virginia Tech. "Feminist Energy Systems and the Pursuit of a Sustainable Future." \$8,000.
- 2020 Co-Investigator (with Christine Labuski, PI and Cara Daggett, Co-I). Sociology Department Faculty Research Grant. "Feminist Energy Systems and the Pursuit of a Sustainable Future." \$2,400.
- 2019 Principal Investigator (with Mike Hughes and Korine Kolivras, Co-Is). Institute for Culture, Society and Environment, Virginia Tech. "Mental Health and Quality-of-Life Effects of Living in a Pipeline Incineration Zone." \$7,500.
- 2019 Principal Investigator (with Mike Hughes and Korine Kolivras, Co-Is). Seed Grant, Fralin Life Science Institute, Virginia Tech. "Mental Health and Quality-of-Life Effects of Living in a Pipeline Incineration Zone." \$8,000.

- 2018 Principal Investigator, Niles Research Grant, College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences, Virginia Tech. "Mental Health Effects of Living in a Pipeline Blast Zone: A Pilot Study." \$4,000.
- 2018 Principal Investigator, Peace Building Program Grant, Center for Peace Studies and Violence Prevention, Virginia Tech. "The Common Ground Project: Developing a Community-Based Intervention to Address Political Polarization and Animosity in the American Public." \$7,000.
- 2018 Co-Investigator (with Rebecca Hester, PI and Emily Satterwhite, Co-I). Ecological and Rural Health in Human Communities Pilot Grant, Global Systems Science Destination Area, Virginia Tech. "Community Conversations for Health: A Preliminary Qualitative Study in Montgomery and Pulaski Counties." \$6,000.
- 2018 Faculty Fellow Research Support Funding, Global Forum on Urban and Regional Resilience, Virginia Tech. "The Common Ground Project: Developing a Community-Based Intervention to Address Political Polarization and Animosity in the American Public." Funding for one graduate student research assistant, two semesters (\$29,530).
- 2015 Summer Faculty Research Grant, Vice President for Research, University of Kentucky. \$7,000.
- 2010 Foreign Travel Grant, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Kentucky. \$1,200.
- 2009 Principal Investigator, Center for the Study of Women in Society Student Research Support Grant. University of Oregon. \$2,500.
- 2009 Co-Principal Investigator, Center for the Study of Women in Society Research Interest Group (RIG) Development Grant. University of Oregon. "Social Science Feminist Network Research Interest Group 2009-2010." (Continuation of collaborative research project on gender inequalities in the invisible work of academia) \$5,000.
- 2008 Co-Principal Investigator, Center for the Study of Women in Society Research Interest Group (RIG) Development Grant. University of Oregon. "Social Science Feminist Network Research Interest Group 2008-2009." (Funding for a collaborative research project on gender inequalities in the invisible work of academia) \$5,000.
- 2007 Principal Investigator, Center for the Study of Women in Society Student Research Support Grant. University of Oregon. \$2,100.

#### Other Grants

- 2004 West Virginia Legislative Budget Digest Grant. "Cabin Creek Community Wellness Campus Planning" \$5,000.
- 2003 Principal Investigator, Canaan Valley Institute Grant Program. "Cabin Creek Photovoice Project" \$4,500.
- 2003 Principal Investigator, The Greater Kanawha Valley Foundation Education, Arts and Culture Grant. "Cabin Creek Photovoice Project" \$2,000.
- 2003 Principal Investigator, West Virginia Bureau for Public Health Community-Based Initiative Physical Activity Grant. "Upper Kanawha Valley Walking for Wellness Campaign" \$20,000.
- 2002 Principal Investigator, West Virginia Bureau for Public Health Community-Based Initiative Physical Activity Grant. "A Step in the Right Direction toward a Healthier Clendenin" \$20,000.



- 2002 Principal Investigator, Midwest Health Professions Service-Learning Consortium Grant. "Teen Resource Guide and Peer Training Development" \$2,000.
- 2001 Principal Investigator, West Virginia University Diabetes Program. "Cabin Creek Diabetes Intervention Program" \$3,600.

### **UNFUNDED EXTERNAL GRANT PROPOSALS**

- 2022 PI (with John Munsell and Mary Hufford, Collaborators). "Environmental Imaginaries, Wild Harvesting Traditions, and the Forest Commons in Central Appalachia." National Endowment for the Humanities, \$149,999. (Submitted Oct. 2022)
- 2022 Co-I (with Benjamin Sovacool, PI, Lindsay Naylor, Kelsey Leonard, Cara Daggett, Christine Labuski, Myles Lennon, Jeremy Firestone, Julie Klinger, Robert Kaufman, and Cutler Cleveland). "From Mines to Prisons: Towards Anti-Racist, Feminist, and Whole-Systems Renewable Energy Justice." National Science Foundation. \$400,000.
- 2019 Principal Investigator (with Michael Hughes, Co-I, Korine Kolivras Co-I). "Mental Health and Quality-of-Life Effects of Living in a Pipeline Incineration Zone." Vibrant Virginia. \$12,000.
- 2018 Bridging the Divide: Developing a Community-Based Intervention to Address Political Polarization and Animosity in the American Public." Andrew Carnegie Fellows Program. \$200,000.
- 2015 Co-Investigator, "Creating a Culture of Health in Appalachia: Disparities and Bright Spots," Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and Appalachian Regional Commission. Lead organization: Kentucky Environmental Foundation. \$715,000.

### **INVITED TALKS**

#### Keynote Addresses, Named Lectureships, and Invited Plenary Sessions

- 2020 (cancelled) Keynote Address, University of Mary Washington Honors Symposium, Fredericksburg, Virginia. April 10. Symposium cancelled due to COVID-19.
- 2019 Distinguished Scholar, Socio-Environmental Synthesis Center (SESYNC) Postdoctoral Immersion Program, Qualitative Research Methods in the Social Sciences. Two interactive lectures given on interviewing methodology. Annapolis, Maryland. March 2019.
- 2018 Royal Geographical Society Annual International Conference, Chair's Plenary Panel: Landscapes of (In)Justice. Talk given: "Landscapes of Injustice: Mountaintop Removal Mining in the Appalachian Mountains of the United States." Cardiff, Wales. Aug. 28-31.
- 2018 Faculty of Arts Distinguished Speaker, Mount Royal University, Calgary, Alberta (Canada). March 14, 2018.
- 2017 Sherry Corbett Memorial Lecture, Miami University, Oxford, Ohio. November 9, 2017.
- 2017 Keynote Address, Penn State Rural Studies Conference, State College, Pennsylvania. October 28, 2017.
- 2016 Keynote Address, 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Herstory Conference, Eastern Kentucky University. March 24, 2016.
- 2015 Keynote Address (with Denise Giardina), The Global Water Crisis as it Relates to Appalachia, Catholic Committee on Appalachia Annual Conference, Charleston, West Virginia. September 19, 2015.

- 2014 Charlotte Schmidlapp Distinguished Lecturer in Women's Studies. Marshall University, Huntington, West Virginia. April 10, 2014.
- 2013 Jo Shoop Women's Symposium Lecture, Georgetown University, Georgetown, Kentucky. April 24, 2013.
- 2013 Keynote Address, Alpha Kappa Delta International Sociology Honor Society Induction, Georgetown College, Georgetown, Kentucky. January, 2013.
- 2013 F. Kevin Simon Environmental History Symposium, Sayre School, Lexington, Kentucky. February 2, 2013.

Other Invited Talks (selected)

- 2023 Southwest Virginia Native Plant Society. "Wild Harvesting Traditions and Economies in the Forest Botanicals Region of Central Appalachia." Christiansburg, VA. November 14.
- 2023 Sustainable Herbs Program Learning Journey for Industry Leaders. "Wild Harvesting Traditions, Economies, and Inequalities in Central Appalachia." Online presentation. September 26.
- 2023 Institute for Sustainable Energy and Environment Symposium, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA. "Centering Environmental Justice in Energy Transition Efforts." April 27.
- 2023 Power, History, and Society Working Group, University of Texas, Austin. Talk given: "Fighting King Coal: The Challenges to Micromobilization in Central Appalachia." February 8.
- 2022 Art for Environmental Justice and Frimpong Lab Eco-Theater Workshop, Moss Arts Center, Virginia Tech. Talk given with Emily Satterwhite: "The Human Effects of the Mountain Valley Pipeline." Nov. 9.
- 2022 Energy, Space/Place, and Gender Online Seminar Series, Energy Geographies Research Group, Royal Geographical Society. Talk Given: "Toward Feminist Energy Systems." May 13.
- 2021 Colby College Environmental Studies Seminar Series, Waterville, ME. November 2.
- 2021 Photovoice and Environmental Justice, Department of Art History, William & Mary College, Williamsburg, VA. Oct. 21.
- 2021 Science on Tap, College of Science, Virginia Tech. "Feminist Energy Systems." Talk given with Cara Daggett and Christine Labuski. September 22.
- 2021 Center for Social Justice Research, Training, and Service, Georgetown University Alternative Breaks Program. "Appalachian Women and the Fight for Environmental Justice." March 30.
- 2020 Actors Circle Ensemble PicPlays Series and Lecture Webinar, Event II: Environmentalism. Talk Given: "The Fight for Environmental Justice." June 13.
- 2020 Western Virginia Historical Society, Kegley Lecture Series. "Appalachian Women and the Fight for Environmental Justice." February 18.
- 2019 Women Resisting Extractivism and Bridging the Scholar-Activist Divide: Panel and Photovoice Exhibition, University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, Canada. September 27.

- 2019 Environmental Justice Workshop, Vanderbilt University. Talk Given: "Non-Action in the Face of Injustice: The Barriers to Environmental Justice Activism in Central Appalachia." March 15.
- 2018 Science & Technology Studies Department, Virginia Tech. Seminar Speaker. Talk Given: "Fighting King Coal: The Challenges to Micromobilization in Central Appalachia." November 30.
- 2018 Davidson College Department of Environmental Studies Colloquium Speaker. Talk Given: "Fighting King Coal: The Challenges to Micromobilization in Central Appalachia." November 12-13.
- 2018 Environmental Humanities Initiative Remote Lecture Series, University of California-Santa Barbara. Talk Given: "Protecting the Power to Pollute: Identity Co-optation, Gender, and the Public Relations Strategies of Fossil Fuel Industries." May 17-June 7.
- 2018 Washington & Lee University, Department of Sociology and the Shepherd Program for the Interdisciplinary Study of Poverty Invited Speaker. Talks given: "Fighting King Coal: The Challenges to Micromobilization in Central Appalachia" and "Sustainability without Environmental Justice? The Clean Air Act's Unintended Consequences as a Cautionary Tale for Solar Energy Development." May 14-15.
- 2018 Ecofeminisms Research Panel, University of North Carolina-Greensboro. Talk given: "Fighting Fire with Fire: Fossil Fuels and the Gendering of Public Relations Strategies." January 24, 2018.
- 2017 Global Forum on Urban and Regional Resilience Seminar Series, Virginia Tech. Talk given: "Cultural Manipulation, Friends of Coal, and the Socially Constructed Barriers to Resilience in Central Appalachia." December 7, 2017.
- 2017 Through Feminist Eyes Lecture Series, Virginia Tech. Talk given: "Fossil Fuel Industries and the Gendering of Public Relations Strategies," October 17, 2017.
- 2017 Women's Studies Lecture Series, Randolph Macon College. Talk given: "Fighting King Coal: The Challenges to Micromobilization in Central Appalachia," September 21, 2017.
- 2017 Dedication of the Pauline Canterbury Papers, University of Kentucky Special Collections Research Center, Lexington, Kentucky. Talk given: "Laughing through the Struggle: The Sylvester Dustbusters' Fight Against Big Coal." April 12, 2018.
- 2017 Scholar-Activist Panel: Pipelines, Politics, and the Power of Local Activism. Dimensions of Political Ecology Conference, Lexington, KY. February 24-25.
- 2016 Coal Collection Series, Bucknell University, Lewisburg, PA. October 6-7. Talks given:
  - "Fighting King Coal: The Challenges to Micromobilization in Central Appalachia" (Public lecture)
  - "Bridging Activism and the Academy through Photovoice" (Public lecture)
  - "Appalachian Mothers and Coal-Mining Men: Identities and the Gendering of Environmental Justice Activism in Central Appalachia" (Environmental Studies and Gender & Women's Studies classes)
- 2016 Teleconference Presentation, Alaska Community Action on Toxics. Talk given: "From Appalachia to Alaska: Coal Development and the Environmental Justice Movement." May 11.

- 2016 Whose Globalization? Whose Justice? Environmental & Climate Justice Hub Workshop, University of California, Santa Barbara. Talk given: "Climate Justice and the Challenge of Identity Correspondence in Fossil Fuel Extraction Communities." February 25-27.
- 2016 The Post-Carbon World: Advances in Legal and Social Theory, Trager Symposium, Brooklyn Law School, Brooklyn, New York. Talk given: "The Barriers to Mobilizing Grassroots Support for a Post-Carbon World: Lessons from Coal Country." February 19.
- 2015 "Advocacy 101 Workshop," (with Caroline Engle, Sarah Vahlkamp, and Tena Messer). Pipelines, Fracking, and Kentucky's Future Beyond Fossil Fuels Summit, Lexington, Kentucky. November 7, 2015.
- 2015 Environmental Studies Colloquium, University of Oregon. Talk given: "Fighting Fire with Fire: Fossil Fuel Industries and the Appropriation of Feminine Identities." October 27, 2015.
- 2015 Department of Global and International Studies Colloquium Series, School of International and Public Affairs, Florida International University. Talk given: "Our Roots Run Deep as Ironweed: Appalachian Women and the Fight for Environmental Justice." January 23, 2015.
- 2014 Sociology Colloquium, University of Tennessee-Knoxville. Talk given: "Fighting Fire with Fire: Fossil Fuel Industries and the Appropriation of Women's Environmental Justice Activist Identities." September 19, 2014.
- 2014 Georgia Workshop on Culture, Power, and History. University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia. Talk Given: "'They Are Bringing the Message Like No One Else Can': Fossil Fuel Industries and the Appropriation of Women's Grassroots Activist Identities." September 12, 2014.
- 2014 Invited Thematic Session: Environmental Climate Change and Social Inequality, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California. Talk Given: "Climate Change, Social Inequality, and Identity in the Era of Extreme Energy."
- 2014 Invited Lecture Series, Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Virginia, March 11-13, 2014. Talks given:
- "Our Roots Run Deep as Ironweed: Appalachian Women and the Fight for Environmental Justice" (Public Talk)
  - "Astroturfing in the Coal and Natural Gas Industries: Corporate Tactics for Suppressing Environmental Activism" (Sociology Colloquium)
  - "Promoting Social Justice and Participatory Democracy through the Feminist Activist Research Method of Photovoice" (Women's & Gender Studies Colloquium)
  - "Environmental Justice and Social Inequality" (Shepherd Program for the Interdisciplinary Study of Poverty & Human Capability Colloquium)
  - "'Coal Keeps the Lights On!' The Social, Environmental, and Public Health Costs of Living in a National Energy Sacrifice Zone" (Environmental Studies Program Lecture)
- 2014 Author Meets Critic Session for my book, *Our Roots Run Deep as Ironweed: Appalachian Women and the Fight for Environmental Justice*. Appalachian Studies Association Conference, Huntington, West Virginia.
- 2014 Invited Panelist, Dimensions of Political Ecology Conference, Book Session: Standing Up for the Mountains: Authors and Activists against Mountaintop Removal Mining. Lexington, KY.

- 2013 Center for the Study of Women in Society Fortieth Anniversary Celebration, University of Oregon. Talk given: "Women and the Fight for Environmental Justice." November 8, 2013.
- 2013 American Association of University Women, Georgetown College Chapter. Talk Given: "Appalachian Women and the Fight for Environmental Justice." September 23, 2013.
- 2013 Center for the Study of Democracy Colloquium, University of California-Irvine. Talk Given: "Beyond the Motherhood Narrative: Women Environmental Justice Activists and the Protector Identity." May 21, 2013.
- 2013 Dimensions of Political Ecology Conference, Lexington, Kentucky. Invited Panelist: Scholar-Activism Panel. March 2, 2013.
- 2012 "Women and the Fight for Environmental Justice in the Central Appalachian Mountains." Invited panelist, Session on Indigenous Social Movements in Mountain Regions. Global Mountains Regions Conference, Lexington, Kentucky. Oct. 25-27.
- 2011 (With Elizabeth Miller and the Social Science Feminist Network Research Interest Group) "The Burden of Invisible Work in Academia: Social Inequalities and Time Use in Five University Departments." Inequality in Academia Conference, University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon. May 13.
- 2011 Discussant for Barbara Ellen Smith's lecture, "Transforming Places: Towards a Global Politics of Appalachia." Place Matters Speaker Series, Appalachian Studies Program, University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky. April 14, 2011.
- 2011 "The Gender System as Industry Tool: Ideology Construction and Gendered Identities in the Coal, Timber, and Agrochemical Industries." Research Matters Lecture Series, Gender & Women's Studies Department, University of Kentucky. March 2.
- 2011 Discussant, Mining Panel, Dimensions of Political Ecology Conference, University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky. February 19, 2011.
- 2010 : "Crossing Borders: Out of the Ivory Tower and into the Community." Opening Panel, Crossing Borders: Inaugural Graduate Research Forum, University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon. April 30.
- 2009 "'Coal Keeps the Lights On': The Social, Environmental, and Public Health Costs of Living in a National Energy Sacrifice Zone." Environmental Science Colloquium Lecture, Whittier College, Whittier, California. April 13.
- 2008 "Our Roots Run Deep as Ironweed: Women and the Fight for Environmental Justice in the West Virginia Coalfields." Center for the Study of Women in Society Research Colloquium, University of Oregon.
- 2005 Plenary Session Speaker, Rural Culture: West Virginia's Legacy Conference Invited Panelist. 2005 White House Conference on Aging designated event. Morgantown, West Virginia. Talk Given: "The Cabin Creek Oral History Project: Promoting Intergenerational Understanding & Appreciation."
- 2004 Washington & Lee University, Shepherd Program for the Interdisciplinary Study of Poverty & Human Capability, Freshman Service Project Invited Speaker. Talk Given: "Poverty in Appalachia." War, West Virginia.
- 2004 Plenary Session Presenter, Rural Cultural Competence Conference, West Virginia University Center on Aging. Roanoke, West Virginia. Talk Given: "Photovoice: A Tool for Social Change and Civic Engagement."
- 2004 Plenary Session Presenter, Rural Cultural Competence Conference, West Virginia University Center on Aging. Roanoke, West Virginia. Talk Given: (With Amber Crist, Bell

first author) "Geriatric Cultural Competence and Service-Learning: Project Development."

- 2000 Public Lecture. Leyburn Library, Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Virginia. "The Serpent-Handing Church of the Lord Jesus."

### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

- 2023 "Pipelines and Power: Distress, Alienation, and Public Participation in Regulatory Agencies' Decision-making Processes." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Sociology of Law Section Session: Legality and Democratic Backsliding: Contemporary Historical Perspectives on the Rule of Law. August 17-21.
- 2022 (With John Munsell and undergraduate students Elly Loyd, Tyler Mizelle, Lily Mohr, Rachel Poteet, and Sophia Silis). "Sustaining Wild Harvesting Economies in Central Appalachia," Appalachian Collegiate Research Initiative Capstone Symposium, Appalachian Regional Commission, Arlington, VA. December 2-3.
- 2022 (With Thomas PlaHovinsak). Invited Speaker, Special Session on Post-Pipeline Land Valuation: "The Effects of the Mountain Valley Pipeline on Property Values in Two Virginia Counties," Property Rights and Pipelines Center Conference, New Orleans, LA. November 29.
- 2021 Invited speaker, Special Session: "Social Movements and the Dynamics of Co-optation." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Virtual. August 6-10.
- 2020 (cancelled) Invited speaker, Special Session: "Legacies and Trajectories in Critical Environmental Sociology." Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Eugene, Oregon. March 26-29. Conference cancelled due to COVID-19.
- 2020 (cancelled) "Living in the Blast Zone: The Mental Health and Quality-of-Life Impacts of the Mountain Valley Pipeline." Appalachian Studies Association Annual Meeting, Lexington, Kentucky. March 13-15. Conference cancelled due to COVID-19.
- 2019 (Second author with Sue Dockstader, first author). "Ecomodern Masculinity: An Examination of Biofuels' 'Real Men.'" American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, New York, New York. August 10-13.
- 2018 "Historical and Structural Factors Influencing Coal Loyalty in the Appalachian Coalfields." Invited Special Session: Between Declension and Nostalgia: The Logics and Lived Experiences of Politics, Culture, and Economics in the American Rust Belt. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. August 11-14.
- 2018 "Unintended Consequences and the Pursuit of a Post-Carbon World." Dimensions of Political Ecology Conference, Lexington, Kentucky. February 22-24.
- 2017 "'Sustainability' without Environmental Justice? The Clean Air Act's Unintended Consequences as a Cautionary Tale for Solar Energy Development." Environmental Sociology Paper Session: Sustainability: Ideologies and Practices. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Montréal, Québec, Canada. August 12-15.
- 2017 "Climate Justice and the Challenge of Alliance Building in Fossil Fuel Extraction Communities." Appalachian Studies Association Conference, Blacksburg, Virginia. March 9-12.

- 2017 "Non-Action in the Face of Injustice: The Barriers to Environmental Justice Movement Participation in Central Appalachia." Dimensions of Political Ecology Conference, Lexington, KY. February 24-25.
- 2015 (With Caroline Engle, Bell First Author) "'It Was Constant Lies': Deceptive Industry Tactics in the Effort to Build the Bluegrass Natural Gas Liquids Pipeline in Kentucky." Environmental Sociology Session. Association for Humanist Sociology Annual Meeting, Portland, Oregon.
- 2014 (With Jenrose Fitzgerald, Bell First Author) "Fossil Fuels and the Appropriation of Women's Activist Identities." Regular Paper Session: Environmental Movements, Inaction, and Inertia. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California.
- 2014 (With Sean P. Bemis) "Displacement in the Appalachian Coalfields: A Geospatial Analysis of Mountaintop Removal Mining and the Depopulation of Southern West Virginia." Presentation at the Dimensions of Political Ecology Conference. Paper Session: The Political Economy and Ecology of Coal Extraction in the World Economy Part II: Appalachia in Comparative Perspective. Lexington, KY.
- 2014 Panelist, "Strategies for Teaching Social Justice in Environmental Classes." Dimensions of Political Ecology Conference. Lexington, KY.
- 2013 "Born Fighting and Protecting: Appalachian Women and the Struggle Against King Coal." Presentation at the 2013 National Women's Studies Association Annual Conference. Paper Session: Appalachia Strong. Cincinnati, Ohio.
- 2013 "Beyond the Motherhood Narrative: Women Environmental Justice Activists and the Protector Identity." Presentation at the 2013 American Sociological Association Annual Conference. Regular Session: Environmental Sociology. New York, New York.
- 2013 (With Alicia Fisher and Lilian Brislen, graduate students). "Manipulating Masculinities: Agribusiness and the Rise of the Businessman Farmer." Presentation at the 2013 Rural Sociological Society Annual Conference. New York, New York.
- 2013 "Our Roots Run Deep as Ironweed: Appalachian Women and the Fight for Environmental Justice." Presentation at the 2013 Appalachian Studies Conference. Boone, North Carolina.
- 2012 "Feminist Activist Ethnography as Resistance to Neoliberal Lockdowns on Democracy: Exposing Environmental Injustices through Photovoice." Presentation at the 2012 American Sociological Association Annual Conference. Regular Session: Feminist Research Methods. Denver, Colorado.
- 2012 (With Richard York and Brett Clark) "The Feminism Question in Science." Presentation at the 2012 American Sociological Association Annual Conference. Denver, Colorado.
- 2012 "'I Can't Believe We're Breathing this Stuff!' Moving Campuses Beyond Coal through Community-Engaged, Team-Based Student Research." Presentation at the 2012 Association for Environmental Studies and Sciences Annual Conference. Santa Clara, CA, June 21-24.
- 2011 "Non-Action in the Face of Injustice: Barriers to Environmental Justice Movement Participation in Central Appalachia." Presentation at the 2011 Collective Behavior and

- Social Movements Pre-ASA Conference Workshop. University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada.
- 2011 (With Sean P. Bemis, Bell first author) "Hidden Destruction in the Appalachian Coalfields: G.I.S. Viewshed Analysis of Mountaintop Removal Coal Mining in Boone County, West Virginia." Presentation at the 2011 American Sociological Association Annual Conference. Las Vegas, Nevada.
- 2011 "Barriers to Environmental Justice Movement Participation among Local Coalfield Residents in Central Appalachia." Presentation at the 2011 Pacific Sociological Association Annual Conference. Environmental Justice Session. Seattle, Washington.
- 2010 "Promoting Social Justice and Participatory Democracy through the Feminist Activist Research Method of Photovoice." Presentation at the 2010 American Anthropological Association Annual Conference. Panel Session: Feminist Activist Ethnography: Re-Circulating Feminist Methods in the Wake of Neoliberalism. New Orleans, Louisiana.
- 2010 "Photovoice as an Innovative Method in Qualitative Research." Presentation at the 8<sup>th</sup> International Qualitative Research Conference. 6-8 September, Bournemouth University, Bournemouth, United Kingdom.
- 2010 (With Yvonne Braun, Bell first author) "Appalachian Mothers and Coal-Mining Men: Identities and the Gendering of Environmental Justice Activism in Central Appalachia." Presentation at the 2010 American Sociological Association Annual Conference. Regular Session: Transforming Normative Gender Orders. Atlanta, Georgia.
- 2010 "Photovoice and Group Action in the West Virginia Coalfields." Presentation at the 2010 Console-ing Passions Conference. Media Activism Panel. Eugene, Oregon.
- 2010 (With the Social Science Feminist Research Interest Group) "The Burden of Invisible Work in Academia: A Study of Time Use at the University of Oregon." Presentation at the 2010 Pacific Sociological Association Annual Conference. Inequalities in Academia Session. Oakland, California.
- 2009 (With Richard York, Bell first author) "Community Economic Identity: The Coal Industry and Ideology Construction in West Virginia." Presentation at the 2009 American Sociological Association Annual Conference. Regular Session: Framing and Theorizing the Environment. San Francisco, California.
- 2009 (With Yvonne Braun, Bell first author) "Photovoice as a Tool for Sociological Inquiry." Presentation at the 2009 Pacific Sociological Association Annual Conference. Innovations in Qualitative Research Session. San Diego, California.
- 2008 "Our Roots Run Deep as Ironweed: Women and the Fight for Environmental Justice in the West Virginia Coalfields." Presentation at the 2008 Pacific Sociological Association Annual Conference. Women and Empowerment Session. Portland, Oregon
- 2008 "The Cabin Creek Photovoice Project: Mobilizing for Change in the West Virginia Coalfields." Presentation at the 2008 Appalachian Studies Association Annual Conference. Huntington, West Virginia.
- 2008 "The Social Costs of Coal in the West Virginia Coalfields." Presentation at the 2008 Appalachian Studies Association Annual Conference. Huntington, West Virginia.
- 2007 "'There Ain't No Bond in Town Like there Used to Be: The Destruction of Social Capital in the West Virginia Coalfields.'" Presentation at the 2007 American Sociological Association Annual Conference. Social Capital Regular Session. New York, New York.



- 2005 "Photovoice as a Tool of Personal Empowerment: The Story of Cabin Creek." Presentation at the 2005 National Association of Social Workers Spring Continuing Education Conference. Charleston, West Virginia.
- 2001 "Beyond the Serpents: The Signs-Following Church of the Lord Jesus," Virginia Social Science Association Annual Meetings, Mary Washington College, Fredericksburg, Virginia.

### **PROFESSIONAL MEETING ORGANIZING**

- 2022 Session Organizer, Rural Sociology Regular Session, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, CA. August 5-9.
- 2018 Symposium Co-Organizer (with Sean Bemis and Jennifer Lawrence). "Rapid Geo-Risks: Social, Geoscience, and Engineering Perspectives on Risk and Resilience." Global Forum on Urban and Regional Resilience Symposium. Executive Briefing Center, Virginia Tech Research Center, Arlington, Virginia. December 16-18.
- 2018 Session Organizer. Culture and Identity Regular Session. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. August 11-14.
- 2017 Co-Organizer (with Nick Mullins). "Identity Politics, the 'War on Coal,' and Backlash to Environmentalism in Central Appalachia." Dimensions of Political Ecology Conference, Lexington, Kentucky, February 24-25.
- 2012 Co-Organizer (with Hilary Schaffer Boudet), Paper Session: "Energy and Society: Carbon Emissions and Social Change." Association for Environmental Studies and Sciences Annual Conference. Santa Clara, CA, June 21-24.
- 2012 Organizer, Paper Session: "Environmental Sociology: Social Movements and Social Change." Pacific Sociological Association Annual Conference, San Diego, CA. March 22-25.
- 2012 Organizer, Invited Panel: "Getting into Grad School: Choosing the Right Program and Creating a Successful Application." Pacific Sociological Association Annual Conference, San Diego, CA. March 22-25.
- 2011 Co-Organizer (with Hilary Schaffer Boudet), Thematic Session: "The Questions of Pre-Mobilization and Non-Mobilization in Social Movement Theory," Collective Behavior and Social Movements Section of the American Sociological Association Pre-Conference Workshop. University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada.
- 2011 Organizer, Invited Panel: "Getting into Grad School: Advice and Strategies that Work," Pacific Sociological Association Annual Conference, Seattle, Washington.
- 2010 Co-Organizer (with Ryanne Pilgeram), Paper Session: "Inequalities in Academia." Pacific Sociological Association Annual Conference, Oakland, California.
- 2010 Co-Organizer (with Ryanne Pilegeram), Invited Panel: "Collaborative Research: Experiences, Methods, and Challenges." Pacific Sociological Association Annual Conference, Oakland, California.
- 2009 Co-Organizer (with Yvonne Braun), Paper Sessions: "Innovations in Qualitative Research I & II." Pacific Sociological Association Annual Conference, San Diego, California.

### **INVITED SYMPOSIA, WORKSHOPS, and ROUNDTABLES**

- 2020 Just Transition and Climate Action Roundtable Workshop, sponsored by the German Embassy to the United States; the German Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, and Nuclear Safety; and the Delegation of the European Union to the United States. July 30.
- 2020 Exploring Civility and Engagement Initiatives Roundtable, Virginia Bar Association and University of Virginia Karsh Center for Law and Democracy. June-October.
- 2018 States of Exception Symposium, Washington & Lee University, Lexington, VA. September 22
- 2018 Energy Impacts Summit, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY. May 3-5.

### **TEACHING/ADVISING EXPERIENCE**

#### *Graduate Courses Taught*

- 2022 **Academic Writing II**, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2021, 22 **Academic Writing I**, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2020 **Foundations of Appalachian Studies**, Department of Sociology and Appalachian Studies Program, Virginia Tech
- 2019 **Social Inequality**, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2018 **Environmental Inequalities**, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2016 **Climate Change, Energy, and Society**, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky
- 2011 **Inequalities in the Global Environment**, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky

#### *Undergraduate Courses Taught*

- 2023 **Environmental Justice**, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2022 **Appalachian Community Research**, Appalachian Studies Program and Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2022 **Making All Black Lives Matter** (co-instructor with Dr. Andrea Baldwin), Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2021 **Applied Research**, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2019 **Social Inequality**, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2018 **Appalachian Community Research** (co-instructor with Drs. Emily Satterwhite, Julia Gohlke, and Linsey Marr), Appalachian Studies/Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2018 **Social Movements**, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2017 **Environmental Justice**, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2010, 13, & 17 **Environmental Justice**, Department of Sociology and Environmental & Sustainability Studies Program, University of Kentucky
- 2017 **Environmental Activism in Kentucky and Beyond**, Lewis Honors College, University of Kentucky
- 2015 **Energy & Society**, Greenhouse Environment & Sustainability Residential College, University of Kentucky
- 2014, 15 **Pathways and Barriers to Environmental Sustainability**, Greenhouse Environment & Sustainability Residential College, University of Kentucky

2012, 13	<b>Research Methods</b> , Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky
2011, 12, 13	<b>Sociology of Gender</b> , Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky
2011 (twice)	<b>Public Sociology</b> , Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky
2009	<b>Introduction to Social Research</b> , Department of Sociology, University of Oregon
2007	<b>Global Feminisms</b> , Women's and Gender Studies Department, University of Oregon

Independent Study & Research Courses Taught

2023	Undergraduate Research: Wild Harvesting Economies in Central Appalachia
2022	Undergraduate Research: Pipelines and Property Values Study
2020	Undergraduate Research: Mountain Valley Pipeline Impacts
2017	Environmental Sociology (graduate level)
2015	Independent Research in Natural Resources and Environmental Sciences (undergraduate)
2015	Research in Rural Sociology (graduate level)
2014	Internship Faculty Advisor (undergraduate level)
2013	Environmental Sociology (graduate level) – 3 students
2013	Gender Theory (graduate level)
2013	Environmental Justice (graduate level)
2013	Capstone Project Co-Advisor, Environmental & Sustainability Studies (undergraduate)

Graduate Student Committees

Ph.D. Committees:

Danielle Mullins, Sociology, Virginia Tech (ongoing) – Chair  
Philip Ray, Sociology, Virginia Tech (ongoing) – Chair  
Nicole Zdrojewski, Sociology, Virginia Tech (ongoing) - Chair  
Stephen Gerus, Sociology, Virginia Tech – Chair  
Amanda Burroughs, Sociology, Virginia Tech – Chair  
Anne Patrick, Sociology, Virginia Tech (ongoing)  
Chivonne Munroe, Sociology, Virginia Tech (ongoing)  
Caleb O'Brien, Forest Resources and Environmental Conservation, Virginia Tech (ongoing)  
Erin Nuckols, Environmental Design and Planning, Virginia Tech (ongoing)  
Leslie Robertson Foncette, Sociology, Virginia Tech (completed 2022)  
Ethan Gibbons, Sociology, Vanderbilt University (completed 2022)  
Katherine Ayers, Sociology, Virginia Tech (completed 2020)  
Tracy Glynn, Interdisciplinary Studies, University of New Brunswick, Canada (completed 2020)  
Katie Founds, Sociology, University of Kentucky (completed 2020)  
Judson Abraham, ASPECT, Virginia Tech (completed 2019)  
Kathryn Engle, Sociology, University of Kentucky (completed 2018)  
Alicia Fisher, Sociology, University of Kentucky (completed 2017) – Co-Chair  
Lilian Brislen, Sociology, University of Kentucky (completed 2017)  
Julie Shepherd-Powell, Anthropology, University of Kentucky (completed 2017)  
Erica Caton, Social Work, University of Louisville (completed 2016)  
John Johnson, Sociology, University of Kentucky (completed 2015)  
Lisa Conley, Sociology, University of Kentucky (completed 2014)

Master's Thesis Committees:

Cameron Baller, Sociology, Virginia Tech (completed 2023) – Chair  
Jenaya Amore, Sociology, Virginia Tech (completed 2023) – Co-Chair  
Caleb Gore, Political Science, Virginia Tech (completed 2022)

Laura Naccarato, Material Culture and Public Humanities, Virginia Tech (completed 2022)  
Emily Thorpe, Forest Resources and Environmental Conservation, Virginia Tech (completed 2022)  
Amanda Burroughs, Sociology, Virginia Tech (completed 2021)  
Jenrose Fitzgerald, Sociology, University of Kentucky (completed 2014) – Chair  
Samuel Keathly, Sociology, University of Kentucky (completed 2013) – Chair  
Amy Bush, Sociology, University of Kentucky (completed 2014)  
Julene Jones, Sociology, University of Kentucky (completed 2013)  
Alicia Fisher, Sociology, University of Kentucky (completed 2012)  
Lilian Brislen, Sociology, University of Kentucky (completed 2012)  
Michael Enku Ide, Sociology, University of Kentucky (completed 2012)  
Feng Hao, Sociology, University of Kentucky (completed 2011)

Undergraduate Student Thesis Committees

Rachel Dixon – Gaines Center Honors Thesis, University of Kentucky (completed 2017)  
Samuel Beavin - Gaines Center Honors Thesis, University of Kentucky (completed 2014)  
Nicole Schladt – Gaines Center Honors Thesis, University of Kentucky (completed 2014)  
Samantha Meador – Topical Studies Major Thesis, University of Kentucky (completed 2019)

Other Undergraduate Advising and Mentorship

**Virginia Tech Undergraduate Research:**

Wild Harvesting Economies in Central Appalachia, Spring 2023:

Elly Loyd, Neuroscience major  
Lily Mohr, Human Development major  
Sophia Silis, Psychology and Sociology major

Pipelines and Property Values Study, Spring 2022:

Benjamin Burch, Sociology major  
Thalia Seang, Sociology major  
Brady Jones, Sociology major  
Sydney McAdam, Psychology major

Effects of the Mountain Valley Pipeline on Rural Populations, Spring 2020:

Rachel Spector, Natural Resources and Environmental Science major  
Valerie Yoder, Sociology major  
Andrew Linza, Biochemistry major  
Ethan Hawkins, Accounting major  
Connor Davis, Accounting major

Undergraduate Research, Effects of the Mountain Valley Pipeline on Rural Populations, Fall 2020

Sophia Price, Sociology Major  
Andrew Linza, Biochemistry Major

**University of Kentucky Undergraduate Research**

Faculty Juror for Jacob Mattingly and Jonathan Elliot's Gaines Center Honors Project, "SustainLex"  
(completed 2015) University of Kentucky  
Research mentor, Caroline Engle, University of Kentucky (2014 - 2016)  
Research mentor, Riley Krieg, University of Kentucky (2016 - 2017)  
Sociology Major Advising, University of Kentucky (faculty advisor to four to five Sociology majors/year)

**INTERVIEWS IN DOCUMENTARY FILMS, PODCASTS, AND NEW MEDIA**

- *State of Power Podcast*, the Transnational Institute, (TNI, Amsterdam). Episode: “Ecofeminist Energy Systems” (with Cara Daggett and Christine Labuski). Forthcoming 2023.
- *Standpoints Podcast*, Virginia Tech Publishing. Episode: “Affrilachia” (with Andrea Baldwin, Earl White, and Adrienne Davis). September 2022. <https://open.spotify.com/episode/0NU00AT1SscRWcQWwbLHjn?si=ncPOMHKaR2iRI5qYflvmow&nd=1>
- *Protect What You Love*, an Appalachian Media Institute film produced by Mia Lazar. February 2022. <https://yr.media/health/fighting-the-mountain-valley-pipeline/>
- *Virginia Water Resources Research Center Podcast*. Episode: “Environmental Justice.” June 7, 2021. <https://www.vwrrc.vt.edu/2021/06/07/dr-shannon-bell-interviewed-by-water-center-intern-abby-spotswood/>
- *Gen(der) Ed Podcast*, Virginia Tech Women’s Center. Episode: “Women and Environmental Justice.” April 22, 2021. <https://www.womenscenter.vt.edu/Program/GenderEd.html>
- *SAGE Knowledge*, Environmental Sociology “expert in the field” interview for SAGE Video Experts. (November 2016) <http://sk.sagepub.com/video/shannon-elizabeth-bell-discusses-environmental-sociology>
- Fembot Collective, “Books Aren’t Dead” feature interview. February 2014. <https://fembot.adanewmedia.org/blog/2014/02/10/books-arent-dead-our-roots-run-deep-as-ironwood/>
- *Coal Cocked*, a film produced by Gene Bernofsky of World Wide Film Expedition about the environmental and health effects of the coal industry. 2013.
- *Agents of Change*, a film about the University of Oregon’s Center for the Study of Women in Society, 2013.

### **MASS MEDIA COVERAGE**

- 2021 National Public Radio’s *With Good Reason*. “A Woman’s Place.” March 26. Fifteen minute interview about my research on women’s activism in Central Appalachia. <https://podcastaddict.com/episode/120968743>
- 2018 *Daily Kos*. “New Study Shows that Black Lung Disease is back in ‘Epidemic’ Proportions” by Walter Einenkel. Quoted in article. <https://www.dailykos.com/stories/2018/2/6/1739191/-New-study-shows-that-Black-Lung-disease-is-back-in-epidemic-proportions>)
- 2017 *Inside Climate News*. “It Took this Coal Miner 14 Years to Secure Black Lung Benefits. How Come?” by David Hasemyer. Quoted in article. <https://insideclimatenews.org/news/07092017/coal-company-fights-black-lung-medical-benefits-appalachian-miner>)
- 2014 *The Frederick News Post*. “Buckeystown Native Explores Mountaintop Removal through Women’s Narratives” by Sylvia Carignan. May 15. [http://www.fredericknewspost.com/arts\\_and\\_entertainment/arts\\_and\\_entertainment\\_topics/books/buckeystown-native-explores-mountaintop-removal-through-women-s-narratives/article\\_f9d6fa1e-e4ad-5f94-8441-268eba65976e.html](http://www.fredericknewspost.com/arts_and_entertainment/arts_and_entertainment_topics/books/buckeystown-native-explores-mountaintop-removal-through-women-s-narratives/article_f9d6fa1e-e4ad-5f94-8441-268eba65976e.html)).
- 2014 *Earth Day FM Radio*. Hour-long internet radio program about my book on [www.earthday.fm](http://www.earthday.fm), April 22 and 24.
- 2013 *The Steve Fast Show*. Radio Interview about my book on WJBC (1230 AM/98.7 FM), Central Illinois, December 8. [http://www.stationcaster.com/player\\_skinned.php?s=711&c=6201&f=2187393](http://www.stationcaster.com/player_skinned.php?s=711&c=6201&f=2187393))

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- 2010 *The Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*. "For Coal People, Mining is their Lifeblood" (First of a three-part series) by Dennis B. Roddy and Daniel Malloy. November 21. Research cited in article. (<http://www.post-gazette.com/pg/10325/1105009-455.stm>)
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- 2009 National Public Radio's *Inside Appalachia*. "Boone County women document beauty, hardship with photos" by Erica Peterson. May 9. Four-minute NPR story on Photovoice research. (<http://www.wvpubcast.org/newsarticle.aspx?id=9432&terms=photovoice>)
- 2009 *The Charleston Gazette. (Sunday Gazette-Mail)* "Photovoice participants capture their West Virginia communities in images" by Sara Busse. April 12, p. 2F. Full-page article on Photovoice research in the Life & Style section. (<http://www.wvgazette.com/HomeandStyle/200904091028>)
- 2009 *The Logan Banner*. "Harts women tell stories through pictures" by Martha Sparks. April 30, p. A1. Front-page article on Photovoice research.
- 2009 *The Williamson Daily News*. "Photos voice the feelings nine women have for Lenore" by Julia Roberts Goad. April 4, p. A1. Front-page article on Photovoice research.
- 2009 *The Coal Valley News*. "Photo exhibit tells stories of communities using art" by Joanie Newman. April 2, pp. A1-2. Front-page article on Photovoice research.

### **PUBLIC SCHOLARSHIP**

- Forth-coming Ferguson, Victoria Persinger and Shannon Elizabeth Bell. "Beyond 'Hunting Grounds': Eastern Siouan-Speaking People and Land Stewardship in Southwest Virginia." Southwest Virginia Native Plant Guide, New River Valley Regional Commission.
- Forth-coming Shannon Elizabeth Bell and Victoria Persinger Ferguson. "The History, Culture, and Conservation of At-Risk Native Forest Botanicals in Southwest Virginia." Plant Native Southwest Virginia website, New River Regional Commission.
- 2022 Daggett, Cara N., Christine Labuski, and Shannon Elizabeth Bell. "Designing Feminist Energy Systems: Climate Politics Beyond 'Jobs' and 'Babies.'" Writers in Residence Series, Autonomy (United Kingdom) <https://autonomy.work/portfolio/feminist-energy-systems/>
- 2009 Bell, Shannon Elizabeth (Ed). *Through Their Eyes, In Their Words: Forty Women Telling the Story of Their Home: The Southern West Virginia Photovoice Project*. Charleston, West Virginia: Photographic Production Services.
- 2009 Bell, Shannon Elizabeth. "Coal Politics in the West Virginia Legislature." *Environment, Technology & Society Newsletter*. Section on Environment & Technology, American Sociological Association. Spring.
- 2007 Bell, Shannon. "This Summer's Story – Voices of Those Hurt by Mountaintop Removal Mining." *Winds of Change Newsletter*. Ohio Valley Environmental Coalition. December.

- 2006 Bell, Shannon E. *Photovoice: A Tool for Promoting Community Empowerment, Social Change and Cultural Education. A Manual for Facilitators*. Morgantown, West Virginia: West Virginia University Center on Aging/Mountain State Geriatric Education Center.
- 2006 Bell, Shannon E. *Bridging the Generations: A Manual for Initiating School-Based Oral History Projects*. Morgantown, West Virginia: West Virginia University Center on Aging/Mountain State Geriatric Education Center.
- 2006 Bell, Shannon E. *Listening to Understand, Not to Diagnose: Oral History as a Strategy for Promoting Cultural Competence and Increasing Interest in Aging Populations among Health Professions Students*. Morgantown, West Virginia: West Virginia University Center on Aging/Mountain State Geriatric Education Center.
- 2005 Bell, Shannon. "Connecting Youth to their Rural Roots: Place-Based Education in Southeastern Kanawha County, West Virginia." *Rural Roads*. 3(3): 26-30.
- 2003 Bell, Shannon and Jennifer Steele. "Service Learning and Community Engagement." pp.43-46 in Jeremy Morris and Jason Lobban (Eds.) *Creating Community in the Coalfields: West Virginia Community Design Team Flood Recovery Visit, Elkhorn Creek Watershed, McDowell County*. Morgantown, WV: West Virginia University Extension Service.

### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

- 2016-17 Mentor, Junior Scholar Mentorship Program, Environmental Sociology Section, American Sociological Association
- 2017 Robert Boguslaw Award Committee, Environmental Sociology Section, American Sociological Association.
- 2015-16 Teaching and Mentorship Award Committee, Teaching and Outreach Committee, Environment & Technology Section, American Sociological Association.
- 2013-15 Chair, Teaching and Outreach Committee, Environment & Technology Section, American Sociological Association.
- 2010-15 Task Force on Global Climate Change, Climate Justice Subcommittee, American Sociological Association.
- 2011-12 Editorial Review Board, *Organization & Environment*.
- 2011 Nominations Committee, Environment & Technology Section, American Sociological Association.
- 2009-13 Student Affairs Committee, Pacific Sociological Association.

### **Journal Manuscript Reviews:**

<i>American Journal of Sociology</i>	<i>Nature Climate Change</i>	<i>Energy Research &amp; Social Science</i>
<i>Social Problems</i>	<i>Social Science Research</i>	<i>Environmental Politics</i>
<i>Gender &amp; Society</i>	<i>Sociological Perspectives</i>	<i>Environmental Studies &amp; Sciences</i>
<i>Organization &amp; Environment</i>	<i>Qualitative Sociology</i>	<i>Population and Environment</i>
<i>Rural Sociology</i>	<i>Sage Open</i>	<i>Journal of Appalachian Studies</i>
<i>Journal of Rural Studies</i>	<i>Natural Hazard Review</i>	<i>Ecopsychology</i>
<i>Human Ecology Review</i>	<i>Violence Against Women</i>	<i>Capitalism Nature Socialism</i>
<i>Socio-Economic Review</i>	<i>Mobilization</i>	<i>Sociological Forum</i>
<i>Sociology of Health &amp; Illness</i>	<i>Social Currents</i>	

**Book Manuscript and Book Proposal Reviews:**

University of California Press  
 Oxford University Press  
 New York University Press  
 The MIT Press  
 Duke University Press  
 University of Nebraska Press  
 Tulane University Department of Sociology, Book conference discussant

**Grant Reviews**

External Reviewer, National Science Foundation, Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences – Sociology.

**UNIVERSITY AND COLLEGE SERVICE**

2021 Search Committee, Director of Climate Action, Sustainability, and Energy, Virginia Tech  
 2021 - Climate Action Living Laboratory Planning Committee, Virginia Tech  
 2021 - Solitude and Fraction House Committee, Office for Inclusion and Diversity, Virginia Tech  
 2021-22 Research Task Force, College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences, Virginia Tech  
 2020 Organizer and Convener, “Affrilachia: Black History and the Arts in Appalachia,” three-part public Zoom speaker series.  
 2019-20 Climate Action Commitment Working Group, Virginia Tech  
     Convener, Climate Justice Subcommittee  
     Member, Renewable Energy Subcommittee  
     Member, Energy Subcommittee  
 2019 - Faculty Participant, Virginia Tech for Climate Justice, Virginia Tech  
 2012-17 Faculty Advisor, Greenthumb Student Environmental Coalition, University of Kentucky  
 2010-17 Environmental & Sustainability Studies Executive Board, University of Kentucky  
 2010-17 Appalachian Center Program Board, University of Kentucky  
 2015 Chair, Committee on Graduate Training in Environmental Studies, University of Kentucky  
 2014 Selection Committee, Outstanding Teaching Award, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Kentucky  
 2013-15 Shepherd Higher Education Consortium on Poverty, Founding Board Member, University of Kentucky  
 2013 Committee to Revise the Evaluation of Teaching, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Kentucky  
 2013 University of Kentucky Dimensions of Political Ecology Conference Graduate Student Paper Award Selection Committee  
 2008-09 Co-Coordinator, Social Science Feminist Network Research Interest Group, Center for the Study of Women in Society, University of Oregon.  
 2007-08 Coordinator, Social Science Feminist Network Research Interest Group, Center for the Study of Women in Society, University of Oregon.



2007-08 Organizer, Social Science Feminist Reading Group, Center for the Study of Women in Society, University of Oregon.

### **DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE**

2021-23 Departmental Executive Community, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech  
 2022-12 Commencement Committee, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech  
 2022-23 Bylaws Committee, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech  
 2017-22 Graduate Committee, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech  
 2018-21 Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech  
 2021-22 Chair, Preliminary Exam Standing Committee, Environmental Sociology  
 2020-22 Preliminary Exam Standing Committee, Sociology of Gender  
 2020-21 Chair, Preliminary Exam Standing Committee, Social Movements  
 2020 Search Committee, Department Chair, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech  
 2020-21 Grant Proposal Subcommittee, Sociology Diversity Committee, Virginia Tech  
 2018-19 Community Conversations Committee, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech  
 2018 Ad hoc Graduate Curriculum Committee, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech  
 2017-18 Search Committee, Black Feminisms, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech  
 2017 Diversity Advocate, Black Feminisms Search Committee, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech  
 2017-18 Graduate Committee, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech  
 2017 Search Committee, Director, Environmental & Sustainability Studies Program  
 2016-17 Chair, Professional Development Committee, Dept. of Sociology, University of Kentucky  
 2016-17 Comprehensive Exam Theory Committee, Dept. of Sociology, University of Kentucky  
 2015-16 Undergraduate Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky  
 2014-15 Graduate Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky  
 2014-15 Personnel Committee (2 Searches), Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky  
 2014-15 Search Committee, Appalachian Studies Program/Appalachian Center, University of Kentucky  
 2013-14 Undergraduate Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky  
 2013-14 Professional Development Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky  
 2013-14 Speaker Series Committee, Environmental & Sustainability Studies Program  
 2011-13 Graduate Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky  
 2010-11 Professional Development Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky  
 2010-11 Undergraduate Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky  
 2007-08 Graduate Student Representative, Admissions and Awards Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Oregon  
 2006-07 Graduate Student Representative, Curriculum Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Oregon

### **Departmental Workshops and Talks Given**

2022 Doing Interdisciplinary Research, Community Conversations Symposium, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tec.  
 2019 Scholar-Activism Panel, Community Conversations Brown Bag Symposium, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech.

- 2019 Paths to Academia Panel, Community Conversations Brown Bag Symposium, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech.
- 2019 Navigating the Academic Job Market, Community Conversations Brown Bag Symposium, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech.
- 2017 (With Robin Brown) "Navigating the Academic Job Market." Professional Development Panel, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky.
- 2016 (With Carrie Oser and Tony Love) "Finding a Work-Life Balance." Professional Development Panel, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky, November 28.
- 2016 (With Janet Stamatel) "CV Workshop for Graduate Students." Professional Development Workshop, Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky, November 21.
- 2013 (With Dwight Billings) "Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About Book Publishing." Professional Development Workshop. Dept. of Sociology, Univ. of Kentucky, October 23.
- 2011 "Opportunities for Community-Based Research for Students in the Lexington Area." Professional Development Talk. Dept. of Sociology, Univ. of Kentucky, Oct. 14.

### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND RESEARCH GROUPS**

- Collaborator* "Gender and Energy Annex" of the Technology Collaboration Programme, International Energy Agency (<https://userstcp.org/annex/gender-energy-annex/>).
- Member* American Sociological Association. Section memberships: Environment and Technology; Collective Behavior and Social Movements; Sex and Gender.
- Member* Society for Human Ecology
- Member* Appalachian Studies Association
- Member* Rural Sociological Society

### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

- 2021 - Science and Technical Advisory Committee, Wild Virginia
- 2015-19 Board of Trustees Member, Future Generations University, Franklin, West Virginia.
- 2010-12 Volunteer Researcher, Kentuckians For The Commonwealth, London, Kentucky.
- 2008-10 Volunteer Researcher, Ohio Valley Environmental Coalition, Huntington, West Virginia.
- 2006-10 Volunteer Researcher, Coal River Mountain Watch, Whitesville, West Virginia.
- 2000-05 Kanawha County Health Sciences & Technology Academy Local Governing Board
- 2004-05 Bonner Scholar Mentor for Washington and Lee University.
- 2002 Community Design Team Member, Elkhorn Creek Watershed Flood Recovery Visits, McDowell County, West Virginia. West Virginia University Extension Service.