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2003 **Ph.D.** Sociology, Northeastern University. Boston, MA
1994 **M.A.** Sociology, Northeastern University. Boston, MA
1986 **B.A.** Economics and Music, Padma Kanya College
 Tribhuvan University, Kathmandu, Nepal

2011–present	<i>Co-Chair, Women’s and Gender Studies Minor Program</i> Southern Utah University, Cedar City, UT
2014–present	<i>Associate Professor, Department of History & Sociology</i> Southern Utah University, Cedar City, UT
2007–2014	<i>Assistant Professor, Department of History & Sociology</i> Southern Utah University, Cedar City, UT
2006–2007	<i>Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology</i> Eastern Connecticut State University, Willimantic, CT
2004–2006	<i>Assistant Professor in Residence, Department of Sociology</i> University of Connecticut-Storrs, CT
2003–2004	<i>Assistant Professor in Residence, Women’s Studies Program</i> University of Connecticut-Storrs, CT
1995–2002	<i>Lecturer, University College,</i> Northeastern University, Boston, MA
1995–2002	<i>Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology and Anthropology</i> Northeastern University, Boston, MA

Gender, Work, and Globalization
South Asia and International Studies
Ethnography/ Feminist Research
Methodology
Migration, Diaspora, and Transnationalism
People, Culture, and Society in Cross-
Cultural Perspectives

Peace, Social Justice, and Human Rights
in Global Contexts
Political Economy of Human Trafficking
and the Sex Trade
Social Stratification (race/ethnicity, caste,
class, gender, nationality, citizenship)

Courses Taught

Women's Week-HSS 2940; HSS 2920
Introduction to Women's and Gender
Studies: WGS 2010
Senior Capstone
Popular Culture
Gender and Work
Political Sociology
Independent Study
Sociological Internship
Global Popular Culture
SUU Nepal Studies Program
Introduction to Sociology
Global Issues in Sociology
Modern Social Problems
Environmental Sociology
Sociology of Health and Illness
Cultures and Religions in Nepal
Transnationalism and Diasporas
Gender & Society in International
Perspectives
Senior Seminar

Research Methods
Sociology of Gender and Sex Roles
Sociology of Marriage and the Family
Social Problems
Sociology of Gender
Sociology of the Family
Race, Class, and Gender
Women and Violence
Feminism and the Arts
Gender in a Global Perspective
Family Violence
Family Relations
Gender in the Workplace
Sex and Gender Roles in Society
Cultural Diversity in the Workplace
People and Cultures
Cultures of the World
Sociology of the Family
Introduction to Sociology
Introduction to Sociology
Global Market and Local Culture

PUBLICATIONS

Nepali Migrant Women: Survival and Resistance in America.
New York: Syracuse University Press, 2015.

"Dynamics and Ramifications of US Immigration and Visa Policies: Nepali Transnational Workers, Families, and Children in the United States." In *Living Together, Living Apart: Mixed Status Families and US Immigration Policy*, edited by April Schueths and Jodie Lawston, Pp. 214-228. Seattle: University of Washington Press, 2015.

"Fluidity and Realities of Race, Class, and Gender: Different Places, Times, and Contexts." In *Routledge International Handbook of Race, Class, and Gender*, edited by Shirley Jackson, Pp. 207-219. New York: Routledge, 2014.

"Sex Trafficking and the Sex Trade Industry: The Processes and Experiences of Nepali Women." *The Journal of Intercultural Studies*. Vol. 35. Pp.166-184, 2014.

"Shifting Gender Roles and Shifting Power Relations: Immigrant/Migrant Nepali Families in New York and Los Angeles." In *Living Diaspora—family, education and identity*, edited by Georgina Tsolidis, Pp. 191-202. Springer Publishing Company, 2014.

"Gendered Labor: Experiences of Nepali Women Within Pan-Ethnic informal Labor Markets in Boston and New York." In *Immigrant Workers: in the Neoliberal Age*, edited by Nilda Flores-Gonzalez et al., Pp. 81-95. Champaign: University of Illinois Press, 2013.

“Nepali Female Migrants and Informalization of Service and Care Work: Service or Servitude?” *The Journal of Workplace Rights*. Vol 14. Pp. 375–396, 2010.

“Growing Up Hindu: Mapping the Memories of a Nepali Woman in the United States.” In *Living Religions: South Asian Hindu and Muslim Women Narrate Their Experiences*, edited by Anjana Narayan and Bandana Purkayastha, Pp. 195-210. Hartford: Kumarian Press, 2008.

“Human Trafficking.” In *Encyclopedia of Race and Racism*. Macmillan Library Reference, Vol 2. Pp. 134–138, 2007.

“Women Weavers in Nepal: Between Global Market and Local Craft Production.” In *Power of Women’s Informal Networks: Lessons in Social Change from South Asia and West Africa*, edited by Bandana Purkayastha & Mangala Subramaniam, Pp. 89-104. Lanham: Lexington Books Publisher, 2004.

WORKING MANUSCRIPTS

“Service-Learning Courses: Linking Classroom Discourses with Public Debates and Community Issues.” To be submitted to *Teaching Sociology*.

“Exploring Public Sociology: Transcending Teaching and Learning Beyond the Classroom.” To be submitted to *Teaching Sociology*.

AWARDS, GRANTS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

2019	HSS Summer Research Grant - Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2019	Faculty Scholarly Support Fund - Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2019	Faculty Development Support Grant - Center for Teaching and Learning, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2018	Curriculum Innovation Grant - Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2017	Affiliate Faculty, South Asia Center - The Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies, University of Washington - Seattle, WA
2017	Visiting Research Fellow - East-West Center and Sociology Department, University of Hawaii - Manoa, Honolulu, HI
2017	SUU Influencer Award Nomination - Division of Student Affairs and Career & Professional Development Center, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2017	Faculty Development Support Grant - Center for Teaching and Learning, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2016	Distinguished Faculty Scholarly Award - Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2014	Utah Campus Compact 2014 Engaged Scholar - SUU - Cedar City, UT
2014	Achievement in Experiential Learning - Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2014	Faculty Scholarly Support Fund - Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2013	Faculty Scholarly Support Fund - Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2012	Nomination, T-Birds Award for Professor of the Year - SUU - Cedar City, UT
2011	Faculty Development Support Grant - Center for Teaching and Learning,

	Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2011	The Provost's Faculty Development Grant - SUU - Cedar City, UT
2010	The Provost's Faculty Development Grant - SUU - Cedar City, UT
2010	The Service Fellow Award - Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2010	Labor, Migration, and Gender Conference Travel Grant - University of Illinois-Chicago and the Ford Foundation
2009	The Ford Foundation Research Grant - University of Illinois - Chicago, IL
2009	T-Birds Award for Professor of the Year - SUU - Cedar City, UT
2009	T-Birds Finalist for Advisor of the Year - SUU - Cedar City, UT
2009	Labor, Migration, and Gender Conference Travel Grant - University of Illinois-Chicago and the Ford Foundation
2009	The Provost's Faculty Development Grant - SUU - Cedar City, UT
2008	The Provost's Faculty Development Grant - SUU - Cedar City, UT
2006	Research Fellowship - Institute for Asian American Studies, University of Massachusetts - Boston, MA
2004	Offered Research Associate - the Five College Women's Studies Research Center, Mount Holyoke College - South Hadley, MA
2003	Intercultural Leadership Award - International Student & Scholar Institute, Northeastern University - Boston, MA
2003	Phi Beta Delta - Northeastern University - Boston, MA
2003	Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges - Northeastern University - Boston, MA
2002	International Student Merit Scholarship - International Student & Scholar Institute, Northeastern University - Boston, MA
2001–2002	Teaching Assistant - Northeastern University - Boston, MA
2000	Travel Award - University of Edinburgh - Edinburgh, UK
1996–1997	Teaching Assistant - Northeastern University - Boston, MA
1994–1995	Teaching Assistant - Northeastern University - Boston, MA
1992–1994	Tuition Scholarship - Northeastern University - Boston, MA
1993	The Marian Wright Edelman Scholarship - Cincinnati, OH
1983	Winner of the Inter-College Essay Competition - Central Bank of Nepal, on "The Economic Condition of Nepal." Padma Kanya College, Tribhuvan University - Kathmandu, Nepal

RESEARCH ROLES AND CONSULTING EXPERIENCE

2019	Qualitative Fieldwork: Salt Lake City, UT and Seattle, WA - <i>Bhutanese Refugees and their Journey to the U.S</i>
2017	Principal Investigator: Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2007–2014	Principal Investigator: Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT - <i>Invisible Migrants in a Global Economy: The Case of Nepali Women in the U.S.</i>
2005–2007	Co-Investigator: University of Connecticut - Storrs, CT - <i>Invisible Migrants in a Global Economy: The Case of Nepali Women in the U.S.</i>
2004–present	Research Associate: Northeastern University - Boston, MA - Northeastern Environmental Justice Research Collaborative
2002–2003	Research Associate: Institute of Race and Justice, Northeastern University - MA - <i>A Content Analysis of the Hip-Hop Community's Response to Public Media Controversies: A Study of Collective Action and Activism Among Youth—A Two Year Study.</i>

- 1998–2001 **Fieldwork Experience:** Nepalese cities of Kathmandu, Patan, and Bhaktapur
- Extensive fieldwork research for dissertation (*Women in Factory-Based and Home-Based Carpet Production in Nepal: Beyond the Formal and Informal Economy*)
- 2000 **Field Supervisor:** Department of International Development (DFID), UK
Economic Social Committee for Overseas Research (ESCOR)
- Designed, planned, and coordinated fieldwork, and prepared the report, “Children’s Lives in the Carpet Factory,” for the ESCOR project, Kathmandu, Nepal
- 1999 **Research Consultant:** Kathmandu Mission Office, Asian Development Bank
- Met with stakeholders, politicians, and bureaucrats, and performed liaison work between the Ministry of Finance and the Asian Development Bank. Planned, developed, and conducted several research projects; prepared questionnaire and interview questions; conducted in-depth interviews; performed data coding and entry; performed data analysis; and prepared reports
- 1998 **Consultant:** The World Conservation Union (IUCN) Kathmandu, Nepal
- Conducted fieldwork and research; collaborated on report-writing for the Environmental Impact Assessment Good Practice Guide for Rural Infrastructure Activities
- 1997–1998 **Field Supervisor:** Development, Communication and Research Consultancy Group (DECORE) Kathmandu, Nepal
- Designed, planned, and supervised various research projects and prepared reports for DECORE on a USAID and Asia Foundation research project on the empowerment of women in Nepal
- 1995 **Research Assistant:** Department of Sociology and Anthropology Northeastern University - Boston, MA
- Assisted in data collection, review, and analysis for a special project on violence
 - Principal Investigator: Prof. Jack Levin

REVIEWING AND EDITING

- 2018 Manuscript reviewed for *Women's Studies Quarterly* New York: City University of NY
- 2018 Book Manuscript reviewed, *Enchanted Nepal* with Scholastic Inc. New York
- 2016 Manuscript reviewed for *Qualitative Sociology* at Storrs: University of Connecticut
- 2014 Manuscript reviewed for a multidisciplinary journal, *Women, Gender, & Families of Color* at Chicago: University of Illinois
- 2012 Manuscript reviewed for *Journal of Service-Learning in Higher Education* at San Francisco: San Francisco University
- 2011 Manuscript reviewed for *Journal of Workplace Rights*. New Jersey: Baywood Publishing
- 2010 Manuscript reviewed for *Gender and Society* at Manhattan: Kansas State University
- 2009 Manuscript reviewed for *Gender and Society* at Manhattan: Kansas State University
- 2008 Manuscript reviewed for *Gender and Society* at Manhattan: Kansas State University
- 2006 Manuscript reviewed for “Body Evidence” at New Jersey: Rutgers University
- 2004 Manuscript reviewed for *Gender and Society* at Austin: Univ. of TX
- 1999 Reviewed and edited Reproductive Health Profile Briefing Book, “Setting Reproductive Health Program Priorities.” The *POLICY Project: The Futures Group International*, Washington, D.C.
- 1997 Reviewed and contributed to the new edition of “Our Bodies, Our Selves” for *Boston Women’s Health Book Collective*, Somerville, MA

REFEREED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Aug 2018 **Teaching Service Learning and Community Engagement** at American Sociological Association Annual Meeting in Philadelphia, PA
- Presented at the Teaching and Learning Symposium
- Apr 2014 **Southern Utah University Study Abroad in Nepal: Experiential Learning and Global Civic Citizenship** at the South Asian Studies Association Annual Conference in Salt Lake City, UT
- Presented along with the AKD students
- Aug 2013 **Nepali Migrant Women, their Husbands, and their Transnational Lives: Power and Paradoxes** at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting in NY, NY
- Feb 2013 **Teaching Service-Learning Courses: Possibilities and Challenges** presentation at the Sociologist for Women in Society in Albuquerque, NM
- Aug 2012 **From Migration to Citizenship: Transnational Workers, Families, and Children** at the Second ISA Forum of Sociology in Buenos Aires, Argentina
- Distributed paper in the session “Migrating Out of the Home and Into the Gendered and Racialized Globalized Market of Household Labor”
- Jul 2011 **Ethnography of Intersectionality: Nepali Transnational Mothers in the United States** presentation at the Netherlands Association for Gender Studies and Feminist Anthropology’s Second International Conference in Amsterdam
- Mar 2011 **Exploring Public Sociology: Transcending Teaching and Learning Beyond the Classroom** presentation at the 82nd Pacific Sociological Association (PSA) Annual Meeting in Seattle, WA
- Jul 2010 **Transnational Nepali Women Workers: Shifting Gender Roles and Shifting Power Relations** presentation at the XVII World Congress of Sociology, International Sociological Association in Gothenburg, Sweden
- Jul 2010 **Globalization of Human Trafficking and Sex Workers: Cases from Nepal, India, and Turkey** at the XVII World Congress of Sociology, International Sociological Association in Gothenburg, Sweden
- Co-presentation with Dr. Nahide Knok (Abant Izzet University, Turkey)
- Aug 2009 **Becoming a Transnational Worker: Between Formal and Informal Economic Sectors** presentation at the 6th International Carework Conference (ICC) in San Francisco, CA
- Aug 2009 **Teaching about Inequality: Challenges, Strategies, and Visions** presentation at the Society for the Study of Social Problems (SSSP) Annual Meeting in San Francisco, CA
- Mar 2009 **Dynamics of Gendered/Racialized Labor: Examining the Experiences of Nepali Women in Informal Labor Markets in Boston and New York** at the Labor, Migration, and Gender Conference at University of Illinois-Chicago in Chicago, IL
- Co-presented with Dr. Bandana Purkayastha
- Sep 2008 **Human Trafficking and the Sex Trade: Telling the Tales of Nepali Women**
Presented at the First International Sociological Association (ISA) Forum of Sociology in Barcelona, Spain
- Sep 2008 **The Case of Nepali Female Migrants in Boston and New York**
Presented at the First International Sociological Association (ISA) Forum of Sociology in Barcelona, Spain
- Apr 2008 **Invisible Migrants in the Informal Global Economy: The Case of Nepali Women in the US** presentation at the Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting in

- Portland, OR
- Mar 2005 **Labor, Gender, and the Informal Economic Sectors: The Case of Nepali Women in Boston** at the Women's Studies Program 18th Annual Conference on Women and Gender at University of Connecticut in Mansfield, CT
- Sisterhood is Global: From Theory to Practice
- Oct 2005 **Multiple Identities and Shifting Boundaries in Feminist Ethnographic Research** University of Connecticut-Storrs in Mansfield, CT
- Workshop for Activist Research on Human Rights and Institutional Ethnography
- Oct 2005 **Photographing the Carpet Weaving Women of Nepal** at Southern Connecticut State University Women's Studies Program 15th Annual Conference at Southern Connecticut State University in New Haven, CT
- Asian and Pacific Women: Indigenous and Diasporic
- Aug 2005 **The Factory World: The Intersection of Gender, Caste, Class, Ethnicity, and Kinship** presentation at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting in Philadelphia, PA
- Jul 2005 **Photographic Exhibition: Women Carpet Weavers in Nepal** at University of Connecticut-Hartford in Hartford, CT
- Feb 2005 **Photographic Exhibition: Women Carpet Weavers in Nepal** at Cambridge Center for Adult Education in Cambridge, MA
- Oct 2004 **Trafficking, the Sex Trade, and Violence Against Women in Nepal: Communities' and NGOs' Responses** presentation at the third International Conference on Urban Health in Northeastern University in Boston, MA
- Apr 2004 **Violence Against Women - Work in the Carpet Factory, Trafficking, and the Sex Trade: Who is to Blame? Poverty, Patriarchy, or Something Else?** International Research and Action Conference for Wellesley Centers for Women at Wellesley College in Wellesley, MA
- Innovations in Understanding Violence Against Women.
- Apr 2004 **Photographic Exhibition: Weaving Together: Work, Family, and Community** Code Red: A Feminist Call to Action. New England Women's Studies Association and University of Connecticut, Women's Studies Program 16th Annual Conference on Women and Gender at University of Connecticut in Mansfield, CT
- Aug 2003 **Entrepreneurialism, Capitalism, and Informalization in Carpet Manufacturing Sectors of Nepal** presentation at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting in Atlanta, GA
- Aug 2003 **Multiple Identities and Shifting Boundaries: Insider Research in Marginalized Communities** at the Society for the Study of Social Problems annual meeting in Atlanta, GA
- Co-presented with Dr. Lorna Rivera
- Aug 2003 **Beyond Insider and Outsider Research Roles** at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting in Atlanta, GA
- Co-presented with Dr. Lorna Rivera
- Aug 2002 **Women in Home-based and Factory-based Carpet Production in Nepal** Presentation at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting in Chicago, IL
- Aug 2002 **Women Carpet Weavers: Managing Productive and Reproductive Work** Poster presentation at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting in Chicago, IL
- Mar 2002 **Women and Girls in the Carpet Manufacturing Sectors in Nepal** presentation at the Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting in Boston, MA

- Sep 2000 **Women's and Girls' Lives: Beyond the Formal and Informal Carpet Factories**
Presentation at the 16th European Conference on Modern South Asian Studies in
Edinburgh, UK
- Mar 1996 **Women and Carpet Production in Nepal** presentation at the Eastern Sociological
Society in Boston, MA
- Aug 1995 **Women, Home, and Family** presentation at the American Sociological Association
Annual Meeting in Washington, D.C.

INVITED GUEST LECTURES, PANELS, AND COLLOQUIA

- Jul 18, 2019 **Bhutanese Refugees and their Journey to the U.S.**
Dhulikhel Hospital - Kathmandu University, Nepal
- Jul 17, 2019 **Gendered Labor and Migration**
Orchid International College, Gender Studies - Kathmandu, Nepal
- Apr 3, 2019 **Panel Discussion, Feminist Theory**
FLHD Family Processes and Theory Course, SUU - Cedar City, UT
- Nov 13, 2019 **Panel Discussion, Feminist Theory**
FLHD Family Processes and Theory Course, SUU - Cedar City, UT
- Jul 24, 2018 **Ajaka Nari (Today's Women)**
Invited Guest for a Radio Interview - Radio Nepal - Kathmandu, Nepal
- Mar 20, 2017 **Nepali Migrant Women: Resistance & Survival in America**
Invited Guest Speaker. Co-Sponsors: Research Program, East-West Center and
Sociology Department, University of Hawaii - Manoa, Honolulu, HI
- Oct 24, 2016 **Nepali Female Migrants: Survival and Resistance in America**
Invited Guest Speaker. Utah Humanities Book Festival, Salt Lake Public Library - UT
- Sep 29, 2016 **Nepali Female Migrants: Survival and Resistance in America**
Invited Guest Speaker and Book Signing Event. Sponsored by the Center for South Asia,
University of Wisconsin-Madison - Madison, WI
- May 5, 2016 **Nepali Female Migrants: Survival and Resistance in America**
Invited Guest Speaker and Book Signing Event. Co-Sponsored by the South Asia
Center and Department of Sociology, University of Washington - Seattle, WA
- Mar 7, 2016 **Nepali Female Migrants: Survival and Resistance in America**
Keynote Speaker, Women's International Day. Organized by the Nepali Women's
Global Network, Massachusetts Institute of Technology - Boston, MA
- Mar 17, 2014 **Women's Issues in Nepal: Challenges and Accomplishments**
Panel Presentation (with Ms. Bandana Rana), Co-Sponsored by the Sociologists for
Women in Society and the Commission on the Status of Women NGO Forum 58,
United Nations Headquarters - New York, NY
- Jun 2, 2013 **Gender, Migration, and Transnational Community Building**
Invited Guest Lecture, Padma Kanya Multiple College, Tribhuvan University - Nepal
- Apr 11, 2012 **Post Screening (Documentary, *The Day My God Died*) Q & A Session**
Panelist with Anuradha Koirala (Founder of Maiti Nepal) and Geralyn Dreyfous
(Executive Producer of the documentary *Born into Brothels*.) Rose Wagner Performing
Arts Center - Salt Lake City, UT
- Mar 5, 2012 **Women's Agency and Activism: From Local to Global Community**

	Panel Presentation, Co-Sponsored by the Sociologists for Women in Society and the Commission on the Status of Women NGO Forum 56, United Nations Headquarters - New York, NY
Spr 2012	Women and Gender Studies Minor Program Panel Presentation, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Feb 2012	Invited Speaker <i>Working with Community Partners: Experiences and Insights</i> Utah Campus Compact Moab Faculty Retreat - Moab, UT
Sum 2011	Invited Session Discussant for two sessions “Development and Gender” and “Heterogeneity, Migration and Asian-Americans.” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting - Las Vegas, NV
Fall 2010	Invited Guest Speaker <i>South Asian Cultures and Societies</i> . Dr. Kholoud Al-Qubbaj’s Introduction to Diversity Course, SUU - Cedar City, UT
Spr 2011	Invited Guest Speaker <i>Gender, Cultures, and Festivals in Nepal</i> . Dr. Michiko Kobayashi’s Introduction to Education Course, SUU - Cedar City, UT
May 2010	Invited Conference Participant <i>Research and Activism in the Neoliberal Age: Building Partnerships and Coalitions for Social Justice</i> - University of Illinois and the Ford Foundation-LMG Project - Chicago, IL
Mar 2010	The Asian American Studies Institute Special Invited Guest and Commentator <i>Hope in Hard Times: The Human Rights of Domestic/Household Workers</i> - Human Rights Conference, University of Connecticut-Storrs - Mansfield, CT
Spr 2010	Invited Guest Speaker in Introduction to Diversity Course <i>Hinduism and Women’s Everyday Lives in Nepal</i> , SUU - Cedar City, UT
Fall 2009	International Week’s Speaker <i>Images and Realities: Women in South Asia</i> , SUU - Cedar City, UT
Sum ‘09	Guest Speaker in Quest Leadership Conference <i>Teaching and Learning about Diversity</i> , Admissions Office, SUU - Cedar City, UT
Aug 2009	Invited Guest Speaker <i>Invisible Migrants in a Global Economy: The Case of Nepali Women in the U.S.</i> - Asian American Institute, University of Massachusetts - Boston, MA
Spr 2009	Invited Guest Speaker in Cultural Anthropology <i>Women, Carpets, and Culture</i> , Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Fall 2007	Invited Guest Speaker in Social Theory <i>Theorizing Gender and Religion</i> , University of Nevada-Las Vegas - Las Vegas, NV
Fall 2007	Invited Guest Speaker in Sociology of Religion course <i>Gender, Hinduism, and Women’s Lives</i> , Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Spr 2007	Invited Guest Speaker in Introduction to Women’s Studies <i>Gendered Labor and Globalization</i> , Eastern Connecticut State University-Windham, CT
Sum ‘06	Invited Guest Speaker in Cambridge Center for Adult Education <i>Women Weavers</i> - Cambridge Boston, MA
Fall 2006	Invited Guest Speaker in Women’s Health Seminar, University of Connecticut-Storrs
Spr 2005	Invited Guest Speaker in Gender in a Global Perspective, University of Connecticut
Fall 2004	Invited Guest Speaker in Women’s Health Seminar, University of Connecticut-Storrs
2004	Invited Guest Speaker at the Boston Center for the Arts, <i>Body and Sold</i> - Boston, MA
2003	Invited Guest Speaker at the Cragin Memorial Library, <i>Series of Discussions on Diversity</i> - Colchester, CT

Sum '98	Invited Guest Lecturer in Local Level Training Workshop <i>Integrating Environmental and Gender Concerns in Development Planning, a Prospect at the Local Level</i> - The World Conservation Union - Pokahra, Nepal
Sum '95	Invited Guest Speaker at <i>Carpet Industry and Women's Work</i> , Boston College - MA
Fall 1994	Invited Guest Speaker at Boston Women's Health Book Collective, <i>Carpet Weaving Women at Factory and at Home</i> - Boston, MA

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENTS

Apr 2019	Participant, 2019 Southwest Regional Gender and Women's Studies Regional Meeting - Tucson, AZ
Apr 2019	SUU Women and Gender Studies Program Update 2019 Southwest Regional Gender and Women's Studies Regional Meeting - Tucson, AZ
Feb 2019	Participant, Sociologists for Women in Society-Winter Meeting Mentored Graduate Students, The Hand Program Sociologists for Women in Society - Denver, CO
Fall 2018	Faculty Advisor, K-Pop Club Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Aug 2018	Mentor, Asia and Asian American Section Mentoring Session American Sociological Association Annual Meeting - Philadelphia, PA
Aug 2018	Participant, Sociologist for Women in Society-Summer Meeting Philadelphia, PA
Aug 2018	Participant, Conference on Teaching and Learning Pre-Conference, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting - Philadelphia, PA
Apr 2018	Co-Event Organizer: Human Trafficking, Dr. Annie Isabel Fukushima Women & Gender Studies Program and Center for Diversity and Inclusion Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Apr 2018	Co-Event Organizer: Intersex and the Power in a Name, Dr. Georgiann Davis Women & Gender Studies Program and Utah's Center for Rural Health Program, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2018	Participant: Curriculum Innovation Grant Workshop Center of Excellence for Teaching and Learning, SUU - Cedar City, UT
Dec 2017	Co-Event Organizer: Cultural Competency: A Journey, Not a Destination, Irene Maya Ota SUU Women & Gender Studies and the Tanner Center for Human Values - Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Aug 2017	Formal Session Organizer: Immigration to the United States American Sociological Association Annual Meeting - Montreal, Canada
2016-2017	Planning Committee: Sociologist for Women and Society's Winter Meeting University of Kansas, Department of Sociology - Lawrence, KS
Nov 2016	Co-Conference Organizer: Immigration and Intersectionality, Women and Gender Studies and Convocations, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Aug 2016	Presider and Discussant, Transnational Movement Thematic Session, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting - Seattle, WA
Apr 2016	Author Meeting and Book Signing Barnes and Noble - St. George, UT
Apr 2016	Participated at Utah Women in Higher Education Network (UWHEN) Spring Conference, University of Utah - Salt Lake City, UT
Apr 2016	Book Presentation and Book Signing Cedar City Public Library - Cedar City, UT
Apr 2016	Nepali Migrant Women: Agency and Civic Citizenship

	Festival of Excellence, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Mar 2016	Book Discussion and Signing at Harvard Coop Book Store, Cambridge - Boston, MA
Dec 2015	Book Signing at Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Nov 2015	Invited Panelist for Religious Panel and Conversation about Human Origins Exploring Human Origins, Cedar City Library - Cedar City, UT
Oct 2015	Co-Conference Organizer: Environmental Justice, Partners, and Science Women and Gender Studies and Outdoor Engagement Center, SUU - Cedar City, UT
Apr 2015	Participated at Utah Women in Higher Education Network (UWHEN) Spring Conference, Dixie State University - St. George, UT
Jul 2014	Elected Board Member to Represent North America (2014-2018): Research Committee 32: Women and Society (International Sociological Association) XVIII ISA World Congress of Sociology - Yokohama, Japan
Jul 2014	Conference Session Organizer and Chair (with Dr. Kumiko Nemoto): Gender and Work in a Global Context, XVIII ISA World Congress of Sociology - Yokohama, Japan
Jul 2014	Conference Roundtable Session Organizer and Chair (with Dr. Melanie Heath): Sexual and Gender-Based Violence, XVIII ISA World Congress of Sociology - Yokohama, Japan
Apr 2014	Co-Conference Organizer: Leadership and Empowerment Across Generations, Women and Gender Studies and Leadership Engagement Center, SUU - Cedar City, UT
May-Jun 2013	Faculty Representative and Consultant: SUU Open House - Kathmandu, Nepal
Feb 2013	Service Trip- Habitat for Humanity - Las Vegas, NV
Apr 2013	Nepali Female Migrants in US Informal Economic Sectors: From Women's Agency to Transnational Community Building Festival of Excellence, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Apr 2013	Participation, Utah Women in Higher Education Network Spring Conference, Weber State University - Ogden, UT
Mar 2013	A Call to Action: The Women and Gender Studies Minor at SUU Co-presented with Dr. Danielle Dubrasky, Women and Gender Studies Conference, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Mar 2013	Moderator, Local and Global Perspectives on Sex Trafficking Women and Gender Studies Conference - Men, Women, and Violence: Everyone Matters Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Mar 2013	Conference Planning Committee: Women and Gender Studies Conference - Men, Women, and Violence: Everyone Matters, SUU - Cedar City, UT
Feb 2013	Interdisciplinary Leadership through Women & Gender Studies Co-presented with Dr. Danielle Dubrasky, Leadership Conference - Cedar City, UT
Oct 2013	International Travel and Social Activism Lunch Bytes Panel Discussion with Drs. Emily Dean and Todd Petersen Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Aug 2012	Migrating Out of the Home and Into the Gendered and Racialized Globalized Market of Household Labor Session organized with Dr. Mary Romero - Second ISA Forum of Sociology - Buenos Aires, Argentina
Apr 2012	Co-Conference Organizer, Human Trafficking: People, Places, and Voices Global Engagement Center and Women's and Gender Studies, SUU - Cedar City, UT
2012	Graduate Thesis Committee Member Communication Department, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT

Mar 2012	Attended the United Nations Commission on the Status of Women (CSW) 56 NGO Forum, United Nations Headquarters - New York, NY
Aug 2011-present	Elected SWS Member to the United Nations Economic and Social Council Sociologist for Women in Society, University of Rhode Island - Kingston, RI
Spr 2012	Volunteered Office Hours Center for Women and Families, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2011-present	Faculty Advisor , Global Engagement Track Women's and Gender Studies Program, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2008-present	Faculty Advisor United Chapter of Alpha Kappa Delta (AKD) International Sociology Honor Society, Le Moyne College - Syracuse, NY
Aug 2011	Teaching Workshop Participant , "The Best Teachers We Can Be: Learning Scholarly Teaching." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting - LV, NV
Aug 2011	Discussant: Development and Gender American Sociological Association Annual Meeting - Las Vegas, NV
Aug 2011	Discussant: Heterogeneity, Migration and Asian/Americans American Sociological Association Annual Meeting - Las Vegas, NV
Mar 2011	Faculty Representative, Women's Week SUU - Cedar City, UT
Mar 2011	Organizer and Moderator: Gender Issues, Local Experiences Women's Week Panel, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Mar 2011	Organizer and Moderator: Gender Issues, Global Experiences Women's Week Panel, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Mar 2011	Organizer and Moderator: Alpha Kappa Delta Women's Week Presentation, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Feb 2011	Conference Participant: Sociologists for Women in Society - San Antonio, TX
Feb 2011	Mentor: Graduate Students Hand Program's <i>Sociologists for Women in Society</i> - San Antonio, TX
2011	Participant: Leadership Academy Center of Excellence for Teaching & Learning, SUU - Cedar City, UT
Mar 2010	Organizer and Moderator: Students' Voices Women's Week Panel, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Mar 2010	Faculty Representative, Women's Week Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Mar 2010	Organizer and Moderator: Alpha Kappa Delta Women's Week Presentation. Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Feb 2010	Conference Participant: Utah Campus Compact Annual Conference on Civic Engagement. Salt Lake City, UT
Feb 2010	Conference Participant: Sociologists for Women in Society Santa Barbara, CA
Feb 2010	Mentor: Graduate Students Hand Program's <i>Sociologists for Women in Society</i> - Santa Barbara, CA
2009	Photographic Exhibition: Weaving Lives, Friendships, and Carpets Nepali Women Carpet Weavers. Women's Week 2009, SUU - Cedar City, UT
Nov 2009	Search Committee: Director of First Year Experience SUU - Cedar City, UT
Aug 2009	Moderator: Negotiating Formal and Informal Care Sixth International Carework Conference, San Francisco - San Francisco, CA
Aug 2009	Presider: Families in Non-Western Contexts American Sociological Association Annual Meeting - San Francisco, CA
Aug 2009	Faculty Representative: Women's Week Committee SUU - Cedar City, UT

Mar 2009	Faculty Representative, Women's Week SUU - Cedar City, UT
Mar 2009	Organizer and Moderator: <i>Gendered Violence: From Local to Global</i> Women's Week Panel, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
Aug 2008	Faculty Representative: Women's Week 2008 SUU - Cedar City, UT
Jun 2008	Faculty Representative and Consultant: SUU Open House - Kathmandu, Nepal
May 2008	Search Committee: Sociology Position SUU - Cedar City, UT
Mar 2008	Faculty Representative, Women's Week SUU - Cedar City, UT
Feb 2008	Search Committee: Humanities Position SUU - Cedar City, UT
Feb 2008	Moderator: <i>Disability Awareness and Information</i> Disability Support Office, SUU - Cedar City, UT
Feb 2008	Mentor: Graduate Students Hand Program's Sociologists for Women in Society - Las Vegas, NV
2008	Moderator: <i>Voices and Visions: Celebrating International Women's Week</i> Women's Week Panel, Southern Utah University - Cedar City, UT
2008-2011	Faculty Advisor: FEMS , SUU - Cedar City, UT
Feb 2007	Moderator: <i>Giving Voice, Hearing Voice</i> Women's Studies Program 19th Annual Conference on Women and Gender, University of Connecticut - Mansfield, CT
Mar 2006	Organizer and Presider: <i>The Different Faces of Globalization</i> Eastern Sociological Society 76th annual meeting - Boston, MA
Feb 2006	Moderator: <i>Women and Politics</i> Women's Studies Program 18th Annual Conference on Women and Gender University of Connecticut - Mansfield, CT
Aug 2005	Facilitator: <i>The Cultural Sociology</i> . ABS-SWS Co-Organized Roundtable American Sociological Association annual meeting - Philadelphia, PA
Feb 2005	Moderator: <i>The Responsibility of the Present Generations for the Protection of Women's Human Rights</i> . Women's Studies Program 17th Annual Conference on Women and Gender, University of Connecticut-Storrs - Mansfield, CT
2004-present	Member, International Committee-Sociologist for Women and Society University of Rhode Island - Kingston, RI
Feb 2004	Moderator: <i>Code Red: A Feminist Call to Action</i> New England Women's Studies Association and University of Connecticut, Women's Studies Program 16th Annual Conference on Women and Gender University of Connecticut-Storrs - Mansfield, CT
Sum 2003	Moderator and Facilitator: <i>National Student Symposium Combating Prejudice and Hate on Campus</i> - Northeastern University - Boston, MA - Funded by the U.S. Department of Education and co-sponsored by Southern University of Maine and the Brudnick Center on Violence and Conflict
2002	Orientation Leader: <i>International Student and Scholar Institute</i> Northeastern University - Boston, MA - Supervised and conducted orientation sessions for international students
2001	Coordinator: <i>Women in Nepal's Socio-Economic Development</i> , Kathmandu - Planned, organized, and coordinated the workshop in collaboration with the Women Entrepreneurs Association of Nepal and Corporate and Financial Governance Team, a joint program of the Ministry of Finance and Asian Development Bank.
1997	Counselor: Respond, Battered Women's Shelter - Somerville, MA - Provided individual and group counseling on domestic violence issues to women and children of diverse race, class, and ethnic backgrounds.
1995-1996	Advisor: Greater Boston Nepalese Community (GBNC) - Boston, MA

- Organized, coordinated, and advised on special events planning.
Provided and shared information about housing, work, and schools to incoming Nepalese community members.
- 1994 **Intern: Boston Women's Health Book Collective** - Boston, MA
 - Reviewed relevant cross-cultural literature on women's health and compiled a file on Women's Reproductive Health
- 1990-1992 **Board Member: Greater Boston Nepalese Community Board** - Boston, MA
 - Participated and organized a series of sociocultural and academic events for the Nepalese community.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association (ASA), International Sociological Association (ISA), Phi Beta Delta (PBD), International Sociological Honor Society (AKD), Sociologists for Women in Society (SWS), Society for the Study of Social Problems (SSSP), Pacific Sociological Association (PSA), Nepali Women Global Networks (NWGN), West Africa Research Association (WARA), Asian American Association (AAA, Sub-section of the ASA), Race, Class, and Gender (RCG, Sub-section of the ASA), The Northeastern Environmental Justice Research Collaborative (NEJRC), Multicultural Environmental Leadership Development Initiative (MELDI)

BOARD AND COMMITTEE POSITIONS

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| Currently | Distinguish Faulty Lecture Committee |
| Currently | Sociologist for Women in Society (SWS) Nominations Committee |
| 2018-2019 | HSS Journal Editorial Board |
| 2018-present | Departmental LRT Committee Chair
Department of History, Sociology, and Anthropology, SUU - Cedar City, UT |
| 2016-2017 | SSSP Global Division Graduate Student Paper Competition Committee Member
Society for the Study of Social Problems, University of Tennessee - Knoxville, TN |
| Oct 2015 | Board and Conference Planning Committee Member
Environmental Justice, Partners, and Science
Gender Conference in Collaboration with
Convocations and Outdoor Engagement Center, SUU - Cedar City, UT |
| 2015-2018 | Departmental LRT Committee Member
Department of History, Sociology, and Anthropology, SUU - Cedar City, UT |
| Mar 2013 | Board and Conference Planning Committee Member
Men, Women, and Violence: Everyone Matters
Community Engagement Center and Women's and Gender Studies, SUU - Cedar City, UT |
| Apr 2012 | Paper Proposal Review Committee
Human Trafficking Conference, SUU - Cedar City, UT |
| Oct 2011 | Board and Conference Planning Committee Member
Human Trafficking: People, Places, and Voices
Global Engagement Center and Women's and Gender Studies, SUU - Cedar City, UT |
| 2011-present | Board Member: Women's and Gender Studies Minor Program, SUU - Cedar City, UT |
| 2011-12 | Board Member: Women's Status Committee, SUU - Cedar City, UT |
| 2011 | NSF STEM Grant Application Committee Team Member, SUU, UT |
| 2012-present | Departmental Curriculum Committee Member
Department of History, Sociology, and Anthropology, SUU - Cedar City, UT |
| 2011-present | Senator: Faculty Senate, SUU - Cedar City, UT |
| 2011 | Award Nomination/Review Committee: |

	Chow Green Women of Color Dissertation Scholarship
	Sociologist for Women in Society - University of Rhode Island, RI
Mar 2011	Chair, Women's Week Board, SUU - Cedar City, UT
Mar 2010	Chair, Women's Week Board, SUU - Cedar City, UT
Mar 2009	Chair, Women's Week Board, SUU - Cedar City, UT
Mar 2008	Chair, Women's Week Board, SUU - Cedar City, UT
2008-2011	Board Member: Nepali Women's Global Network - USA
2008	Committee Member: Internship Task Force Committee, SUU - Cedar City, UT
2006-present	Committee Member: International Committee. Sociologist for Women in Society
2006	Nomination Committee Member: Women of Color Recognition Awards Women's Center, University of Connecticut-Storrs - Mansfield, CT
2006	Board Member: The South Asian Tree (TSAT) Women's Center, University of Connecticut-Storrs - Mansfield, CT
2004	Planning Committee Member: Code Red: A Feminist Call to Action. New England Women's Studies Association and University of Connecticut, Women's Studies Program 16th Annual Conference on Women and Gender, University of Connecticut-Storrs, CT
2004-2005	Committee Member: Sisters to Sisters Committee. Sociologist for Women in Society
2004-2006	Board Member: Women's Center Diversity Committee University of Connecticut-Storrs - Mansfield, CT
2003-present	Board Member: The South Asian Tree (TSAT) Women's Center - University of Connecticut-Storrs - Mansfield, CT
2003	Board Member: Women's Studies Program, University of Connecticut-Storrs - CT
2003	Planning Committee Member: International Cultural Carnival International Students & Scholar Institute, Northeastern University - Boston, MA

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

Nepali (native speaker), English (fluent), Hindi (fluent), Urdu (good)