

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- B.A. 1970, Spanish, Florida Presbyterian College,
 St. Petersburg, Florida
- M.A. 1971, Latin American Studies, Tulane University
 New Orleans, Louisiana
- Ph.D. 1985, Anthropology, Columbia University
 New York, New York

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2008-2021 Professor, Department of Anthropology
 Rice University, Houston, Texas
- 2008-2019 Chair, Department of Anthropology
 Rice University, Houston, Texas
- 2005-present Visiting Faculty, Post Graduate Program, University of the Aegean,
 Rhodes, Greece
- 1993-2008 Associate, Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology
 Rice University, Houston, Texas
- 1988-1993 Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology, Rice University,
 Houston, Texas
- 1986-1988 Visiting Lecturer, Department of Anthropology, Rice University,
 Houston, Texas.
- 1987-1988 Adjunct Assistant Professor, University of Texas Health Science
 Center at Houston
- 1984-1987 Research Fellow, University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston.

- 1985 Research Associate, Center for the Social Sciences, Columbia University, New York, New York
- 1983-1984 Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies, New York University, New York, New York

SELECTED FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2021 Rice University Presidential Award for Mentoring
- 2020 Rice University Award for International Collaboration
- 2019 Tsakopoulos Library Fellowship, California State University, Sacramento
- 2018-2019 Humanities Resource Center, Spatial Humanities Research Grant
- 2017 Rice University Award for International Collaboration
- 2016 Brazil@Rice Travel Grant
- 2016 Rice University International Travel Grant (International Collaboration)
- 2011 Social Science Research Institute Seed Grant
- 2008 National Science Foundation Fellow, Summer Methods Training Workshop, Duke University
- 2008 Norman L. and Roselea J. Goldberg Prize for Best Book in Medicine, Vanderbilt University Press.
- 2005 National Science Foundation Fellow, Summer Methods Training Workshop, Duke University
- 2001-2004 National Science Foundation National Dissertation Review Panel Member
- 2001-2003 Ruth Landes Award for Anthropological Research
- 2002 Nicholas Salgo Award for Excellence in Teaching
- 2001 National Science Foundation REU Grant
- 1999-2001 National Science Foundation Award, Principal Investigator
- 1996 Foundation for Hellenic Studies Award
- 1992 National Science Foundation Planning Grant
- 1992 RISM-Landes Research Award for Anthropological Research
- 1990 American Council of Learned Societies Grant-in-Aid
- 1990 National Science Foundation Methods Workshop Fellow
- 1987 Wenner-Gren Foundation Grant (co-investigator)
- 1985-1986 Social Science Research Council Inter-University Program for Latino Research Fellowship
- 1985-1986 Ford Foundation Fellowship
- 1985 Bancroft Award for Outstanding Dissertation in American Studies, Columbia University
- 1982-1983 American Association of University Women Fellowship
- 1980-1981 Inter-American Foundation Learning Fellowship
- 1980-1981 National Institute of Mental Health Research Fellowship
- 1980 Henry and Grace Doherty Foundation Fellowship (declined)
- 1978-1979 President's Fellowship, Columbia University
- 1978 Tinker Fellowship, Institute of Latin American and Iberian Studies Columbia University
- 1977-1978 National Defense Foreign Language and Area Fellowship

1975 Linguistic Society of America, Summer Fellowship
 1972-1973 Fulbright-Hayes Fellowship (Colombia)

TEACHING AWARDS:

2021 Rice University Presidential Award for Mentoring
 2009 George R. Brown Award for Superior Teaching, Rice
 2004 Rice Nominee for CASE Professor of the Year
 2002 Nicholas Salgo Award for Excellence in Teaching
 2001 Rice Women's Resource Center IMPACT Award for contribution of empowerment of women on campus
 1998 George R. Brown Award for Superior Teaching, Rice
 1997 George R. Brown Award for Superior Teaching, Rice
 1995 Rice Premedical Society Award for Exemplary Professor
 1994 George R. Brown Award for Superior Teaching, Rice

FIELD RESEARCH

2020-2022 Greece, ethnographic research on excessive cesarean sections, medical education and obstetrical training

2017--2019 Athens, Greece, research on the social, political and architectural history of Athenian maternity hospitals and maternity care in the 20th century

2011-2017 Greece, research on the cultural, political and economic factors promoting disparities between ethnic Greek women and immigrants in rates of caesarean birth

2011-2014 Brazil, research on “Humanization of Childbirth” social movement activists and their role in reforming maternity care policy and practices in the Brazilian National Health System.

2007-2008 Rice University’s Collaborative Research Center and other U.S. collaborative centers, research on factors involved in successful inter-institutional collaborative research among scientists

1990-present Rhodes and Athens, Greece, research on women's changing reproductive experiences across the life cycle; uses and meanings of reproductive technologies for pregnant women and obstetricians on Rhodes; pregnancy and childbirth; abortion policy and practice; immigrant domestic workers and changing understandings of motherhood; increase in rate of caesarean sections.

1985-1986 New York City, conducted and supervised research on Dominican

immigrant settlement and the impact of Dominicans' economic and political integration on inter-ethnic relations in a Northern Manhattan neighborhood.

- 1983-1984 New York City, research on Dominican immigrant associations and their political integration at the city and state levels.
- 1980-1981 Dominican Republic, doctoral dissertation research on the causes and cultural, social and economic consequences of U.S. labor migration from a rural community.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Books and Edited Volumes:

Greece is Burning. Guest editor (with James Faubion and Gonda Van Steen), Special Issue of *Hot Spots, Cultural Anthropology*, April 21, 2016.

“Re-visiting Sex and Gender in Contemporary Greek Ethnography.” Guest editor (with Chrisy Moutsatsos), Special Issue of *The Journal of Mediterranean Studies*, 18(2), 2010.

Bodies of Knowledge: the Medicalization of Reproduction in Greece, Vanderbilt University Press, 2008.

The Making of a Transnational Community: Migration, Development and Cultural Change in the Dominican Republic, New York: Columbia University Press, 1990.

Refereed Journal Articles and Chapters:

Becoming an Obstetrician in Greece: Medical Training, Informal Scripts and the Routinization of Cesarean Birth. In Davis-Floyd, Robbie and Katherine Ong, eds. *The Anthropology of Obstetrics and Obstetricians: The Practice, Maintenance and Reproduction of a Biomedical Profession*. New York and London: Routledge, forthcoming 2022.

Making Ethnographic Sense of Caesarean Rates in Greek Public Hospitals: Immigrants, Midwives and Stratified Maternity Care. In William Olsen and Carolyn Sargent, eds. *The Work of Hospitals: Global Medicine in Local Culture*. Rutgers University, 2022.

Divergent Meanings and Practices of Childbirth in Greece and New Zealand (with Rae Daellenbach). In Davis-Floyd, Robbie and Melissa Cheyney, eds. *Birth in Eight Cultures*. Long Grove, IL: Waveland Press, pp.129-164, 2019.

The Paradigm Shift of Humanistic and Holistic Obstetricians: The “Good Guys” and “Good Girls” of Brazil (with Robbie-Davis-Floyd). In *Ways of Knowing about Birth: Mothers*,

Midwives, Medicine, and Birth Activism, edited by Robbie Davis-Floyd. Long Grove, IL: Waveland Press, Inc. Pp. 141-161, 2018.

Humanistic Obstetric Care in Brazil. (with Robbie Davis-Floyd). In Lenore Manderson, Elizabeth Cartwright and Anita Hardon, eds. *The Routledge Handbook of Medical Anthropology*. Pp. 340-350. New York and London: Routledge, 2016.

Transforming the Ethics of Birth Care in Brazil (with Robbie Davis-Floyd). In *Childbirth in the Americas, Anthropology Newsletter*, February 2016.

“An Intervention Just Like Any Other”: Changing Meanings of the Caesarean in Contemporary Greece.” In Venetia Kantsa, ed. *Motherhood in the Forefront: Recent Research in Greek Ethnography*. Athens: Alexandra Press, 2013.

“Reading Pregnancy in Greece: The Rhetorical Production of Maternal and Fetal Personhood.” In Akis Papataxiarchis, ed. *Rethinking the Political in Greek Ethnography*. Athens: Alexandra Press, 2012.

“Introduction: Re-visiting Sex and Gender in Contemporary Greek Ethnography.” With Chrisy Moutsatsos and Brian Riedel. *The Journal of Mediterranean Studies*, 18(2): 197-212, 2010.

“Guiding Pregnancy: Expert Advice and the Modern Greek Mother.” *The Journal of Mediterranean Studies*, 18 (2): 387-412, 2010.

“Compatible Contradictions: Religion and the Naturalization of Assisted Reproduction”. In B. Andrew Lustig, Baruch Brody, and Gerald P. McKenny, eds., *Altering Nature Volume II: Religion, Biotechnology and Public Policy*. With C. Traina, M. Inhorn, S. Kahn, and M. Ryan, pp. 15-86, Cambridge University Press, 2008.

“Greeks”. In C. Ember and M. Ember, eds. *The Encyclopedia of Medical Anthropology, Vol. 2 Cultures*, pp. 681-88. New Haven: Yale University Press, 2004.

“Baby Talk: The Rhetorical Production of Maternal and Fetus Selves.” With Lisa Mitchell. In M. Lay, L. Gurak, C. Gravon and C. Myntti, eds. *Body Talk: Rhetoric, Technology, Reproduction*, pp. 184-206. Madison: University of Wisconsin Press, 2000.

“Cross-Cultural Cyborgs: Greek and Canadian Women's Discourses on Fetal Ultrasound”. With Lisa Mitchell. (Revised version of article first published in *Feminist Studies*. In Ann Saetnan, Nelly Oudshoorn, and Marta Kirejczyk, eds. *Bodies of Technology: Women's Involvement in Reproductive Medicine*, pp. 384-409. Ohio State University Press, 2000.

“Baby's First Picture: The Cyborg Fetus of Ultrasound Imaging”. With Lisa Mitchell. In R. Davis-Floyd and J. Dumit, eds. *Cyborg Babies: From Techno-Sex to Techno-Tots*, pp. 105-124. London: Routledge, 1998.

“Cross-Cultural Cyborgs: Greek and Canadian Women's Discourses on Fetal Ultrasound.” With Lisa Mitchell. *Feminist Studies* 23(2):373-401, 1997.

“Fetal Ultrasound Imaging and the Production of Authoritative Knowledge in Greece”. In R. Davis-Floyd and C. Sargent, eds. *Childbirth and Authoritative Knowledge*, pp. 91-112. Berkeley: University of California Press, 1997.

“A Cultural and Historical Perspective on Confession”. In J. W. Pennebaker, ed., *Emotion, Disclosure and Health*, pp. 11-22. Washington, D.C.: American Psychological Association, 1995.

“Greek Women in the Europe of 1992: Brokers of European Cargos and the Logic of the West”. With Eleni Papagaroufali. In G. Marcus, ed. *Perilous States: Conversations on Culture, Race and Nation*, pp. 235-54. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1993.

“Fetal Ultrasound Imaging and the Production of Authoritative Knowledge in Greece.” *Medical Anthropology Quarterly* 10(2):157-175, 1996.

“Abortion Policy and Practice in Greece.” *Social Science and Medicine*, 42(4):509-519, 1996.

Book Chapters:

“Pregnancy.” In *Encyclopedia of Human Sexuality*. With Robbie Davis-Floyd and Tsipy Ivry. Wiley-Blackwell, 2014.

“Pregnancy.” With Robbie Davis-Floyd. In *Encyclopedia of Cultural Anthropology*, pp. 1014-1016. Sponsored by Human Relations Area Files at Yale University, 1996.

“Dominicans.” In Kenneth Jackson, ed., *Encyclopedia of New York City*, pp. 140-141. New Haven: Yale University Press, 1995.

“Dominicans.” In *Encyclopedia of American Immigrant Cultures*. New York: Macmillan, pp. 222-28, 1997.

“Gene-Environment Interaction: Diabetes and Related Diseases in Amerindians.” With K. Weiss, A. Buchanan, J. Moore, R. Valdez, Y. Ahn, M. Russell, J. Campbell, and P. Kris-Etherton. In *Human Variation*. Pat Gindhart, ed. Washington: Smithsonian, 1992.

“Political Participation of a New Hispanic Population: Dominicans in New York City.” In E. Georges, et al., eds. *Dominicanos Ausentes: Cifras, Politicas, Condiciones Sociales*. Santo Domingo: Forum, 1989.

“Comentario sobre la organización política de los dominicanos en Nueva York. In F. Moya Pons, ed. La migración dominicana a los Estados Unidos. Santo Domingo: Forum, 1988.

“Dominican Self-Help Associations in Washington Heights: Integration of a New Immigrant Population in a Multiethnic Neighborhood.” Austin, TX: IUP/SSRC Committee for Contemporary Latino Issues, *Working Paper* No. 1, 1988.

“A Comment on Dominican Ethnic Associations.” In C. Sutton and E. Chaney, eds. *Caribbean Life in New York City: Socio-cultural Dimensions*. New York: Center for Migration Studies, 1987.

“Distribución de los efectos de la emigración internacional sobre una comunidad de la Sierra Occidental Dominicana.” (Distribution of the Effects of International Migration from a Community of the Western Dominican Sierra). In J. del Castillo and C. Mitchell, eds. *La Inmigración Dominicana en los Estados Unidos*. Santo Domingo: Editorial CENAPEC, 1987.

“New Immigrants and the Political Process: Dominicans in New York.” The New York Research Program in Inter-American Affairs at New York University, *Occasional Papers*, 45, 1984.

Selected Book Reviews

Abortion and Contraception in Modern Greece, 1830-1967: Medicine, Sexuality and Popular Culture, by Violetta Hionidou. *Journal of Modern Greek Studies*, 39(2): 469-473. 2021.

Bad Souls: Madness and Responsibility in Modern Greece, by Elizabeth Davis, *American Anthropologist*, 115 (3): 522-523, 2013.

Embodying Culture: Pregnancy in Japan and Israel, by Tsipy Ivry. *American Ethnologist*, 37(3). 2010.

A Tale of Two Cities: Santo Domingo and New York after 1950, by Jesse Hoffnung-Garskof. *Geschichte.Transnational.clio-online*, January 29, 2010.

Looking Within: A Sociocultural Examination of Fetoscopy, by Deborah Blizzard. *Medical Anthropological Quarterly*, 23 (1): 351-353, 2009.

Reproducing Reproduction: Kinship, Power and Technological Innovation, by Sarah Franklin and Helene Ragone, eds. *Medical Anthropological Quarterly*, 14: 271-272, 2000.

Crosscurrents: West Indian Migrants and Race, by Milton Vickerman. *Journal of American Ethnic History*, 19: 93-94, 2000.

Peripheral Migrants: Haitians and Dominican Republic Sugar Plantations, by Samuel Martinez. *American Ethnologist*, 26:509, 1999.

From the Other Side: Women, Gender and Immigrant Life in the U.S., 1820-1990, by Donna Gabbaccia. *International Migration Review*, 30:2: 603-604.

In Another Place: Pilgrimage, Gender and Politics at a Greek Island Shrine, by Jill Dubisch, *American Ethnologist*, 23:157-158, 1996.

Keeping Heads Above Water: Salvadoran Refugees in Costa Rica, by Tanya Basok, *American Ethnologist*, 22 (2): 440-441, 1995.

Double Passage: The Lives of Caribbean Migrants Abroad and Back Home, by George Gmelch, *American Ethnologist*, 22(2):443-444., 1995

Dance and the Body Politic in Northern Greece, by Jane K. Cowan, *Journal of Modern Greek Studies*, 11(2):299-301, 1993.

SELEECTED TALKS AND PAPERS PRESENTED (to 1990)

Invited Panelist and Discussant. “Migrant Mothers Matter.” ORAMMA Conference, Masssstrict University, Brussels, February 28, 2019.

Keynote Speaker at the Biennial Conference of the National Association of Greek Midwives. “Making Sense of Caesarean Rates in Greece: Immigrants, Midwives and Stratified Maternity Care.” Athens, September 28, 2018.

Invited Discussant, “Race and Reproduction Workshop,” Fordham University, New York City, February 15-16, sponsored by Wenner Gren Foundation, 2018.

Making Sense of Caesarean Rates in Greek Public Hospitals. Invited Keynote Speech delivered to Annual Meeting of the Greek Association of Midwives, Athens, Greece, May 30, 2018. Making Sense of Caesarean Rates in Greek Public Hospitals: Immigrants, Midwives and Stratified Maternity Care. Paper presented at the 116th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Washington DC, December 3, 2017.

Stratifying Maternity Care in Greece: Midwifery and Immigrants in Greek Public Hospitals. Paper presented at the 4th International Conference of the Russian Association of Medical Anthropology, Moscow Academy of Science, July 30, 2017.

The Midwifery Slot in Greek Maternity Care: Stratifying Authoritative Knowledge. Paper presented at the 115th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, November 18, 2016.

Transforming the Ethics of Birth Care: Ethnographies of Humanization. Invited paper presented at the Humanization of Childbirth Conference, Brasilia, November 27-30, 2016.

Panel Discussant, Humanizing Childbirth: Negotiating Women’s Reproductive Rights in the Face of Obstetrical Violence. 114th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Denver, November 21, 2015

Invited Conference Discussant, (In)Fertile Citizens: Anthropological and Legal Challenges of Making Sense of Caesarean Rates in Greek Public Hospitals: Immigrants, Midwives and Stratified Maternity Care Assisted Reproductive Technologies. University of the Aegean, Lesvos, Greece, May 28-30, 2015.

Panel Discussant, Re-Producing Subjects: International Perspectives on Reproductive Governance. 113th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, December 3, 2014.

Panel Discussant, Assisted Reproductive Technologies (ARTS) in Greece. European Association of Social Anthropology Biennial Conference, Talinn, Estonia, May 2014.

The Paradigm Shift of Holistic Obstetricians: Why Some Doctors Choose to Change. Paper presented with Robbie Davis-Floyd at the Society for Applied Anthropology Meetings, Albuquerque, New Mexico, March 18-22, 2014.

The Role of the “Humanization of Childbirth Movement” in Reforming Maternity Policy in Brazil. Talk and workshop presented at Atma Jaya University, Yogyakarta, Indonesia, December 4, 2013.

Bringing Gender from the Periphery to the Core of Migration Studies: Honoring the Work of Patricia R. Pessar. Roundtable Participant, 112th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Society, Chicago, November 20-24, 2013.

Issues of Reproduction. Panel chair and discussant. Modern Greek Studies Association Symposium, Bloomington, IN, November 14-17, 2013.

The Paradigm Shift of Holistic Obstetricians: “Brazil’s “Good Guys and Girls.” Paper presented with Robbie Davis-Floyd at the SMA/EASA Joint International Conference, “Encounters and Engagements: Creating New Agendas for Medical Anthropology.” Tarragona, Spain, June 12-14, 2013.

The Paradigm Shift of Holistic Obstetricians: “Brazil’s “Good Guys and Girls. Paper presented with Robbie Davis-Floyd at the 111th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Society, San Francisco, November 14-18, 2012.

Food Sharing, the Open Body and the Social Body on the Island of Rhodes. Paper presented at the 110th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Society, Montreal, November 16-20, 2011.

Discussant, Panel on Biomedical Perspectives on Health Care, 110th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Society, Montreal, November 16-20, 2011.

Revisiting Legacies of Gender and Sexuality in Greece in a Time of Neoliberal Crisis. Panel organized and chaired at the 110th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Society, Montreal, November 16-20, 2011.

Cosmopolitan Circuits: Gendered Ethnographies of Travel and Return at the Margins of Europe. Panel organized and chaired for the 7th Biennial MESEA Conference on Travel, Trade and Ethnic Transformations, Pecs, Hungary, June 16-20, 2010.

Imagine a Romantic Greek Island: Travel, Gender, and Inter-Cultural Marriage on Rhodes. Paper presented at the 7th Biennial MESEA Conference on Travel, Trade and Ethnic Transformations, Pecs, Hungary, June 16-20, 2010.

The Energy Ladder and Health in Lesotho: Results from a Field-Based Study. Paper presented at the 6th International Conference on Environmental, Cultural, Economic and Social Sustainability, University of Cuenca, Ecuador, January 5, 2010.

Changing Meanings of the Caesarean in Contemporary Greece in a Context of Very Low Fertility. Paper given at the Annual Meetings of the Society for Medical Anthropology, New Haven, CT, September 26, 2009.

A Cultural History of Childbirth. Invited Guest Speaker at the Utah Humanities Council and Zion Canyon Arts Lecture Series, Springdale, Utah, April 3, 2009.

Reconfiguring the Ideal Birth: The Normalization of Caesarean Sections in Greek Maternity Care. Invited Paper presented by invitation at the International Workshop "Motherhood at the Forefront: Recent Research in Greek Ethnography," University of the Aegean, Mytilene, Greece, May 31, 2008.

Reconfiguring the Ideal Birth: The Normalization of Caesarean Sections in Greek Maternity Care. Invited Paper presented by invitation at the International Conference on "The Politics of Life: Anthropological Perspectives on Health and Biosociality." Panteion University, Athens, Greece, May 16, 2008.

Reading Pregnancy in Greece: the Rhetorical Production of Maternal and Fetal Selves. Paper presented by invitation at the International Conference on "Rethinking the Political," University of the Aegean, Mytilene, Greece, November 11, 2007.

Mothers, Daughters and Others: Immigrant Domestic Workers and their Employers in Greece. Paper given at the 106th Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, Washington, DC, December 2, 2007.

Mothers and Others: Public Discourses on Immigration, Immigrant Domestic Workers and their Employers in Greece. Paper given at the 105th Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, San Jose, California, November 15, 2006.

New Reproductive Technologies and Gender: A Workshop on Anthropological Approaches. Invited Talk, Graduate Program in the Study of Women and Gender, University of the Aegean, Rhodes, Greece, July 13, 2006.

New Reproductive Technologies and Gender: An Anthropological Perspective. Invited Keynote Speaker, International Conference on "Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Gender," Rhodes, Greece, July 22, 2006.

Using Textual Analysis Software to Study Public Discourses on Immigration, Immigrant Domestic Workers and their Employers in Greece. Talk given at NSF Workshop on Methods of Textual Analysis, Santa Fe, New Mexico, May 17, 2006.

Invited Panel Discussant to International Conference on Migration and Domestic Work in Global Perspective. The Netherlands Institute of Advanced Studies, Wasenaar, May 27, 2005.

New Reproductive Technologies in Cross-Cultural Perspective. Invited Lecture, Program in the Study of Women and Gender, University of the Aegean, Rhodes, July 6, 2005.

Motherhood, Modernity and the Discourse of Risk: Generational Perspectives from Rhodes. Paper presented to the conference "Globalization: the Next World Order," University of the Aegean, Rhodes, Greece, July 3, 2003.

Living with Contradictions: Moral Discourses on Abortion in Greek Women's Narratives. Talk given by invitation at the University of the Aegean, Rhodes, Greece, June 12, 2002.

From "Suffering" to "Stress:" Recent Transformations in Greek Fathers' and Mothers' Perspectives on Childbearing and the Family. Paper given at the 100th Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, Washington, November 30, 2001.

Baby Talk: The Rhetorical Construction of Maternal and Fetal Selves. Paper presented to Center for Cultural Studies lecture series, Rice University, December 4, 2001.

Baby Talk: The Rhetorical Construction of Maternal and Fetal Selves. Paper given at the 98th Annual Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, Chicago, November 18, 1999.

The Cultural Construction of Maternal and Fetal Selves. Paper given at the Annual Meeting of the American Ethnological Society, Portland, Oregon, March 25, 1999.

Conceiving Modernity: Generational Perspectives on Gender Ideologies and Reproduction in Rhodes, Greece. Paper given at the 97th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, December 4, 1998

Chair and Discussant, "Transnational Migration I: Theorizing Latin American Transmigration." Latin American Studies Meetings, Guadalajara, Mexico, April 18, 1997.

Chair and co-organizer of Invited Session entitled, "Transnationalism and Gender." Annual Meeting of the American Ethnological Society, San Juan, Puerto Rico., April 19, 1996

Putting the Baby on Television: Cultural and Political Dimensions of Fetal Imaging for Greek Women. Talk given by invitation to the Conference "Encounters with the Technological Body." University of California, April 4, 1996.

Moral Discourses of Abortion: Living with Contradictions in Rhodes. Paper presented at the Modern Greek Studies Association Meetings, Boston, November 3, 1995.

Fetal Ultrasound Imaging: The Technical Politics of Visualization. Talk given by invitation to Scientia Colloquium, Rice University, February 15, 1994.

Women's Experiences of Fetal Ultrasound Imaging in Greece. Paper presented at the 92nd Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, November 17, Washington, D.C., 1993

Fetal Ultrasound Imaging and the Production of Authoritative Knowledge in Greece. Paper presented at the 91st Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, San Francisco, 1992.

Co-organizer and co-chair for Invited Session entitled, "The Anthropological Enterprise in Clinical Settings: Issues of Ethics for Medical Anthropology." 91st Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, San Francisco., 1992

Abortion Policy and Practice in Greece. Presented at the 90th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Chicago, November 24, 1991.

Body Fat Distribution in Relation to Socioeconomic Status in Men and Women of the Hispanic Health and Nutrition Survey. Presented at the 60th Annual Meetings of the American Association of Physical Anthropology, Milwaukee, April 2-6, 1991.

Co-organizer and co-chair for session entitled, "Successful Practice in a Problematic Profession." 50th Annual Meetings of the Society for Applied Anthropology, Charleston, March 13-17, 1991.

Rhodian Women's Perceptions of Fetal Ultrasound Imaging. Invited talk given by invitation at the Institute of Child Health, Athens, Nov. 13, 1990.

Gender, Class and Migration in the Dominican Republic: Women's Experience in a Transnational Community. Paper presented at the Workshop "Towards a Transnational Perspective on Migration: Race, Class, Ethnicity and Nationalism Reconsidered," New York Academy of Sciences, New York, May 3-5, 1990.

Medical Anthropology in the United States Today. Talk given by invitation to the Sub-department of Anthropology, Panteios University, Athens, Greece, May 17, 1990.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES, EDITORIAL BOARDS

Editorial Board, *Cultural Anthropology*, 2014-2019

Editorial Board, *Journal of Modern Greek Studies*, 2011-2017

Executive Board Member, Modern Greek Studies Association, 2011-2017

Editorial Board, *American Anthropologist*, 2003-2007

Chair, Victor Papacosma Graduate Student Essay Prize Committee, MGSA 2014

Chair, Edmund Keeley Book Prize Committee, MGSA 2013

Member, Edmund Keeley Book Prize Committee, MGSA 2012

Program Committee, Modern Greek Studies Association (MGSA), 1998

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Modern Greek Studies Association
American Anthropological Association
Society for Medical Anthropology
Society for the Anthropology of Europe
Council on Anthropology and Reproduction
Society for Nutritional Anthropology
American Ethnological Society

LANGUAGES

Greek - fluent in Modern Greek
Spanish – fluent
Portuguese – good reading ability, intermediate speaking ability
French - competency in reading

REVIEWER for:

Duke University Press, Cornell University Press, University of Wisconsin Press, University of Michigan Press, Westview Press, Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, Ohio State University Press, University of California Press, Vanderbilt University Press, Blackwell, Lexington, American Ethnologist, Social Science and Medicine, Signs, Medical Anthropology Quarterly, Identities, Journal of Modern Greek Studies, Contours, Human Organization, Science, Technology and Human Values, International Migration Review, Cultural Anthropology, American Journal of Sociology, National Science Foundation, Wenner-Gren Foundation.