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Academic Experience

Professor of Sociology, Department of Sociology, Drexel University College of Arts and Sciences, Drexel University, September 2015-present; Department Head, Department of Sociology, 2015-2021

Faculty Affiliate, Center for Center for Science, Technology & Society, Drexel University College of Arts and Sciences, Drexel University, September 2019-present

Faculty Affiliate, Urban Health Collaborative, Dornsife School of Public Health, Drexel University, September 2018-present

A. Myrick Freeman Professor of Social Sciences, Bowdoin College, 2001-2015; Professor of Sociology, 1995-2015; Chair, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, 1990-1991, 1994-1996, 2002-2003, 2013-2015; Associate Professor, 1989-1995; Assistant Professor, 1983-1989

Research Associate in Sociology, Massachusetts Mental Health Center, Harvard Medical School, 1993-1994

Research Fellow in Sociology, Massachusetts Mental Health Center, Harvard Medical School, 1983-1993

Consultant and Research Fellow, Teaching Conferences in Social Psychiatry at the Massachusetts Mental Health Center, Harvard Medical School, 1981-83

Assistant Professor of Sociology and Director, Community Health Program, Tufts University, 1980-81

Education

Post-doctoral Research Fellow in Sociology, Department of Psychiatry at the Massachusetts Mental Health Center, Harvard Medical School

Brandeis University, PhD, Sociology

Brandeis University, M.A., Sociology

Brandeis University, History of Ideas

Haverford College, B.A., Philosophy

Sarah Lawrence College

Fellowships and Honors

External:

Co-Principal Investigator, Fund to Advance the Discipline, “Zika Social Science Network: Sexual and Reproductive Health, Rights, and Justice,” The American Sociological Association, October 2016 – June 2017 (\$8,000)

Co-Investigator, Society & Ethics Small Grant Award, “Zika Social Science Network: Sexual and Reproductive Health, Rights, and Justice,” The Wellcome Trust (UK),

#204939/Z/16/Z, October 22, 2016 – September 21, 2017 (\$10,300)
 Ethel-Jane Westfeldt Bunting Fellowship, “Permeable Hospitals, Transnational Communities: A Global Hospital Ethnography in Maine,” School for Advanced Research, Santa Fe, NM
 June – August 2013
 Scholars Award, “Permeable Spaces and the Global Flow of Biomedical Knowledge,” National Science Foundation (Science, Technology, and Society), #1230698 August 2012 – July 2013 (\$186,201)
 Affiliate, Mary Ingraham Bunting Institute, Radcliffe College, July 1998-1999 (declined)
 Summer Stipend, National Endowment for the Humanities, Summer 1995
 Grant-in-Aid, American Council of Learned Societies, 1988-89
 National Research Service Award, Department of Psychiatry, Harvard Medical School, 1981-83
 National Endowment for the Humanities Youthgrant (co-investigator with Ann Shalleck and Jaclyn Lichtenstein), January-June 1973

Internal:

International Travel Award, Drexel University, British Sociological Association Annual Conference, Glasgow, UK, 2018 (\$1,000)
 “Building Medical Sociology: Connecting Universities in the United Kingdom and Drexel University,” Faculty Research Award, Sociology Department, Drexel University, 2018 (\$9,000)
 “Big Pharma, Big Medicine and Technoscience: Investigating Intersections in the Twenty-first Century,” two-day symposium funded by Bowdoin College Faculty Symposia, 26- 27 September 2013 (\$10,000)
 Andrew D. Mellon Curriculum Development Summer Workshop, for “Visual Studies of Social Life” (SOC2256) May 2013
 “Artworks and Social Change,” collaborative project in the Visual Culture in the 21st Century initiative (with Mark Wethli) Bowdoin College, spring semester 2008
 “Who Owns the Past,” collaborative project in the Visual Culture in the 21st Century initiative (with Susan Kaplan), Bowdoin College, 2007-2008
 Appointed to become the first A. Myrick Freeman Professor of Social Sciences, Bowdoin College, 2001
 Kenan Fellowship for Faculty Development, Bowdoin College, July 1998-June 2001
 Leave Supplement, Faculty Development Fund, Bowdoin College, Spring semester 1987, Spring semester 1992, Spring semester 2004, Academic year 2011-2012
 Grants from the Faculty Research Fund (Faculty Development Fund), Bowdoin College, 1983-2015 (>15 grants)
 Graduate Scholarship and Fellowship, Brandeis University, 1974-78
 Election to Founders' Club, Haverford College, 1972
 Graduation with honors in Philosophy, Haverford College, 1972

Book and edited volumes

Susan E. Bell, *DES Daughters: Embodied Knowledge and the Transformation of Women's Health Politics* Philadelphia: Temple University Press, 2009

Reviewed in: *Contemporary Sociology*, *American Journal of Sociology*, *Sociology of Health & Illness*, *health*, *Women's Review of Books*, *Medical Anthropology Quarterly*, *Gender & Society*, *Feminist Formations*, *Affilia*, *DES Action Voice*, *Newsletter of the Science, Knowledge and Technology (SKAT) section of the ASA*

Author meets Critics session at the Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Boston, MA March 2010

Alan Radley and Susan E. Bell, Guest Editors, “Another Way of Knowing: Art, Disease, and Illness Experience.” special issue of *health*, 15:3, 2011

Alan Radley and Susan E. Bell, “Introduction to ‘Another Way of Knowing: Art, Disease, and Illness Experience’.” *health*, 15(3): 219-222, 2011

Susan E. Bell and Anne E. Figert, editors, *Reimagining (Bio)Medicalization, Pharmaceuticals and Genetics: Old Critiques and New Engagements*. Routledge, 2015

Susan E. Bell and Anne E. Figert, “Introduction: Outlining old critiques and new engagements.” Pp. 1-15 in Bell and Figert, eds., *Reimagining (Bio)Medicalization, Pharmaceuticals and Genetics*. Routledge, 2015

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

Susan E. Bell and Lillian Walkover, “The Case for Refugee Physicians: Forced Migration of International Medical Graduates in the 21st Century,” *Social Science & Medicine* 277, 2021 <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.socscimed.2021.113903>

Kelly Joyce, Laurel Smith-Doerr, Sharla Alegria, Susan Bell, Taylor Cruz, Steven Hoffman, Safiya Noble, Benjamin Shestakofsky, “Toward a Sociology of Artificial Intelligence: A Call for Research on Inequalities and Structural Change,” *Socius* 7:1-11, 2021

Evelyne Bischof, Sabine Oertelt-Prigione, Rosemary Morgan, Sabra L. Klein and **The Sex and Gender in COVID19 Clinical Trials Working Group and Gender and COVID19 Working Group**, “Towards Precision Medicine: Inclusion of Sex and Gender Aspects in COVID-19 Clinical Studies – Acting Now before It is Too Late – a Joint Call for Action,” *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health* 17(10): 3175, 2020

Susan E. Bell, “Interpreter Assemblages: Caring for Immigrant and Refugee Patients in US Hospitals,” *Social Science & Medicine*, 226: 29-36, 2019

Susan E. Bell, “Placing Care: Embodying Architecture in Hospital Care for Immigrant/Refugee Patients,” *Sociology of Health & Illness*, 40(2): 314-326, 2018

Susan E. Bell and Anne E. Figert, “Medicalization and pharmaceuticalization at the intersections: Looking backward, sideways and forward.” *Social Science & Medicine*, 75(5): 775-783, 2012

Mary Ellen Bell and Susan E. Bell, “What to do with all this “stuff”? Memory, family, and material objects.” *Storytelling, Self, Society*, 8(2): 63-84, 2012

Susan E. Bell, “Claiming justice: Knowing mental illness in the public art of Anna Schuleit’s ‘Habeas Corpus’ and ‘Bloom’.” *health*, 15(3): 313-334, 2011 (published online Feb. 18, 2011)

- Alan Radley and Susan E. Bell, "Artworks, collective experience, and claims for social justice: The case of women living with breast cancer." *Sociology of Health & Illness*, 29(3): 366-390, 2007
- Susan E. Bell, "Living with breast cancer in text and image: Making art to make sense." *Qualitative Research in Psychology*, special issue on "embodiment" 3(1): 31-44, 2006
- Susan E. Bell and Susan M. Reverby, "Vaginal politics: Tensions and possibilities in *The Vagina Monologues*." *Women's Studies International Forum*, 28(5): 430-444, 2005
- Susan E. Bell, "Intensive performances of mothering: A sociological perspective." *Qualitative Research*, 4(1): 45-75, 2004
- Susan E. Bell, "Photo images: Jo Spence's narratives of living with illness." *health*, 6(1): 5-30, 2002. Reprinted in R. Dingwall, ed. *Qualitative Health Research*. Sage 2008.
- Susan E. Bell, "Accéder au pouvoir par les technologies: femmes et science dans la recherche sur les microbicides." (Empowering technologies: Connecting women and science in microbicide research") *Sciences Sociales et Santé*, 18(2): 121-142, 2000
- Susan E. Bell, "Narratives and lives: Women's health politics and the diagnosis of cancer for DES daughters." *Narrative Inquiry*, 9(2): 347-389, 1999
- Susan E. Bell, "Gendered medical science: Producing a drug for women." *Feminist Studies*, 21(3): 469-500, 1995
- Susan E. Bell and Roberta J. Apfel, "Looking at bodies: Insights and inquiries about DES-related cancer." *Qualitative Sociology*, 18:3-19, 1995 (first author)
- Susan E. Bell, "Translating science to the people: Updating *The New Our Bodies, Ourselves*." *Women's Studies International Forum*, 17(1): 9-18, 1994
- Susan E. Bell, C. Suzanne Cole, and Liliane Floge, "Letters of recommendation in academe: Do women and men write in different languages?" *The American Sociologist*, 23:7-22, 1992
- Susan E. Bell, "Changing ideas: The medicalization of menopause." *Social Science and Medicine*, 24(6): 535-42, 1987. Reprinted in R. Formanek, (ed.), *The Meanings of Menopause: Historical, Medical and Clinical Perspectives*. Hillsdale, NJ: Analytic Press, 1990

Book Chapters

- Susan E. Bell, "Bringing Our Bodies and Ourselves Back In: Seeing Irving Kenneth Zola's Legacy," in Sara Green and Sharon Barnartt, eds. *Research in Social Science and Disability*. 9:143-158, 2017

- Susan E. Bell and Anne E. Figert, "Moving sideways and forging ahead: Re-imagining –izations in the 21st century." Pp. 19-40 in Bell and Figert, eds., *Reimagining (Bio)Medicalization, Pharmaceuticals and Genetics*. Routledge, 2015
- Susan E. Bell, "Disrupting Scholarship." Pp. 119-140 in Rosanna Hertz, Anita Ilta Garey and Margaret K. Nelson, eds., *Open to Disruption: Practicing Slow Sociology*. Nashville: Vanderbilt University Press, 2014
- Susan E. Bell, "Seeing Narratives." Pp. 142-158 in Molly Andrews, Corrine Squire and Maria Tamboukou, eds., *Doing Narrative Research*, second edition. London: Sage Publications, Ltd., 2013
- Susan E. Bell, "Becoming a mother after DES: Intensive mothering in spite of it all." Pp. 233-252 in Anna De Fina, Deborah Schiffrin, and Michael Bamberg, eds., *Discourse and Identity*. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2006
- Susan E. Bell, "Sexual synthetics: Women, science, and microbicides." Pp. 197-211 in Monica Casper, ed., *Synthetic Planet: Chemical Politics and the Hazards of Modern Life*. New York: Routledge, 2003
- Susan E. Bell, "Experiences of illness and narrative understandings." Pp. 130-145 in P. Brown, ed., *Perspectives in Medical Sociology*. Third edition, 2000. Fourth edition, pp. 208-222, 2007. Prospect Heights, Ill: Waveland Press
- Susan E. Bell, "On the (re)production of social class: Living in, with, and beyond elementary school." Pp. 69-77 in B. Glassner and R. Hertz eds., *Qualitative Sociology as Everyday Life*. Beverly Hills, CA: Sage, 1999
- Susan E. Bell and Lauren Wise, with the assistance of S. Cooper-Doyle and J. Norsigian, "Birth control." Pp. 288-340 in Boston Women's Health Book Collective eds., *Our Bodies, Ourselves for the New Century*. New York, NY: Simon and Schuster. 1998.
- Susan E. Bell, "Technology assessment, outcome data and social context: The case of hormone therapy." Pp. 111-125 in P. Boyle ed., *Getting Doctors to Listen: Ethics and Outcomes Data in Context*, Washington, D.C.: Georgetown University Press, 1998
- Susan E. Bell, "From local to global: Resolving uncertainty about the safety of DES in menopause." *Research in the Sociology of Health Care*. 11:41-56, 1994
- Susan E. Bell, "Birth control for women in midlife." Update. Pp. 101-107 in Paula Doress-Worters and Diana Siegel, eds., *The New Ourselves, Growing Older*. New York: Simon & Schuster, 1994
- Susan E. Bell, with the assistance of S. Cooper-Doyle, J. Norsigian, and F. Stewart, "Birth control." Pp. 220-262 in Boston Women's Health Book Collective (eds.), *The New Our Bodies, Ourselves*. New York, NY: Simon and Schuster, 1984. Update, pp. 259-307, 1992

- Susan E. Bell, "Sociological perspectives on the medicalization of menopause." Pp. 173-178 in M. Flint, F. Kronenberg, and W. Utian (eds.), *Multidisciplinary Perspectives on Menopause. (Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences. Volume 592)* New York: New York Academy of Sciences, 1990
- Susan E. Bell, "The meaning of risk, choice, and responsibility for a DES daughter." Pp. 245-261 in K.S. Ratcliff et al. (eds.), *Healing Technology: Feminist Perspectives*. Ann Arbor, MI: University of Michigan, 1989
- Susan E. Bell, "Becoming a political woman: The reconstruction and interpretation of experience through stories." Pp. 97-123 in A. D. Todd and S. Fisher (eds.), *Gender and Discourse: The Power of Talk*. Norwood, NJ: Ablex, 1988
- Susan E. Bell, "Premenstrual Syndrome and the medicalization of menopause: A sociological perspective." Pp. 151-173 in B. Ginsburg and B. Frank Carter (eds.), *The Premenstrual Syndrome: Ethical and Legal Implications in a Biomedical Perspective*. New York: Plenum, 1987
- Susan E. Bell, "A new model of medical technology development: A case study of DES." *Research in the Sociology of Health Care*, 4:1-32, 1986
- Susan E. Bell, "DES: Discovery, distribution and regulation." Pp. 23-28, 322-324 in H.H. Holmes, B. Hoskins and M. Gross (eds.), *The Custom-Made Child? Women-Centered Perspectives*. Volume II. Clifton, NJ: Humana, 1981
- Susan E. Bell, "Feminist self-help: The case of fertility consciousness/woman controlled natural birth control groups." *Radical Teacher* 19:17-20, 1981
- Susan E. Bell, Paula Garbarino, Jeanne Hubbuch, Adrienne Ingrum, Lyn Koehline, and Jill Wolhandler, "Reclaiming reproductive control: A feminist approach to fertility consciousness." *Science for the People* 12(1): 6-9, 30-35, 1980
- Susan E. Bell, "Political gynecology: Gynecological imperialism and the politics of self-help." *Science for the People* 11 (5):8-14, 1979. Reprinted in E. Shore et.al. (eds.), *The Alternative Papers*. Philadelphia, PA: Temple, 1982; P. Brown (ed.), *Perspectives in Medical Sociology*. Chicago, IL: Dorsey, 1989; P. Brown (ed.), *Perspectives in Medical Sociology*, second edition, Waveland Press, 1996
- Susan E. Bell, Elizabeth Sommers, Judith Stein and Jill Wolhandler, "Women's Community Health Center." *Quest: A Feminist Quarterly* 4(1):13-21, 1977

Handbooks and Encyclopedia Entries

- Anne E. Figert and Susan E. Bell, "Big pharma and big medicine in the global environment." Pp. 456-470 in Daniel Kleinman and Kelly Moore, eds., *Handbook of Science, Technology, and Society*, Routledge, 2014

Susan E. Bell and Anne E. Figert, "Gender and the medicalization of health care." Pp. 107-122 in Ellen Kuhlmann and Ellen Annandale, eds. *Palgrave Handbook of Gender and Healthcare*, Palgrave Macmillan, 2010

Susan E. Bell, "Visual methods for collecting and analysing data." Pp. 513-535 in Ivy Lynn Bourgeault, Raymond DeVries, and Robert Dingwall, eds., *The Sage Handbook of Qualitative Methods in Health Research*. Sage Publications, 2010

Susan E. Bell, "Breast cancer awareness." In Victoria Pitts, ed. *The Cultural Encyclopedia of the Body*. Greenwood Press, 2008 (2000-word entry)

Susan E. Bell, "The Tuskegee syphilis study: A timetable of events." Pp. 34-38 in S. Reverby ed., *Tuskegee's Truths: Rethinking the Tuskegee Syphilis Study*. University of North Carolina Press, 2000

Susan E. Bell, "Experiencing illness in/and narrative." Pp. 184-199 in C. Bird, P. Conrad, A. Fremont and S. Levine eds., *Handbook of Medical Sociology*. Fifth Edition. Upper Saddle Hill, N.J.: Prentice-Hall, 2000

Susan E. Bell, "DES" and "Boston Women's Health Book Collective." Pp. 66-67 and 149-150 in Wilma Mankiller et al., eds. *The Reader's Companion to U.S. Women's History*. New York: Houghton Mifflin, 1998

Susan E. Bell, "Technology in medicine: Development, diffusion, and health policy." Pp. 185-204 in H. E. Freeman and S. Levine (eds.), *Handbook of Medical Sociology*. Fourth edition. New York: Prentice-Hall, 1989

Reviews and Comments

Susan E. Bell and Kathy Davis, exhibition review, "Ai Weiwei's Translocations – Transformations," *Transfers: Interdisciplinary Journal of Mobility Studies*, 7(2) Summer 2017: 115-119

Susan E. Bell and Anne E. Figert, "Starting to turn sideways to move forward in medicalization and pharmaceuticalization studies: A response to Williams et al. (2012)." *Social Science & Medicine*, 75(12): 2131-2133, 2012

Susan E. Bell, "Picturing Research," *Newsletter*, Biography and Society, Research Committee 38 of the International Sociological Association, December 2011: 6-8

Susan E. Bell, "DES: A Story of Doctors Not Knowing Best," *Our Bodies, Ourselves* blog entry June 2, 2011 <http://www.ourbodiesourblog.org/blog/2011/06/des-a-story-of-doctors-not-knowing-best>

Susan E. Bell, review of *what i thought i knew*, by Alice Eve Cohen (Viking, 2009). North Philly Notes, Temple University Press, blog entry August 20, 2009 <http://templepress.wordpress.com/>

- Susan E. Bell, review of *The Making of Our Bodies, Ourselves: How Feminism Travels Across Borders*, by Kathy Davis (Duke University Press, 2007). *health*, 13(5): 563-566, 2009
- Susan E. Bell and Susan M. Reverby, "Sweating it out." Review of *Hot and Bothered: Women, Medicine, and Menopause in Modern America*, by Judith A. Houck (Harvard University Press, 2006). *Women's Review of Books*, 25(6): 9-10, 2006
- Susan E. Bell, "On identifying counter-narratives of failed IVF." Comment on Karen Throsby, "Negotiating 'normality' when IVF fails." *Narrative Inquiry* 12(2): 391-395, 2002. Reprinted in M. Bamberg and M. Andrews, eds., *Considering Counter-Narratives: Narrating, Resisting, Making Sense*. Amsterdam/Philadelphia: John Benjamins, 2004
- Susan E. Bell, review of *Motherhood Lost: A Feminist Account of Pregnancy Loss in America*, by Linda L. Layne (Routledge, 2003). Association for Feminist Anthropology website (<http://sscl.berkeley.edu/~afaweb/reviews/index.html>), 2003
- Susan E. Bell, "'Sexualizing research.' Reply to Erich Goode, 'Sexual involvements and social research in a fat civil rights organization.'" *Qualitative Sociology*, 25(4): 535-539, 2002
- Susan E. Bell, "Sociological reflections on objectivity, voice, and the body." Review essay of *Cancer in Two Voices*, by Sandra Butler and Barbara Rosenblum, and *Complex Sorrow*, by Marianne Paget, edited by Marjorie L. DeVault. *Qualitative Sociology*, 17(3): 299-303, 1994
- Susan E. Bell and Irving Kenneth Zola, "Constructing a Canon?" Review essay of *Ideas About Illness*, by Uta Gerhardt. *Social Science and Medicine*, 34 (5): 581-583, 1992
- Susan E. Bell, "Commentary on 'Perspectives on embodiment: The uses of narrativity in ethnographic writing.' by Katharine Young." *Journal of Narrative and Life History*, 1(2-3): 245-248, 1991
- Susan E. Bell, review of *To Do No Harm: DES and the Dilemmas of Modern Medicine*, by Roberta J. Apfel and Susan M. Fisher. *Disability Studies Quarterly* 6(2): 20, 1986
- Susan E. Bell, review of *DES Daughter: The Joyce Bichler Story*, by Joyce Bichler. *Women and Health* 9(4): 65-67, 1984
- Susan E. Bell, review of *The Politics of Contraception: The Present and the Future*, by Carl Djerassi. *Women and Health* 8(4): 57-59, 1983
- Susan E. Bell, review of *Self-Help in Urban America: Patterns of Minority Development*, edited by Scott Cummings. *Contemporary Sociology* 11(1): 89, 1982
- Susan E. Bell, review of *Forced Labor: Maternity Care in the United States*, by Nancy Stoller Shaw. *Social Science and Medicine* 9(10): 563-64, 1975

Work in progress

Steve G. Hoffman, Kelly Joyce, Sharla Alegria, Susan E. Bell, Taylor M. Cruz, Safia Noble, Benjamin Shestakofsky, and Laurel Smith-Doerr, “Five Big Ideas for a Sociology of Artificial Intelligence,” conditional acceptance, *Contexts*

Susan E. Bell, Invited Commentary for special issue, “Risk, Reproduction and Ignorance Production,” *Reproductive Biomedicine and Society Online*, coordinated by Sezin Topçu and Irene Maffi, under review, *RBSO*

Lillian Walkover and Susan E. Bell, “Pathways Towards US Medical Licensure for Refugee Physicians,” under review

Susan E. Bell, *Permeable Hospitals, Transnational Communities: A Global Hospital Ethnography in Maine*, book length manuscript in preparation

Susan E. Bell, “Crossing Borders: Power and Violence in New York City Galleries,” article-length manuscript in preparation

Invited Papers and Presentations (*publications listed above)

Invited paper, “The stuff they left behind,” Non-traditional Research Methods Network, University of Northampton, Northampton UK, May 2021 (virtual)

Invited paper, “Medical Sociology and Global Health,” Mini Conference on Global Health, Eastern Sociological Society, Boston, MA March 2019

Invited keynote address, “What’s Prudence? Where’s Justice? Feminist Reflections on the Global Dynamics of Producing Reproductive Technologies,” for Minimising Risks, Selling Promises? Reproductive Health, Techno-Scientific Innovations and the Production of Ignorance conference, University of Lausanne and School of the Advanced Sciences, Paris, Lausanne Switzerland November 2018

Invited seminar, “Vulnerability, Risk, Trauma and Translation: Research Challenges in Studying Refugee Patients and Physicians,” VU University, Amsterdam, Netherlands September 2018

Invited paper, “A Place-Sensitive Perspective on Outpatient Hospital Care for Immigrant and Refugee Patients,” Medical Sociology Workshop, Department of Sociology, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA March 2017*

Invited keynote address, “Making Art, Making Space for Social Change: Reflections on Women’s Health Activisms in the 21st Century” for Artists’ Books and the Medical Humanities, Canterbury, UK April 2016

Invited paper, “Interpreting for Immigrants in Hospital Clinics: An Ethnography of Outpatient Care in Maine,” Department of Sociology, Boston University, Boston, MA December 2015

Invited presentation, “Bringing Our Bodies and Our Selves Back in: Seeing Irving Kenneth Zola’s Legacy,” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL August 2015*

Invited presentation for the seminar, “A Lake in the Other Room: Site-Specific Memory, Trauma, and the Imagination in Art, Literature, and Medicine,” Radcliffe Institute, Cambridge, MA January 2015

Invited presentation at a session titled “Time and Craft in the Practice of Slow Sociology – Special Presidential Session,” Eastern Sociological Society, Baltimore, MD, February 2014*

- Invited presentation, "Placing Care: Embodying Architecture in Hospital Care for Immigrant/Refugee Patients," for presentation at the British Sociological Association Medical Sociology Conference Annual Meeting, York, England, September 2013*
- Invited presentation, "Stories of Race and Nation," at "Knowing People over 50 Years: The *Seven-Up* Series for Television" co-sponsored by the Tavistock Centre and the Centre for Narrative Research, London, England, July 2013
- Invited workshop, "Objects, Memory and Narrative," NOVELLA and London Social Science Consortium, University of London, Goldsmiths, London, England, July 2013
- Invited presentation, "A Visual Sociological Imagination for Undergraduates," presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, August 2012.
- Invited opening lecture, "Doing Science Differently: DES Daughters, Women's Health Politics, and the Transformation of Biomedical Science," for the "Health, Science, Technology and Society" series, Colby College, Waterville, ME, February 2012
- Invited keynote address to the seminar, "Storytelling in innovation and design: The dialogue between designer and user," Kolding School of Design and the Network for Corporate Storytelling affiliated with the University of Southern Denmark, Kolding, Denmark, May 2011
- Invited lecture, "Embodying Narrative in DES and Breast Cancer: Showing and Telling Experience," Narrative Medicine Program Open Lunch Seminar, Columbia University, New York, NY April 2010
- Invited lecture, "A Feminist Health Movement: How, Why and with What Effects DES Daughters have Transformed Biomedical Sciences," Department of Sociology Colloquium series, Loyola University, Chicago, IL. March 2010
- Invited paper, "Doing Science Differently: Feminist Health Activism Across Borders," presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA August 2009
- Invited paper, "Claiming Justice: Anna Schuleit's 'Habeas Corpus'," presented at the Representations of Illness Workshop II, Loughborough University, Loughborough, UK September 2008*
- Invited Grand Rounds, "Living with Breast Cancer: Patients Making Art to Make Sense," Maine Medical Center, Portland, ME, March 2007*
- Invited paper, "Vaginal Politics: Tensions and Possibilities in The Vagina Monologues," with Susan Reverby, presented at the American Psychoanalytic Association, Vagina Workshop, January 2005*
- Invited paper, "Picture This! Visual Narratives of DES Daughters," presented at The Art of Medicine: Image-Making and Communication Symposium, Yale University, April 2004
- Invited paper, "Becoming Mothers: Analyzing Film and Photographic Narratives by DES Daughters," presented to the Narrative Workshop VI, Visual Narratives, Centre for Narrative Research (University of East London), King's College, Cambridge, UK, October 2003
- Inaugural Lecture, "Deviant Performances of Motherhood: A Sociological Perspective." A. Myrick Freeman Professorship of Social Sciences chair, Bowdoin College, Brunswick, ME, April 2002*
- Opening Convocation Address, "Connecting Worlds," Bowdoin College, Brunswick, ME, August 1996
- Invited paper, "Technology Assessment, Outcome Data and Social Context: The Case of Hormone Therapy," presented at the Technology Assessment Meeting, The Hastings Center, Briarcliff, NY, September 1994*

- Invited paper, "Narratives about Bodies: Interviews with DES Cancer Daughters," The Oral History Working Group, Schlesinger Library, Radcliffe College, Cambridge, MA January 1994
- Invited paper, "The Medicalization of Menopause," presented at Multidisciplinary Perspectives on Menopause, a conference co-sponsored by the New York Academy of Sciences and The North American Menopause Society, New York, NY 1989*
- Invited paper, "Theory and Practice in Medicine for Women: The Case of DES, 1938-1941," presented to Women's Studies and the Program on Science, Technology and Society at Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, 1986
- Invited paper, "PMS and the Medicalization of Menopause: A Sociological Perspective," presented at the Conference on Legal and Ethical Implications of the Biobehavioral Sciences: The Premenstrual Syndrome, Philadelphia, PA, 1984*
- Invited paper, "Woman as Patient," presented at the Conference on Women and Illness, Toronto, Ontario, 1983
- Invited paper, "Fraternity and Feminism: Notes from a Sister," presented at Haverford College, Haverford, PA, 1981
- Invited paper, "The Paradox of DES and the Cancer Controversy: Useless Panaceas and Dangerous Nostrums," presented at the Program on Women, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, 1978

Papers and Presentations (*publications listed above)

- "Forced Migration of Physicians in the 21st Century: The Case for "Refugee Physicians" (with Lillian Walkover), for presentation during the International Sociological Association Forum, Porto Alegre, Brazil July 2020 (postponed to February 2021, moved online) (first author) *
- "Pathways Towards US Medical Licensure for Refugee Physicians," (with Lillian Walkover) presented during the 2020 North American Refugee Health Conference, September 2020 (moved on-line) (second author)
- "We are the forcefully displaced physicians' The Meaning of Forced Migration for Physicians in the 21st Century," (with Lillian Walkover) American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA 2020 (moved on-line) (first author) *
- "Expert Assemblage': A Tool for Understanding the Challenges of 21st Century Medical Professionals," presented during the Eastern Sociological Society, Philadelphia, PA February 2020 and International Sociological Association Forum, Porto Alegre, Brazil July 2020 (postponed to February 2021, moved on-line - *withdrawn*)
- "Interpreting health care responsively when families are present," poster for 11TH Annual Pediatric Global Health Conference, CHOP Philadelphia, PA October 2019
- "Doing expertise in transnational hospital settings," presented to the Society for the Social Studies of Science Annual Meeting, New Orleans LA, September 2019
- "Pathways to re-certification for International Medical Graduates," with Lillian Walkover (Drexel University), presented to the Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Boston MA, March 2019
- "We lost our interpreter, have to use the phone': Assembling Interpreters in Healthcare Settings," presented to the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia PA August 2018; and to the British Sociological Association 50th Anniversary Annual Conference, Celebrating the Legacy – Medical Sociology: The Next 50 Years, Glasgow, Scotland September 2018*

- “Crossing Borders: Power and Violence in New York City Galleries,” presented to the International Sociological Association XIX World Congress, Toronto, Ontario, CA July 2018
- “Doing Care in Interpreting Medicine,” presented to the Society for Applied Anthropology Annual Meeting, Philadelphia PA April 2018*
- “Zika and Feminist STS: Building a Network, Doing Collective Scholarship,” Making and Doing session, with Alexandra Minna Stern, University of Michigan; Laura Mamo, SF State; Anne Figert, Loyola University Chicago; Ilana Lowy, Cnrs-Cermes; Debora Diniz, International Women's Health Coalition, University of Brasilia, Brazil Society for the Social Studies of Science (4S) Annual Meeting, Boston MA August 2017
- “Placing Care: Embodying Architecture in Hospital Clinics for Immigrant Patients,” presented to roundtable session, SKAT, American Sociological Association, Seattle WA August 2016*
- “Different Routes out, Different Routes in: Practicing Health after Arriving in the US,” presented to the International Sociological Association, Third ISA Forum, Vienna Austria July 2016
- “Turning the Lens Around: What Happens to Global Health when Internationally Educated Health Professionals Arrive in the U.S. as Refugees?” presented to the Eastern Sociological Society, Boston MA March 2016
- “Interpreting Practices for Refugee and Immigrant Patients in a US Hospital,” presented to the American Anthropological Association, Washington, DC December 2014*
- “Interpreting Practices for Refugee and Immigrant Patients in US Hospital Outpatient Clinics,” presented to the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA August 2014*
- “Global Clinical Trials, Ethical Standards, and Pharmaceuticalization,” with Anne E. Figert, presented to the BSA Medical Sociology group, York, England, September 2013*
- “Medical Technology, Technological Artifact: A Global Hospital in Maine,” presented to the Society for the Social Studies of Science meeting, Copenhagen, Denmark, October 2012*
- “Picturing Families, Making Family Memories,” with Mary Ellen Bell, presented at the International Sociological Association Second ISA Forum, Buenos Aires, Argentina, August 2012
- “What to do with all this Stuff? Memory, Family, and Material Objects,” with Mary Ellen Bell, presented at the Oral History Association, Atlanta, GA, October 2010; revised version presented at the Eastern Sociological Society, Philadelphia, PA, February 2011*
- “Medicalization, Modernity, Postmodernity,” with Anne E. Figert, presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, August 2010*
- “Re-Imagining Medicalization in a Postmodern World,” with Anne E. Figert, presented at the International Sociological Association, XVII World Congress of Sociology, Gothenburg, Sweden July 2010*
- “Transnational Patterns of Gender, Sexuality, and Medicalization,” with Anne Figert, presented at Medical Anthropology at the Intersections: Celebrating 50 Years of Interdisciplinarity, New Haven, CT September 2009*
- “Claiming Justice: Anna Schuleit’s ‘Habeas Corpus’ and ‘Bloom’,” presented at the Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD March 2009*
- “Narratives and/in an Embodied Health Movement: Power, Knowledge, and DES,” presented to 3rd Tampere Conference on Narrative, Tampere, Finland, June 2007; the 5th Biennial Conference of the International Society of Critical Health Psychology, Boston, MA, July 2007; Society for the Social Studies of Science (4S) Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada, October 2007*

- “Bodies of Art and Regimes of Disease,” presented at The Body: Ethos and Ethics International Conference of The Foucault Society, New York, NY, October 2006
- “Artworks, Collective Experience, and Claims for Social Justice: The Case of Women Living with Breast Cancer,” with Alan Radley, presented at the American Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada, August 2006*
- “Art, Breast Cancer, and the Culture of Illness,” with Alan Radley, presented at the International Word and Image Conference, Worcester, MA, June 2005*
- “Not Becoming a Mother After DES,” presented to the Reproductive Disruptions Conference, University of Michigan, May 2005*
- Invited panelist, The Language and Identity Tapestry: Linguistic Re/presentation of Identities in Social Interaction Conference, Georgetown Linguistics Society, Georgetown University, February 2005
- “Beyond Texts: Layers of Meaning in the Videodiary ‘A Healthy Baby Girl’,” presented at the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA, August 2004*
- “From Vaginal Politics to Violence: Women's Health Activists Reflect on the Monologues,” with Susan M. Reverby, presented at the New England Women's Studies Association 16th Annual Conference, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT, April 2004*
- “Becoming Mothers: Hoping, Fearing, Working, Fighting, Suffering, Mourning, Conceiving and Other Performances in Narratives of DES Daughters,” presented at the Interdisciplinary Conference on Communication, Medicine and Ethics (COMET), Cardiff University, Cardiff, UK, June 2003
- “Feminist Theory, Narrative, and Embodied Motherhood: Looking through the Lens of DES,” presented at the Narrative Matters Conference at St. Thomas University, Fredericton, New Brunswick, Canada, May 2002*
- “Sexuality, Culture and Social Change: Connecting Women and Science in Microbicides,” presented at the Symposium on Social Change and the Politics of Sexual Health, Social Science Research Council-Sexuality Research Fellowship Program and the Hopkins Population Center, Baltimore, MD, April 2001 and at “Scientific Knowledge,” “Culture,” and “Political Economy” the Caribbean and The Americas Conference and Roundtable at Bates College, May 2001*
- “Feminist Theories, Narratives, and Bodies: Gendering DES Daughters,” presented at the American Association for Applied Linguistics, St. Louis, MO, February 2001
- “A Women's Health Perspective: Where We Have Been and Where We Are Going,” presented at the Women 2000 Conference, Worcester Women's History Project, Worcester, MA, October 2000
- “Empowering Technologies: Connecting Women and Science in Microbicide Research,” presented at “les sciences sociales face aux innovations biomédicales. Entre laboratoire, hospital et espace public,” Paris, France, December 1999 and at the American Sociological Association, Washington, D.C., August 2000*
- “Photo Images: Jo Spence's Narratives In, Of, and Through Her Body,” presented at the International Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada, July 1998* (Revised versions presented at the International Visual Sociology Association, Portland, Maine, July 2000 and Center for Visual Culture, Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr, PA, September 2001)
- “Connecting Lives and Texts: The Politics of Knowing for DES Cancer Daughters,” presented at the Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction Couch-Stone Symposium, Nottingham, England, July 1996 (Revised version presented at the American Sociological Association, Toronto, Canada, August 1997 and as part of the Distinguished Lecture Series, Haverford College, Haverford, PA, September 1997*

- “Narratives of Self, Resistance, and Reconstruction: Exploring the Life of a Woman with DES Cancer,” presented at the Third Kentucky Conference on Narrative, Lexington, KY, October 1994
- “Society and Health: An Examination of Violence Against Women as a Public Health Problem,” With C.E. Bird, P. Reiker, J. Ruducha, S.M. Miller, and R.E. Rudd, presented to the American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., October 1994
- “See this Vagina! Perspectives of the Woman, The Sociologist, The Psychiatrist/Psychoanalyst,” with Roberta J. Apfel, presented at the Annual Meeting of the DES Cancer Network, Chicago, ILL. September 1994
- “After Surgery for Cancer: Narratives of Removal, Repair, and Reconstruction by DES Daughters,” presented at the International Sociological Association, Bielefeld, Germany, July 1994
- “Looking at Bodies: Insights and Inquiries about DES-Related Cancer,” with Roberta Apfel, presented at the Eastern Sociological Society, Baltimore, MD, March 1994*
- “Understanding Technology Diffusion,” presented at the Technology Assessment Meeting, St. Joseph's Hospital, Atlanta, GA, September 1993
- “From Local to Global: Resolving Uncertainty About DES,” presented at the Annual Meeting of The American Sociological Association, Miami, Florida, August 1993*
- “Gendered Medical Science: Producing a Drug for Women,” presented at the Ninth Berkshire Conference of Women Historians, Poughkeepsie, NY, June 1993*
- “Translating Science to the People: Updating *The New Our Bodies Ourselves*,” paper presented at the Seventh Annual Maine Women's Studies Conference, Lewiston, ME, April 1992, and to Reframing Women's Health, a conference sponsored by the University of Illinois at Chicago Center for Research on Women, Chicago, IL, October 1992*
- “For Whom is a Vagina?” paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the DES Cancer Network, Boulder, CO, October 1992
- “Engendering Praise in Academe: Women and Men Recommend Men and Women,” with C. Suzanne Cole and Liliane Flöge, presented at the Eastern Sociological Society, Providence, RI, 1991*
- “Fixing Problem Pregnancies: The Development, Diffusion, and Consequences of Old and New Technologies,” presented at the Annual Meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, Philadelphia, PA, 1988
- “Becoming a Political Woman,” presented at the Eleventh World Congress of Sociology, New Delhi, India, 1986*
- “Changing Ideas: The Medicalization of Menopause,” presented at the Boston Area Medical Sociologists Group, Boston, MA, 1986*
- “Narratives of Health and Illness: DES Daughters Tell Stories,” presented at the Annual Meeting of Sociologists for Women in Society, Washington, D.C., 1985
- “Treating Menopause in the 1930s: Medical Help for Women Over Forty,” presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Society for the Study of Social Problems, and Sociologists for Women in Society, San Antonio, TX, 1984*
- “Medical Perspectives on Gender and Science: The Case of DES,” presented at the Sixth Berkshire Conference, Smith College, Northampton, MA, 1984
- “The Development of Medical Technology: Analytic Models and Policy Formulation,” presented at the Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting, Detroit, MI, 1983
- “The Social Construction of a Medicinal Substance: The Case of DES,” presented at the Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, NY, NY and at the Ninth Annual Conference on Psychosomatic Obstetrics and Gynecology, Philadelphia, PA, 1981

- “DES: Historical and Sociological Context,” presented at the American Academy of Child Psychiatry Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, 1980
- “A Critical Study of Fertility Consciousness: Knowledge, Skills and Practical Application in Three Different Contexts,” presented at the Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting, NY, NY, 1980
- “Pelvic Teaching: Critical Analysis of a Reform in Medical Education,” presented at the Massachusetts Sociological Association Fall Meeting, Boston, MA, 1978*
- Guest Lecturer, Graduate Consortium in Women’s Studies, MIT; Department of Sociology, Boston College; University of Massachusetts, Boston; Metropolitan College of Boston University; Lowell University; Brandeis University; Boston University; Simmons College; Hampshire College; Northeastern University; Wheelock College; Harvard University Extension Program; Tufts University; Smith College School for Social Work; Department of Biology, Johns Hopkins University; Department of Psychology, Haverford College; Sociology and Women's Studies, Loyola University; Women’s Studies, University of Southern Maine; Wellesley College 1975-2012

Panel Organizer, Chair, Discussant

- Invited chair, Strong Emotions in Biographical Research – Interviewing, Analyzing, Writing, session sponsored by Biography and Society (RC#38), International Sociological Association, Fourth ISA Forum, Porto Alegre, Brazil, 14-18 July 2020 (postponed, moved online, 27 February 2021)
- Organizer, “The Meaning of Flight in Biographies,” with Roswitha Breckner and Kathy Davis, session sponsored by Biography and Society (RC#38), International Sociological Association, Fourth ISA Forum, Porto Alegre, Brazil, 14-18 July 2020 (postponed, moved online 24 February 2021)
- Invited discussant, “Global Health and Social Theory” Mini Conference on Global Health, Eastern Sociological Society Annual meeting, Boston, MA March 2019
- Organizer and chair, “Studying 21st Century Medicine in the United States: Key Trends and Practices,” special event, British Sociological Association 50th Anniversary Annual Conference, Celebrating the Legacy – Medical Sociology: The Next 50 Years, Glasgow, Scotland September 2018
- Organizer with Anne Figert, “Gender, Equity and Reproductive Rights in a Mobile World,” session sponsored by Sociology of Health (RC#15) and Women in Society (R#32), International Sociological Association, XIX World Congress, Toronto, Ontario, Canada July 2018
- Invited discussant, Symposium on Speculative Futures: Creative Practices in Health, Technology and Medicine in the Global South, Drexel University and University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA April 2018
- Invited discussant, Symposium on Global Health and the Social Sciences, Frederick S. Pardee Center for the Longer-Range Future, Boston University, Boston MA November 2017
- Invited chair and moderator, “Segregation, Gentrification and Health,” panel at Reimagining Health in Cities: from Local to Global symposium, Dornsife School of Public Health, Philadelphia PA September 2017
- Invited chair and discussant, “Energy Decisions Impacts: Health, Work and Climate Change,” panel at Philadelphia Energies Future Summit, Drexel University, Philadelphia PA November 2016

- Organizer with Kathy Davis, “Embodied Biographies, Virtual Biographies,” session sponsored by Biography and Society (Research Committee #38), International Sociological Association, Third ISA Forum, Vienna, Austria, July 2016
- Organizer with Ruha Benjamin, “Global and Transnational Health,” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Ill, August 2015
- Invited organizer with Virginia Aldige Hiday, Professional Development Workshop, “Reviewing for Medical Sociology and Mental Health Journals,” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Ill, August 2015
- Invited discussant, “Visual Sociology: Collaborative Seeing – Special Presidential Session,” Eastern Sociological Society, Baltimore, MD, February 2014
- Invited chair, “Beyond Big Pharma: Rethinking Medical Consumerism,” American Studies Association Annual Meeting, San Juan, Puerto Rico, November 2012
- Organizer with Anne E. Figert, “Big Pharma, Big Medicine and Technoscience in the Twenty-first Century,” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Denver, CO August 2012
- Organizer with Roswitha Breckner, “Pictures, Biographies, and Families,” session sponsored by Biography and Society (Research Committee #38), International Sociological Association, Second ISA Forum, Buenos Aires, Argentina August 2012
- Invited chair, “Bodies in Motion,” session sponsored by Biography and Society (Research Committee #38) International Sociological Association, Second ISA Forum, Buenos Aires, Argentina August 2012
- Organizer with Wendy Luttrell, “Celebrating Elliot Mishler I: Performing Stories,” Presidential Session, Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, New York City, NY February 2012
- Organizer with Wendy Luttrell, “Celebrating Elliot Mishler II: Stories and Social Science,” Presidential Session, Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, New York City, NY February 2012
- Invited organizer, “Family Stories,” Presidential Session, Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, New York City, NY February 2012
- Invited discussant, “Myth and Meaning in Life History,” Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, New York City, NY February 2012
- Invited panelist, “Roundtable on the role of transnational public intellectuals,” International Sociological Association, XVII World Congress of Sociology, Gothenburg, Sweden July 2010
- Invited panelist, “Women in Sociology: Then and Now,” session sponsored by the ESS Committee on the Status of Women during the Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Boston, MA 2010
- Invited chair, “Women’s Health and Sexuality: The Challenge of Providing Safety and Care,” panel during the conference Medical Anthropology at the Intersections: Celebrating 50 Years of Interdisciplinarity, New Haven, CT September 2009
- Invited discussant, “Emergent Seeing and Knowing: Mapping Practices of Participatory Visual Research,” seminar at Radcliffe Institute, Cambridge, MA, November 2008
- Invited discussant, Representations of Illness Workshop I, Loughborough University, Loughborough, UK August 2008
- Workshop organizer and chair, “Art and Meaning in the World of Health Care,” Caring for the Caregiver: Perspectives on Literature and Medicine, Manchester, NH, November 2007
- Invited chair, “Making Sense of Breast Cancer,” 5th Biennial Conference of the International Society of Critical Health Psychology, Boston, MA, July 2007

- Invited chair, "Narratives of Organization Conflict," 3rd Tampere Conference on Narrative, Tampere, Finland, June 2007
- Invited discussant and chair, "Framing Medical Problems: Political, Professional, and Personal Constructions of Illness," American Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada, August 2006
- Invited discussant, "Gender, Science, and Technology," panel at the American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA, August 2005
- Invited organizer and chair, "Sociology of the Body," panel at the American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA, August 2005
- Organizer with Sue Fisher, "Producing Biographies: An Intersectional and Reflexive Process," panel at the International Sociological Association, Brisbane, Australia, July 2002
- Organizer with Debora Paterniti, Teaching Medical Sociology Roundtables at the American Sociological Association, Chicago, Illinois, August 1999
- Organizer with Sue Fisher, "Narratives of/on the Body" panel at the International Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada, July 1998
- Discussant, "Interaction and Negotiation in Health Settings" panel at the American Sociological Association, Toronto, Canada, August 1997
- Panel participant, with Rosanna Hertz, "Professional Concerns for Women Sociologists," at the Eastern Sociological Society, Boston, MA, March 1996
- Organizer and presider, "The Role of Medical Sociology in Medical Education," teaching workshop at the American Sociological Association, Washington, D.C., August 1995
- Invited organizer and presider, "Translations, Transformations: The Boston Women's Health Book Collective and *Our Bodies, Ourselves*," plenary session at the Eastern Sociological Society, Baltimore, MD, March 1994
- Chair and discussant, "Women's Narratives," round table session at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Cincinnati, OH, 1991
- Discussant, "Symposium II," New England Symposia, Narrative Studies in the Social Science, Worcester, MA, December 1991*
- Discussant, "Social Movements and Health Care," panel at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Detroit, MI, 1983
- Invited organizer, "Social Contexts of Science and Knowledge," panel at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA, 1983
- Panel participant, "Sources and Stories: Imagery and Ideology in Women's Health," at the Seventh Annual Conference of the New England Women's Studies Association, Keene, NH, 1983
- Chair, "Women and Drug Research," panel at the Tenth National Conference on Public Responsibility in Medicine and Research, Boston, MA, 1982
- Panel participant and coordinator, "DES: What Lessons Can We Learn?" at the Twelfth National Conference on Women and the Law, Boston, MA, 1981
- Chair and Comment, "The Question of Sex in Medicine: The Dilemma of Women Doctors 1862-1930," at the Fifth Berkshire Conference, Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1981
- Panel participant, "Political Gynecology: Feminists and Medical Education," at the American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Detroit, MI, 1980*
- Panel participant, "Social Issues and Policy Concerning Women," at the Sociologists for Women in Society Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, 1979

Consulting Activities

Current:

Board Member, Research Committee 38 (Biography & Society), International Sociological Association, 2010-2014, 2014-2018, 2018-2022

Board Member, Research Committee RC 15 (Sociology of Health), International Sociological Association, 2019-2026

International Advisor, *Sociology of Health & Illness*, 2014-present (Editorial Advisor 2004-2014)

Editorial Board, *health*, 2003-present

Member, External Review Committee, Sociology Department, Bates College, 2021

Ongoing:

Tenure and Promotion Reviews, Arizona State University; Brandeis University; Clark University; Columbia University School of Public Health; Drexel University; Georgia Institute of Technology; Grinnell College; University of Leicester, UK; Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Queens College and Graduate Center, CUNY; San Francisco State University; University of California, San Francisco; University of New Mexico; University of Southern Maine; University of Tulsa; Wesleyan University; Wheelock College; The College of William & Mary; Yale University School of Medicine

Manuscript reviewer, *Anthropology and Medicine*, *BioSocieties*, *Bulletin of the History of Medicine*, *Developing World Bioethics*, *Frontiers*, *Gender & Society*, *Gender Issues*, *Journal of Contemporary Ethnography*, *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*, *Literature & Medicine*, *Mosaic Journal*, *Narrative Inquiry*, *Qualitative Research*, *Qualitative Sociology*, *Social Forces*, *Social Problems*, *Sociology of Health & Illness*, *Social Science & Medicine*, Duke University Press, Temple University Press, Sage Publications, Blackwell Publishing, Oxford University Press

Past:

Editorial Board, *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*, 2016-2018

Past-chair, Medical Sociology Section, American Sociological Association, 2014-2015 (Chair-elect, 2012-2013, Chair, 2013-2014), Chair, 2014 Reeder Award Committee

Panelist, National Science Foundation, 2011-2013

Proposal Reviewer, National Science Foundation, 2013, 2014

Member, Committee on Nominations, American Sociological Association, 2011-2012

Member, Committee of Visitors, National Science Foundation, 2010

Nominations Committee, Medical Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association, (Member, 2000-2001, Chair, 2001-2002) 2000-2002; 2005-2007

Member, Council of the Science, Knowledge and Technology Section of the American Sociological Association, 2001-2004 (Chair, Hacker-Mullins Award Committee for the best graduate student paper, 2004)

Proposal Reviewer, National Science Foundation, 2009

Proposal Reviewer, Georgetown University Roundtable, 2008

Editorial Board, *Qualitative Sociology*, 1992-2004

Associate Editor, *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*, 1990-1992

Editorial Board, *Women and Health*, 1984-1987

Member, Dissertation Committee, Social and Behavioral Sciences, University of California, San Francisco 2007-2009

North American Correspondent, Research Committee 38 (Biography & Society), *Newsletter*, International Sociological Association, 1995-1999

Consultant to The Hastings Center for the grant entitled "Technology Assessment: Uses, Context, and Interpretation," 1993-1995
 Member, Eliot Freidson Outstanding Publication Award Committee, Medical Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association, 1995
 Chair, Teaching Committee, Medical Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association, 1993-95, 1997-1999
 Proposal reviewer, National Endowment for the Humanities, 1996
 Proposal reviewer, National Institutes of Health, 1992
 Member, Dissertation Committee, Department of Sociology, Brown University 1993-1996
 Review of Women's Studies Program, Swarthmore College, 1994; Middlebury College, 1998
 Review of the Anthropology and Sociology Department, Lafayette College, 1992
 Outside Examiner, Science in Society Program, Wesleyan University, 1986

Community Service

2015-2021:

Narrative about not traveling to Brazil for the 2020 ISA Conference, featured in the exhibition, "Where Will We Go From Here? Travel in the Age of COVID-19," gallery exhibition, The Osher Map Library and Smith Center for Cartographic Education at University of Southern Maine, Portland ME, May – October 2021
 Panelist, "Intersectional Women's Health and Reproductive Wellness," Villanova Health Law Society, Women's Law Caucus, Black Law Students Association, and OUTLaw, March 2021
 "The Great Yogurt Conspiracy," story told for Study Hall: Improv Comedy Inspired by College Lectures, Philly Improv Theater, Philadelphia PA, February 2018
 Facebook Live interview, *DES Daughters: Embodied Knowledge and the Transformation of Women's Health Politics*, DES Action, Celebration of 40 Years of DES Action, March 2018
 "Interpreting for Refugees in US Hospital Clinics,"

- Dean's Seminar, College of Arts and Sciences at Drexel University, January 2016
- Grand Rounds, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Drexel University College of Medicine, April 2016
- Grand Rounds, Medical Humanities, Drexel University College of Medicine, October 2016

 Member, Corporation, Haverford College, 1994-present

1979- 2014:

Education

Moderator (with Stephen Loeb) of an open, online book talk by Anne Fadiman, *The Spirit Catches You and You Fall Down*, McKean Center, Bowdoin College, April 2014
 "Caring for New Mainers in Outpatient Settings: A Sociological Perspective," Grand Rounds, Maine Medical Center, January 2014
 "Providing Hospital Care for New Mainers: Bridging Differences in Outpatient Settings," Faculty Seminar Series, Bowdoin College, October 2013
 Strategic Advisor, Sustainability Strategic Vision Project, National Women's Health Network, August 2013
 Member, Presidential Search Committee, Haverford College, 2011-2012
 Introduction, Judith Helfand, for a screening of "A Healthy Baby Girl" (1996), National Museum of Women in the Arts, Washington, D.C., July 19, 2011

- Interview, Reuters, for “Testosterone Questions Testosterone’s Link to Early Death” (August 18, 2011) <http://www.reuters.com/article/2011/08/18/us-testosterone-study-idUSTRE77H78A20110818>
- Interview, *Oncology & Biotech News*, for “Cancer as Comedy? Medicine Meets Entertainment in ‘The Big C’” 4:11(Jan. 2011)
- Member, Advisory Board, Friends School of Portland, 2008-2012
- Board of Managers, Haverford College, 1994-2006
- Chair, Honorary Degrees Committee, 1999-2001
- Chair, Educational Affairs Committee, 2000-2006
- “Picturing Lung Cancer, Embodying Illness and Survival,” presented to the Women’s Lung Cancer Forum, Chestnut Hill, MA September 2009
- “Bodies of Art as Survival Strategies: Women’s Images of Healing and Defiance,” seminar for the launch of the Bowdoin College Capital Campaign, Boston, MA November 2006; also presented to the Spring 2007 Faculty Seminar Series, Bowdoin College, January 2007.
- Guest lecture, “The Tuskegee Syphilis Study: Race, Class, and Public Health,” at the Heart of Health Care Summer Institute, Maine Humanities Council/National Endowment for the Humanities, Bowdoin College, Brunswick, ME, June 2006
- Member, Maine Committee of Selection, The Rhodes Scholarships, 2000, 2001, 2002
- “Empowering Technologies? Connecting Women and Science in Microbicide Research,” Faculty Seminar Series, Bowdoin College, November 2000
- “Narratives and Lives: Women’s Health Politics and the Diagnosis of Cancer for DES Daughters,” Faculty Lecture Series, Bowdoin College, October 1999
- Interview, *Portland Press Herald* about “A Healthy Baby Girl” (film about DES Cancer by Judith Helfand), March 1998
- “Empowering Women: Connecting Women, Science, and Birth Control Technology in *The New Our Bodies, Ourselves*,” lecture to Women’s Resource Center, Bowdoin College, November 1997
- Interview, *Detroit Free Press* about *The New Our Bodies, Ourselves*, September 1992
- Consultant to the Health Quarterly (PBS) program about DES, April 1992
- “Families in American Society,” lecture to Upward Bound Summer program, Bowdoin College, July 1990, 1992
- Consultant to the Maine Commission for Women, July 1991
- Panel Member, discussion of *The Second Shift* (Arlie Hochschild), The Child and Family Institute, University of Southern Maine, 1990
- Panel participant at a forum on sexual harassment sponsored by the Peer Relations Support Group, Bowdoin College, 1988
- “PMS: Fact, Fantasy, or Cultural Construction?” Workshop presented at Maine NOW Annual Meeting and to Bowdoin Women’s Association, Brunswick, ME, 1986
- Consultant to the DES Daughter Identification Project, Cambridge, MA, 1979-80
- Arts*
- Curator, “Constructions of the Body,” Becker Gallery, Bowdoin College Museum of Art, March-April 2008
- Opening lecture, “Living with Breast Cancer: Martha Hall’s Texts, Images, and Collaborative Productions,” for the exhibition “Holding In, Holding On Artist’s Books by Martha A. Hall,” Hawthorne-Longfellow Library, Bowdoin College, February 2004
- Gallery talk, “Performing Mothers: Paintings by Anne Harris,” Bowdoin College, February 2003
- Member of the Cast, “Vagina Monologues,” Bowdoin College production, February 2002

Guest Curator with Alison Ferris, “Jo Spence: The Art of Transgression: Collaborative Projects 1982-1992,” Bowdoin College, January 27 - March 1, 1998
 Gallery talk, “Jo Spence: Narratives In, Of, and Through Her Body,” Bowdoin College, February 1998
 Consultant to the DES Film Project, New York City, NY, 1982
 Panel participant at a symposium entitled “The Legacy of Elizabeth Blackwell” sponsored by a grant from the Massachusetts Endowment for the Arts, at *The Dinner Party*, by Judy Chicago, Boston Center for the Arts, Boston, MA, 1980

Other

Interview, *National Public Radio*, for “Turning Cancer, Other Diseases, into Causes,” August 24, 2010
 Organizer, Mother-Daughter Book Club, Brunswick Maine, September 1998-2006
 Judge, Poster Contest, “Women and Girls Who Change the World,” Bath/Brunswick NOW, May 1997
 Lecture, “Gendered Play,” with Nancy E. Riley, lecture to childcare providers conference, Bowdoin College, November 1993
 Parent Volunteer, Longfellow School, Brunswick, Maine, September 1992-June 1999

Professional Organizations

American Sociological Association
 Eastern Sociological Society
 International Sociological Association
 Society for the Social Studies of Science

Committee Work at Drexel University (2015-present):

Chair, Promotion Review Committee, Department of Sociology, 2020-2021
 Chair, Search Committee, Department of Sociology 2020-2021 (2 teaching faculty positions), 2018-2019 (1 tenure-track position, 2 teaching faculty positions), 2017-2018 (1 teaching faculty position), 2016-2017 (1 tenure-track position), 2015-2016 (2 tenure track and 2 teaching faculty positions)
 Chair, Research Committee, Department of Sociology 2015-2020
 Chair, Undergraduate Committee, Department of Sociology 2018-2020, 2015-2016
 Member, Promotion Review Committee, Department of Sociology, 2021-2022
 Member, Tenure Review Committee, Department of Sociology, 2020-2021
 Member, Undergraduate Committee, Department of Sociology 2020-2021, 2016-2018

 Member, Search Committee, Center for STS 2016-2017
 Chair, Search Committee, Department Head, History, College of Arts and Sciences 2017-2018 (internal search)
 Member, Research Committee, College of Arts and Sciences, 2019-2021
 Member, Ad Hoc Committee, Innovations in the Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences, 2017-2018
 Member, Tenure and Promotion Committee, College of Arts and Sciences 2015-2017
 Member, Department Heads Advisory Board, Office of the Provost 2016-2019

Committee Work at Bowdoin College (1983-2015):

Chair, Search Committee in Sociology 2000, 2002-2003, 2005-2006, 2009-2010, 2010-2011, 2013-2014, 2014-2015
Member, Search Committee in Sociology, 2006-2008
Member, Gay and Lesbian Studies Committee 2002-2003, 2005-2009, 2014-2015
Co-Chair, Gay and Lesbian Studies Committee, 2002-2003, 2005-2006
Member, Post-Doc Working Group, 2014-2015
Member, Subcommittee on Honors, Board of Trustees, 2014-2015
Member, Search Committee in Anthropology, 2010-2011
Member, Diversity Working Group 2009-2010
Member, Search Committee in Africana Studies 2006-2008, 2009-2010
Member, Search Committee in Visual Arts 2009-2010
Member, Search Committee for Director of the Museum of Art 2008-2009
Chair, Faculty Development Committee 2008-2009
Member, Faculty Resources Committee 2007-2008
Convener, Collaborative Faculty Development Grant, Bowdoin College, Mellon Foundation, 2006-2007
Member, Executive Advisory Council, Bowdoin College Museum of Art 2002-2003, 2004-2007
Member, Curriculum Implementation Committee 2005-2007
Convener, Working Group on International Perspectives, Bowdoin College, Spring semester, 2006
Member, Reappointment and Tenure Committee, Religion 2002-2006
Member, Committee on Governance (elected) 2000-2002
Chair, Committee on Governance 2001-2002
Faculty Representative, Executive Committee of the Trustees and Board of Trustees 2000-2002
Chair, Sexual Misconduct Board 2000-2001
Member, Search Committee in Women's Studies 2000-2001, 2001-2002
Member, Budget and Financial Priorities Committee 1999-2000
Chair, Reappointment and Tenure Committee Women's Studies 1993-1997
Member, Reappointment and Tenure Committee Women's Studies 1997-2000
Chair, Reappointment and Tenure Committee Africana Studies 1994-1997
Member, Reappointment and Tenure Committee Africana Studies 1997-2001
Member, Committee on Appointments, Promotion, and Tenure (elected) 1996-1998
Chair, Committee on Appointments, Promotion, and Tenure 1998
Chair, Women's Studies Program Committee (elected) 1993-1995
Chair, Search Committee in Women's Studies 1993
Member, Search Committee in Africana Studies 1993-94
Member, Environmental Studies Committee 1993-1996
Member, Human and Animal Research Committee 1992-1995
Faculty Representative to the Governing Boards (elected) 1990-91
Member, Strategic Planning Task Force (elected) 1990-1991
Member, Committee on Committees (elected) 1988
Member, Faculty Affairs (elected) 1984-86

Drexel University Courses 2015-present:

Introduction to Sociology (SOC101)
Sociology of Health (SOC235)
Global Health Matters (T280, SOC313)
Classical Social Theory (SOC355) (core course)

Bowdoin College Courses 1983-2015:

Introductory:

Introduction to Sociology (SOC101/1101) (core course)

Intermediate:

Classics of Sociological Theory (SOC211) (core course)

Sociology of Science, Technology, and Society (SOC214)

Cultural Interpretations of Medicine (SOC2223) (cross-listed GLS, GWS)

Global Health Matters (SOC2224)

Sociology of Health and Illness (SOC251)

Sociology of Chronic Illness and Disability (SOC252) (cross-listed GLS, GWS)

Constructions of the Body (SOC2253) (cross-listed GLS, GWS)

Visual Studies of Social Life (SOC2256)

Advanced:

Big Pharma, Big Medicine, and Technoscience (advanced seminar) (SOC3314)

Seeing Social Life (advanced seminar) (SOC315)

Current Controversies in Sociology (senior seminar) (SOC3010) (core course)

Independent Study and Honors in Sociology and Anthropology (SOC401, 402;
ANTH401, 402)

Bowdoin College Honors Theses 1983-2015:

Sociology and Anthropology:

Natalia Sal y Rosas Richey, Birth models and practitioners in a United States hospital: how a certified nurse-midwife and an obstetrician-gynecologist care for women (2011),
Committee Chair

Laurence Bennett Duggan, Hegemonic masculinity and sports at Bowdoin College (2010),
Committee Chair

Skye Oliver Lawrence, Making tattoos: constructing identity, networks, and social structures among artists and collectors (2010), Committee Chair

Sonia Yasmeena Rab Alam, Stigma and HIV/AIDS in Malaysia: accounts of its effects on policy and practice (2007), Committee Chair

Nicole Daria Colucci, The 2006 Massachusetts Health Care Reform Act: stakeholder interactions in the first year of implementation (2007), Committee Chair

Nina Shroyer, From in-patient to out-patient, but forever a mental patient: an examination of print media portrayals of mental illness from 1940-2000 (2006), Committee Chair

Alissa Corder, Identity presentation and performance in the autobiographies of W.E.B. DuBois (2004), Committee Chair

Jill Meredith Shirey, Gender identities limited: power and resistance in the Sri Lankan garment industry (2003), Committee Chair

Lisabeth Dubnow, Healthy runners don't eat from big salad bowls: women distance runners' social constructions of health and the body (1997), Committee Chair

Kathleen E. Biron, 'Who wears the pants?': gender inequality and the illusion of neuters in bestselling picture books (1991) Committee Chair

Karen Sue Crehore, Miracle drugs and medical authority: a study of the development and diffusion of drug technologies (1991), Committee Chair

Kaylee Shae Wolfe, 'A doula can only do so much': birth doulas and stratification in United States Maternity Care (2015), Committee member
 Anne Genevieve Riley, Personal troubles, collective trauma: resistance and recovery in a deindustrialized Millinocket (2008), Committee member
 Corona Claire Benson, What happened to the feminist framework? policy and social constructions of domestic violence (2002), Committee member
 Kathleen M. O'Neil, Experiences of public housing residents and Section 8 recipients in Portland, Maine (1996), Committee member
 Emily Ann Beller, Constructing children's best interests: judicial interpretations of child custody law (1996), Committee member
 C. Suzanne Cole, Description and evaluation of women and men: the example of letters of recommendation (1989), Committee member
 Deborah M. Merrill, The effect of gender on tokenism (1984), Committee member

Women's Studies:

Lauren Anne Wise, Rethinking women's reproductive health needs: a feminist science perspective on contraceptive research (1996), Committee Chair
 Anne S. Kelsey, Complicating rights: an examination of prenatal diagnosis and the relationship between disability rights and reproductive rights (1995), Committee Chair

Doctoral Dissertations, Medical Sociology:

Katherine Thomson, PhD UC San Francisco (2009) Committee member
 Susan Zimmermann, PhD Brown University (1996) Committee member

Maine Humanities Council Seminars:

"Literature and Medicine" monthly seminar, Maine Medical Center, Portland, Maine, January–May 2007; January-May 2008; January-May 2009; January-May 2010; January-May 2011
 "Literature and Medicine" monthly seminar, Frannie Peabody Center, Portland, Maine, January-May 2004; January-May 2005
 "Literature and Medicine" monthly seminar, Maine General Medical Center, Augusta, Maine, January-June 2000; January-June 2001; January-June 2002
 Humanities at the Heart of Health Care Summer Institute (for the Maine Humanities Council, sponsored by the National Endowment for the Humanities), University of New England, Portland, ME June 23-27, 2002; Bowdoin College, Brunswick, ME June 26-29, 2004