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EDUCATION

Harvard University	Ph.D.	East Asian Languages and Civilizations	1989
Harvard University	A.M.	Regional Studies: East Asia	1981
Occidental College	B.A.	History (Magna Cum Laude)	1979

BOOKS

Antidotes to Toxic Knowledges: Constructing Modernity's Others (in progress)

Zen Buddhist Landscape Arts of Early Muromachi Japan (1336-1573), Buddhist Studies Series, State University of New York Press, 1999.

EDITED COLLECTIONS

Interdisciplinarity and Social Justice, co-editing with Ranu Samantrai and Mary Romero (negotiating contract with State University of New York Press).

ARTICLES

- "The Ethico-politics of Dedisciplinary Practices," in Interdisciplinarity and Social Justice, ed. Ranu Samantrai, Joe Parker, and Mary Romero (negotiating contract with State University of New York).
- "The Politics of the Object of Knowledge: Legality/Illegality of Pacific Ocean Seafaring Trade." (currently under revise and resubmit status with Rethinking History)
- "Postcolonial Feminist Perspectives on the Academy: The Case of Religious Studies," in Musa Dube and Althea Spencer Miller, ed., Postcolonial and Feminist Perspectives on African Religions: Essays in Honor of Kathleen O'Brien Wicker, Forthcoming, Palgrave.
- "The Racial and Colonial Politics of the Modern Object of Knowledge: Cautionary Notes on 'Scripture,'" Scriptures: A Complex Social-Cultural Phenomenon, ed. Vincent Wimbush, Forthcoming, Rutgers University Press.
- 2003 "Institutionalizing Interdisciplinary and Intercultural Study: A Case Study from Pitzer College," Association for Integrative Studies Newsletter, 25.1 (March):1-6.
- 1999 "Contested Orthodoxies in Five Mountains Zen Buddhism," in Religions of Japan in Practice, ed. George Tanabe, Jr., Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press.
- 1997 "Attaining Landscapes in the Mind: Nature Poetry and Painting in Gozan Zen," Monumenta Nipponica, 52.2 (Summer 1997): 235-57.
- 1995 "The Hermit at Court: Reclusion in Early Fifteenth Century Japanese Buddhism," Journal of Japanese Studies, 21.1: 103-20.
- 1994 "Eifuku Mon'in," "Nakatsukasa no Naishi," and "Junii Tameko," in Japanese Women Writers: A Bio-Critical Source Book, ed. Chieko Mulhern, Westport, Conn.: Greenwood Press, p. 27-40, 160-73, & 267-74.

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Associate Professor, International and Intercultural Studies, Pitzer College (1989-present)
Affiliations: Gender and Feminist Studies, Media Studies, Asian Studies, Asian American Studies, and Religious Studies.

Adjunct Professor, Religious Studies, Claremont Graduate University (2003-present)

Visiting Assistant Professor, East Asian Cultures, Stanford University (Spring, 1993)

Assistant Professor, Department of Religion, Bucknell University (1988)

Visiting Assistant Professor, Modern Languages and Literatures, Carleton College (Spring, 1988)

AWARDS AND GRANTS

- 2004-5 Irvine Diversity Faculty Fellow, Transforming the Institution: Diversity at Pitzer College, Irvine Foundation Grant.
- 2002 National Endowment in the Humanities Summer Institute on Modernity, Early Modernity, and Post-Modernity in Japan (participant).
- 1998 Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (Japanese Ministry of Education) Postdoctoral Fellowship for Recent Ph.D.'s. (declined).
- 1995 J. William Fulbright Foreign Studies Fellowship (alternate).
- 1986 Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad Fellowship
- 1985 Japan Foundation Dissertation Fellowship.

RELATED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2005 "Interdisciplinarity and Social Justice," Conference co-organizer, Pitzer College, Claremont.
- 2003-4 Convenor, "Impacts of Diversity on Whiteness, Masculinity, Straightness, and Socio-economic Privilege," Irvine Seminar, Pitzer College.
- 1998 Organizing Committee Member for "Unity and Diversity: A North American Conference on Buddhist Women," June 3-7, Pitzer College.
- 1990 "Incorporating Diverse Perspectives into College Curriculum and Community." Presentation for Ford Foundation Faculty Development Panel, Pitzer College.

PUBLICATIONS FOR GENERAL PUBLIC

- 2000 "The Subtle Presence of Race in Buddhism: A White Perspective," Turning Wheel, Fall, 2000, p. 36.
- 2000 "The Costs of Buddhist Practice: Class, Access, and Diversity," Turning Wheel, Spr. Spring, 2000, p. 33-35.
- 1998 POWR 1998 Non-Partisan Voter's Guide, People Organizing for Women's Rights, Pasadena/Glendale/Burbank. (45,000 copies distributed)

MEMBERSHIPS

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| American Civil Liberties Union | National Organization for Women |
| Association of Asian Studies | National Org. of Men Against Sexism |
| Buddhist Peace Fellowship | National Women's Studies Association |
| Int'l Network of Engaged Buddhists | World History Association |