

Elise Marie Edwards
Associate Professor of Anthropology
Department of History & Anthropology
Butler University

EDUCATION

University of Michigan (Anthropology)

Ph.D. 2003

Dissertation: *The 'Ladies League': Gender Politics, National Identity, and Professional Sports in Japan*

Committee: Jennifer Robertson (Chair), Conrad Kottak, Tom Fricke, Carroll Smith-Rosenberg

M.A.1996

Stanford University (International Relations and Japanese Studies)

B.A. 1991, Graduated with Honors

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2019-present Professor, Butler University

2010-19 Associate Professor, Butler University

2004-10 Assistant Professor, Butler University

2001-03 Postdoctoral Fellow, Stanford University, Department of Cultural and Social Anthropology

ACADEMIC/RESEARCH INTERESTS

Topics: History & Anthropology of Japan; Anthropology of Sport; Anthropology of Science; Women's Studies; Feminist Theory; Historical Anthropology; Mass/Popular Culture; Gender and Embodiment; Urban Anthropology; Visual Culture, Science and Technology Studies

TEACHING

Core-related Courses

- SW215 Being Human (SJD-approved)
- SW - GALA Sport, Identity, and Empire (GALA Europe '10, and GALA Caribbean '18)
- SW - GALA Japan's Past and Present/Presence: Understanding Japan on the Ground (Japan '11)
- GHS205 East Asian Interactions
- GHS204 Frontiers in Latin America
- GHS208 China & The Islamic Middle East
- SAC301 Effective Communication (SAC 1-credit course)
- Anthropological Methods: Ethnography (WAC)
- Anthropological Theory (SAC)

Department (Interdisciplinary Program Cross-listings)

- Sex, Gender and Sexuality in Japan (IS/GWSS)
- Japanese Popular Culture (IS)
- The Anthropology of Sport (GWSS)
- Museum Studies (cross-listed in HST)

- Modern Museums (cross-listed in Arts Admin)
- Departmental First-year Seminar - Close Encounters: Explorations Across Space and Time (AN & HST)
- Capstone: Culture and History- Anthropological Approaches to History, and History in Anthropology (AN & HST)
- Introduction to Science and Technology Studies (ST200)
- Social Studies of Science (STS310)
- Biology and Culture of Gender and Sexuality (GWSS/STS)
- East Asia Through Ethnography (IS)
- The Anthropology of Value and Values
- Anthropological Approaches to Nationalism (IS)
- Peoples and Cultures of Asia (India, China, Korea, Japan) (IS)
- Mediated Life (Honors course focusing on technology and identity)

Future Courses:

- Life in the Shadows: Homelessness in Indianapolis (ICR)
- Sex, Gender, and Sexuality in Asia (IS/GWSS)

CORE CURRICULUM-RELATED SERVICE

2018	Interim Member of GHS Executive Committee
2010-12	University Core Curriculum Committee
2006-07	LAS Core Curriculum Committee
2012 -	GHS End-of-Year “Assess-fest” (2-day assessment workshop); 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019
2011	Area I - Text and Ideas assessment group
2006-08	East Asian Interactions (GHS205) Course Development Group

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

2021 Fall	Interim Director of International Studies Program
2020-	Faculty Senate, Vice Chair
2019-20	Academic Affairs Committee
2019 (spr)	University Curriculum Committee, member (interim)
2016-18	Faculty Senate, Senator; also 2013-15 & 2009-11
2014 -	Athletic Advisory Council
2016-17	HLC Criterion 5 Accreditation Task Force; also 2011-12
2017	Faculty Orientation Guide, Academic Day
2020	Undergraduate Research Conference, Anthropology Section Coordinator; also 2013-15 & 2007-12
2008-12	Woods Lecture Series Committee
2008-2012	Fannie Lou Hamer Ready for Change Speaker Series, Review Committee Member
2004 -17	Assistant Coach, Women’s Varsity Soccer Team
2006-	Butler University’s Gay-Straight Alliance, co-advisor
2004 - 12	Butler Women’s Caucus

COLLEGE SERVICE

2020-	International Studies Steering Committee, member
2019-20	LAS Curriculum Committee, chair
2017-19	LAS Curriculum Committee, member
2013-2017	Professional Standards Committee; interim Spr 2019
2019	Served on Promotion Committee as outside member for Political Science

2009-10	LAS Dean Search Committee
2019	STES Executive Committee, member
2013 -18	International Studies Executive Committee
2013-14	International Studies TT Hire Search Committee
2008-10	Gender Studies Program Webmaster
2007	Postdoctoral Position in Bio-anthropology Search Committee, Dept. of History and Anthropology and Dept. of Biology
2006-08	LAS Honors Board
2006-07	Comparative Literature Search Committee, Dept. of English
2006- 12	Anthropology Club, advisor
2005 - 12	Collaborative for Critical Inquiry into Issues of Race, Gender, Sexuality, and Class
2005 -06	Academic Program Initiative Committee
2004	Latin American Historian Search Committee, Dept. of History and Anthropology
2004- 12	STS Faculty Committee
2004 - 12	Gender Studies Committee

DEPARTMENT SERVICE

2013-18	Department Chair, History and Anthropology (Interim spring 2012)
2017-18	Chaired External Reviews for both History & Anthropology
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2017	Led Search for Core-line position in Medical Anthropology
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SERVICE TO PROFESSION

2019 -	Education Advisory Committee at Newfields
2018	Colonial Dames Graduate Student Fellowship Award Committee, Colonial Dames of Indiana Chapter, Indianapolis, IN.
2012	Chair of Program Committee for Society for East Asian Anthropology Section of American Anthropological Association Meetings, San Francisco, CA.
2011	Program Editor for Society for East Asian Anthropology Section of American Anthropological Association Meetings, Montreal, Quebec.
2010	Program Editor for Society for East Asian Anthropology Section of American Anthropological Association Meetings, New Orleans, LA.
2009-2013	Executive Committee of the Society for East Asian Anthropology (SEAA) Section of the American Anthropological Association (AAA), Councilor.

PUBLICATIONS

2018	“Migration and Laws of Contagion: Cultivating Talent in Japanese Women’s Soccer.” <i>Japanese Studies</i> , 38(1), pp. 39-56.
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- 2017 “From Grade Schooler to Great Star: Childhood Development and the ‘Golden Age’ in the World of Japanese Soccer.” Sabine Frühstück and Anne Walthall eds. *Child’s Play: Multi-Sensory Histories of Children and Childhood*. Berkeley: UC Press.
- 2014 “Fields of Individuals and Neoliberal Logics: Japan Soccer and the 1990s Economic Crisis.” *Journal of Sport and Social Issues*, 38(5), pp. 432-464. (electronic version first published 2013)
- 2013 “Rethinking Combined Departments: An Argument for History & Anthropology,” *Liberal Education*. Co-authored with Ageeth Sluis, 6(1), pp. 72-88.
- 2013 “The Promises and Possibilities of the Pitch: 1990s Ladies League Soccer Players as Fin de siècle Modern Girls.” Alisa Freedman, Christine Yano, and Laura Miller eds. *Modern Girls on the Go: Gender, Mobility, and Labor in Japan*. Stanford: Stanford University Press
- 2009 “An Ethics for Working Up?: Japanese Corporate Scandals and Unlearning Lessons About Fieldwork.” Jennifer Robertson ed. *Politics and Pitfalls of Japan Ethnography: Reflexivity, Responsibility, and Anthropological Ethics*. Routledge Press.
- 2007 “An Ethics for Working Up?: Japanese Corporate Scandals and Unlearning Lessons About Fieldwork.” *Critical Asian Studies* 39(4).
- 2006 “Gender Lessons on the Field: The Philosophy and Practice of Coaching the Female Athlete in Contemporary Japan.” William Kelly and Atsuo Sugimoto, eds., *This Sporting Life: Sports and Body Culture in Modern Japan*. Yale Series in East Asian Studies.
- 2005 “Theorizing the Cultural Importance of Play: Anthropological Approaches to Sports and Recreation of Japan.” Jennifer Robertson, ed., *A Companion to the Anthropology of Japan* (part of the series *Blackwell Companions to Social and Cultural Anthropology*). Oxford: Blackwell Publishers Limited.
- 2003 “Bodies in Motion: Contemplating Work, Leisure, and Late Capitalism in Japanese Fitness Clubs,” a review of Laura Spielvogel’s *Working Out in Japan: Shaping the Female Body in Tokyo Fitness Clubs* (Duke University, May 2003). *Anthropological Quarterly*, 76(1).

BOOK REVIEWS

- 2015 *The Soul of Anime: Collaborative Creativity and Japan’s Media Success Story* (2013). Ian Condry. Durham, NC: Duke University Press. In *American Ethnologist*, 42(3). August.

NON-REFEREED WORKS

- 2019 “The Roots of Nadeshiko Success.” *Cuadernos del Mundial*, June (no. 2), pp. 9-10.
- 2014 “Response” (Response to Commentary on “Rethinking Combined Departments: An Argument for History & Anthropology” by Stephen M. Lyon/Durham University, UK; Yasar Abu Ghosh, Pavel Himl, Tereza Stöckelová, Lucie Storchová/Charles University, Prague; Robert Gibb/University of Glasgow; Jakob Krause-Jensen/Aarhus University, Denmark; Veerendra P. Lele/Denison University) *Learning and Teaching: The International Journal of Higher Education in the Social Sciences* 7:2 (Summer)
- 2013 “Program Report for the Society of East Asian Anthropology,” *Anthropology News*, March.
- 2011 “Not a Cinderella Story: The Long Road to a Japanese World Cup Victory.” *Stanford University*

Press Blog, August 4. <http://stanfordpress.typepad.com/blog/2011/08/index.html>

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Articles:

“Tainted Torches: Fukushima and the 2020 ‘Reconstruction Olympics’” (for submission the *Asia-Pacific Review*)

Book: *Fields for the Future: Soccer Booms, Financial Busts, and New Visions of Nation and Citizenship* (in process)

REVIEWS

ARTICLE REVIEWS FOR PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS:

- 2018 For *Leisure Studies*. Article title: "Estimating the impact of the 2011 FIFA Women’s World Cup on Japanese adolescent girls: A causal analysis of the sports role models"
- 2017 For *Butler Journal of Undergraduate Research*, Butler University. Article title: “Holding on to Culture: The Effects of the 1837 Smallpox Epidemic on Mandan and Hidatsa.”
- 2016 For *Butler Journal of Undergraduate Research*, Butler University. Article title: “Mr.”
- 2015 For *American Anthropologist*, University of Iowa. Article title: “Inventing Professionalism: The Neoliberalization of Elite Rugby Body Culture.”
- 2013 For *American Anthropologist*, University of Iowa. Article title: "The Calculus of Encounter: On the Limits of Modernist Anthropology - Auto, Native, and Virtual."
- 2010 For *Journal of Japanese Studies*, University of Washington. Article title: “From Spirit to Science: Measuring Socio-cultural Change in Japanese Sports Coaching."
- 2008 For *GLQ: A Journal of Lesbian and Gay Studies*, University of Texas, Austin. Article title: "Homosexuality is not just for men. Even among women it is a splendid rage!"

BOOK MANUSCRIPT REVIEWS:

- 2010 Institute of East Asian Studies Press, University of California, Berkeley. *Taibatsu: ‘Corporal Punishment’ in the Schools and Sports of Japan.*

CONFERENCE PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

- 2019 “Returning to Tokyo: Japan's Olympics Past and Present.” Rethinking 2020 Olympic Legacies Symposium, Japan Women's University, Tokyo, Japan, 12 March.
- 2016 “Proximity, Place, and Performance: Cultivating Talent in Japanese Women’s Soccer.” American Anthropological Association Meetings, Minneapolis, MN, 17 November.
- 2013 “Soccer Visions and Future Publics: Regionalism, Rejuvenation, and Sporting Futures.” American Anthropological Association Meetings, Chicago, IL, 20 November.
- 2011 “Foul Play: The 2002 Korea-Japan World Cup and a New Tide of Korea-Bashing.” *Privileged Minorities, Innocent Victims, or National Heroes?: Anti-Korean Activism and the Lingering*

- Legacies of Japanese Imperialism*, 110th American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, QC, Canada, 16-20 November. [Co-organizer and Chair]
- 2011 “The Potential of Circumscription: Non-normative Gender and Sexual Identities in the World of Japanese Women’s Professional Football,” International Association for the Study of Sexuality, Culture and Society, Madrid, Spain, 6-9 July.
- 2011 “Raising Footballers, Raising Japan: The Japan Football Association Academy,” *Sports and Education in Modern Japan*, Association for Asian Studies and International Conference for Asian Scholars Joint Conference, Honolulu, HI, 31 March – 3 April.
- 2010 “The Ladies League and Corporate Futures: Envisioning an ‘Epoch Change’ Through Female Soccer Success.” Conference/Workshop entitled “Modern Girls on the Go: Gender, Mobility, and Labor in Japan,” University of Oregon, Eugene, OR, 7-9 January.
- 2009 “Boom and Bust?: The Political Possibilities and Present-day Realities of Hometown Soccer Teams.” *Anthropology in Troubled Times: Political Mobilization and Grassroots Activism in Recessional Japan*, 106th American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, 2-5 December. [Panel co-organizer] *panel accepted
- 2008 “Sporting Neo-Liberalism: Promises and Pitfalls of Life in the L-League.” *Negotiating New Demands and New Divisions in Japan: Women and the Neo-Liberal/Conservative Turn*, Association for Asian Studies Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, 3-6 April. [Panel Co-organizer]
- 2007 “Time Honored Traditions and Universalizing Trends: Paradoxical Claims of Difference and Sameness in Japanese Sport.” *Locating Anthropology in Japan, and Japan in Anthropology*, 106th American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., 28 November – 2 December. [Panel Co-organizer]
- 2006 “Disappearing Sites, Scandals, and Secrecy: Opportunities Lost and Found in a Japanese Corporate Fieldsite.” *Politics and Pitfalls of Japan Ethnography: Reflexivity, Responsibility and Anthropological Ethics*, 105th American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting, San Jose, CA, 15-19 November.
- 2005 “Uniforms of Sport and War: Soldiers, Athletes, and Nationalism in Modern Japan.” *A Nation in Uniform*, 11th Conference of the European Association of Japanese Studies, University of Vienna, 30 August – 3 September [Panel Organizer].
- 2004 “The Sportization of History, the Historicization of Sport: The “Ancient” Game of Kemari and Japanese Claims to Modern Soccer.” *Tropics of History: Genealogical Forces and Fictions in East Asia*, Conference of the Western Association of Women’s Studies, University of California at Santa Barbara, 21-23 May.
- 2004 “Fields of Flexibility, Creativity, and Productivity: Soccer, Industry, and Globalization in 21st Century Japan.” *Sport and Spatialities*, 2004 Sport Commerce and Culture Symposium, University of Maryland, 20 February.
- 2003 “Claiming the Game: The ‘Ancient’ Game of Kemari and Japanese Claims to Modern Soccer.” Paper to be presented for a panel entitled *Tropics of History: Genealogical Forces and Fictions in East Asia*, Annual Meeting of the Association for Asian Studies, New York, 27-30 March.

- 2002 “Citizen for a New Millennium: The Women’s L-League and Broader Discourses About Soccer and Success.” Paper presented at a Stanford Japan Lecture Series entitled *Beyond the Economic Animal: Japan's Recession-era Politics, Society, and International Relations*, Stanford University, 26 April.
- 2002 “Citizen’s for a New Millennium: Japan, Football and the Women’s L-League.” Paper presented for a conference entitled *Soccer Nations and Football Cultures in East Asia*, sponsored by the Institute of East Asian Studies, Vienna University, 21-23 March.
- 2000 “Gender Lessons on the Field: The Philosophy and Practice of Coaching the Female Athlete in Contemporary Japan.” Paper presented for a conference entitled *Sports and Body Culture in Modern Japan: Ethnographic, Comparative, and Theoretical Perspectives*, sponsored by the Council on East Asian Studies, Yale University, 30 March – 2 April.
- 2000 “Making the sports pages?: The Japan Ladies’ Soccer League.” Paper presented for a panel entitled *Activists, Athletes, and Ama: Japanese Women in Public and in Private*, Harvard Graduate Student Conference for Japanese Studies, Harvard University, 8 April.
- 1996 "Discipline and Practice: The Construction of 'Soccer Bodies' in the Japanese Ladies Soccer League." Paper presented for a panel entitled *Diet, Discipline, and Diagnosis: Social Hygiene in Wartime and Postwar Japan*, Annual Meeting of the Association for Asian Studies, Honolulu, 12 April.

INVITED LECTURES/PANELS

- 2019 Why Contagion? : Subjective Understandings of Soccer Learning and Athletes’ Migration Decisions.” Sociology of Sport Research Group at Japan Women’s University, Tokyo, Japan, 11 March.
- 2018 “The Future for Women’s Sports Leaders.” Women’s Coaches Academy 2018, sponsored by the Japanese Center for Research on Women in Sport (JCRWS), Karuizawa, Japan, 13 September.
- 2016 “Soccer Dreams and Disasters: Soccer the State and Individual Responsibility in 21st Century Japan.” Soccer and Social Justice Symposium, Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, 8 April.
- 2015 "From Grade School to Great Star: Childhood Development and the 'Golden Age' in the World of Japanese Soccer." Symposium: Child’s Play: Multi-sensory Histories of Children and Childhood in Japan and Beyond. UC-Santa Barbara, 27-28 February.
- 2013 “Fukushima’s Victories and Victims: The Fateful Alliance of Japanese Soccer and Nuclear Power.” SAR Colloquium Series, School for Advanced Research, Santa Fe, NM, 10 April.
- 2012 “Fin de Millennium Football in Japan: A Sport and an Age for ‘Individuals’.” SAR Colloquium Series, School for Advanced Research, Santa Fe, NM, 10 October.
- 2012 “Finding *Communitas* on Sports Fields and Over the Next Four Years.” Academic Convocation, Butler University, 20 August, 2012.
- 2012 “From Visionary Training Site to Evacuation Zone: The Complex Relationship Between Japanese Soccer, the State, and Nuclear Power” Japan Anthropology Colloquium Series, Yale University, 2 March.

- 2011 “Fukushima’s Victories and Victims: The Fateful Alliance of Japanese Soccer and Nuclear Power.” Center for Japanese Studies Noon Lecture Series, The University of Michigan, 3 November.
- 2009 “Why Does Soccer Matter?: The Personal, Political, and Entrepreneurial Aspects of Soccer in Contemporary Japan.” Guest Lecture in “Sports in East Asia,” Xavier University, 18 September.
- 2009 “Fields of Play and Power: Soccer and Citizenship in Contemporary Japan.” Graduate seminar, Program in Health, Physical Education and Sports Sciences, Tsukuba University, Tsukuba, Japan, 29 August.
- 2009 “Sporting Neoliberalism: Promises and Pitfall of Life in the L-League.” Invited speaker at the Department of Anthropology, University of Indianapolis, 6 March.
- 2009 Respondent at "Darwinism and the Scientific Study of Religion" event, which was part of the 2008-09 Butler Seminar on Religion and World Civilization, 24 February.
- 2008 “The Road to Beijing: East Asian Olympics Past and Present.” Part of panel entitled *The Beijing Olympics in Perspective*. Center for East Asian and Pacific Studies, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. 18 September.
- 2008 “Contradictions and Lessons from East Asian Olympics Past and Thoughts about Beijing.” National Consortium for Teaching about Asia workshop entitled *East Asian Bodies and Sports: From Tradition to the Beijing Olympics*. IPU, 27 April
- 2008 “Framing the 2008 Games in Beijing: East Asian Olympics Past and Present.” East Asia Forum, Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, 31 March.
- 2007 Panel Participant, *East Asian Olympics: Looking forward to Beijing 2008*, East Asian Studies Center Symposium, Indiana University-Bloomington, 2 November.
- 2006 Discussant for Book Conversation about Amy Borovoy’s *The Too-good Wife: Alcohol, Codependency, and the Politics of Nurture in Postwar Japan*. Midwest Networks: Anthropology and Psychology of the Asian Self, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 27 October.
- 2006 “Practice at Play: Transforming Selves and Society in Japan’s Soccer League.” Medicine, Practice, and the Body: An Interdisciplinary Workshop, University of Chicago, 12 October.
- 2005 “Fields of Flexibility, Creativity, and Productivity: Soccer, Industry, and Globalization in 21st Century Japan.” Center for Japanese Studies Noon Lecture Series, University of Michigan, 6 October.
- 2005 “Fin de Millennium Football in Japan: A Sport and an Age for “Individuals.” Japan/Korea Workshop, University of Illinois, 15 April.
- 2003 “Constructing Genealogies of Play: Japanese Narratives of Connection between the ‘Ancient’ Game of Kemari and Modern Soccer.” Stanford Society of Fellows in Japanese Studies, Stanford University, 14 May.

- 2002 “Contemplating Gender Performance and Sport: Women’s Soccer Players of Japan’s L-League.” Works in Progress Series, Department of Cultural and Social Anthropology, Stanford University, 11 November.

ORGANIZED CONFERENCE PANELS

- 2011 *Privileged Minorities, Innocent Victims, or National Heroes?: Anti-Korean Activism and the Lingering Legacies of Japanese Imperialism*, 110th American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, QC, Canada, 16-20 November. [Co-organizer and Chair]
- 2009 *Anthropology in Troubled Times: Political Mobilization and Grassroots Activism in Recessionary Japan*, 106th American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, 2-5 December. [Co-organizer]
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- 2007 *Locating Anthropology in Japan, and Japan in Anthropology*, 106th American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., 28 November – 2 December. [Co-organizer]
- 2005 *A Nation in Uniform*, 11th Conference of the European Association of Japanese Studies, University of Vienna, 30 August – 3 September [Organizer].

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, AND AWARDS

- 2018 Short-term Research Travel to Japan, North East Asian Council (NEAC) of the Association for Asian Studies (AAS) and the Japan-U.S. Friendship Commission (JUSFC), \$5,000.
- 2018 Butler Awards Committee Faculty Research Grant for “Nadeshiko Japan's Pioneers: Reflecting on Soccer, Identity, and Life Course,” \$6,000.
- 2017 Butler Awards Committee Instructional Grant for new ICR course: “Life in the Shadows: Homelessness in Indianapolis,” \$1,000.
- 2015 Butler Awards Committee Instructional Grant for new anthropology course: “The Anthropology of Value and Values,” \$500.
- 2013 Butler Awards Committee Instructional Grant for online ethnographic methods course (AN352), \$1,000.
- 2012-2013 Henry Luce Fellow-in-Residence, School for Advanced Research (SAR), Santa Fe, New Mexico.
- 2011 Association for Asian Studies Northeast Asia Council (AAS-NEAC), Grants for Japanese and Korean Studies, application for one-week of research travel to University of Michigan Asia Library. \$1,300.
- 2011 Gender, Women and Sexuality Studies Grant for Instructional Materials, \$334.
- 2010 Butler Awards Committee Summer Writing Grant, \$3,000

- 2009 Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS)/Social Science Research Council (SSRC) Scholarship Program for ABDs and Recent PhDs. Application for two months of research in Japan in summer 2009. Funded for approximately \$10,000.
- 2008 Butler Awards Committee Course Development Grant for "History of Anthropological Thought." Funded: \$2,000.
- 2006 U.S. Department of Education Title VI Grant for Development of new "Global and Historical Studies" campus-wide core curriculum, within which I am helping to design a course entitled, "East Asian Interactions."
- 2006 Butler Awards Committee Course Development Grant for New Combined History and Anthropology First-year Seminar for Department Majors
- 2006 Butler Awards Committee Course Development Grant for New Science, Technology and Society Core Course for STS Majors
- 2006 Core Curriculum Course Development Grant for "Sex, Gender, and Sexuality in Modern Japan" Course
- 2005 Butler Summer Institute Grant with two students (Maggie Maxwell and Karri Voshkuhl)
- 2005 Freeman Foundation Asian Studies Initiative Grant, \$4,000.
- 2005 Holcomb Awards Committee Faculty Research Grant. \$6,500.
- 2001-03 Post-doctoral Fellowship in Japanese Studies, Institute for International Studies, Stanford University.
- 2001 Japan Society for the Promotion of Science Postdoctoral Fellowship (administered by the Social Science Research Council). [declined]
- 2001 Rackham One-Term Dissertation Grant, University of Michigan.
- 2000 Rackham Predoctoral Fellowship.
- 1999 National Science Foundation Summer Program in Japan, two month research position at Tsukuba University, Tsukuba, Japan.
- 1999 Departmental Selection for Susan Lipschutz Award for Summer Research.
- 1997 Social Science Research Council International Dissertation Research Fellowship.
- 1997 Japan Foundation Dissertation Research Fellowship.
- 1996 Michigan Women's Athletic Association Fellowship Grant, 1996 (award in recognition of service as an assistant coach).
- 1995 National Science Foundation Fellowship for Graduate Study
- 1994 University of Michigan Regents Fellowship

OTHER RECOGNITION

- 2010 Butler University Woman of Distinction Award
- 2009 Apple for You Award (SGA)
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- 2018 Interim Member of GHS Executive Committee
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- 2018 Colonial Dames Graduate Student Fellowship Award Committee, Colonial Dames of Indiana Chapter, Indianapolis, IN.

- 2012 Chair of Program Committee for Society for East Asian Anthropology Section of American Anthropological Association Meetings, San Francisco, CA.

- 2011 Program Editor for Society for East Asian Anthropology Section of American Anthropological Association Meetings, Montreal, Quebec.

- 2010 Program Editor for Society for East Asian Anthropology Section of American Anthropological Association Meetings, New Orleans, LA.

- 2009- Executive Committee of the Society for East Asian Anthropology (SEAA) Section of the
2013 American Anthropological Association (AAA), Councilor.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- 2019-20 Peer Review of Teaching Pilot Group

- 2019 Academic Freedom Faculty-Staff Learning Community

- 2018-19 ACUE Course in Instructional Excellence and Career Guidance

- 2017 “Small Teaching” Faculty Reading Group

- 2011 National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity Faculty Success Program

- 2009 Center for Faith and Vocation Workshop

ORGANIZED EVENTS AT BUTLER

- 2015 Masculinities Speaker Series (with Dr. Ageeth Sluis)
- 2009-11 Served on Fannie Lou Hamer Ready for Change Speaker Series selection committee. Solicited invited speaker proposals, vetted proposals, and secured funding from the Provost's Office.
- 2011 Technology Panel: With James Gee, Craig Watkins and Craig Anderson. Part of *Woods Lecture Series*. Assisted with choosing speakers and coordinating their visits.
- 2009 Anthropology Visiting Speaker: White Wolf James, Assistant Curator of Native American Collections, Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, IN.
- 2009 LAS Public Lecture by Lucinda Ramberg, Assistant Professor of Anthropology and Women's Studies, University of Kentucky.
- 2008 GHS Public Lecture by Jennifer Robertson, Professor of Anthropology, The University of Michigan.
- 2008 LAS Public Lecture by Veve Lele, Associate Professor of Anthropology, Dennison University.
- 2007 Guest Lecture by Nancy Abelmann, Professor of Anthropology and Asian Studies, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.

MENTORING

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT THESES (years denote date of completion)

- 2020
Jake Small – *Flying the Airplane: Cadets, Cadre, and Combat*
- 2018
Emily Stark – *Cultural Diversity and Mental Illness Stigma*
- 2017
Alexia Maggos – *Culture Shock: An Ethnographic Account of a Small Business in the Face of Change*
- 2016
Rhett Dial – *Tradition & Revolutionary Art: The Contemporary Russian Theater*
- 2015
Lea Levy – *What is a European? Sense of Belonging in the European Union, State and Citizen Perspectives.*
- 2014
Martha Leuthner – *The Recovered Businesses of Argentina: Identities in an Imagined Country*
- Anne Vierser – [Second Reader], “*Teach them to Serve and they’ll Learn how to Sell*”: *Developing a Hierarchy of 1920’s Salesgirls, Department Stores, Customers, and the Modern Retail World, 1910-2013*
- 2012
Patrick Thevenow – *The Qawha Brotherhood: An Ethnographic Account of Daily Life in the Rural Middle East.*

2011

Patrick Thevenow – Directed Reading and Research Internship for Honors Thesis: *The Qawha Brotherhood: An Ethnographic Account of Daily Life in the Rural Middle East.*

2010

Christina Lear - *Sisterhood or Segregation: Gender Division versus Integration in the Context of Sororities*

Jessica Nelson – *Gender and Justice: The Experiences of Female Lawyers in Indiana.*

2009

Erin Aquino – *Performing Tibetan Ethnography.*

Jonathan Irons - *A Moment in Archaeology: A Reflexive Examination of the Culture of Meaning-Making in Archaeological Fieldwork.* (Also advisor for Butler Summer Institute on same project in 2008.)

2008

Bess Anderson – *Henshin: Sex, Gender and Transformation in Ranma ½.*

Ashley Holmes – *Authority Without Context.*

2007

Erica Loveland – *The Fairytale Project* (I oversaw the final semester of Erica’s thesis project, when her primary advisor, Sue Kenyon, was on leave.)

2008 Butler Summer Institute Grant with Jon Irons

2006

Theresa Barstow - *Influences of Advanced Technology on the American Funeral Industry.*

Karri Voskuhl - *An Examination of Current Attitudes about Sex Differences on Pain and Injury in Sport.*

GRADUATE STUDENT MENTORING

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FEATURES IN POPULAR PUBLICATIONS/MEDIA

2011 Quoted in “Japanese Women Kick and Punch Out a Space for Themselves in Sport,” Daniel Krieger, *The New York Times* (Global Edition), August 21, 2011.
<http://www.nytimes.com/2011/08/22/sports/japanese-women-kick-and-punch-out-a-space-for-themselves-in-sports.html?pagewanted=all>

2009 Featured in weekly column on women’s soccer on the Japan Football Association’s website:
http://www.jfa.or.jp/nadeshiko_vision/column/20090716.html

2007 Internet Radio Interview on the 2007 Women’s World Cup in China for “The Global Game,” September 11. <http://www.theglobalgame.com>

2007 Interview with Fuji Lozada (Davidson University) on “Savage Minds” online anthropology forum for professional anthropologists: <http://savageminds.org/2007/08/15/interview-with-an-anthropologist/>

- 2003 Article of interview and excerpts of dissertation appeared in article for “The Global Game”:
<http://www.theglobalgame.com/wwcsept.html>

MEMBERSHIPS & POSITIONS IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Society for East Asian Anthropology, Counselor 2009-2012
American Anthropological Association
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- 8/04 – 5/17 Assistant Coach in charge of goalkeepers, Butler University Women’s Soccer Team.
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- 11/98 Interpreter and translator of textual materials for “The Football Conference Japan 1998,” an international soccer conference hosted by the Japan Football Association.
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- 3/92-7/94 Player/Coach and personnel relations assistant, The Nikko Securities Co., Ltd., Tokyo, Japan. Primary duties were as a player, coach and interpreter for the company-sponsored team in the professional "L-League."