

Curriculum Vitae

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Research and Teaching Interests

China, Taiwan, cultural anthropology, gender and sexuality, popular culture, visual anthropology.

Education

- 1999 Ph.D. Anthropology, University of California, San Diego. Dissertation: *Fetus Spirits: New Ghosts in Modern Taiwan*.
- 1994-1996 Inter-University Language Program (7 Quarters).
- 1993 MA Anthropology, University of California, San Diego. Thesis: *Behind an Open Door: Gender and Strategies in Taiwan and the PRC*.
- 1988 BA English Literature. University of California, Santa Cruz.

Employment

- 2015-present Professor. Department of Anthropology. University of South Carolina.
- 2009-2014 Associate Professor. Department of Anthropology. University of South Carolina.
- 2007-2009 Assistant Professor. Department of Anthropology. University of South Carolina.
- 2000-2007 Assistant Professor. Department of Sociology and Anthropology. Lake Forest College.
- 2000 Visiting Lecturer. Department of Anthropology, UC San Diego. Course Title: *The Anthropology of Sex*. (Winter quarter)
- 1999 Visiting Lecturer. Roosevelt College, UC San Diego. Course Title: *Making of the Modern World I*. (Fall quarter)
- 1996.6-1997.6 Freelance Translator (Chinese to English)
- 1991-1994 Teaching Assistant. University of California, San Diego.
- 1988-1989 English Teacher. *Volunteers in Asia* (A non-profit organization affiliated with Stanford University and UCSC.). Xi'an Institute of Architecture and Technology. Xi'an, Shaanxi Province, People's Republic of China.

Unpaid Affiliations

- 2011.7-2012.7 Visiting Scholar. Department of Sociology and Anthropology. Peking University. Beijing, PRC.
- 2005.6-2007.8 Visiting Scholar. Affiliated with the Institute of Ethnology, Academia Sinica. Nangang, Taipei, Taiwan.
- 1994.9-1999.7 Visiting Research Associate. Institute of Ethnology, Academia Sinica. Nangang, Taipei, Taiwan.

Books

- 2013 *Go Nation: Chinese Masculinities and the Game of Weiqi in China*. Berkeley: University of California Press.
- 2010 *Cries of Joy, Songs of Sorrow: Chinese Pop Music and its Cultural Connotations*. Honolulu: University of Hawai'i Press.
- 2001 *The Haunting Fetus: Abortion, Sexuality, and the Spirit World in Taiwan*. Honolulu: University of Hawai'i Press.

Edited Volumes

- 2011 *Popular Culture in Taiwan: Charismatic Modernity*. New York: Routledge.
- 2004 *The Minor Arts of Daily Life: Popular Culture in Modern Taiwan*. Honolulu: University of Hawai'i Press. (Co-edited with David K. Jordan and Andrew D. Morris).

Ethnographic Films

- 2012 *Weiqi Wonders: Conversations About the Game of Go in China*. High-Definition Color. 50 min. Distributed by CreateSpace.
- 2011 *Dancing for the Dead: Funeral Strippers in Taiwan*. High-Definition Color. 38 min. Distributed by CreateSpace.

Museum Exhibit

- 2013-present 6:21 minutes of my film *Dancing for the Dead* is displayed in a permanent exhibit in the Museum fur Sepülkralkltur in Germany.

YouTube Videos (790,000 views)

- 2013 Short Video. *Jitong. Dexing Temple. Huwei, Taiwan*. High-Definition Color. 5 minutes. <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YQ1MkrBpHrw>
- 2013 Short Video. *Jitong. Anxi Temple. Taixi, Taiwan*. High-Definition Color. 5 minutes. <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hKtVcfGw0LQ>
- 2012 Trailer 1. *Weiqi Wonders: Conversations About the Game of Go in China*. High-Definition Color. 2 minutes. <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kqCCb7W1JLM>

- 2011 Trailer 2. *Dancing for the Dead: Funeral Strippers in Taiwan*. High-Definition Color. 1 minute. <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wengtO27Omc>
- 2011 Trailer 1. *Dancing for the Dead: Funeral Strippers in Taiwan*. High-Definition Color. 1 minute. <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mYxOBoHHJ9M>

Articles and Book Chapters

- 2015 “From Mao Zedong to Michael Jackson: Revisualizing Culture and History in the YouTube Age.” *China Information*, 29:309-332.
- 2015 “Drinking Modernity: Sexuality and the Sanitation of Space in Taiwan’s Coffee Shops.” In *Japanese Taiwan: Colonial Rule and its Legacy*. SOAS Studies in Modern and Contemporary Japan, ed. Andrew D. Morris, 201-212. Bloomsbury Press.
- 2014 “Seeing Sound: *Perhaps Love*, YouTube, and Hong Kong’s Cultural Convergence.” *Visual Anthropology*, 27:149-165.
- 2013 “Weiqi Legends, Then and Now: Cultural Paradigms in the Game of Go.” In *Asian Popular Culture: New, Hybrid, and Alternate Media*, eds. John Lent and Lorna Fitzsimmons, 1-16. New York: Lexington Books.
- 2011 “The Power of the Popular.” In *Popular Culture in Taiwan: Charismatic Modernity*, ed. Marc L. Moskowitz, 1-22. New York: Routledge.
- 2011 “From Warlocks to Aryans: The Slippery Slope of Cultural Nuance in Reading Harry Potter in Taiwan.” In *Popular Culture in Taiwan: Charismatic Modernity*, ed. Marc L. Moskowitz, 168-180. New York: Routledge.
- 2010 “Coffee and its Cultural Connotations in Taiwan” (*Taiwan de kafei wenhua ji qi wenhua yihan* 台灣的咖啡文化及其文化意涵). (Published in Chinese.) *Journal of Chinese Dietary Culture (Zhongguo yinshi wenhua* 中國飲食文化) 6(1):1-25.
- 2009 “Mandopop Under Siege: Culturally Bound Criticisms of Taiwan’s Pop Music.” *Popular Music*, Cambridge University Press. 28(1):69-83.
- 2008 “Message in a Bottle: Lyrical Laments and Emotional Expression in Mandopop” *The China Quarterly* 194:365-379.
- 2008 “Multiple Virginity, Barbarian Prince Charmings, and Other Contested Realities in Taipei’s Foreign Club Culture.” *Sexualities* 11(3):327-335.
- 2007 “Failed Families and Quiet Individualism: Women’s Strategies of Resistance in Urban Taiwan.” *Journal of Archaeology and Anthropology*, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan. 67:157-184.
- 2005 “Magic Tricks, Midnight Grave Outings, and Transforming Trees: Performance and Agency in Taiwanese Religion.” *Special Issue of the Journal of Ritual Studies: Asian Ritual Systems: Syncretisms and Ruptures*, ed. Andrew Strathern and Pamela J. Stewart. 19(1):19-30.

- 2007 Reprinted in Andrew Strathern and Pamela J. Stewart, ed. *Asian Ritual Systems: Syncretisms and Ruptures*, 63-81. Durham, North Carolina: Carolina Academic Press Ritual Studies Monographs.
- 2004 "Yang-Sucking She-Demons: Penetration, Fear of Castration, and other Freudian Angst in Modern Chinese Cinema." In *The Minor Arts of Daily Life: Popular Culture in Modern Taiwan*, ed. David K. Jordan, Andrew Morris, and Marc L. Moskowitz, 205-217. Honolulu: University of Hawai'i Press.
- 1998 "The Haunting Fetus: Greed, Healing, and Religious Adaptation in Modern Taiwan." *Bulletin of the Institute of Ethnology, Academia Sinica*. Taipei, Taiwan. 86:157-196.

Short Works

- 2015 Book Review. Fung, Anthony Y.H., ed. Asian Popular Culture: The Global (Dis)Continuity. *East Asian Journal of Popular Culture*. 1(3):437-439.
- 2014 Book Review. Cho, Mun Young. The Specter of 'the People': Urban Poverty in Northeast China. *The Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute* 20(3):594-595.
- 2014 Book Review. Harris, Rachel, Rowan Pease, and Shzr Ee Tan, eds. Gender in Chinese Music. *Music & Letters*. 95(2):314-315.
- 2014 Book Review. Osburg, John. Anxious Wealth: Money and Morality Among China's New Rich. *Journal of Asian Studies* 73(2):534-535.
- 2014 Film Review. Field, Andrew, and Jud Willmont, dir. "DOWN: Indie Rock in the PRC." *Pacific Affairs* 87(1):209-210.
- 2013 Book Review. Sun, Jing. Japan and China as Charm Rivals: Soft Power in Regional Diplomacy. *Pacific Affairs* 86(3):619-620.
- 2013 Book Review. Tan, Shzr Ee. Beyond 'Innocence': Amis Aboriginal Song in Taiwan as an Ecosystem. *China Quarterly* 213:234-235.
- 2013 News Article. "Hot and Noisy." *BBC News Magazine*. February 25. (Three Paragraphs Only.) <http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/magazine-21479399>
- 2011 Book Review. Boretz, Avron. Gods, Ghosts, and Gangsters: Ritual Violence, Martial Arts, and Masculinity on the Margins of Chinese Society. *The Journal of Chinese Religions* 39:97-99.
- 2011 Book Review. Zheng, Su. Claiming Diaspora: Music, Transnationalism, and Cultural Politics in Asian/Chinese America. *American Anthropologist* 113(4):693-694.
- 2010 Letter from the Editor. "From the Visual Anthropology Review Editor: Seeing China." *American Anthropologist* 112(3):467-468.
- 2010 Book Review. De Kloet, Jeroen. China with a Cut: Globalisation, Urban Youth, and Popular Music. *The China Journal* 64:235-237.
- 2009 Book Review. Shih, Fang-long, Stuart Thompson and Paul-Francois Tremlett, eds. Re-Writing Culture in Taiwan. *The China Quarterly* 198:484-486.

- 2009 Letter from the Editor. "From the Visual Anthropology Review Editor: Seeing Visual Anthropology." *American Anthropologist* 111(1):6.
- 2008 Ethnographic Film Series Review. "A Review of Hu Tai-li's D.E.R. Series." *American Anthropologist* 110(2):248-250.
- 2008 Book Review. Nie, Jing-Bao. Behind the Silence: Chinese Voices on Abortion. *China Review International* 14(1):186-189.
- 2006 Article. "A Musical History of Taiwan." *Taiwan Business TOPICS Magazine*, Special Edition 36(6):18-21.
- 2005 Book Review. Adrian, Bonnie. Framing the Bride: Globalizing Beauty and Romance in Taiwan's Bridal Industry. *China Review International* 11(2):265-267.
- 2004 Book Review. Clart, Philip and Charles B. Jones, ed. Religion in Modern Taiwan: Tradition and Innovation in a Changing Society. *Journal of Buddhist Ethics* 11:107-110.
- 2003 Book Review. Katz, Paul R. and Murray A. Rubinstein, eds. Religion and the Formation of Taiwanese Identities. *Journal of Chinese Religions* 31:256-258.
- 1997 Translation. "A Countdown of the Best Chinese Love Stories of All Time." By Tsai Wen-ting. *Sinorama* 22(1):20-25.

Awards and Honors

- 2012.1-2012.7 University of South Carolina College of Arts and Sciences Dean's Research Fund. One semester's leave with pay.
- 2011.7-2012.1 ACLS-NEH (American Council of Learned Societies and the National Endowment for the Humanities) American Research in the Humanities in China Fellowship.
- 2006.5-2007.5 Fulbright Research Award.
- 2005.7-2006.5 Fulbright Research Award.
- 2003.10-2006.6 Lake Forest College Gustav E. Beerly Chair. Awarded to one professor at the college for distinguished scholarship and teaching excellence.
- 2003.9-2003.12 Lake Forest College Eugene Hotchkiss Sabbatical. One semester's paid leave for distinguished scholarship and teaching excellence.
- 1998.8-1999.8 The Chiang Ching-Kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange Fellowship.
- 1997.7-1998.7 Fulbright-Hays Award. U.S. Department of Education Center for International Education.
- 1997.7-1998.12 Center for Chinese Studies Grant. (Unable to accept because it conflicted with other funding.)
- 1996.6-1997.6 Pacific Cultural Foundation Dissertation Research Subsidy.

1995.9-1996.6 Inter-University Language Program Partial Tuition Waiver (3 Quarters).

Funded by the R.O.C. Ministry of Education and the Inter-University Language Program.

1994.9-1995.8 Inter-University Language Program Full Tuition Waiver (4 Quarters).

Funded by the R.O.C. Ministry of Education and the Inter-University Language Program.

1992.7-1992.9 Department of Education's Title VI Program Grant. Administered through the University of California, San Diego, to attend Chinese language courses at the Taipei Language Institute in Taipei, Taiwan.

Extramural Professional Service

2009.1-2012.1 Visual Anthropology Review Editor, *American Anthropologist*.

2009 Society for Visual Anthropology Film Jury Member. Decided which films would be shown at the 2009 American Anthropological Association meetings and which films would win awards. (May 1-3)

Served as an external reviewer for the Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation and the Fulbright Foundation, as well as a range of journals including the *American Ethnologist*, the *Journal of Asian Studies*, *Journal of East Asian Popular Culture*, *Positions*, *Signs*, and *Visual Anthropology*, among others.

University Professional Service

2015.8-present Tenure and Promotion Chair. Department of Anthropology. University of South Carolina.

2012.8-2013.8 Interim Graduate Director. Department of Anthropology. University of South Carolina.

2012.1-2012.5 Acting USC Senate member. University of South Carolina.

2008.8-2012.1 Director of the Visual Anthropology Graduate Certificate Program. University of South Carolina.

2010.4-2011.4 Department of Anthropology Web Site Committee. University of South Carolina.

2007.8-2010.8 Taiwan Studies Conference Program Director. University of South Carolina.

2008.8-2009.8 Interim Chair of Asian Studies. University of South Carolina.

2000.8-2005.8 Co-Chair of Asian Studies. Lake Forest College.

Organized Conferences

2010 *East Asian Dialogues: Cultural Flow in East Asia*. University of South Carolina Conference. (February 26-27)

- 2009 *Thirty Years After the Taiwan Relations Act*. University of South Carolina/TEC (Taipei Economic and Cultural Office) University of South Carolina Conference. (September 25-27)
- 2008 *Charismatic Modernity: Popular Culture in Taiwan*. University of South Carolina/TECO Conference. (October 3-5)
- 2008 *Taiwan's Religions, Political Process, and Civil Society*. University of South Carolina/TECO Conference. (July 1-2)

Film Screenings

- 2015 Classroom Film Screening and Skype Discussion. "Dancing for the Dead: Funeral Strippers in Taiwan." Maryland Institute College of Art. (September 24)
- 2014 Film Screening and Discussion. "Dancing for the Dead: Funeral Strippers in Taiwan." Centre of Taiwan Studies. University of London School of Oriental and African Studies. (November 27).
- 2014 Film Screening and Discussion. "Dancing for the Dead: Funeral Strippers in Taiwan." Granada Centre of Visual Anthropology. The University of Manchester. (November 25)
- 2014 Classroom Film Screening and Skype Discussion. "Dancing for the Dead: Funeral Strippers in Taiwan." University of Wyoming. (March 13)
- 2013 Film Screening and Discussion. Dancing for the Dead: Funeral Strippers in Taiwan. The Social Lives of Dead Bodies in Modern China. Brown University. (June 14)
- 2012 Film Screening and Discussion (I was not present). Dancing for the Dead: Funeral Strippers in Taiwan. The NewBridge Arts Project. London, England. (December 4)
- 2012 Film Screening and Discussion. Weiqi Wonders: Conversations About the Game of Go in China. School of Journalism. Tsing-hua University, Beijing, China. (June 29)
- 2012 Film Screening (I was not present). Dancing for the Dead: Funeral Strippers in Taiwan. Film Series on Cultural Approaches to Death led by Emma Balkind. Glasgow, Scotland. (March 14)

Conferences and Invited Talks

- 2016 Colloquium. "Taiwan's Popular Culture and its Impact on China, East Asia, and Beyond." The Weatherhead East Asian Institute, Columbia University. (November 29)
- 2016 Roundtable. "Futures." Security Issues. Taiwan and the 2016 Elections: The Road Ahead. University of South Carolina/TECO Conference. (September 25)
- 2016 Chair. The Labor of Animation. Institute of Ethnology, Academia Sinica, Taiwan (June 17)
- 2015 Discussant. Panel: Digitized Grammars: Contexts of Narrative Construction in Computer-Mediated Communication. American Anthropological Association. (November 21)

- 2015 Presentation. "Lonely Lyrical Laments: Gendered Narratives in Taiwan's Popular Music." The 2nd World Congress of Taiwan Studies (WCTS). London School of Oriental and African Studies. (Jointly organized by the Centre of Taiwan Studies at SOAS and the Department of Sociology at Academia Sinica). (June 19)
- 2015 Colloquium. "Taiwan's Popular Culture and its Impact on China, East Asia, and Beyond." The Weatherhead East Asian Institute, Columbia University. (April 21)
- 2015 Presentation. "Revisualizing the Cultural Revolution in the YouTube Age." Revisualizing East Asian Popular Culture. Organizer: Marc L. Moskowitz. Association for Asian Studies. (March 28)
- 2015 Colloquium. "Go Nation: Chinese Masculinities and the Game of Weiqi in China." Dickenson College. (March 17)
- 2015 Invited Talk. "Revisualizing China in the YouTube Age." University of Oxford, St. Cross College. (March 6)
- 2014 Presentation. "Seeing the Cultural Revolution through YouTube Mash-Ups." Revisualizing East Asia Through Popular Culture. Organizer: Marc L. Moskowitz. American Anthropological Association. (December 5)
- 2014 Invited Talk. "Reading Harry Potter in Taiwan." Centre of Taiwan Studies. University of London School of Oriental and African Studies. (November 26).
- 2014 Invited Talk. "Go Nation: Chinese Masculinities and the Game of Weiqi in China." Department of Sociology. University of York. (November 24)
- 2014 Chair. Panel: Security Issues. The US 'Pivot to Asia' and its Implications for Taiwan and the Pacific Region. University of South Carolina/TECO Conference. (September 28)
- 2013 Chair and Discussant. Panel: Instrumental Encounters. The Social Lives of Dead Bodies in Modern China. Brown University. (June 14)
- 2013 Presentation. "Becoming Men: Weiqi, Children's Training, and Disciplinary Structures in Contemporary China." Ninth International Corpus Symposium. CORPUS International Group for Cultural Studies of the Body. Taipei National University of the Arts. Taipei, Taiwan. (May 24)
- 2013 Colloquium. "Weiqi Wonders: The Game of Go, Masculinity, and Cultural Identity in China." Institute of Ethnology, Academia Sinica. Taipei, Taiwan. (May 20)
- 2013 Presentation. "When Bollywood Meets Hong Kong Cinema in Shanghai: *Perhaps Love*, Buddhist Allegory, and Cultural Hybridity." Panel: Citizens in the Re-emerging Center of the World: A Cross-Border Perspective on Cultural Production and Identity Formation Across Asia. Association for Asian Studies. (March 22)

- 2013 Presentation. "Nation, Race, and Man: The Game of Weiqi and Constructions of Masculinity in the East Asian Context." Panel: Masculinity and its Effects. Transitions and Transformations: Gender at the Crossroads of the Sciences, the Social Sciences, and the Humanities. University of South Carolina. (March 1)
- 2012 Chair. Panel: Surveying the Reach of Visual Representation. American Anthropological Association. (November 14)
- 2012 Presentation. "Sonic Splendor, Synergetic Sites: A Hong Kong Musical, YouTube, and Fan Appropriation." Panel: Surveying the Reach of Visual Representation. American Anthropological Association. (November 14)
- 2012 Chair. Panel: Taiwan Security, Diplomacy, and the Arms Sales Question. University of South Carolina/TECO Conference. (September 8)
- 2012 Presentation. "Mastering East Asia: Nationalism, Identity, and Weiqi Competitions in East Asia." Panel: Nationalism and Diplomacy. University of South Carolina/TECO Conference. (September 8)
- 2012 Presentation. "Go Play Go: The Challenges of Categorization for an Increasingly Globalized Game." The American Go Association International Go Symposium. (August 5)
- 2012 Presentation. "The Sights, and Sites, of Mandopop: YouTube, Film, and the Hybrid Mandopop Industry." The 3rd Inter-Asia Popular Music Studies Conference (IAPMS). National Taiwan Normal University (NTNU). Taipei, Taiwan. (July 13)
- 2012 Invited Talk (in Chinese). Seeing Sound: *Perhaps Love*, YouTube, and Hong Kong's Cultural Convergence (*Guankan shengyin: "Ruguo Ai", YouTube, yu xianggang de wenhua huiju* 觀看聲音：《如果愛》，YouTube 與香港的文化匯聚). School of Journalism. Tsing-hua University, Beijing. (June 29)
- 2012 Presentation. "Seeing Sound: Hong Kong's Mandopop and Cultural Convergence in the YouTube Age" Panel: Technology and Experiences of Modernity: From an Anthropological Perspective. International Conference of Sinology, Academia Sinica, Taiwan. (June 20)
- 2012 Invited Talk. "Cries of Joy, Songs of Sorrow: Chinese Pop Music and its Cultural Connotations." College of Arts and Sciences. Babson College. (February 8)
- 2012 Colloquium. "Cries of Joy, Songs of Sorrow: Chinese Pop Music and its Cultural Connotations." Departments of East Asian Studies, Music, and Anthropology. Brandeis University. (February 7)
- 2011 Invited Talk. (Presented in Chinese.) "Cries of Joy, Songs of Sorrow: Chinese Pop Music and its Cultural Connotations" (*Guwu huanhu, kangkai beige: Zhongguo liuxing yinyue ji qi wenhua yihan* 鼓舞欢呼，慷慨悲歌：中国流行音乐及其文化意涵). Popular Music Research Group. Beijing, China. (November 18)

- 2011 Colloquium. "Popular Culture in Taiwan." The Weatherhead East Asian Institute, Columbia University (April 19)
- 2011 Discussant. "Derivations and Detours in the Material and Literary Culture of East Asia." Association for Asian Studies. (March 31)
- 2011 Presentation. "The Third Take: Hong Kong's Mandopop Music Videos Retold." In the Mix: Asian Popular Music. Princeton University. (March 26)
- 2010 Colloquium. "Cries of Joy, Songs of Sorrow: Chinese Pop Music and its Cultural Connotations." Department of History and the Asian Studies Program. University of Puget Sound. (October 5)
- 2010 Chair. Cross Straight Cultural Networks. Taiwan at the Center. University of South Carolina/TECO Conference. (October 2)
- 2010 Opening Remarks. East Asian Dialogues: Cultural Flow in East Asia. University of South Carolina Conference. Organizer: Marc L. Moskowitz. (February 27)
- 2010 Presentation. "Drinking Modernity: Class, Gender, and Sexuality in Taiwan's Coffee Cultures." Panel: Popular Culture and its Cultural Connotations. East Asian Dialogues: Cultural Flow in East Asia. University of South Carolina Conference. Organizer: Marc L. Moskowitz. (February 27)
- 2010 Chair. Bodies Modified and Transformed. Bodies: An Interdisciplinary Conference. University of South Carolina. (February 26)
- 2009 Presentation. "Seeing Music: Hong Kong, YouTube Videos, and Cultural Convergence." Pop Culture China. Asia Research Institute. The University of Singapore. (December 8)
- 2009 Presentation. Invited Roundtable Discussion. Evaluating Anthropological Film: A Roundtable with the Festival Jury. American Anthropological Association. (December 3)
- 2009 Presentation of Film Awards for the Society of Visual Anthropology (One of four presenters). American Anthropological Association. (December 2)
- 2009 Discussant. "The TRA and Cultural Relations between Taiwan and the US." Thirty Years After the Taiwan Relations Act. University of South Carolina/TECO Conference. Organizer: Marc L. Moskowitz. (September 26)
- 2009 Presentation. "Opening Remarks." Thirty Years After the Taiwan Relations Act—University of South Carolina/TECO Conference. Organizer: Marc L. Moskowitz. (September 26)
- 2009 Chair. Panel One (untitled). Asian Digital Cultures. Institute of Ethnography, Taiwan. (July 7)

- 2009 Discussant. Marriage, Gender, and Sexuality as Contested Domains. SEAA (Society for East Asian Anthropology), Taiwan. (July 5)
- 2009 Presentation. "Coffee and its Discontents: Caffeinated Culture in Taiwan." Stimulants and the World Around Them. Society for East Asian Anthropology, Taiwan. (July 3)
- 2009 Keynote Address: "Urban Modernity in Anthropology: Chinese Popular Music and its Discontents." SCASC. (July 18)
- 2009 Discussant. Pursuing Substance for Masculinity in Taiwan and China." Association for Asian Studies. (March 28)
- 2009 Chair. Pursuing Substance for Masculinity in Taiwan and China. Association for Asian Studies. (March 28)
- 2009 Chair. Voting Under the New System. University of South Carolina/TECO/ National Taiwan University Conference on Electoral Politics in Taiwan: Origins and Consequences of the Electoral Reform. (February 7)
- 2008 Chair. Transformation Politics: Religion Encounters Modernity/Postmodernity. American Anthropological Association. (November 20)
- 2008 Presentation. "Opening Remarks." Charismatic Modernity: Popular Culture in Taiwan—University of South Carolina/TECO Taiwan Studies Conference. Organizer: Marc L. Moskowitz. (October 3)
- 2008 Presentation. "From Warlocks to Aryans to Americans: The Slippery Slope of Cultural Nuance in Reading Harry Potter in Taiwan." New Technologies, New Worlds. Charismatic Modernity: Popular Culture in Taiwan—University of South Carolina/TECO Taiwan Studies Conference. Organizer: Marc L. Moskowitz. (October 3)
- 2008 Presentation. "Opening Remarks—Defining Our Terms: Taiwan, Religion, and Civil Society." Taiwan's Religions, Political Process, and Civil Society. University of South Carolina/TECO Taiwan Studies Conference. Organizer: Marc L. Moskowitz. (April 2)
- 2007 Presentation. "New Genies in an Old Lamp: Filmic Reproduction of Historical Concerns in Hong Kong Cinema." Capstone Scholars Program Film Festival. University of South Carolina. (October 9)
- 2007 Discussant. Panel: Tai-Shang and Economic and Cultural Connections. The Politics of Taiwanese Business People in China—University of South Carolina/TECO Taiwan Studies Conference. (September 8)
- 2007 Chair and Discussant. Panel: Intellectually Repositioning Anthropological Futures. The Future of Ethnographic Practices. National Chi Nan University. Puli, Taiwan. (June 3)

- 2007 Colloquium (Presented in Chinese). “Mandopop and its Cultural Connotations” (*Guoyu liuxingyinyue de wenhua yihan* 國語流行音樂的文化意涵). Department of Anthropology, National Taiwan University. (April 27)
- 2007 Colloquium. “Films of the Fantastic: Gendered Ghosts and Ghouls in Hong Kong Cinema.” Department of Anthropology, University of South Carolina. (January 23)
- 2006 Discussant. Panel: Jetset or Native? Cosmopolitanism and Folklore in the Taiwanese Cultural Sphere. American Anthropological Association. (November 16)
- 2006 Presentation. “Maudlin Mandopop Melodies.” The French Center for Research on Contemporary China, Academia Sinica, Taiwan. (April 14)
- 2006 Presentation. “Multifarious Musings on Mandopop: A Brief History of Pop Music in Taiwan.” The Lincoln Society, Taipei Taiwan. (January 25)
- 2005 Invited Talk. “The Influence of American Pop Music on Taiwan’s Pop Scene.” AIT’s Mission Speaker Program, National Central University. Taiwan. (December 20)
- 2005 Keynote Speaker. “Mandopop: New Music for a New World.” Graduate Institute of Fashion. Fu-Jen University–The 1st International Conference for Creativity and Innovation in Popular Culture. (December 7)
- 2005 Presentation. “When Transnational is Local: Popular Culture Studies and Taiwan’s Hybrid Identity.” Panel: State Making and Anthropological Complicity? The Case of Taiwan. American Anthropological Association. (December 3)
- 2005 Presentation. “Folk Religion in Taiwan: Innovation for a Changing World.” Socio-Cultural Research Center, Fu-jen University. (November 11)
- 2005 Invited Talk. (Presented in Chinese) “The Anthropology of Sex” (*Renleixue yu xing guannian* 人類學與性觀念). Department of Anthropology, Tsing-Hwa University, Taiwan. (October 20)
- 2005 Discussant. Panel: History, Society and Culture in the Tainan Region. International Conference on Tainan Area Studies, Tainan, Taiwan. (October 15)
- 2005 Chair. Panel: Global Marriage Internet/Works. Asian Digital Cultures Conference, Institute of Ethnology, Academia Sinica, Taipei. (July 29)
- 2005 Colloquium (Presented in Chinese). “Fetus-Ghost Appeasement: Religious Adaptation in Modern Taiwan” (*Yingling chaodu: Xiandai Taiwan de xinyang gaibian* 嬰靈超度：現代台灣的信仰改變). Institute of Ethnology, Academia Sinica, Taiwan. (June 6)

- 2005 Presentation. "Online Fan Humor and Educational Malaise: Cultural Readings of Harry Potter in Taiwan." Panel: Not Just Cultural Imperialism: Subcultural Production in Taiwan as Critical Social Space. Society for the Study of Multi-Ethnic Literatures of the United States (MELUS), University of Chicago. (April 8)
- 2005 Discussant. Panel: Transition and Transformation: China's Political Reform. Freeman Foundation Conference on Chinese History—Changing Perspectives on China: New Debates, Approaches, and Challenges in the Twenty-First Century, Lake Forest College. (March 31)
- 2005 Presentation. "The Making of Modern Mythology: Fetus Spirits in Modern Taiwan." Panel: Fetus and Womb in Buddhism. Revisioning Buddhism: New Methods of Inquiry in the Study of Buddhist Modernity, McGill University. (March 4)
- 2004 Presentation. "Invisible Pop Culture: An Overview of English Scholarship on Taiwan." Panel: Taiwan Studies Group. Association for Asian Studies. (March 5)
- 2003 Colloquium. "Sultry Vixen Spirits and Transgendered Tree Demons: Reality Bent in Hong Kong Cinema." Inter College Language Program (The Stanford Center), National Taiwan University. Taipei, Taiwan. (December 5)
- 2003 Colloquium (Presented in Chinese). "Tears and Tenderness: Gendered Expression in Mandopop." (*Yanlei han wenrou: xingbie biaoshi de zhongwen liuxing yinyue* 眼淚和溫柔: 性別表示的中文流行音樂). National Taiwan University of the Arts. (November 19)
- 2003 Colloquium (Presented in Chinese). "Cries of Joy, Songs of Sorrow: Pop Music in Taiwan" (*Huanle de jiaohan, beitong de ge: Taiwan liuxing yinyue* 歡樂的叫喊悲痛的哥台灣流行音樂). Department of Anthropology, Tsing-Hwa University, Taiwan. (October 22)
- 2003 Colloquium (Presented in Chinese). "Cries of Joy, Songs of Sorrow: Pop Music in Taiwan" (*Huanle de jiaohan, beitong de ge: Taiwan liuxing yinyue* 歡樂的叫喊背痛的歌台灣流行音樂). Department of Anthropology, Tsing-Hwa University, Taiwan. (October 22)
- 2003 Colloquium (Presented in Chinese). "White Socks, Missing Cows, and Gendered Anomie: Pop Music in Taiwan" (*Baisi wazi, zoushi de niu, yu xingbie de tuoxu: Taiwan liuxing yinyue* 白色襪子, 走失的牛, 與性別的脫序: 台灣流行音樂). Institute of Ethnology, Academia Sinica, Taiwan. (September 8)
- 2003 Colloquium. "Yang-Sucking She-Demons: Penetration, Castration Anxiety, and Other Freudian Angst in Modern Chinese Cinema." Department of Anthropology and the Department of Cinema and Photography, University of Southern Illinois, Carbondale. (April 9)

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Undergraduate Courses (100-300 level courses)

The Anthropology of Sex; Chinese Popular Culture; Gender Issues in China; Introduction to Anthropology.

Graduate Courses (500-700 level courses)

Anthropological Inquiry (the department's graduate level core class); Ethnographic Film (co-taught with Karl Heider); Gender Issues in China; Theorizing Popular Culture; Visual Cultures.