

Curriculum Vitæ
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Current Position

Interim Director, Kule Centre for Ukrainian and Canadian Folklore (2023)
Associate Professor, Department of Anthropology, University of Alberta (2001-present)

Previous Positions

Associate Chair, Graduate Programs, Department of Anthropology (2009-2015; 2016-2019)
Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology, University of Alberta (1994-2001)

Education

Ph.D. Anthropology 1994, University of Washington
Dissertation title: *Maps of Experience: Shuswap Narrative in Hunting and Gathering Contexts*
Fieldwork at Alkali Lake B.C., Canada with members of the Esk'etemc First Nation
funded by Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Jacobs Foundation,
American Philosophical Society, and the Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research

M.A. Anthropology 1985, University of Washington
M.A. research paper title: *Translation and the Spoken Word of "Rock and Coyote"*
Master of Arts research conducted on the oral literature of the Lushootseed
(Puget Salish) People of the Skagit River, funded by the Ronald Olson Fellowship

B.A. Drama 1983, University of Washington
B.A. Anthropology 1983, University of Washington
Magna Cum Laude and *Phi Beta Kappa*

Grants and Fellowships (since 1998)

- 2018-2023 Future Energy Systems (Canada First Research Excellence Fund at the University of Alberta)
Socio-economic Roadmaps to Commercial Geothermal Energy Production in W. Canada. (Co-investigator;
Principal Investigator: Lianne Lefsrud) (\$277,000)
- 2021-2022 Future Energy Systems (Canada First Research Excellence Fund at the University of Alberta)
Clarke Lake Geothermal Project – Socio-economic study (Co-Investigator; John Parkins, Principal
Investigator, (\$153,218)
- 2019-2022 Kule Institute for Advanced Study, Cluster Grant *New approaches to communities, communication
and consultation through the lens of geothermal energy development on the traditional lands of Alexis Nakota
Sioux Nation* (Co-Principal Investigators: Andie Palmer and Lianne Lefsrud) (\$35,000)
- 2019 Distinguished Visitor's Fund. Grant in Support of the Visit of Dr. Patu Hohepa. (Grant
applicant and holder: Andie Palmer) (\$8000)
- 2015-2018 Kule Institute for Advanced Study, Cluster Grant *Intersections of Sustainability. Collaborative
Research Network on Water Governance, Climate Change and the Futures of Communities*

- (Co-investigator; Principal Investigator: Makere Stewart-Harawira) (\$100,000)
- 2016 Endowment Fund for the Future. Support for the Advancement of Scholarship Research Fund. (\$1900)
- 2012 SEE Mobility Fund Grant, School of Energy and the Environment, University of Alberta
- 2012-13 Kule Institute for Advanced Study, Cluster Grant *Indigenous Communities as Stewards of Mother Earth: Responding to the Triple Crisis of Sustainability* (Collaborator; Principal Investigator: Makere Stewart-Harawira) (\$20,000)
- 2006 Killam Research Fund Cornerstones Grant Program, Conference Travel Grant (refereed), *Lost in Transcription: The Recording and Erasure of Aboriginal Oral History Performance in the Courts*. (\$1,200)
- 2003-2005 Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada & The Law Commission of Canada, Relationships in Transition Grant, *Accommodating New Forms of Evidence: Aboriginal Oral Histories in the Courts*. (Principal (Sole) Investigator) (\$18,600 plus research leave)
- 1999-2001 Alberta Historical Resources Foundation, Heritage Preservation Partnership (\$10,000) *A Sense of Place: Oral History Mapping in Alexis First Nation Territory* (Principal (Sole) Investigator)
- 1999-2000 Support for the Advancement of Scholarship Research Fund, Faculty of Arts (\$8,200) *A Sense of Place: The Oral History Mapping Project in Alexis First Nation Territory*
- 1998 Academic Technologies for Learning Partnership Program, University of Alberta Awardee, (\$10,000 and facilities awarded, \$4000 in release time offered) *Multimedia Integration for Northwest Coast Societies from an Anthropological Perspective*
- 1996-1998 Standard Research Grant, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Co-Investigator (Co-Applicant; Principal Investigator- E. Higgs) *Redesigning Nature? Human Influence, Ecological Restoration, and the Crisis of Jasper National Park*

Publications, Reports, and Software Development

Refereed Books and Journal Articles

Laforet, Andrea, Angie Bain, John Logan, Sarah Moritz, and **Andie Diane Palmer**, Eds. *The Franz Boas Papers, Volume 2: Franz Boas, James Teit and Early Twentieth Century Salish Ethnography*. Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press. (In press.)

Bourgeois, Rebecca L. and **Andie D. Palmer**. "Institutional Readiness for Community-University Alliances—Perspectives on Repatriation." *Anthropology in Action* 29(2): 11-24, 2022.

Palmer, Andie Diane. "Approaching a Sacred Song: Toward a Respectful Presentation of the Discourse We Study." *SAIL: Studies in American Indian Literatures* 19(2): 52-61, 2007.

Palmer, Andie Diane. *Maps of Experience: The Anchoring of Land to Story in Secwepemc Discourse*. Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 2005.

Palmer, Andie Diane. "Evidence 'not in a form familiar to common law courts': Assessing Oral Histories in Land Claims Testimony after *Delgamuukw v. B.C.*" *Alberta Law Review* 38(4): 1040-1050, 2000.

Book Chapters

Palmer, Andie. "Contingent Legal Futures: Does the Ability to Exercise Aboriginal Rights and Title Turn on the Price of Gold?" *ExtrACTION: Impacts, Engagements, and Alternative Futures*. K. Jalbert, D. Casagrande, A. Willow, and S. Paladino, Eds. Pp. 97-103. Routledge, 2017.

Palmer, Andie. "ṭaqʷšəblu and Indian Time." *dxʷʷal ṭaqʷšəblu tulʷal ti syəyaʷyaʷs: Writings About Vi Hilbert, by Her Friends*. Janet Yoder, Ed. Pp. 32-34. Seattle: Lushootseed Research Press, 1992.

Chapters in Anthologies (Reprints)

Palmer, Andie Diane. Evidence 'not in a form familiar to common law courts': Assessing Oral Histories in Land Claims Testimony after *Delgamuukw v. B.C.* *An Indigenous Oral History Reader*, Brian P. Schwartz, Editor. *Manitoba Law Journal* 2022, 411-428.

<https://journals.library.ualberta.ca/themanitobalawjournal/index.php/mlj/article/view/1305>

Published Papers in Conference Proceedings

"Decolonizing Approaches to Renewable Energy Development in Alberta through Indigenous Community-Led Research and Engagement." (2021) Vivian Giang, **Andie D. Palmer**, Lianne M. Lefsrud and Liz Letendre. *Proceedings of the World Geothermal Congress 2020+1*, Reykjavik, Iceland. International Geothermal Paper Database, <http://www.geothermal-energy.org/pdf/IGAstandard/WGC/2020/07000.pdf>

"Wearing Mountain Goat's Robe: Attending to Proper Relations with the Land in a Coast Salish World." (2013) *Papers of the 48th International Conference on Salish and Neighboring Languages*.

"Teaching from Song: A Recipe for Preparation." (2002) *Papers of the 37th International Conference on Salish and Neighboring Languages*. C. Gillon, N. Sawai & R. Wojdak, eds. Vancouver: University of British Columbia.

"Listening for Stories, Attending to Genre: The Intersection of Canonical Forms with Everyday Life Experience." (1998) *Papers of the 33rd International Conference on Salish and Neighboring Languages*. Pp. 374-383. Seattle: University of Washington.

"Silence and Laconicism Among the Puget Salish." (1985) *Papers of the 20th International Conference on Salish and Neighboring Languages*. Pp. 245-254. Vancouver, Canada: University of British Columbia.

Encyclopedia Entries

Palmer, Andie Diane. "Life History." *Encyclopedia of Case Study Research*. Albert J. Mills, Gabrielle Durepos, and Eldon Wiebe, Eds. Sage Publications, Inc., pp. 527-30, 2009.

Publications as Editor

dxʷʷlušutcid/Lushootseed Research News, (1987-89 series) Co-Editor, with Barbara Iliff. A publication of Lushootseed Research, a nonprofit organization for the research of the Puget Salish/Lushootseed language and the traditions of the Puget Salish people.

Linguistic Software

Amerindian Font. (1985) Linguistic software for Indian Languages of North America, for use on the Apple Macintosh computer.

Salish Font. (1984) Linguistic software for Puget Salish for use on the Apple Macintosh computer (with David Palmer, California Institute of Technology).

Book Reviews

Review of *Memory Eternal: Tlingit Culture and Russian Orthodox Christianity Through Two Centuries*. Sergei Kan. Seattle: University of Washington Press, 1999. *Ethnohistory* 2005 (52)2:479-481.

Review of *Brushed by Cedar, Living by the River: Coast Salish Figures of Power*. Crisca Bierwert. Tucson: University of Arizona Press, 1999. *American Ethnologist* 2000 (27)1:178-180.

Reports to Agencies

Submission to the Federal Review Panel, proposed New Prosperity Gold-Copper Mine Project, Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency, [CEAR Reference number 1087, Exhibit 118, 31 pp.], August 20, 2013

Submission to the Federal Review Panel, proposed Prosperity Gold-Copper Mine Project. Commentary, reference tables and transcript of oral presentation to the Federal Review Panel, Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency, [CEAR Reference number 09-05-44811], 2010

Culture, Ecology and Restoration in Jasper National Park. (1999) Eric Higgs, Sandy Campbell, Ian MacLaren, Julian Martin, Tim Martin, Carol Murray, Andie Palmer, and Jeanine Rhemtulla. (vii +115 pp.) University of Alberta. Prepared for Parks Canada.

Assessor's Report. (1998) Humanities and Social Sciences Federation of Canada Aid to Scholarly Publications Programme. (10pp.)

Video Presentations and Podcasts

Aboriginal Title and Gold at \$1200 Per Ounce: A First Test Case in Canada. Podcasts from the SfAA, a series sponsored by the Society for Applied Anthropology and the University of North Texas.
<http://sfaa.net/podcast/index.php/podcasts/20/environment-and-extraction-liabilities-resistance-legislation-and-inequality/>

What is Whenua? Considering Maori Concepts of Land-Human Relationships Before the Waitangi Tribunal. Sponsored by the Land Theme Project, Institute for the Social Sciences, Cornell University. 27 minutes.
<http://socialsciences.cornell.edu/land-theme-project/land-videos/>

Web Coursebook

Web coursebook for ANTHR 474, Northwest Coast Societies from an Anthropological perspective, including partial access to the archive of the author's photographic database and commentary. Supported in part by a grant from Academic Technologies for Learning (ATL), University of Alberta.

Published Refereed Abstracts are listed with conference papers, below

Selected Invited Presentations and Keynotes

2021 Invited speaker. "Deep Entanglements: Geothermal power development and Indigenous-state relations from Aotearoa New Zealand to Alberta." Calgary Institute for Humanities | Energy In Society Working Group, University of Calgary, Alberta. Presented online. February 26.

2019 Invited Speaker and Panel Chair. "On the Protocol of Land Acknowledgements." Canadian Mehfil: Archives, Community and Intimacy within the Public Sphere. A Conference in Honour of Dr. Regula Qureshi. University of Alberta. June 15.

- 2016 Invited Speaker. "The Song that Sweetens: Waiata at the Waitangi Tribunal." Heavenly Acts, III: Faith, Performance, and the Expressive Arts, An International Symposium. University of Alberta, November 25-26, 2016.
- 2015 Keynote Speaker. Australex 2015. "Our Treaties Are Signed in Smoke: How Te Tiriti o Waitangi informs our understandings of treaty relationships in Canada." Meeting of the Australasian Association for Lexicography, Massey University (Albany), Aotearoa New Zealand. November 19.
- 2014 Invited poster presenter. "Threads of alliance: grassroots and flaxroots in Aotearoa New Zealand and Canada." (First author, with M. Stewart-Harawira) for Democratizing Technologies: Assessing the roles of NGOs in shaping Technological Futures. Center for Nanotechnology in Society, University of California Santa Barbara, November 14.
- 2014 Roundtable Invited Speaker. "The Transforming Landscape of the Ethnography: Memorial in Honour of Virgil Duff." Canadian Anthropological Society, York University, Toronto, April 30.
- 2013 Invited Speaker. "What is *whenua*? Considering Maori Concepts of Land-Human Relationships before the Waitangi Tribunal." Cornell University. Institute for Social Science Contested Global Landscapes Symposium. September 6.
- 2012 Invited Workshop Presenter. International Institute for Qualitative Methodology. "Oral History: An Ethnographic Approach to Life Story Narratives." Annual Thinking Qualitatively Workshop Series, Edmonton, Alberta, June 18.
- 2012 Invited Speaker. "Do Treaties Matter? Difference and Integration across common law legal systems in Western Canada and Aotearoa New Zealand." Conference on Difference and Integration: From Nomadic Peoples to Neoliberal Conquests. Museum für Völkerkunde, Hamburg, Germany, November 20.
- 2009 Invited Speaker. Two-part presentation on comparative legal systems and the treatment of Maori and First Nations (Haida, Cree) law in national courts. 1. "Korero: Haida v. BC: Haida Law in the Supreme Court of Canada 2. Korero: Ti Tiriti o Waitangi and the Foreshore and Seabed Act (2004)." Invited Lectures to the Faculties Ahunga Tikanga (Maori Laws and Philosophy) and Whakaakoranga Studies (Teaching). Te Wananga o Raukaawa, Otaki. April.
- 2008 Invited Speaker. "dx̣ʷlušutcid: Language of the First Peoples of the Puget Sound." The Inaugural Indigenous Language Revitalization and Teaching Conference, Nga Pae o Te Maramatanga (New Zealand's Maori Centre of Research Excellence) and Te Ataarangi, at Mangatu, Aotearoa New Zealand, November 1.
- 2007 Invited Speaker. Akaitcho Territory Government. "Traditional Knowledge in the Courtroom: What We are Learning." *Tu Betá Ts'ena* "Water is Life" Conference. Fort Smith, Northwest Territories, August 20-23.
- 2006 Supreme Court of British Columbia. *Multiple Concepts of Aboriginal Nationhood*. Invited presentation, to the assembly of Justices, BCSC Education Seminar, auspices of the National Judicial Institute, Victoria, BC, May 24.
- 2006 Discussant. Symposium session: Anthropology and the Performative Turn: Old Wine in New Bottles? Canadian Anthropological Society Annual Meetings. Concordia University, Montreal, May 12, 2006.
- 2005 Department of Justice Canada. *Aboriginal Oral History Testimony: Toward an Understanding of Courtroom Discourse*. Invited presenter, Aboriginal Law Workshop, "Experts from the Academic and Indigenous Communities," University of British Columbia Robson Square Campus, Vancouver, British Columbia, October 27.

- 2005 International Institute for Qualitative Methodology. *An Ethnographic Approach to Life Story Narratives*. Invited presenter, Fifth Annual Thinking Qualitatively Workshop Series, Edmonton, Alberta, July 28.
- 2003 International Institute for Qualitative Methodology. *Anthropological Research Methods*. Invited presenter, Research Methodology Lecture Series, Edmonton, Alberta.
- 2000 Joint Panel of the Canadian Linguistics Association and the Canadian Association of Applied Linguistics. *Language in the 21st Century*. Discussant. Congress 2000, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta, May 26.
- 1999 Environment Canada. *Respectful Encounters: Animals, Hunters and Environment Canada Officials*. “Expert” Presentation at the request of the Senior Policy Advisor, Environment Canada, Prairie and Northern Region. Aboriginal Awareness Workshop for Environment Canada Staff, Nakoda Lodge, Stoney Reserve and Territory, November 3-4.

Selected Conference Presentations (published, refereed abstracts)

- 2022 “Greasing the Tracts: How Oil and Gas Tactics Slide into Geothermal Legislation.” 82nd Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology. Salt Lake City, UT. March 25. Paper presented online.
- 2021 “Entangled, but disengaged: Geothermal energy policy development without First Nations in Alberta.” Annual meeting of the Canadian Anthropological Society (CASCA). May 12. Presented online.
- 2021 “Decolonizing Approaches to Renewable Energy Development in Alberta through Indigenous Community-Led Research and Engagement” Vivian Giang, Andie D. Palmer, Lianne M. Lefsrud and Liz Letendre. World Geothermal Congress 2020|2021 Reykjavik, Iceland, April 14. (Presented online by Vivian Giang.)
- 2021 “Pandemic Proceedings: A New Order in the Courts?” Paper at the 81st Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology. Abstract published, unrecorded. March 25.
- 2019 “Keepers of the Fire, Keepers of the Water: Language, loss, and regeneration through geothermal practices on Indigenous lands.” In *Tipping Toward Extinction: Confronting Climate Change and Indigenous Language Loss*, Presidential Panel of the American Anthropological Association and the Canadian Anthropological Society, Vancouver, BC. November 23.
- 2019 “The Pools of Ngāwha: Power, History and the Recognition of Māori Interests.” Paper presented at the 79th Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology, Portland, OR, March 23.
- 2018 “Terra Nullius or Commons? Undermining Maori Rights and Title Under New Zealand’s Marine and Coastal Areas (Takutai Moana) Act.” Paper presented at the 78th Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology, Philadelphia, PA, April 4.
- 2017 “Water-land-person relationships and Te Tiriti O Waitangi/The Treaty of Waitangi.” Paper presented at CASCA/IUAES 2017: Mo(u)vement, A joint inter-congress/conference of the International Union of Anthropological and Ethological Sciences and the Canadian Anthropological Society, University of Ottawa, May 5.
- 2017 “Indigenous Water Rights in Western Canada and Aotearoa New Zealand.” Paper presented at the 77th Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology, Santa Fe, NM, March 31.

- 2016 "Treaties Signed in Smoke: Contributions to Legal Anthropology from the Ethnography of Communication: A paper in honour of Regna Darnell." Presented at the 115th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Society, Minneapolis, MN, November 18.
- 2016 "Revisiting *Ex Parte Indian Association of Alberta*: Does the *Mutua* (Mau Mau) decision create a new path to honourable Crown relations with the Indigenous Peoples of Canada and Aotearoa New Zealand?" Paper presented at the Canadian Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, 85th Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Calgary, May 29.
- 2016 "Solidarity/Kotahitanga." Paper presented at the 43rd Annual Meeting of the Canadian Anthropological Society (CASCA), Dalhousie University, Halifax, NS, May 13.
- 2016 "Resuming Direct Relationships with the British Crown after *Mutua v Foreign and Commonwealth Office*: A New Pathway to Appropriate Consultation for Indigenous Peoples?" Paper presented at the 76th Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology, Vancouver, BC, April 1.
- 2015 "An indivisible and honourable Crown: a potential treaty partner for First Nations and Maori following the *Mutua* (Mau Mau) decision." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Law and Society Association of Australia and New Zealand (LSAANZ), Flinders University Law School, Adelaide, Australia, November 2.
- 2015 "Responses to Two Landmark Decisions: A Comparison of Governmental Tactics and Message Control in Canada and Aotearoa New Zealand." Paper presented at the 42nd Annual Meeting of the Canadian Anthropological Society (CASCA), Université Laval, Québec City, May 13.
- 2015 "Aboriginal Title and Gold at \$1200 Per Ounce: A First Test Case in Canada." Paper presented at the 75th Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology, Pittsburgh, PA, March 28.
- 2014 "The Common Law in New Zealand is Different" Clarifying Water-Land-Person Relationships in an Emerging Legal System. Poster presented at the 113th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Society, Washington, DC, December 6.
- 2014 "Contingent Legal Futures: The Making or Taking of Indigenous Title in Canada." Paper presented at the 40th Annual Meeting of the Canadian Anthropological Society, York University, Toronto, May 2.
- 2014 "Infringement of Aboriginal Title in the Very Act Recognition? Predictions on the near future of Canadian policy and the rise of third-party interests in Tsilhqot'in Territory." Paper presented at the 74th Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology, Albuquerque, New Mexico, March 21.
- 2013 "Wearing Mountain Goat's Robe." Paper presented at the 48th International Conference on Salish and Neighboring Languages, Victoria, BC, August 9.
- 2013 "Recent parallel developments in water and fisheries legislation in Canada and Aotearoa New Zealand and their impacts on the exercise of indigenous rights and claims to title." Paper presented at the 40th Annual Meeting of the Canadian Anthropological Society, University of Victoria, BC, May 8.
- 2012 "Fish: Out of Water: Gutting Indigenous Fisheries' Protection in Aotearoa New Zealand and Canada." Presented at the 111th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, San Francisco, CA, November.
- 2012 "Wearing Mountain Goat's robe: attending to proper relations with the land in a Coast Salish world." Paper presented at Thinking Mountains 2012: Interdisciplinary Mountain Studies Conference, University of Alberta, Edmonton, AB, December 11.

- 2012 "Grassroots and Flaxroots Intertwined." Paper presented at the 38th Annual Meeting of the Canadian Anthropological Society (CASCA), University of Alberta, June 9, co-author and co-presenter (50%) with Makere Stewart-Harawira.
- 2011 "Troubled Waters, Trampled Lands: The Marine and Coastal Area (Takutai Moana) Bill in Aotearoa New Zealand." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Anthropological Society, University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, NB, May 13.
- 2011 "Unpicking the Threads Newly Sewn: Aotearoa New Zealand Common Law and the Governmental Misconstrual of *te reo Maori* concepts in the Marine and Coastal Area (*Takutai Moana*) Bill." Paper presented to the New Zealand Studies Association, Western Social Science Association Conference, Salt Lake City, UT, April 14.
- 2010 "A Farther Shore: Aotearoa New Zealand Common Law and the Foreshore and Seabed Act in 2010." Presented at the 109th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, New Orleans, LA, November 17.
- 2009 "'An Important Expression of New Zealand Identity': Performing Intellectual Property in Aotearoa." Presented at the 108th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2009 "The Haka Fracas: 'Ka Ora' Does Not Mean 'For Dollah.'" Paper presented at the 36th Annual Meeting of the Canadian Anthropological Society. University of British Columbia, Vancouver, May 16.
- 2008 "First Nations in the First Person: The Treatment of Oral History Evidence at a Remove." Paper presented at the 11th New Zealand Language and Society Conference, University of Otago, Dunedin, NZ, November 17.
- 2007 "Negotiating Nobility: 'Wealth' in Coast Salish Political Relationships." Presented at the American Society for Ethnohistory Annual Meeting, Tulsa, Oklahoma, November 8.
- 2007 "Honouring What They Sing: Coast Salish Songs as Sacred Gifts." Presented at the 51st Annual Meeting of Canadian Society for Traditional Music, Edmonton, Alberta, November 4.
- 2007 "Encountering the Multi-local and the Multi-vocal in *Hock e aye vi* Edgar Heap of Bird's 'Day/Night'" presented at the 15th Biennial Conference of the Native American Art Studies Association, Fairbanks, AK, September 28.
- 2007 *Wearing Mountaingoat's Mantle, Wearing Mountaingoat's Power: Coast Salish "Wealth" as Ecographer's Raiment* presented at the 34th Annual Meeting of the Canadian Anthropological Society, Toronto, Ontario, May 12.
- 2006 *A Matter of Record: Obscuring the Performance of Aboriginal Oral History Testimony in Canadian Courts.* Presented at the 105th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, San José, CA, November 9.
- 2006 "Lost in Transcription: The Recording and Erasure of Aboriginal Oral History Performance in the Courts." Paper presented at the 33rd Annual Meeting of the Canadian Anthropological Society, Montréal, Québec, May 9.
- 2006 "A New Order in the Court: Negotiating Standards of 'Politeness' in Intercultural Courtroom Discourse." Paper presented at the Society for Applied Anthropology 66th Annual Meeting, Vancouver BC, April 1.

- 2005 “Making a Place for Aboriginal Oral Histories in the Courts.” Paper presented at the 104th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Washington, D.C.
- 2005 “Finding a Place for Aboriginal Oral Histories in the Courts: Legal Frontiers since *Haida Nation v. BC*.” Translocalidad/Translocality/Translocalité Conference, sponsored by the Society for the Anthropology of North America, Universidad Autonomia de Yucatan, and the Canadian Anthropological Association, Mérida, México, May.
- 2004 “What is Aboriginal ‘Self-determination’ in Canada, and How is it Recognized?” Paper presented at the 31st Annual Meeting of the Canadian Anthropological Society (CASCA), London, ON.
- 2003 “Hunting Language in the Court.” Paper presented at the 102nd Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Chicago, IL.
- 2003 “Neutral Ground? Discussing Rights to Land at the UN.” Paper presented at the 30th Annual Meeting of the Canadian Anthropological Society (CASCA), Dalhousie University, Halifax, NS.
- 2002 “What are ‘Indigenous Peoples’?: Contested Language and its Consequences in the Discourse of NGOs and Nation States at the UN.” Paper presented at the 101st Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, New Orleans, LA.
- 2000 “Toward a Respectful Commemoration of Past Secwépmc Communicative Practice: ‘The Valley of the Twisted Trees.’” Paper presented at the 99th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- 2000 “Gaining a Hearing for Oral History as Testimony in Canadian Courts after *Delgamuukw v. BC*” Session on Aboriginal Policy and Government, Canadian Indigenous/Native Studies Association Conference, Congress 2000, Edmonton, Alberta, May 29.
- 1999 “Communities, Discourse, and the Reformulation of Policy in Jasper National Park.” Paper presented at the 98th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Chicago, IL.
- 1999 “Potential Contributions to ‘Backlash’ from the Discipline of Anthropology.” Paper presented at the 26th Annual Meeting of the Canadian Anthropological Society (CASCA), Université de Laval, Ste. Foy, PQ, May 13.

Exhibition of Photographs

- 2017 One photograph for *Ellen Neel: The First Woman Totem Pole Carver*. Legacy Art Gallery Downtown, Carolyn Butler-Palmer, Curator. University of Victoria.
- 2000 Three photographs and commentary. *revealing pictures and reflexive frames: multiple positions from the photographic works of anthropologists in the four fields*. Craig Campbell, Curator, Department of Anthropology, University of Alberta, April.

Consulting

- 2021 Confidential preparation. Residential School Oral Histories: A Guide and Checklist to Assist. This draft document was prepared by request, to assist in producing budgets for Indigenous communities’ oral history-based, trauma-informed inquiry.
- 2010-14 On behalf of Esk’etemc First Nation Chief and Council. Assistance in the preparation of materials for reports on Esk’etemc traditional territory, for two Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency review hearings.
- 2007 To the filmmaking company, Chickenhorse Productions, creative consultant for the film, *Gabriel John* (2008 release, 40 min. drama).

- 2002 On behalf of a First Nation in Alberta for a legal case: Advice to their legal representatives on the uses of oral history, oral history testimony, review of transcripts. (Multiple day consultancy; confidentiality agreement in place.)
- 2002 At the invitation of the Canadian Race Relations Foundation, participation in policy-building consultations on Aboriginal and educational issues for presentation to the Secretary of State (Multiculturalism).
- 2001 In consultation with INFORM-Network for Management Systems Limited, and prepared for Little Red River Cree Nation. *Protected Land and Cultural Education System (PLACES): A Proposal to Develop an Integrated Management System for Storage, Maintenance and Analysis of Cultural & Biophysical Information for Community-Based Resource Planning.*
- 2000 At the invitation of the Office of the Secretary of State (Multiculturalism), participation in federal consultations in Edmonton, Aboriginal Peoples' Policy Issues, for the Canadian Secretariat pre-World Conference Against Racism.
- 1999 Assistance to members of the Esk'temc community, Secwepemc First Nation, in the verification of historical links between two communities, in preparation for a claim on oil and gas revenues.
- 1998-99 Assistance to the Alexis First Nation in the preparation of several successful grant proposals submitted by their research office for the development of a Traditional Land Use and Occupancy Study.

Teaching Experience, Department of Anthropology, University of Alberta

- * *Legal Anthropology: Anthropological Investigations of the Treatment of Aboriginal Rights and Practices in Canadian and International Law* (ANTHR 485/585 undergraduate & graduate teaching)
- * *Oral History: Seminar on Life Story Narratives* (ANTHR 587 graduate)
- * *Landscape and Culture: The Social Meaning of Place* (ANTHR 598 graduate)
- * *Northwest Coast Societies from an Anthropological Perspective* (ANTHR 474 undergraduate)
- * *Anthropological Approaches to Verbal Art* (ANTHR 422, 485 & 585 undergraduate & graduate teaching)
- * *Anthropological Perspectives on Human Communication* (ANTHR 322 undergraduate)
- * NOTE: Developed and introduced the starred (*) courses, above, to the university curriculum
- North American Aboriginal Peoples* (ANTHR 250 undergraduate)
- Introduction to Linguistic Anthropology* (ANTHR 208 undergraduate)
- Anthropology Graduate Colloquium* (ANTHR 501/601 graduate)

Supervision of Students

Graduate Supervisor, Dept. of Anthropology, University of Alberta

- Ph.D., Anthropology, in progress* Rebecca Bourgeois (commenced 2020)
- Ph.D., Interdisciplinary, in progress (Anthropology & Engineering joint supervision with L. Lefsrud)*
Vivian Giang (commenced 2018)
- M.A., Anthropology, (thesis degree) in progress* Avery Grant (commenced Sept 2021)
Kyla Cangiano (commenced 2018)
- Ph.D., Anthropology, completed*
Anna Bettini (awarded 2021)
Voices from a Fractured Landscape: Fracking, Senses of Place, and Risks in Aotearoa New Zealand
Pieter DeVos (awarded 2014; joint supervisor)
Homelands: a narrative inquiry into home and belonging in an informal settlement in South Africa

- Jodie Asselin (awarded 2012; joint supervisor)
Shades of Green: the social nature of Yukon forests
- Carly McLafferty Dokis (awarded 2010)
People, land, and pipelines: perspectives on resource decision-making processes in the Sabtu Region, Northwest Territories
- Clint Westman (awarded 2008)
Understanding Cree Religious Discourse
- Robert P. Wishart (awarded 2003)
Living on the land: Tets'it Gwich'in perspectives on continuities
- Heather Harris (awarded 2002)
Remembering 12,000 years of history: oral history, indigenous knowledge and ways of knowing in northwestern North America
- M.A., *Anthropology, (thesis degree) completed*
- Tiffany Campbell (awarded 2019)
"The ties that bind": Indigenous Relations Specialists and the Temporal Politics of Reconciliation
- Ivan Shmatko (awarded 2019)
Global Forces, Local Contexts: Facets of Police Work
- Deirdre Zasorin-White (awarded 2017)
The Social Life of Sound: Urban Indigenous Youth, Hip Hop and Hardcore
- Faun Rice (awarded 2016)
Time and Story in Sabtu' Self Government Intercultural Bureaucracies on Great Bear Lake
- Nicole Eckert-Lyngstad (awarded 2012)
The Backcountry as Home: Park Wardens, Families, and Jasper National Park's District Cabin System, 1952-72
- Joshua Green (awarded 2012)
The Experience of Music-making in the Faroes and Making Metal Faroese
- Mark Ebert (awarded 2002)
Towards a better understanding of medical systems and practices: the Coast Salish sbuthltudaq ceremony and biomedicine
- Ara Murray (awarded 2001)
Learning about the land: Tetlit Gwich'in perspectives on sustainable resource use
- Cynthia Dunnigan (awarded 1996)
Life histories: A Métis woman and breast cancer survivor

Graduate Supervisory or Examination Committee Member, Dept. of Anthropology, U. of Alberta

- Ph.D., Anthropology, in progress*
- Elizabeth Goldberg (supervisory 2021-)
Rebecca Gray (supervisory 2020 -)
Brenda Guernsey (candidacy examiner 2020)
Jacqueline Green (candidacy examiner 2020)
Morgan Moffitt (supervisory- ; advanced to candidacy 2015)
- Ph.D., Anthropology, completed*
- Jennifer Miller (awarded 2019)
Kateryna Pashkovska (awarded 2017)
Mathew Levitt (awarded 2016)
Thea Luig (awarded 2015)
Ross Gordon (awarded 2013)
Igor Osipov (awarded 2011)
Christine Schreyer (awarded 2009)
Harold Kory Cooper (awarded 2006)
Marie Anderson-McLean (awarded 2004)
Sandra Lambertus (awarded 2000)
Shirleen Smith (awarded 1999)

Polly Wheeler (awarded 1998)
Leslie Main Johnson (awarded 1997)
Michelle J. Ivanitz (awarded 1996)

M.A., Anthropology, completed

Tonya Simpson (awarded 2021)
William Wadsworth (awarded 2020)
Christina Poletto (awarded 2019)
Aileen Reilly (awarded 2015)
Gong Shao (awarded 2014)
Christina Davey (awarded 2013)
Mathew Levitt (awarded 2011)
Jodie Asselin (awarded 2007)
Gabriel Asselin (awarded 2007)
Jacqueline Pelletier (awarded 2006)
Graham Stott (awarded 2006)
Jeannette Reva Sinclair (awarded 1999)

Graduate Supervisory or Examination Committee Member, Other Departments and Faculties

Ph.D., Music (Ethnomusicology), in progress Subash Giri (supervisory 2018- ; qual. exam 2018; candidacy 2021)
Nasim Ahmadian (candidacy examiner 2021)

Ph.D., Linguistics, in progress

Alex Rice (candidacy examiner 2022)

Ph.D., Modern Languages & Cultural Studies, completed

Tran Tu Thien (candidacy & dissertation examiner, 2019, 2021)

Ph.D., English & Film Studies, completed

Nicole Brandsma (candidacy & dissertation examiner, 2014, 2021)

Ph.D., Music (Ethnomusicology), completed

Shumaila Hemani (candidacy examiner, 2016)
Karim Gilliani (awarded 2012)
Kaley Mason (awarded 2006)

Ph.D., Physical Education & Recreation Studies, completed

Courtney Mason (awarded 2010)
Phil Mullins (awarded 2011)

Ph.D., Human Ecology, completed

Lia Ruttan (awarded 2005)

Ph.D., Rural Economy, completed

Tanya Schramm (awarded 2004)

Ph.D., Education Policy Studies, completed

Wayne Gorman (awarded 2004)
Nathalie Piquemal (awarded 1999)

Ph.D., Modern Languages & Comparative Studies, completed

Lilia Avrutin (awarded 1998)

M.A., Resource Economics & Environmental Sociology, in progress

Robert Bechtel (since 2020)

M.A., Kinesiology, Sport & Recreation, completed

Linnea Bell (awarded 2021)

M.F.A., Art & Design, completed

Amanda Forrest-Chan (awarded 2015)
Agata Derda (awarded 2013)

M.A., Modern Languages & Cultural Studies, completed

Barbara Hilden (awarded 2014)

M.A., Physical Education & Recreation Studies, completed

Gabrielle Riches (awarded 2011)

Phil Mullins (awarded 2005)

M.A., Music (Ethnomusicology specialization), completed

Kat Danser (awarded 2011)

Jessica Keyes (awarded 2007)

Niyati Dhokai (awarded 2007)

Janice Tulk (awarded 2003)

Gillian Turnbull (awarded 2003)

M.A., Resource Economics & Environmental Sociology, completed

Bryn Politylo (awarded 2010)

M.A., Educational Policy Studies, (Indigenous Peoples Education Program) completed

Shawn Auger (awarded 2006)

M.A., English, completed

Lena Sherstobitoff (awarded 2005)

M.A., History, completed

Celeste Josephine Union (awarded 1999)

Ph.D., Educational Policy Studies (Indigenous Peoples Education Program), interim

Sarah Pocklington (advanced to candidacy 2010)

Don Lewis Cardinal (advanced to candidacy 2007)

External Examiner (Ph.D.) Other Universities

External Examiner, University of British Columbia, Dept. of Anthropology, for Adam A. Solomonian, 2018.
"It's Nice to See Old Friends Again": Family Photographs, Cultural Memory, and Archival Power at ch'atelich

External Examiner, University of British Columbia, Dept. of Resource Management and Environmental Studies, for Janalyn Gail Kotaska, 2013.

Reconciliation 'at the end of the day': decolonizing territorial governance in British Columbia after Delgamuukw

Overseas External Examiner, University of Auckland, NZ, Dept. of Maori Studies, for Arapara Ngaha, 2010.
Te Reo, a language for Māori alone? An investigation into the relationship between the Māori language and Māori identity

Overseas External Examiner, University of Otago, NZ, School of Maori, Pacific & Indigenous Studies, for Wilfred Pareau Warbrick, 2009.

Māori Land Court 1960-1980: An autoethnographic and social commentary

External Examiner, University of British Columbia, Dept. of Anthropology, for Sharon Fortney, 2009.

Forging new partnerships: Coast Salish communities and museums

External Examiner, Simon Fraser University, for Stsmél'ecqen (Ronald Ignace), 2008.

Our oral histories are our iron posts: Secwépemc stories and historical consciousness

External Examiner (M.A.) Other Universities

External Examiner, University of Northern British Columbia, for Alexander C. Ohler, 2012.

Inuvialuit Language and Identity: Perspectives on the Symbolic Meaning of Inuvialuktun in the Canadian Western Arctic

Honors Thesis Supervisor (B.A.) University of Alberta

BA Honors Supervisor, Shaina Humble, Department of Anthropology, 2014

Inquiring into the Gaps in the Canadian Archival Record: Indian Act 1921-1951 (Record Group 10 [Black Series])

BA Honors Supervisor, Sally Warr, School of Native Studies, 2001

Indigenous Worldviews and Resource Development Conflicts: A Comparative Study

Professional and Public Service Activities (since 1999)

- Chair, Bronislaw Malinowski Award Committee for the Society for Applied Anthropology, 2020-22
- Bronislaw Malinowski Award Committee Member for the Society for Applied Anthropology, 2018-20
- Symposium Convener and Co-organizer, *Sounds of the Pacific*, Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania, University of Auckland, 2019. (Session co-convener and co-organizer 2017, 2015)
- Polynya Press Committee Member, for the University of Alberta Press, 2018-20
- External Assessor for Promotion in Faculty of Law, Canada (university and candidate's name redacted), 2017
- Reciprocal International Observer to *Te Paparahi o te Raki* Claimants (WAI 1040), Waitangi Tribunal Hearings, Aotearoa New Zealand, 2011-18
- Scientific Committee Member, CASCA-IAUES Conference (Canadian Anthropological Society and the International Union of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences), 2016-17
- Grant Reviewer. The National Geographic Society: Research, Conservation, and Exploration Group, 2015
- External Reviewer for Tenure and Promotion of Assistant Professors in Departments of Anthropology, US and Canada, (universities and candidates' names redacted), 2013, 2011, 2004, 2001
- Advisor to the Board, Lushootseed Research, a US based non-profit corporation [501(C)3] dedicated to the preservation of the Lushootseed Salish language, 2009-13
- Workshop co-leader/mentor, Association for Political and Legal Anthropology, American Anthropological Association, November, 2012
- Conference Organizing Committee Member, Canadian Anthropological Society, University of Alberta, 2012
- Invited presentation to the Edmonton Lifelong Learners Association (ELLA), "Fish Out of Water: Indigenous Fisheries, Mining, and Proposed Changes to Canadian Legislation" University of Alberta, May 7, 2012
- Adjudication Committee Member: Canadian Federation for the Humanities & Social Sciences, Aid to Scholarly Publications Programme, 2003-2009
- SSHRC Grant Assessor, 3 standard research grant applications, 2009, 2002, 2003
- Advisory Committee Member, Aboriginal Gallery, Royal Alberta Museum 2004 to 2006
- Killam Research Fellowship Assessor, Canada Council for the Arts, 2005
- Conference Organizing Committee Member, Academic, for 4th Canadian Symposium on Text Analysis Research Conference, University of Alberta, held October 2005
- Manuscript Reviewer, *Anthropologica*, Journal of the Canadian Anthropological Society, 2005, 2006
- Adjudication Committee Member: SSHRC & Law Commission of Canada for the Strategic Program and Joint Initiatives program: Indigenous Legal Traditions, 2004
- Manuscript Reviewer, Broadview Press, 2002-2003
- Manuscript Assessor, Humanities and Social Sciences Federation of Canada Aid to Scholarly Publications Programme, 1998, 2002
- Canadian Institute of Circumpolar Research and Canadian BAR Grant Applications Referee, 1999, 2000, 2002
- Presentation to Canadian Race Relations Foundation, participation in the CCRF policy document presented to the Rt. Hon. Sheila Copps, Sherwood Park, AB, 2002
- Manuscript Reviewer, *Ethnohistory*, 2000
- University and Press Presentation. Multimedia expertise in archival collections– Northwest Coast Photographic Database. Academic Technologies for Learning Open House, June 7, 2000

Oral History Workshop for Community Researchers, organizer and presenter, Alexis Reserve, Alexis First Nations Territory, July 30, 1999

Linguistic Anthropology Roundtable organizer, co-chair, and presenter, at the Annual Conference of the Canadian Anthropological Society, Université de Laval, PQ, May 15, 1999

Invited guest speaker, child language acquisition CBC Radio AM, 1999

Service and Administration, University of Alberta (since 1999)

2022-2024 Member, Press Committee, University of Alberta Press

2020-2022 Theme Lead (Social Sciences), Research Themes Advisory Council, Future Energy Systems,
Energy Systems Signature Area

2021-2022 Member, Graduate Admissions Committee, Dept. of Anthropology

2019-2022 Member, Indigenous Issues Committee, Dept. of Anthropology

2017-2020 Chair, Academic Appeals Committee for the Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research

2019-2020 Member, Indigenous Anthropology Advisory Selection Committee, Dept. of Anthropology

2016-2019; 2009-15; Associate Chair (Graduate Programs), Dept. of Anthropology

Chair, Graduate Programs Committee, Dept. of Anthropology

Chair, Graduate Admissions Committee, Dept. of Anthropology

Chair, Graduate Awards Committee, Dept. of Anthropology

Member, Undergraduate Programs Committee, Dept. of Anthropology

Member, Faculty of Arts Graduate Programs Council

Member, Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research Council

2016-17 Member, Academic Appeals Committee for the Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research

Member, Indigenous Language Sustainability Advisory Selection Committee, Faculty of Arts

Adjudicator, Travel Awards, Postdoctoral Fellows Association and Associate VP Research Office

Member, Churchill Oxford Adjudication Committee, Faculty of Arts

Chair, Postdoctoral Fellowship Awards Review Committee, Dept. of Anthropology

2014-15 Member, Search Committee, Dept. of Music, Ethnomusicology Specialization

2013-15, 2019 Adjudicator, Frucht Memorial Student Conference

2013-15 Member, Faculty of Arts Executive Committee

Member, UA Communications Advisory Committee

2011-12 Member, Hiring Advisory Committee, Dept. of Anthropology

Member, Nominating Committee, Dept. of Anthropology

2009-10 Advisor, Research Ethics Advisory Committee, Dept. of Anthropology

2004-06 Senator, University of Alberta Senate

Chair, Research Ethics Advisory Committee, Dept. of Anthropology

Member, Senate Task Force on the Student Experience

Member, Research Ethics Board, Faculties of Science, Arts, and Law

Member, Ethics Review Board, School of Native Studies

Member, General Faculties Council

Member, Scholarship Evaluations Committee, Faculty of Graduate Studies & Research

Member, Search Committee, Dept. of Music, Ethnomusicology Specialization

Member, Search Committee, Dept. of English, Aboriginal Literature Specialization ('06 only)

2003-04 Past-President, Academic Women's Association

Member, General Faculties Council

Member, Research Ethics Board, School of Native Studies

Member, AAS:UA Research and Scholarly Activities Committee

- Member, Awards Committee, Dept. of Anthropology
Member, Research Ethics Advisory Committee, Dept. of Anthropology
- 2002-03 President, Academic Women's Association, University of Alberta
Member, AAS:UA Research and Scholarly Activities Advisory Committee
Member, Research Ethics Board, School of Native Studies
- 2001-02 President-elect, Academic Women's Association, University of Alberta
(On sabbatical leave, for research at the United Nations, Geneva)
- 1999-00 Faculty of Arts Representative to the School of Native Studies Council
and Member, School of Native Studies Council, Native Studies Expertise
Member, AAS:UA Research and Scholarly Activities Advisory Committee
Member, Research Ethics Board, School of Native Studies
Member, Ethics Advisory Committee, Dept. of Anthropology
Member, Graduate Awards Committee, Dept. of Anthropology

Memberships in Professional Organizations (current)

- Canadian Anthropology Society (CASCA)
American Anthropological Association
Society for Applied Anthropology
Association for Social Anthropology in Oceania
Society for Linguistic Anthropology
Society for the Study of the Indigenous Languages of the Americas
Association for Political and Legal Anthropology

References on request