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Academic positions

2012-present	Full Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Alberta
2007-2012	Vargo Distinguished Teaching Chair, University of Alberta
2007-2012	Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Alberta
2003-2007	Associate Professor, Department of Philosophy, University of Alberta
1997-2003	Assistant Professor, Department of Philosophy, University of Alberta
1995-1996	Lecturer, Committee on Degrees in Social Studies, Harvard University
1994-1995	Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Philosophy, McGill University

Education

1995-1997	Postdoctoral fellow, Center for European Studies, Harvard University
1995	Ph.D. (Social and Political Sciences), University of Cambridge
1990	M.A. (Political Science), McGill University
1986	B.A. (History of Western Society and Culture), Liberal Arts College, Concordia University, Montreal

Research

Books

2009 (R)	Edited collection (with Daniel Weinstock, Dominique Leydet, and Melissa Williams), *Deliberative Democracy in Practice* (UBC Press), 257 pages
2004 (R)	Edited collection (with Cathy Bell), *Intercultural Dispute Resolution in Aboriginal Contexts* (UBC Press), 377 pages

Articles

Forthcoming	(R) "Mobilizing Mini-Publics: The Causal Impact of Deliberation on Civic Participation Using Panel Data" (with Shelley Boulianne and Kaiping Chen). Accepted, *Politics*.

2018 (R)   "Citizen panels and opinion polls: Convergence and divergence in policy preferences," (co-authored with Shelley Boulianne and Kristjana Loptson), *Journal of Public Deliberation*, 14, 1-19.

2018   "Beyond theory: Relating to dominant systems and manifesting social alternatives in dharma communities," *Arrow Journal* 5,1, 28-38.

2017   "Designing more democratically, deliberating more systemically: A conversation between systemic design and democratic deliberation," (co-authored with Alex Ryan), *Relating Systems Thinking and Design working paper*.

2016 (R)   "Democratizing Environmental Policy-Making Through Public Engagement: Comparative Case Studies from Alberta, Canada," (co-authored with Laurie Adkin, Lorelei Hanson, David Kahane, John Parkins, and Steve Patten), *Environmental Politics*.

2016   Kahane, David, "Thinking systemically about deliberative democracy and climate change*," Foundation for Democracy and Sustainable Development*.

2014 (R)   David Kahane and Mary Pat MacKinnon, "Public Participation, Deliberative Democracy, and Climate Governance: Learning from the Citizens' Panel on Edmonton's Energy and Climate Challenges," *CISDL / GEM Working Paper Series on Public Participation and Climate Governance*.

2013 (R)   "Stakeholder and citizen roles in public deliberation" (co-authored with Kristjana Loptson, Jade Herriman, and Max Hardy), *Journal of Public Deliberation* Vol. 9: 2,2 (35 pages)

2010 (R)   "Teaching and learning democracy: Collaborative development of courses on citizenship" (co-authored with Bettina von Lieres), *Institute for Development Studies Practice Paper* 2011,7: 1-51

2009 (R)   "Learning about Obligation, Compassion, and Global Justice: the Place of Contemplative Pedagogy," *New Directions for Teaching and Learning: Special Issue on Internationalizing the Curriculum in Higher Education* (San Francisco: Jossey-Bass): 49-60

2006   "Representation in Democratic Deliberation: Issues and Strategies" (co-authored with Carolyn Lukensmeyer), *Dispute Resolution Magazine* (American Bar Association), 12,2, Winter: 7-10 & 14

2006   "Meeting the Challenges of Large Class Teaching," *Teaching and Learning Exchange* (University of Alberta): 3-4

2003 (R)   "Dispute Resolution and the Politics of Cultural Generalization," *Negotiation Journal* 19,1: 5-27.

2002 (R)   "Délibération démocratique et ontologie sociale," *La démocratie délibérative*, Numéro spécial de *Philosophiques* 29,2: 251-286

2000   "Teaching Citizen Virtues in a Diverse Society: Reflections on the Western Canadian Protocol Agreement," *One World* (Edmonton: Alberta Teachers' Association): 3-10

| 1998 | "Struggles for Inclusion: Implications of the Arras Colloquium for Democratic Theory (Response to Bruno Tardieu)," *Harvard Center for European Studies Working Papers Series*, no. 68: 56-60 |
| 1996 (R) | "Cultivating Liberal Virtues," Canadian Journal of Political Science/Revue canadienne de science politique: 699-728 |

Book chapters

2018	Kahane, David, "Climate change, social change, and systems change: Lessons from Alberta Climate Dialogue," in Lorelei Hanson (ed.), Changing the Conversation on Climate Change: Using Public Deliberation to Address the Wicked Problems of Our Time (Athabasca University Press)
2018	Kahane, David and Lorelei Hanson, "Collaborating on deliberative democracy: Social Learning on Wicked Issues in Alberta Climate Dialogue," in Lorelei Hanson (ed.), Changing the Conversation on Climate Change: Using Public Deliberation to Address the Wicked Problems of Our Time (Athabasca University Press)
2018	Kahane, David and Gwendolyn Blue, "Public Deliberation with Climate Change: Theory, Practice and Lessons Learned from ABCD," in Lorelei Hanson (ed.), Changing the Conversation on Climate Change: Using Public Deliberation to Address the Wicked Problems of Our Time (Athabasca University Press)
2017	"Negotiating professional boundaries: learning from collaboration between academics and deliberation practitioners," (co-authored with Kristjana Loptson), in *The Professionalization of Public Participation* (Oxford University Press).
2016	"Energy Impasse and Political Actors" (with seven other authors) in Imre Szeman et. al., *After Oil*, (Edmonton: Petrocultures): 31-42
2014	"Foreword," *Philosophy and Aboriginal Rights: Critical Dialogues*, Sandra Tomsons and Lorraine Mayer eds. (Oxford: Oxford University Press): 11-13
2012	"Learning about Obligation, Compassion, and Global Justice: the Place of Contemplative Pedagogy," in Oleg Gunnlaugson, ed., *Contemplative Approaches to Learning and Inquiry across Disciplines* (SUNY Press, 2012) [Revision and reprint of "Learning about Obligation, Compassion, and Global Justice: the Place of Contemplative Pedagogy," *New Directions for Teaching and Learning* (San Francisco: Jossey-Bass, 2009): 49-60]
2011	"Mindfulness and Presence in Teaching and Learning," in Iain Hays, ed., *Learning with the World's Great Teachers* (London: Open University Press):17-22
2009	"Introduction" (second author with Daniel Weinstock), in Kahane, David, Daniel Weinstock, Dominique Leydet, and Melissa Williams, *Deliberative Democracy in Practice* (UBC Press): 1-18
2009	"The Micropolitics of Deliberation: Beyond Argumentation to Recognition and Justice" (equally co-authored with John Forester), in Kahane, David, Daniel Weinstock, Dominique Leydet, and Melissa Williams, *Deliberative Democracy in Practice* (UBC Press): 209-231

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2007	"Inclusion and Representation in Democratic Deliberations: Lessons from Canada's Romanow Commission" (co-authored with Bettina von Lieres), in Andrea Cornwall and Vera Schattan Coelho (eds.), *Spaces for Change: The Politics of Participation in New Democratic Arenas* (London: Zed Books): 131-151
2004	"Introduction: Theories and Practices of Dispute Resolution in Aboriginal Contexts," (co-authored with Cathy Bell) in Kahane and Bell, *Intercultural Dispute Resolution in Aboriginal Contexts* (UBC Press): 1-8
2003	"What is Culture? Generalizing About Aboriginal and Newcomer Perspectives," in Kahane and Bell, *Intercultural Dispute Resolution in Aboriginal Contexts* (UBC Press, 2004): 28-56 [Revision and reprint of "Dispute Resolution and the Politics of Cultural Generalization," *Negotiation Journal* 19,1, 5-27]
1998	"Male Feminism as Oxymoron," in *Men Doing Feminism,* Tom Digby, ed. (New York: Routledge): 213-235

Grants and fellowships

2019	Under review: "All Flourishing is Mutual: Collective Ethics in Theory and Practice" (with Alexis Shotwell and James Rowe), SSHRC Insight Grant, $356,117.
2016-	Collaborator, "Energy Efficiency and Human Behaviour," Natural Resources Canada, $499,600.
2015-	Collaborator, "Participedia: Strengthening an emerging global partnership to create the world's primary repository of information on citizen participation, public deliberation, and collaborative governance," SSHRC Partnership Grant, $2,444,000
2010-2016	Principal investigator, "Alberta Climate Dialogue (ABCD): Deliberative democracy and climate change in Alberta and beyond," SSHRC Community-University Research Alliance (CURA) program. $996,000 over five years, with $2,100,000 in matching cash and in-kind contributions from university and community partners
2014-2015	Senior Research Fellow, Centre for Public Involvement for project on "Collaborative leadership, citizen action, and public involvement," $17,000
2014	Collaborator, "Security, Locally Grown: The Resilient Urban Food Systems Network," SSHRC Partnership LOI, $20,000
2014	Collaborator, "Envisioning the Good Life: A Conversation on Climate Justice in British Columbia," SSHRC Connection Grant, $50,865
2011	Project Lead, "Deliberative Engagement and the Sustainable Campus: Embedding Deliberation in Campus Decision-Making Processes," University of Alberta Sustainability Enhancement Fund: $18,600

2011	Principal Investigator, "Whose environmental stewardship? Citizen and stakeholder roles in making Alberta climate change policy," Kule Institute for Advanced Study: Research Cluster Grant: $15,000
2011	Principal Investigator, "Citizen and organized stakeholder roles in deliberative democratic processes," University of Western Sydney and newdemocracy Foundation: $12,000 AUD
2008	Grant from the Deliberative Democracy Foundation and the Rockefeller Brothers Foundation for workshop on deliberative democracy and climate change, $15,000 USD (additional $32,000 raised from other sources)
2000-2004	Principal Investigator, SSHRC-sponsored Standard Research Grant on Democratic Deliberation in Multicultural Canada: Theory and Practice: $105,596

Presentations and addresses

2018	Co-presenter, "Participatory Systems Change: Engagement for Big Impact," IAP2 webinar.
2017	Co-presenter, panel on lessons learned from the Citizens' Panel on Edmonton's Energy and Climate Challenges, Energy Transition Leadership Network, City of Edmonton.
2017	"Compassionate social and ecological action," Centre for Social Innovation, Toronto.
2016	"Citizen participation, climate change, and whole systems: Combining the practical and systemic turns in deliberative democracy," NOMIS workshop on Nature and Value, London.
2015	"Participatory Politics: Constructing Citizen Engagement in a New Alberta," Parkland Institute Annual Conference.
2015	Keynote: Troubleshooting Public Involvement," Centre for Dialogue, Simon Fraser University.
2014	Workshop: "Negotiating Deliberation Projects with Civil Servants and Elected Officials," NCDD National Conference on Dialogue and Deliberation, Washington, DC.
2014	"Getting Real about the Politics of Environmental Deliberations," NCDD National Conference on Dialogue and Deliberation, Washington DC.
2014	"Public Administrators, Process Professionals, and Deliberative Democracy: Negotiating a Participatory Process and its Influence," International Political Science Association, Montreal
2014	"Deliberative Democracy and Systems Change," *Frontiers of Democracy*, Boston
2014	Roundtable, "From Deliberation to Action," *Frontiers of Democracy*, Boston
2014	"Climate deliberation in claimed and invited spaces," *Nomis Workshop on Nature and Value*, London

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2014 "Cosmopolitanism beyond hope," Workshop on *Cosmopolitanism past, cosmopolitan futures*, University of Alberta

2014 "Citizen Involvement & Climate Politics: Learning from the Citizens' Panel on Edmonton's Energy and Climate Challenges" (with Mary Pat MacKinnon), IPAC Annual Conference, Edmonton

2014 "Citizen participation and local food: Building a healthier democracy," International Week presentation, University of Alberta

2013 "Can Citizen Participation Improve Climate Change Policy?" keynote address, conference on *Tomorrow's Ideas, Now*, University of Alberta

2012 "Engaging with multiple publics in complex involvement programs" (with Fiona Cavanagh and Matt Leighninger), IAP2 North America Annual Conference, Halifax

2012 "Deliberative democracy and climate change: lessons from the Alberta Climate Dialogue project," Coady Institute, St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish

2012 Participant and convener, Roundtable on "Deliberative Democracy and Climate Change: Theory Meets Practice," Canadian Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Edmonton

2012 Participant and convener, Roundtable on "Stakeholders and Citizens in Alberta Environmental Policy Making," Canadian Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Edmonton

2012 Participant and convener, Roundtable on "Successes and Challenges in Innovative Public Involvement: The Case of Edmonton's Environmental Strategic Plan," Canadian Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Edmonton

2011 "Where has public participation come from, where is it now and where is it going?" International Association for Public Participation (IAP2) Canada Chapter Annual Meeting, Toronto, June 11

2010 "Creating spaces for change? Early reflections on Alberta Climate Dialogue (ABCD)," Department of Political Science, University of Alberta, Dec 2

2010 Roundtable participant (with Fiona Cavanagh and Heather McPherson), "Can Citizen Engagement Be Transformative?" Centre for Global Citizenship Education and Research, University of Alberta, Oct 27

2010 "Alberta Climate Dialogue," Engagement for Sustainable Communities and Climate Change Online Conference, with Lorelei Hanson, co-sponsored by the APA Public Engagement Interest Group and PublicDecisions, May 14

2010 "Alberta Climate Dialogue and the Evaluation of Citizen Engagement on Environmental Issues," with Mary Pat MacKinnon and John Parkins; a virtual workshop co-convened by Environment Canada, the US Environmental Protection Agency, and the Canadian Community for Dialogue and Deliberation, May 6

2010	"Indigenous perspectives in climate change deliberations: an Albertan perspective," virtual participation in community workshop on 'Reimagining Development with the Indigenous Peoples of the Brazilian Amazon', May 6
2009	"Research and Local Action on Citizen Engagement and Climate Change," ICLEI Research Symposium, Edmonton, June 18

Manuscript reviews

Canadian Philosophical Association, Canadian Society for Women in Philosophy, McGill-Queen's University Press, Oxford University Press, Western Canadian Philosophical Association

Journal refereeing

APA Newsletter on Feminism, Apeiron, Canadian Journal of Philosophy, Canadian Journal of Political Science, Dialogue, Eidos, Journal of Political Philosophy, Journal of Public Affairs Political Studies, Journal of Public Deliberation, New Political Science, Revue québécoise de science politique

Editorial positions

1999-2003	Editor, *Philosophy in Review*, published six times yearly.

Teaching and educational leadership

Teaching-related grants & awards

2008-2010	Department for International Development, UK for eight country collaborative course development project on "Citizenship, Participation, and Accountability," 68,650 GBP. Grant held by Institute for Development Studies at Sussex, with Kahane as co-convenor of project
2009	Instructor Innovation Grant, Office of Community Service Learning, University of Alberta: $3634
2008-2009	Principal investigator, Teaching and Learning Enhancement Fund Grant for "Supporting Graduate Student Teaching within Disciplines and Departments: A Discovery Learning Approach," $30,000
2008	Contemplative Practice Fellowship for development of a course on Mindful Social Action, Fetzer Foundation, $9000
2006	3M Teaching Fellowship, Society for Teaching and Learning in Higher Education (Canada's highest award for teaching and educational leadership in higher education)
2006	Award for Excellence in Graduate Supervision, Graduate Students' Association
2005	Rutherford Award for Undergraduate Teaching
2003	Teaching Unit Award

2003	Alan Blizzard Award for Collaborative Projects that Improve Student Learning, STLHE (Canada's highest award for collaborative teaching projects in higher education)
2003	Faculty of Arts Undergraduate Teaching Award

Administration relating to teaching and learning

2009-2012	Office of Sustainability Academic Advisory Committee
2009-2010	Chair, Jury for the Canadian Political Science Association Teaching Excellence Prize
2008-2010	Co-convenor (with Bettina von Lieres, University of the Western Cape) of a south-north research collaboration that developed, evaluated, and compared courses and trainings on citizenship, participation, and accountability. Research partners in the project were based in Angola, Bangladesh, Brazil, Canada, India, Mexico, South Africa, and the UK. The project was funded by the UK Department for International Development, as part of the Development Research Center on Citizenship, Participation, and Accountability, based at the Institute for Development Studies at the University of Sussex
2008-2010	Principal investigator, "Supporting Graduate Student Teaching within Disciplines and Departments: A Discovery Learning Approach:" literature reviews, convening series of deliberative workshops, redesigning practices of assignment, mentoring, and support for graduate student teachers in the Department of Political Science, University of Alberta

Teaching beyond the university

2017, 2018, 2019	Co-taught week-long intensive systemic design trainings for civil servants, Alberta CoLab, Government of Alberta

Teaching-related presentations

2016, 2015	"Nervousness, Teaching and Participatory Learning," Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research, University of Alberta
2014	"Teaching for the First Time" (two-part workshop), Department of Political Science, University of Alberta
2013	"What is Good Teaching?" Roundtable organized by University of Alberta Students' Union
2013	"Epic pig butchery and the work of teaching," FoT Spots, Festival of Teaching and Learning, University of Alberta
2013	Roundtable on "Epic fails: learning from our teaching mistakes," Centre for Teaching and Learning 'Catalyst' series (by video)
2012	"Contemplation, curiosity, and student engagement," UK Higher Education Academy National Workshop on Contemplative Pedagogy, Queen Elizabeth College, Edinburgh

2012	"Teaching and learning democracy: tools for deepening engagement, collaboration, and leadership," Keynote, *Walls Optional* teaching/learning day, Camosun College (Victoria, BC)
2011	"Learning through collaborative problem solving: deliberative democracy in the classroom and beyond" (with Logan McIntosh, and Jeff Savage), Sustainability Curriculum and Teaching Workshop
2011	Workshop on "Discussion-Based Teaching," Department of Political Science
2010	Collaborative workshop on "Nuances and Challenges of Discussion-Based Teaching," Department of Political Science
2009	Design and co-delivery of half-day start of year teaching workshop for faculty, instructors, and graduate teaching assistants (with two faculty members and four graduate students)
2009	"Cultivating Awareness of Mind and Body in Teaching and Learning," Medical Humanities Lecture Series, University of Alberta
2008	Keynote Address, Festival of Teaching and Learning, University of Alberta

Articles about my teaching

Edmonton Journal (2), Folio (5), Ideas, Maclean's, New Trail, Works of Arts, University Affairs

Undergraduate courses
- Philosophy 101: Values and Society (as single teacher course and as leader of 'supersection' of over 200 students)
- Philosophy 270: Introduction to Political Philosophy
- Philosophy 368: Equality and Social Justice (originally a course on political philosophies of race, gender, and indigeneity; now revised into a course on obligation, compassion, and global justice)
- Philosophy 396: Honors Seminar (co-taught)
- Political Science 212: Contemporary Political Theory
- Political Science 299: Citizenship for Democracy
- Political Science 299: Systemic Design and University Food Systems
- Political Science 302: Deliberative Democracy and Climate Change
- Political Science 302: 19th Century Political Theory
- Political Science 302: Deliberative Democracy and Systems Change
- Political Science 302: Radical Prefigurative Politics
- Political Science 405. Topics included Democratic Theory, and Deliberative Democracy in Theory and Practice
- Political Science 410. Topics included The Suffering of Others: Ethics, Justice and Global Inequality; Collaborative Leadership; Systemic Design and University Food Systems; Systemic Design; and Radical Prefigurative Politics

Graduate courses
- Philosophy 532: Aristotle and Aristotelianisms

- Philosophy 570. Topics included Cosmopolitanism in Political Philosophy; Democratic Deliberation: Current Controversies; The Politics of Recognition; The Politics of Representation; Boundaries of Justice; and Democratic Deliberation in theory and practice
- Political Science 505. Topics included Democratic Citizenship: Participation, Deliberation, and Power; Deliberative Democracy in Theory and Practice;
- Political Science 505: Democratic Theory
- Political Science 515. Topics included The Suffering of Others: Ethics, Justice and Global Inequality; Collaborative Leadership; Systemic Design and University Food Systems; and Systemic Design

Media and community service

2017-   Sustainable Canada Dialogue Scholar

2014-   Member, Steering Committee, Energy Futures Lab

2014-2017   Centre Director, Edmonton Shambhala Meditation Centre

2015-2016   Member, Advisory Committee, Edmonton's Community Energy Forum, City of Edmonton

2015-2016   Member, Energy Transition Advisory Committee, City of Edmonton

2014   Presenter, "Conditions for a Sustainable Future," World Wildlife Fund Earth Hour Tour, Edmonton

2013-2014   Member, Advisory Committee, Edmonton's Energy Transition Strategy and Action Plan, City of Edmonton

2013   Organizer, "Making Edmonton's Election a Referendum on Sustainability and the Good City," University of Alberta

2010-2012   Co-organizer, ABCD/CPI/City of Edmonton *Citizens' Panel on Edmonton's Energy and Climate Challenges*, which that convened 56 Edmontonians for six days of deliberation in September-December 2012. Recommendations presented to Edmonton City Council April 2013, with subsequent Energy Transition Strategy passed unanimously by City Council in June 2015.

2011-2012   Member, Steering Committee, Alberta Municipal Greenhouse Gas Reduction Toolkit project (in collaboration with Alberta Environment, City of Calgary, Alberta Union of Municipal Associations, and City of Edmonton)

2006   Co-organizer and facilitator, two-day community dialogue on "Celebrating Community: Living and Learning Together," held at Edmonton City Hall, organized by 14 civil society organizations

1997-present: Media interviews with *Alberta Report*, CBC Edmonton, CBC's The Current, CFRN Television, CJSR, *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, Conversations that Matter, CTV, *Edmonton Journal*, *Edmonton Sun*, *Folio*, *Gateway*, Help TV, *Maclean's Magazine*, New Trail, Radio-Canada, Rocky Mountain Goat News, Sciencewise, *St. Albert Gazette*, Teaching and Learning Forum, *University Affairs*, *USA Today*, *Vårt Land* (Norway)