CURRICULUM VITAE OF ANDREW K. BALKANSKY

I. PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION AND CONTACT INFORMATION

- A. Present University Department or Unit: Department of Anthropology
- B. Office Address: Faner Hall 3525 (abalkan@siu.edu)

II. EDUCATION

Ph.D., Archaeology; University of Wisconsin, Madison; December 1997 M.A., Archaeology; University of Wisconsin, Madison; December 1992 B.A., Anthropology; University of Wisconsin, Madison; August 1990

III. PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2018-current	Interim Dean, College of Liberal Arts
2017-2018	Associate Dean for Students & Curricular Affairs
2014-current	Director, University Studies Program
2012-current	Professor, Southern Illinois University Carbondale
2007-2012	Associate Professor, Southern Illinois University Carbondale
2003-2007	Assistant Professor, Southern Illinois University Carbondale
1999-2003	Assistant Professor, George Washington University, Washington, D.C.
1999-current	Research Associate, American Museum of Natural History, New York
1998	Postdoctoral Fellow, American Museum of Natural History, New York
1996-1997	Scientific Assistant, American Museum of Natural History, New York

IV. RESEARCH AND CREATIVE ACTIVITY

- A. Interests and Specialties: Archaeology, the ancient Mixtec, pre-industrial urbanism, prehistoric settlement patterns, pottery technology; Middle America.
- B. Current Projects: excavation and analysis of Formative period sites in the Mixteca Alta, Mexico (ca. 1500-500 BC); this research focuses on the long-term evolution of early village societies and the transition to urbanism and states in ancient Mexico.
- C. Grants Applied for: none currently pending.

D. Grants Received:

- 2008 National Science Foundation, *Research Experiences for Undergraduates Supplement: The Archaeological Precursors of the Mixtec Civilization*, \$7,950 for the 3 months from 5/15/08. Balkansky and W. N. Duncan.
- 2007 National Science Foundation, *The Archaeological Precursors of the Mixtec Civilization*, \$176,222 for the 36 months from 2/1/07. Balkansky and W. N. Duncan.

2006	National Geographic Society, Excavation of Public Architecture with Early
	Writing in the Mixteca Alta, Mexico, \$19,600 for the 24 months from
	5/15/06.

- 2004 ORDA Seed Grant, *Characterization of Ancient Mexican Ceramics through Petrographic and Chemical Analysis*, \$18,000 for the 12 months from 4/27/04.
- 2003 National Science Foundation, *REU Supplement: Santa Cruz Tayata and Emergent Social Complexity in the Mixteca Alta*, \$7,700 for undergraduate student support.
- 2003 National Science Foundation, *Santa Cruz Tayata and Emergent Social Complexity in the Mixteca Alta*, \$91,374 for the 24 months from 1/22/03.
- H. John Heinz III Fund Grant Program for Latin American Archaeology, Santa Cruz Tayata and Emergent Social Complexity in the Mixteca Alta, \$8,000 for 12 months from 8/1/02.
- 1998 National Science Foundation, *Archaeological Survey in the Central Mixteca Alta, Mexico,* \$77,676 for the 18 months from 9/1/98. S. A. Kowalewski and Balkansky, Co-PI.
- 1995 National Science Foundation, Dissertation Improvement Grant: Archaeological Settlement Patterns of the Sola Valley, Oaxaca, Mexico, \$12,000. G. M. Feinman and Balkansky, Co-PI.
- 1994 University of Wisconsin, Graduate School (pre-dissertation research), \$500.
- 1993 Grant-in-Aid of Research from Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society, Indigenous Agriculture and the Demographic History of the Mixteca Alta, Oaxaca, Mexico, \$400.
- 1993 University of Wisconsin, Latin American & Iberian Studies Program Field Research Grant (pre-dissertation research), \$600.
- E. Honors and Awards:
 - 2009 SIUC Undergraduate Teaching Enhancement Award, Hands-On Science for ANTH 240C: Introduction to Archaeology, two months summer support.
 - 2005 SIUC Undergraduate Teaching Enhancement Award, Digital Enhancement for ANTH 104: The Human Experience, two months summer support.
 - 1997 American Museum of Natural History, Kalbfleisch Research Fellowship, Marshall H. Saville's American Museum Expedition to Xoxocotlán, Mexico.
- F. Papers and Presentations at Professional Meetings:
 - 2021 Orígenes del templo de dos habitaciones. Una perspectiva interregional durante el formativo medio entre la Mixteca Alta y los valles centrales. Primera Mesa Redonda Virtual de Monte Albán. Monte Albán y sus Interacciones Regionales. Teresa Palomares and Andrew K. Balkansky.
 - 2015 Pregnancy and Politics: Interpretation of an Early Mixtec Sweatbath. Annual meeting of the American Society for Ethnohistory, Las Vegas. William N. Duncan, Andrew K. Balkansky, and Gabrielle Vail.

2010	Early Evidence for Figurine Embodiment in the Formative Mixteca Alta, Oaxaca, Mexico. 75th annual meeting of the Society for American
2008	Archaeology, St. Louis. N. Meissner, K. South, and A. Balkansky. Chiefly Competition Spurs Urban Emergence in Oaxaca, Mexico. 107th annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association, San
	Francisco.
2007	Multicrafting and Complexity in Early Oaxacan Villages. 72nd annual meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, Austin. Balkansky and
2007	M. M. Croissier. Sacrificial Burials in a Mixtec Sweatbath. 76th annual meeting of the American Association of Physical Anthropologists, Philadelphia. W. N.
	Duncan and Balkansky.
2006	On the Nature of the Mixtec City. 71st annual meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, San Juan.
2005	The Archaeology of the Mixteca Alta, Mexico. Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.
2004	Survey and Excavation at the Tayata Site: A Formative Center in the
	Mixteca Alta. 69th annual meeting of the Society for American
	Archaeology, Montreal.
2003	The Making and Re-Making of Mixtec Civilization. 68th annual meeting of
	the Society for American Archaeology, Milwaukee.
2003	Did the Ancient Mixtec have Cities? Southern Illinois University
	Carbondale.
2002	Monte Albán y su impacto en la urbanización Mixteca. Tercera Mesa Redonda de Monte Albán, Oaxaca.
2002	Ancient Mexican Cities: Antecedents and Origins. SUNY at Buffalo.
2001	The Olmec as Mesoamerica's "Mother Culture": Recent Advances and
	Renewed Controversies. George Washington University, Washington, D.C.
2001	Mixteca Alta Settlement Patterns and Macroregional Models: What We
	Learned About the New Problematic. 66th meeting of the Society for
	American Archaeology, New Orleans.
2001	The Urban Revolution in Oaxaca, Mexico: Monte Albán and other Ancient
	Cities. The Pre-Columbian Society of Washington, D.C.
2001	Surveying Ancient Oaxaca. George Mason University.
2001	The How and Why of State Formation: The Case of Monte Albán and its
	Neighbors. University of California, San Diego.
2000	Slavery in Pre-Columbian Mesoamerica. George Washington University.
2000	Monte Albán Expansion and the Emergence of Civilization in the Southern
	Highlands of Mexico. 65th annual meeting of the Society for American
	Archaeology, Philadelphia.
1999	Origin of the State and the Later Historical Kingdom in Ancient Oaxaca.
	George Washington University, Washington, D.C.
1998	Emergence of Mixtec Civilization: Environment, Settlement Patterns, and
	the Culture Change Process. University of Georgia, Athens.
1998	Early Scientific Archaeology in Mexico: Saville's 1898 Expedition to the Valley of Oaxaca. American Museum of Natural History, New York.

- 1998 Co-evolution of Early Pristine States in Oaxaca, Mexico. Columbia University. 1998 Saville and Early Scientific Archaeology in Mexico. 63rd annual meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, Seattle. Zapotec Expansion and the Oaxaca Periphery. University of California, San 1997 Diego. 1997 The Sola Valley and the Valley of Oaxaca: 2000 Years of Interregional Interaction in Highland Southern Mexico. 62nd annual meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, Nashville. 1997 Archaeological Settlement Patterns of the Sola Valley, Oaxaca, Mexico. 20th annual Midwest Mesoamericanists Meeting, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. 1997 Huamelulpan and the Origins of Mixtec Civilization. 4th Mixtec Gateway, Las Vegas. 1996 Frontier and Periphery in Oaxaca Prehistory. Columbia University. 1996 Ceramic Firing in Ancient and Modern Oaxaca. American Ceramics Society, Indianapolis. Urbanism and Early State Formation in the Huamelulpan Valley of Southern 1996 Mexico. 61st annual meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, New Orleans. 1995 Reconocimiento arqueológico del Valle de Sola de Vega. Ciclo de conferencias del Centro Regional de Oaxaca y el Instituto Welte para Estudios Oaxaqueños, Oaxaca. 1995 Ceramic Production at Ejutla. 60th annual meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, Minneapolis. 1995 Huamelulpan's Terraced Fields: Archaeological and Ethnographic Studies of an Ancient Farming Technology in the Mixteca Alta of Oaxaca, Mexico. 18th annual Midwest Mesoamericanists Meeting, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN. 1994 Ceramic Manufacture in a Multi-Craft Context: Household Production in Prehispanic Ejutla, Oaxaca, Mexico. 93rd meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Atlanta. 1994 Un recorrido arqueológico del Valle de Huamelulpan, Mixteca Alta, Oaxaca. Primer taller bianual del Instituto Welte para Estudios Oaxaqueños, Oaxaca. 1994 Prehispanic Ceramic Firing Technology at the Ejutla Site, Oaxaca, Mexico. 17th annual Midwest Mesoamericanists Meeting, Loyola University of Chicago. Other: Archaeological Fieldwork 2010 Field laboratory, supervising SIUC students in Oaxaca, Mexico.
- 2008 Field laboratory, supervising SIUC students in Oaxaca, Mexico.

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- 2005 Field laboratory, supervising SIUC students in Oaxaca, Mexico.
- 2004 Excavations at Tayata, Oaxaca, principal investigator and field director.
- 2003 Intensive survey at Tayata, Oaxaca, principal investigator and field director.

- 2002 Intensive survey and excavation in San Juan Teposcolula, Oaxaca.
- 2001 Analysis of ceramics from Zapotec barrio, Teotihuacan; S.M. Tilcajete, Oaxaca.
- 1999 Central Mixteca Alta Settlement Pattern Survey, Oaxaca, Co-PI and field director.
- 1998 Intensive Survey and Excavation, S.M. Tilcajete, Oaxaca, project director C. S. Spencer.
- 1996 Sola Valley Settlement Pattern Project, Oaxaca, dissertation research, Co-PI and field director.
- 1995 Sola Valley Settlement Pattern Project, Oaxaca, dissertation research, Co-PI and field director.
- 1995 Yucunama Archaeological Project, Oaxaca, project director Ronald Spores.
- 1995 Guirún Area Survey, Oaxaca, project director Gary M. Feinman.
- 1995 Western Mixteca Settlement Survey, Oaxaca, project director Ronald Spores.
- 1994 Western Mixteca Settlement Survey, Oaxaca, project director Ronald Spores.
- 1993 U. of Wisconsin Ejutla Shell Project, Oaxaca, project director G. M. Feinman.
- 1992 Survey and Excavation, Rainy Lake, International Falls, MN. Excavations at Prairie du Chien and Black River Falls, WI. Archaeological Consulting & Services, Verona, WI.
- 1991 U. of Wisconsin Ejutla Shell Project, Oaxaca, project director G. M. Feinman.

V. PUBLICATIONS AND CREATIVE WORKS

A. Books and Monographs:

- 2013 *The Mixtecs of Oaxaca: Ancient Times to the Present*. Norman: University of Oklahoma Press, by R. Spores and A. K. Balkansky.
- 2009 The Human Experience: A Recitation Manual for Anthropology. Dubuque: Kendall/Hunt Publishing, edited by A. K. Balkansky, R. S. Corruccini, and M. S. Harrison. 2nd edition.
- Origins of the Ñuu: Archaeology in the Mixteca Alta, Mexico. Boulder:
 University Press of Colorado, by S. A. Kowalewski, A. K. Balkansky, L. R.
 Stiver, T. J. Pluckhahn, J. F. Chamblee, V. Pérez, V. Y. Heredia, and C. A.
 Smith.
- 2008 *The Human Experience: A Recitation Manual for Anthropology.* Dubuque: Kendall/Hunt Publishing, edited by A. K. Balkansky, R. S. Corruccini, and M. S. Harrison.
- 2002 *The Sola Valley and the Monte Albán State: A Study of Zapotec Imperial Expansion.* Memoirs of the Museum of Anthropology 36. Ann Arbor: University of Michigan.
- B. Articles in Professional Journals:

2013	Figurine Embodiment and Household Ritual in an Early Mixtec Village. Journal de la Société des Américanistes 99:7-43, by N. J. Meissner, K. E.
2010	South, and A. K. Balkansky. Expansionary Dynamics of the Nascent Monte Albán State. <i>Journal of</i>
	Anthropological Archaeology 29:278-301, by R. J. Sherman, A. K. Balkansky, C. S. Spencer, and B. D. Nicholls.
2009	Multicrafting in Prehispanic Oaxaca. Archeological Papers of the American Anthropological Association 19:58-74.
2009	Los orígenes de la civilización Mixteca. <i>Arqueología Iberoamericana</i> 2:25-33, by A. K. Balkansky, F. Nava, and T. Palomares.
2008	Huamelulpan y Tayata, Oaxaca. <i>Arqueología Mexicana</i> 15:36-37, by A. K. Balkansky, F. Nava, and T. Palomares.
2008	Human Cremation in Mexico 3000 Years Ago. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences</i> 105:5315-5320, by W. N. Duncan, A. K. Balkansky, K. Crawford, H. A. Lapham, and N. J. Meissner.
2006	Surveys and Mesoamerican Archaeology: The Emerging Macroregional Paradigm. <i>Journal of Archaeological Research</i> 14:53-95.
2006	On the Logic of Archaeological Inference: A Rejoinder to Neff et al. <i>Latin</i> <i>American Antiquity</i> 17:90-103, by R. J. Sharer, A. K. Balkansky, J. H. Burton, G. M. Feinman, K. V. Flannery, D. C. Grove, J. Marcus, R. G. Moyle, T. D. Price, E. M. Redmond, R. G. Reynolds, P. M. Rice, C. S. Spencer, J. B. Stoltman, and J. Yaeger.
2005	Saville, Boas, and Anthropological Archaeology in Mexico. <i>Mexicon</i> 27:86-91.
2005	 Implications of New Petrographic Analysis for the Olmec "Mother Culture" Model. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences</i> 102:11219-11223, by K. V. Flannery, A. K. Balkansky, G. M. Feinman, D. C. Grove, J. Marcus, E. M. Redmond, R. G. Reynolds, R. J. Sharer, C. S. Spencer, and J. Yaeger.
2004	Monte Negro and the Urban Revolution in Oaxaca, Mexico. <i>Latin</i> <i>American Antiquity</i> 15:33-60, by Andrew K. Balkansky, V. Pérez, and S. A. Kowalewski.
2001	On Emerging Patterns in Oaxaca Archaeology. <i>Current Anthropology</i> 42:559-561.
2000	Archaeological Survey in the Mixteca Alta of Oaxaca, Mexico. <i>Journal of</i> <i>Field Archaeology</i> 27:365-389, by A. K. Balkansky, S. A. Kowalewski, V. Pérez, T. J. Pluckhahn, C. A. Smith, L. R. Stiver, D. Beliaev, J. F. Chamblee, V. Y. Heredia, and R. Santos.
1998	Origin and Collapse of Complex Societies in Oaxaca (Mexico): Evaluating the Era from 1965 to the Present. <i>Journal of World Prehistory</i> 12:451-493.
1998	Urbanism and Early State Formation in the Huamelulpan Valley of Southern Mexico. <i>Latin American Antiquity</i> 9:37-67.
1997	Pottery Kilns of Ancient Ejutla, Oaxaca, Mexico. <i>Journal of Field</i> <i>Archaeology</i> 24:139-160, by A. K. Balkansky, G. M. Feinman, and L. M. Nicholas.

- 1997 Archaeological Settlement Patterns of the Sola Valley, Oaxaca, Mexico. *Mexicon* 19:12-18.
- C. Creative Contributions: N/A
- D. Chapters in Professional Books (all chapters were reviewed):
 - 2022 The Mixteca Alta. In *Mesoamerica in the Time of the Olmec*, edited by Christopher A. Pool and Carl J. Wendt, in press. Oxford University Press, Oxford, by Andrew K. Balkansky and María T. Palomares Rodríguez.
 - 2018 The Pre-Conquest Mesoamerican States. In Oxford Bibliographies in Latin American Studies. Oxford University Press, New York, by Andrew K. Balkansky and Nathan J. Meissner. DOI: 10.1093/obo/9780199766581-0203
 - 2014 Oaxaca. In *The Cambridge World Prehistory*, vol 2, *East Asia and the Americas*, edited by Colin Renfrew and Paul Bahn, pp. 1026-1042. Cambridge University Press, Cambridge.
 - 2013 Animal Use in the Mixteca Alta, Oaxaca, Mexico. In *The Archaeology of Mesoamerican Animals*, edited by Christopher Götz and Kitty Emery, pp. 129-151. Bannerstone Press, Oakville, CT, by H. A. Lapham, A. K. Balkansky, and A. M. Amadio.
 - 2008 Monte Albán. In *Encyclopedia of Latin American History and Culture*, 2nd edition, volume 4 (J-O), edited by Jay Kinsbruner and Erick D. Langer, p. 670. Charles Scribner's Sons, Detroit.
 - 2008 Pedestrian Survey Techniques. In *Encyclopedia of Archaeology*, volume 3, edited by D. M. Pearsall, pp. 1810-1812. Academic Press, New York.
 - 2008 Settlement Pattern Analysis. In *Encyclopedia of Archaeology*, volume 3, edited by D. M. Pearsall, pp. 1978-1980. Academic Press, New York.
 - 2007 Mesoamerican Civilization: Pattern and Process. In *World Civilizations*, edited by R. Holton, in *Encyclopedia of Life Support Systems (EOLSS)*, Developed under the Auspices of the UNESCO, Eolss Publishers, Oxford, UK, [http://www.eolss.net] [Retrieved January 15, 2008]
 - 2007 The Neolithic and Urban Revolutions. In *Anthropology*, 2nd edition, by B. Miller, pp. 255-287. Allyn & Bacon, Boston.
 - 2005 The Neolithic and Urban Revolutions. In *Anthropology*, by B. D. Miller and B. Wood, pp. 255-287. Allyn & Bacon, Boston.
 - 2004 Monte Albán y su impacto en la urbanización Mixteca. In *Memoria de la Tercera Mesa Redonda de Monte Albán. Monte Albán y su impacto político*, edited by N. M. Robles García, pp. 63-73. Instituto Nacional de Antropología e Historia, México, D.F.
 - 1999 Settlement Pattern Studies in the Mixteca Alta, Oaxaca, 1966-1996. In Settlement Pattern Studies in the Americas: Fifty Years Since Virú, edited by B. R. Billman and G. M. Feinman, pp. 191-202. Smithsonian Institution Press, Washington, D.C.
 - 1997 Ceramic Firing in Ancient and Modern Oaxaca. In *Ceramics and Civilization*, vol. 7: *Prehistory and History of Ceramic Kilns*, edited by P.

M. Rice and W. D. Kingery, pp. 129-147. American Ceramics Society, Westerville, Ohio, by G. M. Feinman and A. K. Balkansky.

E. Book Reviews

2017	Human Adaptation in Ancient Mesoamerica: Empirical Approaches to
	Mesoamerican Archaeology, by N. Gonlin and K. D. French. Journal of
	Anthropological Research 73(2):294-295.

- 2002 Zapotec Hieroglyphic Writing, by J. Urcid Serrano. Antiquity 76:904-905.
- 2001 The Shadow of Monte Albán: Politics and Historiography in Postclassic Oaxaca, Mexico, by M. Jansen et al. The Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute 7(1):175-177.

VI. TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- A. Teaching Interests and Specialties: Middle American archaeology, archaeological theory, introductory four-field anthropology, ecological anthropology, Latin American history and culture, anthropological research design, pottery analysis.
- B. Teaching and Training Grants:
 2015 SIU Assessment Fellow
 2009 SIU Undergraduate Teaching Enhancement Award.
 2005 SIU Undergraduate Teaching Enhancement Award.
- C. Teaching Awards and Honors: see above
- D. Current Graduate Faulty Status: Direct Dissertation
- E. Number of Master's and Ph.D. Committees as chair: one current
- F. Names of Students Completing Master's Theses or Doctoral Dissertations as chair:
 - 2013 Maria Teresa Palomares Rodriguez, M.A., Southern Illinois University.
 - 2010 Ayla Martine Amadio, M.A., Southern Illinois University.
 - 2002 Andrea Dawn Griffith, M.A., George Washington University.

G. Other: Courses Taught at SIUC:

ANTH 104: The Human Experience

- ANTH 205: Latin American Civilizations
- ANTH 208: World Prehistory
- ANTH 240C: Introduction to Archaeology
- ANTH 304: Origins of Civilization
- ANTH 410K: Ecological Anthropology
- ANTH 500C: Seminar in Archaeological Method and Theory
- ANTH 511: Seminar in Mesoamerican Archaeology
- ANTH 516: Seminar in Complex Societies
- ANTH 576: Seminar in Anthropological Research Design
- ANTH 581: Seminar in Ecological Anthropology

UHON 351: Archaeology of Religion

VII. UNIVERSITY EXPERIENCE

- A. Department/School Committees:
 - 2017-18 Undergraduate Assessment Coordinator
 - 2017-18 Undergraduate Studies Committee
 - 2016-17 Undergraduate Assessment Coordinator
 - 2016- Undergraduate Studies Committee
 - 2015-16 Undergraduate Studies Committee
 - 2014-15 Undergraduate Studies Committee
 - 2013-14 Undergraduate Studies Committee
 - 2012-13 Undergraduate Studies Committee
 - 2011-12 Undergraduate Studies Committee
 - 2010-11 Undergraduate Studies Committee; ANTH 104 Coordinator
 - 2009-10 Chair, Undergraduate Studies Committee
 - 2008-09 CAI Visiting Scholar Selector
 - 2008-09 Undergraduate Studies Committee; ANTH 104 and 202 Coordinator
 - 2007-08 Chair, Core Course Review of ANTH 500C
 - 2007-08 CAI Visiting Scholar Selector
 - 2007-08 Undergraduate Studies Committee; ANTH 104 and 202 Coordinator
 - 2006-07 CAI Visiting Scholar Selector
 - 2006-07 Undergraduate Studies Committee; ANTH 104 and 202 Coordinator
 - 2005-06 CAI Visiting Scholar Selector
 - 2005-06 Undergraduate Studies Committee; ANTH 104 Coordinator
 - 2004-05 CAI Visiting Scholar Selector
 - 2004-05 Undergraduate Studies Committee
- B. College and University Committees and Councils:
 - 2021-22 FA/GAU/NTT Impact Bargaining
 - 2021 SIUC & IEANEA Bargaining
 - 2021 College of Agricultural, Life and Physical Sciences Search Cmte., chair
 - 2020-21 Provost's Space Allocation Committee
 - 2020 President's System Task Force on the Pandemic
 - 2020 School of Education Search Committee, chair
 - 2019 SIU Day Planning Committee
 - 2019 Law School Dean Search Committee
 - 2019 University-Level Early Career Faculty Excellence Award, chair
 - 2018-21 Deans' Council
 - 2018-19 University Joint Benefits Committee
 - 2018 Campus Wide Assessment Committee
 - 2018 Task Force on Undergraduate Degrees, chair
 - 2018 Graduation Appeals Committee
 - 2017-18 Centralizing Academic Advising Ad-Hoc Steering Committee
 - 2016-17 CoLA Social Sciences College-Wide Assessment Team
 - 2016-17 CoLA Council Academic Policy Committee, chair

- 2015-16 CoLA Social Sciences College-Wide Assessment Team
- 2015-16 CoLA Council Academic Policy Committee
- 2015-16 CoLA Promotion & Tenure Committee
- 2014-15 CoLA Council Academic Policy Committee
- 2014-15 CoLA Promotion & Tenure Committee, chair
- 2013-14 CoLA Council Academic Policy Committee, chair
- 2013-14 CoLA Promotion & Tenure Committee
- 2007-14 Sigma Xi Nominations Committee
- 2006-08 ORDA Seed Grant Committee
- 2005-06 COLA Strategic Planning for Research
- C. Other non-SIU or non-academic experience:
 - 2014-21 Chabad of SIU, faculty advisor
 - 2002-03 Biological anthropology search (GWU)
 - 2002-03 M.A. Program revision (GWU)
 - 2000-03 Undergraduate majors in anthropology (GWU)
 - 2000-01 Study abroad in anthropology (GWU)
 - 1999-03 Inter-Departmental Archaeology Program (GWU)
 - 1999-03 Latin American Studies Program (GWU)
 - 1999-03 Graduate Admissions (GWU)
 - 1999-02 Anthropology library representative (GWU)
 - 1999-01 Graduate advisor for museum training (GWU)

VIII. PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- A. Membership in Professional Associations: Southern Illinois Sigma Xi
- B. Offices and Honors in Professional Associations: none current
- C. Consultantships: N/A
- D. Evaluation of Manuscripts and Grant Proposals: American Philosophical Society; Ancient Mesoamerica; Anthropological Quarterly; Archaeometry; Current Anthropology; Geology; Journal of Anthropological Archaeology; Latin American Antiquity; Maritime Studies; Mortality; National Geographic Society; National Science Foundation
- E. Other Papers and Presentations: reports to the National Science Foundation and other funding agencies, and the Instituto Nacional de Antropología e Historia, Mexico City
- F. Other: Evaluation of faculty for promotion: Oregon State University (2010, 2016); Tulane University (2018)

IX. COMMUNITY SERVICE

2018 Member of the Board, Arbor District Neighborhood Association

- 2017 Member of the Board, Arbor District Neighborhood Association
- 2016 Member of the Board, Arbor District Neighborhood Association
- 2015 Member of the Board, Arbor District Neighborhood Association
- 2014 Member of the Board, The Science Center of Southern Illinois
- 2013 Member of the Board, The Science Center of Southern Illinois
- 2013 Vice President of the Board, Carbondale New School
- 2012 Vice President of the Board, Carbondale New School
- 2011 Vice President of the Board, Carbondale New School
- 2010 Member of the Board, Carbondale New School
- 2008 Member of the Board, Arbor District Neighborhood Association
- 2007 Member of the Board, Arbor District Neighborhood Association
- 2006 Participated in Carbondale Community High School "job shadowing" program
- 2006 Member of the Board, Arbor District Neighborhood Association
- 2006 Sigma Xi representative at the Illinois Region 8 Science Fair
- 2003 Presented "The Ancient Maya" at Latin American Youth Center, Washington, D.C.
- 2002 Presented "Aztecs of Mexico" at Latin American Youth Center, Washington, D.C.

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