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**Education**

- Ph. D.           Communication, University of South Florida. May 2001.  
                    Dissertation: *Communicating across disciplines: A feminist ethnography of collaboration on an interdisciplinary geriatric oncology team*  
                    Advisor: Dr. Carolyn Ellis
- Graduate Certificate   Women's Studies, University of South Florida. May 2001.
- M. A.            Communication, Northern Illinois University. May 1997.  
                    Thesis: *Listening to women's narratives of breast cancer treatment: A feminist approach to patient satisfaction with physician-patient communication*  
                    Advisor: Dr. Patrice M. Buzzanell
- M. A.            Nonfiction Writing, University of New Hampshire. December 1992.
- B. A.            English, University of Vermont. May 1991.

**Research Interests**

My research program focuses on feminist and qualitative methodologies, gender within extended family networks, and communication in health care organizations, including: long-term survivorship; interdisciplinary communication; teamwork; patient-health care provider communication; and intersections of gender, age, and ethnicity in health care.

**Teaching Experience**

Professor of Communication and Women's & Gender Studies, Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, CA. April 2012-present. Courses: Qualitative Methods; Feminist Methods; Communication & Gender; Health Communication; Gender, Health, & Sexuality; Vocation & Gender; Public Speaking. Senior Thesis Seminars: Communication, Gender, & Feminist Theory; Communication & Mind/Body/Spirit Medicine; Autoethnography; Health Communication; Gender and Family Communication.

Associate Professor of Communication and Women's & Gender Studies, Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, CA. June 2008-April 2012.

Associate Professor of Communication, Department of Communication, Santa Clara University. March 2007-June 2008.

Assistant Professor of Communication, Department of Communication, Santa Clara University. September 2001-March 2007.

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Communication, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL. August 1997-May 2001. Courses taught: Health Communication; Communication, Gender, & Identity; Interpersonal Communication; Women & Communication; Writing Lives; Interview Communication; Persuasion; Public Speaking.

Facilitator, Medical Student Communication Skills Lab, Physical Diagnosis Course, College of Medicine, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL. Spring 1998-2001. Facilitated interviews of programmed patients by 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year medical students; reinforced patient-centered interviewing techniques; provided feedback and support to students.

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Communication, Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL. August 1995-May 1997. Instructor: Introduction to Communication; Teaching Assistant: Introduction to Mass Media. Assistant Coach, Policy Debate Team.

### **Administrative Leadership Experience**

Director, Women's & Gender Studies Program, Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, CA. September 2011-present. Advise interdisciplinary majors and minors; arrange co-curricular programming; supervise senior capstone students; lead student learning assessment; mentor tenure-track faculty member; prepare administrative reports; manage program budget; supervise administrative assistant; collaborate with other campus programs on sexual assault prevention, intersections of gender with identities such as race and sexuality, and feminist ethics.

### **Journal Editorship**

Senior Editor, "Defining Moments" section of *Health Communication*. September 2010-present. Solicit reviews and make all editorial decisions for peer-reviewed narratives, personal essays, and short articles that illuminate the lived experiences of health care researchers.

Senior Editor for Qualitative, Interpretive, and Rhetorical Methods, *Health Communication*. September 2010-August 2013. Solicit reviews and make all editorial decisions for peer-reviewed manuscripts.

### **Awards and Honors**

Anita Taylor Award for Outstanding Published Article (with Margaret M. Quinlan). Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Awarded to

“Beyond the research/service dichotomy: Claiming *all* research products for hiring, evaluation, tenure, and promotion” (published in *Qualitative Communication Research*). Conferred at the OSCLG conference, Houghton, MI. October 2013.

Bonnie Ritter Outstanding Book Award (with Patricia J. Sotirin). Feminist & Women’s Studies Division, National Communication Association. Awarded to *Aunting: Cultural Practices that Sustain Family and Community Life*. Conferred at the NCA conference, Orlando, FL. November 2012.

Outstanding Academic Title (with Patricia J. Sotirin). American Library Association and *Choice Magazine*. Awarded to *Aunting: Cultural Practices that Sustain Family and Community Life* as one of the top 10% of over 7,000 academic titles published in 2010.

Best Overall Presentation (with Patricia J. Sotirin) for “Commodifying the aunt: Interrogating a popular marketing image.” Scholar to Scholar Sessions, National Communication Association. San Francisco, CA. November 2010.

Inaugural Distinguished Communication Alumni Lecturer. Department of Communication, University of South Florida. October 2010. Honors graduates of the USF Department of Communication for their contributions to their discipline, institutions, and communities.

Sisterhood is Powerful Award. Women’s & Gender Studies Program, Santa Clara University. June 2010. Awarded to a faculty or staff member who has made significant contributions to the lives of women at SCU.

Outstanding Feminist Teacher/Mentor Award. Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Conferred at the OSCLG conference, Los Angeles. October 2009.

Book of the Year Award. Ethnography Division, National Communication Association. Award given to the best ethnographic book published in 2005, awarded to *Communicating in the clinic: Negotiating frontstage and backstage teamwork*. Conferred at the NCA conference, San Antonio, TX. November 2006.

Book of the Year Award. Organizational Communication Division, National Communication Association. Award given to the best organizational communication book published in 2005, awarded to *Communicating in the clinic: Negotiating frontstage and backstage teamwork*. Conferred at the NCA conference, San Antonio, TX. November 2006.

Outstanding Scholarly Book Award. Applied Communication Division, National Communication Association. Award given to the best applied communication book published in 2005, awarded to *Communicating in the clinic: Negotiating frontstage and backstage teamwork*. Conferred at the NCA conference, San Antonio, TX. November 2006.

Top Three Paper. Health Communication Division, Western States Communication Association. February 2004.

Cheris Krameræ Dissertation Award. Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Conferred October 2002 at the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language and Gender. Minneapolis, MN.

Top Three Paper. Health Communication Division, Western States Communication Association. February 2002.

Top Four Paper. Ethnography Division, National Communication Association. November 2001.

Top Student Paper. Ethnography Division, National Communication Association. November 2001.

Competitively Selected Participant. NCA Doctoral Honors Seminar, Northwestern University. August, 2000.

Arthur P. Bochner Award for Outstanding Achievement in Doctoral Studies. Department of Communication, University of South Florida. April 2000.

Provost's Commendation for Outstanding Teaching by a Graduate Student. University of South Florida. April 2000.

Certificate of Achievement. Center for Teaching Enhancement, University of South Florida. March 2000. Awarded for completion of over 20 hours of teaching enhancement workshops.

University Graduate Fellowship. Graduate School, University of South Florida. Fall 1998-Spring 1999. Stipend, teaching release, and tuition waiver.

Graduate Teaching Assistantship, Tuition Waiver, and Stipend. Graduate School, University of South Florida. Fall 1997-Spring 1998; Fall 1999-Spring 2001.

Outstanding Master's Thesis Award. Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. October 1998.

Distinguished Thesis Award. Graduate Council Fellowship Committee, Northern Illinois University. Awarded 2nd place in all-university thesis competition. February 1998.

Paul Crawford Outstanding Graduate Student Award. Department of Communication, Northern Illinois University. May 1997.

Elizabeth Jones Scholarship. English Department, University of New Hampshire. Spring 1992; Fall 1992.

Corse Family Fellowship. English Department, University of Vermont for graduate study at another university. 1991, 1992.

Albee Award for Nonfiction Writing. English Department, University of Vermont. May 1991.

Robert Ashton Lawrence Prize for Excellence in Intercollegiate Debate. Lawrence Debate Union, University of Vermont. May 1991.

### **Scholarly Books**

Sotirin, P. J., & Ellingson, L. L. (2013). *Where the aunts are: Family, feminism, and kinship in popular culture*. Waco, TX: Baylor University Press.

Ellingson, L. L., & Sotirin, P. (2010). *Aunting: Cultural practices that sustain family and community life*. Waco, TX: Baylor University Press.

Ellingson, L. L. (2009). *Engaging crystallization in qualitative research: An introduction*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Ellingson, L. L. (2005). *Communicating in the clinic: Negotiating frontstage and backstage teamwork*. Cresskill, NJ: Hampton Press.

### **Articles in Peer-Reviewed Journals**

Ellingson, L. L., & Quinlan, M.M. (2012). Beyond the research/service dichotomy: Claiming *all* research products for hiring, evaluation, tenure, and promotion. *Qualitative Communication Research*, 1, 385-399. [invited]

Trujillo, N., Krizek, R., Sotirin, P., Ellingson, L.L., Mills, M., Drew, S., & Poulos, C. [authorship listed as "The Ethnogs, The FemNogs, & Rip Tupp"] (2011). Constructing mythic identity and culture: A performance and critique of The Ethnogs. *Qualitative Inquiry*, 17, 664-674.

Ellingson, L.L. (2011). The poetics of professionalism among dialysis technicians. *Health Communication*, 26, 1-12. \*Lead article in issue.

Ellingson, L.L. & Sotirin, P. (2008). Academic aunting: Reimagining feminist (wo)mentoring, teaching, and relationships. *Women & Language*, 30, 35-42.

Ellingson, L. L. (2007). The performance of dialysis care: Routinization and adaptation on the floor. *Health Communication*, 22, 103-114.

Sotirin, P., & Ellingson, L. L. (2007). Rearticulating the aunt: Feminist alternatives of family, care, kinship, and agency in popular performances of aunting. *Cultural Studies & Critical Methodologies*, 7, 442-459.

Ellingson, L. L., & Sotirin, P. (2006). Exploring young adults' perspectives on communication with aunts. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 23, 499-517.

Ellingson, L. L. (2006). Embodied knowledge: Writing researchers' bodies into qualitative health research. *Qualitative Health Research*, 16, 298-310.

Ellingson, L. L. (2003). Interdisciplinary health care teamwork in the clinic backstage. *Journal of Applied Communication Research*, 31, 93-117.

\*Lead article in issue.

\*Anthologized in: L. C. Lederman (Ed.) (2008). *Beyond these walls: Readings in health communication* (pp. 183-203). New York: Oxford University Press.

Ellingson, L. L. (2002). The roles of companions in the geriatric oncology patient-interdisciplinary health care provider interaction. *Journal of Aging Studies*, 16, 361-382.

Ellingson, L. L. (2002). Communication, collaboration, and teamwork among health care professionals. *Communication Research Trends*, 21(3), 3-21. [invited]

Ellingson, L. L. (2000). Style, substance, and standpoint: A feminist critique of Bernie Siegel's rhetoric of self-healing. *Women's Studies in Communication*, 23, 63-90.

Ellingson, L. L., & Buzzanell, P. M. (1999). Listening to women's narratives of breast cancer treatment: A feminist approach to patient satisfaction with physician-patient communication. *Health Communication*, 11, 153-183.

\*Anthologized in: L. C. Lederman (Ed.) (2008). *Beyond these walls: Readings in health communication* (pp. 120-139). New York: Oxford University Press.

Ellingson, L. L. (1998). "Then you know how I feel": Empathy, identification, and reflexivity in fieldwork. *Qualitative Inquiry*, 4, 492-514.

\*Anthologized in P. Sikes (Ed.) (2001). *Autoethnography, vol. IV*. London: Sage.

\*Significant excerpts reprinted in Ellis, C. (2004). *Ethnographic I: A methodological novel about autoethnography*. Walnut Creek, CA: AltaMira.

\*Anthologized in A. Bryman (Ed.) (2001). *Ethnography, vol. IV* (pp. 52-74). London: Sage.

Buzzanell, P. M., Ellingson, L. L., Silvio, C., Pasch, V., Dale, B., Mauro, G., Smith, E., Weir, N., & Martin, C. (1997). Leadership in alternative organizing processes: Invitational and dramaturgical leadership. *Communication Studies*, 48, 285-310.

### Chapters in Handbooks and Edited Collections

Sotirin, P., & Ellingson, L. L. (in press). The "other" woman in family life: Aunt/niece/nephew communication. In K. Floyd & M. Morman (Eds.), *Widening the family circle: New research on family communication* (2<sup>nd</sup> ed.). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Ellingson, L. L., & Rawlins, W.K. (in press). Ethnographic research. In B.B. Whaley (Ed.), *Research methods in health communication: Principles and application*. New York: Routledge.

Sotirin, P.J., & Ellingson, L. L. (2013). Aunts and emotion work. In J. D. Manning & A. D. Kunkel (Eds.), *Researching interpersonal relationships: Qualitative methods, studies, and analysis*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

- Ellingson, L. L. (2013). Are you serious? Playing, performing, and producing an academic self. In M. Giardina, & N. Denzin (Eds.), *Qualitative inquiry as global endeavor*. Walnut Creek, CA: Left Coast.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2012). Interviewing as embodied communication. In J. Gubrium, J. Holstein, A. Marvasti, & K. M. Marvasti (Eds.), *Handbook of interview research* (2<sup>nd</sup> ed.; pp. 525-539). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2011). Analysis and representation across the continuum. In N. K. Denzin & Y. Lincoln, *Sage handbook of qualitative research* (4<sup>th</sup> ed., pp. 595-610). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.
- Harter, L. M., Ellingson, L. L., Dutta, M., & Norander, S. (2009). The poetic is political....and other notes on engaged scholarship. In L. M. Harter, M. Dutta, & C. Cole (Eds.), *Communicating for social impact* (pp. 33-46). Cresskill, NJ: Hampton Press.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2009). Ethnography in applied communication research. In L. R. Frey & K. Cissna (Eds.), *The handbook of applied communication research* (pp. 129-152). New York: Routledge. \*Winner of the 2010 Outstanding Book Award conferred by the NCA Applied Communication Division.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2009). Patients' inclusion of spirituality within the comprehensive geriatric assessment process. M. Wills (Ed.), *Spirituality and health communication* (pp. 67-85). Cresskill, NJ: Hampton Press.
- Ellingson, L. L., & Ellis, C. (2008). Autoethnography as constructionist project. In J. A. Holstein, & J. F. Gubrium (Eds.), *Handbook of constructionist research* (pp. 445-465). New York: Guilford.
- Ellingson, L.L. (2008). Changing realities and entrenched norms in dialysis: A case study of power, knowledge, and communication in health care delivery. In M. Dutta & H. Zoller (Eds.), *Emerging perspectives in health communication: Meaning, culture, and power* (pp. 293-312). New York: Routledge.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2008). Communication within the comprehensive geriatric assessment. In K. Wright & S. Moore (Eds.), *Applied health communication* (pp. 229-254). Cresskill, NJ: Hampton Press.
- Sotirin, P., & Ellingson, L. L. (2006). The "other" woman in family life: Aunt/niece/nephew communication. In K. Floyd & M. Morman (Eds.), *Widening the family circle: New research on family communication* (pp. 81-99). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.
- Buzzanell, P. M., & Ellingson, L. L. (2005). Contesting narratives of maternity in the workplace. In L. M. Harter, P. Japp, & C. Beck (Eds.), *Narratives, health, and healing: Communication theory, research, and practice* (pp. 277-294). Mahwah, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum. \*Winner of the 2009 NCA Health Communication Division Book of the Year Award.

Ellingson, L. L. (2004). Women cancer survivors: Making meaning of chronic illness and alternative medical practices. In P. M. Buzzanell, H. Sterk, & L. Turner (Eds.), *Gender in Applied Communication Contexts* (pp. 79-98). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Ellis, C., & Ellingson, L. L. (2000). Qualitative methods. In E. F. Borgatta & R. J. V. Montgomery, (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Sociology* (2<sup>nd</sup> ed., Vol. 4, pp. 2287-2296). New York: Macmillan Library Reference.

### **Other Professional Publications**

Ellingson, L. L., & Borofka, K. G. E. (in press). Grounded theory. T. L. Thompson & J. G. Golson (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of health communication*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Ellingson, L. L., & Quinlan, M. M. (in press). Disability. T. L. Thompson & J.G. Golson (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of health communication*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Ellingson, L. L. (2011, Summer). Enhancing interdisciplinary teamwork in dialysis care. *RenaLink: Council of Nephrology Nurses and Technicians' (CNNT) Newsletter*, 12(2), 4-6. (special issue theme: "Better Teams, Better Outcomes")

Ellingson, L. L. (2010). A feminist forecast for health communication research in 2020. *Women & Language*, 33, 95-98.

Ellingson, L. L. (2009). Salvaging, surrendering, and saying goodbye to my leg. *Health Communication*, 24, 773-774.

Ellingson, L. L. (2009). "Do we need to make it look good?": Form, function, and femininity for women with disabilities. In E. Kirby & C. McBride (Eds.), *Gender actualized: Cases in communicatively constructing realities* (pp. 69-70). Dubuque, IA: Kendall/Hunt.

Ellis, C., Adams, T., Ellingson, L., Bochner, A., Denzin, N., Durham, A., Madison, D. S., Alexander, R., Pelias, R., Defenbaugh, N., & Richardson, L. (2009). Mentoring relationships: Creating a future for qualitative inquiry. In N. Denzin & M. Giardina (Eds.), *Qualitative Inquiry and Social Justice* (pp. 279-302). Walnut Creek: Left Coast Press.

Ellingson, L. L. (2009, April). Limping (enthusiastically) toward Chicago. *Spectra*, 45(4), pp. 3, 10. Washington, DC: National Communication Association.

Ellingson, L. L. (2009). Embodied knowledge. In L. M. Given (Ed.), *The SAGE Encyclopedia of Qualitative Research Methods* (pp. 244-245). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Ellingson, L. L. (2005). Taking notes: Lessons on ethnography and life from Carolyn Ellis. In N. K. Denzin (Ed.), *Studies in symbolic interaction: Volume 28* (pp. 43-45). Amsterdam: Elsevier.

### **Book Reviews**



- Ellingson, L. L. (2007). Review of *Qualitative research methods for the social sciences* [Boston: Allyn & Bacon]. *Communication Research Trends*, 26(1), 24-25.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2003). Review of *Karaoke nights: An ethnographic rhapsody* [Walnut Creek, CA: AltaMira]. *Communication Research Trends*, 22(4), 30-31.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2003). Review of *Different but equal: Communication between the sexes* [Westport, CT: Praeger]. *Communication Research Trends*, 22(4), 38-40.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2003). Review of *Handbook of health communication* [Mahwah, NJ: Erlbaum]. *Communication Research Trends*, 22(4), 40-42.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2003). Review of *Between gay and straight: Understanding friendship across sexual orientation* [Walnut Creek, CA: AltaMira]. *Communication Research Trends*, 22(2), 41.
- Ellingson, L. L. (1999). Review of *Brave dames and wimpettes: What women are really doing on page and screen* [New York: Ballantine]. *Women & Language*, 22(2), 37-38.

### **Work in Progress**

- Ellingson, L.L., Borofka, K., Masoud, S., & Miller, J. Representations of long-term cancer survivors in news media: A narrative analysis. Manuscript under review at *Communication Studies*.
- Ellingson, L. L. Counting bodies: The embodied practice of dialysis care by professionals and paraprofessionals. In B. Green & N. Hopwood (Eds.), *Body/practice: The body in professional practice, learning and education*.

### **Grants Awarded**

- Dean's Grant, College of Arts & Sciences, SCU. Awarded \$1500 for travel expenses to attend the 8th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. April 2013.
- Faculty Summer Scholarship Stipend, Provost's Office, SCU. Awarded \$6000 research stipend for Summer 2012. June 2012.
- University Research Grant, Provost's Office, SCU. Awarded \$3200 for expenses related to the production of a online photo exhibit and a traveling art installation using the participant-generated photographs from my research project, "Voices of Survivorship: Using Photovoice to Explore the Experiences of Long-Term Survivors of Cancer." May 2012.
- FSRAP Grant, Provost's Office, SCU. Awarded \$1000 for a student research assistant and mentee to participate in the production of a online photo exhibit and a traveling art installation using the participant-generated photographs from my research project, "Voices of Survivorship: Using Photovoice to Explore the Experiences of Long-Term Survivors of Cancer." May 2012.

Dean's Grant, College of Arts & Sciences, SCU. Awarded \$1500 for travel expenses to attend the 8th International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. April 2012.

Publication Grant, Provost's Office, SCU. Awarded \$1000 to cover indexing expenses and copyright fees for *Where the Aunts Are: Family, Feminism, and Kinship in Popular Culture* (forthcoming, Baylor University Press, August 2012). February 2012.

Hackworth Grant, Markkula Center for Applied Ethics, SCU. Awarded \$4450 for expenses related to my research project, "Voices of Survivorship: Using Photovoice to Explore the Experiences of Long-Term Survivors of Cancer." June 2011.

Dean's Grant, College of Arts & Sciences, SCU. Awarded \$1500 for travel expenses to attend the Seventh International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. March 2011.

Publication Grant, Provost's Office, SCU. Awarded \$640 to cover indexing expenses for *Aunting: Cultural practices that sustain family and community life* (Baylor University Press, August 2010). April 2010.

Dean's Grant, College of Arts & Sciences, SCU. Awarded one course release per year for three years and funding for a student assistant (6 hours/week) to support my *Health Communication* editorship. August 2010.

Writing for Publication/Performance Grant. Office of Faculty Development, SCU. Awarded one course release during the 09/10 academic year to complete a theoretical manuscript, "An Integrative Model of Clinical Communication: Bridging the Frontstage and Backstage of Health Care," for submission to a Communication journal. March 2009.

Faculty-Student Research Assistant Program Grant, Office of Faculty Development, SCU. Awarded \$500 for student research assistant funding to complete manuscript preparation and indexing for *Engaging Crystallization in Qualitative Research*. February 2008.

DISCOVER Grant, Ignatian Center for Jesuit Education, SCU. Awarded one course release to develop and co-teach a Vocation and Gender course with Dr. Linda Kamas. The course was cross-listed in the departments of Communication and Economics. December 2008.

Hackworth Grant, Markkula Center for Applied Ethics, SCU. Awarded \$2700 as a summer stipend and funding for a student research assistant to complete a chapter on ethics, epistemology, and representation in qualitative research. The chapter now is part of my book, *Engaging Crystallization in Qualitative Research*. June 2007.

Research Scholar Grant, Center for Science, Technology, and Society, SCU. Awarded funding for one course release (\$4400) to work on "Disciplinary Power, Technology, and Knowledge Production in Dialysis Care" project during Winter Quarter 2007. December 2005. During this funded period wrote "Time and again: Social construction of time in dialysis care," currently under revision following peer review and completed first draft of "Power, knowledge, and communication in a dialysis unit," an invited chapter in M. Dutta and H. Zoller (Eds.), *Interpretive Health Communication Research*.

Paul Locatelli, S.J. Junior Faculty Grant, Office of the Associate Vice-Provost for Faculty Development. Awarded \$2,250 to cover research expenses during Junior Faculty Development Leave, Fall Quarter '04. June 2004.

Publication Grant, Provost's Office, SCU. Awarded \$600 to cover indexing expenses for *Communicating in the Clinic*. June 2004.

Dean's Travel Grant, Dean of the College of Arts & Sciences, Santa Clara University. Awarded \$300 to support travel to present a paper at the Western States Communication Association conference, Albuquerque, NM. February 2004.

Travel Grant, Program for the Study of Women and Gender, Santa Clara University. Awarded \$200 for travel expenses to present a paper at the 2003 OSCLG conference, Cincinnati, OH. October 2003.

Thomas Terry Research Grant, Provost's Office, Santa Clara University. Competitively awarded grant of \$1500 to compensate interviewees in my ethnographic research study, "Exploring Interdisciplinary Communication in a Dialysis Clinic." December 2003.

Faculty-Student Research Assistant Program, Santa Clara University, Office of Faculty Development. Competitively selected in partnership with Dr. Sunwolf and Dr. Lara Honos-Webb to receive a grant under a pilot program for mentoring students as research assistants. The grant funds a research assistant for our faculty team for up to 10 hours per week for the 2003-2004 academic year. July 2003.

Thomas Terry Research Grant, Provost's Office, Santa Clara University. Competitively awarded grant of \$3,300 to fund a multi-method study of communication between aunts and their nieces and nephews: "Theorizing Aunts: A Poststructuralist-Feminist Analysis of Kinship, Culture, and Popular Narratives of Aunting." April 2002.

Travel Grant, Program for the Study of Women and Gender, Santa Clara University. Awarded \$200 for travel expenses to present a paper at the 2001 OSCLG conference, San Diego, CA. October 2001.

### **Competitively Selected Papers Presented at Professional Meetings**

Sotirin, P. S., & Ellingson, L. L. (2012, November). The popularity of eccentric aunts: Femininity, family, sexuality, and sanity. Paper presented in the Feminist & Women's Studies Division, National Communication Association. Orlando, FL.

Ellingson, L. L. (2010, November). An integrative model of clinical communication: Bridging the frontstage and backstage of health care. Paper presented in the Health Communication Division, National Communication Association. San Francisco, CA.

Harter, L. M., & Ellingson, L. L. (2008, July). Engaging the imagination to enlarge rationalities for organizing. Paper presented at the Alta Organizational Communication Conference. Snowbird, UT.

- Ellingson, L.L. (2007, May). Changing realities and entrenched norms in dialysis: A case study of power, knowledge, and communication in health care delivery. Paper presented in the Health Communication Division, International Communication Association. San Francisco, CA.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2005, November). The performance of dialysis care: Routinization and adaptation on the floor. Paper presented in the Health Communication Division, National Communication Association. Boston, MA.
- Sotirin, P., & Ellingson, L. L. (2004, November). Rearticulating the aunt in popular culture. Paper presented in the Feminist & Women's Studies Division, National Communication Association, Chicago.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2004, February). Powerful communication: A case study of disciplinary hierarchy on an interdisciplinary geriatric oncology team. Paper presented in the Health Communication Interest Group, Western States Communication Association. Albuquerque, NM. \*\*Top Three Paper
- Ellingson, L. L., & Sotirin, P. J. (2003, November). Themes and tensions in aunt-niece/nephew communication. Paper presented in the Family Communication Division, National Communication Association. Miami, FL.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2003, November). Doing legwork: Marked body as ontology and methodology. Paper presented in the Ethnography Division, National Communication Association. Miami, FL.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2003, February). From medical doctors to holistic healers: Narratives of transformation. Paper presented at the Western States Communication Association. Salt Lake City, UT.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2002, March). Interdisciplinary health care teamwork in the clinic backstage: A grounded theory analysis of communication processes. Paper presented at the Western States Communication Association. Long Beach, CA. \*\* Top Three Paper.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2001, November). Embodied knowledge: Writing researchers' bodies into ethnographic health communication research. Paper presented at the National Communication Association. Atlanta, GA. \*\*Top Four Paper & Top Student Paper, Ethnography Division.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2001, November). The authority to speak: Feminism, experience, and dis/ability. Paper presented at the National Communication Association. Atlanta, GA.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2001, October). Mixing methods and genres in health communication: A case study of Laurel Richardson's poststructuralist feminist crystallization methodology. Paper presented at the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. San Diego, CA.

- Ellingson, L. L. (2000, November). The role of companions in the geriatric oncology patient-multidisciplinary health care provider interaction. Paper presented at the National Communication Association. Seattle, WA.
- Ellingson, L. L., & Frame, M. (2000, November). Linguaging disability in and through relationships. Paper presented at the National Communication Association. Seattle, WA.
- Ellingson, L. L., & Frame, M. (2000, January). Language, self, and relationships: The social construction of disabled identity. Paper presented at the Couch-Stone Symposium of the Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. St. Petersburg, FL.
- Strauman, E. C., & Ellingson, L. L. (1999, November). "We ought to know better": Meta-shame and the performance of weight consciousness in women's friendships. Paper presented at the National Communication Association. Chicago, IL.
- Ellingson, L. L. (1999, October). Passing: A story of non-motherhood. Paper presented at the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Wichita, KS.
- Ellingson, L. L. (1999, February). Damaged women: Use of alternative therapies by cancer survivors. Paper presented at the Couch-Stone Symposium of the Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. Las Vegas, NV.
- Ellingson, L. L., & Buzzanell, P. M. (1998, November). Listening to women's narratives of breast cancer treatment: A feminist approach to patient satisfaction with physician-patient communication. Paper presented at the National Communication Association. New York, NY.
- Ellingson, L. L. (1998, October). Modernism and survivorship in the *Ladies Home Journal* (1979-1997). Paper presented at the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Portland, ME.
- Ellingson, L. L. (1998, February). "Then you know how I feel": Empathy, identification, and reflexivity in fieldwork. Paper presented at the Couch-Stone Symposium of the Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. Houston, TX.
- Ellingson, L. L., Mauro, G., Pasch, V., & Weir, N. (1996, October). Leadership as invitation: A case study of leadership in a cooperative organization. Paper presented at the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Monterey, CA.
- Ellingson, L. L. (1996, October). Milk. Not such a surprise: The commodification of women's health by the milk industry. Paper presented at the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Monterey, CA.

### **Competitively Selected Workshops Presented at Professional Meetings**

- Ellingson, L. L. & Drew, S. (2011, February). Teaching the qualitative methods course. Competitively selected to co-lead a 3-hour workshop on teaching qualitative methods. Western States Communication Association conference. Monterey, CA.

Ellingson, L. L., Sharf, B.F., Quinlan, M.M., Yamasaki, J., Wright, K.O., & Thompson, M. (2010, November). Multiple stories for multiple audiences: Bridging stakeholder communities with crystallization. Competitively selected to lead a 3-session workshop on using crystallization to disseminate research findings to multiple stakeholder audiences while enhancing postmodern validity of research projects.

Ellingson, L. L. (2008, November). Short course: Researching and teaching across the qualitative methods continuum. Competitively selected to lead a 3-hour workshop on qualitative methodology and multigenre representation. National Communication Association conference. San Diego, CA.

### **Papers Presented on Panels at Professional Meetings**

Ellingson, L.L., & Borofka, K.G.E. (2013, May). Picture play: Using photovoice to document experiences of long-term cancer survivors. Paper presented at the 9<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. Urbana, IL.

Ellingson, L.L. (2012, November). “That’s what I know in my bones”: The ethnographic embodiment of a missing limb. Paper presented in the Ethnography Division, National Communication Association. Orlando, FL.

Ellingson, L. L. (2012, May). Are you serious? Playing, performing, and producing an academic self. Paper presented at the 8<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. Urbana, IL.

Ellingson, L. L. (2011, November). Using crystallization in health communication research. Interpretive Health Communication Pre-Conference Session. Paper presented at the National Communication conference. New Orleans, LA.

Ellingson, L. L. (2011, November). Forging ethnographic pathways through crystallization. Paper presented at the National Communication conference. New Orleans, LA.

Ellingson, L. L. (2011, May). Using feminist guerilla scholarship techniques to widen the editorial boundaries of mainstream journals. Paper presented at the Seventh International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. Urbana, IL.

Ellingson, L. L. (2010, May). Mixing multiple methods of analysis with multiple genres of representation. Paper presented at the Sixth International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. Urbana, IL.

Ellingson, L. L. (2010, May). Chasing the pleasure: A feminist reflects on the thrill of The Ethnogs. Paper presented at the Sixth International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. Urbana, IL.

Ellingson, L. L. (2009, November). Moving from art *or* science to art *and* science: Crystallization in ethnographic inquiry. Paper presented at the National Communication Association conference. Chicago.

- Ellingson, L. L. (2009, November). Becoming disabled: Narratives of managing and accepting disabilities created by an illness. Paper presented at the National Communication Association conference. Chicago.
- Ellingson, L.L., Defenbaugh, N., & Turner, P.K. (2009, May). More and/or less the truth: Articulating crystallization as an innovative framework for qualitative research. Paper presented at the Fifth International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. Urbana, IL.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2008, May). Conducting qualitative crystallization: Ethics, validity, and multi-genre representation. Paper presented at the Fourth International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. Champaign, IL.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2008, November). He's a difficult stick: Labeling, difference, and ethnographic representations of a dialysis unit. Paper presented at the National Communication Association conference. San Diego, CA.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2008, November). Other(ing) women's bodies: American health care, hierarchy, and the helping professions. Paper presented at the National Communication Association conference. San Diego, CA.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2008, November). Terriers, virgin sacrifice, and chocolate: Patrice Buzzanell as embodied feminist mentor. Paper presented at the National Communication Association conference. San Diego, CA.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2007, November). The scarlet ethnographer: Facing embarrassment in fieldwork. Paper presented at the National Communication Association conference. Chicago.
- Ellingson, L. L., Townsley, N., & Geist-Martin, P. (2007, May). The body tells time: Writing the fragile hold on the past, present, and future. Paper presented at the Third International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. Urbana, IL.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2006, November). The performance of professional identity among dialysis technicians: Narratives, technology, and disciplinary discourses. Paper presented at the National Communication Association conference. San Antonio, TX.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2006, November). Spy, friend, nuisance, or advocate: How "they" think of "us" in organizational ethnography. Paper presented at the National Communication Association conference. San Antonio, TX.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2006, February). Patients' inclusion of spirituality within the comprehensive geriatric assessment process. Western States Communication Association conference. Palm Springs, CA.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2006, February). Ethnography in applied communication research. Western States Communication Association conference. Palm Springs, CA.

- Ellingson, L. L. (2005, November). Ritual, repetition, and difference: Perceptions of time in a dialysis unit. Paper presented in the Disability Issues Caucus of the National Communication Association at the 2005 annual conference. Boston, MA.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2005, October). Teaching gender as a series of intersections. Paper presented at the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender conference. Reno, NV.
- Buzzanell, P. M., & Ellingson, L. L. (2004, November). Contesting narratives of maternity in the workplace. Paper presented in the Feminist and Women's Studies Division of the National Communication Association at the 2004 annual conference. Chicago.
- Sotirin, P., & Ellingson, L. L. (2004, November). Aunts and aunting relationships: Under-studied family relationships. Paper presented in the Family Communication Division of the National Communication Association at the 2004 annual conference. Chicago.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2004, February). "I'd never have my baby that way!" Teaching students about the cultural construction of pregnancy and birthing practices from a social justice perspective. Paper presented in the Health Communication Division of the Western States Communication Association at the 2004 annual conference. Albuquerque, NM.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2004, October). Navigating the borderlands of health: Applying Anzaldua's life work to illness and disability. Paper presented at the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. South Bend, IN.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2003, November). Taking notes: Lessons on ethnography and life from Carolyn Ellis. Paper presented in the Ethnography Division of the National Communication Association at the 2003 annual conference. Miami, FL
- Ellingson, L. L. (2003, November). Remembering me, remembering them: Recollections of illness in health care ethnography. Paper presented in the Ethnography Division of the National Communication Association at the 2003 annual conference. Miami, FL
- Ellingson, L. L. (2003, November). Patient talk as identity talk: The social construction of disciplinary and team identities on an interdisciplinary geriatric oncology team. Paper presented in the Commission on Communication and Aging of the National Communication Association at the 2003 annual conference. Miami, FL.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2002, November). Informed consent with elderly patients. Paper presented at the National Communication Association. New Orleans, LA.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2000, November). My stories after their stories: Health care ethnography and the researcher's illness narratives. Paper presented at the National Communication Association. Seattle, WA.
- Ellingson, L. L. (2000, October). Woman cancer survivors making meaning. Paper presented at the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. October, 2000.



Ellingson, L. L. (1999, November). Speaking out loud: Female cancer survivors, impairment, and alternative medicine. Paper presented at the National Communication Association. Chicago, IL.

Ellingson, L. L. (1999, November). Voices in my head: Living with the stigmas of impairment and disfigurement. Paper presented at the National Communication Association. Chicago, IL.

Ellingson, L. L., & Pasch, V. (1997, October). Co-creation of meaning between feminist researchers and research participants. Paper presented at the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Chicago, IL.

Ellingson, L. L. (1996, November). Worthy opponents, worthy friends: Intersquad friendships among collegiate debaters. Paper presented at the Speech Communication Association, San Diego, CA.

Buzzanell, P. M., & Ellingson, L. L. (1996, May). Leadership in alternative organizing processes. Paper presented at the International Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

### **Conference Round Tables/Discussion Panels**

Participant, Plenary Panel: "It's a way of life": Honoring the lives, scholarship, and wit of Bud Goodall and Nick Trujillo. 9<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. Urbana, IL. May 2013.

Participant, Round Table Discussion: Engaged Scholarship. National Communication Association. Orlando, FL. November 2012.

Participant, Round Table Discussion: Embodiment: Narrating the Moments-of-us as bodies of knowledge. Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Tacoma, WA. October 2012.

Chair, Performance Panel: A feminist, a provost, and a parakeet walk into a bar...: Laughing with, at, and by ourselves as feminist academics. Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Tacoma, WA. October 2012.

Participant, Round Table Discussion: Feminist irony in performance. Eighth International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. Urbana, IL. May 2012.

Participant, Round Table Discussion: Feminist friendships as collaborative research praxis. Seventh International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. Urbana, IL. May 2011.

Participant, Round Table Discussion: Understudied family discourses in our communities: Looking back and ahead. Western States Communication Association. Monterey, CA. February 2011.

Participant, Womentoring Session: Teaching Dilemmas and Publishing. Feminist & Women's Studies Division, National Communication Association. Chicago. November 2009.

Participant, Feminist Round Table Discussion. Doing Diversity as Social Justice at Jesuit Institutions. Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Los Angeles, CA. October 2009.

Participant, Round Table Discussion: Trans-gressing differences, Embodying research: A feminist roundtable discussion on theorizing unconventional embodiments in the field. Individual presentation: Embodying technology: Feminist theorizing on the culture of dialysis. National Communication Association conference. San Diego, CA. November 2008.

Participant, Round Table Discussion: Mentoring relationships: Creating a future for qualitative inquiry. Participated, with mentor Dr. Carolyn Ellis, in a panel discussing the evolution of mentoring relationships between doctoral advisors and their former students. Fourth International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. Urbana, IL. May 2008.

Participant, Round Table Discussion: AEJMC, ICA, ORWAC, OSCLG, & NCA: Forging a Historic Alliance and Agenda for Women in Communication. Representing OSCLG. Panel presented in Feminist & Women's Studies Division, National Communication Association. Chicago. November 2007.

Participant, Round Table Discussion: AEJMC, ICA, ORWAC, OSCLG, & NCA: Forging a Historic Alliance and Agenda for Women in Communication. Representing OSCLG. Panel presented in Feminist & Women's Studies Division, National Communication Association. San Antonio, TX. November 2006.

Co-chair, Feminist Round Table: "Ants," aunts, and aunties: Narratives of aunts and auntings in feminists' lives. Opening remarks presented and facilitation of the session provided, Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. South Bend, IN. October 2004.

Participant, Feminist Round Table: Dissertating as a feminist. Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Cincinnati, OH. October 2003.

Participant, Feminist Round Table: Third wave feminism. Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Minneapolis, MN. October 2002.

Participant, Feminist Round Table: The life phases of an academic woman. Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Portland, ME. October 1998.

### **Invited Lectures and Workshops**

Engaging ethnography. Led a week-long workshop for professors and instructors on Ethnography for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century and gave a keynote address, "That's what I know in my bones: Ethnography, embodiment, & epistemology." NCA Summer Faculty Development Conference, Hope College, Holland, MI. July 2012.

- Beyond bedside manner: Communication perspectives on the 'First, do no harm' imperative. Invited to present the endowed DeNardo Dialogue, part of the Health & Science Horizons Series, sponsored by the Markkula Center for Applied Ethics and the Dean of the College of Arts & Sciences. May 2012
- Sex, gender, and imagination: Transgendered people and the possibility of gender freedom for all. Department of Communication, Ohlone College, Fremont, CA. April 2012.
- Aunting: Cultural practices that sustain family and community life. Department of Communication, Ohlone College, Fremont, CA. April 2011.
- Aunting: Cultural practices that sustain family and community life. Inaugural Distinguished Alumni Address, Department of Communication, University of South Florida. October 2010.
- Sports cars and shower chairs: Living in a differently abled body. Presented via Tele-conference in Communication & Culture course, Marie Thompson, Instructor. Ohio University. November 2, 2009.
- Enhancing interdisciplinary teamwork. Lehigh Valley Hospital, Allentown, PA. December 2008.
- Engaging crystallization in qualitative research. Lehigh Valley Hospital, Allentown, PA. December 2008.
- Other(ing) women's bodies: Health care, hierarchy, and the helping professions. Eastern Illinois University, Women's Studies Program, Charleston, IL. March 2008.
- Effective communication with health care providers. Clear Lake Kiwanis Club, Clear Lake, IL. May 2, 2007.
- Communication and emotion in health care. Presented in graduate communication and emotions course, Dr. Scott Titsworth, Ohio University. February 2007.
- What research shows about women returning to work after taking time out from their careers. AMITA (M.I.T. Alumnae) event, "Returning to Work." January 17, 2007.
- Communicating in the clinic. Ethics Board, O'Connor Hospital, San Jose, CA. February 2006.
- Collaborating in the clinic: How professional teamwork is embedded in everyday communication. H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center, Tampa, FL. January 2005.
- Communicating across disciplines: A feminist ethnography of collaboration on a geriatric oncology team. Awards Panel [Dissertation Award Winner]. Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Minneapolis, MN. October 2002.

Gender and feminism in the media. Presented in “Communication, Gender, and Identity” course, Rebecca Strongbow, Instructor. University of South Florida. November 2000.

Provider-patient communication. Presented to the staff of the Senior Adult Oncology Program at the H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center. Tampa, FL. January 1999.

“The happiest girl in town”: Rosie O’Donnell, weight, and comedy. Presented in “Persuasion” course, Professor Marsha Vanderford. University of South Florida. October 1998.

### **Membership in Professional Organizations**

National Communication Association

Division Memberships: Ethnography, Health Communication, Applied Communication, Feminist and Women’s Studies, Organizational Communication, Disability Issues Caucus, Women’s Caucus

Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender

International Association of Qualitative Inquiry

Western States Communication Association

National Women’s Studies Association

### **Elected Offices Held in Professional Organizations**

Elected Member, National Communication Association Nominating Committee. November 2010-present.

President, Organization for the Study of Communication, Language and Gender. October 2006-October 2008. Organized and ran annual board meetings, coordinated with conference planners, and conducted searches for new staff members in positions including Communications Editor, Executive Secretary, and Editor of the association’s journal, *Women & Language*.

Vice-President, Organization for the Study of Communication, Language and Gender. October 2004-October 2006. Organized special conference panels, participated in board meetings.

Elected Officer. Ethnography Division, National Communication Association. Elected for four-year term to serve the division in successive years as second vice-chair, first vice-chair, chair, and past chair/legislative representative. November 2001-November 2005.

Immediate Past Chair. December 2004-November 2005. Solicited nominations and coordinating the award committees for the division.

Chair. November 2003–December 2004. Corresponded with national office regarding division administration, assisted the 1<sup>st</sup> vice-chair in programming the 2004 division panels, worked with the immediate past chair on legislative council representation issues, planned and ran the annual division business meeting.

1<sup>st</sup> Vice-Chair, November 2002-November 2003. Solicited, reviewed, evaluated, and programmed 60 competitive papers and 15 panel submissions; solicited and managed 18 paper readers; learned and used newly implemented online conference management software as the 2003 division program planner for the annual convention.

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-Chair, November 2001-November 2002: Organized 2002 division pre-conference session on ethnographic writing strategies; developed program sessions; invited guest speakers, assisted with hospitality arrangements and registration.

Representative to the Executive Council. Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Elected for two-year term, October 2002-October 2004.

Student Representative to the Executive Council. Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. Elected for two-year term, October 1999-October 2001.

## **Professional Reviewing**

### Membership on Journal Editorial Boards

*Journal of Medicine and the Person*, Lodovico Balducci, Editor. April 2012-present.

*Qualitative Communication Research*, Kenneth N. Cissna, Editor. June 2011-present.

*Communication Monographs*, Katherine Miller, Editor. March 2010-present.

*Women & Language*, Patty Sotirin, Editor. June 2009-present.

*Health Communication*, Theresa Thompson, Editor. January 2007-present.

*Management Communication Quarterly*, James R. Barker, Editor, January 2009-September 2012.

*Journal of Family Communication*, Kory Floyd, Editor. October 2004-December 2008.

*Communication Studies*, Jim Query, Editor. January 2004-December 2006.

### Special Issue/Edited Collection Editorial Boards

*Contemporary Case Studies in Health Communication: Theoretical & Applied Approaches* (Kendall Hunt, 2011). Maria Brann, Editor.

*Text and Performance Quarterly Special Issue: SomeBodies in School*, April, 2010. Leda Cooks and John Warren, Editors. Reviewed four manuscripts.

Special issue of *Southern Speech Communication Journal*. Kenneth Cissna, Guest Editor. January 2009. Reviewed three manuscripts.

*Communication Yearbook 32*. Christina Beck, Editor. Fall 2007.

Special issue of *Communication Studies*. Dr. Patrice Buzzanell and Dr. Lynn Harter, Guest Editors. July 2005

Special Issue of *Communication Theory*. Dr. Patricia Geist, Guest Editor. March 1999.

#### Ad Hoc Reviews

*Qualitative Inquiry*. Polity Press (book manuscript), *Qualitative Health Research, Social Science & Medicine, Qualitative Inquiry, Qualitative Research in Sport and Exercise*, Baylor University Press (book manuscript, series proposal), *Journal of Contemporary Ethnography*

#### **Santa Clara University Service**

Director, Critical Gender Studies Research Initiative. March 2011-present. With Dr. Linda Garber, developed and proposed an interdisciplinary research initiative focusing on critical approaches to gender that officially launched in October 2011. Secured funding through the Provost's office for a three-year term as director (one course release per year). Conducted three focus groups with interested faculty, assisted in planning events for Academic Year 2011/2012, participated in organizing meetings, March-June 2011. Will direct the initiative through Academic Year 2013/14.

Member, Rainbow Resource Center Steering Committee, May 2012-present.

Faculty Advisor, Vagina Monologues. January 2012-present.

Director, Women's & Gender Studies Program. Assumed leadership of the interdisciplinary WGST program September 1, 2011. During Academic Year 2010/2011 accompanied current director, Linda Garber, to meetings and planning sessions, met to discuss leadership transition.

Member, Women's & Gender Studies Program Council. September 2006-present. Work with the director and council to organize events, approve administrative decisions, select award winners, develop strategic initiatives for WGST.

Chair, Diversity Core Curriculum Committee. January 2009-present. Committee member. September-December 2007.

Member, Faculty Work/Life Advisory Group, Provost's Office. November 2008-June 2011. Organized events, acted as liaison between advisory group and researchers conducting faculty work-life audit at SCU, drafted policy proposals for Faculty Senate Council consideration, participated in numerous meetings regarding the allocation of Sloan Award funds.

Member, Faculty Evaluation Committee, Communication Department, October 2010-May 2011.  
Evaluated four faculty members.

Inclusive Excellence Post-Doctoral Fellow Mentor. August 2010-present. Mentored Regina Davis-Sowers through multiple drafts of a research article, guided her through manuscript preparation and submission, and assisted with final revisions of article in press at *Journal of Black Studies*. Currently supporting her through development of a second manuscript for submission.

Member, University Writing Center Advisory Board. January 2009-present.

Member, Bioethics Reading Group, Markkula Center for Applied Ethics, September 2008-present.

Mentor, Women of Color Network, Office of Multicultural Learning. May 2010-present.

Faculty Participant, SCU Vagina Monologues “Talk Back” Panel, April 2010, May 2011.  
Discussed women’s studies perspectives on the performance and its political implications for supporting the elimination of sexual violence against women and girls.

Member, Faculty Evaluation Committee, Women’s & Gender Studies Program. October 2010-March 2011.

Communicating effectively in meetings and small group discussions. Two presentations to the Arts & Sciences Deans’ Cabinet. April-May 2010.

Member, Ignation Faculty Forum. September 2009-May 2010. Read essays on Ignatian education, faculty career trajectories, and spirituality and leadership, participated in discussions with faculty.

Member, Research Methods Courses Assessment Committee, Department of Communication. September 2009-May 2010. Assessed qualitative and quantitative course objectives.

Chair, Organizational Communication Hiring Committee, Department of Communication. May-December 2009. Led successful national search for an assistant professor, organized all phone and campus interviews, facilitated departmental discussion of candidates and decision making.

Member, Transnational Feminisms Hiring Committee, Women’s & Gender Studies Program, Santa Clara University. May 2009-January 2010. Participated in national search for an assistant professor, attended committee meetings, attended candidate events, participated in hiring decisions.

Member, Arts & Sciences College Grievance Committee, Santa Clara University. December 2008-June 2009. Adjudicated two cases.

Faculty participant, Sloan Award application group. Assisted Associate Provost in the preparation of the SCU application for a Sloan Award to promote faculty Work/Life balance, including drafting the curriculum innovation section, providing feedback on the application, helping to establish the Work/Life Advisory Group, and attending meetings. June 2007-November 2008.

Co-Chair of the Women's Faculty Group, Santa Clara University. January-December 2007; January-December 2004. Organized special events, chaired monthly meetings, distributed information and collected feedback on campus issues from women faculty on campus.

Faculty Advisor, Communication Honor Society, Santa Clara University. September 2003-June 2005.

Member, 3rd Writing Committee, Santa Clara University. September 2003-November 2008.

Research Committee Chair. Department of Communication. September 2001-June 2002.

### **Professional and Community Service**

Outside Tenure Reviewer. Invited by the San Francisco State University Department of Communication to review research and professional service of an assistant professor whose research relates to my own qualitative research in health communication. July 2011.

Member, Feminist Teacher-Mentor Award Committee, Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. January-September 2011.

Member, Nomination Committee. National Communication Association. November 2010-November 2011.

Chair, Dissertation Award Committee, Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender. January-September 2009, 2010.

Member, Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender Dissertation Award Committee. June-September 2005.

Member, Feminist Teacher-Mentor Award Committee, Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender, 2004.

Workshop Facilitator. Speaking effectively. Presented to the staff of the Team in Training program, Leukemia/Lymphoma Society—San Jose, CA chapter. January 2003.

Workshop Facilitator. Tactics for effective persuasion. Presented to the staff of the Team in Training program, Leukemia/Lymphoma Society—San Jose, CA chapter. July 2003.



Paper Reader. Western States Communication Association, Health Communication Division.  
Evaluated and ranked papers submitted for the WSCA 2003 conference.

Facilitator, Florida Commission on Mental Health and Substance Abuse. Facilitated small group discussion for geriatric division of the commission under the direction of Dr. Eric M. Eisenberg. April 2000.

Member, Outstanding Article Award Committee, Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender, 2000, 2001.

Member, Outstanding Thesis Award Committee, Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender, 2001.