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### **Employment**

Associate Professor, 2005-present  
Department of Geography, University of Kentucky. Affiliate of the Women's Studies Program and Member of the Committee on Social Theory.

Director of the Committee on Social Theory, January 2008-present.  
University of Kentucky.

Director of Graduate Studies, 2005-2006.  
Department of Geography, University of Kentucky.

Assistant Professor, 2000-2005  
Department of Geography, University of Kentucky.

### **Education**

Ph.D. University of Colorado at Boulder, Department of Geography, 2000.  
Dissertation: "Islamism in Istanbul: Women, Migration and Class in Islamist Politics."

M.A. University of Colorado at Boulder, Department of Geography, 1996.  
Thesis: "Political Cleavages and Democracy in Turkey: Dimensions of Competition in the 1995 Turkish National Election."

B.A. Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio, 1992.  
Major in English with an emphasis in Women's Studies.

### **Awards**

Stan Brunn Outstanding Young Scholar of Political Geography, Political Geography Specialty Group, Association of American Geographers, 2007.

Provost's Award for Outstanding Teaching, Non-Tenured. 2005.

## **Fellowships and Grants (selected)**

Principal Investigator, National Science Foundation (NSF), Geography and Regional Science (GRS). \$199,088. Proposal No: 0722825. Title: Collaborative Research: The veiling-fashion industry: transnational geographies of Islamism, capitalism, and identity. Collaborating PI: Banu Gokarikel (University of North Carolina). Funded from August 15, 2007 to August 15, 2009.

Principal Investigator, NSF, GRS. \$157,000. Title: "Reshaping Civil Society: Islam, Democracy and Diversity in Istanbul." BCS-0137060. Funded from 03/01/02-03/01/05 (extended).

Principal Investigator, NSF, GRS, \$9,504. Title: "Doctoral Dissertation Research: Immigrant Family Detention: The Family, Law, Security, and Space in U.S. Immigration Policy and Practice." Co-PI: Lauren Martin, University of Kentucky. Funded from 07/01/08-1/01/10.

Principal Investigator, NSF, GRS. \$5,865. Title: "Doctoral Dissertation Research: Negotiating Muslim Identity and Secular Politics: Religion and the Spatiality of the State in Turkey," BCS-0602518. Co-PI: Jeff West, University of Kentucky. Funded 04/01/06-05/01/07.

Principal Investigator, NSF, GRS. \$9,739. Title: "Doctoral Dissertation Research: Geographically Targeted Enforcement of Ordinances Restricting Personal Mobility and Actions," BCS-0402271. Co-PI: Marcia England, University of Kentucky. Funded 05/01/04-10/31/05.

## **Publications**

(\*forthcoming)

2009 Gokarikel, B. and Secor, A.J. New transnational geographies of Islamism, capitalism, and subjectivity: the veiling-fashion industry in Turkey. *Area* 41, 1: 6-18.

\*Secor, A.J. Social Surveys, interviews and focus groups, in *Research Methods in Geography: A First Course*. Edited by: John Paul Jones III and Basil Gomez. Blackwell.

2008 Secor A J. Žižek's dialectics of difference and the problem of space. *Environment and Planning A* 40(11) 2623 – 2630.

Belcher, O., Martin, L., Secor, A.J., Simon, S., Wilson, T. Everywhere and nowhere: The exception and the topological challenge to geography. *Antipode* 40 (4): 499-503.

2007 Secor, A.J. Afterword, in *Women, Religion and Space*, edited by Karen M. Morin and Jeanne Kay Guelke. Syracuse University Press, Syracuse, pp. 148-158.

Secor, A.J. Territory, enmity, and American globalism. *Review of International Political Economy* 14 (3): 535-549.

Secor, A.J. Between longing and despair: State, space and subjectivity in Turkey. *Environment and Planning D: Society and Space* 25(1): 33-52.

2006 Secor, A.J. "An unrecognizable condition has arrived": Law, violence, and the state of exception. In Derek Gregory and Allan Pred (Eds.), *Violent Geographies: Fear, Terror, and Political Violence*. Routledge, New York, pp. 37-53.

2005 Secor, A.J. and O'Loughlin, J.V. Social and political trust in Istanbul and Moscow: A comparative analysis of individual and neighbourhood effects. *Transactions of the Institute of British Geography*, 30 (1): 50-66.

Secor, A.J. Islamism, democracy and the political production of the headscarf issue in Turkey. In Ghazi-Walid Falah and Caroline Nagel (Eds.), *Geographies of Muslim Women: Gender, Religion and Space*, pp. 203-225. New York, Guilford Press.

2004 Secor, A.J. Editorial. "Fahrenheit 9/11: War, fantasy and society." *Environment and Planning D: Society and Space* 22 (6): 919-923.

Secor, A.J. Feminizing electoral geography. In Lynn A. Staeheli, Eleonore Kofman and Linda Peake (Eds.), *Mapping Women, Making Politics*, pp. 261-272. London, Routledge.

Secor, A.J. 'There is an Istanbul that belongs to me': Citizenship, space and identity in the city. *Annals of the Association of American Geographers* 94 (2): 352-368.

Secor, A.J. Discourses of globalization and Islamist politics: Beyond global-local. In John O'Loughlin, Lynn Staeheli and Edward Greenberg (Eds.), *Globalization and its Outcomes*, pp. 279-295. New York, Guilford Press.

2003 Secor, A.J. Citizenship in the city: Identity, community and rights among women migrants to Istanbul. *Urban Geography* 24 (2): 147-168.

- Roberts, S., Secor, A., and Sparke, M. Neoliberal geopolitics. *Antipode* 35 (5): 886-897.
- Secor, A.J. Belaboring gender: The spatial practice of work and the politics of 'making do' in Istanbul. *Environment and Planning A*, 35 (12): 2209-2227
- 2002 Secor, A.J. The veil and urban space in Istanbul: Women's dress, mobility and Islamic knowledge. *Gender, Place and Culture* 9 (1): 5-22.
- 2001 Secor, A.J. Ideologies in Crisis: Political Cleavages and Electoral Politics in Turkey in the 1990s. *Political Geography* 20 (5): 539-560.
- Secor, A.J. Toward a feminist counter-geopolitics: Gender, space and Islamist politics in Istanbul. *Space and Polity* 5 (3): 199-219.
- Reprinted in: Dodds, Klaus, Ed. (2009) *Geopolitics*. Central Currents in Globalization, Sage Publications.
- Secor, A.J. Islamist politics: Antisystemic or postmodern movements?" *Geopolitics* 6 (3): 117-134.
- 1999 Secor, A.J. Gender, Orientalism and Class in Lady Mary Wortley Montagu's *Turkish Embassy Letters: To Persons of Distinction, Men of Letters &c. Ecumene* [now *Cultural Geographies*] 6 (4): 375-398.

## **Book Reviews and Encyclopedia Entries**

- 2009 \*Secor, A.J. Focus Groups. *International Encyclopedia of Human Geography*. Edited by Rob Kitchin and Nigel Thrift. Elsevier.
- Secor, A.J. Alterity (p. 24), Ethnocentrism (217), Ethnic cleansing (213-214), Difference (159-160), Nomadology (p. 502), Other/otherness (p. 515), Rhizome (655). *The Dictionary of Human Geography* (Fifth Edition), Edited by Derek Gregory (Managing Editor), Ron Johnston, Geraldine Pratt, Michael Watts and Sarah Whatmore.
- 2006 Secor, A.J. Feminist methodologies. In Barney Warf (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Human Geography*. Sage Publications, Thousand Oaks, pp. 160-161.
- 2004 Secor, A.J. Race, gender, and difference: Turkey. In Suad Joseph (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Women and Islamic Cultures*, pp. 432-433. Leiden, Brill Publishers.

- 2003 Secor, A.J. Review of Stephen Kinzer, *Crescent and Star: Turkey Between Two Worlds*, New York: Farrar, Straus and Giroux, 2001. *Professional Geographer* 55 (3): 412-414.
- 2001 Secor, A.J. Review of Linda McDowell, *Gender, Identity and Place: Understanding Feminist Geographies*, University of Minnesota Press: Minneapolis, 1999. *Economic Geography* 77 (3): 306-307.
- 2000 Secor, A.J. Review of Peter Taylor and Colin Flint, *Political Geography: World-Economy, Nation-State and Locality* (Fourth Edition), Prentice Hall, Harlow, England, 2000. *Political Geography* 19: 938-941.
- Secor, A.J. Arabian Sights. Review of Efraim Karsh and Inari Karsh, *Empires of the Sand: The Struggle for Mastery in the Middle East, 1789-1923*, Harvard University Press, 1999. *LinguaFranca: The Review of Academic Life*, February.

### **Invited Lectures and Colloquia**

- 2009 Texas A & M, Department of Geography, January 30<sup>th</sup>, Title: (Dis)orderly States: Lessons from Turkey.
- 2008 University of Colorado, Department of Geography, November 7<sup>th</sup>. Title: New Geographies of Islam, Capitalism, and Subjectivity: The Veiling-Fashion Industry in Turkey.
- Free University of Berlin, Institute for Islamic Studies. Conference: “Contemporary Muslim Consumer Cultures – an Emerging Field of Study,” Berlin, September 24 – 27. Title (with Banu Gokariksel, UNC): Transnational Women’s Islamic Fashion: Mapping New Islamic Geographies.
- Keynote Speaker for the Advanced Research Training Course in Human Geography, Kindrogan, Scotland, August 30-September 3<sup>rd</sup>. Hosted by the Scottish Human Geography Consortium, comprised of the Universities of Aberdeen, Dundee, Glasgow, Strathclyde, Edinburgh and St. Andrews.
- Virginia Polytechnic and State University, Alliance for Social, Political, Ethical & Cultural Thought (ASPECT). March 28. Title: Postcolonial Critique and the Space of the State in Turkey.
- Florida International University, Broad Educational Series, Department of International Relations/Geography, March 13. Title: The state, territory, and (dis)order: Lessons from Turkey.

- 2007 University of Edinburgh. Guest speaker for the Symposium on Religion in the Public Realm, May 18. Title: Religion, subjectivity, and freedom.
- 2006 On maternity leave.**
- 2005 Dickinson College, Carlisle, PA. Guest speaker for The Clarke Center for the Interdisciplinary Study of Contemporary Issues, April 18. Title: The veil in Turkey.
- University of Wisconsin, Madison. Colloquium speaker in Middle East Studies Speaker Series, February 28. Title: State, space, and subjectivity in Turkey.
- University of Arizona, Tucson. Colloquium speaker for Department of Geography and Near Eastern Studies, February 11. Title: Between longing and despair: State, space and subjectivity in Turkey.
- 2004 University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. Colloquium speaker for Department of Geography, November 5. Title: Law, violence, and the state of exception.
- International Institute for the Sociology of Law, Onati, Spain. Workshop on "Law, Landscapes and Ethics," June 9-12. Paper title: "An unrecognizable condition has arrived": Law, violence, and the state of exception.
- York University, Toronto. Symposium, "Acts of Citizenship" at organized by Engin Isin, Canada Chair of Citizenship Studies, March 25-27. Paper title: Governmentality, the State and Citizenship in Istanbul.
- University of California-Los Angeles. Colloquium speaker in Department of Geography, March 11. Paper title: Governing Islamism: Bio-power and the 'headscarf issue' in Turkey.
- Dartmouth College, New Hampshire. Faculty seminar in Department of Geography on "Global/Globalizing Cities," Feb 25-28. Paper title: Citizenship as a spatial strategy in Istanbul, Turkey.
- 2003 American University in Cairo (AUC), Egypt. Workshop, "Gendered bodies, transnational politics: Modernities reconsidered," December 12-14. Organized by the Institute for Gender and Women's Studies (IGWS) at AUC and the Center for the Study of Gender and Sexuality (CSGS) at New York University.
- Pennsylvania State University. Colloquium in Department of Geography, November 7. Paper title: Gender, work and veiling: rights and everyday life in Istanbul.
- University of Colorado-Boulder. Colloquium in Department of Geography, October 31. Paper title: Gender, work and the politics of everyday life in Istanbul.

University of Texas-Austin. Symposium hosted by Department of Geography, "Middle East Geography in the Twenty First Century," April 3-5. Paper title: Belaboring gender: Work and the performance of identity in Istanbul.

2002 Miami University of Ohio. Colloquium in Department of Geography, October 25. Citizenship, space and identity in Istanbul: Becoming political in the city.

University of Colorado-Boulder. Symposium hosted by the Program on Political and Economic Change, Institute of Behavioral Science, on "Globalization and Democracy Research and Training Program Conference," April 4-7, "Responding to Globalization: Societies, Groups, Individuals" (funded by the National Science Foundation). Paper title: Globalizing Istanbul: Gender and the Local/Global Production of Islamism.

Syracuse University. Colloquium in Department of Geography, February 8. Paper title: Between anonymity and solidarity: Kurdish and Turkish women in Istanbul.

2001 Working Group on Modernity and Islam and Institute for the Study of Islam in the Modern World (ISIM), Istanbul Summer Academy: The Local Production of Islamic Knowledge, Istanbul, September 3-14. Paper title: Migration, Gender and Islam in Istanbul.

2000 The Bosphorus University (Boğaziçi Üniversitesi), Istanbul, Turkey. Colloquium in Department of Political Science and International Relations, December 22. Paper title: Islamism, Urbanism, and Gender in Istanbul: A Case Study.

### **Conference Presentations (selected)**

2009 Association of American Geographers (AAG) Meeting, Las Vegas, March 22-27.  
Author Meets Critics: Joel Wainwright's *Decolonizing Development: Colonial Power and the Maya* -- Panelist  
Author Meets Critics: Vinay Gidwani's *Capital, Interrupted* -- Panelist  
Feminist Engagements with the Geopolitical -- Panelist  
Muslim Identity, Citizenship and Belonging: New Questions and Approaches for Geographers -- Panelist

2008 AAG Meeting in Boston, April 14-19.  
The Political and Territory -- Panelist  
Author Meets Critics: Deborah Cowen's *Military Workfare* -- Panelist

2007 AAG Meeting in San Francisco, April 16-20.  
Paper: Violence, law, and the aporia of justice.

What about dialectics? -- Panelist

York Center for International and Security Studies Conference, York University, February 1-2. Bodies, Desires, Violence: Feminist Interventions in Un/Doing Empire. Paper title: Neoliberal geopolitics and the persistent mappings of empire. With Sue Roberts.

- 2006 Critical Geography Mini-Conference, Columbus, Ohio, October 13-15. Paper title: Territory and the New Geopolitics.
- 2005 AAG Meeting in Denver, April 5-9.  
Paper: Between longing and despair: The spatiality of the everyday state in Istanbul.  
Author meets critics: Mark Bonta and John Protevi's *Deleuze and Geophilosophy* -- Panelist  
Geographies of the Middle East and the Arab World II: Research Agendas and Challenges -- Panelist  
Teaching Critical Political Economy to Undergraduates -- Panelist
- Fourth International Conference of Critical Geography (ICCG), Mexico City, January 9-12. Panel: Geographies of Survival.
- 2004 AAG Meeting in Philadelphia, March 15-19.  
Paper: Ethnography, Poetry and Translation.  
Discussant for session: Culture and the State.  
Discussant for session: Frontline Geographies: Worksites of struggle and resistance.  
Discussant for session: Women, Religion, and Space II: Negotiating the Boundaries.
- 2003 AAG Meeting in New Orleans, March 5-8.  
Paper: The spatial politics of everyday citizenship: strategic identities and contested politics in Istanbul, Turkey.  
Discussant for session: Geographies of development and neoliberalism in Latin America II: gender and power under neoliberal reform.
- 2002 Middle East Studies Association (MESA) Annual Meeting in Washington DC, November 23-26. Paper title: Gendering the urban: Migrant women's work and the production of modernity in Istanbul.
- Third International Conference of Critical Geography (ICCG), Bekescsaba, Hungary, June 25-30. Paper title: Re-imagining civil society: A view from Istanbul.

International Geographical Union (IGU), Commissions on Political Geography and Public Policy, Rights to the City International Conference, Rome, Italy, May 29 – June 1. Paper title: Spaces of anonymity, spaces of solidarity: Turkish and Kurdish migrant women in Istanbul.

AAG Meeting in Los Angeles, March 19-23.

Paper: Whose city, whose rights? Women-migrants-Kurds and the reinvention of Istanbul.

Career Paths of Women in Geography II: First Job to Recently Tenured Professors -- Panelist

2001 Middle East Studies Association (MESA) Annual Meeting in San Francisco, November 17-20. Paper title: Kurdish migrants in Istanbul: Identity, politics and city life.

East Lakes Division Association of American Geographers (ELDAAG) and Cincinnati Miniconference on Critical Geography, October 26-28. Critical Geography Panel Discussion I: After globalization.

AAG Meeting in New York City, February 27-March 3. Paper title: Urban space and social place in Istanbul: Veiling, Islam and the city.

2000 Cincinnati Mini-conference on Critical Geography, October 28. Paper title: Statistical problems, feminist solutions.

AAG Meeting in Pittsburgh, April 4-9.

Paper: Islamist politics in Istanbul: Women, migrants and city life.

Geopolitics for the new millennium -- Panelist

## **Conferences and Sessions Organized**

2007 The 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on Critical Geography, October 2-4. Co-organizer. University of Kentucky.

2003 AAG Meeting in New Orleans, March 5-8. Co-organized with Louise Appleton, Loughborough University. Session title: Redefining civil society: Space, place and associational life (Sponsored by Political Geography Specialty Group).

2002 AAG Meeting in Los Angeles, March 19-23. Co-organized with Margaret Lynch, University of Texas. Session title: Transgressing Boundaries: Space, power and identity in Middle East Cities (Sponsored by the Middle East and North Africa Specialty Group and the Urban Geography Specialty Group).

## Teaching

### *Graduate Seminars*

Interdisciplinary Perspectives in Social Theory: Psychoanalysis, Postcoloniality, and Space, team taught with Virginia Blum, Department of English (GEO 715/ST 690), Spring 2008.

Topics in Political Geography: Empire (GEO 714), Fall 2006.

Concepts in Geography (GEO 702), Spring 2006.

Topics in Political Geography: Geographies of Power (GEO 714), Fall 2005, Fall 2008.

Interdisciplinary Perspectives in Social Theory: The Politics and Aesthetics of the Corpse, team taught with Denise Fulbrook, Department of English (GEO 715/ST 690), Spring 2005.

Topics in Political Geography: State, nation and space (GEO 714), Fall 2004.

Analytic Methods in Geography (GEO 600), Fall 2002 (team taught), Fall 2003, Fall 2004.

Topics in Urban Geography: Women and Cities (GEO 717), Fall 2002, Fall 2003.

Topics in Political Geography: Women and Islam (GEO 714), Fall 2001.

Multidisciplinary Perspectives in Social Theory: Religion and Identity (ST 600), Spring 2004 (team taught).

Multidisciplinary Perspectives in Social Theory: Locating Globalization (ST 600), Spring 2003 (team taught).

### *Undergraduate Courses*

Lands and Peoples of the Non-Western World (GEO 160), Fall 2000 (two sections), Spring 2001, Spring 2002, Spring 2003, Spring 2005.

Quantitative Techniques in Geography (GEO 310), Fall 2001, Fall 2002.

Political Geography (GEO 542), Spring 2001, Spring 2002.

Political Geography (GEOG 4712), University of Colorado, Spring 1996, Spring 1997, Summer 1997, Spring 2000.

### *Graduate Independent Studies*

Reading Zizek, Melissa Moorer, Spring 2008.

Biopower, with Oliver Belcher, Mathias Detamore, Lauren Martin, Tommy Wilson and Stephanie Simon, Spring 2006.

People's geographies, with Amber Ruyter, MA student, Fall 2005.

Spatialities of the corpse, with Amy Tudor, PhD student, Fall 2005.

Affect and landscape, with Ellen Hostetter, PhD student, Fall 2004.

Gender and Public-Private Space, with Priyanka Jain, MA student, Spring 2004.

Reading Turkish, with Jeff West, PhD student, Spring 2004.

Islamism and Democracy, with Jeff West, PhD student, Fall 2003.

Gender and Public-Private Space, with Ellen Hostetter, MA student, Spring 2003.

The Body in Social Theory, with Marcia England, PhD student, Spring 2002.

### *Undergraduate Independent Studies*

Geography of the Middle East, with Patrick Barker, Geography major, Fall 2005.

## **Undergraduate Advising**

Robin Michler, Honors  
Raabia Wazir, Gaines Center

## **Graduate Advising**

### ***Ph.D. Committee Chair***

Marcia England, PhD 2005. "Patrolling citizenship: Urban policings of prostitution and drug use in public space."  
Jeff West, PhD 2008. "'We are obligated to think that the state is just': The AKP's geographies of Islam and the state in Turkey."  
Mathias Detamore, ABD. "Finding the Appalqueer: Rural geographies, spaces of sexuality, and mapping desire."  
Lauren Martin, ABD. "Immigrant Family Detention: The Family, Security, and Space in U.S. Immigration Policy and Practice."  
Valerie Keathley, ABD. "Life on the Big Slab: Deregulation, Mobility, and Identity in the US Trucking Industry."  
Priyanka Jain  
Tommy Wilson  
Melissa Moorer  
Sandy Marshall

### ***M.A. Committee Chair***

Ellen Hostetter, M.A. 2004, "Planned exclusion: The roadside strip as abject landscape, the case of Lexington, Kentucky."  
Jeff West, M.A. 2003, "Economic disparity, political identity, and the challenges of democracy in Turkey: The 1999 national elections."  
Priyanka Jain, M.A. 2005. "India Gate, Delhi: A public space?"  
Ariel Terranova-Webb, MA 2005. "Mobility, citizenship and the circus."  
Kristin Seery, M.A. 2006. "Geographies of Learning in the Blackfeet Nation."  
Oliver Belcher, M.A. 2007. "An Archaeology of the Exception: Executive Power, Mutable Sovereignty, and the Production of 'Enemy Combatants.'"

### ***Ph.D. Committee Member***

Carl Dahlman, PhD 2001  
Michael Begin, PhD 2006  
Chris Blackden, ABD  
David Correia, PhD 2006

Garrett Graddy, ABD  
Ellen Hostetter, PhD 2007  
Vanessa Hudson, ABD  
Margo Kleinfeld, PhD 2004  
Esther Long, PhD 2005  
Michael Marchman, ABD  
Maureen McDorman, PhD 2006  
Sarah Moore, PhD 2005  
Kyong-Hwan Park, PhD 2005  
Stephanie Simon, ABD  
Ben Smith, PhD 2008  
Deborah Thompson, ABD  
Maggie Walker, ABD  
Liana Vasseur, ABD

***M.A. Committee Member***

Frank Fillibeck, MA 2002  
Shannon Hensley, MA 2004  
Karen Kinslow, MA 2009  
Lauren Martin, MA 2005  
Julien Mercille, MA 2003  
Melissa Moorer, MA 2008  
Jessica Schmid  
Stephanie Simon, MA 2005  
Ben Smith, MA 2003  
Rachel Titus, MA 2003  
Jamie Walenta, MA 2002  
Tommy Wilson, MA 2007

***Outside Committee Member (University of Kentucky)***

Filiz Oztalas, PhD 2004, Department of Political Science  
J. Michael Tilley, PhD 2008, Department of Philosophy  
Natalie Ruez-Junco, PhD 2008, Department of Sociology  
Annette McGrew, PhD student, Department of English  
Felicia Cosey, PhD student, Department of English  
Sean Dummit, ABD, Department of English  
Alice Driver, PhD student, Department of Hispanic Studies  
Beth Connors-Manke, ABD, Department of English

***Outside Committee Member (other universities)***

Begum Basdas, PhD 2007, Department of Geography, University of California-Los Angeles. Chair: D. Cosgrove.  
Jessie Clark, Department of Geography, University of Arizona. Chair: Sallie Marston.

Adam Levy, ABD 2008, Department of Geography, University of Colorado. Chair: John O'Loughlin.

Ebru Ustundag, PhD 2005, Department of Geography, York University, Canada. Chair: Engin Isin.

Keith Woodward, PhD 2006, Department of Geography, University of Arizona. Chair: J.P. Jones.

### ***Postdoctoral Fellows***

Amy Mills, PhD. Department of Geography, University of Texas-Austin, 2004.  
Postdoctoral Fellowship for Women in Under-Represented Areas, Office of the Vice President for Research, University of Kentucky.

## **Service**

### ***National Professional Associations***

Board member, Middle East and North Africa Specialty Group, AAG, 2005-present.

President and co-President, Middle East and North Africa Specialty Group, AAG. 2003-2005.

### ***Editorial Committees and Boards***

Editorial Board, *Acme*, 2007-present.

Editorial Board, *Annals of the Association of American Geographers*, 2006-present.

Editorial Board, *Cultural Geographies*, 2003- present.

Editorial Board, *Environment and Planning D: Society and Space*, 2004- present.

Editorial Board, *Political Geography*, 2008-present.

Editorial Board, *Social and Cultural Geography*, 2006-present.

Editorial Board, 5<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Dictionary of Human Geography*, 2004- present.

### ***Invited Reviews for Scholarly Journals***

*Acme* (2007: 1; 2008: 1)

*Annals of the Association of American Geographers* (2007: 2; 2008: 2; 2009: 2)

*Antipode* (2007: 2)

*Arab World Geographer*

*Citizenship Studies* (2007: 1)

*Cultural Geographies* (2007: 1; 2008: 1; 2009: 1)

*Environment and Planning A* (2007: 1)

*Environment and Planning D: Society and Space* (2007: 1; 2008: 1; 2009: 1)

*Gender, Place and Culture: A Journal of Feminist Geography* (2007: 1; declined 2; 2008: 1; 2009: 1)

*Geoforum* (2008:1)

*Geographical Review*  
*Geographiska Annaler B.* (2007: 1)  
*GeoJournal* (2008:1)  
*Geopolitics*  
*Global Networks: A Journal of Transnational Affairs* (2008: 1)  
*Identities* (2008: 1)  
*Journal of Geography*  
*Journal of Middle East Women's Studies* (2007: 1)  
*Journal of Urban Affairs* (2007: 1)  
*Journal of Urban History* (2007: 1)  
*Political Geography* (2007: 1; 2008: 3; 2009: 2)  
*Professional Geographer* (2007: declined 1; 2008:1)  
*Social and Cultural Geography* (2007: 3; 2008: 4; 2009: 1)  
*Theory and Society* (2007: 1)  
*Urban Geography* (2007: 1; 2008: 1)  
*Urban Studies* (2007:1; 2008: declined 2; 2009: declined 1)  
*Women's Studies International Forum* (2007: 1)

### ***Reviews of Book Proposals***

Guilford Publications, 2004.  
Prentice Hall, 2005.

### ***Invited Reviews for Research Foundations and Interdisciplinary Service***

National Science Foundation (NSF) Graduate Research Fellowship Program (GRFP) panel meetings, February 13-15, 2009. Political Science, Geography & History of Science Panelist.

National Screening Committee, Institute of International Education (IIE), Fulbright-Hays Program, Turkey/Cyprus/Greece, 2008-2009 competition.

National Science Foundation, external proposal reviewer, 2004, 2007.

Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF), National Priorities Research Program (NPRP), 2007.

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, 2004.

### ***University and College Committees***

Arts and Sciences Representative, Graduate Council, Fall 2005-Spring 2006.  
Organizer of Social Theory Working Papers, Fall 2005.

Member, College of Arts & Sciences, Cralle Fellowship Competition Committee, 2004-2005.

Member, College of Arts & Sciences, Undergraduate Scholarship Committee, Spring 2002.

### ***University and College Lectures and Seminars***

Lecturer, Graduate Student Seminar – Proposal Development (Humanities & Social Sciences), Sponsored Program Development, October 13, 2004. Title: Getting it funded: Writing grant proposals for the National Science Foundation.

### ***Departmental Committees***

Member, Graduate Committee, Fall 2002-present.

Member, Professional Development Committee, Fall 2005-present.

Member, Colloquium and Semple Day Committee, Fall 2004- present.

Chair, Professional Development Committee, Fall 2004- Spring 2005.

Chair, Colloquium and Semple Day Committee, Fall 2001-Spring 2003.

Member, Personnel Committee, Fall 2003-2006.

Member, Search Committee for Department of Geography Chair, Spring 2004, 2006.

Member, Search Committee for Human Geographer-Social Theory position, Spring 2003.

Member, Minority Recruitment Committee, Fall 2000 – 2003.

Member, Personnel Committee, Spring 2001.

Member, Semple Day and Colloquium Committee, Fall 2000.

### **Professional Memberships**

Association of American Geographers (AAG)

Political Geography Specialty Group

Middle East and North Africa Specialty Group

Urban Geography Specialty Group

Geographic Perspectives on Women

International Geographical Union (IGU)

Middle East Studies Association (MESA)

Turkish Studies Association. (TSA)