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### **I. Professional Qualifications**

Ph.D.	Geography	Ohio State University	1993
M.A.	Geography	Ohio State University	1988
B.A. (Hons)	Geography	Liverpool University	1986

### **II. Professional Work Experience**

#### **Current Appointment**

August 2006 – present Associate Professor, Department of Geography,  
University of Kentucky

#### **Previous Appointments**

August 2005 – July 2006 Associate Professor, Department of Geography and  
Honors College, University of Oklahoma

August 2001 – July 2005 Assistant Professor, Department of Geography and  
Honors College, University of Oklahoma

Sept. 2000 – July 2001 Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Geography,  
University of Cincinnati

Oct. 1993 – August 2001 Lecturer, Department of Geography, University of  
Sheffield, England

### **III. Research Interests, Publications and Activities**

#### **A. Research Interests**

**The politics of urban development:** the comparative politics of local economic  
development; property developers and property development

**Urban and regional governance:** local business organisations; business-state  
relations; theorising the governance of local and regional economies

**The local dynamics of global economic change:** globalization; competition and collaboration between firms; inward investment; knowledge

## **B. Publications**

### **Books**

2004 Wood A and Valler D (eds), *Governing local and regional economies: Institutions, politics and economic development*, Ashgate, Aldershot, p317.

### **Journal articles**

- 2009 Phelps N, Wood A and Valler D, A post-suburban world? An outline of a research agenda, *Environment and Planning A*, forthcoming.
- 2009 Valler D and Wood A, Title, Conceptualizing local and regional economic development in the USA, *Regional Studies*, forthcoming.
- 2006 Phelps N and Wood A, 'Lost in Translation'? Local interests, global actors and inward investment regimes, *Journal of Economic Geography*, 6 (4), 493-515.
- 2006 Watts D, Wood A and Wardle P, Entrepreneurs, clusters and local embeddedness: small firms in the Sheffield (UK) metal-working cluster, *Entrepreneurship and Regional Development*, 18 (3), 185-205.
- 2005 Wood A, Scale and the comparative politics of urban governance, *Space and Polity*, 9 (3), 201-215.
- 2005 Bridge G and Wood A, Geographies of knowledge, practices of globalisation: learning from the oil exploration and production industry, *Area*, 37 (2), 199-208.
- 2005 Wood A, Valler D, Phelps N, Raco M and Shirlow P, Devolution and the political representation of business interests in the UK, *Political Geography*, 24 (3), 293-315.
- 2005 Phelps N, Valler D and Wood A, Stealing the skills agenda? Devolution, business and post-16 education and training in Wales, *Policy and Politics*, 33 (4), 559-579.
- 2004 Wood A, Domesticating urban theory: British cities and the limits to US frameworks, *Urban Studies*, 41 (11), 2103-2118.
- 2004 Wood A, The scalar transformation of the commercial property development industry: A cautionary note on the limits to globalization, *Economic Geography*, 80 (2), 119-140.
- 2004 Wood A, Watts D and Wardle P, Growth-oriented small firms and the nature and extent of local embeddedness: The case of a traditional metal working cluster, *Growth and Change*, 35 (4), 419-433.

- 2004 Valler D and Wood A, Devolution and the politics of business representation in Britain: A strategic-relational approach, *Environment and Planning A*, 36 (10), 1835-1854.
- 2004 Valler D, Wood A, Atkinson I, Betteley D, Phelps N, Raco M and Shirlow P, Business representation and the UK regions: 'Mapping' institutional change, *Progress in Planning*, 61 (2), 75-135.
- 2003 Watts D, Wood A and Wardle P, 'Making friends or making things?': Interfirm transactions in the Sheffield metal-working cluster, *Urban Studies*, 40, 615-630.
- 2002 Armstrong H, Kehrer B, Wells P, and Wood A, The evaluation of community economic development initiatives, *Urban Studies*, 39, 457-481.
- 2002 Valler D, Phelps N and Wood A, Devolution, regionalism and local economic development, *Local Economy*, 17, 186-190.
- 2001 Wood A and Valler D, Turn again? Rethorising the governance of local and regional economies, *Environment Planning A*, 33, 1139-1144.
- 2001 North P, Valler D and Wood A, Talking business: An actor-centred analysis of business agendas for local economic development, *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*, 25, 830-846.
- 2000 Valler D, Wood A and North P, Local governance and local business interests: A critical review, *Progress in Human Geography*, 24, 409-428.
- 1998 Wood A, Valler D and North P, Local business representation and the private sector role in local economic policy in Britain, *Local Economy*, 13, 10-27.
- 1998 Wood A, Making sense of urban entrepreneurialism, *Scottish Geographical Magazine*, 114, 120-123.
- 1997 Cox K and Wood A, Competition and co-operation in mediating the global: The case of local economic development, *Competition and Change*, 2, 65-94.
- 1996 Wood A, Analysing the politics of local economic development: Making sense of cross-national convergence, *Urban Studies*, 33, 1281-1295.
- 1994 Cox K and Wood A, Local government and local economic development in the United States, *Regional Studies*, 28, 640-645.
- 1993 Wood A, Organizing for local economic development: Local economic development networks and prospecting for industry, *Environment and Planning A*, 25, 649-661.
- 1993 Wood A, Review essay: 'The capitalist imperative: territory, technology and industrial growth', *Antipode*, 25, 69-82.

## **Book chapters**

- 2008 Wood A, Conflict, power and politics in the city, in P Hubbard, R Kitchen and G Valentine (eds), *Key Texts in Human Geography*, Sage, 33-42.
- 2008 Wood A, The politics of local and regional development, in K Cox, M Low and J Robinson (eds), *The Sage Handbook of Political Geography*, Sage Publications, 531-544.
- 2007 Bridge G and Wood A, Geographies of knowledge, practices of globalisation: learning from the oil exploration and production industry, (2005) reprinted in W Moseley, D Lanegran and K Pandit (eds) *The Introductory Reader in Human Geography: Contemporary Debates and Classic Writings*, Blackwell, 296-305.
- 2006 Wood A, Valler D, Phelps N, Raco M and Shirlow P, The limits to devolution, in P Benneworth, I Hardill, M Baker and L Budd (eds), *The Rise of the English Regions?* Routledge, 68-86.
- 2005 Watts D, Wood A and Wardle P, Supplier search in industrial clusters: Sheffield metal working in the 1990s, in A Legendijk and P Oinas (eds) *Proximity, distance and diversity: issues on economic interaction and local development*, Ashgate, 111-127.
- 2004 Wood A and Valler D, Governing local and regional economies, in A Wood and D Valler (eds), *Governing local and regional economies: Institutions, politics and economic development*, Ashgate, Aldershot, 1-21.
- 2003 Wood A, The politics of orchestrating inward investment: Institutions, policy and practice in the industrial Midwest, in N Phelps and P Raines (eds), *The new competition for inward investment*, Edward Elgar, Cheltenham, 79-97.
- 1999 Wood A, Organizing for local economic development: The growth coalition as a cross-national comparative framework, in A Jonas and D Wilson (eds), *The urban growth machine: Critical perspectives two decades later*, SUNY Press, 163-176.
- 1998 Wood A, Questions of scale in the entrepreneurial city, in T Hall and P Hubbard (eds), *The entrepreneurial city: Geographies of politics, regime and representation*, John Wiley, 275-284.
- 1995 Watts D and Wood A, Inward investment in Yorkshire and Humberside: Supply linkages, in C Leigh (ed), *The impact of inward investment projects on local economies in Yorkshire and Humberside*, Yorkshire and Humberside Regional Research Observatory, 45-64.

## **Book reviews**

- 2009 Energy Metropolis; An environmental history of Houston and the Gulf Coast, Melsoi M and Pratt, J (eds), *Journal of Historical Geography*, forthcoming.
- 2008 Clusters and regional development: critical reflections and explorations, Asheim B, Cooke P and Martin R (eds), *Growth and Change*, 39 (2), 372-375.
- 2007 Changing cities: Rethinking urban competitiveness, cohesion and governance, Buck N, Gordon I, Harding A and Turok I (eds), *Economic Geography*, 83, 329-330.
- 2006 Globalization and its outcomes, O'Loughlin J, Staeheli L and Greenberg E (eds), *Journal of Regional Science*, 46, 1016-1018.
- 1996 Small firms in urban and rural locations, Currey J and Storey D (eds), *Applied Geography*, 16, 174-175.
- 1996 The rise and decline of the British motor industry, Church R, *Environment and Planning A*, 28, 757-758.
- 1994 Globalisation of industrial activities. Four case studies: auto parts, chemicals, construction and semiconductors, OECD, *Environment and Planning C*, 12, 499.
- 1993 The global region: production, state policies and uneven development, Sadler D, *Environment and Planning C*, 11, 119.

## **C. Research Grants**

### **Externally funded**

- 2005 \$5,975. *Mapping the globalization of oil exploration and development*. NSF, July-December 2005, (A Wood), Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) Supplement, Award # 0537363.
- 2004 \$249,808. *Mapping globalization: Geographies of knowledge in the oil exploration and production industry*. NSF, January 2004-December 2008, (A Wood PI, collaborative proposal with G Bridge PI, Syracuse). One of six proposals (from 95 submissions) rated as 'highest priority' for funding by the GRS Advisory Panel, Award# 0354499.
- 2002 \$109,851. *Understanding biocomplexity: Developing methods of defining sustainable uses for agricultural products*. NSF BE/MUSES Program, September 2002-September 2003, (R Anex PI (Iowa State), A Wood, R Lifset (Yale)), Award# 0224006.
- 2001 \$161,611 (£92,349). *Devolution and the Politics of Business Representation*. ESRC (UK), January 2001-March 2003, (Valler D PI (University of Sheffield), Wood A, Phelps N (University of Leeds), Raco M (University of Reading),

Shirlow P (University of Ulster)), Award #L219252040. End of award report officially rated as 'Good'.

- 1996 \$63,226 (£36,129). *Creating local business interests: The private sector role in partnership organisations*. ESRC (UK), October 1996-March 1998, (Wood A PI, Valler D (University of Sheffield)), Award #R02690942. End of award report officially rated as 'Good'.
- 1994 \$5,250 (£3,000). *The impact of inward investment on local economies in Yorkshire and Humberside*. DTI (UK) via Yorkshire and Humberside Regional Research Observatory, March 1994-September 1995 (Watts HD (University of Sheffield) and Wood A).

### **Internally funded**

- 2007 \$30,000. *Engineering earth conference*, July 2008. University of Kentucky, College of Arts and Sciences, College of Engineering, Center for Applied Energy Research, Provosts Office.
- 2007 \$1,200. College of Arts and Sciences International Travel Award, University of Kentucky.
- 2005 \$760. Presidential International Travel Fellowship, University of Oklahoma.
- 2004 \$6,000. *The limits to globalization: A case study of the commercial real estate development industry*, University of Oklahoma Junior Faculty Research Program.
- 2001 \$400. University of Oklahoma Vice President for Research Travel Grant.
- 2001 \$1,000. University of Oklahoma College of Geosciences Travel Grant.
- 1999 \$2,153 (£1,230). *Property developers, social networks and local embedding*, University of Sheffield Research Fund.
- 1995 \$36,750 (£21,200). Establishment of the *Cities and Regions Research Centre*, University of Sheffield New Academic Development Fund, 1995-1998, (with colleagues in Geography, Architecture and Town and Regional Planning).
- 1995 \$2,625 (£1,500). Pilot study of public-private partnerships, University of Sheffield Research Fund.

### **D. Research Reports**

- 1999 Evaluation of the Yorkshire and the Humber Objective 2 1994-1996 and 1997-1999 Programmes - synthesis report (with colleagues from the Yorkshire and Humber Universities Association). Report for The Government Office for Yorkshire and the Humber, Leeds, p40.

- 1999 Interim evaluation of the Yorkshire and the Humber Objective 2 1997-1999 Programme (with colleagues from the Yorkshire and Humber Universities Association). Report for The Government Office for Yorkshire and the Humber, Leeds, p161.
- 1999 Final evaluation of the Yorkshire and the Humber Objective 2 1994-1996 Programme Volumes 1 and 2 (with colleagues from the Yorkshire and Humber Universities Association). Report for The Government Office for Yorkshire and the Humber, Leeds, p161 and p99.
- 1993 Local networks and organizing for economic development in metropolitan areas (with KR Cox). Report for the Committee on Urban Affairs, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, p34.

## **E. Graduate Supervision**

### **Current PhD students supervised**

Deaner H, University of Kentucky

### **Current PhD committee member**

Walker M, University of Kentucky

Wallace C, University of Kentucky

Jain P, University of Kentucky

### **Current PhD committee member at other institutions**

Kubartz B, University of Oklahoma, NSF funded.

### **PhD dissertations supervised**

- 2008 Egresi I, PhD, University of Oklahoma. *Geographical dynamics of FDI in Romania*, Departmental funding.
- 2005 De Socio M, PhD, University of Cincinnati. *Anchoring the city: retail location and the politics of downtown development*, Departmental funding.
- 2004 Greasley S, PhD, Sheffield University, *The politics of business representation in the English regions*, ESRC Award
- 2004 McTague C, PhD, University of Cincinnati, *Networking the vote: a case study of public school levies in Cincinnati, Ohio*, Departmental funding

1999 Hollywood E, PhD, Sheffield University, *Going nowhere? The migration of ex-miners in Britain*, Hossein Farny University Scholarship Award, (co-chair with D Sporton, Geography, Sheffield)

1998 Hill N, PhD, Sheffield University, *Transportation for a large manufacturing site: the case of GKN-Westland Engineering Ltd.*, GKN-Westland Engineering Ltd Award

### **MA theses supervised**

2006 Myatt-James A, MA, University of Oklahoma, *Unpacking and Assessing the Alterity of the Farmers Market*, Departmental funding

2006 Matthews M, MA, University of Oklahoma, non-thesis option

2005 Schilawski H, MA, University of Oklahoma, *Domesticating nature: Residential development on Norman's urban-rural fringe*, Departmental funding

2004 Peebles I, MA, University of Oklahoma, *Producing urban space: a case study of urban expansion, Norman, Oklahoma, 1940-2000*, Departmental funding

2004 Hailey C, MA, University of Oklahoma, *Drilling the city: the impact of oil field development on Oklahoma City, 1928-2000*, Departmental funding

### **PhD committee member**

2008 Walker D, PhD Kentucky, *Gentrification moves to the Global South: An analysis of the Programa De Rescate, a neoliberal urban policy in Mexico City's Centro Historico* (Chair: S Roberts, Geography, Kentucky)

2008 Hanlon J, PhD, Kentucky, *Distressed public housing and HOPEVI revitalization: An analysis of Park DuValle in Louisville, Kentucky* (Chair: R Schein, Geography, Kentucky)

2008 Ling J, PhD, Kentucky, *Ghosts of networks past: the effects of past network ties on knowledge creation* (Co-Chairs: D Brass and A Mehra, Business and Economics, Kentucky)

2007 Reynolds T, PhD, Oklahoma, *Fragmentary worlds: Unnatural perceptions of and responses to severe weather by people with sensory/mobility impairments*, self-funded (Chair: F Shelley, Geography, Oklahoma)

2006 Robertson H, PhD, Oklahoma, *Marketing food, making meaning: themes in twentieth century American food advertising*, Departmental funding (Chair: K Offen, Geography, Oklahoma)

- 2001 Samuels M, PhD, Sheffield Hallam, *The Information City: the role of new jobs and new skills*, joint Sheffield Hallam-Sheffield University studentship (Chair: G Dabinett, CRESR, Sheffield Hallam University)
- 2000 Wardle P, PhD, Sheffield, *Industrial districts and their local networks: a comparative analysis*, Cities and Regions Research Centre studentship, (Chair: H D Watts)
- 2000 DeKervenoael R, PhD, Sheffield, *An assessment of the role of regional jurisdictions in economic development policy: the case of tourism policy in France and Great Britain*, Geography Department studentship, (Chair: H Armstrong)
- 2000 Appleton Z, PhD, Sheffield Hallam, *The Single Regeneration Budget and social regeneration*, joint Sheffield Hallam-Sheffield University studentship, (Chair: P Lawless, Sheffield Hallam University)
- 2000 Gladwell C, PhD, Sheffield, *Place marketing of British cities*, Town and Regional Planning Department studentship, (Chair: D Valler, Town and Regional Planning)
- 1999 Crone M, PhD, Sheffield, *Multinationals, linkages and the region*, ESRC Award, (Chair: H D Watts)
- 1997 Donohue D, PhD, Sheffield, *Diversity, diversification and economic activity in the British urban system: 1978 - 1991*, ESRC Award, (Chair: H D Watts)

## **F. Conferences Organized**

- 2008 Engineering Earth: The impact of megaengineering projects (with S Brunn), 50 participants, Lexington, Kentucky, July 21-23
- 2006 Political Geography Specialty Group AAG Pre-conference (with D Wilson), Champaign-Urbana, March 5-7
- 2003 Assessing the sustainability of Bio-based products (with R Anex and R Lifset), 42 participants, Norman, Oklahoma, June 26-27
- 2000 Critical geography (with K Cox, Ohio State and A Smith, Kentucky), 50 participants, Cincinnati, October 28
- 1998 Reflections on the institutional turn in local economic development (with D Valler), sponsored by the University of Sheffield and the Economic Geography Research Group of the RGS-IBG, 50 participants, Sheffield, September 9-10.

## **G. Conference Presentations**

- 2009 The new post-suburban politics? (with N Phelps), Association of American Geographers, Annual Conference, Las Vegas, April 17-21

- 2008 Less is more: spectres of scarcity and the politics of resource access (with G Bridge), Association of American Geographers, Annual Conference, Boston, April 15-19.
- 2007 A precarious power: international oil companies, knowledge and global reach (with G Bridge), 66nd Annual Meeting, Southeastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, Charleston, November 18-20.
- 2007 A precarious power: international oil companies, knowledge and global reach (with G Bridge), 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on Critical Geography, Lexington, October 4-6.
- 2007 Globalization and the property development industry, Second Global Conference on Economic Geography, Beijing, June 25-29
- 2007 When all the easy oil is gone – geographies of knowledge in the upstream oil sector (with G Bridge and M Bradshaw), Association of American Geographers, Annual Conference, San Francisco, April 17-21
- 2006 Missing links? Evaluating relational approaches to understanding the global oil industry (with G Bridge and B Kubartz), Association of American Geographers, Annual Conference, Chicago, March 7-11
- 2005 Mapping the globalization of the US oil industry (with B Kubartz and E Duda) Southwest AAG Regional Conference, Lafayette, November 9-11
- 2005 Geographies of knowledge in the oil exploration and production industry: Learning from the Gulf of Mexico (with G Bridge and B Kubartz) RGS-IBG Annual Conference, London, August 31-September 2
- 2005 Lost in Translation? Local interests, global actors and the multi-scalar dynamics of inward investment, Association of American Geographers, Annual Conference, Denver, April 5-9
- 2004 Scale and the comparative politics of urban governance, Urban Affairs Association Annual Meeting, Washington DC, March 31-April 3
- 2004 Governance rescaling and the politics of business representation: A strategic-relational approach (with D Valler), Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Philadelphia, March 14-19
- 2003 Devolution and the politics of business representation in the UK: A strategic-relational approach (with D Valler), Third Joint Congress of the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning/Association of European Schools of Planning, Leuven, Belgium, July 8-12
- 2003 Devolution and the political representation of business interests in the UK (with D Valler), Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, New Orleans, March 3-9

- 2002 Devolution, business representation and the English regional question, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Los Angeles, March 19-23
- 2002 Devolution and the politics of business representation (with D Valler, M Raco, N Phelps, P Shirlow), Royal Geographical Society/Institute of British Geographers Annual Conference, Belfast, January 4-7
- 2001 Devolution, decentralisation and business regionalism in the UK (with D Valler and D Betteley), American Collegiate Schools of Planning Annual Conference, Cleveland, November 8-11
- 2001 Theorising the politics of local economic development in Britain. Association of American Geographers Annual Conference, New York, February 27–March 3
- 2000 Local governance and local business interests (with D Valler). Association of American Geographers Annual Conference, Pittsburgh, April 4-8
- 1999 Towards a constructivist analysis of business agendas for local economic development (with D Valler and P North), Royal Geographical Society/Institute of British Geographers Annual Conference, Leicester, January 4-7
- 1998 Business and the politics of local economic development (with D Valler and P North), Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Boston, March 25-29
- 1998 Local business representation and the private sector role in local economic policy in Britain (with D Valler and P North), Royal Geographical Society/Institute of British Geographers Annual Conference, Kingston, Surrey, January 5-8
- 1997 Creating local business interests: The private sector role in urban governance in Britain (with D Valler), Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Fort Worth, April 1-5
- 1996 Organising for local economic development: US-UK comparisons, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Charlotte, April 9-13
- 1996 Creating local business interests in the entrepreneurial city: The private sector role in partnership organizations, Royal Geographical Society/Institute of British Geographers Annual Conference, Glasgow, January 3-6
- 1995 Inward investment and the organisation of local economic development networks, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Nystrom Award Session, Chicago, March 14-18

- 1995 Theorising local social relations, Royal Geographical Society/Institute of British Geographers Annual Conference, Newcastle, January 3-6
- 1994 Organising for local economic development: US-UK comparisons, Regional Science Association International, British and Irish Section, Annual Conference, Dublin, Ireland, September 14-16
- 1994 Inter-firm networks and the development of local economies, European Congress of the Regional Science Association, Groningen, Netherlands, August 23-26
- 1993 Local economic development networks and capitalist investment in the American City, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Atlanta, April 6-10
- 1991 Local economic development strategies in the Industrial Midwest, Urban Change and Conflict Conference, Lancaster, England, September 10-13
- 1991 The American States and the growth of economic development policy, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Miami, April 13-17
- 1989 State-level economic development initiatives, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Baltimore, March 18-21
- 1988 Hegemony and the local state: Case studies from Britain and the United States, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Phoenix, April 6-8
- 1987 The political-economy of property rating in London, 1918-1939, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Portland, April 23-26.

#### **IV. Teaching Activities**

##### **Current teaching activities, University of Kentucky**

Undergraduate: Lands and Peoples of the Non-Western World (GEOG 160);  
Quantitative Techniques in Geography (GEO 310)

Graduate: Seminar in Economic Geography (GEO 713); Preparing Future Faculty  
in Geography (GEO 742); Concepts in Geography (GEO 702)

##### **Previous teaching activities, University of Oklahoma (2001-2006)**

Undergraduate: Economic Geography (GEOG 1213); Principles of Economic  
Geography (GEOG 3243); Political Geography (GEOG 3513); Cities  
(HONS 3993.005); City and Nature (HONS 2973.040 with G Bridge);  
What is Science? (HONS 2973.003 with R Hamerla and S Tracy) ;  
Science and Public Policy (HONS 2973.020 with R Hamerla and S  
Tracy); Study in Depth Prospectus (LSTD 3953)

Graduate: Seminar in Economic Geography (GEOG 6230); Seminar in Political  
Geography (GEOG 6220); Field Studies (GEOG 5610)

##### **Previous teaching activities, University of Cincinnati (2000/01)**

Undergraduate: Comparative Urban Geography; Historical Urban Geography; World  
Regional Geography – Europe

Graduate: Seminar in Urban Geography; Seminar in Political Geography

##### **Previous teaching activities, Sheffield University (1993-2000)**

Undergraduate: Region, Nation, World; Study Skills for Geographers I; Economic  
Geography; Local Societies and Economies; Local Economic  
Development

Graduate: Philosophy and Methodology in Human Geography (part); Research  
Methods in Human Geography (part); Work: New Forms, Relations  
and Places; Local Economic Policy I; Local Economic Policy II

#### **V. Service and Administration**

##### **Professional service**

Chair, Economic Geography Specialty Group, 2008 – present

Secretary/Treasurer and Vice-chair, Economic Geography Specialty Group, 2006 –  
2008

Board Member, RGS-IBG Book series, 2008 – present

Editorial Board Member, Geography Compass, Blackwell online journal, launched January 2007 – present

Board Member, Political Geography Specialty Group, 2006 – 2008

Guest Editor, theme issue of *Local Economy* 'Devolution, regionalism and local economic development' (with D Valler and N Phelps), August 2002

Guest Editor, theme issue of *Environment and Planning A* 'Reflections on the 'institutional turn' in local economic development' (with D Valler), July 2001

Co-organizer of Conferences, Lexington 2008, Norman 2006, Champaign-Urbana 2006, Norman 2003, Cincinnati 2000, Sheffield 1998

Co-organizer of paper sessions, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers 2008, 2007, 2005, 2003, 2002 and 1998

Proposal reviewer for NSF, ESRC (Grant and Fellowship Competitions) and Dutch Social Science Research Council

Peer review for: Annals of the Association of American Geographers, Economic Geography; Journal of Economic Geography; Growth and Change; Local Economy; Urban Studies; Environment and Planning A; Environment and Planning D: Society and Space; Political Geography; Regional Studies; Antipode; Urban Affairs Review; Progress in Human Geography; Geoforum; European Urban and Regional Studies; Journal of Historical Geography Area; Scottish Geographical Journal; book proposals for Routledge, Ashgate; book manuscripts for Manchester University Press, Pearson, Routledge, Ashgate and Guilford

### **University and Departmental service**

Graduate Council, Fall 2007 – May 2008

Faculty Search Committee, Physical Geography position, Fall 2006

Graduate Committee, Fall 2006 – present

Personnel Committee, Fall 2006 – present, Chair Fall 2007 – present

Visiting Speakers/Semple Day Committee, Fall 2006 – May 2008

### **Previous administrative responsibilities**

Oklahoma: Faculty Senate; Executive Committee, College of Liberal Studies; Academic Misconduct Committee, College of Liberal Studies; Organizing Committee, 'Books that Inspire' Exhibit, University of Oklahoma Libraries; Faculty Search Committee, Honors College; Faculty Search Committee, School of International and

Area Studies; Affiliate Faculty Member, School of International and Area Studies; Academic Misconduct Committee, College of Geosciences; Academic Misconduct Committee, Graduate College; Academic Programs Committee, College of Geosciences; Committee A (Department Executive Committee); Graduate Advisor; Faculty Search Committee, Remote Sensing position; Faculty Search Committee, Department chair position; Faculty Search Committee, GIScience position; Graduate Review Committee (including Chair); Academic Awards Committee; 2006 SWAAG Conference Committee; Intern Program Director; Technology Committee

Sheffield: Faculty Board; Faculty Examination Board; Staff-Student Committee; Staff-Postgraduate Advisory Group; Research and Postgraduate Policy Committee; Yorkshire and Humberside Regional Studies Association. Admissions Officer (BA Geography and BA Dual Degrees); Dual Degrees Tutor; Geography Society Liaison; Royal Geographical Society/Institute of British Geographers Liaison Officer

## **VI. Awards**

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| 2004   | University of Oklahoma Junior Faculty Research Award                              |
| 1992-3 | Graduate School Fellowship, Ohio State University                                 |
| 1992   | Huntington Memorial Award, Department of Geography, Ohio State University         |
| 1986   | Roxby Geographical Essay Prize, Department of Geography, Liverpool University     |
| 1985-6 | Eleanor Rathbone Scholarship, School of the Social Sciences, Liverpool University |