

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

Pinkerton Academy High School, Derry, New Hampshire, 1956-60.
Dartmouth College, Hanover, New Hampshire, 1960-64.
Freiburg University, Freiburg, West Germany, Fall, 1962.
Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, 1964-70.
School of Oriental and African Studies, London, England, Fall, 1967.
London School of Economics, London, England, Fall 1967.

DEGREES

B. A. , Dartmouth College, 1964, Anthropology.
Ph. D. , Cornell University, 1975, Anthropology (minors in Social Psychology and Southeast Asian Studies).

LANGUAGES

German: can read and speak with limited proficiency
Malay/Indonesian: can read and speak with proficiency; can also speak fluent Kelantanese dialect and read jawi script haltingly.

HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

Undergraduate Scholarship, Dartmouth College, 1960-64.
B. A. degree cum laude with distinction in anthropology.
National Institute of Health Fellowship, Cornell, 1964-65.
Research Assistant, summer, 1965.
Teaching Assistantship, Cornell, 1965-66.
National Institute of Health Fellowship and Southeast Asia Program Fellowship, 1966-67.
Teaching assistantship, Cornell, summer, 1967.
London-Cornell Project Studentship, fall, 1967 (in London).
National Institute of Mental Health Predoctoral Research Fellowship with Field Research Training Grant for Dissertation

HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS (cont.)

Huber Foundation Grant for Research, summer 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975.

Dissertation, The Semantic differential and Kelantanese Malay Values,
_____selected by Asian Studies Program of Cornell University for
reproduction and dissemination to libraries with Asian holdings.

Fulbright-Hays Award for Malaysia, 1977.

Hamilton summer grant for research, summers, 1978-89, 92, 93, 2001, 2005.

Visiting Fellow, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, 1984, 1989, 1995.

Joint appointment with Department of Anthropology and Southeast Asia
Program.

Listed in Compendium of Scholars: Ethnicity and Women's Issues.

Listed in Who's Who in the East, 25th - 28th Edition.

Christian A. Johnson "Excellence in Teaching" Professorship 1993 – 1996.

Listed in Marquis' Who's Who in America, 51st Edition - currently.

Listed as a "Best Professor" in Birnbaum's 1994 Guide to Colleges.

The Samuel and Helen Lang Prize for Excellence in Teaching 2003

Hamilton Alumni Association Distinguished Service Award 2006

The Sidney Wertimer, Jr. Award for Teaching 2005-6.

FIELDWORK AND DISSERTATION

Eighteen months social anthropological and social psychological research
in Kelantan, Malaysia with Kelantan Malays; January 1968-June
1969.

Dissertation involved a study of Malay cultural and social values and how
these relate to social change and social deviance. The study utilized
participant observation and the semantic differential, a
psycholinguistic measure of connotative meaning.

Four months anthropological research in Kuala Lumpur, Selangor,
Malaysia; June 1977-September 1977.

Three months psychological and anthropological research on semantic
relations and on memory in Kelantan, Malaysia; May 1989-July 1989.

Three months anthropological research on Islam and the introduction of
Hudud laws in Kelantan, Malaysia; May 1993-July 1993.

Five months psychological and anthropological research on semantic
relations and modernization in Kelantan, Malaysia; March 2001-
August 2001

Four months anthropological research on modernization in Kelantan,
Malaysia; May 2005-August 2005

ACADEMIC INTERESTS

Social Anthropology, Psychological Anthropology, Deviance Theory.
Malaysia, Southeast Asia, China.

Nonverbal Communication, especially kinesics; Psycholinguistics;
Anthropological Theory, Future Studies.

COURSES PREPARED TO TEACH

Introductory cultural anthropology

Ethnology of Southeast Asia, China

Psychological Anthropology, Nonverbal Communication and Social Interaction, Comparative Gender Roles, Anthropology of Deviance, Sociocultural Simulations.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistantship, Cornell, 1965-66; summer, 1967.
Instructor of Anthropology at Kirkland College, 1970-75. (Developed anthropology program at Kirkland and facilitated coordination with anthropologists at Hamilton.)
Assistant Professor of Anthropology, Kirkland College, 1975-76.
Associate Professor of Anthropology, Kirkland College, 1976-78.
Associate Professor of Anthropology, Hamilton College, 1978-84.
Professor of Anthropology, Hamilton College, 1984 - present.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Chair of 14 member Social Science Division, Kirkland College, 1976-77.
Chair of Anthropology Department, Hamilton College, 1981-83; 1985-88; 1990; 1991-1992, 1996.
Chair of Asian Studies Committee, Hamilton College, 1979-81; 1991, 1993-94.
Co-Organizer of 23rd Annual Meeting of the Northeastern Anthropological Association, Syracuse, New York, March 1983.
Chaired variety of symposia at American Anthropological Association Meetings and at meetings of the Northeastern Anthropological Association.
Consultant for Bureau of Labor Statistics, Summer, 1989.
Advisory Editor for Cross-Cultural Research: The Journal of Comparative Social Science.
Anthropology Representative to the Society for Cross Cultural Research 1995-98.
Advisory Editor for The Journal of Cognitive Technology.
Organizer of the 32nd Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research, Charleston, SC, February, 2003.
President of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research February 2003-February 2004.

MAJOR COMMITTEE SERVICE

KIRKLAND COLLEGE:

Appointments Committee, 1970-76; By-Laws Committee, 1973-74.
Assembly (governing body of Kirkland), 1970-74; Priorities Committee, 1976-77.

HAMILTON COLLEGE;

Committee on Academic Policy, 1978-81; Chair, 1980-81.
Foreign Fellowship Committee, 1982-83, 1988-2005, Chair, 1982-83.
Asian Studies Committee, 1978-present; Chair 1982-84, 1991, 1994.
Women's Studies Committee, 1979-89; Committee on Appointments, 1985-1987.
Job Evaluation Committee, 1989-92, 1994-2000.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

Freilich, Morris, Douglas Raybeck, and Joel Savishinsky, eds.

1991 Deviance: Anthropological Perspectives. Westport, CT: Bergin & Garvey.

Herrmann, Douglas, Douglas Raybeck, and Daniel Guttman

1993 Improving Student Memory, Seattle, WA: Hogrefe and Huber Publishers.

Raybeck, Douglas

1996 Mad Dogs, Englishmen and the Errant Anthropologist: Fieldwork in Malaysia. Prospect Heights, IL: Waveland Press.

Herrmann, Douglas, Douglas Raybeck, and Michael Gruneberg

1998 A Clash of Scientific Cultures: The Relationship of Basic and Applied Research, Terra Haute, IN: Indiana State University Press.

Raybeck, Douglas

2000 Looking Down the Road: A Systems Approach to Future Studies. Prospect Heights, IL: Waveland Press.

Herrmann, Douglas, Douglas Raybeck, and Michael Grunberg

2002 Improving Memory and Study Skills: Theory and Practice, Seattle, WA: Hogrefe and Huber Publishers.

ARTICLES and OTHERS

Raybeck, Douglas

1974 Social Stress and Social Structure in Kelantan Village Life. In Kelantan: Religion, Society and Politics in a Malay State, William R. Roff, ed. Pp. 225-242. Kuala Lumpur: Oxford University Press.

Raybeck, Douglas

1975. The Semantic Differential and Kelantanese Malay Values: A Methodological Innovation in the Study of Social and Cultural Values. PhD. Dissertation Unpublished Phd Thesis, Cornell University.

Osgood, Charles E., William H. May, and Murray S. Miron

1975 Cross-Cultural Universals of Affective Meaning. Urbana: University of Illinois Press.
[Contributed Semantic Differential for Malaysian/Malay.]

Raybeck, Douglas

1980 Ethnicity and Accommodation: Malay-Chinese Relations in Kelantan, Malaysia. Ethnic Groups 2:241-268.

Raybeck, Douglas

1980-81 The Ideal and the Real: The Status of Women in Kelantan Malay Society. Women and Politics 1:7-21.

Herrmann, Douglas, and Douglas Raybeck

1981 Similarities and Differences in Meaning in Six Cultures. Journal of Cross Cultural Psychology 12:194-206.

Raybeck, Douglas

1982 Comment on David J. Banks's "The Role of Spirit Beliefs and Islam in the 20th Century Malay Villagers' Idea of Ultimate Reality". Ultimate Reality and Meaning 5:329-331.

Raybeck, Douglas

1983 Chinese Patterns of Adaptation in Southeast Asia. In The Chinese in Southeast Asia: Identity, Culture and Politics, Vol. 2. L. A. Peter Gosling, and Linda Y. C. Lim, eds. Pp. 15-33. Singapore: Maruzen Asia.

Raybeck, Douglas

1985 A Diminished Dichotomy: Kelantan Malay and Traditional Chinese Perspectives. In In Her Prime: A New View of Middle-Aged Women, Judith Brown, and Virginia Kerns, eds. Pp. 155-170. Granby, MA: Bergin & Garvey.

Raybeck, Douglas

1986 The Elastic Rule: Conformity and Deviance in Kelantan Village Life. In Cultural Identity in Northern Peninsular Malaysia, Sharon Carstens, ed. Pp. 55-74. Athens, Ohio: Ohio University Press.

Raybeck, Douglas

1988 Anthropology and Labeling Theory: A Constructive Critique. Ethos 16:371-397.

Raybeck, Douglas

1988 No Room at the Interstice: Problems of Life on an Increasingly Crowded Planet. In Proceedings of the Fifth Annual CONTACT Conference. Sacramento, CA: Contact.

Raybeck, Douglas

1989 On Wings of Waxed Paper: Kite Flying in Kelantan, Malaysia. The World & I November: 652-663.

Raybeck, Douglas, Judy Shoobe, and Jay Graubeger

1989 Women, Stress and Participation in Possession Cults: A Reexamination of the Calcium Deficiency Hypothesis. Medical Anthropology Quarterly 3:139-161.

Raybeck, Douglas

1990 Communities of Interest. In Proceedings of the Seventh Annual CONTACT Conference. Phoenix, AZ: Contact.

Raybeck, Douglas, and Douglas Herrmann

1990 A Cross-Cultural Examination of Semantic Relations. Journal of Cross-Cultural Psychology 21: 452-473.

Raybeck, Douglas

1991 Deviance, Labelling Theory and the Concept of Scale. Anthropologica 33:17-38.

Raybeck, Douglas

1991 Hard versus Soft Deviance: Anthropology and Labeling Theory. In Deviance: Anthropological Perspectives, Morris Freilich, Douglas Raybeck, and Joel Savishinsky, eds. Pp. 51-72. New York: Bergin & Garvey.

Raybeck, Douglas

1991 Proxemics and Privacy: Managing the Problems of Life in Confined Environments. In From Antarctica to Outer Space: Life in Isolation and Confinement, Albert A. Harrison, Yvonne A. Clearwater, and Christopher P. McKay, eds. Pp. 317-330. New York: Springer-Verlag.

Raybeck, Douglas

1991 To Seek Their Own Living. The World & I November: 666-677.

Raybeck, Douglas

1992 The Coconut-Shell Clock: Time and Cultural Identity. Time & Society 1:323-340.

Raybeck, Douglas

1992 Getting Below the Surface. In The Naked Anthropologist: Tales from Around the World, Philip R. DeVita, ed. Pp. 3-16. Belmont, CA: Wadsworth Publishing Company.

Raybeck, Douglas

1992 A Diminished Dichotomy: Kelantan Malay and Traditional Chinese Perspectives. In In Her Prime: New Views of Middle-Aged Women, Virginia Kerns, and Judith Brown, eds. Pp. 173-189. Chicago: University of Illinois Press.

Raybeck, Douglas

1992 A Selective Bibliography on Deviance and Anthropology. Annotated Bibliographies for Anthropologists 2: 5-73.

Raybeck, Douglas

1992 Outsider. Association for Anthropology and Gerontology, Newsletter 13: 3-5.

Raybeck, Douglas

1993 Leadership, Isolation and Small Group Dynamics. In Proceedings of the Tenth Annual CONTACT Conference. Santa Clara, CA: Contact.

Herrmann, Douglas , and Douglas Raybeck

1993 Sacred Meaning. In Science of Refugee Mental Health: New Concepts and Methods, R. F. Mollica, D. Birman, and T. Bornemann, eds. Boston: Harvard University Press.

Raybeck, Douglas

1994 Predator-Prey Models and Contact Considerations. In Proceedings of the Eleventh Annual CONTACT Conference. Palo Alto, CA: Contact.

Raybeck, Douglas

1996 Problems in Extraterrestrial Communication. SETIQuest 2: 19-21; 3: 10-12.

Raybeck, Douglas, and Douglas Herrmann

1996 Antonymy and Semantic Relations: The Case for a Linguistic Universal. Cross-Cultural Research: The Journal of Comparative Social Science 30: 154-183.

Raybeck, Douglas

1996 Deviance. In The Encyclopedia of Cultural Anthropology, Vol. 1. David Levinson, and Melvin Ember, eds. Pp. 334-337. Lakeville, CT: American Reference Publishing Company Inc.

Herrmann, Douglas J., and Douglas Raybeck

1996 A Clash of Cultures: Basic and Applied Cognitive Research. In Intersections in Basic and Applied Memory Research, D. G. Payne, and F. G. Conrad, eds. Mahwah, New Jersey: Erlbaum.

Raybeck, Douglas

1996 Weightlessness, Stress and Calcium Deficiency: Psychological Considerations. In Proceedings of the Thirteenth Annual CONTACT Conference. Palo Alto, CA: Contact.

Herrmann, Douglas, Carol Y. Yoder, Justine Wells, and Douglas Raybeck

1996 Portable Electronic Scheduling/Reminding Devices. Cognitive Technology I: 36-44.

Raybeck, Douglas

1997 Do the Wrong Thing: Variation in Deviance. In Cross-Cultural Research for Social Science, Carol R. Ember, and Melvin Ember, eds. Pp. 279-98. Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice Hall.

Raybeck, Douglas

1997 Anthropology and the Future: Simulating Possibilities. Bulletin of the Federation of Small Anthropology Programs 6: 3-8.

Raybeck, Douglas, and Christopher Leonardi

1997 Cultural Filters, Cognition and Technology. In Proceedings of Cognitive Technology. Pp. 155-172. Terre Haute, IN: Indiana State University.

Raybeck, Douglas

1998 Literacy Lost. In Proceedings, Fourteenth Annual CONTACT Conference. Palo Alto, CA: Contact.

Raybeck, Douglas

1998 Toward More Holistic Explanations: Cross-Cultural Research and Cross-Level Analysis. Cross-Cultural Research: The Journal of Comparative Social Science 32: 123-142.

Raybeck, Douglas

1999 "A Systems Approach to Future Studies" in the Proceedings of the Fifteenth Annual CONTACT Conference. Palo Alto, CA: Contact.

Raybeck, Douglas

1999 "The Midday Sun and Other Hazards" in Annual Editions: Anthropology 99/00, pp. 27-33. Guilford, CT, Duskin/McGraw-Hill .

Raybeck, Douglas

2000 What we Don't Know: Problems in Extraterrestrial Communication. In Proceedings of the Sixteenth Annual CONTACT Conference. Palo Alto, CA: Contact.

Raybeck, Douglas

2001 Saint Kitts and Nevis. In Countries and Their Cultures, Vol. 4. Melvin Ember, and Ember Carol R., eds. Pp. 1885-1890. New York: Macmillan Reference USA.

Raybeck, Douglas

2003 The Spin (Der Dreh). In Malaysia: Riches from the Golden Land, Ramesh Kumar Biswas, eds. Pp. 128-135. New York: Springer-Verlag/Wien.

Raybeck, Douglas

2005 The case for Complementarities. Cross-Cultural Research: The Journal of Comparative Social Science 39,(3).

Raybeck, Douglas

2005 PAR Value. in Ethos: The Journal of the Society for Psychological Anthropology, 33, (3) [Invited Commentary]

Paap, Kris and Douglas Raybeck

2005 A Differently Gendered Landscape: Gender and Agency in the Web-based Personals. Electronic Journal of Sociology, 9, (3), ISSN: 1198 3655

SELECTED PAPERS

"Main Puteri: The Healing Ceremony as a Means of Reducing Social Stress," paper presented at the 69th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, San Diego, California, November, 1970.

"The Semantic Differential and a Study of Cultural Values," paper presented at the 72nd Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, New Orleans, Louisiana, November, 1973.

"Kelantanese Divorce: The High Price of Village Harmony," paper presented at the 74th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, San Francisco, California, December, 1975.

"Malay-Chinese Relations in Kelantan Village Life," paper presented at the 77th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Los Angeles, California, 1978.

"The Status of Women in Kelantan Malay Society," paper presented at the 19th Annual Meeting of the Northeastern Anthropological Association, Henniker, New Hampshire, March, 1979.

"Socio-Cultural Process: The Explanatory Role of Mediating Variables," paper presented at the 78th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Cincinnati, Ohio, November 1979.

"Psychosemantics in a Cross-Cultural Context," paper presented at the 20th Annual Meeting of the Northeastern Anthropological Association, Amherst, Massachusetts, March, 1980.

"Chinese Patterns of Adaptation in Southeast Asia," invited paper presented at the University of Michigan Conference, "The Chinese in Southeast Asia: Ethnicity and Economic Activity, September," 1980.

"The Elastic Rule: Conformity and Deviance in Kelantan Village Life," paper presented at the 79th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Washington, D. C. , December, 1980.

"Kelantan Malay and Traditional Chinese Perspectives on Middle-Aged Women," paper presented at the 81st Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Washington, D. C. , December 1982.

"Kelantanese Concepts of Deviance," paper presented at the 23rd Annual Meeting of the Northeastern Anthropological Association, Syracuse, March, 1983.

"Anthropology and Labeling Theory: Are Deviants Created or Recognized?," paper presented at the 82nd Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Chicago, Illinois, November, 1983.

"Values, Deviance and Conformity," paper presented at the 24th Annual Meeting of the Northeastern Anthropological Association, Hartford, Connecticut, March 1984.

Plenary Speaker at "Deviance in a Cross-Cultural Context," University of Waterloo, Waterloo, Ontario, June 1984.

"Values and Deviance: Reconciling Culture and Behavior," paper presented at the 83rd Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Denver, Colorado, November, 1984.

"Curing Ceremonies, Calcium and Corticoids: The Roles of Social, Psychological and Physiological Factors in Trance Susceptivity," paper presented at the 25th Annual Meeting of the Northeastern Anthropological Association, Lake Placid, New York, April, 1985.

"Women, Stress and Participation in Possession Cults: A Reexamination of the Calcium Deficiency Hypothesis," paper presented at the 84th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Washington, D. C. , December, 1985.

"Kinesics and Conflict Management in Kelantan, Malaysia," paper presented at the 85th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Philadelphia, PA, December 1986.

"Anthropology is to Culture as Psychology is to Thought: A Cross-Cultural Examination of Semantic Relations" with Douglas Herrmann. Paper presented at the Joint Meeting of the American Ethnological Society and the Society of Psychological Anthropology, San Antonio, Texas, April 30-May 3, 1987.

"Proxemics and Privacy: Managing the Problems of Life in Confined Environments," paper presented at the conference on The Human Experience in Antarctica: Applications to Life in Space, Sunnyvale, California, August 17-19, 1987.

"The Hard and the Soft: Deviance as a Continuum," paper presented at the 86th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Chicago, Illinois, November 18-22, 1987.

"The Coconut Clock: Time as an Ethnic Marker," paper read at the Spring Meeting of the American Ethnological Society, Santa Fe, NM, April 6-9, 1989.

"I and Thou, Us and Them: The Individual and the Group in Peasant Society," paper presented at the 88th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Washington, DC, November 15-19, 1989

"Toward More Holistic Explanations: Crossing Levels of Analysis," paper presented at the 30th Annual Meeting of the Northeastern Anthropological Association, Burlington, VT, March 29 - April 1, 1990.

"The Concept of Self in Asian Cultures: The Importance of the Individual" paper presented at the 1990 New York Conference on Asian Studies, Hamilton College, Clinton, NY, October 6-7, 1990.

"Ethnicity, Deviance and the State" paper presented at the 113th Annual Spring Meeting of the American Ethnological Society, Charleston, SC, March 14-16, 1991.

"Gradients of Membership for Natural Kind and Artifact Categories: A Cross-Cultural Comparison of Americans and Malaysians," with Leslie Caplan and Robin Barr. Paper presented at the 21st Annual Symposium of the Jean Piaget Society, Philadelphia, PA, May 30-June 1, 1991.

"A Meaning-Full Study: Semantic Relations Across Cultures." paper presented with Douglas Herrmann at the 90th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Chicago, November 20-24, 1991.

"Antonomy and Semantic Relations: A Comparative Study" paper presented at the 21st Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research, Santa Fe, NM, February 26-March 1, 1992.

- "Problems in Extraterrestrial Communication" paper presented at the 9th Annual Meeting of CONTACT, Palo Alto, CA, March 5-8,1992.
- "The Relationship of Basic and Applied Cognitive Psychology" paper presented with Douglas Herrmann at The NSF Workshop on Human Performance in the Complex Workplace: Implications for Basic Research in Cognitive Science, Arlington, VA, September 10-11, 1992.
- "Comprehension of Relations among Concepts across Cultures" paper presented with Douglas Herrmann at Conference on Science of Refugee Mental Health: New Concepts and Methods, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, September 29 - October 1, 1992.
- "Comparison of Responses to Natural and Artifact Categories for Malays and Americans," paper presented at the 22nd Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research, Washington, DC, February 17 - 21, 1993.
- "Leadership, Isolation and Small Group Dynamics," paper presented at 10th Annual Meeting of CONTACT, Santa Clara, CA, February 25-28,1993.
- "The Ubiquity of Deviance and the Want of Privacy" paper presented at the 92nd Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Washington, DC, November 17-22, 1993.
- "The Semantic Differential and Deviance in Kelantan" paper presented at the 23rd Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research, Santa Fe, NM, February 16-20, 1994.
- "Predator-Prey Models and Contact Considerations" paper presented at the 11th Annual CONTACT Conference, Palo Alto, California, March 18th – 20th, 1994.
- "Cross-Cultural Differences in Metamemory" with Douglas Herrmann, presented at the 3rd Practical Aspects of Memory Conference, University of Maryland, College Park, MD 7/31-8/5/94.
- "The Relationship between Basic and Applied Research Cultures" with Douglas Herrmann, presented at the 3rd Practical Aspects of Memory Conference, University of Maryland, College Park, MD 7/31-8/5/94.
- "The Threats of Deviance" paper presented at the 93rd Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Atlanta, GA, November 30 - December 4, 1994.
- "Cross-Cultural Commonalties in Deviance" paper presented at the 24th Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research, Savannah, GA, February 15-19, 1995.
- "Deviance and the State in Kelantan, Malaysia" paper presented at the Southeast Asian Program Kahin Center, Cornell University, February 23, 1995.
- "Dorothy Lee and the Myth of Trobriand Non-Lineality" paper presented at the 94th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Washington, D.C. November 15-19, 1995.

- "Negotiating Stigma: Prostitution in Kelantan, Malaysia" paper presented at the 25th Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research, Pittsburgh, PA, February 14-18, 1996.
- "Semantic Relations: The Turkish Case" with Douglas Herrmann and Erol Balkan, paper presented at the 25th Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research, Pittsburgh, PA, February 14-18, 1996.
- "Weightlessness, Stress and Calcium Deficiency: Psychological Considerations," paper presented at the 13th Annual CONTACT Conference, Palo Alto, California, March 8th – 10th, 1996.
- "Anthropology and the Future: Simulating Possibilities," paper presented at the 95th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, San Francisco, CA, November 20-24, 1996.
- "Toward More Holistic Explanations: Cross-Cultural Research and Cross-Level Analysis" paper presented at the 26th Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research, San Antonio, Tx, February 19th-23rd, 1997
- "Literacy Lost," paper presented at the Fourteenth Annual CONTACT Conference, Sunnyvale, Ca, March 7th-9th, 1997.
- "Cultural Filters, Cognition and Technology." paper presented with Christopher Leonardi at the Conference on Cognition and Technology, Terre Haute, IN, April 3rd-5th, 1997.
- "Individual and Social Constructions of the Self: A Kelantanese Example" paper presented at the 26th Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research, St. Petersburg, FL, Feb. 18-22, 1998. (Co-organized session.)
- "Me, Thee, and ET" paper presented at the Fifteenth Annual CONTACT Conference, Sunnyvale, Ca, March 6th-8th, 1998.
- "Behavior and the Brain: Mediation of Acquired Skills" paper presented with Paul Ngo at the 28th Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross Cultural Research Santa Fe, NM February 4th – 7th, 1999
- "A Systems Approach to Future Studies" Paper presented at the Sixteenth Annual Meeting of CONTACT, Palo Alto, CA, March 5th-7th, 1999
- "SWF ISO LTR: The Quest For Love And Meaning In The Personals" Paper Presented with Stephanie Dorenbosch '00, and Michael Sarapata & Douglas Herrmann of Indiana State University. Paper presented at the 98th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Chicago, IL November 24th – 28th, 1996.
- "Deviance, Concepts and Cultural Variability" Invited paper presented at the 28th Annual Meeting of The Society for Cross-Cultural Research February 23-27, 2000, New Orleans, LA .

"Shapes in the Shadows: Reflexivity in Cross-Cultural Research" Invited paper presented at the 28th Annual Meeting of The Society for Cross-Cultural Research February 23-27, 2000, New Orleans, LA .

"What we Don't Know: Problems in Extraterrestrial Communication" paper presented at the Seventeenth Annual Meeting of CONTACT, Palo Alto, CA, March 5th-7th, 2000

"HTTP://WWW.Search For Love On The Web.Com." (with Kris Paap) Paper presented at the 99th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, San Francisco November, 24th – 28th, 2001.

"Some Variables Are More Equal Than Others: Cross-Cultural Research and Hypothesis Testing." Paper presented at the 29th Annual Meeting of The Society for Cross-Cultural Research February 21-25, 2001, San Diego, CA

"Reclaiming the Whole: Systems Theory, Levels of Analysis and Process" Paper Presented at the 100th Annual Meeting of The American Anthropological Association November 28 – December 2, 2001, Washington, DC

"The Quincunx of Kelantan: Values and Change over Thirty Years." (with Victor de Munck) Paper presented at the 30th Annual Meeting of The Society for Cross-Cultural Research February 20-24, 2002, Santa Fe, NM

"Cross-Cultural Variation in Memory and Metamemory between American and Malaysian Populations" with Heath, Kathleen M. (Indiana State University); Douglas Herrmann (Indiana State University). Paper Presented at the 32nd Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research, February 19-24, 2003, Charleston, SC.

"Children's Games and Adult Cognitive Capacities: A Systems Approach" with Paul Ngo (St. Norbert's College). Paper Presented at the 32nd Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research, February 19-24, 2003, Charleston, SC .

"Dorothy Lee and the Myth of Trobriand Non-Lineality" Paper presented at the Conference in Honor of Bernd Lambert, April 6, 2003, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY.

" Values, Modernization and Islam in Kelantan, Malaysia: A Thirty Year Perspective." Paper Presented at the 102nd Annual Meeting of The American Anthropological Association November 19 – 23, 2003, Chicago, IL.

" Competition and the Rise of Intelligence" Paper Presented at the 103rd Annual Meeting of The American Anthropological Association December 15-19, 2004, Atlanta, GA

"Altruism and the Development of Intelligence", "Diverse Disciplinary Views of Altruism" (Chaired), 34th Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research, February 19-22, 2004, San Jose, CA

"Predator – Prey Models and the Development of Intelligence", Paper presented at the SETI Conference, Mountain View, California, November 20, 2004

"The Future through Science Fiction." Paper presented at the 22nd Annual CONTACT Conference, March 18-20, 2005 NASA Ames, Moffett Field, CA

"Keeping Introductory Anthropology Fresh", Paper Presented at the 104th Annual Meeting of The American Anthropological Association Nov. 29- Dec. 4, 2005

"The Organization of Diversity", Invited Commentary Presented at the 104th Annual Meeting of The American Anthropological Association Nov. 29- Dec. 4, 2005

"Changing Conceptions of Justice and Deviance: Modernization in Kelantan, Malaysia" Special Symposium, *In Memory of Jim Starr: Social Science and Ethical Issues* (Organized & Chaired), 35th Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research, February 22-26, 2006 , Savannah, GA

"Music and the Brain: What Music Says about Us and Possible Others." Paper presented at the 23rd Annual CONTACT Conference, March 16-19, 2006 NASA Ames, Moffett Field, CA

"Temporalcentrism: The New Ethnocentrism." Paper presented at the 37th Annual Meeting of The Society for Cross-Cultural Research February 20-23, 2008, New Orleans, LA

"'Would You Tell Me, Please, Which Way I Ought To Go From Here?' 'That Depends a Good Deal On Where You Want To Get To,' Said the Cat." Paper presented at the 37th Annual Meeting of The Society for Cross-Cultural Research February 20-23, 2008, New Orleans, LA

"Holism and Anthropology: Reestablishing the Big Umbrella." Paper presented at the 48th Annual Meeting of the Northeastern Anthropological Association, March 7-9, 2008, Amherst, MA

"Addressing the Difficulties of Long-Term Space Flight: Leadership, Isolation and Small Group Dynamics" Paper presented at the 24th Annual CONTACT Conference, April 4-6,2008, NASA Ames, Moffett Field, CA

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Member, East Timor Action Network
Review National Science Foundation proposals.
Review manuscripts for Human Organization.
Review Manuscripts for AltaMira
Review manuscripts for Harvard University Press.