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Rebecca Hardin

Education

1994-2000: PhD dissertation, Yale University, Anthropology Department. “Translating the forest: tourism, trophy hunting, and the transformation of resource use in Central African Republic (CAR).”
Chairs: Alison Richard and Angelique Haugerud

1992-1994: M.Phil. Yale University, Department of Anthropology. Fields included History and Anthropology; social change; political ecology

1984-1988: A.B. Brown University, Program in Literary and Social Theory. Graduated *Magna Cum Laude*, Honors Thesis “The second layer: Marguerite Duras in an American context.”

Employment

September 2009 to present Associate Professor, School of Natural Resources and Environment, University of Michigan

July and August 2009 Visiting Professor, National Museum of Natural History in Paris, Research Department “Humans, Nature, and Societies.”

September 2003 to September 2009 Assistant Professor, jointly appointed in the Department of Anthropology, College of Literature, Science and the Arts (50%) and the School of Natural Resources and Environment (50%), University of Michigan

September 2002 - June 2003: Assistant Professor, jointly appointed in the Department of Anthropology (50%), and the McGill University School of Environment (MSE 50%), Faculty of Arts, Montreal, Canada

Winter Term 2001 and 2002: Visiting Professor, Science Politique, Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, France

September 2000- June 2001. Lecturer, Department of Anthropology, Yale University

January- June 2000: Research Associate and Instructor, Yale Center for International and Area Studies

Sept 1998-Jan1999: Postdoctoral Fellow, Laboratoire ERMES-IRD et Université d’Orléans, France Direction of research projects for Masters level students

Jan- June 1998: Part Time Acting Instructor, Yale University, Department of Anthropology

Sept-Dec 1997: Teaching Assistant, Yale University, Department of Anthropology

Sept-Dec 1994: Teaching Assistant, Yale University, Departments of English and American Studies

Languages

Fluent **English, French, and Sango**

German (read and written for research purposes)

Conversational **Gbaya (Kara dialect)**/ Conversational **Kaka (Bomitaba dialect)**

Rudimentary Hindi (due to frequent personal travel to India)

Publications

Selected Articles

2011. Hardin, R. Collective Contradictions of “Corporate” Conservation. In *FOCAAL, the European Journal of Anthropology and History* for a special issue in June on Corporate Social Responsibility, edited by Dinah Rajak and Catherine Dolan.

2011. Hardin, R. Concessionary Politics: Property, Patronage and Political Rivalry in Central African Forest Management. in *Current Anthropology* **52** (S3): S113-S125.

2011. Welker, M. D.J. Partridge and R. Hardin. Corporate lives: New perspectives on the Social Life of the Corporate Form. *Current Anthropology*. **52** (S3): S3-S16

2009. Remis, M.J., and R. Hardin. Transvalued Species in an African forest.” *Conservation Biology*. **23**(6): 1588 - 1596

2009. Batterman, S. J. Eisenberg, R. Hardin, M. Kruk, M. C. Lemos, A. Michalak, B. Mukherjee, E. Renne, H. Stein, C. Watkins, and M. Wilson. Sustainable Control of Water-Related Infectious Diseases: A Review and Proposal for Interdisciplinary Health-Based Systems Research *Environmental Health Perspectives* **117**:7: 1023-1032

2008. Agrawal, A., A. Chhatre, and R. Hardin. Changing governance of world forests. *Science*, **320** (5882): 1460-6.

2006. Hardin, R. and M.J. Remis. Biological and cultural anthropology in a changing tropical forest: A fruitful collaboration. *American Anthropologist* **108** (2): 273-285.

Edited volumes

Hardin, R., and K. Clarke, editors. *Transforming Ethnographic Practice* Contributors Agreements and Contracts signed and sent in spring 2010; currently in copyediting. Sample Copy Planned for Applied Anthropology meetings in March 2012. Sale Copies to follow for American Anthropological Association meetings in November 2012. Madison: University of Wisconsin Press.

Hardin, R., editor. *Socioemergence: Historical Ecology and Cultural Politics of Viral Disease in Tropical Forests*. Submitted to Editor Valerie Millholland, Duke University Press, for the series “Ecologies of the 21st Century.” Revisions complete after Reviewer Comments, Resubmission spring 2011 for publication in 2012.

Selected Chapters

2011. Jangu, M., and R. Hardin. Traditional healing in Tanzania: Integrating medical social and environmental justice. In S. Schmid and M. Diawara, editors. *Entangled medical fields: Transformation of meaning, knowledge and practice*. Libreville, Gabon: Editions Raponda-Walker.

2010. Hardin, R. Narrative, territory, and humanity in an African rainforest. In I. Feldman and M. Ticktin, editors. *In the Name of Humanity: The Government of Threat and Care*. Durham: Duke University Press.

2010. Hardin, R., M Robillard and S. Bahuchet. Social, spatial, and sectoral boundaries in transborder conservation of central African forests. In Wil de Jong et al., eds. *Transborder Governance of Forests, Rivers and Seas*. Earthscan Press. See link at the url: <http://cml.leiden.edu/news/book-transborder-governance-snelder.html>

**Publications
(cont'd)**

2010. Roulet, P. A., and R. Hardin. "Des grandes chasses coloniales aux chasses villageoises: Communautés, commerce, et contextes nationaux dans la gestion des ressources cynégétiques en Afrique Centrale." (Translated title: From colonial concessions to community hunting zones: village, industry and national contexts in contemporary central African trajectories of wildlife management). Chapter 4 in V. Joiris and P. Bigombe Logo, editors. *La Gestion « participative » des forêts d'Afrique centrale: doctrines, logiques, pratiques* ("Participatory" management of central African forests: Doctrines, logics, and practices.) Versailles: Editions Quae (publisher for a consortium of French research institutes in natural resource science and engineering including CIFOR, CEMAGREF, IRD, and INRA). Link at <http://www.quae.com/fr/livre/?GCOI=27380100902130>

2008. Hardin, R. Toward an ethic of intimacy: Touring and trophy hunting for elephants in Africa.. Pages 419-470 in C. Wemmer and C. A. Christensen, editors. *Elephants and ethics: Towards a morality of coexistence*. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press

2007. Remis, M.J., and R. Hardin. Anthropological contributions to protected area management Pages 85-109 in K. S. Hanna, D. A. Clark, and D. S. Slocombe, editors. *Transforming parks and protected Areas: Policy and governance in a changing world*. London: Routledge.

1998. Hardin, R., H.E. Eves, and S. Rupp. Introduction. Pages 8-29 in H.E. Eves, R.Hardin and S.Rupp, editors. *Resource use in the Trinational Sangha River region of equatorial Africa: Histories, knowledge forms and institutions*. Yale Forestry and Environmental Studies Bulletin Series, **102**. New Haven: Yale University.

Selected Reports and working papers

2010. Hardin, R. and A. Agrawal. Forests, People, and Tenure: Culture, Communities, and Sustainable Development. A United Nations Forum on Forests position paper.

2001. Auzel, P., and R. Hardin. "Wildlife utilization and the emergence of viral diseases." Pages 85-92 in M. Bakarr, G. d. a. Fonseca, R. Mittermeier, A. B. Rylands, and K. Walker Painemilla, editors. Hunting and bushmeat utilization in the African rainforest: Perspectives toward a blueprint for conservation action. Special issues of *Advances in applied biodiversity science* **2**. Washington, DC: Center for Applied Biodiversity Science (CABS) at Conservation International.

2001. Hardin, R. and P. Auzel. Colonial history, concessionary politics, and collaborative management of Equatorial African rain forests. Pages 21-38 in M. Bakarr, G. d. a. Fonseca, R. Mittermeier, A. B. Rylands, and K. Walker Painemilla, editors. Hunting and Bushmeat Utilization in the African rain forest: Perspectives toward a blueprint for conservation action. Special issue of *Advances in applied biodiversity science* **2**. Washington, D.C.: CABS at Conservation International

2000. with Susan Cook. Report to the Royal Bafokeng Nation on Research, Health, and Development on a Platinum Frontier: Trends and Recommendations based on field visits in 1999.

1997. Hardin, R., and M. Remis. "Research and rural development work sessions. Proceedings from meetings in Bayanga, RCA, July 31-August 2 1997." Report to The World Wildlife Fund-U.S. and Central Africa Regional Program for the Environment (USAID). Available in English, French or Sango, electronically at http://www.yale.edu/sangha/confer/CNF_SET.html.

Selected Book reviews

2011. Hardin, R. Richard Price. 'Rainforest Warriors: Human Rights on Trial.' Critical Review in *Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute* (forthcoming, July).

2000. Hardin, R. Michaël Singleton: 'Amateurs de chiens à Dakar: plaidoyer pour un interprétat anthropologique.' *Critical Review in African Affairs*. **99**(394): 137

1997. Hardin, R. Melissa Leach and James Fairhead: 'Misreading the African landscape: Society and ecology in a forest-savanna mosaic.' *Africa Today* **44** (3): 359-362

WORKS IN REVIEW

Book

Hardin, R. *Concessionary politics: Resources, Rivalries, and Environmental Identities in Africa* Manuscript accepted for publication by signed contract (March 26 2008) for "Colonialisms" series, University of California Press, Berkeley, in a series that was cancelled. Now sent for review at University of Chicago Press.

Articles

Hardin, R. 2011. Reflexivity and Impact. Invited Essay for the 25th Anniversary Special Issue of *Conservation Biology*.

Cook S. and R. Hardin. Negotiating Royalties in Contemporary Africa. Revised based on reviewers' comments and updated to include analysis of World Cup sponsorship by the Royal Bafokeng Nation. For resubmission to *Cultural Anthropology*. (June 2011)

WORKS IN PREPARATION

Books

Hardin, R. *Creatures at the rainbow's end: Trophy hunting, ecotourism, and the transformation of forest life in Central African Republic*. Prospectus submitted to Duke University Press, October 30, Duke and Chicago have requested the manuscript for review.

Articles

Alemana-Diaz, A. and Hardin, R. Hybrid Environmental Specialists: Institutional and Political Contradictions of Coastal Management. Submitted to *World Development* (January 2011)

Doremus J. and R. Hardin A Social history of logging in the western Congo Basin. For submission to the journal *Comparative Studies in Society and History* in fall 2010.

RESEARCH GRANTS

Forest management in Africa

2007-present. Co-PI with SNRE colleagues Tom Lyon, Dan Brown, John Vandermeer, and Rick Riolo (Arun Agrawal, PI). "Environmental governance, forests and logging concessions: the effects of institutional complexity on forest systems, cover, and change in Central Africa." Supported by \$1.5 million grant from the National Science Foundation, Coupled Human and Natural Systems Initiative.

2006. Two months Archival research in Europe on Colonial History of concession systems in the upper Sangha region of equatorial Africa. Supported by \$12,000 Rackham Faculty Improvement Grant, University of Michigan.

2001 and 2002: Grants (totaling \$13,000) Phase I of Sangha River Network Project. Yale Council on African Studies/Center for International and Area Studies/ Forestry and Environmental Studies.

Corporate social forms and environmental politics

2007. Co-PI on Grants (with Damani Partridge and Marina Welker) for an international symposium on "Corporate Lives: New Perspectives on the Corporate Social Form." Wenner Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research, and School for Advanced Research, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

2005. Research on Concessionary Politics in Southern Africa and Coordination of Corporate Lives Panel at the American Ethnological Society Meetings. Center for International Business Education. Supported by \$5000 grant from the University of Michigan.

2000. Fellowship for postdoctoral research and teaching on environment. Ford Foundation "Crossing Borders" Initiative, Yale Center for International and Area Studies.

2002. Fellowship for one year research and writing on Concessionary Politics in South Africa; supported by Social Science and Humanities Council, Canada, and McGill University (declined).

Emergent viral disease and human/wildlife interactions

2011 co-PI with Johannes Foufopoulos, seed grants totaling of \$40,000 from Graham Institute, African Studies, School of Environment and the Science, Technology, Engineering and Math in Africa initiative toward collaborative funds for Sustainability for research on the emergence of Q Fever among pastoralists and rural populations in Laikipia region, Kenya.

2005 and 2001. Fellowship for two years of research on emergent disease and environmental change under the auspices of the Academy Fellows Program; Academy Scholars Program, Weatherhead Center, Harvard University.

2003. PI and Chair for an authors meeting toward an edited volume on emergent viral disease in tropical forests at Harvard University. Supported by \$30,000 grant from Harvard Academy Scholars Program, and grants totaling 24,000 USD from U.S. Department of Interior (Fish and Wildlife Service, Great Ape Fund--declined in favor of Harvard funding)

2002. PI and Chair of an international working group on emergent viral disease in tropical forests. Supported by \$20,000 grant from the International Society for Ecosystem Health, Center for Applied Biodiversity Science, Conservation International.

1999. One month field research in Central African Republic on emergent viral disease and concessionary politics. Supported by \$3000 grant from Centre National pour la Recherche Scientifique (CNRS), Museum National d'Histoire Naturel, Paris.

1998. Fellowship for one year of research (approximately \$15,000 USD) at the University of Orléans/IRD Laboratoire ERMES; Conseil Regional de la Region du Centre, France.

1995. Archival research (CAOM, Aix en Provence, France and; Bundesarchiv, Berlin). Supported by \$7000 grant Yale International and Area Studies doctoral assistance.

SUMMER 1993 and 1994. Preliminary archival and field research in France and Central Africa on logging, hunting, tourism and forest management. Williams Fund, Mellon Fund, and Program in Agrarian Studies at Yale University.

Integration of humanities, social science, and natural science

2007. Work and work sessions with Interlock Media in Ann Arbor and Cambridge Massachusetts on a documentary film on Expeditionary Science, Evolutionary Paradigms, and the Colonial Origins of Environmental Conservation: Critical Debates about Race, Culture, Power. Supported by \$25,000 grant from Office of the Vice Provost for Research, University of Michigan, Harvard University's Academy for International and Area Studies and Currier House, Brown University's Department of Anthropology and the New York Botanical Gardens, and the American Museum of Natural History.

2005. \$8000 grant to develop materials for environmental anthropology curriculum; Center for Research on Learning and Teaching Grant, University of Michigan.

2000. Chair of a working group and working days on the theme "Environment, Literature, and Public Policy." Funded by \$10,000 grant from Whitney Humanities Center, Council on African Studies, Yale Center for International and Area Studies, Yale University.

1999. Fellowship for one semester study at University of California Humanities Research Institute, University of California, Irvine (declined).

Capacity Building and Collaboration in African Environmental Issues

2011 PI on grant from University of Michigan STEM-Africa initiative for Collaborative Research and Learning in East Africa

1999. PI on grant from Biodiversity Support Program (BSP) \$15, 000 for production of bilingual version of the Sangha River Network 1997 conference proceedings.

1999. \$55,000 grant from United States Agency for International Development (USAID), and BSP/Central Africa Regional Program on Environment (CARPE) to produce bilingual website.
1998. Grants totaling \$38,200 from Ford Foundation Crossing Borders Initiative, Yale University Center for International and Area Studies, and USAID BSP/CARPE for operating budget and international meetings on the role of independent research in environmental management of the western Congo basin, in Orleans, France.

1997. Co-recipient (with S. Rupp and H. Eves) of grants totaling \$50,000 from Kempf Memorial Fund at Yale; BSP/CARPE grant; Yale University for a conference on the histories, institutions, and knowledge forms shaping resource use in the Sangha River basin of Equatorial Africa.

1996. PI (with co-PI M. Remis) of grants totaling \$12,000 for the regional work sessions for indigenous experts and researchers Central African Republic. Agrarian Studies at Yale; World Wide Fund for Nature, U.S. and BSP/CARPE special grant.

Mentoring Funds for students chaired or co-chaired

Doctoral Candidate Guntra Aistara (Latvia) awarded competitive Rackam Writing Award (2008) and Central European University Environmental Studies Postdoctoral Fellowship (2010)

Doctoral Candidate Daphne Ghallagher (USA) awarded alternate status, Yale University Agrarian Studies Fellowship. Currently Postdoctoral Fellow at University of Oregon.

Doctoral Candidate Menan Jangu (Tanzania) 2010, awarded prestigious Campus Wide Award for Teaching Excellence, and Yossi Schiff award for Research Costs. 2011, awarded prestigious campus wide Rackham Writing Award, thus declined offer at St. Cloud State to write in Ann Arbor.

Doctoral Candidate Baruani Mshale (Tanzania) awarded prestigious Compton, Graham, SSRC, and Norwegian State Fellowships; co PI with me on NSF Geography Program Doctoral Dissertation Grant (submitted November 2010).

Doctoral Candidate Krista Gullo (USA-First Generation Grad School) Awarded Graham Doctoral Fellowship, University of Michigan.

Doctoral Candidate Catherine Benson awarded prestigious Sweetland Writing Institute grant for Dissertation completion, summer 2011, as well as NSF, Fulbright Hayes and NOAA funds for fieldwork and postdoctoral research.

Doctoral Candidate Jennifer Johnson (USA-First Generation Grad School), co-PI on NSF Geography Program Doctoral Dissertation Grant (submitted November 2010), and Wenner Gren proposal to investigate Gender and Change in Lake Victoria's Littoral; PI on \$6,000 Rackham Research Award for faculty summer research and writing collaborative on gender in Lake Victoria Fisheries (2011)

Doctoral Candidate Jacqueline Doremus (USA-First Generation Grad School) Co-PI on \$4000 Rackham Research Award for faculty summer research and writing collaborative on conflict and forest management (2008) and 2011. And on a grant proposal to conduct ethnography of decision-making under certification regimes in the timber sector in Congo Brazzaville and Cameroon. For submission to National Science Foundation and Wenner Gren Foundation to be submitted November 1.

Doctoral Pre-Candidate Ismael Achirri (Cameroon-First Generation Grad School) awarded five year Rackham Merit Fellowship

**Teaching and
Mentoring**

CLASSROOM TEACHING

University of Michigan, Department of Anthropology and SNRE

Research Ethics (NSF Modules and original content)	Fall Term 2011
Graduate Seminar: Justice issues in Sustainability	Fall Term 2011
Undergraduate Seminar on Sustainability in Kenya	Fall Term 2010
Graduate Seminar on Conservation Justice	Fall term 2010
Culture, Environment, Adaptation, Env/Anthrult 256	Winter terms 04, 05, 07-10
Seminar: 20 th Century Travel, Anthrult 158	Fall 2004, Fall 2008
Seminar: Environmental Anthro, Anthrult 357/Env 304	Winter 2005, 2007, Fall 2008
Global Change: Interdisciplinary, Env 111/Geo 111	Winter Terms 07, 08, 09, 10
Seminar: Conservation Anthropologies, Anthro 576/NRE 501	Winter 2007, Winter 09
Seminar: International Protected Areas, NRE 501	Winter 2005
Seminar: International Environmental Law and Policy, NRE 501	Winter 2008
Reading Course: Nature, Nation, Corporation NRE 995/959	Fall 2008 (four doc students)

McGill University, Department of Anthropology and School of Environment

Ethics and Environment (with Colin Duncan, History)	Fall 2002
Seminar: Anthropology of rural development	Fall 2002

Paris I (Sorbonne), Political Science

Seminar: Environment and development (with Estienne Rodary, IRD)	Winter 2001 and 02
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Yale University, Department of Anthropology

African Transformations, Yale College Lecture Course	Fall 2001
Classics in ethnography, Graduate Seminar	Fall 2001
AIDS and Human Rights (with Kaveh Khoshnood, Joint Anthro and School of Public Health Grad Lecture)	Winter 2002
Physical and Cultural anthropology of forest conservation, (with David Watts; Graduate Seminar in Anthropology)	Winter 2002

Yale University, Center for International and Area Studies

Seminar and lecture series on environment and development Winter 2001

Teaching Assistant, Yale University

Language, culture and society (Department of Anthropology Winter 1997

Language, literature and culture in southern U.S.A.

(Departments of English and American Studies) Fall 1994

STUDENT WORK SUPERVISED AT UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

**Teaching and
Mentoring
(cont'd)**

Doctoral Dissertations Co-Chaired, SNRE--

Guntra Aistara, with Michael Kennedy. Organic agriculture movements in Latvia and Costa Rica
Graduating December 2008 (Finalist for the Rappaport prize in Environmental Anthropology
2008; Defended October 2008; Assistant Professor at the UN Peace University in Costa Rica;
Lecturer and Research Fellow at the Central European University in Budapest)

Menan Jangu, with Bunyan Bryant. Traditional healing in Tanzania: Medical and environmental
justice aspects (fieldwork completed, Rackham writeup for 2010-11; job declined at
St. Cloud State University in Minnesota)

Catherine Benson, with Arun Agrawal. Environmental Subjects and NGOs in PNG coastal
management (doctoral candidate, currently conducting fieldwork with NSF, Fulbright-Hayes,
and NOAA grants)

Jacqueline Doremus, with Tom Lyon. Timber concessions and land use in northern Congo
Brazzaville (third year student, preliminary field research summer 2008, exams 2010)

Krista Gullo, with Andrew Hoffman. Corporate Responses to Climate Change (doctoral Candidate;
Graham Institute for Sustainability Fellowship 2010-2012)

Buruani Mshale, with Arun Agrawal. Community-based wildlife management in East Africa
(second year student, pilot research conducted, exams 2010)

Jennifer Johnson, with Jim Diana. Social Elements of Sustainability in Ugandan and American
Fisheries (pilot field research in conducted in summers 2008 and 2009; candidate fall 2010)

Doctoral Dissertations Co-Chaired, Anthropology--

Daphne Gallagher, with Richard Ford. Subsistence shifts in Burkinabais shifting agriculture: Ethno-
archeological perspectives on human food production (Defended December 2009; Yale
University Agrarian Studies Fellowship alternate; postdoctoral fellow University of Oregon)

Ismael Achirri, with Kelly Askew. Place, Conservation and Conscience in St. Lucia Heritage Areas,
South Africa (I served as Achirri's mentor for merit fellows; exams scheduled winter 2011)

Doctoral Dissertation Committee Membership, NRE--

Brian Maguranyanga, Privatization and, Black Empowerment in South Africa's National Parks
(Defense December 4, 2008)

Kevin Hill, Adaptive Management in International Conservation Regime Effectiveness
(Defense Scheduled Fall 2010)

Cristy Watkins, Human Behavioral Ecology and Forest Conservation in Uganda (Defense April 09)

Stephanie Hitztaler, Cultural Ecology of Forest Use in Kamchatka, Siberia (Defense April 2010)

Ashley Hazel, Ecology and Epidemiology of STDs among Tchimba/Himba, Namibia (In writeup 2010)

Daniel Miller Climate Change and Transboundary Conservation in West Africa (Candidacy 2010)

Doctoral Dissertation Committee Membership, Physics--

Abigail Mechtenberg, Energy Development in Rural Uganda (2009; now postdoctoral fellow UM)

Doctoral Dissertation Committee Membership, History--

Clapperton Mavhunga, The Mobile Workshop. Mobility, Technology, and Human-Animal Interactions in Gonarezhou (National Park), 1850–Present. June 2008 (Assistant Professor at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology; PI Great Limpopo Project, Earthwatch)
Angela Dowdell, Trophy Hunting in British Africa, Gender, and Museum History (2009)

Doctoral Dissertation Committee Membership, Anthropology—

Katherine Fultz, Citizenship, Development, and Communicative Practice in Guatemala.

Masters Theses Directed, NRE

Aimee Massey Q Fever and wildlife/livestock interactions in Mpala, Kenya
Valerie Benka Tourism, Ranching and Research in Laikipia's human/animal interactions
Walker Depuy, a Social History of Mpala Wildlife Research Station, Kenya
Nathan Clay, Sustainable Wildlife and Forest Management at Concession Scales, Congo
Jennifer Johnson A Commodity Chain Analysis of Nile Perch, East Africa (June 2008)

Masters Practicum/Project Directed, NRE

Rebecca Schwartz, Arts as communication in Community Garden Projects
Renee Henry, Rustbelt to Greenbelt: ethnography of Project Grow Michigan
Group Project: Conservation of Madagascar's spiny Forests

Students for whom I have served as General Advisor at NRE

Jesse Harrison Turner, MD/MS NRE(2005)
Cynthia Koenig, MBA/MS NRE(2006)
Sarah Hines MBA/MS NRE (2007)
Danielle Gartner (2008)
Jesse Worker MS NRE/MS Public Policy (2009)
Erin Carey (with Arun Agrawal, graduate 2009)
Jada Renee Williams (with Bunyan Bryant, December 2008)
Katherine Ennis (with Ivette Perfecto, June 2010)
Jessica Gorchow (entered fall 2009)
Walker Depuy (entered fall 2009)
Nathan Clay (entered fall 2009)
Lael Goodman (entered fall 2009)
Valerie Benka (entered fall 2010)
Rebecca Schwartz (entered fall 2010)
Shelly Chinnan (entered fall 2010)
Taylor Lautner (entered fall 2010)
Aimee Massey (entered fall 2010)

Undergraduate theses directed, University of Michigan:

Catherine Ellingson, 2004 Biotechnology of Jasmine Rice Production (highest honors, Anthro)
Aixa Alemana, 2005 Extension Work in Sea Grant Projects, Michigan and Puerto Rico (IRB approved, raised \$6,000 in funds from LSA and highest honors, Dept of Anthropology; currently pursuing Doctoral Study in Anthropology at American University)
Jen de Moss 2009 (raised \$3,000 from LSA and PITE Honors, wrote on The Tom Brown School, awarded Honors, Program in the Environment; currently pursuing Doctoral study in Anthropology and Conservation Biology at University of Georgia)
Abigail Leinsdorf 2010 Pastoralism in Crested butte, Colorado (Honors, Anthro)

STUDENT WORK SUPERVISED IN OTHER UNIVERSITIES

Doctoral Dissertation Committee Membership

Pierre Roulet, Trophy Hunting in Village Hunting Zones, CAR, Congo and Cameroon. Universite d'Orleans:
December 2002 (Lecturer Switzerland's Graduate Institute of International Economic Development)
Heather E. Eves, Bushmeat Management in Central Africa, Graduated Yale University Sept 2007
(Director, Bushmeat Crisis Task Force, Fulbright mentor in Tanzania, Lecturer, Virginia Tech)
Lesley Daspit, Fourth year student finishing fieldwork on Women Traders and Bushmeat in
Bayanga, CAR, Purdue University Anthropology
Armand Zongang Ndongang, currently in field work in Cameroon on management of forest
concessions contiguous with transboundary conservation zones, Universite of the Antilles.
Charlotte Kouna, Completed Field Work on Concession level Forest Management in Yokadouma
Cameroon, Universite du Maine, France (currently writing up)
Marine Robillard Environmental Conservation and forest foragers of southern Cameroon,
Museum of Natural History, Paris, France, Ethnobiology Research Lab (Defense Oct 2010)

Masters Theses Directed at Universite d'Orleans/IRD in France (1999)

Patrice Etoungou, Anthropology Community forest practices in Cameroon
Henri Zana, Archeology Cultural patrimonies in ceramics: Cameroon and CAR

Masters theses directed at the Sorbonne in France (selected)

2001 Nicholas Buyse, Decentralization of the forestry sector in Indonesia
2000 Lise Cheriffe, A study in food security efforts: the NGO Afrique Verte
2000 Rim Natour, International environmental aid and the rise of national NGOs
2000 Olivier Fauritte, The line between development and humanitarian aid in Afghanistan

Undergraduate Senior Essays directed, Yale University, 1999-2000

Dierdre Lehn, Anthropologies of activism: Shell Oil in Ogoniland, Nigeria
Elizabeth Carrothers, Interpretive strategies; The Gorilla forest exhibit, Bronx Zoo, USA
Amalia Tholen, Ecotourism practices in two Australian World Heritage Sites (Finalist,
Saphir prize for best senior essay in Anthropology; now a doctoral student at U Wisconsin)
Jennifer Staple *Forging Activist Identities From Epidemic Control: the Leprosy Patients of the
Kalaupapa Settlement* (Winner: Society of Medical Anthropology's W.H.R. Rivers Prize
For Best Undergraduate Paper 2003; Founder/ CEO of Unite for Sight International,
currently pursuing MD degree at Stanford University)

Conferences and Workshops Convened

**Central African Forests Initiative (CAFI) and the Science, Technology, Engineering and
Medicine in Africa (STEM Africa) Initiative at UM, 4-7 may, 2010.** Held at UM, with more
than 60 participants from all over the African continent, combining specific sessions on the cross
disciplinary CAFI and STEM streams, and fostering interaction across them. Co-chair with Sam
Mukasa, of Geology, with guidance from Kelly Askew, Director of African Studies, and support
from her staff.

Central African Forests Initiative (CAFI) Research Meetings, 7-10 May 2009. Held at UM, with
more than 30 participants from France, Cameroon, Congo Brazzaville, and our International
Advisory Committee. Co-chair with Arun Agrawal.

Central African Forests Initiative (CAFI) Advisory Committee Meeting, May 2008. Held at
UM, with 10 participants from France, Cameroon, Congo Brazzaville, and our International
Advisory Committee. Co-chair with Arun Agrawal.

Corporate Lives: New Perspectives on the Corporate Social Form, August 21-27, 2008. Funded through first time partnership between the Wenner Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research, and School for Advanced Research, this international symposium was held in Santa Fe, New Mexico. It brought together anthropologists, practitioners from business, NGO and activist arenas.

Colonial origins of international conservation and contemporary environmental justice: a documentary film workshop, June 7, 2007. Held as part of the “Symposium on Minorities in Environmental Leadership” organized by members of the Environmental Justice field of study at SNRE, this gathering in Ann Arbor, MI enabled me, to obtain audience feedback toward a revised treatment for a film about several key expeditions in the early 1900s which shaped the study of medical and ecological/primate behavioral sciences. The project uses original footage from Harold Jefferson Coolidge, restored and assembled, along with interviews with contemporary scholars.

Emergent viral disease in tropical forests: An authors’ workshop, May 1-3, 2003. Reuniting a subset of participants from the ISEH meetings the previous spring, this workshop helped us finalize our manuscripts with input from Boston area faculty, toward a book manuscript. It was funded and organized by Harvard University’s Academy for International and Area Studies.

Emergent viral disease in tropical forests, a working group at the International Society for Ecosystem Health meetings, June 6-11, 2002. Held in Washington D.C. this meeting brought international virologists, anthropologists, zoologists and ecologists together with policy experts on forest use, invasive species control, conservation and public health. It laid groundwork for a book examining the historical ecology and social aspects of emergent viral diseases in tropical forests.

Independent research in environmental management of the western Congo basin, 11-13 September 1998. Held in France at the University of Orléans/ERMES-IRD Laboratory (<http://www.orleans.ird.fr>), this meeting constituted a crucial link between previous conferences and the development of an innovative scholarly and advisory network for sharing research results across language and disciplinary barriers, and making them more accessible and relevant to resource use policy in that region. Bilingual Proceedings at: http://www.yale.edu/sangha/confer/CNF_SET.html

Natural resource use relations in the Trinational Sangha River region, northwestern Congo River basin, 25-28 September 1997. Held at Yale University, this conference brought together a wide array of scholars and professionals involved with conservation and resource use in equatorial Africa. Bilingual proceedings at: http://www.yale.edu/sangha/confer/CNF_SET.html

Regional research and rural development work sessions, 31 July-2 August 1997. Held in the Dzanga-Sangha Dense Forest Reserve, Central African Republic, this meeting analyzed the roles of scientific research as a process of rural development and knowledge exchange in protected areas of the trinational Sangha Region (Cameroon, CAR, Congo). These meetings brought together researchers, government personnel, and community members from the three nations. Information generated from field research throughout the region. The reports in full (French) and summary formats (English and Sango) are at: http://www.yale.edu/sangha/confer/CNF_SET.html

Memberships

Unite For Sight
Association for the Study of Law and Property
American Ethnological Society
American Anthropological Association
African Studies Association (Environment Section Chair for 2005 Meetings)
Association Euro-Africaine pour l’Anthropologie du Changement Social et Développement

**Presentations and
Invited Lectures**

2010: Notes on Social and Natural Science Insights for Cross Scale Environmental Governance for the Law and Society Meetings, Chicago, Illinois. May 22 -24

2009: Bushmeat as Bioterror: from food security to homeland security. Paper for a Panel Chaired by Christine Walley (MIT) and Ajantha Subrumanian (Harvard) on the integration of Political Ecology, Ethnography, and Environmental Justice. Commentator K. Sivarmakrishnan, Yale University. Meetings of the American Anthropological Association, Philadelphia, PA.

2008: Transvalued species: Conservation anthropologies in an African forest context. Paper by Melissa Remis and Rebeca Hardin. Presented by Melissa Remis at the International Society of Primatology XXII Congress, Edinburgh, Scotland. August 3-8.

2007: Colonial history of protected area management in Africa, in relation to concessions for extractive industry. Paper delivered for the panel entitled The Role of Land in National-Local Relations: A Comparative Perspective.” Meetings of the American society for legal history in Tempe, Arizona, October 27 2007. Chair, Richard J. Ross, University of Illinois College of Law

Concessionary Politics--Histories of international law and economic practice. Paper presented at the Yale Law School Junior International Law Scholars Weekend, Chair: Oona Hathaway, Yale Law School. March 9, 2007 New Haven, CT

Negotiating Royalties. Paper by Rebecca Hardin and Susan Cook. Presented at the Harvard Academy Alumni Workshop, "Empires, Colonialisms, and Contexts," organized by Julian Go at Harvard University on April 20, 2007.

2006: Roundtable Moderator and Participant. Cross-Cutting Issues of Sovereignty, Identity, and Equity International Law Weekend. Chair: Hari Osofsky. Held at the House of the Association of the Bar, New York City, New York, NY. October 25, 2007.

American Anthropological Association Meetings, San Jose, California Tours, Trophies and Trade: Elephant Encounters in Central Africa Panel Chairs, Genese Sodokoff and Harriet Ritvo

2005: American Ethnological Society Meetings, San Diego, California Co-Chaired Panel (with Damani James Partridge) on Ethnography of Corporate Actors, April 2005.

2002: Concessions and the politics of Land use in central Africa. Paper presented by Sandra Hyde (due to illness and inability to travel) at the panel on Land Tenure in Africa for the African Studies Association, November, 2002.

2000: AIDS in Africa: dimensions of the disease in concession-based economies. For the Panel “Politics and AIDS in Africa.” Chair, Catherine Boone. African Studies Association Meetings Nashville, TN November, 2000

1999: Trophy hunting and participatory conservation. For a conference organized by Estienne Rodary and Frank Constantin. Centre pour l’etude de l’Afrique de l’Est, Pau University, France

1998: Privatisation de l’état et l’exploitation forestière: le cas du sud-est Cameroun. Paper delivered for a workshop on the “L’Etat: Retrait ou Redeploiement?” organized by Beatrice Hibou, CNRS research director at the Centre d’Etude d’Afrique Noire, Bordeaux /Privatization of the state and the timber industry in Cameroon. Paper for a panel on the Privatization of the State, chaired by Jean Francois Bayart at the African Studies Association, Chicago, November 1998

1996: The Sangha Sangha of southwestern Central African Republic: marriage, trade, and magic in the making of a regional ethnonym. Panel chaired by John Cinammon, with Peter Geschiere and Jane Guyer American Anthropological Association Meetings, San Francisco, CA

SERVICE TO UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

University Service

2011- Faculty Affiliate, Global Health Center
2003- Faculty Affiliate, Program in the Environment
2008 -Faculty Affiliate, African Studies Center
2008 Elected to Serve on the Faculty Senate Assembly
2009-present-Steering Committee Member, UM STEM Africa Initiative
2009/10 Co-Authored a successful proposal to the President's office for a cluster of four faculty hires on "Environment, Information, and Sustainable Development: the Africa-Asia Nexus"
2007/8 Initiated and finalized a proposal to Rackham and to the Graham Institute for an inter-disciplinary graduate certificate program in international environmental justice
2008 Presented on the CAAS panel "AIDs, Gender, and Human Security in Africa"
2008 Served as discussant for CAAS/History "Topographies of Violence" Conference
2008 Serving on Faculty Committee Proposing Africa/Asia "Environment, Information, Development" cluster Hire
2008 Served on the "Summer Reads" LSA Panel on Energy with CK Prahalad and Tom Princen
2008 Proposal Reviews and Interviews, Fulbright I.I.E. campus process

Anthropology Service

2003-2008 Faculty Affiliate, Anthrohistory Program
2003/4 Served on Anthrohistory Executive Committee
2004/5 Served on Anthropology Curriculum Committee
2006/7 Anthropology Executive Committee
2007 Presentation of Research for Recruitment weekend
2007/8 First Year Advisor, Incoming Anthropology Students

NRE Service

2010-2012 Coordinator and Founder, Environmental Justice Certificate Program
2010-11 Chair, hiring committee for Africanist cluster hire, SNRE
2009-10 served on the hiring committee for conservation ecology search, SNRE
2009-10 NRE alternate representative to the Faculty Senate Assembly
2009 to present, Representative of NRE, PITE and GESI on the UM Council on Global Engagement
2009 wrote SNRE job description for the successful cluster hire proposal: Sustainability, Information and Environment: the Africa-Asia nexus (History, School of Information, CAAS)
2008 Presentation of "Research Spotlight" for May faculty meeting
2005 Part of ad hoc Internationalist faculty group for curriculum development
2004-Present jointly advise (with Arun Agrawal) the graduate student and faculty Rackham Research Working Group (Development, Sustainability, Conservation and Livelihoods, or DESULICO) with invited speakers including David Brown, Cori Hayden, Hugh Raffles, Kent Redford, David Wilkie and others in the broad fields of ecology and environmental anthropology

NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL ACADEMIC SERVICE

Review manuscripts for the following journals:

African Studies Review, Africa Today, Human Ecology, Politiques Africaines, Geoforum, Dialectical Anthropology, Current Anthropology, Anthropologie et Sociétés, Ecologies et Politiques

Book Manuscripts Reviewed for:

University of Washington Cultural Ecology Series
New Frontiers in Historical Ecology Series, Left Coast Press

2011- Editorial Board for the French *Journal of Ethnoecology (Revue D'Ethnoecologie)*

2010-2013 Board of Directors, Association for Law, Property, and Society

1998-2002. Director, Sangha River Network, Yale University Program Development, financing, publications, educational exchange, and bilingual Internet research forum.

PUBLIC AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Ongoing public Service

1999-2008. Steering Committee Member, elected in at-large capacity, Bushmeat Crisis Task Force, a consortium of Conservation NGO, Zoo, and Animal protection interests, Washington D.C.

2002-present. Board Member, Interlock Media, Inc., Cambridge, Massachusetts

Public Lectures and Presentations

2008. Lecture on African traditional governance systems and transnational corporations. The Osher Learning Institute, Ann Arbor Michigan.

2008. Expert Testimonial on Central African Republic. Meetings between the SSRC Group and the United Nations Department of Political Affairs and Peace Keeping Operations. SSRC Conflict Prevention and Peace Forum, New York, NY. May 12

2005. Defaunation in extractive concessions: the bushmeat crisis. Presentation to the Oil and Gas Sector Meetings/Conservation International in Luanda, Angola, September 5

2005. Distinguished Alumnae Award Address. Webb School of Knoxville, Tennessee, February 9

Consulting, Advising, Reviewing

2010. Participation in the UN Forum on Forests Wise Persons Meeting about the implication of Carbon Economies and Biodiversity Conservation for Tropical Forest Peoples, April 21.

2006. Proposal Review, World Wildlife Fund Fuller Postdoctoral Fellowship Applications

2004. U.S. Department of State, Washington, DC Presentation: Social science of illegal wildlife trade and emergent viral disease

2000. Center for Applied Biodiversity Science, Conservation International Accra, Ghana. Advised in development of west and central Africa wildlife use initiative

1999 and 2000. Council for the Development of Social Science Research in Africa, Dakar. Served on Scientific Advisory Panel: "Real Economies in Africa" Program, Macarthur Foundation

1996. World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF-U.S.), Washington DC. Advised in development of a participatory migration and resource-use study

1996. American Museum of Natural History New York, NY. Consultant: Advised development of permanent exhibit featuring central African forests: "The Great Hall of Biodiversity."

U.S. Peace Corps Service, Central African Republic

1989-1992. Apicultural Extension work, northwestern CAR; Conservation in southwestern CAR