

# Ailsa Craig, PhD

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## Educational Qualifications

**PhD**, June 2006, Sociology, New York University, New York, NY

Dissertation Title: “The Practice of Poetry: Identity, Community, and Subculture”

Committee: Craig Calhoun, Harvey Molotch, Richard Sennett

**Honours BA, summa cum laude**, May 2000, Sociology and Creative Writing (double major)

York University, Toronto, Canada

## Professional Experience

May 27 2021-present	<b>Interim Dean</b> , Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, Memorial University
Sept 2018-May 26 2021	<b>Associate Dean (Curriculum and Programs)</b> , Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, Memorial University
Sept 2019-present	<b>Full Professor, Dept. of Sociology</b> , Memorial University
Feb 2018-July 2018	<b>Interim Head, Dept. of Sociology</b> , Memorial University
July 2014-Aug 2017	<b>Head, Dept. of Sociology</b> , Memorial University
Sept 2012-Aug 2019	<b>Associate Professor of Sociology</b> , Memorial University
Nov 2012	<b>Visiting Lecturer</b> , Groupe ESC Rouen, (International Business Program), France. Course taught: Economics of Culture
July 2006- Aug 2012	<b>Assistant Professor of Sociology</b> , Memorial University
2007-2012	<b>Undergraduate Coordinator</b> , Dept. of Sociology, Memorial University
Sept. 2007	<b>Visiting Lecturer</b> , Groupe ESC Rouen, Dept. of Languages, Cultures & Society, France. Lecturer for Cross-Cultural Seminar: The Globalization of Culture
2005-2006	<b>Assistant Program Coordinator</b> , Investing in Women’s Futures program, Native Women’s Resource Centre of Toronto
Summer 2004	<b>Program Development Advisor</b> , <i>Graduate Student Teaching and Learning Certificate Program</i> , Center for Teaching Excellence and Graduate Student Educational Development Program, New York University.
2003-2005	<b>Teaching Fellow</b> , <i>Graduate Student Educational Development Program</i> , Graduate School of Arts and Science, New York University.
1997-2000	<b>Academic Advisor</b> , <i>Faculty of Arts Advising Centre</i> , York University.

## **Leadership and Service—University Level (Memorial University)**

- Collective Bargaining Team 2022
- KPI (Key Performance Indicator) “Transforming our Horizons” Performance Measurement Dashboard Working Group (2022-Present)
- Co-Chair (with Ashlee Cunsolo) Dean’s Council EDI Working Group (2021-Present)
- Research Advisory Committee on Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (Sept 2020-Present)
- Chair, Still Exploring Advisory Committee (2021-Present)
- Innovation Steering Committee (2021-Present)
- Highschool to University Transition Committee (2020-Present)
- Continuing Education Steering Committee (2020-Present)
- Co-operative Education Steering Committee (2018-Present)
- University Welcome Week Steering Committee (2018-Present)
- Host, Dean’s Dialogue: Learning from Alumni with Jennifer Dodge, President of Spin Master Entertainment, HSS and Alumni Engagement, Memorial University <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1C87kAgzQ84> (March 2022)
- Host/Panelist Coastlines: Memorial University Book Club with Sonja Boon *What the Oceans Remember* <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oKXZCIdUsc4> (July 2021)
- Host/Panelist, Coastlines: Memorial University Book Club with Megan Gail Coles *Small Game Hunting at the Local Coward Gun Club* [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-ovUA8uu\\_xk](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-ovUA8uu_xk) (May 2021)
- Co-Chair (with Gavan Watson) Special Senate Committee on Evaluation of Courses and Teaching Effectiveness (Dec 2020-September 2021)
- EAB Review Committee (2020-2021)
- Degree Works Steering Committee (2020-2021)
- Chair, Provost’s Undeclared and Still-Exploring Task Group (Summer 2020)
- Board Member, Bruneau Centre for Excellence in Choral Music (2020-2021)
- Planning Committee (Welcome and Transition) (2018-2021)
- Founding member of Non-degree student status development working group (Fall 2018-Fall 2020)
- Advisory Council, Centre for Innovation in Teaching & Learning (2019-2021)
- Selection Committee for the Memorial University Award for Self-Directed Learning (2017, 2019, 2020, 2021)
- Selection Committee for the 2018 President’s Awards for Excellence in Teaching, Spring/Summer (2018)
- Author of requested educational materials on gender diversity for Associate Deans (Undergraduate) Network, Memorial University. Requested by Dr. Cecilia Reynolds, Deputy Provost (Students) (March 2018)
- Member, Senate Committee on Academic Appeals, Memorial University (January 2018-September 2018)
  - Chair of committee Assessing Case 2017-18 #4 (January 2018-March 2018)
- Participant, Content Author Focus Group, Course Development Process Review, Centre for Innovation in Teaching and Learning (CITL), Memorial University (Fall 2017)
- Development Committee for Program to Support Graduate completion, SGS, Memorial University (Winter 2017)

- Proposer of a Program to Support Graduate Completion, submitted to SGS (Feb 2017)
- DIG-MUN (Disability Inclusion Group, Memorial University) (2015-2018)
- Health and Wellness Committee, Human Resources, Memorial University (2016-2017)
- Violence Prevention Working Group Committee, Leslie Harris Centre of Regional Policy and Development, Memorial University (2014-2015)
- Planning Committee Member, Transgender Health Training (accredited) Office of Professional Development, Faculty of Medicine, Memorial University (2013-2014)
- Provision of consultation on gender diversity inclusion to Tina Hickey, Human Resources, Memorial University (2012-2018, as needed)
- Lambda Scholarship Committee (2010)
- Senate Committee on Undergraduate Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards (2007-2013)
- Appeals committee for Senate Committee on Undergraduate Scholarships and Awards (2008-2013)

**Leadership and Service—Faculty Level**  
**(Humanities and Social Sciences, Memorial University)**

- Co-Chair, HSS Anti-Racism Committee (2021-Present)
- Chair, Advisory Committee for Stephen Jarislowsky Chair in Cultural and Economic Transformation (2021-Present)
- ISER/Smallwood Foundation Executive Committee (2021-Present)
- Curriculum and Programs committee, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, Memorial University (2018- 2021)
- Undergraduate Waivers and Appeals Committee (2018-2021)
- Graduate Committee Master of Employment Relations (2018-2021)
- Chair, Headship Review Committee: Dept. of Political Science, Spring/Summer (2018)
- FHSS Strategic Plan Academic Programming Advisory Committee (2018)
- FHSS Strategic Plan Equity Advisory Committee, (2018)
- Clause 3.25 Teaching Remission Committee for FHSS (2017)
- Associate Dean (Undergraduate) Review Advisory Committee (2015)
- Dean of Arts Awards Selection Committee (2015)
- Panelist for Faculty of Arts Undergraduate Welcome Event (2014)
- Chair, Jarislowsky Chair Search Committee (2013-2014)
- Volunteer Advisor, Memorial University High School Advising Program, Academic Advising Centre (2007; 2010)
- Jarislowsky Chair Search Committee, Member (2010)
- Faculty of Arts Undergraduate Studies Committee (CUGS) (2008-2012; 2013-2014)
- Women’s Studies Council/Gender Studies Council (2007-2012; 2014-2018)
- Provided materials and consultation in preparation for workshop: "Reading for Meaning: Helping our Students Engage with Written Texts," presented by V. Ryan (April 7<sup>th</sup> 2008)

### **Leadership and Service—Departmental Level (Sociology, Memorial University)**

- Presenter for Sociology and Police Studies at Summer Orientation for Academic Readiness (SOAR), Student Life, Memorial University, July 13 2018
- Faculty Search Committee, Dept. of Sociology, Memorial University 2013/14
- Facilitated bringing Dr. Kip Pegley of Queen’s University for a public lecture sponsored by the Sociology Department and the Research Centre for Music, Media and Place. “The Work of Music at the Canadian War Museum” Oct. 16, 2014
- Departmental Representative for Library hiring of Sociology and Political Science Acquisitions Librarian Spring 2010
- Methods Curriculum Committee, 2010-2012
- Ad hoc Undergraduate Curriculum Committee 2010-2012
- Organizer for invited speaker Dr. Josipa Roksa (University of Virginia) Oct. 2009. 33 people in attendance. Title: “No Time for Learning: How student and faculty cultures limit cognitive growth.”
- Organizer, ‘Meet and Greet’ for Sociology majors and Minors Spring 2009 and 2010
- Faculty Search Committee, Dept. of Sociology, Memorial University 2007/08
- Graduate Admissions Committee, Dept. of Sociology, Memorial University 2007
- Undergraduate Research Ethics Committee 2007, 2009/10
- Architecture Committee, Dept. of Sociology, Memorial University 2007
- Faculty Search Committee, Dept. of Sociology, Memorial University 2006/07
- Drafted proposal for an Enhanced Graduate Assistanceship for SOCI 3040; Oct 2007
- Department Representative and Interviewer, Employment Service of the ASA annual meetings (August 2006, with Dr. Karen Stanbridge; August 2007, with Dr. Stephen Riggins, and August 2009)

### **Leadership, Service and Community Engagement—External to University**

- Invited Member of Premier’s Roundtable on Gender Equity, (Premier Furey and Minister Dempster, Government of Newfoundland and Labrador) January 2021 to present
- Co-Founder and Co-chair of the Board of Directors for Quadrangle: Newfoundland Labrador Sexual and Gender Diversity Community Centre, 2014 to present
- Board Member, Neighbourhood Dance Works, St. John’s, NL. July 2017-August 2018 Secretary, Jan. 2018-August 2018
- Participant, Roundtable on Inclusion 2018: Work & Disability in Newfoundland and Labrador. Centre for Research on Work Disability Policy (CRWDP). The Provincial Learning Centre, St. John’s, Newfoundland
- Consultant (from founding discussions onward) for *The Intergenerational LGBT Artist Residency*, Toronto, ON 2013-present (<https://queerartistresidency.ca/team/>)
- Co-organizer (with Jeannie Bail of QEII) of exhibition: *TranStories: Selections from the Transgender Archives*, University of Victoria, Queen Elizabeth II Library, Memorial University, Oct 5-Nov 9, 2016)
- Co-organizer with Jeannie Bail (QEII) and St. John’s Storytelling Festival of “Tomboy Survival Guide” a reading by Ivan Coyote, Queen Elizabeth II Library, Memorial University, Oct 13, 2016

- Organizer, “Neither/Nor: how to circumnavigate the gender binary in 7000 easy steps” Public talk by trans activist and story teller Ivan Coyote, Memorial University, Oct 13 2016
- Organizer and Facilitator *Trans Summit* hosted at Memorial University, province wide asset mapping workshop. Sept. 21 2016
- Consultant and Facilitator for Transitions “What’s (so) good about Conception Bay North” Asset Mapping Community workshop. *Newfoundland and Labrador Association for Community Living*. Aug-Sept. 2016
- Lead Presenter, “Quadrangle: Sexual and Gender Diversity Centre for Newfoundland and Labrador” Presentation to Minister of Seniors, Wellness and Social Development, Clyde Jackman.
- Lead Presenter, “LGBTQ Community Centre, Follow-up Presentation” for MP Andrew Parsons, June 2015
- Co-Facilitator, “Trans-Inclusive Spaces” training workshop at Marguerite’s Place, St. John’s, NL April 2015
- Facilitator, “Last Days in Vietnam” film screening and Q&A, presented by Dept. and Sociology in collaboration with Avalon Woodturners Guild. April 28, 2015
- Member of Trans Needs Committee (founding member, rotating coordinator) 2011-2018
- Co-ordinator, Make it Better NL. (LGBTQ outreach, mentorship, and awareness project) 2011-2012
- Workshop Facilitator for Routes to Roots, an arts-based initiative that brings together elderly immigrants and at-risk youth to explore connections between place and identity. Spring 2010.
- Consultant for Multicultural Sexual Health Program (administered through Planned Parenthood, St. John’s) Summer, 2010.
- Member of MUN’s team for the annual Run for the Cure fundraiser for Breast Cancer Research, September 2007.
- Provided consultation services to the Association of Cultural Industries of Newfoundland and Labrador regarding their draft on-line survey of NL artists, Fall 2007
- Public Workshop Coordinator/Leader for “Why Pride? A Workshop on Awareness, Challenges, and Queer Celebration” Sponsored by The Learning Co-op and the St. John’s Pride Week Committee. July 2007
- Public workshop Coordinator/Leader for “Out and About: a workshop on homophobia and sexual diversity” Sponsored by the Outlive Homophobia Campaign. March 2007
- Organizing Committee, Outlive Homophobia Campaign. March 2007

### **Leadership and Service for the Discipline (Sociology)**

- Presider, Section on Sociology of Culture Refereed Roundtable Session: “Culture and Memory,” 112<sup>th</sup> American Sociological Association Annual Meeting: “Culture, Inequalities, and Social Inclusion across the Globe” Montreal, PQ, Aug 13, 2017
- Advisory Editor, American Sociological Association Sociology of Culture Section Newsletter: Volume 27, Issues 1 & 2; Volume 28, Issues 1 & 2. 2015-2016
- Member, Conference Organizing Committee, 29th Annual Qualitative Analysis Conference, 2011–2012

- Co-organizer (with Dr. M. Aronczyk) “Cultures of Circulation” Workshop, NYLON Culture Group, Carleton University, Ottawa, Ontario. April 15-17, 2011
- Organizer and Chair for regular session on Cultures of Sexuality and Gender, CSA Annual Meeting, Concordia, Montreal. May 2010.
- Chair and Discussant for regular session on Encounters with Difference and Psychoanalytic Sociology of Emotions, CSA Annual Meeting, Concordia, Montreal. May 2010.
- Discussant for regular session on Gender and Sexuality: Practices, Discourses, Embodiments, CSA Annual Meeting, Concordia, Montreal. May 2010.
- Chair for ‘Author meets Critics’ session featuring Miriam Smith’s *Political Institutions and Lesbian and Gay Rights in the United States and Canada* (Routledge, 2008) CSA Annual Meeting, Carleton University, Ottawa. May 2009.
- Discussant for session on Sociology of Culture, CSA Annual Meeting, Carleton University, Ottawa. May 2009.

## **Research and Publications**

### **Book/Anthology**

1. **Craig, Ailsa**, Giwa, S. Ryan, A.J., Thompson, S. (Eds) (2021) *Acceptance: Stories at the Centre of Us*. St. John’s, NL: Engen Books

### **Journal Articles**

1. Bail, Jeannie and **Craig, Ailsa** (2017) “The Alert Collector: Transgender Culture and Resources” *Reference & User Services Quarterly*. Vol. 56, issue 4, 249-254
2. [R] Ricciardelli, R., Grills, S. & **Craig, Ailsa**. (2016) “Discursive constructions and negotiations of sexuality in Canadian federal men’s prisons” *Journal of Homosexuality*. Vol. 63, no. 12, 1660-1684
3. Aronczyk, M., and **Craig, Ailsa**. (2012) “Editorial Introduction: Cultures of Circulation” *Poetics*, Vol. 40, no. 2, 93-100.
4. [R] **Craig, Ailsa**. (2011) “When a book is not a book: Objects as ‘Participants’ in Identity and Community Formation” *Journal of Material Culture*, Vol. 16, no. 1, 47-63
5. [R] **Craig, Ailsa** and Dubois, Sébastien. (2010) “Between Art and Money: the social space of public readings in contemporary poetry economies and careers” *Poetics* 38, 441-460.
6. [R] **Craig, Ailsa**. (2007) “Sustainability, Reciprocity and the Shared Good(s) of Poetry” *Journal of Arts Management, Law, and Society*. Vol. 37, no. 3 (Fall 2007), 257– 269.

### **Book Chapters**

1. [R] **Craig, Ailsa** and Waxman, Tobaron (in progress, abstract accepted) “Building Sustainability through Shared Practice: a reflexive narrative exploration of the Intergenerational LGBT Artist Residency.” In *Practicing the Social: Entanglements of Art and Justice*, eds. Carla Rice and Ingrid Mundel. Waterloo: Wilfred Laurier Press.

2. **Craig, Ailsa** and Giwa, Sulaimon. (2021) “Introduction” in *Acceptance: Stories at the Centre of Us*, eds. A. Craig, S. Giwa, A.J. Ryan, S. Thompson. St. John’s: Engen Books. 7-10
3. [R] **Craig, Ailsa**. (2017) “ ‘Following Up and Following Through’ with Community Consultations.” In *The Democracy Cookbook: Recipes to Renew Governance in Newfoundland and Labrador*, eds. Alex Marland and Lisa Moore. St. John’s: ISER Books. 181-183
4. [R] **Craig, Ailsa**. (2015). “We’ve Got Beaver! Women as a National Resource in Canadian Beer Commercials.” In *Reclaiming Canadian Bodies: visual media and representation*, edited by L. Mannik and K. McGarry. Waterloo: Wilfred Laurier University Press. 33-59
5. [R] Kenney, J. Scott and **Craig, Ailsa**. (2012) “Illegitimate Pain: Introducing a concept for future research” in *Emotions Matter*, edited by Dale Spencer, Kevin Walby and Alan Hunt. Toronto: University of Toronto Press. 86-101
6. [R] **Craig, Ailsa**. (2007) “Practicing Poetry: A Career Without a Job,” in Craig Calhoun and Richard Sennett, eds., *Practicing Culture*. New York: Routledge. 35-56

### Conference Proceedings

1. [R] **Craig, Ailsa**. (2017). “Collaborate, Conspire, Commune: Academy-based activism as mentorship in marginalized communities” *Proceedings of the Association of Atlantic Universities’ 2016 Teaching Showcase*

### Community Reports

1. Giwa, Sulaimon, **Craig, Ailsa**, Warren, Amanda Paige, Byrnes, Brittany. (May 2021) “LGBTQI2S+ Housing & Senior Care Final Report” A community-engaged research partnership between Gray Gays NL and Quadrangle NL.

### Academic Book Reviews

1. **Craig, Ailsa**. (2007) Review of *Straightedge Youth: Complexity and Contradictions of a Subculture* by Robert T. Wood. Published online by the Canadian Sociological Association  
<http://www.csa.ca/CRSA/BookReview/Reviews/2007REVIEWS/200706WOOD.htm>
2. **Craig, Ailsa**. (2006) “Extending the Promise: Critical Reflexivity and Cross-cultural Theorization” Review of *The Ethnological Imagination: A Cross-Cultural Critique of Modernity* by F. Kurasawa, *Topia: Canadian Journal of Cultural Studies*, Number 15
3. **Craig, Ailsa**. (2006) Review of *In a Queer Country: Gay and Lesbian Studies in the Canadian Context* edited by Terry Goldie. *Canadian Review of Sociology and Anthropology*,
4. **Craig, Ailsa**. (2004) Review of *Sex and Borders: Gender, National Identity, and Prostitution Policy in Thailand* by Leslie Ann Jeffrey, *Contemporary Sociology: A Journal of Reviews*, Volume 33, Issue 6

5. **Craig, Ailsa.** (2004) Review of *Getting Specific: Postmodern Lesbian Politics* by Shane Phelan, *Archives of Sexual Behavior*, Volume 33, Number 4
6. **Craig, Ailsa.** (2004) Review of *Unpacking Queer Politics* by Sheila Jeffreys, *Contemporary Sociology: A Journal of Reviews*, Volume 33, Issue 4
7. **Craig, Ailsa.** (2003) Review of *My Dangerous Desires: a Queer Girl Dreaming Her Way Home* by Amber Hollibaugh, *Archives of Sexual Behavior*, Volume 32, Number 5
8. **Craig, Ailsa.** (2002) “Enigmatic Studies” Review of *In Your Face: 9 Sexual Studies* by Mandy Merck, *Sexuality & Culture*, Volume 6, Number 4

## Other Publications

1. Geary, J., Browne, J., Brushett, S., Campbell, V., **Craig, A.**, Gough, R., Hickey, T., Pickett, S., Porter, J., Power, M., St. Croix, L., Temple, J., Todd, A., “Trans & Gender Diverse Students' Guide” Copyright 2020, Student Life, Memorial University, is made available under the terms of a [Creative Commons Attribution-NonCommercial-ShareAlike 4.0 International License](https://creativecommons.org/licenses/by-nc-sa/4.0/).
2. **Craig, Ailsa** (Oct 19, 2017) republication of “Following up and Following Through with Community Consultations” from *The Democracy Cookbook: Recipes to Renew Governance in Newfoundland and Labrador*, edited by Alex Marland and Lisa Moore. St. John’s: ISER Books. *The Telegram*, St. John’s, NL  
<http://www.thetelegram.com/opinion/democracy-cookbook-following-up-and-following-through-with-community-consultations-156496/>
3. **Craig, Ailsa** (June 16, 2016) “Op-Ed: Nothing can erase homophobia and racism from Orlando shootings”, in *Gazette* Memorial University of Newfoundland  
<https://gazette.mun.ca/campus-and-community/op-ed-dr-ailsa-craig/>
4. **Craig, Ailsa** (2015) “Numbers only tell half the story” in *Newfoundland and Labrador’s Vital Signs*, St. John’s: Community Foundation of Newfoundland and Labrador and The Harris Centre, Memorial University
5. **Craig, Ailsa** (October 12, 2014) “605 Collective” Review Blog for *Festival of New Dance* <http://festivalofnewdance.ca/?p=1943>
6. **Craig, Ailsa** (July 2014) “Making Room for Everyone” in *St. John’s Pride “I Am” 2014 Events Guide*, St. John’s Pride.
7. Wolfe, Sarah and **Craig, Ailsa** (2010) “Mentoring, Gendered Work, and an Academic Career” Equity Matters, Fedcan blog, Canadian Federation for the Humanities and Social Sciences <http://blog.fedcan.ca/2010/03/18/mentoring-gendered-work-and-an-academic-career/>
8. **Craig, Ailsa.** (2009) “Pink Hardhats and Transcription Tools: Research Collaboration through Community Involvement” *Sociology on the Rock* (Departmental Newsletter) Issue 4. <http://www.mun.ca/soc/newsletter/issue4/rock-4-03.html>
9. **Craig, Ailsa.** (2006) “Sociability and the Transliterative Practices of Occupational Subculture” Newsletter for the Sociology of Culture Section of the American Sociological Association, Vol. 20, Number 3 (Spring 2006)  
[www.ibiblio.org/culture/newsletter/cult203.pdf](http://www.ibiblio.org/culture/newsletter/cult203.pdf)
10. **Craig, Ailsa.** Ed (2004) “A.S.A.P: Poems for Sociologists” an anthology chapbook, print run of 75. Distributed at the 99<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association



11. **Craig, Ailsa** (1996) “Asters & Cigarettes” in *Queer View Mirror: Lesbian and Gay Short Short Fiction*. Eds. Johnstone, James C. and Tulchinsky, Karen X. Vancouver: Arsenal Pulp Press

### **Academic Editorial Work**

- Book Review Editor, *Atlantis: Critical Studies in Gender, Culture, and Social Justice* December 2018-July 2019
- Editorial Board Member *Atlantis: Critical Studies in Gender, Culture, and Social Justice* June 2018-July 2019
- Peer Reviewer for textbook submitted to Pearson Canada, 2017
- Provided consultation for development of *Canadian Perspectives in Sexuality Studies: Identities, Experiences and the Context of Change* (2012) Ed. Diane Naugler, Toronto: Oxford University Press
- Guest editor (with Dr. M. Aronczyk) for Special Issue “Cultures of Circulation” *Poetics*, Vol. 40, no. 2 (2012) pp. 93-216.
- Peer Review for full book manuscript submitted to Routledge, May 2009
- Peer Review for book proposal submitted to Routledge, May 2008.
- Editorial Advisory Board, *The Brock Review* July 2007-2009
- Associate Editor, *Sociological Forum*. 2002-2006
- Proof reader, *Inventing the Needy: Gender and the Politics of Welfare in Hungary*, By Lynne Haney. University of California Press, 2002.
- Peer Reviewer for articles submitted to *Theory Culture and Society; Poetics; Asian Journal of Women’s Studies; Canadian Journal of Sociology; The Brock Review; Journal of Borderland Studies; Canadian Review of American Studies; Social and Cultural Geography, Sociological Inquiry, Atlantis, American Behavioral Scientist*

### **Grants and Funding Awarded**

- 2021            **Government of Canada’s LGBTQ2 Community Capacity Fund**. Awarded to Quadrangle NL, a charitable organization I cofounded whose aim is build an LGBTQ2 Community Centre resources and supports for the province, and for which I am Co-chair of the Board of Directors. This award is not administered through or managed by Memorial. \$237,332
- 2013            **US Department of State Federal Assistance Award**. Awarded for coordination of professionally accredited Transgender Health Training for NL Healthcare professionals. Amount awarded: \$6,535
- 2012            **SSHRC Conference Grant**: co-organizer/co-applicant with Dr. Liam Swiss (lead) “29th Annual Qualitative Analysis Conference” Amount awarded: \$34,953
- 2011            **Fulbright Canada Community Leadership Program Grant**. Lead applicant for “Make it Better on the Rock,” an outreach and education initiative for LGBTQ (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer) youth in Newfoundland and Labrador. Amount awarded: \$8,000

- 2010 **SSHRC Workshop Grant.** Co-applicant with Dr. Melissa Aronczyk. Theme: Cultures of Circulation. Amount awarded: \$24,610
- 2010 **Event Support Grant, Institute for Public Knowledge, New York University.** Co-applicant with Dr. Melissa Aronczyk. Workshop on Cultures of Circulation. Amount awarded: \$3,000

### **Research Grants: 4a- lacks of funds available from SSHRC**

- 2014-17 **SSHRC Partnership Development Grant,** “Creating ‘best practice’ for policing youth: Discovering, re-evaluating, re-shaping and reviving hope for youth desistance through changing relational dynamics between youth and police, a bottom-up and top- down process” Rosemary Ricciardelli P.I.; Michael Adorjan Co-I.; Eric Chui Co-I.; Ailsa Craig Co-I., Nicole Power, Co-I; Wayne Newell Collaborator.

### **Internal Grants (Memorial University)**

- July 2018 **Memorial University Quickstart Fund for Public Engagement.** Project: participation for myself and community partner in *People, Place and Public Engagement* Conference. Amount awarded: \$1,100.
- May 2016 **Memorial University Quickstart Fund for Public Engagement.** Project: *Trans Summit*. Amount awarded: \$1,000.
- July 2006 **Faculty of Arts Start-up Research Account.** Amount awarded: \$10,000.

### **Conference Papers and Presentations**

1. (2022) **“LGBTQI2S+ Housing and Senior Care in NL”** w/co-author Sulaimon Giwa. 2SLGBTQIA+ Senior Housing and Care: A Call to Action, Gay & Grey Montreal and engAGE: Concordia Centre for Research on Aging. Online. March 2022
2. (2022) **“A Taste of Queer Survival: Critical Reflections on the Intergenerational LGBT Artist Residency”** w/co-author, Tobaron Waxman. *Practicing the Social: Entanglements of Art and Justice*, University of Guelph, Revision: the centre for art and social justice. Online. January 22
3. (2019) **“The Gift Economy of Emotions: Theorizing the role of emotions in structural inequalities”** 2019 Conference of the European Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction; University of Iceland, Reykjavik, Iceland. July 4
4. (2019) **“From where we stand: Transgender and non-binary student experiences at Memorial University”** Panel Co-organizer (with Amy Todd, Julie Temple-Newhook, and Tina Hickey). Memorial University 2019 Teaching and Learning Conference, Centre for Innovation in Teaching and Learning, Memorial University, St. John’s, NL. May 2

5. (2018) **“Nothing about us without us” Engaging Communities in Course Design** With Community Partner Kathy Hawkins (InclusionNL). People, Place, and Public Engagement Conference; Engagement in the Classroom, Curricular Design Carousel. Office of Public Engagement, Memorial University. St. Johns, NL October 25-27
6. (2018) **“Upside Down Design: Centering Community Knowledge in Course Development”** 2018 Atlantic Universities’ Teaching Showcase: Engaging Learners through Experiential and High Impact Practices in Higher Education. Dalhousie University, Truro, NS. October 20
7. (2018) **“Chalk it up to Experience”** a ‘Furious Five’ presentation at 2018 Atlantic Universities’ Teaching Showcase: Engaging Learners through Experiential and High Impact Practices in Higher Education. Dalhousie University, Truro, NS. October 20
8. (2018) **“Do you read me? Incorporating gender literacy into qualitative research practice”** Annual SSSI (Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction) Couchstone Conference: Whose Side are we on? Power, Stigma, Transgression & Exclusion in Everyday Life. Lancaster University, UK. July 4-6
9. (2018) **“Transformation through ‘Translation’: combining rational and affective components of learning in assignment design”** 2018 Teaching and Learning Connection: Transformative Learning: Crossroads of Curriculum, Instruction and Teaching. Memorial University, St. John’s, NL. April 27
10. (2018) **“Fostering Transformative Learning Experiences through the Use of Universal Design in Learning”** co-presented with J. Geary and G. Young. 2018 Teaching and Learning Connection: Transformative Learning: Crossroads of Curriculum, Instruction and Teaching. Memorial University, St. John’s, NL. April 26
11. (2018) Panel member **“Universal Design in Action: a panel on universal design for learning”** Moderator: J. Geary. Other panellists: Jen D’Eon (student), Catherine Shortall (Blundon Centre), Gabrielle Young (Faculty of Education). 2018 Teaching and Learning Connection: Transformative Learning: Crossroads of Curriculum, Instruction & Teaching. Memorial University, St. John’s, NL. April 26
12. (2017) **“Found in Translation: incorporating ‘translation’ exercises and assignments to increase learner engagement and comprehension”** 2017 Atlantic Universities Teaching Showcase: Small Teaching. Mount Saint Vincent University, Halifax, NS. Oct. 14
13. (2016) **“TranStories: Social Justice Work through Libraries and Archives”** co-authored with Jeannie Bail. 2016 LTAIG Conference: Achieving Diversity. St. John’s, NL, Nov. 7
14. (2016) **“Collaborate, Conspire, Commune: Academy-Based Activism as Mentorship in Marginalized Communities”** 2016 Atlantic Universities Teaching Showcase: In Cahoots—building community to get it done. University of New Brunswick in St. John, NB. Oct. 15
15. (2016) **“Questioning the Centre of the Universe”** a ‘Furious Five’ presentation at 2016 Atlantic Universities’ Teaching Showcase: In Cahoots—building community to get it Done. University of New Brunswick in St. John, NB Oct. 15, 2016

16. (2014) **“Discursive Construction and Negotiations of Sexuality in Men’s Prisons”** co-author, Dr. R. Ricciardelli. Canadian Sociological Association Annual Meeting at 2014 Congress. St. Catharines, ON
17. (2014) **“Performing Sexuality: The Canadian male prison experience”** co-author and presenter, Dr. R. Ricciardelli. Annual Meeting of Critical Perspectives: Criminology and Social Justice. Ottawa, ON
18. (2011) **“Circulating Self-Esteem: implications of a ubiquitous concept”** Cultures of Circulation Workshop, NYLON Culture Group, Carleton University, Ottawa, ON, April 15-17
19. (2011) **“But What Does it Look Like? Theorizing and Assessing ‘Empowerment’ in Qualitative Research”** The 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Qualitative Analysis Conference. Wilfred Laurier University, Brantford, ON
20. (2011) **“Aesthetics and Poetic Community”** Canadian Sociological Association Annual Meeting at 2011 Congress. Fredericton, NB.
21. (2011) **“A Crisis of Communication: Media, Representation and Fatness in Newfoundland and Labrador”** co-author and presenter, Dr. K. Bride, Canadian Women's Studies Association Annual Meeting at 2011 Congress. Fredericton, NB
22. (2010) **“Symbolic Capital, Self-esteem, and Women’s Bodies”** Breaking the Mold, Breaking the Silence: A National Conference on Body Image. Mount Saint Vincent University, Halifax, NS, November 4-5<sup>th</sup>
23. (2010) **“Colour me Pink! Objects and the negotiation of gender on a construction site”** co-author, Dr. N. Power. The 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Qualitative Analysis Conference. Wilfrid Laurier University, Brantford, ON.
24. (2010) **“ ‘I do, but why do I want to?’: Theorizing the desire to marry”** co-author, T. Mercer (MA student). Canadian Sociological Association Annual Meeting at 2010 Congress. Concordia, Montreal, PQ.
25. (2009) **“Seeking Self-Esteem: women and girls’ self-esteem and social determinants of health”** New Directions in Health Research: Sex and Gender. Newfoundland and Labrador Centre for Applied Health Research, St. John’s, NL
26. (2009) **“Talent and the Dangers of Appreciation: Gendered Relations and Poetic Achievement”**American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. San Francisco, California, USA.
27. (2009) **“The Cultural Veil of Self-Esteem”** Canadian Sociological Association Annual Meeting at 2009 Congress. Carleton, Ottawa, ON.
28. (2009) **“Roots of A Necessary Imagination: Durkheim, Weber and Sociological Writing”** Canadian Sociological Association Annual Meeting at 2009 Congress. Carleton, Ottawa, ON.
29. (2009) **“Reading Back”:** How identity claims help poets live with failure and strive for Success” Symbolic Interaction and Ethnographic Research: 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Qualitative Analysis Conference, University of Waterloo, ON.
30. (2009) **“Illegitimate Pain: Introducing a concept and a research agenda”** Emotions Matter Workshop. Carleton University, Ottawa, ON.
31. (2008) **“Creating Commitment: Lessons from Contemporary Poets”** Arts, Culture, and the Public Sphere, European Sociological Association, 5<sup>th</sup> Sociology of the Arts Research Network in cooperation with ESA Sociology of Culture Research Network and EPOCA – Centre of Economics and Advanced Cultural Policy Research – IUAV University. Venice, Italy.

32. (2008) **“The Role of Aesthetics in Transnational Poetic Subculture”** Mediating the Aesthetic, Memorial University of Newfoundland, St. John’s, NL
33. (2008) **“Between Art and Money: The role of public readings in contemporary poetry economies and careers”** (sole presenter, co-authored with S. Dubois) American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Boston, MA, USA
34. (2007) **“Propinquity and Happenstance in Poetry Communities and Careers,”** American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. New York, NY, USA
35. (2007) **“Illegitimate Pain: Introducing a Concept and a Research Agenda,”** with J. Scott Kenney. 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Qualitative Analysis Conference. Fredericton, NB
36. (2007) **“The Gift of Balance: Reciprocity and the Shared Good(s) of Poetry,”** Conference of the European Sociological Association Research Network for the Sociology of the Arts. Luneburg and Hamburg, Germany.
37. (2006) **“What is a Poet? On (not) Being a Profession”** American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Montreal, PQ
38. (2005) **“Illusio, Academia and Fields of Poetry Production: Toronto and New York”** American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Philadelphia, PA, USA
39. (2004) **“‘Making it there’ and ‘Keeping it Clean’: Understanding Poets in New York and Toronto,”** European Sociological Association Research Network for the Sociology of the Arts. Rotterdam, The Netherlands
40. (2004) **“When a Book is Not a Book: Chapbooks in Contemporary Poetry Communities,”** American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA, USA
41. (2003) **“Poets’ Identities and Creative Contexts: New York,”** Joint Interim Meeting of the Sociology of Art Research Network of the ESA and Sociology of Art Research Committee of the International Sociological Association. Paris, France.
42. (2003) **“Poets’ Identities and Creative Contexts,”** Intelligent Machines: Sociology Conference. Buffalo State University. Buffalo, NY.
43. (2003) **“Exploring Poets: a proposal”** The Twelfth Annual Graduate Student Conference. New York University, New York, NY.
44. (2002) **“Poetic Negotiations: Charles Baudelaire, Frank O’Hara and the City.”** Social Theory and Practice Graduate Conference: New York/LSE. London School of Economics. London, England.

### **Presentations and Workshops**

1. Jan 2021 **Facilitator and Co-organizer**, “Exploring Access: A Community guided Conversation” (with Jude Benoit, Paul Power, Lue Bonia, Linda Brown, A Powell and Gary Hall) Quadrangle Community Centre, St. John’s, NL (online event)
2. Nov 2020 **Co-Presenter (with Charlie Murphy)**, “Holding Space and Building Place: Reflections on Building a 2SLGBTQIA+ Community Centre for Newfoundland and Labrador” Research Exchange Group on Gender, Sexuality, and Health, NLCAHR (Newfoundland Centre for Applied Health Research).

3. Nov 2020 **Facilitator and Co-organizer**, “Remembrance as an Act of Creativity and Care: A Community Guided Conversation” for TDOR [Trans Day of Remembrance] Quadrangle NL, Trans Support NL, MUNSU, First Light. St. John’s, NL (online event)
4. June 2019 **Panelist and Co-organizer**, “LGBTQ+ Community through the Arts and Choral Music: A Panel Discussion” St. John’s Gay Men’s Chorus and MMaP Research Centre, Memorial University, Suncor Energy Hall, St. John’s, NL. June 20
5. May 2019 **Presenter**, Welcome to My Classroom: “Practicing Pronouns: Teaching to create unplanned, unprogrammed, non-predetermined space for student involvement”
6. Feb 2019 **Presenter**, “Watching out for Dykes (on Broadway)” MMaP 2018-2019 Music and Culture Lecture Series. Memorial University, Arts and Culture Centre, St. John’s, NL. Feb 28.
7. July 2018 **Presenter**, “Troubling curiosity and examining silence: Building inclusive community in everyday interactions” Culture of Care Conference, Office of Student Life, Memorial University. July 17.
8. July 2018 **Moderator** (with Adele Power) “Reflection Session” Culture of Care Conference, Office of Student Life, Memorial University. July 17.
9. May 2018 **Panelist**, “Genders and Sexualities” Opera on the Avalon Symposium Series, 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual ‘Ramblings at the Rocket’ (with Dr. V. Hallett, Dane Woodland, Daze Jefferies, and Facilitator, Gemma Hickey). St. John’s, May 28.
10. April 2018 **Presenter/Facilitator**, “Gender Diversity Awareness: Language and Inclusivity” Society of Rural Physicians of Canada 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Rural and Remote Medicine Course: The Art and Soul of Rural Medicine, St. John’s Conference Centre, April 13.
11. Feb 2018 **Presenter**, Memorial Student Leadership Conference: Unlock your Superpowers. Title: “Power of the Pact” Memorial University, Feb 3.
12. Jan 2018 **Presenter/Panelist** “Silenced Voices Speak: A Panel Discussion” Title: “Building a Language in Order to Speak” Moderator: Dr. K. Stanbridge. Other Panelists: Dr. S. Snizek (University of Victoria), Dr. S. Boon (Gender Studies, Memorial), Dr. P. Dold (Religious Studies, Memorial), Dr. S. Gordon (Folklore, Memorial). Suncor Energy Hall, Memorial University, January 13
13. March 2017 **Guest Lecturer**, Gender Studies 4000, Dr. K. Side, Instructor
14. Sept 2017 **Presenter**, “The continuing importance of Pride Day” Port Au Basques Pride Week Workshop (distance delivery).
15. Dec 2017 **Presenter/Facilitator**, “Gender Diversity Awareness: Language and Inclusivity” Faculty of Education Staff Professional Development Seminar
16. August 2017 **Facilitator/Lunch-Time discussion leader**: “Building syllabi that leave time for research” ASA Pre-conference in teaching and learning. Montreal
17. March 2016 **Presenter** “Activism and Academia: Sociologists on using scholarly work for social change” Organized by Memorial University Sociology Society, Memorial University.
18. Feb 2016 **Presenter/Facilitator**, Diversity and Inclusion Dialogue Series, Human Resources, Memorial University. Title: “Gender Diversity Awareness”

19. Feb 2015 **Co-presenter and co-organizer**, “Consensus-Based Decision Making” a workshop for the Women’s Resource Centre, Memorial University
20. March 2014 **Interviewer**, Q&A Session with Rae Spoon following screening of “My Prairie Home” St. John’s International Women’s Film Festival. March 8
21. March 2014 **Presenter**, “Trans 101: Navigating Terminology” a session for Transgender Health Training, Office of Professional Development, Faculty of Medicine, Memorial University
22. Feb 2014 **Guest Lecturer**, Master of Philosophy in Humanities Program, Memorial University. Title: “Writers’ Responsibility”
23. May 2013 **Presenter**, Anti-Oppression Workshop for Canadian University Queer Services Conference, Memorial University.
24. May 2012 **Presenter**, 2012 Joining Together: Taking Action Against Child Abuse. Canadian Society for the Investigation of Child Abuse. May 6-9, 2012. Carriage House Inn, Calgary, AB
25. Dec 2011 **MC** for 2011 Dec 6<sup>th</sup> Memorial Service, Faculty of Engineering, Memorial University
26. Oct 26 2011 **Presenter**, NL Centre for Applied Health Research, Research Affinity Group on Gender, Women, and Health. Title: “A Burnt out Revolutionary is Just Burnt Out: Attending to the health of LGBTQ advocates and activists”
27. July 2011 **Presenter**, Sexuality Unconference, Memorial University. Title: “Why they think we are going to fuck at the prom: sex negativity, homophobia, and boundaries.”
28. March 2011 **Panelist**, LBGT Health Awareness Panel, MUNSU, Memorial University.
29. May 2010 **Keynote Speaker** for Planned Parenthood’s International Day Against Homophobia Breakfast. The Capital Hotel, St. John’s, NL
30. January 2010 **Guest Lecturer**, Dalhousie Sociology and Anthropology Dept. Brown Bag Series, Title: “Exploring the Cultural Uses of Self-Esteem: Recognition vs. Equal Participation.”
31. March 2008 **Guest Lecturer**, Women’s Studies Speaker’s Series, Memorial University Title: “Interrogating the ‘Quality of the Work’: an exploration of how gendered relations can affect poetic achievement”
32. Sept. 2007 **Guest Lecturer**, Groupe ESC Rouen, Normandy, France. (Presentation to Faculty) Title: “Publishing Transnationally: exploring the ‘unspoken’ aspects of publishing across national boundaries”

### **Teaching—Course Development (Memorial University)**

#### ***Online Developments***

**SOCI 3160** Contemporary Theory; **SOCI 1000** Introduction to Sociology

#### ***On Campus (new offerings developed)***

**SOCI 6320/4213** Gender & Sexuality/Teaching Practicum;

**SOCI 3311** Sociology Disability; **SOCI 6390** Sociology of Culture;

**SOCI 4213** Sociology of Sexuality

*On Campus (redevelopments)*

**SOCI 3160** Contemporary Theory; **SOCI 2240** Canadian Culture and Society  
**SOCI 4150** Advanced Social Theory; **SOCI 6320** Gender and Society;  
**SOCI 6150** Social Theory

**Teaching—Graduate Seminar Courses**

**SOCI 6320** Gender and Society (One offering)  
**SOCI 6390** Sociology of Culture, (Two offerings)  
**SOCI 6150** Social Theory (One Offering)

**Teaching—Undergraduate Courses**

*Memorial University*

**SOCI 3160** *Contemporary Theory* (Online) Three offerings  
*Contemporary Theory* (On Campus) Four offerings  
**SOCI 4213** *Sociology of Sexuality* (On Campus) Ten offerings  
**SOCI 1000** *Introduction to Sociology* (Online), Three offerings  
**SOCI 3311** *Special Topics in Sociology: Sociology of Disability* (On Campus) One offering  
**SOCI 2240** *Canadian Culture and Society* (On Campus) Six offerings  
**SOCI 3040** *Intro to Methods of Social Research*, (Co-taught, On Campus) Two offerings  
**SOCI 4150** *Advanced Social Theory* (On Campus) One offering

*Outside Memorial University*

**Fall 2012** *Economics of Culture* International Business Program, Groupe ESC Rouen  
**Summer 2002** *Sexual Diversity in Society*, Sociology, New York University  
**Fall 2002** *Sexual Diversity in Society*, Sociology, New York University

**Post-doctoral Supervision (completed)**

2014-2016 Michael Connors Jackman. "From Dangerous Sexuality to Homonationalism: Changing Attitudes towards Sexual Minorities in St. John's, Newfoundland, 1969–2016" **ISER Postdoctoral Fellowship**

**PhD Supervision (completed: 2)**

- Chafe, David. 2017. "Becoming a Musician in St. John's, NL: Narratives of Rock, Traditional and Classical Musicians" *Committee Member*



- Draisey-Collishaw, Rebecca. 2017. “Curating Canadianness: public service broadcasting, fusion programming, and hierarchies of difference.” Dept. of Ethnomusicology, Memorial University. *Committee Member*
  - Dr. Draisey-Colleshaw has been honoured with a SSHRC post-doctoral award

### **Masters Supervision (completed: 14)**

- 2021 **Nel Santos**. Dept. of Sociology. *Supervisor*  
Mr. Santos received the Sociology Department’s Sociology in the Arts (SITA) Masters Research Paper Prize
- 2020 **Inman, Aly**. Masters of Science in Medicine (Applied Health Services Research), Atlantic Regional Training Centre (collaborative centre of Memorial University, University of New Brunswick, University of Prince Edward Island, Saint Mary’s University). *Committee Member*
- 2019 **Van Loggerenberg, Dylan**. Dept. of Sociology. Memorial University. *Supervisor*
- 2018 **McGonigle, Krista**. Dept. of Sociology. Memorial University. *Supervisor*
- 2014 **Leendertse, Nikola**. Dept. of Gender Studies. *Co-supervisor* with Dr. Linda Cullum
- 2012 **Evans, Ian** Dept. of Sociology. Memorial University. *Supervisor*
- 2011 **Snel, Jessica**. Dept. of Sociology. Memorial University. *Supervisor*
- 2011 **Nickerson, Gloria** Dept. of Sociology. Memorial University. *Supervisor*
- 2011 **Nevakshonoff, Mandy**. Dept. of Sociology. Memorial University. *Supervisor*
- 2010 **Samson, Laura**. Dept. of Sociology. Memorial University. *Supervisor*
- 2010 **Winters, Laura**. Dept. of Sociology. Memorial University. *Supervisor*
- 2010 **Gill, Kimberly**. Dept. of Sociology. Memorial University. *Supervisor*
- 2009 **Mercer, Tina**. Dept. of Sociology. Memorial University. *Supervisor*
- 2008 **Henning, Jennifer**. Dept. of Sociology. Memorial University. *Supervisor*

### **MPhil in the Humanities Tutoring (completed: 3)**

- 2021 Dixon, Andrew. MPhil in the Humanities, Memorial University.
- 2015 Conway, Shannon. MPhil in the Humanities, Memorial University.
- 2010 Morine, Nick. MPhil in the Humanities, Memorial University

### **Honours (BA) Supervision (completed: 2)**

- McGonigle, Krista. Fall 2016. “Status, Role, and Community: Validating the Migration Experiences of All Gays and Lesbians”
- Forsey, Megan Patricia. Winter 2016. “Cyberbullying: Victims, Offenders and Rehabilitation, oh my!”

### **Ongoing Supervision—Ph.D Students (5)**

- **Godbout-Kinney, Keif**. Dept. of Sociology, Memorial University. *Supervisor*

- **Morton, Katherine.** Research topic: Dept. of Sociology, Memorial University. *Supervisor*
  - Ms. Morton has received a 2018 SSHRC Doctoral Scholarship
- **Dixon, Andrew.** Interdisciplinary PhD Program, Memorial University. *Supervisor*
- **Fu, Jian.** Dept of Sociology, Memorial University. *Co-Supervisor*
- **Lau, Po Chun.** Interdisciplinary PhD Program, Memorial University. *Committee Member*

### **Ongoing Supervision—MA Students (2)**

- Fortune, Katie. Dept. of Sociology, Memorial University. *Co-supervisor*
- Casselman, Iris Dawn. (on leave). Dept of Sociology, Memorial University. *Supervisor*

### **Reader/Examiner-PhD (4)**

- Steadman, Jamie. Dept. of Sociology, FHSS, PhD Thesis: “The Effects of Over-indebtedness on Personal Relationships” Summer 2017
- Murphy, Terry. Dept. of Sociology, FHSS, PhD Thesis: “The Quest for Contented Sobriety: A dramaturgical analysis of recovery in alcoholics anonymous” Fall 2013.
- Reitmanova, Sylvia. Division of Community Health and Humanities, Faculty of Medicine, PhD Thesis: “ ‘Disease Breeders Among Us’ Canadian Press Coverage of Immigrant Tuberculosis: A critical discourse analysis” Defense Date: August 6, 2010
- Bride, Kate. Faculty of Education, Phd Thesis: “Learning to Love Again”” Loss, Self-Study, Pedagogy and Women’s Studies” Defense Date: January 22nd, 2010

### **Reader/Examiner-MA/Master of Gender Studies (6)**

- Tacit, Sam. (2020) “Joyful Bodies, Joyful Minds: Gender Euphoria among Transgender Adults Living in Canada.” Dept. of Gender Studies, Memorial University. *Examiner*
- White, Zaren Healey. (2016) Thesis title: "Surgical Shape-Shifting: Transgender Embodiment in Nina Arsenault's The Silicone Diaries." Dept. of Gender Studies, Memorial University. *Examiner*
- Petrychyn, Jonathan. MPhil in the Humanities (2014) Title: “Failures of Representation: Queer Realism in Contemporary Autobiographical Cinema” Memorial University. *Examiner*
- Tracey, Laurinda. MA (2008) Thesis title: “Violence in the University: The Construction of an Occupational Health and Safety Issue.” Dept. of Sociology, Memorial University. *Second Reader*
- Jackman, Michael Connors. MA (2007) Thesis title: “Get Out of the Garden: AIDS, Art, Politics and the Queerness of Identity.” Dept. of Anthropology and Archaeology, Memorial University. *Examiner*

- Myers, Shawn. MA. Memorial University (2006) Research Paper title: “Video Game Culture in St. John’s, Newfoundland: Probing the Pixels.” Dept. of Sociology, Memorial University. *Second Reader*

### **Other Graduate Student Advisory, Chair, and Review Work**

- Chair, PhD Examination Committee for Shamus MacDonald, Dept. of Folklore, SGS, Memorial University. Dissertation title: “Dh ‘fheumadh iad ait’ a dheanamh: They would have to make a place”: Land and Belonging in Gaelic Nova Scotia. (Winter 2018)
- Derragh, Lesley. Gender Studies. Reviewer of Masters Thesis proposal, Fall 2015
- Supervised Jennifer Henning for Graduate Program in Teaching, Winter 2009
- Supervised Sheri Manual for Graduate Program in Teaching, Winter 2008

### **Media**

- Interviewed for CBC Radio “St. John’s Morning Show” about LGBTQ aging in NL research report, which was then also quoted in CBC News Article <https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/newfoundland-labrador/quadrangle-report-lgbtq-seniors-1.6208934> October 13, 2021
- Interviewed for CBC New on Trans Day of Remembrance <https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/newfoundland-labrador/trans-day-remembrance-nl-1.5809647> Nov 20, 2020
- Interviewed for CBC Radio “St. John’s Morning Show” about achieving charitable status for Quadrangle NL, which was then also quoted in CBC News Article <https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/newfoundland-labrador/quadrangle-charity-status-1.5414797> January 5, 2020
- Interviewed on students being pulled from LGBTQ presentation in Middle Arm, NL for CBC “Here and Now” May 16, 2018
- Interviewed on Orlando shooting at the Pulse nightclub for CBC Radio On the Go: <http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/newfoundland-labrador/newfoundland-academic-reaction-lgbt-gay-nightclub-attack-1.3634710> June 15, 2016
- Interviewed on Quadrangle LGBTQ Community Centre initiative for CBC news: <http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/newfoundland-labrador/group-pushing-for-province-s-1st-lgbtq-community-centre-1.3108555> June 10, 2015
- Interviewed about gay sport celebrities on CBC Radio One West Coast Morning Show March 10, 2011
- Interviewed about the desire to marry for National Post, June 4, 2010.
- Interviewed about the desire to marry for Globe and Mail, June 4, 2010.
- Interviewed about the desire to marry for “On the Go” CBC Radio One 640AM June 10, 2010
- Interviewed about the desire to marry on The Gary Doyle Show 570News June 8, 2010. <http://www.570news.com/listen/listenplayer/64041--1-05pm-is-marriage-an-out-dated-institution>

- Interviewed about the desire to marry on The John Gormley Live Show CKOM June 7, 2010. <http://www.newstalk980.com/shows/john-gormley/ondemand> (June 7th, Hour 4 podcast).
- Profiled by Jenn Farrell in *Blush* magazine Issue 3, Winter 2010.
- Interviewed for *The Scope* on Newfoundlanders tendency to google sex related terms more often than those in other provinces. March 2009. (<http://thescope.ca/2009/03/26/i%E2%80%99m-feeling-lucky>)
- Interview with NTV Evening News Hour for feature on people who are transgender, March 19, 2008.
- Participated in Studio 1024 podcast wishing MUN students happy holidays for the winter break (December 2008)
- Interview with NTV Evening News Hour on responses to sexual assaults in St. John's, October 3, 2007
- Interview with CBC Radio One, The St. John's Morning Show, with Jeff Gilhooly, on responses to sexual assaults in St. John's, October 3, 2007
- Interview with The Scope: St. John's Arts and Entertainment Newspaper, "...Why Pride? ...Why not?" July 2007
- Interview with CBC News on sexual assault of a woman in her home in St. John's, July 18, 2007
- Interview, The Gazette, "Seminar Course Explores Sexuality and Society" July 19, 2007
- Interview, The Gazette, Feature Article on 'Facebook', June 28, 2007
- Interview, The Gazette, New Faculty Profile, July 20, 2006
- Interviewed on Weekend America (American Public Media—radio) on poets' practices of commitment for National Poetry Month, April 2006 ([http://weekendamerica.publicradio.org/programs/index\\_20060429.html](http://weekendamerica.publicradio.org/programs/index_20060429.html))
- Interviewed for *Quill and Quire* on trajectory of poetry careers, March 2006

### **Professional Development**

- Senior University Administrators Course (SUAC) 2021-2022, Centre for Higher Education Research and Development (CHERD), October 21-May 22, Ten half-day sessions. University of Manitoba. Online
- "Indigenous Cultural Diversity Training" First Light, St. John's, NL. February 9 2022
- "Understanding University Budgets" Memorial University Academic Leadership Development Program, February 7, 2022
- "Strategic Planning" Memorial University Academic Leadership Development Program. November 23, 2021 and December 6 2021
- Senior Women Academic Administrators conference SWAAC 2021: Building Trust and Earning Trust, McGill University. Online. (May 13-14 2021).
- Association for Atlantic Universities (AAU) Institutional Award Recipient's Retreat. Dalhousie University, Truro, NS (October 19, 2018)
- "Introduction to Workplace Alternative Dispute Resolution" (day-long seminar) Gardiner Centre, Faculty of Business Administration, Memorial University. May 14, 2018
- American Sociological Association Teaching and Learning Section's Pre-conference Workshop "Thinking Matters: Critical thinking, active listening, and evidence-based writing" August 11, 2017, Montreal PQ

- Transformational Teaching and Learning Day at Memorial, *Centre for Innovation in Teaching and Learning*. Memorial University, April 27 2017
- Decolonizing Teaching, Mentorship and Methods: A discussion with Michelle Murphy, Emily Simmonds, and Max Liboiron. Memorial University, April 11, 2017
- Program in Graduate Student Supervision, *Centre for Innovation in Teaching and Learning*. Memorial University, Fall 2017 (semester long program, certificate awarded)
- Teaching Skills Enhancement Program (Educator Cohort) *Centre for Innovation in Teaching and Learning*, Memorial University, Fall 2016 (semester long program, certificate awarded)
- Critical PAR 2015 Summer Institute (Participatory Action Research), *The Public Science Project*, CUNY Graduate Center, NYC (week-long training institute)
- Mental Health First Aid Certification, Mental Health Commission of Canada, March 8, 2015, Certificate #20150327347
- Workshop on Building Inclusive Programs for LGBTQ Youth, June 15 2010, Planned Parenthood, St. John's, NL
- SSHRC New Scholar Workshop, August 2007, MUN
- SSHRC Standard Research Grant Competition: Tips for Proposal Writing, July 2007
- Effective Practices for Successful Research Supervision, November 24, 2006, *Instructional Development Office*, MUN
- SSHRC Grant Writing Workshop, Speaker: Wafa Bitar, August 2006, MUN
- Stimulating Deeper Learning in Large Lecture Classes, 2002, *Center for Teaching Excellence*, New York University.

### **Selected Awards, Honours, Recognition**

- **2018 Glenn Roy Blundon Centre Teaching and Learning Award** for advancing accessible and equitable learning by integrating lived experience and applying universal design in curriculum development.
- **2016 President's Award for Outstanding Teaching (Faculty)** Memorial University
- **Honoree on the Wall of Notable Feminists and Trans-Activists**, at Intersections: Centre for Marginalized Genders, Memorial University. This wall includes photos of people who students nominate as mentors and leaders of note and includes both contemporary and historical theorists and activists locally, nationally, and internationally.
- **2016 Nominee for YWCA St. John's Women of Distinction Awards (Mentorship and Education)**
- **Community Leadership Marshall for the St. John's 2014 Pride Parade**
- **2014 and 2010 Vagina Warrior** A student-nominated honour awarded at campuses across North America to recognize those whose work contributes to improving the lives of girls and women and fighting sexual violence
- **Canada-U.S. Fulbright Scholarship** Awarded for PhD study at New York University (2000)
- **Henry McCracken Fellowship** New York University, \$80,000 USD and full tuition waiver (2001-2006)
- **Dean's Outstanding Graduate Student Teaching Award** New York University, Graduate School of Arts and Science (2003)