

Curriculum Vitae

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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Professor Emerita of Sociology and History, 2016-present
Professor, Assoc. Prof, and Asst. Prof., Departments of Sociology and History,
University of Michigan, 1987-2016
Faculty Associate, Human Rights Initiative, University of Michigan
Life Member, Clare Hall College, Cambridge University, UK, 1987-present

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Department of Sociology, Harvard University, 1986
M.A. Department of Sociology, Harvard University, 1981

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Economic Sociology and Political Economy; Citizenship Rights; Law, Justice, and Legal History;
Political Sociology; Comparative Historical Sociology; Social and Political Theory; Historical
Epistemologies and Philosophy of Social Science; Knowledge, Ideas, and Culture

RECENT HONORS

2019 “**Theorizing and Historicizing: Political Economy, Rights, and Moral Worth,**”
Symposium in Honor of Margaret Somers, University of Michigan, May 18-19.
Featuring Fred Block, Geoff Eley, Greta Krippner, Jeffrey Alexander, Renee Anspach,
Mabel Berezin, Howard Brick, Craig Calhoun, Leo Casey, Marion Fourcade, Jesus Felipe de
Redondo, Lars Hulgard, Camilo Leslie, Sandra Levitsky, Steven Lukes, Karin Martin, Mark
Mizruchi, William Novak, Christopher Roberts, William Sewell, Jr., George Steinmetz, and
Ron Suny.

PUBLICATIONS: BOOKS

2014 *The Power of Market Fundamentalism: Karl Polanyi's Critique*. Cambridge, MA:
Harvard University Press, April 1. Co-authored with Fred Block.
<http://www.hup.harvard.edu/catalog.php?isbn=9780674050716>

Named “Book of the Year 2014” by *Economic Sociology and Political Economy*
<http://economicsociology.org/2014/12/21/the-book-of-the-year-the-power-of-market-fundamentalism-karl-polanyis-critique/>

Reviews as of May 2016:

- Michele Cangiani. 2016. Book Review in *History of Economic Thought and Policy* 1, 85-118.
- Rakovics Márton. 2016. Book Review in *Intersections. East European Journal of Society And Politics* 2:2, 130-134.
- Jamie Peck. 2016. Review Essay: "Polanyian Pathways: A review of *The Power of Market Fundamentalism: Karl Polanyi's Critique*," by Fred Block and Margaret R. Somers. *Economic Geography* 92:2, 226-233. DOI:10.1080/00130095.2015.1096195
- Thomas E. Weisskopf. 2016. Book Review in *Review of Radical Political Economy* 48:3, 508-511. DOI: 10.1177/0486613415594168
- George W. Grantham. 2015. Book Review in *The Journal of Economic History* 75, 587-588. DOI:10.1017/S0022050715000753
- Frank Dobbin. 2015. Book Review in *American Journal of Sociology* 121:1, 318-320. DOI: 10.1086/681048
- Anne Mayhew. 2015. Book Review in *Journal of Economic Issues* 49:2, 601-603.
- Isaac Martin. 2015. Review Essay, "Reading *The Great Transformation*," in *Contemporary Sociology* 44:2, 163-66.
- Andrew Gamble. 2015. Book Review: *Cambridge Review of International Affairs* 28:1, 159-162. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/09557571.2015.1004944>
- Dan Pearson. 2015. Book Review in *Issues in Science and Technology* 32:1, Fall. <http://issues.org/32-1/economics-humanized/>
- Leo Panitch. 2015. Review Essay: "Capital and Politics," *Perspectives on Politics* 13:4, 1075-1083. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1017/S1537592715002340>
- David Hollanders. 2015. Book Review in *Antipode* 47:1. https://radicalantipode.files.wordpress.com/2015/01/book-review_hollanders-on-block-and-somers1.pdf
- Richard Swedberg. 2015. Review Essay: "The State, the Market, and Society," *Contexts* 14:3, 58-59. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1177/1536504215596953>
- Claus Offe, Damien Cahill, and Johanna Bockman. 2015. Review Symposium in *Thesis Eleven: Critical Theory and Historical Sociology* 125:1, December 2014. <http://the.sagepub.com/content/125/1.toc>
- Gianfranco Poggi. 2015. Review Essay: "Discussing Karl Polanyi: Understanding the Current Crisis," in *Books and Ideas/La Vie des Idees*, December 2014. <http://www.booksandideas.net/Discussing-Karl-Polanyi.html>

Magali Sarfatti-Larson. 2014. Book Review in *Il Mulino: Revista di Cultura e di Politica Fondat* 6, 999-1002. DOI: 10.1402/78306
http://www.rivistailmulino.it/news/newsitem/index/Item/News:NEWS_ITEM:2713

Book Review also by Sarfatti-Larson in *Instituto de Estudios Peruanos*.

Kurtuluş Gemici. 2014. Book Review in *European Journal of Sociology* 55:3, 406-412.
http://journals.cambridge.org/abstract_S0003975614000204

Bruno Amable. 2014. Review Essay in *Socio-Economic Review* 12:4, 813-821.

Bülent Temel. 2014. Book Review in *Ekonomický časopis* 62, 661-664.

Michael McCarthy. 2014. Book Review in *Boston Review: A Political and Literary Forum*.
<http://bostonreview.net/books-ideas/michael-mccarthy-block-somers-market-fundamentalism-karl-polanyi>

Robert Kuttner. 2014. Review Essay: “Karl Polanyi Explains It All.” *The American Prospect*, April 15, 2014. <http://prospect.org/article/karl-polanyi-explains-it-all>

Related Interviews and Articles:

“The Free Market is an Impossible Utopia,” Interview with Margaret Somers and Fred Block by Henry Farrell, *The Washington Post*, July 18, 2014.

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/blogs/monkey-cage/wp/2014/07/18/the-free-market-is-an-impossible-utopia/>

Q&A with Fred Block & Margaret Somers on *The Power of Market Fundamentalism: Karl Polanyi’s Critique* (Harvard 2014) by Dan Hirschman, *Accounts: Newsletter of the Section on Economic Sociology*, American Sociological Association, 13:3, July 2014.

<http://www.asanet.org/sectionecon/documents/Accounts%20Summer%202014.pdf>

Scholarly Panels and Public Symposia on *The Power of Market Fundamentalism: Karl Polanyi’s Critique*:

- *American Sociological Association* Annual Meeting: “Author Meets Critics” Thematic Panel. Panelists: Craig Calhoun, Greta Krippner, and Steven Lukes. Seattle, WA, August 19-23, 2016.
- *Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics* (SASE), “Authors Meet Critics” Panel. Discussants: Michael McQuarrie, Maurice Glasman, and Craig Calhoun. Organizer: David Woodruff. London School of Economics & Political Science, UK, July 3, 2015.
- *Pacific Sociological Association* Meetings, “Author Meets Critics.” Discussants: Akos Rona-Tas, William Maurer, and Julia Elyachar. Long Beach, CA, April 1, 2015.
- *Social Science History Association* Meetings, “Authors Meet Critics” Presidential Panel. Discussants: Jamie Peck, Mabel Berezin, and Marc Steinberg. Organizer: Greta Krippner. Toronto, Canada, November 9, 2015.
- 13th International Karl Polanyi Conference, Special Roundtable on *The Power of Market Fundamentalism*. Participants: Kari Polanyi Levitt, Jamie Peck, and Robert Kuttner. Montreal, Canada, November 7, 2015.

- London School of Economics, Department of Government. Presentation by Margaret Somers on *The Power of Market Fundamentalism*. July 2, 2014.

2008, 2010 *Genealogies of Citizenship: Markets, Statelessness, and the Right to have Rights*.

New York and London: Cambridge University Press. (Korean Translation: Greenbee Publishing 2012.)

Winner of the 2009 Giovanni Sartori Award in Qualitative Methodology, American Political Science Association. [*"Honors Giovanni Sartori's work on qualitative methods and concept formation, and problems of context for concepts in new spatial and temporal settings. The award is intended to encompass both new research on methodology as well as substantive work that is an exemplar for the application of qualitative methods."*]

Reviews as of 2012:

John Hall. March 2013. Book Review in *British Journal of Sociology* 64(1):178-179.

Featured Review Symposium in *Socio-Economic Review* (2011) 9, 395-418:

- Michael Katz, "On Genealogies of Citizenship,"
- William Maurer, "Value propositions, on reading Somers,"
- Erik Olin Wright, "The 'triadic' model of society in Somers' *Genealogies of Citizenship*."

Charles Lemert. November 2011. Book Review in *American Journal of Sociology* 117(3):989-991.

Bryan Turner. September 2011. Book Review in *Cultural Sociology* 5(3).

Book Symposium in *Trajectories: Comparative Historical Sociology*, ASA (Spring 2011) 22(2):8-34. Essays by Saskia Sassen, Michael Tolley, and Erik Olin Wright.

Sheila Shaver. May 2011. Book Review in *Thesis Eleven: Journal of Critical and Historical Sociology* 105(1):130-134.

Carmen Sirianni. May 2010. "Featured Review Essay," in *Contemporary Sociology* 39(3).

Alan Hunt. 2009. Book Review in *Canadian Journal of Sociology* 34(2).

Andreas Fahrmeir. 2009. Book Review in *Sehepunkte* 9(10).

Scholarly Panels and Public Symposia on *Genealogies of Citizenship*:

- American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, "Meet the Author," Margaret Somers, *Genealogies of Citizenship: Markets, Statelessness, and the Right to Have Rights*, Washington D.C., September 2-5, 2010. Speakers: Frances Fox Piven, Gary Herrigel, Jeff Manza, and Michael Tolley.
- American Sociological Association Annual Meeting: Author Meets Critics Session on *Genealogies of Citizenship*, Atlanta, GA, August 15, 2010. Speakers: John Lie, Saskia Sassen, and Erik Olin Wright.

- Law and Society Association Annual Meeting: “Author Meets Reader” Panel for *Genealogies of Citizenship*, Chicago, May 27-31, 2010. Speakers: David Abraham, Bill Maurer, Bill Novak, Kunal Parker, Marc Steinberg, and John Torpey.
- Pacific Sociological Association Meetings: Author Meets Critics Panel for *Genealogies of Citizenship*, Oakland, CA, March 10, 2010. Speakers: John Hall, Peter Evans, Saba Mahmood, Bill Roy, and Jonathon Simon.
- Social Science History Association Annual Meeting, “Author Meets Critics” Panel for *Genealogies of Citizenship*, Long Beach, CA, November 12-15, 2009. Speakers: David Fitzgerald, Gary Herrigel, and Rogers Smith.
- Sixth Annual Conference in Citizenship Studies: Author Meets Critics: Special Session on *Genealogies of Citizenship*, Center for the Study of Citizenship, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI, March 26-28, 2009. Speakers: Ron Aronson, Will Kymlicka, and more.
- Department of Political Science, University of Michigan, Political Theory Group: Special Symposium on *Genealogies of Citizenship*, organized by University of Michigan, January 30, 2009. Speakers: Lisa Disch (Political Science), Charles Bright (History and RC), Don Herzog (Law School), Howard Brick (History), and Margaret Somers (Sociology and History).

PUBLICATIONS: ARTICLES, CHAPTERS, ESSAYS, and INTERVIEWS

(Translations in Chinese, Korean, German, Italian, Spanish)

In progress:

Forthcoming. “The Powers of Predistribution: Diagnosing Oligarchy, Dedemocratization, and the Deceits of Market Justice.” *Res Publica*.

Forthcoming. “Citizenship and Political Economy.” *Encyclopedia of Citizenship Studies*, edited by Maria Soledad Garcia Cabeza and Thomas Faist.

Published:

2022 “Legal Predistribution, Market Justice, and Dedemocratization: Polanyi and Piketty on Law and Political Economy.” *Journal of Law and Political Economy* 3(2):225–279.

2022 “Dedemocratizing citizenship: how neoliberalism used market justice to move from welfare queening to authoritarianism in 25 short years.” *Citizenship Studies* 25th Anniversary Issue 26:4–5, August.

2022 “Margaret Somers in Conversation with Daniel Hirschman.” *Sociologica* 16(1):153–173.

2021 “Toward a redistributive democracy: Diagnosing oligarchy, dedemocratization, and the deceits of market justice.” Pp. 56–87 in *The Condition of Democracy, Volume 1: Neoliberal Politics and Sociological Perspectives*, edited by Jürgen Mackert, Hannah Wolf, and Bryan S. Turner. London: Routledge.

2021 “Against Polanyian orthodoxy: a reply to Hannes Lacher.” Co-authored with Fred Block. *Theory and Society* 50(3):417–441.

- 2020 Margaret Somers in conversation with David Bond and John Hultgren, “A Democratic Ritual Against the Underlying Reality of an Incompatibility Between Capitalism and Democracy.” *International Karl Polanyi Society*, November 3.
- 2020 “Even the Republican ‘skinny’ relief bill failed. How is such unnecessary suffering justified?” OpEd in *The Guardian*, September 14.
- 2020 “Polanyi’s Prescience: Covid-19, Market Utopianism, and the Reality of Society.” Co-authored with Fred Block. Pp. 153–159 in *Karl Polanyi: The Life and Work of an Epochal Thinker*, edited by Brigitte Aulenbacher, Markus Marterbauer, Andreas Novy, Kari Polanyi Levitt, and Armin Thurnher. Vienna: Falter.
- 2020 “The Moral Economy of the Capitalist Crowd: Utopianism, the Reality of Society, and the Market as a Morally-Instituted Process in Polanyi’s *The Great Transformation*.” Special Dossier on Moral Economy, edited by Jeremy Adelman and Sam Moyn. *Humanity: An International Journal of Human Rights, Humanitarianism, and Development* 11(2):227–234.
- 2020 “Polanyi’s Democratic Socialist Vision: Piketty through the Lens of Polanyi.” Co-authored with Fred Block. Pp. 211–230 in *Karl Polanyi and twenty-first century capitalism*, edited by Radhika Desai and Kari Polanyi Levitt. Manchester, UK: University of Manchester Press.
- 2018 “The Moral Economy of the Business Crowd: It’s Moral Backgrounds all the Way Down,” Review Essay for Symposium on Gabriel Abend’s *The Moral Background: An Inquiry into the History of Business Ethics* (Princeton, 2014). *Socio-Economic Review* 16(3):637–655.
- 2018 “Utopianism and the Reality of Society: Decoding Polanyi’s Socialism, Freedom, and the Alchemy of Misrecognition,” Pp. 91–109 in *Karl Polanyi’s Vision of a Socialist Transformation*, edited by Michael Brie and Claus Thomasberger. Montreal, CA: Black Rose Books.
- 2017 “How Grandpa became a Welfare Queen: Social Insurance, the Economisation of Citizenship, and a New Political Economy of Moral Worth.” Pp. 76–98 in *The Transformation of Citizenship: Political Economy* (Vol. 1), edited by Jürgen Mackert and Bryan S. Turner. Routledge.
- 2017 “Karl Polanyi in an Age of Uncertainty.” Co-authored with Fred Block. *Contemporary Sociology* 46(4):376–392.
- 2016 Margaret Somers in Conversation with Joshua Curtis, “Socially Embedding the Market and the Role of Law.” Series on Economics and Law in Conversation, *Laboratory for Advanced Research on the Global Economy*, Centre for the Study of Human Rights, London School of Economics, March 2016.
- 2014 “Is Cruelty the Key to Prosperity?” Co-authored with Fred Block. *Open Democracy: Transformation*, October 27, 2014.
- 2014 “The Return of Karl Polanyi.” Co-authored with Fred Block. *Dissent Magazine*. Spring.
- 2012 “Zombie Entanglements: How Corporate Power Stalks Among Us.” *Socio-Economic Review* 10(3):617–623.

- 2012 “Angst und Schrecken vor der Öffentlichkeit: Der narrative Diskurs der angloamerikanischen Citizenship Theory.” Pp. 273–310 in Markus Arnold, Gert Dressel, Willy Viehöver (eds). *Erzählungen im Öffentlichen. Über die Wirkung narrativer Diskurse (Narratives in the Public Space. On The Effects of Narrative Discourses)*, Wiesbaden (Germany) VS-Verlag.
- 2011 Book Symposium: Margaret Somers’ *Genealogies of Citizenship* Essays by Erik Olin Wright, Saskia Sassen, Michael Tolley, and Margaret Somers. *Trajectories* 22(2):8–34.
- 2008 “Toward a New Sociology of Rights: A Genealogy of ‘Buried Bodies’ of Citizenship and Human Rights.” *Annual Review of Law and Social Science*, edited by John Hagan. Vol. 4, 385–425 (co-authored with Christopher Roberts).
- 2008 “Imperiled Citizenship and the Market.” *The Hedgehog Review: Critical Reflections on Contemporary Culture* 10(3), Fall.
- 2006a “Poverty and Piety.” Co-authored with Fred Block. *American Sociological Review* 71(3), June.
- 2006b “Citizenship, Statelessness and Market Fundamentalism: Arendtian Lessons on Losing the Right to Have Rights.” Pp. 35–62 in *Migration, Citizenship, Ethnos: Incorporation Regimes in Germany, Western Europe and North America*, edited by Y. M. Bodemann and G. Yurdakul. London and New York: Palgrave Macmillan.
- 2005a “From Poverty to Perversity: Ideas, Markets, and Institutions over Two Centuries of Welfare Debate.” Co-authored with Fred Block. *American Sociological Review* 70(2):260–287, April.
- 2005b “Is Speenhamland a warning for social policy?” Co-authored with Fred Block. Pp. 13–54 in *The Ethics and Economics of the Basic Income Guarantee*, edited by Karl Widerquist, Michael Anthony Lewis, and Steven Pressman. Aldershot, Hampshire: Ashgate Publishing.
- 2005c “Beware Trojan Horses Bearing Social Capital: How Privatization turned *Solidarity* into a Bowling Team.” Pp. 233–274 in *The Politics of Method in the Human Sciences*, edited by George Steinmetz. Duke University Press.
- 2005d “Citizenship Troubles: Genealogies Of Struggle For The Soul Of The Social.” Pp. 438–469 in *Remaking Modernity*, edited by Julia Adams, Lis Clemens, and Ann Orloff. Duke University Press.
- 2005e “Let Them Eat Social Capital: Socializing the Market versus Marketizing the Social.” *Thesis Eleven* 81:5–19, May.
- 2003 “In the Shadow of Speenhamland: Social Theory and the Old Poor Law.” Co-authored with Fred Block. *Politics and Society* 31(2):283–323, June.
- 2001a “Romancing the Market, Reviling the State: Historicizing Liberalism, Privatization, and the Competing Claims to Civil Society.” Pp. 23–48 in *Citizenship, Markets, and the state*, edited by Colin Crouch, Klaus Eder, and Damian Tambini. New York: Oxford University Press.

- 2001b “Citizenship and the Place of the Public Sphere: Law, Community and Political Culture in the Transition to Democracy.” In *Mainstream and Critical Social Theory Classical, Modern and Contemporary*, edited by Jeffrey C. Alexander. Vol. 6, Sage Publications.
- 2001c “Narrativity, Narrative Identity, and Social Action: Rethinking English Working-Class Formation.” Pp. 354–374 in *The History and Narrative Reader*, edited by Geoffrey Roberts, New York: Routledge.
- 2001d “Il Paradosso di Pizzorno: L'astuta Persistenza della Teoria della Scelta Razionale.” Pp. 169–194 in *Identità, Riconoscimento, Scambio. Saggi in Onore Di Alessandro Pizzorno*, edited by D. della Porta, M. Greco e A. Szakolczai. Roma-Bari, Italy: Laterza.
[“Pizzorno’s Paradox: The Cunning Persistence of Rational Choice Theory.” Pp. 169–194 in *Recognition, Self and Other in Social Theory: Essays in Honour of Alessandro Pizzorno*]
- 1999a “The Privatization of Citizenship: How to Unthink a Knowledge Culture.” Pp. 121–161 in *Beyond the Cultural Turn: New Directions in the Study of Society and Culture*, edited by Victoria E. Bonnell and Lynn Hunt Berkeley: University of California Press.
- 1999b “La Ciudadania y el Lugar de la Esfera Publica: Un Enfoque Historico.” Pp. 217–235 in *Ciudadania: Justicia Social, Identidad y Participacion*, edited by Steven Lukes and Soledad Garcia. Madrid and Mexico City: Siglo XXI de Espana Editores. (Translated by Soledad Garcia.)
- 1998a “We’re No Angels: Realism, Rational Choice, and Relationality in Social Science.” *American Journal of Sociology* 104(3):722–784. Lead article in special Symposium on Historical Sociology and Rational Choice Theory.
- 1998b “‘Citizenship’ zwischen Staat und Markt. Das Konzept der Zivilgesellschaft und das Problem der ‘dritten Sphere’.” *Berliner Journal fur Soziologie* 8(4):489–506.
- 1998c “Bringing Marshall Back In: riscoprire e reinventare la cittadinanza.” *Inchiesta* 28(120):7–13. [Special Issue, *La Cittadinanza in Discussione*.]
- 1998d “Constituting Citizens in History and in Theory: Civil Societies, Law, and the Place of the Public Sphere.” Pp. 153–206 in *Public Rights, Public Rules: Constituting Citizens in the World Polity and National Policy*, edited by Connie L. McNeely. New York: Garland Publishing, Inc.
- 1997 “Deconstructing and Reconstructing Class Formation Theory: Narrativity, Relational Analysis, and Social Theory.” Pp. 73–106 in *Reworking Class*, edited by John R. Hall. Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press.
- 1996/97a “Que hay de politico o de cultural en la cultura politica y en la esfera publica? Hacia una sociologia historica de la formacion de conceptos.” *Zona Abierta* (Madrid) 77/78:31–94.
- 1996/97b “Narrando y naturalizando la sociedad civil y la teoria de la ciudadania: el lugar de la cultura politica y de la esfera publica.” *Zona Abierta* (Madrid) 77/78:255–337.
- 1996a “Where is Sociology After the Historic Turn? Knowledge Cultures, Narrativity, and Historical Epistemologies.” Pp. 53–90 in *The Historic Turn in the Human Sciences*, edited by Terrence J. McDonald. Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press.

- 1996b “Class Formation and Capitalism: A Second Look at a Classic” [Katznelson and Zolberg's *Working-Class Formation*]. *European Journal of Sociology/Archives de Sociologie Europeene* 37(1):180–202, May.
- 1995a “What's Political or Cultural about the Political Culture Concept? Toward an Historical Sociology of Concept Formation.” *Sociological Theory* 13(2):113–144, July.
- 1995b “Narrating and Naturalizing Civil Society and Citizenship Theory: The Place of Political Culture and the Public Sphere.” *Sociological Theory* 13(3):229–274, November.
- 1995c “The 'Misteries' of Property: Relationality, Families, and Community in Chartist Narratives of Political Rights.” Pp. 62–92 in *Early Modern Conceptions of Property*, edited by John Brewer and Susan Staves. London: Routledge. (First Place Prize for Best Article in the Sociology of Culture by American Sociological Association.).
- 1995d “What's in a Name? Sociological Explanation and the Problem of Place.” *American Sociological Review* 60(5):797–804, October.
- 1994a “Narrative and the Constitution of Identity: A Relational and Network Approach.” *Theory and Society* 23(5):605–650 (translated into Chinese).
- 1994b “Reclaiming the Epistemological 'Other': Narrative and the Social Constitution of Identity” (with Gloria Gibson). Pp. 37–99 in *Social Theory and the Politics of Identity*, edited by Craig Calhoun. Oxford: Basil Blackwell.
- 1994c “Rights, Relationality, and Membership: Rethinking the Making and Meaning of Citizenship.” *Law and Social Inquiry* 19(1):1301–1350.
Reprinted in *Public Rights, Public Rules: Constituting Citizens in the World Polity and National Policy*, edited by Connie L. McNeely. Pp. 153–206. New York: Garland Publishing, Inc.
- 1993 “Citizenship and the Place of the Public Sphere: Law, Community, and Political Culture in the Transition to Democracy.” *American Sociological Review* 58(5):587–620. (First Place Prize for Outstanding Article in Political Sociology, 1994; Honorable Mention for Outstanding Article in Comparative Historical Sociology, 1994, both by American Sociological Association.)
- 1992 “Narrativity, Narrative Identity, and Social Action: Rethinking English Working-Class Formation.” *Social Science History* 16(4):591–630.
- 1990 “Karl Polanyi's Intellectual Legacy.” In *The Life and Work of Karl Polanyi*, edited by Kari Polanyi-Levitt. Montreal/New York: Black Rose Books.
- 1989 “Workers of the World, Compare!” Featured Essay: *Contemporary Sociology* 18(3), May.
- 1984 “Beyond the Economistic Fallacy: The Holistic Social Science of Karl Polanyi.” Co-authored with Fred Block. Pp. 47–84 in *Vision and Method in Historical Sociology*, edited by Theda Skocpol. London: Cambridge University Press. Chinese Translation, published as Introduction to first Chinese translation of Polanyi's *The Great Transformation*, 1996.

- 1980 “The Uses of Comparative History in Macrosocial Inquiry.” Co-authored with Theda Skocpol. *Comparative Studies in Society and History* 22(2):174–197, April. Reprinted in *Social Revolutions in the Modern World*, edited by Theda Skocpol. Cambridge, 1994.
- 1979 “The Limits of Agronomic Determinism: A Critical Review of Jeffrey Paige's *Agrarian Revolution*.” Co-authored with Walter Goldfrank. *Comparative Studies in Society and History* 21(3).
- 1972 “The Political Economy of Sexism: Behind Every Sexist Stands the Boss.” Co-authored with Kathryn Johnson. Berkeley, CA: *New American Movement Press*.

INVITED LECTURES, SEMINARS, and COLLOQUIA

- 2022 “Geoff Eley: An Ethic of Pluralist Solidarity,” presented at “No Straight Lines: Peculiar Pasts and Crooked Futures,” A Symposium in Honor of Geoff Eley, University of Michigan, September 29–October 2.
- 2021 Invited Seminar Presentation: “Toward a Predistributive Democracy,” presented at seminar on “Predistribution and Property-Owning Democracy,” CEPS – Centre for Ethics, Politics and Society, University of Minho, Portugal, June 29.
- 2020 “Can Trump be Defeated?” a conversation with Fred Block (University of California, Davis), Margaret R. Somers (University of Michigan), and Robert Kuttner (Co-Editor, *The American Prospect*). Moderator: Daniel Salée, Karl Polanyi Institute, Concordia University, Montreal, Canada, October 20.
- 2020 Invited Presentation: “Toward a Predistributive Democracy,” Workshop in Political Economy and Culture, University of Virginia, November 20.
- 2019 Invited Presentation: “Polanyi Through the Lens of Piketty,” for *Journal of Law and Political Economy* Workshop, Baldy Center for Law and Social Policy at SUNY Buffalo, NY, October 11-12.
- 2019 Invited Presentation: “Diagnosing Fascism, Capitalism, and the Moral Crimes of Market Justice: Polanyi’s Socialist Vision of a Predistributive Democracy,” for “*The Great Transformation @ 75 Years*,” Center for the Advancement of Public Action, Bennington College, Bennington, VT, October 26.
- 2019 Keynote Address: “Can Citizenship Save Democracy?” for “The Condition of Democracy and the Fate of Citizenship,” International Conference: Center for Citizenship, Social Pluralism, and Religious Diversity, University of Potsdam, Germany, July 11-13.
- 2019 Invited Lecturer: “Karl Polanyi: The Power of Market Fundamentalism,” American Library in Paris, July 4.
- 2019 Invited Presentation: “Postnational Citizenship and Beyond,” workshop sponsored by Sciences Po, Paris (CEVIPOF) and University of South Florida, January 2-4.

- 2018 Invited Presentation: “How Grandpa Became a Welfare Queen,” Culture and Social Analysis Workshop, Department of Sociology, Harvard University, September 18.
- 2018 Keynote Speech: “Welfare Societies in Transition,” EMES International Research Network-Polanyi International Seminar, Roskilde University, Grennesminde, Denmark, April 16-17.
- 2018 Invited Speaker: “Welfare State in Transition—Learning from Co-production,” SOLIDUS Workshop and Roskilde University, Grennesminde, Denmark, April 18.
- 2018 Invited Speaker: “The Moral Economy of the Capitalist Crowd” for “The Moral Economy,” A Belknap Global Workshop & Conversation, organized by Jeremy Adelman and Samuel Moyn, Princeton University, April 6-7.
- 2017 Invited Speaker: “Geography of Markets/Marketization,” Karl Polanyi Institute for Political Economy, Concordia University, Montreal, Canada, June 15-17.
- 2017 Invited Speaker: “Karl Polanyi’s Socialist Vision,” Left Forum, John Jay College, New York, NY, June 3.
- 2017 Invited Speaker: “Neoliberalism and Social Democracy,” Collaborative Conference of Whitlam Institute (University of Western Sydney) and DePaul University (Chicago, IL), April 7-8.
- 2016 Author Meets Critics Panel on *The Power of Market Fundamentalism: Karl Polanyi’s Critique*, panelists: Craig Calhoun, Greta Krippner, and Steven Lukes, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, August 19-23.
- 2015 Invited Speaker: “Karl Polanyi: Freedom in a Complex Society,” Workshop on Karl Polanyi sponsored by The Rosa Luxemburg Foundation, Berlin and New York, NY, November 19-21.
- 2015 Invited Keynote Lecture: “Karl Polanyi and the Future of Capitalism,” Thirtieth Anniversary of “Historical Perspectives Lecture Series,” University of Wisconsin, Center for History and Social Change, Green Bay, WI, November 3.
- 2015 Invited Lecture: “Ten Years After the Deluge: The State of Public Education in New Orleans,” Albert Shanker Institute, Washington, D.C., September 9.
- 2015 Invited Speaker: “The Future of Capitalism,” 22nd International Conference of Europeanists, “Contradictions: Envisioning European Futures,” Sciences Po, Paris, France, July 8-10.
- 2015 Special Panel on Fred Block and Margaret R. Somers’ *The Power of Market Fundamentalism: Karl Polanyi’s Critique* (Harvard 2014), Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics (SASE), London School of Economics, UK, July 2-4.
- 2015 Invited Speaker: “Neoliberalism and the Generation of Inequality and Exclusion” International Conference on “The Changing Nature of Citizenship,” University of Potsdam, Germany, June 6 (declined).

- 2015 Invited Workshop Participant: “The Economization of the Social since the 1970s,” Max Planck Institute, Cologne, Germany, and The New School for Social Research, New York, NY, June 4-5.
- 2015 Invited Discussant: “From the Armenian Genocide to the Holocaust: The Foundations of Modern Human Rights,” International Institute, University of Michigan, April 4.
- 2014 Invited Speaker: Special Roundtable on Fred Block and Margaret R. Somers’ *The Power of Market Fundamentalism: Karl Polanyi’s Critique* (Harvard 2014), 13th International Karl Polanyi Conference, Concordia University, Montreal, Canada, November 6-8.
- 2014 Invited Plenary Speaker: “The Enduring Legacy of Karl Polanyi,” 13th International Karl Polanyi Conference, The Enduring Legacy of Karl Polanyi, Concordia University, Montreal, Canada, November 6-8.
- 2014 Guest Speaker: “Karl Polanyi Today,” Invited Special Session (organized by Lord Maurice Glassman), The House of Lords, UK Parliament, London, July 3.
- 2014 Invited Lecturer: *The Power of Market Fundamentalism: Karl Polanyi’s Critique*, London School of Economics, London, UK, July 1.
- 2014 Invited Guest Professor: University of Aberdeen PhD Summer School, Aberdeen, Scotland, June 27-28.
- 2014 Keynote Speaker: “Political Community,” Centre for Citizenship, Civil Society and Rule of Law; University of Aberdeen, Aberdeen, Scotland; June 24-26.
- 2014 Invited Speaker: “Social Inequality and Social Exclusion,” Conference on “Critical Inequalities,” Unit for Criticism & Interpretive Theory, University of Illinois, May 9-12.
- 2013 Invited Speaker: “Political Community,” Centre for Citizenship, Civil Society and Rule of Law; University of Aberdeen, Aberdeen, Scotland; June 25-26 (unable to attend).
- 2013 Invited Keynote Speaker: 50th Anniversary Symposium of the John F. Kennedy Institute, “New Horizons: Interdisciplinary Perspectives on North America,” John F. Kennedy Institute of Freie Universität Berlin, June 27-28 (unable to attend).
- 2012 Invited Speaker: Global Affirmative Action in a Neo-Liberal Age, Center for African and African American Research at Duke University (CAAAR) and the University of Malaya (UM), November 8-10 (declined).
- 2012 Invited Speaker: “Dynamics of Continuity, Patterns of Change: Between World History and Comparative Historical Sociology,” first international colloquium in memory of Prof. Shmuel Noah Eisenstadt, The Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities and The Van Leer Jerusalem Institute, October 14-15 (declined).
- 2012 Keynote Speaker: “The politics of citizenship in the era of human rights: An international research workshop,” Whitlam Institute, University of Western Sydney, August 27-29 (declined).

- 2012 Invited Plenary Speaker: "Philosophy in the Nurse's World," Institute for Philosophical Nursing Research (IPNR), University of Alberta, Canada, May 13-15 (declined).
- 2012 Invited Speaker: "God and Mammon: The religious and economic fault-lines of liberalism," Macmillan Center for International Affairs, Yale University, April 13.
- 2012 Invited Speaker: "Human Rights or Rights of Citizenship: Competing Exclusions of Borders and Boundaries," for "Law and Human Rights in History," sponsored by the Toynbee Prize Foundation and the Carnegie Corporation of New York, March 29-31.
- 2011 Invited Speaker: "Competing and complementary visions of the social: history, sociology, and anthropology in Budapest," Departments of Sociology and Social Anthropology and the Department of History, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary, September 23-24 (declined).
- 2011 Distinguished Lecturer: "Citizenship Exclusions: Rodney King, South Central LA, and Zones of Rightlessness in Contemporary America," Annual Lecture presented to student body of Occidental College, Los Angeles, CA, September 9.
- 2011 Invited Speaker: "What Equality?" Centre for Citizenship, Civil Society and Rule of Law (CISRUL); University of Aberdeen, Scotland; Workshop: June 28-29, and Faculty for PhD summer school: June 30-July 1 (unable to attend).
- 2011 Distinguished Keynote Speaker: International Social Theory Consortium, University of Cork, Ireland, June 17-18 (unable to attend).
- 2011 Invited Commentator: Reflections on "The Future in Question: History and Utopia in Latin America, 1989-2011" by Fernando Coronil, Eisenberg Institute for Historical Studies, University of Michigan, April.
- 2011 Distinguished Lecturer: "Free-Market Utopianism: Why Karl Polanyi is the Necessary Thinker for our Times," Annual Lecture in Critical Sociology, York University, Toronto, Canada, March 30.
- 2010 Invited Speaker: "Britain's 'Big Society' Risk Shift," CES-EUC End of Semester Roundtable: "Towards the End of the European Social Model?" International Institute, University of Michigan, December 14.
- 2010 Meet the Author: Margaret Somers, *Genealogies of Citizenship: Markets, Statelessness, and the Right to Have Rights*, American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., September 3.
- 2010 Plenary Session Presenter: T.H. Marshall's *Citizenship and Social Class*: A 60th Anniversary Retrospective, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, August 14.
- 2010 Author Meets Critics Session on *Genealogies of Citizenship: Markets, Statelessness, and the Right to Have Rights*, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, August 15.
- 2010 Author Meets Reader Panel for *Genealogies of Citizenship: Markets, Statelessness, and the Right to Have Rights*, Law and Society Meetings, Chicago, IL, May 27-31.

- 2010 Invited Speaker: “Rights as Public Goods and Social Artifacts: Between Citizenship and Free-market Utopianism,” Department of Sociology Colloquium, University of California, Berkeley, April 12.
- 2010 Author Meets Critics Panel for *Genealogies of Citizenship: Markets, Statelessness, and the Right to Have Rights*, Pacific Sociological Association Meetings, Oakland, CA, March 10.
- 2010 “Citizenship and the Right to Have Rights,” Seminar presentation, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford University, March 3.
- 2009 Invited Speaker: “An Archeology of Conceptual/Causal Tools,” The Comparative Social Analysis Seminar, UCLA, December 3.
- 2009 Author Meets Critics Panel for *Genealogies of Citizenship: Markets, Statelessness, and the Right to Have Rights*, Social Science History Association, Long Beach, CA, November 12-15.
- 2009 Invited Speaker: “Citizenship and the Conditions of Inclusion,” Successful Societies Program, Canadian Institute for Advanced Research, Montreal, Canada, May 30.
- 2009 Author Meets Critics Special Session on *Genealogies of Citizenship: Markets, Statelessness, and the Right to Have Rights*, Sixth Annual Conference in Citizenship Studies: “Representing Citizenship,” Center for the Study of Citizenship, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI, March 26-28.
- 2009 Special Symposium on *Genealogies of Citizenship: Markets, Statelessness, and the Right to Have Rights* (Cambridge 2008), organized by Political Theory Group of Political Science Department, University of Michigan, January 30. Speakers: Lisa Disch (Political Science), Charles Bright (History and RC), Don Herzog (Law School), Howard Brick (History), and Margaret Somers (Sociology and History).
- 2009 Discussant/Critic for Author Meets Critics Session: Will Kymlicka, *Multicultural Odysseys: Navigating the New International Politics of Diversity* (New York: Oxford University Press 2007), Sixth Annual Conference in Citizenship Studies: “Representing Citizenship,” Center for the Study of Citizenship, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI, March 27.
- 2008 Presidential Panel: “When Rights Became Human,” Social Science History Association, Miami, FL, October 23-26.
- 2008 President’s Panel: “Is Polanyi Obsolete?” Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics Annual Meeting, Costa Rica, July 21-24.
- 2007 Invited Speaker: “Citizenship and the Right to Have Rights: An Agenda for a Sociology of Rights,” Department of Sociology, Yale University, April 5.
- 2007 Invited Speaker: “Genealogies of Katrina: Romancing the Market, Starving the State, Losing the Right to Have Rights,” Center for Cultural Sociology, Yale University, April 6.

- 2006 Seminar Speaker: “Genealogies of Citizenship: Knowledge, Markets, and the Right to Have Rights,” International Center for Advanced Studies Seminar, New York University, October 20.
- 2006 Featured Speaker: “Dangerous Exclusions: Towards a new Sociology of Rights, and the ‘Right to Have Rights,’” Inaugural Lewis Coser Award Lecture and Salon, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada, August 12.
- 2006 Invited Speaker: “Citizenship, Statelessness, and Social Exclusion: Arendtian Lessons on the Right to Have Rights,” International Perspectives on Human Rights: Rackham Distinguished Faculty/Graduate Seminar, University of Michigan, May 10.
- 2005 Invited Speaker: Symposium on “Citizenship and Comparative Early Modern Legal History,” Newberry Library, Chicago, IL, October 14-16.
- 2005 Invited Speaker: “The Public Sphere in U.S. Sociology,” Centennial Session, Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA, August 13-16.
- 2005 Invited Speaker: “Polanyi’s Contribution to Socio-Economics,” Presidential Choice Thematic Panel, Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics (SASE), Budapest, Hungary, June 30-July 2.
- 2004 Invited Speaker: “Analyzing Theoretical Cultures,” Theory Section Mini-Conference on Theoretical Cultures, American Sociological Association Meetings, August.
- 2004 Invited Speaker: Presidential Forum on “The Socio-Economic Paradigm and The New Global Security Agenda,” 16th Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics, Washington, D.C., July 9-11.
- 2004 Presidential Keynote Speaker: “Private Powers and Public Domains: Redefining Relations among States, Markets, and Societies,” 16th Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics, Washington, D.C., July 9-11.
- 2004 Invited Seminar Speaker: “From Poverty to Perversity: 200 Years of Welfare Reform,” Historical and Economic Sociology Seminar, Department of Sociology, Rutgers University, April 28.
- 2004 Invited Seminar Speaker: “The Troubles of Citizenship,” Center for Critical Analysis of Contemporary Culture, Rutgers University, April 28.
- 2003 Invited Plenary Speaker: “Migration, Citizenship, Ethnos: Incorporation Regimes in Germany, Western Europe and North America,” conference sponsored by the Heinrich Boll Foundation, the DAAD and the Joint Initiative in German and European Studies, University of Toronto, Canada, October 2-5.
- 2003 Invited Speaker: Presidential Plenary Session on *Culture and Political Identities*: “Social Exclusion, Stateless Citizens, and Losing the ‘Right to Have Rights,’” American Sociological Association Meetings, August 18.

- 2003 Invited Speaker: Theory Section Mini-Conference on *The Value of Classical Theory*: “Dangerous Exclusions: Ideational Embeddedness and the Struggle for the Soul of the Social,” American Sociological Association Meetings, August 18.
- 2002 Invited Discussant: “Think Tanks, Knowledge, and Poverty Policy,” Special Session, American Sociological Association Meetings, August 18.
- 2002 Invited Discussant: Theory Section Invited Paper Session, Mini-Conference I: “Sociological Theory and Empirical Research,” American Sociological Association Meetings, August 18.
- 2002 Invited Speaker: “Author Meets the Critics: Doug McAdam, Sidney Tarrow, Charles Tilly, *Dynamics of Contention*,” Social Science History Association Meetings, October.
- 2001-02: Invited to give lectures abroad, including Universities in Bielefeld, Germany; Rotskilde, Denmark; Stockholm; Prague; Berlin; Toronto; British Columbia; and in U.S.: Duke, NYU, Cornell, etc.
- 2001 Invited Speaker: “States of Emergency or the Emergency of States?: Terrorism and the Terrors of Statelessness,” Colloquium in Anthropology and History, “States of Emergency: Globalization (911) Knowledge,” University of Michigan, November 9.
- 2001 Invited Speaker: “Beware Trojan Horses Bearing Social Capital: How Neoliberalism Is Turning Gdansk into a Bowling Alley,” The Institute for the Humanities, University of Michigan, October.
- 2001 Keynote Featured Speaker: Special Forum on Social Capital, Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics Annual Meetings, Amsterdam, June 28-July 1.
- 2001 Keynote Speaker: “Beware Trojan Horses Bearing Social Capital,” Special Session, Comparative Historical Sociology, American Sociological Association Meetings, Anaheim, CA, August 20.
- 2001 Invited Speaker: “‘In the Beginning all the World was America’: Unsettling Nature through Comparative Concept Formation,” Modes of Comparison: Theory And Practice: A Conference in Honor of Professor Raymond Grew, University of Michigan, May 4-5.
- 2001 “Romancing the Market, Reviling the State: The Politics and Knowledge of Civil Society and the Public Sphere from Political Economy to Neo-Liberalism,” three public lectures and seminar as Visiting Scholar in Residence, The Havens Center, University of Wisconsin, Madison, April 22-31.
- 2001 Invited Speaker: “Rational Choice and Historical Sociology,” Seminar for Sociology and Political Science, Yale University, March.
- 2001 Invited Speaker: “Citizenship and Statelessness,” Conference on the Making and Unmaking of Modernity, Northwestern University, March.
- 2001 Invited Speaker: “From Poverty to Perversity, from Gdansk to the Bowling Alley: How Neoliberalism Found Compassionate Conservatism, True Romance, and Social Capital in

- Speenhamland (and Has Been Outwitting Us Ever Since),” Colloquium for Program in Agrarian Studies, Institute for Social and Policy Studies, Yale University, January.
- 2000 Invited Lecturer: “Archives, Documentation, and the Institutions of Social Memory,” Institute for Advanced Studies, University of Michigan, September.
- 2000 Keynote Speaker: Symposium on “Narrative, Memory, and Identity,” Department of Sociology, University of Cork, Ireland, April 27.
- 2000 Invited Speaker: “Romancing the Market, Reviling the State: Why Neoliberalism Is Outwitting the Rest of Us,” Program in Methods of Inquiry, Department of Sociology, University of California at San Diego, February 28.
- 2000 Invited Speaker: “From Poverty to Perversity: 200 Years of Welfare Reform,” Institute for the Humanities, University of Michigan, January 25.
- 1999 Invited Speaker: “Power, Perversity, and Path Dependence: Institutional Versus Cognitive Change in the 1996 Welfare Reform,” Interdisciplinary Committee on Organizational Studies seminar, University of Michigan, October 1.
- 1999 Moderator and Discussant: “Equal Opportunity or Diversity: What’s in a Name?,” dialogue between Nathan Glazer and Anita Allen, Conference on Contexts for Diversity: Europe and North America, University of Michigan, September 30.
- 1999 Plenary Speaker: “Politics or Markets?,” Political Sociology section mini-conference, American Sociological Association meeting, Chicago, IL, August 5.
- 1999 Invited Speaker: “Romancing the Market, Reviling the State: How to Unthink a Knowledge Culture in an Age of Social Naturalism,” Center for the Humanities and the Department of Sociology, University of California at Santa Barbara, February 3.
- 1998 Invited Speaker: “Fear and Loathing of the Public Sphere and the Privatization of Citizenship,” conference on “Rethinking the Social,” University of Manchester, UK, December 12-14.
- 1998 Invited Speaker: “Civil Society—Between State and Market,” Conference on “Discourses of Civil Society,” UCLA, June.
- 1996 Invited Speaker: “Citizenship Formation: Research Methodologies,” Dipartimento di Sociologia, Universitario di Torino, Italy, December 20.
- 1996 Invited Speaker: “Citizenship and the Public Sphere,” Dipartimento di Sociologia, Universitario di Urbino, Italy, December 18.
- 1996 Special Lecturer: “The Making of Modern Citizenship,” The European Forum of the European University Institute, Florence, Italy, June 20.
- 1996 Invited Speaker: “Historicizing Civil Society: A Network Analysis of Concept Formation,” Special Colloquium on Network Analysis (*Problematique et etudes de cas*), Department of History and Civilizations, European University Institute, Florence, Italy, May 31.

- 1996 Invited Speaker: "Transgressing Epistemological Divides: Toward an Historical Sociology of Concept Formation," Conference on "The Study of Culture after the Linguistic Turn," Center for German and European Studies, University of California, Berkeley, April 26-28.
- 1996 Invited Speaker: "Citizenship and the Place of the Public Sphere: Theorizing the 'Third Sphere'," Conference on "Social and Political Citizenship in a World of Migration," European University Institute, Florence, Italy, February 22-24.
- 1996 Invited Speaker: "Methodologies of Citizenship-Formation," Conference on "Challenges to the Nation-State: Regionalism and Globalization," European University Institute, Florence, Italy, January.
- 1995 Invited Speaker: "Diritti, etnia, cittadinanza/Right, Ethnicity, Citizenship," Dipartimento di Sociologia, Università di Milano, Italy, December 14.
- 1995 Invited Speaker: "Citizenship and Deliberation," Department of Social and Political Sciences, European University Institute, Florence, Italy, November.
- 1995 Invited Speaker: Special Presidential Panel on Anthropology and Sociology, American Anthropological Association, Washington, D.C., November.
- 1995 Invited Speaker: "Civil Society and Citizenship Theory," Department of Social and Political Sciences, European University Institute, Florence, Italy, October.
- 1995 Invited Speaker: "We're No Angels: History and Science, Networks and Narratives in Methods of Sociological Analysis," Workshop in Social Theory, University of Chicago, April 18.
- 1995 Invited Speaker: "We're No Angels: History and Science, Networks and Narratives in Methods of Sociological Analysis," Department of Sociology Colloquium, Northwestern University.
- 1995 Invited Speaker: "Globalization and Democratic Theory," University of Miami Law School, Miami, Florida, March.
- 1995 Invited Speaker: "The Making of Modern Citizenship Rights," American Bar Foundation, Chicago, IL, March.
- 1995 Invited Speaker: "The People and the Law," Berkeley Law School: Program in Jurisprudence and Social Policy, University of California, March.
- 1995 Invited Speaker: "The Making of Modern Citizenship Rights," Program in Social Thought and Analysis, Washington University, St. Louis, MO, February.
- 1995 Invited Speaker: "Rethinking the Political Culture Concept," Department of Sociology and Program in International Studies, University of California, Irvine, January.
- 1993 Invited Speaker: "The Social Constitution of Identity," Brenner Center for Comparative History and Social Theory, UCLA, May.

- 1993 Invited Speaker: "Historicizing the Social Sciences," Center for Study of Comparative Cultures, Washington University, St. Louis, MO.
- 1991 Invited Speaker: "Christopher Hill and Historical Sociology," Tanner Lecture Colloquium in honor of Christopher Hill, University of Michigan.
- 1991 Invited Speaker: "Sociology," conference on "Transformation in the Academic Disciplines Since World War Two," American Academy of Arts and Sciences, Cambridge, MA.
- 1991 Invited Speaker: "Reflections on the Making and Meaning of Citizenship," Department of Sociology Colloquium, Princeton University.
- 1990 Invited Speaker: "Citizenship and the Public Sphere in the Formation of Political Rights in England," Center for the Study of Law and Society, Boalt School of Law, University of California, Berkeley.
- 1990 Invited Speaker: "Property and the Public Sphere in the Formation of English Popular Identities," The Clark Library and the Department of History, University of California, Los Angeles.
- 1989 Invited Speaker: "Citizenship Rights and the Public Sphere: Power and Empowerment in the Formation of English Working-Class Identities," Shelby Cullom Davis Center, Princeton University.
- 1989 Invited Speaker: "The Historical Construction of Identities: The Making of English Working-Class Identities," Rutgers University Center for Historical Analysis.
- 1986 Invited Speaker: "Karl Polanyi: The Intellectual Legacy," Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest, Hungary.
- 1986 Invited Speaker: "The Origins of English Working-Class Politics," Cambridge History Colloquium, Harvard University.
- 1986 Invited Speaker: "Citizenship, Law, and the State in the Formation of English Political Rights in the Industrial Revolution," Center for European Studies, Harvard University.
- 1983 Invited Speaker: "Fascism—the Revolt of the Social: Karl Polanyi's Spiritual and Political Reality Principle," conference on "German Social Science in America: The Interwar Migration and its Legacy," Center for European Studies, Harvard University.
- 1978 Invited Speaker: "Recent Explorations in Historiography: Social Formations, Modes of Production, and the State," Harvard University.
- 1976 Invited Speaker: "Feminism and Social Theory," M.I.T. Social Theory Lecture Series, Cambridge, MA.

**SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS, PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS,
and CONFERENCE PAPERS**

- 2021 “Building a Predistributive Democracy on the Ruins of Market Justice,” presentation for “Moving Forward/Looking Backward: Crisis, Comparison and History,” American Sociological Association Meetings, Virtual Zoom, August 9.
- 2020 “Democracy in Distress,” discussant for Theory Section Panel organized by Greta Krippner, American Sociological Association Meetings, Virtual Zoom, August 11.
- 2019 Author Meets Critics Panel on Julia Moses, *The First Modern Risk* (2018), Council for European Studies, Madrid, Spain, June 19.
- 2018 Junior Theorists Symposium, discussant, American Sociological Association Meetings, Philadelphia, PA, August 10-13.
- 2018 Law and Political Economy Panel II, discussant, Law and Society Association, Toronto, Canada, June 9-10.
- 2017 Critic for Author Meets Critics Panel: Gabriel Abend, *The Moral Background: An Inquiry into the History of Business Ethics* (Princeton, 2014). American Sociological Association Meetings, Montreal, Canada, August 15.
- 2017 “Trump and Social Theory,” Symposium, University of Michigan, February 22.
- 2016 “Social Insurance, the Economization of Citizenship, and a New Political Economy of Moral Worth,” invited panelist, “The Economization of Everything,” Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics (SASE) Annual Meeting, Berkeley, CA, June 24-26.
- 2015 Invited Roundtable: “The Future of Capitalism,” 22nd International Conference of Europeanists, “Contradictions: Envisioning European Futures,” Paris, France, July 8-10.
- 2015 Special Panel on Fred Block and Margaret R. Somers’ *The Power of Market Fundamentalism: Karl Polanyi’s Critique* (Harvard 2014), Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics (SASE), London School of Economics, UK, July 2-4.
- 2015 Author Meets Critics: Fred Block and Margaret R. Somers, *The Power of Market Fundamentalism: Karl Polanyi’s Critique* (Harvard 2014), Pacific Sociological Association Meetings, April.
- 2014 Responding Author, Author Meets Critics Panel on Fred Block and Margaret R. Somers’ *The Power of Market Fundamentalism: Karl Polanyi’s Critique* (Harvard 2014), Social Science History Association Meetings, Toronto, Canada, November 7-9.
- 2014 “Reading Thomas Piketty through Karl Polanyi,” Special Session, Celebrating the 70th Anniversary of Karl Polanyi’s *The Great Transformation* (1944), American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA, August 18.
- 2012 Presidential Panel: “Karl Polanyi and the History of Capitalism,” Chair and Organizer, Social Science History Association Meeting, Vancouver, Canada, November 1-4.

- 2012 “Free Market Utopianism: From Zombie Public Policy to Magical Alchemic Realism,” Presidential Panel on Dystopias, American Sociological Association Meetings, Denver, CO, June 20.
- 2012 Presidential Panel: “Neoliberalism: The Thing That Wouldn’t Leave,” 24th Annual Meeting of the Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics, M.I.T., June 28-30.
- 2011 “Economic Crisis, Political Narrative,” Social Science History Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, November 17-20, 2011.
- 2010 Discussant: “What’s Left after Market Collapse? Law and Society Scholarship and the Global Financial Crisis,” thematic session, Law and Society Meetings, Chicago, IL, May 27-31.
- 2008 “The Future of Social Theory,” Council for European Studies Biannual Conference, Chicago, IL, March 6-8.
- 2007 Presider, Presidential Panel on Human Rights, American Sociological Association Meetings, New York, NY, August 11-14.
- 2007 Author Meets Critics Panel, Reflections on *The Civil Sphere*, by Jeffrey C. Alexander, American Sociological Association Meetings, New York, NY, August 11-14.
- 2006 “Dangerous Exclusions in Sociological Theory,” invited speaker, panel on “Boundaries, Identity, and Social Agency,” Thematic Session ASA meeting, Montreal, Canada, August 15.
- 2005 “Discovering causal mechanisms in historical settings,” invited participant, Social Science History Association Meetings, Portland, OR, November 3-6.
- 2001 Chair and Organizer, “Author Meets the Critics: *Fuzzy Methods Social Science* by Charles Ragin,” American Sociological Association Meetings, Anaheim, CA, August 20.
- 2000 Special Commentator, “Small Scale Studies, Big Ideas,” panel on Margaret Somers’ work on “Narrative and Narrativity” in Social Science History, Third European Social Science History Conference, Amsterdam, April 12-15.
- 1999 Presider and Discussant, Thematic Session on “Cultural Transitions,” American Sociological Association Meeting, Chicago, IL, August 9.
- 1999 “The Power of the Perversity Thesis: Obstacles to Institutional Innovation in Welfare Reform,” Comparative Historical Section panel on “Comparative and Historical Perspectives on Organizational Innovation,” American Sociological Association Meeting, Chicago, IL, August 9.
- 1999 “Seeing like a Market, Seeing like a Stateless Person—Seeing like James C. Scott,” The Cultural Turn II, U.C. Santa Barbara, February 5-7.
- 1998 “200 Years of Welfare Reform: From Speenhamland (1795) to the Personal Responsibility Act (1996),” Social Science History Association, November 18.
- 1998 “Social Science History—Past, Present, Future,” SSHA, November 18.

- 1998 “Challenging the Epistemology of Absence—*Insurgent Identities*,” SSHA, November 18.
- 1998 “Reflections on the State of Political Sociology,” American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA, August.
- 1998 “Causality and Culture in Social Science Explanation,” American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA, August.
- 1998 “Newt Gingrich meets Karl Polanyi: 200 Years of Welfare Reform,” International Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada, July 22-August 1.
- 1998 “Explaining the Privatization of Citizenship: A Cultural Approach,” International Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada, July 22-August 1.
- 1998 “Realism, Rational Choice, and Relationality in Social Science,” International Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada, July 22-August 1.
- 1997 “Embedding Karl Polanyi,” discussant, Social Science History Association Meetings, Washington, D.C., October 16-19.
- 1997 “Meanings over Time,” Social Science History Association Meetings, Washington, D.C., October 16-19.
- 1997 “Civil Society and the Privatization of Citizenship,” Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics, Montreal, Canada, July 15-19.
- 1997 “The Contemporary Relevance of Karl Polanyi,” Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics, Montreal, Canada, July 15-19.
- 1996 Author Meets Critics session: “Reflections on Charles Tilly, *Contentious Gatherings in Great Britain, 1758-1834*,” Social Science History Association, New Orleans, LA, October 10-13.
- 1996 “Early-Modern Anglo Legal Cultures,” Law and Society Association and Research Comm. on the Sociology of Law (ISA), Joint Meetings, Glasgow, Scotland, July 10-13.
- 1996 “Societies, Citizenship, Borders, and Democratic Rights,” Law and Society Association and Research Comm. on the Sociology of Law (ISA), Joint Meetings, Glasgow, Scotland, July 10-13.
- 1996 “What can Europe learn from North America,” Conference on Multiculturalism and Citizenship, European University Institute, Florence, Italy, April 18-22.
- 1995 “Between political economy and postmodernism,” American Sociological Association Annual Meetings, Washington, D.C., August.
- 1992 “The Political Culture Concept: The Empirical Power of Conceptual Transformation,” Social Science History Association Meetings, Chicago, IL.

- 1992 “Rethinking English Working-Class Formation,” North American Labor History Conference, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI.
- 1992 “Reclaiming the Epistemological 'Other': Narrative and the Social Constitution of Identity,” American Sociological Association Meetings, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 1992 “Gender, Politics and the Social Sciences,” Department of Sociology, (with Renee Anspach, Miriam King, and Andrea Press), University of Michigan.
- 1992 “Rethinking Citizenship: In Honor of T.H. Marshall,” Conference on European Studies, Chicago, IL, March.
- 1991 Chair, Organizer, and Presenter: “What is Social Science Knowledge after the Historic Turn? An Interdisciplinary Roundtable,” Social Science History Association Meetings, New Orleans, LA.
- 1991 “The Political Culture Concept,” Department of Sociology, University of Michigan.
- 1991 “Property and the Public Sphere in the Formation of a Political Culture,” paper presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meetings, Cincinnati, OH.
- 1990 “Where is Sociology After the Historic Turn?” conference on “The Historic Turn in the Human Sciences,” University of Michigan, October 5-6.
- 1990 “Why Social Theory Needs History,” paper presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meetings, Washington, D.C.
- 1989 Chair, “Author Meets the Critic—Charles Ragin's *The Comparative Method*,” Social Science History Association Meetings, Washington, D.C.
- 1989 “Narrative Identity and the Place of the Public Sphere in England,” Social Science History Association Meetings, Washington, D.C.
- 1989 “Economic Sociology and Class Formation,” American Sociological Association Meetings, San Francisco, CA.
- 1988 “Does Social Theory Need History? Reflections upon the Epistemological Encounters in the Social Sciences,” Social Science History Association Meetings, Chicago, IL.
- 1988 “Forty Years After *The Great Transformation*” International Symposium for the Study of Karl Polanyi, Concordia University, Montreal, Canada.
- 1988 “The Place of History in Sociological Explanation: Reflections upon Recent Developments in the Philosophy of Science,” American Sociological Association Meetings, Atlanta, GA.
- 1988 “The Comparative Method and the Context of Discovery: History and Problem-Formulation in Sociology,” University of Michigan.
- 1986 “Karl Polanyi and Sociology—A Political Reality Principle,” American Sociological Association Meetings, New York, NY.

- 1983 “War-Making and State-Building as Processes: The Structural Faults of Early Modern States,” Council for European Studies Europeanists Conference, Washington D.C.
- 1983 “Comparative Politics of Working Class Formation,” Council for European Studies Europeanists Conference, Washington D.C.
- 1982 “The Origins of the English Welfare State: A Re-examination,” International Sociological Association Meetings, Mexico City.
- 1982 “The Family and the State in Early Industrialization: The Historical Fallacies of Class Analysis,” paper presented at the Council for European Studies Europeanists Conference, Washington, D.C.
- 1981 Chair, Round Table on History and Sociology, American Sociological Association Meetings, Toronto, Canada.
- 1981 “Processes of the World-System: Issues and Strategies of Research,” discussant, American Sociological Association Meetings, Toronto, Canada.
- 1981 “Karl Polanyi: Social Theorist as Prophet,” Center for European Studies, Harvard University.
- 1980 Chair, “Labour and the State,” Council for European Studies Europeanists Conference, Washington, D.C.
- 1980 “Class Formation, Political Alliances and the State in Early Nineteenth-Century England,” Council for European Studies Europeanists Conference, Washington, D.C.
- 1980 “Social Class and Politics in Pre- and Post-Industrial Society” (co-author, Fred Block), American Political Science Association Meetings, Washington, D.C.
- 1980 “Social Movements and Political Structure in Historical Comparative Sociology,” American Sociological Association Meetings, New York, NY.
- 1979 “A Comparative Historical Study of Three Nineteenth-Century British Working Class Movements,” Social Science History Association Meetings, Boston, MA.
- 1979 “The Historiography of Wallerstein and Anderson: The Contribution to Political Science,” American Political Science Association Meetings, Washington, D.C.
- 1979 “The Uses of Comparative History in Macrosocial Inquiry” (with Theda Skocpol), American Sociological Association Meetings, Boston, MA.
- 1978 “E.P. Thompson and the Frankfurt School: Implications for Sociology and Social Theory,” Eastern Sociological Association Meetings, Philadelphia, PA.
- 1975 “Comparing Socialist Feminisms: Structuralist vs Hegelian Marxisms,” East Coast Socialist Sociologists, University of Massachusetts, Boston, April.

RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS and GRANTS

- 2011-12 Member of grant initiative, Annual Institute for Joint Outcomes related to Sustainability (AIJOS). AIJOS aims to advance the analysis of multiple outcomes that all social-ecological systems produce, focusing on how social scientists contribute to such analyses.
- 2010-11 Faculty Fellow, Eisenberg Institute for Historical Studies, University of Michigan
- 2010 Spring/Summer Faculty/Graduate Student Research Grants Program, University of Michigan
- 2009-10 Fellow, Center for Advanced Studies in Behavioral Sciences, Stanford University
- 2006-07 Faculty Fellowship, National Endowment for the Humanities
- 2006-07 Center Fellow, International Center for Advanced Studies, Project on the Authority of Knowledge in a Global Age, "Rethinking the Social," New York University
- 2006 Center Fellow (short-term), International Center for Advanced Studies, "Rethinking the Political," New York University, April 1-30
- 2005-06 Research Grant for Project on "Citizenship and Rights," Office of the Vice-President for Research, University of Michigan
- 2005-06 Research Grant for Project on "Citizenship and Rights," Advanced Studies Center, International Institute, University of Michigan
- 2006 Summer Research Grant, Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan
- 2005 Fall Faculty Fellow, Global Ethnic Literatures Seminar, University of Michigan
- 2003-04 Research Fellow, Center for Critical Analysis of Contemporary Culture (CCACC), Rutgers University
- 2003-04 Faculty Fellowship Enhancement Award, awarded by the Office of the Vice President for Research and the Dean of the Graduate School, University of Michigan
- 2001 Visiting Scholar in Residence, Department of Sociology and The Havens Center, University of Wisconsin, Madison, April 22-30
- 2000-01 Research Fellow, Institute for Social and Policy Studies, Program in Agrarian Studies, Yale University
- 2000-01 Outstanding Mid-Career Fellowship, George & Eliza Howard Foundation, Brown University
- 1999-01 Research Grant, Institute for Research on Women and Gender, University of Michigan
- 1999 Fund for the Advancement of the Discipline Grant, American Sociological Association

- 1998 Special Research Grant, Office of the Vice-President for Research and the College of LSA, University of Michigan
- 1998-99 A. Bartlett Giamatti Faculty Fellow, Institute for the Humanities, University of Michigan
- 1996-97 Research Fellowship, German Marshall Fund of the United States
- 1995-96 European Forum Fellowship, Center for Advanced Studies, European University Institute, Florence, Italy
- 1994-95 Research Fellowship, Center for Comparative Legal History, The University of Chicago
- 1991-92 Center for Research on Learning and Teaching Faculty Fellowship, University of Michigan
- 1990-91 Visiting Fellow, Department of Sociology, Princeton University
- 1989-90 Research Fellowship, Shelby Cullom Davis Center for Historical Studies, Princeton University
- 1989-90 Research Fellowship, National Endowment for the Humanities, UCLA, Department of History and Clark Library

HONORS, AWARDS and PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

- 2019 Symposium
- 2009 Giovanni Sartori Book Award in Qualitative Methodology, American Political Science Association, for *Genealogies of Citizenship: Markets, Statelessness, and the Right to have Rights* (Cambridge University Press, 2008)
- 2006 Inaugural Winner, the First Annual Lewis A. Coser Theory Award for “Innovation and Agenda-Setting in Social Theory,” awarded by the American Sociological Association
- 2005-08 Executive Council, Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics
- 2002-03 Chair, Section in Comparative Historical Sociology, American Sociological Association
- 2001 Elected Member, Sociological Research Association, Honorary Society of the American Sociological Association
- 2001 Barrington Moore Award for Best Article published in Comparative Historical Sociology—honorary mention for “We’re No Angels.” *American Journal of Sociology* 104(3):722–84.
- 1997 Best Article Award in Cultural Sociology, American Sociological Association for “The ‘Misteries’ of Property: Relationality, Rural-Industrialization, and Community in Chartist Narratives of Political Rights.” Pp. 62-92 in *Early Modern Conceptions of Property*, edited by John Brewer and Susan Staves (London: Routledge, 1995).
- 1996 Excellence in Research Award, Office of the Dean, University of Michigan

- 1995-99 Julia Lockwood Award for Outstanding Research and Scholarship, University of Michigan
- 1994 Best Article Award in Political Sociology (American Sociological Association): “Citizenship and the Place of the Public Sphere: Law, Community, and Political Culture in the Transition to Democracy.” *American Sociological Review* 58(5):1993.
- 1994 Barrington Moore Award in Comparative Historical Sociology (American Sociological Association), Honorable Mention for “Citizenship and the Place of the Public Sphere” (see above)
- 1994 Faculty Research Grant and Fellowship, Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan
- 1992 Excellence in Education Award for Outstanding Teaching
- 1992 “Honors Report” for Faculty Instruction
- 1992 Recognition Award from Students with Learning Disabilities

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 2022 Faculty Mentor, Law and Political Economy Project
- 2021-present International Editorial Board, *Encyclopedia of Citizenship Studies*
- 2021-present Consultant, “Rethinking the welfare state: property-owning democracy and predistribution,” P.I. Pedro Silva, Universidade do Minho, Centro de Ética, Política e Sociedade
- 2015-present Editorial Board, *Critical Historical Studies*, University of Chicago
- 2014-present Board of Directors, Center for Engaged Scholarship
- 2014 Award Committee, Best Book on Citizenship, Center for Citizenship Studies, Wayne State University
- 2006-07 Award Committee, Lewis Coser Award for Agenda-Setting in Social Theory
- 2005-08 Executive Council, Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics
- 2004 Nominated for Chair of ASA’s Theoretical Sociology Section (declined to run)
- 2003 Nominated for Chair of ASA’s Political Sociology Section for 2005-06 (declined to run)
- 2002-03 Council Member for Section on Comparative Historical Sociology, ASA
- 2002 Nominated for Chair of Theory Section of ASA
- 2002 Nominated for Council in the Sociology of Law Section of ASA
- 2001-present International Advisory Board, *British Journal of Sociology*
- 2001-08 Editorial Board, *Socio-Economic Review*
- 2001-02 Chair, Section on Comparative Historical Sociology, ASA
- 2001 Invited to Editorial Board of the *American Sociological Review* (declined)
- 2000-present Member of Editorial Board, *Power, History, Culture* Book Series, edited by Julia Adams and George Steinmetz, Duke University Press
- 2000-03 Executive Council, Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics
- 2000-01 Chair-Elect, Section on Comparative Historical Sociology, ASA
- 1998-present International Advisory Board, *British Journal of Sociology*
- 1998-present Editorial Advisory Board, *Thesis Eleven: A Journal of Social and Political Theory*
- 1998-2002 Council Member, Section on Social Theory, ASA

1997-present International Advisory Board, *Journal of International Political Anthropology*
 1997-present Editorial Board, *Citizenship Studies*
 1997-2002 Editorial Board, *The European Journal of Social Theory*
 1994-99 Editorial Board, *Sociological Theory*
 1994-95 Chair, Distinguished Publication Award, Political Sociology Section
 1992-93 Nominating Committee, Section on Social Theory, ASA
 1991-94 Editorial Board, *Contemporary Sociology*
 1987-88 Prize Committee, Section on Comparative Historical Sociology, ASA
 1986-91 Council Member, Section on Comparative Historical Sociology, ASA
 1981-85 Council Member, Section on Political Economy of World Systems
 Member American Sociological Association
 Member Council for European Studies

UNIVERSITY and DEPARTMENT SERVICE

2011-12 Personnel Committee in Department of Sociology
 2011-12 Internal Promotion Review
 2011-12 Prelim Steering Committee, Power, History, Social Change
 2011-12 Prelim Steering Committee, Culture and Knowledge
 2010-11 Personnel Committee in Department of Sociology
 2010-11 Reviewer for Rackham International Research Awards
 2009-10 Internal Reviewer for Promotion: Karin Martin, Ray deVries
 2008-09 Executive Committee Sociology Department
 2007-09 Chair, Graduate Prelim Area in Culture and Knowledge
 2007-08 Selection Committee, Global Ethnic Literatures Studies Graduate Fellowships
 2007-08 Admissions Committee, Joint PhD Program in Sociology and Women's Studies
 2007-08 Department of Sociology Personnel Committee
 2006-08 Liaison, Joint PhD Program in Sociology and Women's Studies
 2006-08 Doctoral Program Committee, Department of Women's Studies
 2005 Fall Seminar in Global Ethnic Literatures Studies, Comparative Literature
 2004-05 Personnel Committee, Chair: W 2005
 2003-06 Steering Committee of the University of Michigan Initiative on Disability Studies (UMInDS)
 2001-03 Executive Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Michigan
 2000 Organizer, Center for Research on Social Organization Colloquia
 1999 Fall Chair, Sociology graduate program area in Power, History, and Social Change
 1999-00 Assistant Chair, Admissions Committee, Department of Sociology
 1997-98 Chair, Personnel/Search Committee, Department of Sociology
 1997-98 Member, Committee for External Review, International Institute
 1997-98 Committee Member, External Review for DAAD Proposal, Center for German and European Studies
 1997-98 Co-author, grant proposal for Center for European Union Studies
 1997-98 Ford Foundation May Seminar on "Citizenship and Minorities in the New Europe"
 1994-95 Committee for the Administration of Graduate Affairs (CAGA)
 1994-95 Committee on Graduate Prelims in Social Organization
 1994-95 Committee on Social Theory
 1993-94 Committee for the Evaluation of Instruction
 1993-94 Committee on Graduate Prelims in Social Organization
 1993-94 Committee on Social Theory

1991-93 Personnel Committee, Department of Sociology
1991-93 Committee on Social Theory
1991-92 Center for Research on Learning and Teaching, Junior Faculty Fellow
1988-90 Collegiate Fellows Seminar, LS&A Dean's Office
1988-89 Steering Committee, Program in the Comparative Study of Social Transformations
1988-89 Executive Committee Member, Center for Research on Social Organization
1988-89 Committee for Evaluation of Instruction
1987-89 Executive Committee Member, Center for West European Studies
1987-88 Personnel Committee, Department of Sociology