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Education			

Ph.D.	2003	University of California, Berkeley, Anthropology ("Becoming Non-Citizens:
		Technologies of Exclusion and Exclusionary Incorporation after the Berlin Wall")
		Committee: Professors Aihwa Ong, Chair (Anthropology), Judith Butler (Rhetoric),
		Allan Pred (Geography), and Paul Rabinow (Anthropology)
M.A. B.A.	1997 1995	University of California, Berkeley, Anthropology Amherst College, Political Science and Music, cum laude
D.A.	1773	Annerst Conege, I officer Science and Wusie, cum taude

# **Academic Positions**

2011-Present	Associate Professor, Department of Anthropology and Department of Afroamerican
	and African Studies, The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
2005-2011	Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology and the Center for
	Afroamerican and African Studies, The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
2003-2005	Research Investigator/Lecturer, Department of Anthropology and the Center for
	Afroamerican and African Studies, The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
2002	Visiting Lecturer, Department of Anthropology, University of California, Santa Cruz

# Publications: Books

20012 *Hypersexuality and Headscarves: Race, Sex, and Citizenship in the New Germany*. Indiana University Press, *New Anthropologies of Europe* series, Matti Bunzl and Michael Herzfeld, eds.

## Publications: Articles and Book Chapters

Occupying American "Black" Bodies and Reconfiguring European Spaces—The Possibilities for Noncitizen Articulations in Berlin and Beyond, In *Transforming Anthropology*. Volume 21, Issue 1, pages 41–56, April 2013.
 "Corporate Lives: New Perspectives on the Social Live of the Corporate Form," Special Issue of *Current Anthropology*, Damani Partridge, Marina Welker, and Rebecca Hardin, eds. Vol. 52, Supplement 3, April 2011.
 "Activist Capitalism and Supply Chain Citizenship: Producing Ethical Regimes and Ready to Wear Clothes." In "Corporate Lives: New Perspectives on the Social Life of Corporate Forms," Damani Partridge, Rebecca Hardin, and Marina Welker,

eds. Current Anthropology, Vol. 52, Supplement 3, April 2011.

2011 "Corporate Lives: Introduction," by Marina Welker, Damani Partridge, and Rebecca Hardin. In "Corporate Lives: New Perspectives on the Social Live of the Corporate Form." Current Anthropology, Vol. 52, Supplement 3, April 2011. 2011 "Exploding Hitler and Americanizing Germany—Occupying "Black" Bodies and **Post-War Desire.**" In Germans and African Americans: Two Centuries of Exchange, Larry Greene and Anke Ortlepp, eds. Jackson, MS: University of Mississippi Press, January 2011. 2010 "Holocaust Mahnmal (Memorial): Racial Memory Amidst Contemporary Race." In Comparative Studies in Society and History, Vol. 52, No. 4, October 2010. "Wir sind das Anti-'Volk' Nichtweißsein und die Verkehrung von Mobilität nach dem 2009 Mauerfall." In 1989 / Globale Geschichten, Susanne Stemmler, Valerie Smith and Bernd M. Scherer, eds. Göttingen: Wallstein Verlag, pp. 47-53. 2009 "Travel as an Analytic of Exclusion: Becoming Non-Citizens after the fall of the Berlin Wall," Identities: Global Studies in Culture and Power, 16(3), pp. 342-366. "Citizenship and the Obama Moment in Berlin," The Journal of the International Institute 2008 (The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA), Fall 2008, pp. 4-5. "We Were Dancing in the Club, Not on the Berlin Wall: 'Black' Bodies, Street 2008 Bureaucrats, and Exclusionary Incorporation in the New Europe," Cultural Anthropology, Vol. 23, No. 4, pp. 660–687. 2008 "Hitlers Sturz und die Amerikanisierung Deutschlands – 'Schwarze' Besatzungskörper und Nachkriegs-Begehren," Zeitgeschichte, Vol. 35, No. 2 (March/April 2008), pp. 89-102. 2000 "Reflections on Citizenship and Exclusion – Ten Years after German Unification," In Amazing Differences': Young Americans Experience Germany and the Germans. Bonn, Germany: Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, pp. 42-48. "Citizenship and the Failure of 'Multiculturalism' in the Post-Unification Era," In 2000 Working Paper Series, John S. Brady, Beverly Crawford, and Sarah Williarty, eds. Berkeley,

#### **Publications: Book Reviews**

Review of *Managing African Portugal: The Citizen-Migrant Distinction* by Keisha Fikes (Duke University Press, 2009) for *American Ethnologist*, Vol. 39, Issue 1, February 2012, pp. 201-202.

CA: UC Berkeley, Center for German and European Studies.

- 2009 Review of *Sex after Fascism: Memory and Morality in Twentieth-Century Germany* by Dagmar Herzog (Princeton University Press, 2005) for *Comparative Studies in Society and History*, Vol. 52, No. 2, April 2009, pp. 464-465.
- Review of *Creating Germans Abroad: Cultural Policies and National Identity in Namibia* by Daniel Joseph Walther (University of Ohio Press, 2000) for *Comparative Studies in Society and History*, Vol. 47, No. 2, April 2005, pp. 433-434.

# <u>Films</u>

2013

- 2002 *The Making of the Death Pilots* (Associate Producer), MSNBC.
- 2001 *Neo Nazi Zone* (Writer and Director), Berlin, Germany.
- 2001 *Beyond Belief: The Perplexing Case of Ziad Samir Jarrah* (Associate Producer), Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

#### Honors, Fellowships, and Grants

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and Weiser Center for European and Eurasian Studies, Inte	ernational Ins

and Weiser Center for European and Eurasian Studies, International Institute, University of Michigan.

- 2013 Resumption of the *Bundeskanzler Stipendium* (Federal Chancellor's Fellowship), Federal Republic of Germany, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, *Institute für Europäische Ethnologie*, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin.
- Guest of the Director, *Internationales Geisteswissenschaftliches Kolleg* (International Humanities Research Center), Humboldt Universität zu Berlin.
- 2009 Resumption of the *Bundeskanzler Stipendium* (Federal Chancellor's Fellowship), Federal Republic of Germany, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, *Institute für Europäische Ethnologie*, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin.
- **Faculty Enhancement Award** by Rackham Graduate School and the Vice President for Research, University of Michigan.
- 2008 (With Rebecca Hardin and Marina Welker) **Wenner-Gren Foundation** and the **School for Advanced Research** (formerly The School of American Research) grant for an international symposium on "Corporate Lives: New Perspectives on the Social Life of Corporate Forms." Held at the School for Advanced Research, August 21-27, Santa Fe, New Mexico.
- 2007 Resumption of the *Bundeskanzler Stipendium* (Federal Chancellor's Fellowship), Federal Republic of Germany, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, *Institute für Europäische Ethnologie*, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin.
- Faculty Enhancement Award, Rackham Graduate School and the Vice President for Research, University of Michigan.
- Fulbright Fellowship to participate in the faculty seminar: "Muslim Minorities:
  Opportunities and Challenges in West European Societies. German and French Experiences,"
  May 12-27, Tübingen, Germany, Strasbourg, France and Berlin, Germany.
- 2005 **DAAD Summer Seminar Fellow**, "Beyond the National? Interdisciplinary German Studies and the Global," Institute for German Cultural Studies, Cornell University.
- 2004 (With Prof. Kader Konuk) **Office of the Vice President for Research Grant** to fund visits by German filmmaker Neco Celik, former political and activist Sevim Çelebi, and to support a graduate student conference. Turkish German Studies Group, Department of German Languages and Literatures, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.
- 2004 (With Prof. Kader Konuk) **Institute of Turkish Studies Matching Funds Grant**, Georgetown University. (Declined)
- 2003-05 **Postdoctoral Research Fellowship**, Department of Anthropology and the Center for Afroamerican and African Studies, The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.
- 2001-02 **Graduate Opportunity Program Dissertation Fellowship**, UC Berkeley. **Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship**, Stanford University.
- 2000-01 Townsend Center for the Humanities Dissertation Fellowship, UC Berkeley.
- 2000-01 Simpson Memorial Fellowship, Institute for International Studies, UC Berkeley.
- 1999-2000 *Bundeskanzler Stipendiat* (Federal Chancellor's Fellowship), Federal Republic of Germany, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin.
- 1997-2000 National Science Foundation Fellowship, UC Berkeley.
- 1998 Center for German and European Studies Pre-Dissertation Research Fellowship, UC Berkeley.
- 1996-97 **Graduate Opportunity Fellowship, UC** Berkeley.
- 1995-96 **Fulbright Fellowship,** Technische Universität Berlin.
- 1994-95 Charles Hamilton Houston Fellowship for Citizenship and Humanitarian Vision, Amherst College.

# **Invited Presentations**

- 2012 "Occupying 'Black' Bodies and Reconfiguring European Belonging: Berlin and Other Scenes," "A Symposium on Blackness, Germany, and the Concept of Race," Department of Germanic Languages, University of California, Los Angeles, April 6.
- "Democratization as Exclusion -- 'Migrant' Youth, Young Neo-Nazis, And Post-Cold War Futures in the New Germany," Department of Anthropology, University of California, Los Angeles, April 5.

- 2012 "'Why Can't You Just Remove Your Headscarf So We Can See You?': Re-appropriating 'Foreign' Bodies in the New Europe," Department of Anthropology and European Union Centre of Excellence, University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada, January 20.
- 2011 "'Herskovits at the Heart of Blackness' Film Screening and Panel Discussion," Goucher College, Baltimore, MD, February 21.
- "Occupying 'Black' Bodies and Reconfiguring European Belonging—Berlin and Other Scenes," "American Association of Teachers of German Seminar," DID Deutsch-Institut, Berlin, Germany, June 30.
- 2009 "Travel as an Analytic of Exclusion: Becoming Noncitizens, and the Politics of Mobility after the Berlin Wall," "Citizenship and Rights in Cosmopolitan Societies of Europe" workshop (Esther Romeyn and Maria Stoilkova, chairs), University of Florida, Gainesville, March 27-28.
- "Restricted Travel and Becoming Noncitizens after the Berlin Wall," "The Wall Fell on Our Heads" public forum (in German) with Phan Huy Thao and Damani Partridge in conversation with Nevim Cil (curator) and Mark Terkessidis (moderator). Part of Themed Days: "1989—Global Histories," Haus der Kulturen der Welt, curated by Nevim Çil, Manthia Diawara, Silvia Fehrmann, Navid Kermani, and Yang Lian. Berlin, Germany, February 19-22.
- 2008 "Holocaust Mahnmal (Memorial): Monumental Memory Amidst Contemporary Race," Institut für Europäische Ethnologie, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin. Colloque Kolloquium: a propos de l'Europe et de ses cultures/Von Europa und Seinen Kulturen, December 1.
- Roundtable Discussion. Institutskolloquium. "Im Mittelgrund.' (Re)Konstruktivismus und Naturalismus aus der Perspektive der Feldforschung," discussion with Katrin Amelang (Humboldt Universität zu Berlin), Damani Partridge (University of Michigan, Gastwissenschaftler Humboldt Universität zu Berlin), Martina Klausner (Humoldt Universität zu Berlin), Kristine Krause (Oxford University/Humboldt Universität zu Berlin), and Michi Knecht (Moderator, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin). Institute für Europäische Ethnologie, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin, November 25.
- 2008 Discussant. Paper: "Law, Human Rights and Social Movements: Exploring the Justice Scaffold," Sally Engle Merry, New York University (Anthropology). Law and Politics Workshop on "Women and the Law," Political Science Department, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, April 4.
- 2007 "We Were Dancing in the Club, Not on the Berlin Wall: 'Black' Bodies, Street Bureaucrats, and Exclusionary Incorporation into the New Europe," "Cultures of Democracy? Germany and the USA at Home and Abroad," Center for German and European Studies Tenth Anniversary Conference, University of Wisconsin-Madison, October 19-20.
- "We Were Dancing in the Club, Not on the Berlin Wall: 'Black' Bodies, Street Bureaucrats, and Exclusionary Incorporation into the New Europe," African and African American Studies (AAAS), Stanford University, Autumn 2006 Lecture Series, "Europe & the African Diaspora," Stanford University, Stanford, CA, November 15.
- 2006 "Seeing 'Turkish' Women and Racializing Islam amidst the Failure of German Schools," "Routes into the Diaspora," Humanities Institute, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, November 7.
- 2006 *Participant* "Is There a Legitimacy Crisis in Europe?" Roundtable Discussion, Center for European Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, April 25.
- 2006 "Traveling Through the 'Black' Body and Finding the German Nation," "Remapping Black Germany: New Perspectives on Afro-German History, Politics, and Culture," The University of Massachusetts, Amherst, April 21-23.
- 2006 "Becoming Non-Citizens--German Locations and Anthropological Methodologies," Interdisciplinary Colloquium, "National Scholarship and Transnational Experience: Politics, Identity and Objectivity in the Humanities and Social Sciences," University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, April 6-8.
- 2006 "The Fall of the Wall, Closed Factories, and Leftover Bodies," Russian and Eastern European Studies Survey of Eastern Europe (undergraduate course taught by Michael Kennedy), University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, March 30.
- 2006 "Exploding Hitler and Americanizing Germany Occupying 'Black' Bodies and Post-War Desire," Center for Afroamerican and African Studies VOICES Brownbag,

- University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, February 15.
- 2005 "Erotic Economies of Citizenship: Refugees, Street Bureaucrats, and Berlin Club Scenes," Global Studies Colloquium, Center for International Education, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee.
- "Re-examining Sovereignty, Citizenship, and Locations of State Power: Hypersexed 'Black' Bodies and 'White' German Street Bureaucrats after the Berlin Wall,"

  Conversations Across Social Disciplines, School of Social Work, University of Michigan.
- "Why can't you just remove your headscarf so I can see you?—Re-Appropriating 'Foreign' Bodies," Max Kade German House, Department of Germanic Languages and Literatures, University of Michigan.
- "Citizenship and the Failure of 'Multiculturalism' in the Post-Unification Era," Institute of European Studies, University of California, Berkeley.

## **Conference Presentations**

- "Occupying "Black" Bodies and Reconfiguring European Spaces—Noncitizen
   Articulations in Berlin and Beyond," Amadeu Antonio Stiftung, September 21-22, 2012,
   "Workshop IV: Performance, Performers, Authenticity, and "Black" Popular Culture in Germany: From the Century to Now." DFG (German Research Foundation) sponsored project.
- "Occupying American 'Blackness': From Post-War Germany to Noncitizens Now," "Black States of Desire: Dispossession, Circulation, Transformation," 9th International Conference of the Collegium for African American Research, Paris, April 6-9, 2011.
- 2010 "Occupying 'Black' Bodies and Reconfiguring European Belonging—Berlin and Other Scenes," "CAAS at 40: Research and Community Partnerships" conference, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, March 18-20.
- 2009 "Occupying 'Black' Bodies and Reconfiguring European Belonging—Berlin and Other Scenes," "Migration, Security and Belonging in Neoliberal Europe" panel, American Anthropological Association Meetings, Philadelphia, PA, December 2-6.
- "Corporate Governmentality and Privatized Citizenship—Producing Ethical Regimes and High-end Fashion," "Corporate Lives: New Perspectives on the Social Life of Corporate Forms" International Symposium, Co-Chairs Rebecca Hardin (University of Michigan), Damani Partridge (University of Michigan), and Marina Welker (Cornell University). SAR/Wenner-Gren International Symposium. School for Advanced Research (SAR), Santa Fe, New Mexico, August 21-27.
- 2008 "Corporate Lives: New Perspectives on the Social Life of Corporate Forms," Co-Chair with Rebecca Hardin (University of Michigan) and Marina Welker (Cornell University). SAR/Wenner-Gren International Symposium. School for Advanced Research (SAR), Santa Fe, New Mexico, August 21-27.
- 2008 "Contesting European Racisms via Allan Pred," "Passages of Pred" panel, Association of American Geographers' Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, August 17.
- 2008 *Discussant*. Panel: "Projecting Black Bodies and Blackness on Screen," Black Humanities Collective Conference, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, March 27 28.
- "We Were Dancing in the Club, Not on the Berlin Wall: Hypersexed ("Black") Bodies,
  Street Bureaucrats, and Exclusionary Incorporation into the New Europe," "Cultures of
  Democracy? Germany and the USA at Home and Abroad," Tenth Anniversary Conference:
  Centers for German and European Studies at University of Wisconsin, Madison, and
  University of Minnesota, Minneapolis (Held at UW-Madison), October 19.
- "Holocaust-Mahnmal (Memorial): Racial Memory Amidst Contemporary Race,"
  "Berkeley-Tübingen-Wien-Harvard Meetings: Public Space and Media Medien,
  öffentlicher Raum und Öffentlichkeit," Tübingen Üniversität, Germany, June 13-17.
- 2006 "Traveling through the 'Black' Body and Finding the German Nation," "Race, Ethnicity and Xenophobia in The New Europe," American Anthropological Association Meetings, San Jose, CA, November 15-19.
- 2006 "Occupying Hip-Hop Bodies and Reconfiguring European Belonging—Berlin and Other Scenes," Black European Studies in Transnational Perspective, Free University

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	Berlin, Germany July 27-30.
2006	"German or European Islam as Discursive and Bodily Negotiation," Interrogating
	European Citizenship in the Era of "Human Rights" (panel coordinator), Council for
	European Studies, Drake Hotel, Chicago, Illinois, March 29-April 2.
2006	<b>Discussant</b> for panel: "Global Anthropology," Council for European Studies, Drake Hotel,
	Chicago, Illinois, March 29-April 2.
2006	"Exploding Hitler and Americanizing Germany – Occupying 'Black' Bodies and
	Post-War Desire," "Crossovers: African Americans and Germany," Westfälische Wilhelms-
	Universität Englisches Seminar, Münster, Germany, March 22-26.
2005	Discussant for panel: "Testing the Limits: Muslims and the Making of Europe,"
	American Anthropological Association Meetings, Washington, DC.
2004	Neo Nazi Zone (film), Joint Meeting of the American Ethnological Society and the Society
	for the Anthropology of North America, Atlanta, Georgia, April 22-25.
2003	"Why Can't You Just Remove Your Headscarf So I Can See You? Re-Appropriating
	'Foreign' Bodies in the New Germany," American Ethnological Society Meetings,
	Providence, Rhode Island.
2003	"Occupying Blackness and Desiring America," Berkeley-Tübingen-Wien-Harvard working
	group meetings, Tübingen, Germany.
2001	"Germany after Socialism—The Return of the Subject and a Re-Nationalization of
	Rights," American Anthropological Association Meetings, Washington DC.
2001	Discussant for the panel: "Performing, Embodying and Contesting Human Rights in a
	Transnational Frame," American Ethnological Society Biennial Meeting, McGill
2001	University, Montreal, Canada.
2001	"Living in Berlin: Sex, Adventure, 'Black' Bodies, and German Citizenship," "Law,
1000	Culture, and Humanities Conference," University of Texas at Austin.
1999	"Who's German? Whose Germany? Whose Future? Citizenship and the Body in a
	<b>Post-Unification Era,"</b> "Rethinking Citizenship" conference, University of Leeds, United
1007	Kingdom.
1997	"Anthropology as Social Action," American Anthropological Association
1006	Meetings, Washington, DC.  "A (Plank) Coming Outs The Paiks Life and Paliticipation of (Afra Commons)." A granical
1996	"A 'Black' Coming Out: The Daily Life and Politicization of 'Afro-Germans'," American
	Anthropological Association Meetings, San Francisco, CA.

## Courses Taught

## Undergraduate

Anthropology 2 — "Introduction to Cultural Anthropology," University of California, Santa Cruz Anthropology 130x — "The Anthropology of Europe: After Socialism—The Return of the Subject," University of California, Santa Cruz

Anthropology 114 — "A History of Anthropological Theory," University of California, Berkeley Anthropology 158/CAAS 103 — "The Races of Sexuality and the Sexualities of Race," University of Michigan

CAAS 211 — "Dynamics of the Black Diaspora," University of Michigan

Anthropology 309 — "Anthropology of Europe: Nationalisms, Post-Socialisms, Multiculturalisms, and Refugees," University of Michigan

Anthropology 356/DAAS 358— "Examining Revolution, Its Aftermath and Theories of Social Change," University of Michigan

CAAS 394 — "Blackness' and Europe," University of Michigan

#### Mixed Undergraduate/Graduate

Anthropology 438 — "Urban Anthropology," University of Michigan Anthropology 455/DAAS 490 — "Examining Revolution and Its Aftermath in South Africa," University of Michigan

Anthropology 458/DAAS 458 — "The Culture and Politics of 'Fair Trade'," University of Michigan Anthropology 458/CAAS 458 — "Race and Displacement," University of Michigan Anthropology

#### Graduate

Anthropology 558/CAAS 558 — "Global Subjectivities," University of Michigan Anthropology 558/CAAS 558 — "Beyond Diaspora? Beyond Nation?: Theoretical, Methodological, and Political Challenges," University of Michigan Anthropology 558/CAAS 558 — "Citizenship and Non-Citizens," University of Michigan Anthropology 558/CAAS 558 — "Diasporic Aesthetics," University of Michigan

## **Institutional Service**

## **Departmental/University**

Fall 2013	College of Literature Science and Arts Curriculum Committee Member
Fall 2013	Director of Graduate Studies—Department of Afroamerican and African Studies
Fall 2013	Center for Research on Learning and Teaching Advisory Board Member
2011-2012	Department of Anthropology/International Institute Search Committee
2011-2012	College of Literature Science and Arts Curriculum Committee Member
2011-2012	Department of Anthropology Colloquium Committee Member
2010-12	Faculty Ally for Diversity, Representing the Anthropology Department in the Rackham
	Graduate School
2010-12	Curriculum Committee for the Center for Afroamerican and African Studies
2010-12	Center for European Studies Advisory Committee
2010-11	Advisory Committee Member, Center for European Studies-European Union Center,
	International Institute
2010-11	Admissions Committee for Socio-Cultural Anthropology
2010-11	Colloquium Committee for Socio-Cultural and Linguistic Anthropology
2009-10	Fellowships Committee for the Center for Afroamerican and African Studies
2007-08	Anthropology Department Curriculum Committee
2007-08	First Year Graduate Advisor for Anthropology Department
2005-06	Fellowships Committee for Center for Afroamerican and African Studies
2005-06	Anthropology Department Executive Committee

## Journals, Presses and Foundations (reviewer of manuscripts and fellowship applications)

American Anthropologist
American Ethnologist
City and Society
Comparative Studies in Society and History
Council for European Studies
Cultural Anthropology
DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service)
Identities
National Science Foundation
Princeton University Press

# Summary of Fieldwork

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2011	Ethnographic and archival research in Berlin (2 months)
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2008-2009	Ethnographic and archival research in Berlin (13 months)
2007	Ethnographic and archival research in Berlin (8 months)
2006	Ethnographic research on factory work and corporate regulation in New Delhi and Bombay,
	India (1 month)
2005	Research on the reception and interpretation of the new Holocaust Memorial in Berlin (1
	month)
2004	Archival and Ethnographic Research, Berlin, Germany (3 months)
2002/2003	Film Work, Berlin, Germany (1 month)
2001	Ethnographic Research and Film Work, Berlin, Greifswald and Hamburg, Germany (4
	months)
2001	Ethnographic Research and Film Work, Berlin and Rathenau, Germany (1 month)
1999-2000	Dissertation Research, Bonn and Berlin, Germany (12 months)
1998	Pre-Dissertation Research, Berlin, Germany (3 months)
1997	Pre-dissertation Research, Berlin, Germany (3 months)
	Ethnographic Research, Berlin, Germany (12 months)
1989-1990	Rotary Exchange Program, Bremen, Brake, and Berlin, West/East Germany (12 months)

#### Languages

German (Fluent), Turkish (basic knowledge), French (basic knowledge).

#### **Professional Affiliations**

Member, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, Alumni Council, Washington, DC (2013-present)

*Past President*, German Chancellor Scholar Alumni Organization, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, Washington, DC/Bonn, Germany (2004-2005)

*Member*, Turkish-German Studies Group, Department of Germanic Languages and Literatures, The University of Michigan (2003-Present)

*Member*, Berlin/Tübingen/Wien/Harvard Working Group, Townsend Center for the Humanities, University of California, Berkeley (2000-present)

Member, DFG (German Research Foundation) Network—Black Diaspora and Germany, (2010-present)

Member, Society for Cultural Anthropology, (Fall 2000–present)

Member, American Ethnological Society, (Fall 2005-present)

Member, Black History Month Planning Committee, Berlin, Germany (1999-2000)

**Founding Member, Activism in the Academy,** Townsend Center for the Humanities, University of California, Berkeley (1996-2000)

Member, American Anthropological Association, Washington, DC (1996-present)