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CURRICULUM VITAE

1990

1985

1980

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EDUCATION

Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

Ph.D. in Economics

Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

M.A. in Economics

University of Illinois, Urbana/Champaign, IL

B.A. in Fconomics

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Center for Women's Global Leadership, New Brunswick, NJ

2009 - Present **Executive Director**

Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

Professor of Women and Gender Studies 2009 - Present

Marymount Manhattan College, New York, NY

Coordinator, International Studies Program 1997 - 2009**Professor, International Studies and Economics** 2003 - 2009 Chair, Division of Social Science 2000 - 2004**Associate Professor, International Studies and Economics** 1999 - 2003 **Assistant Professor, International Studies Program** 1996 - 1999

Strategic Analysis for Gender Equality (SAGE) LLC, New York, NY

Partner, Founding Partner of a Consulting Company 1998 - 2005

Wagner College, New York, NY

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics 1995 - 1996

New School for Social Research, New York, NY

Lecturer, Graduate Faculty of Political and Social Science Spring 1995

The Ford Foundation, New York, NY

Program Officer, Asia Regional Program 1992 - 1995

Areas of responsibility: Reproductive Health and Population; Education and Culture; Economic

Reform

Wellesley College, Wellesley, MA

Assistant Professor, Economics Department 1991 - 1992

Western New England College, Springfield, MA

Assistant Professor 1989 - 1990

SELECTED CONSULTANCIES

The Coalition for Sexual and Bodily Rights in Muslim Societies, Istanbul, Turkey

Facilitator for the strategic planning meeting for the network 2006

The Ford Foundation

Brought together heterodox economists with human rights scholars and advocates from around the world, authored the background paper, helped design the structure of the meeting

and wrote the final report 2004 - 2005

Elma Philanthropies

Developed with Aubrey McCutcheon strategic funding objectives and guidelines in youth and

economic opportunities 2006

Urban Justice Center Developed the framing principals used by UJC in their advocacy efforts to implement the UN Convention on the Elimination of the Discrimination Against Women and Convention on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination as a local ordinance for the City of New York, Strategic Analysis for Gender Equity (SAGE)	2002
UN Development Fund for Women (UNIFEM) With other feminist economists designed and conducted training program on gender and macroeconomics for non-governmental organization and government delegates to the United Nations Commission on the Status of Women and a briefing the United Nations staff	2002
St. Francis College Conducted external evaluation of the Economics Department	2002
Third World Network- Africa Conducted an evaluation of a Ghana-based regional NGO engaged in research and advocacy on issues concerning globalization and Africa, with focus on Political Economy, Gender and the Environment, SAGE	2001
Asia Foundation Designed and implemented a five-country research project on gender and subcontracted work in Asia	1996 – 2000
UN Development Fund for Women (UNIFEM) Conducted an analysis on the policy gains made by the women's movement in the UN conferences of the 1990s. This analysis has subsequently been published in <i>Progress of the World's Women 2000: UNIFEM Biennial Report</i> , SAGE	1999
Focus on the Global South, Bombay, India With Anita Nayar designed and conducted three-day workshop for non-governmental organizations and academics on Feminist Economics	1999
San Francisco Commission on the Status of Women Developed guidelines for the City of San Francisco's implementation of a local ordinance (No. 128-98) modeled on the United Nations Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women (CEDAW), SAGE	1998
Health Empowerment Rights and Accountability (HERA) and International Women's Health Coalition	
Worked with international group of health advocates to develop political objectives and role during the five-year review of the International Conference on Population and Development (ICPD), SAGE	1998

PUBLICATIONS

Books and Monographs	
Economic Policy and Human Rights: Holding Governments to Account	
Co-authored with Diane Elson, Zed Books, London	2011
Rethinking Macro Economic Strategies from a Human Rights Perspective: Why MES with Human	Rights II
Coauthored with Diane Elson & Raj Patel	2011
Why MES with Human Rights? Integrating Macro Economic Strategies with Human Rights	
Marymount Manhattan College, New York	2005
The Hidden Assembly Line: Gender Dynamics of Subcontracted Work in the Global Economy	
Edited by Radhika Balakrishnan, Kumarian Press	2002
Good Sex: Feminist Perspectives from the World's Religions	
Edited by Patricia Jung, Mary Hunt and Radhika Balakrishnan, Rutgers University Press	2001

Articles and Book Chapters "Economic Reform is a Human Right: International Law can be a Powerful Advocacy Tool for Improving Economic and Social Policy," co-authored with James Heintz, in <i>The Nation</i>	2013
"Gender, Macroeconomic Policy and the Human Rights Approach to Social Protection," co- authored with Sonja Thomas, <i>New Frontiers in Feminist Political Economy</i>	2013
"Public Finance, Maximum Available Resources and Human Rights" in Colin Harvey, Aoife Nolan and Rory O'Connell (eds) Human Rights and Public Finance: Budget Analysis and the Advancement of Economic and Social Rights	2013
"Debt, Power, and Crisis: Social Stratification and the Inequitable Governance of Financial Markets," Project MUSE, <i>September 2012 American Quarterly</i> , Volume 64, Number 3	2012
"Gender and Economic Justice: The Challenges Ahead," Development Journal: Gender and Economic Justice, 55:3, 277-279	2012
"Feminist Economics," co-authored with Savitri Bisnath, in <i>The Elgar Companion to Marxist Economics</i>	2012
"Economic Policies and Human Rights Obligations: An Introduction," co-authored with Diane Elson, in <i>Economic Policy and Human Rights: Holding Governments to Account,</i> Edited by Radhika Balakrishnan and Diane Elson, Zed Press, London	2011
"Financial Regulation, Capabilities and Human Rights in the US Financial Crises: The Case of Housing," co-authored with Diane Elson and James Heintz, <i>Journal of Human Development and Capabilities</i> , 12:1, 153-168	2011
"Human Rights Dimensions of Fiscal and Monetary Policies: United States," co-authored with James Heintz, in <i>Economic Policy and Human Rights: Holding Governments to Account,</i> Editors Radhika Balakrishnan and Diane Elson, Zed Press, London	2011
"Taxation and Economic and Social Rights in USA," in <i>Economic Policy and Human Rights:</i> Holding Governments to Account, Edited by Radhika Balakrishnan and Diane Elson, Zed Press, London	2011
"Regulation: The Case of Pension Reform and Human Rights in USA," in <i>Economic Policy and Human Rights: Holding Governments to Account,</i> Edited by Radhika Balakrishnan and Diane Elson, Zed Press, London	2011
"Auditing Economic Policy in the Light of Obligations on Economic and Social Rights," Co- authored with Diane Elson in Essex Human Rights Review Vol. 5 No. 1	July 2008
"Exploring Collaborations: Heterodox Economics and Economic Social Rights Framework," Feminist Economics 13 (1)	January 2007
"Why do Firms Disintegrate? Towards an Understanding of the Firm-Level Decision to Subcontract and its Implication for Labor," Co-authored with Asad Sayeed in <i>Labor and the Globalization of Production: Causes and Consequences of Industrial Upgrading,</i> Edited by William Millberg, Palgrave Macmillian	2004
"Introduction" in <i>The Hidden Assembly Line: Gender Dynamics of Subcontracted Work in the Global Economy,</i> Edited by Radhika Balakrishnan, Kumarian Press	2001
"Subcontracting: The Push-Pull Factor," Co-authored with Asad Sayeed in <i>The Hidden Assembly</i>	

Line: Gender Dynamics of Subcontracted Work in the Global Economy, Edited by Radhika

2001

Balakrishnan, Kumarian Press

"Introduction," Co-authored with P. Jung and M. Hunt in <i>Good Sex: Feminist Perspectives from the World's Religions</i> , Edited by Patricia Jung, Mary Hunt, and Radhika Balakrishnan, Rutgers University Press	2001
"Capitalism and Sexuality: Free to Choose?" in <i>Good Sex: Feminist Perspectives from the World's Religions</i> , Edited by Patricia Jung, Mary Hunt, and Radhika Balakrishnan, Rutgers University Press	2001
Translated in German "Selbsbestimmtes Sexualobjekt: Ambivalenzen der Globalisierung fur Frauender," in <i>Das Argument Vol. 356</i>	2004
"Population" in <i>The Elgar Companion to Feminist Economics,</i> Edited by M. Lewis and J. Peterson, Elgar Publishing	2000
Progress of the World's Women 2000: Unifem Biennial Report, Edited by Diane Elson, Consultant to the report, UNIFEM	2000
"Beida I Rownosc" in <i>Pelnym Glosem</i> Periodyk Feministyczny, Nr5 Zima (Translated into Polish)	1997
"Foundations and Economic Knowledge," Co-authored with Caren Grown in What Do Economists Know? New Economics of Knowledge/ New Knowledge of Economics, Edited by Robert F. Garnett, Routledge Publications	1999
"Population Policy Revisited: Examining ICPD" in Health Transitions Review	Fall 1996
"Combining Justice and Development: A Critique of Discourses on World Hunger, Poverty and Development," Co-authored with Uma Narayan in <i>World Hunger and Moral Obligation</i> , Edited by Akin and La Follette, Prentice Hall	1996
"The Wider Context of Sex Selection and the Politics of Abortion in India" in <i>Power and Decision: The Social Control of Reproduction,</i> Edited by Gita Sen and Rachel Snow, Harvard University Press	1994
"Women and the International Economy," Co-authored with Brenda Wyss in <i>Creating a New World Economy: Forces of Change and Plans for Action</i> , Edited by Julie Graham et al., Temple University Press	1993
"Signs of Crisis: AIDS in India," Co-authored with Harsha Ram in The Indian American	September 1991
"Introduction," Co-authored with Laurie Nisonoff for the Sixth Special Issue on Women and the International Economy of the <i>Review of Radical Political Economics</i> , Vol. 23: 3 & <i>Policy Papers</i>	
Reports "Macro Policy and the MDGs" Paper presented at UN Women expert group meeting Structural and Policy Constraints in Achieving the MDGs for Women and Girls	2013
"The Post-2015 Development Framework and the Realization of Women's Rights and Social Justice," co-authored with Diane Elson for UN Women	2012
"Maximum Available Resources & Human Rights: Analytical Report" Co-authored with Diane Elson, James Heintz, & Nicholas Lusiani	2011
"Women and Subcontracting in the Context of the Global Economy" Report of five-country research coordinated by Radhika Balakrishnan for The Asia Foundations	2000
"Poverty and Equity," Background paper for the United Nations Development Programme meeting Building Partnerships for Sustainable Human Development: A Civil Society Organization-Government Roundtable, Warsaw, Poland	February 1997

"Concept Paper," for The Women's Economic and Legal Rights Program of the Asia Foundation September 1997 PROFESSIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS **US Human Rights Network** Chair, Board of Directors 2008 - 2012 2002 - 2012 **Chair, Coordinating Committee Executive Committee** 2004 - 2007 Center for Constitutional Rights **Board of Directors** 2007 - Present **Finance Committee** 2007 - Present **Treasurer** 2009 - Present Journal of Human Development and Capabilities **Associate Editor** 2008 - 2009 Women's Edge Coalition **Board of Directors** 2003 - 2008 Margaret Sanger Center **Planned Parenthood International Advisory Board** 2002 - 2004 Center for Popular Economics **Staff Economist** 1992 - Present The Religious Consultation on Reproductive Health Population and Ethics **Board of Directors** 1995 - 2002 2001 - 2002 Chair 1995 - 2001 Treasurer African American Policy Forum **Board of Directors** 2000 - 2002The World Policy Institute **Advisory Board (India Project)** September 1998 - 2001 The International Association for Feminist Economics Member 1992 - Present **Board of Directors** 1997 - 2000 2010 - Present **Feminist Economics** Blind referee for articles 2000 - Present Hypatia Blind referee for Special Volume The Center for Progressive Renewal **Founding Member** 1996 - 2000 Alt WID New York 1996 - 2006 International Conference on Social Science and Medicine **Planning Committee Hungary** October 1994 Women's Environment and Development Organization (WEDO) Member and Working Group on the United Nations World Summit for Social Development

1993 - 1995

Asian Pacific Islanders in Philanthropy

Member

South Asian AIDS Action (SAAA) Co-Founder and member	1991 – 1996
Desh Pardesh US Representative to the Board of Directors of South Asian Cultures in the West	1992 – 1993
Asian and Pacific Islanders Coalition Against HIV and AIDS (APICHA) Advisory Committee to the Board of Directors Board of Directors	1992 – 1994 1991 – 1992
Review of Radical Political Economics Editorial Board	1989 – 1992
SELECTED MEDIA	
Interviewed in "Sequesters, Cliffs and Cuts: A Women's Rights Perspective on U.S. Federal	
Budget Negotiations" Association for Women's Rights in Development (AWID)	March 15, 2013
Interviewed in "Reframing Gender, from Chaos to Creativity Post-2015" Inter Press Service	March 4, 2013
Interviewed in "'One Billion Rising' Against Sexual Violence" Al Jazeera	February 15, 2013
Interviewed in "Austerity: A Violation of Human Rights?" GRITtv/The Nation	November 20, 2012
Discussion on "Economic Policy and Human Rights" Gender and Policy Network, Princeton University, NJ	November 19, 2012
Participator in "Millennium Development Goals" BBC World News television channel special edition of The World Debate Programme, United Nations, New York, NY	September 21, 2010
Interview on MES and Human Rights WBAI's Flashpoints, Law and Disorder Radio	April 19, 2010
Interview on International Women's Day Philadelphia Radio	2007
Interview on Women's Equality Day Chris More Show, KDK Radio, Philadelphia, PA	August 2002
Interview on Going Global Gully.com Web Magazine	May 1, 2002
Interview on Women Worker's Rights Wisconsin Public Radio, Wisconsin	March 2002
Interview on Gender and the Asian Economic Crisis CNN International	March 1999
Interview on The World Trade Organization Ministerial meeting The Doug Henwood Show on Economics	October 1998
Interview on the Asian Economic Crisis Democracy Now!, Pacific Radio	September 1998

Interview on The World Trade Organization Meeting

Democracy Now!, Pacific Radio May 1998 Blogs "Occupy Wall Street from a Human Rights Lens" Co-authored with James Heintz in The Huffington Post 2011 "Corporate Control of Our Democracy: Citizens United v. Federal Election Commission" Co-authored with James Heintz in The Huffington Post July 2010 "Making the International Monetary Fund Accountable to Human Rights," Co-authored with James Heintz in The Huffington Post April 2010 "Rethinking Macro Economic Strategies from a Human Rights Perspective," Co-authored with Diane Elson and Raj Patel in Development Vol. 53 No. 1 March 2010 "Why Human Rights are Indispensable to Financial Regulation," Co-authored with James Heintz in The Huffington Post March 2010 "The Economic Crisis is a Human Rights Issue" Coauthored with Diane Elson October 2008

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

"Macroeconomic Policies and Reproductive Health and Rights," United Nations Population October 7-8, 2013 Fund (UNFPA), New York, NY "Post-2015 Global Thematic Consultation on Governance," Pan-African Parliament, Midrand, South Africa February 28- March 1, 2013 "Internal Seminar on Macro-Economic Policy and Women," South African Human Rights Commission, Johannesburg, South Africa February 27, 2013 "The Task Ahead," 2012 AWID Forum, Istanbul, Turkey April 22, 2012 "Macroeconomics and Human Rights," Association of American Colleges and Universities, February 2012 Washington, DC "Economics Workshop: Applying a Human Rights Perspective to Macroeconomic Policy," sponsored by CWGL and supported by Association for Women's Rights in Development (AWID), Development Alternatives with Women for a New Era (DAWN), International Association for Feminist Economics (IAFFE), and the International Network for Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (ESCR- Net), and Urban Justice Center March 2, 2011 "Rethinking Macro Economic Strategies from a Human Rights Perspective," The Poverty Group February 16, 2011 of the Bureau for Development Policy, New York, NY "Moving Forward: Human Rights and Development - Convergence and Complementarity to 2015 and Beyond," Center for Economic and Social Rights (CESR), New York, NY September 2010 "Roundtable on Poverty and Hunger," Rapporteur, 2010 UN Private Sector Forum on the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs), United Nations Headquarters, New York, NY September 2010

"Gender and Human Rights: Why Human Rights are Important to Assess Macro Economic Policy in the United States," Panelist, IAFFE Annual Conference, Buenos Aires, Argentina	July 2010
"Rethinking Macro Economic Strategies from a Human Rights Perspective," US Social Forum, Detroit, Michigan	June 2010
"Sustaining Developmental and Withstanding Crisis," Respondent, MDG Summit Informal Interactive Hearings of the General Assembly with Non-governmental organizations, Civil society organizations and the Private Sector, United Nations Headquarters, New York, NY	2010
"Why Human Rights are Important to Understanding the Financial Crisis," Blanche Grosswald Lecture, New Brunswick, NJ	2010
"Gender and Sex in the Global Arena," Bedford Hill Correctional Facility, Bedford Hills, New York	2010
"Race, Gender, and Economic Justice in the United States," Panelist, 54 th Session of the Commission on the Status of Women, New York	2010
"Advancing Gender Equality – The Impact of the CEDAW Ratification on Women's Rights in the U.S.," Panelist, 54 th Session of the Commission on the Status of Women, New York	2010
"Articulating an Alternative Macroeconomic and Gender and Development Framework," Panelist, 54 th Session of the Commission on the Status of Women, New York	2010
CWGL's 20 th Anniversary Public Symposium, Master of Ceremony, Hunter College, New York	2010
"The Economics of Human Rights and MDGs," Panelist, Harvard University, Boston, MA	2010
"2010 NGO Global Forum for Women: Beijing +15," Panelist, NGO Committee on the Status of Women, New York	2010
"The Manufactured Crisis: Human Rights and the Role of Biases Regulation," Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ	2010
US Human Rights Network Membership Meeting, Panelist, Miami, Florida	2009
"Half the World Deserves a Whole Voice: The Pandemic of Violence Against Women," Panelist, Marymount Manhattan College, New York	2009
"Why MES with Human Rights? Integrating Macro Economics Strategies with Human Rights," Center for Women's Global Leadership, New Brunswick, NJ	2009
"The Practice of Human Rights," The New School Graduate Program in International Affairs, New York	2009
"Responding to the Global Economic Crisis – Are Human Rights Relevant?" NGO side event at the 12 th session of the Human Rights Council	2009

"Sex, Struggle and Daily Bread," Keynote address What is Feminism Now? Local and Global, Columbia University, New York	2008
"Integrating Macroeconomic Strategies and Economic and Social Rights: A Case Study of the United States" National Autonomous University of Mexico, Mexico	2008
"Integrating Macroeconomic Strategies and Economic Social Rights" University of Connecticut Economic Rights Group, Connecticut	2008
"Integrating Macro Economic Policy and Human Rights," US Human Rights Conference, Chicago, Illinois	2008
Participant at the United Nations Expert Meeting on Political Economy Human Rights of Women in Conjunction with the 2009 Thematic Report of the Special Rapporteur on Violence Against Women, Istanbul, Turkey	2008
"Introduction to Integrating Macro Economics Strategies and Human Rights" and "Taxation and Human Rights: A Case Study of the United States," Marymount Manhattan College, New York	2007
Participant in a Colloquium on "Toward a Vision of Sexual and Economic Justice," Barnard College, New York	2007
"Integrating Macroeconomic Strategies and Economic and Social Rights" with Lourdes Colinas and Alberto Serdan, Post Graduate Faculty at National Autonomous University of Mexico, Mexico	2007
"Human Rights and Economic Policy," at Crossing Borders, a Scholarly and Creative Conference, Bedford Hills Correctional Facility, New York	2007
"Economic Rights Versus Critical Development," and "Why do Firms Disintegrate? Towards an Understanding of the Firm Level Decision to Subcontract and its Impact on Labor," at International Conference for the International Association for Feminist Economics, Barbados	2003
"Flexibilization of Labor," panel on Labor Right and Labor Policies Conference: Sustainable Development and Southern Realities: Past and Future in South Asia, Islamabad, Pakistan	2002
"Economic Rights and Informal Sector Work," Yale University, Connecticut	2002
"What Have We Learned and Where Do We Go From Here," New Directions in Research on Gender – Aware Macroeconomics and International Economics, Levy Institute of Bard College, New York	2002
"The Hidden Assembly Line: Gender Dynamics of Subcontracted Work," Women's Studies Program, Vassar College, New York	2002
"Flexible Work, Subcontracting and Women's Employment Condition in Asia," Conference on Labor and Economics: The Global Picture, The Virginia Frese Palmer Conference, CUNY, Queens College, New York	2002
"The Hidden Assembly Line: Gender Dynamics of Subcontracted Work in a Global Economy," Gender and Economics: The Global Picture, The Virginia Frese Palmer Conference, CUNY, Queens College, New York	2002

"Economic Rights and Governance," The World Social Forum, Porto Allegre, Brazil	2002
"Capitalism and Sexuality: Free to Choose?" Symposium on Rethinking Feminism, Rethinking Economics, The Graduate School City University of New York, New York	2001
"UN Conference Against Racism," Unitarian Church of All Souls, New York	2001
"Globalization, Women Health and Rights," Fifteenth Annual Conference for Student and Community Activists, Hampshire College, Massachusetts	2001
"Overview of the Changing Structure of the Garment Industry," at Organizing Along International Subcontracting Chains in the Garment Industry, Women Working World Wide Workshop, Manchester, United Kingdom	2000
"Subcontracting in Five Asian Countries," at Organizing Along International Subcontracting Chains in the Garment Industry, Women Working World Wide Workshop, Manchester, United Kingdom	2000
"Capitalism and Sexuality: Free to Choose?" The International Association for Feminist Economics, Istanbul, Turkey	2000
"Invisible Workers- Hidden Employers: Gender and Subcontracting," organized panel for The International Association for Feminist Economics, Istanbul, Turkey	2000
"Progress on the World's Women 2000," Roundtable, The International Association for Feminist Economics, Istanbul, Turkey	2000
"Race & AIDS: Different Faces, Staggering Needs, Changing Philanthropic Responses?" Panelist, The Council on Foundations 51 st Annual Conference	2000
"Flexible Workers, Invisible Employers: Women in Subcontracted Work in Asia," Annual Peggy Howard Lecture on Women and Economics, Hampshire College, Massachusetts	2000
"Jubilee 2000: The WTO and Global Economic Justice, SUNY Stony Brook, Keynote Speaker	2000
"Sub-contracted Women's Labor," Globalization, Women's Work, and Human Rights, United Nations	1999
"Globalization and Resistance: Trade/ Investment Agreements and Cross-Border Organizing," Brecht Forum	1999
"Confronting Capitalism: How Should the Global Economy Be Governed?" Plenary Panel, Union of Radical Political Economics Summer Conference	1998
"Where are the Women?" panelist on 'Big Money and the Big Guys,' Union of Radical Political Economics Summer Conference	1998
"Christian Mission and the Global Economy," the Third Ecumenical Conference on Common Witness, Milwaukee, WI	1998

Gender, Macroeconomics and the Global Economy at the United Nations Commission on the Status of Women, New York, NY	1998
"Public Policy, Non-Governmental Organizations and Engendering Macroeconomics and International Trade," Meeting on Engendering Macroeconomics and International Trade, United Nations Development Programme, New York	1998
"The Discourse of Sexuality, Religious Norms, and the Global Market Place," The Allied Social Science Association, Chicago	1998
"Women, Trade and the MAI," Panel discussion, "Women's Lives and the World Economy: The Impact of the MAI on Women in the U.S. and Around the World," Women's Edge Conference, Washington, D.C.	1997
"Capitalism and Sexuality," Good Sex: Religious Wisdom on Sexuality Conference, Sugar Loaf Conference Center, Participation funded by the Religious Consultation on Reproductive Health and Ethics, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	1997
"Gender and International Trade," workshop for the Women's Economic and Legal Rights Program of the Asia Foundation, Dhaka, Bangladesh	1997
"Status of Women in India," respondent at India at 50 Changing India at the India Consulate, New York, NY	1997
"Workshop on Structural Adjustment," South Africa Partnership Program, New School for Social Research, New York, NY	1997
"Feminist Economics of the Environment," International Association for Feminist Economics Annual Conference, Taxco, Mexico	1997
"Engendering Macroeconomics and Trade," International Association for Feminist Economics Annual Conference, Taxco, Mexico	1997
"Gender and Macroeconomics in the United Nations Process," International Association for Feminist Economics Annual Conference, Taxco, Mexico	1997
"HIV-AIDS Work in South Asian Communities," South Asian Institute's Brown Bag Lecture Series, Columbia University, NY	1997
"Poverty and Equity," UNDP Conference on Building Partnerships for Sustainable Human Development: A Civil Society Organization- Government Roundtable held in Warsaw, Poland	1997
"Feminist Macroeconomic Perspectives," Oxfam America, Board of Directors Meeting, Gloucester, Massachusetts	1997
"Mixed Blessings: Economics and the Donor Community," Allied Social Science Association Annual Meetings, New Orleans, Louisiana	1997

"Population Policy Revisited: Examining the United Nations International Conference on Population and Development," Allied Social Science Association Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana	1997
Designed, organized, and conducted a two-day workshop, "Demystifying Economics," for international non-governmental organizations working on women's issues at Marymount Manhattan College, New York	1996
"Sustainable Development vs. Sustained Economic Growth," United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II), Istanbul, Turkey	1996
"Population Policy: ICPD Reexamined," a panel organized by the International Association for Feminist Economics at the United Nations Fourth World Conference on Women, Beijing, China	1995
"Sex Selective Abortion," panel discussion with Amartya Sen, Sunera Tobani and George Zeidenstein at the Harvard School of Public Health, Cambridge, Massachusetts	1994
INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES ATTENDED	
Designed, organized, and led the advisory group meeting entitled "Realizing Economic and Social Rights: A Two Country Study," Atlanta, Georgia	2007
Designed, organized, and led the advisory group meeting entitled "Realizing Economic and Social Rights: A Two Country Study," Cuernavaca, Mexico	2006
World Social Forum, Porto Allegre, Brazil	2005
World Social Forum, Mumbai, India	2004
Inaugural Conference of the International Network for Economic, Social and Cultural Rights: Creating New Paths toward Social Justice, Chiang Mai, Thailand	2003
World Social Forum, Porto Allegre, Brazil	2002
United Nations World Conference Against Racism, Xenophobia and Related Intolerance, Preparatory Committee Meeting, Geneva, Switzerland	2001
United Nations World Conference Against Racism, Xenophobia and Related Intolerance, Durban South Africa	2001
World Trade Organization Meeting, Seattle, Washington	1999
United Nations International Conference on Population and Development, Attended all Preparatory Committee meetings held in New York	1998
World Trade Organization Meeting, Geneva, Switzerland	1997
Second UN Conference on Human Settlement, Istanbul, Turkey	1996

Fourth World Conference on Women, Beijing, China, and attended all Preparatory Committee
meetings held in NY

1995

World Summit for Social Development, Copenhagen, and attended all Preparatory Committee
meetings held in NY

1995