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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS
Visiting Research Scholar, Princeton University 2016-7
Part-Time Faculty, New York University 2010-
Visiting Research Professor, Jewish Theological Seminary of America 2014-5
Part-Time Faculty, Fordham University 2008-2010
Associate Professor Emerita The State University of New York at Stony Brook 2008-
Associate Professor of Judaic Studies, Women’s Studies, & Comparative Literature 1995-2008
The State University of New York at Stony Brook
Visiting Chairholder, Aaron Aronov Chair of Judaic Studies Spring 2000
University of Alabama at Tuscaloosa
Visiting Research Professor, Jewish Theological Seminary of America Fall 1997
Visiting Research Scholar, University of Maryland Meyerhoff Center for Jewish Studies 1992-93
Assistant Professor of Judaic Studies, Women’s Studies, & Comparative Literature 1989-95
The State University of New York at Stony Brook
Lecturer in English, Georgetown University 1988-89

EDUCATION
Ph.D. 1988 University of Maryland Comparative Literature
MA 1984 University of Maryland Comparative Literature
B.Mus.1971 The Catholic University of America Music

SCHOLARSHIP
Books

Articles and Chapters in Refereed Books and Journals
• “Psychoanalytic Theory and the Hebrew Bible: An Overview.” Encyclopedia of Psychology and
Religion. Springer-Verlag Berlin Heidelberg. 2015.


- “Bible and Culture During the Renaissance.” *Blackwells Companion to the Bible and Culture*. Ed. J. F. Sawyer. Massachusetts: Blackwell Publishers. 54-68.


- “In Our Image We Create Him, Male and Female We Create Them: The E/Affect of Biblical Characterization.” Semeia 64 (1993): 105-113.

Book Reviews
ACADEMIC CONFERENCE PAPERS

• November 2013: Society of Biblical Literature National Conference. "God’s Dilemma: The Ultimate Irony"
• July 2013: Society of Biblical Literature International Conference. "Atone and Be 'At-One': The People Israel, the Individual and the Scape-Goat"
• August 2010: International Association for the History of Religions: “Psychoanalytic Literary Theory and the Hebrew Bible”
• November 2004: Society of Biblical Literature National Conference. “Moses and God’s Name.”
• November 2002: Society of Biblical Literature National Conference. “Art as Text: Text as Art: Apparatus as a Translation Tool”
• November 1997: Association for the Psychoanalysis of Culture & Society National Conference. “What Do We Do With a Drunken Sailor?”
November 1991: Society of Biblical Literature National Conference, “Daughters and Fathers in Genesis ... Or, What is Wrong With This Picture?”
May 1989: International Association for Philosophy and Literature Annual Conference, “The Dialectics of Translation.”
April 1989: Society of Biblical Literature Chesapeake Bay Regional Conference, “Xesed: Object and/or Source.”

INVITED ACADEMIC LECTURES

October 24, 2015: Academic Respondent to play at the Shakespeare Theater (Washington DC) “Salome, We Hardly Knew Ye”
June 02, 2009: Academic Respondent to play at the Jewish Theater Festival: “10 Conversations Between Sarah and Hagar.”
• September 2008: Williams Club Guest Lecturer: “Love and Marriage in the Hebrew Bible”
• July 2008: Williams Club Guest Lecturer: “The Bible and American Politics”
• January 2003: Florida Atlantic University Guest Lecturer: "Feminist Biblical Criticism: Avoiding Literary Male-Practice"
• April 2001: Moravian Theological Seminary Guest Lecturer. “Sin and Sexuality in the Hebrew Bible.”
• October 1999: State University of New York at Stony Brook History Department Colloquium. “Anti-Semitism and English Renaissance Bible Translation.”
• January 1999: Case Western Reserve University Public Colloquium. “The 'Other' Among the People of the Book.”
• April 1996: University of Alabama Guest Lecturer. “Jewish Studies from a Feminist Perspective.”
• March 1993: Columbia Theological Seminary Visiting Scholar. “Feminist Criticism and the Hebrew Bible.”
• January 1992: Friends of Judaic Studies at State University of New York at Stony Brook at Stony Brook Guest Lecturer. “Feminist Literary Criticism and the Hebrew Bible.”
• April 1990: Brandeis Alumni Association Guest Lecturer. “Sexism and Anti-Semitism in English Biblical Translation.”
• July 11 - August 15 1989: Smithsonian Institution Guest Lecturer Series "Literature: The Art of Invention."

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Profession
• Society of Biblical Literature, Steering Committee, Psychological Approaches to Religion 1998-2005; 2013-Present
• Mid-Atlantic Region American Academy of Religion, Psychology and Religion Section, Chair. 2015-
• Mid-Atlantic Region Society of Biblical Literature, Reception History, Section, Chair. 2015-
• Editorial Board, Semeia 2001-2007
• Editorial Board, Postscript(s): Sacred Text, Contemporary Worlds 2003-2007
• Society of Biblical Literature, Chair, Narrative Research on the Hebrew Bible Group, 1992-1999
• Society of Biblical Literature, Steering Committee, Rhetorical Criticism Section, 1997-1998
• Member, Delegate Assembly, Modern Language Association 1996-2000
• Outside reader for the State University of New York Press 1991
• Outside Reader for Biblical Interpretation 2012-Present

Stony Brook Campus
• Member, Faculty Senate, State University of New York at Stony Brook 1990-1996
• Member, Board of Directors, Humanities Institute, SUNY at Stony Brook 1990-91

Stony Brook Department
• Director of Graduate Studies 2001-2003
• Director of Undergraduate Studies (Pro Tem) Spring 1999
• Faculty Advisor for Judaic Studies Minors 1993-2000
• Member, Graduate Studies Committee 1991-92; 1993-95; 1998-99, 2001-2008
• Member, Undergraduate Studies Committee 1989-91; 1995-2008
• Faculty Advisor for Undergraduate Humanities Majors 1990-91
• Faculty Advisor for Undergraduate Comparative Literature Majors (Pro Tem) 1990-1991
• Member, Search Committee for Junior Position in Comparative Studies 1989-90

ACADEMIC HONORS/ FELLOWSHIPS/ GRANTS/ AWARDS
• American Council of Learned Societies Travel Grant (ACLS) 1990
• The State University of New York at Stony Brook Faculty Development Grant 1990
• New York State/United University Professions New Faculty Development Award 1990
• University Fellow, University of Maryland 1985-88
• Teaching Fellow, University of Maryland 1984-85

ACADEMIC MEMBERSHIPS
• Society of Biblical Literature
• American Academy of Religion
• Psychology Culture and Religion Group
• World Union of Jewish Studies
• American Jewish Studies Association
• Modern Language Association