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**EDUCATION / CERTIFICATION / TRAINING**

Doctor of Philosophy, Department of Urban Planning, Columbia University, New York, NY, 1993.

Master of Urban and Regional Planning, School of Urban and Regional Planning, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, 1988.

Bachelor of Arts, Political Science, Specialization in Urban Studies, University of California at Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA, 1986.

Management Development Program (MDP), Harvard Graduate School of Education (HGSE), Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, 2021.

American Institute of Certified Planners (AICP), 2001 to present.

**ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE**

2023 to Present      Director, Richard H. Pennell Center at Clemson University  
\$2.5 million endowed center via Metromont Corporation in support of teaching, research, and outreach opportunities for the design, build, development, and planning mission in the College.

2017 to Present      Director, City and Regional Planning (CRP) in the Nieri department of Construction, Development, and Planning at Clemson University

Responsibilities include: maintaining Planning Accreditation Board (PAB) accreditation conformance, managing budget and fund raising, hiring new faculty, annual faculty evaluations (4 fulltime faculty and 1 half-time faculty), annual staff evaluations (n=1 in Clemson) and student recruiting.

2017 to 2022 Department Chair, City Planning and Real Estate Development (CPRED) and City and Regional Planning (CRP) Director at Clemson University

In 2022 the Department of City Planning and Real Estate Development merged with the Nieri Family Department of Construction Science during COVID. The newly merged Department is called the Neiri Department of Construction, Development, and Planning. As Chair, accomplishments include:

- o Securing the Pennell Center in the newly established Neiri Department.
- o Increased number of undergraduate classes taught from a 50-year historic average of 0 to 100 students with three new classes.
- o Developed undergraduate minor in Community Development and City Planning
- o Hired new Director in MRED program
- o Increased the diversity of student population. In MCRP by 50%
- o Development of a long-term relation with the US Navy Graduate Education Voucher (GEV) program with MCRP program
- o Developed new joint-degree path for MRCP and MRED
- o 5 year PAB re-accreditation for Master in City and Regional Planning (2018)
- o \$100,000 J.Russ Davis, Jr. and Nancy White Davis Real Estate Development Diversity Endowment (2018)
- o \$300,000 James and Jennifer Bihl Fellowship Endowment (2017)

2016 - 2017 Department Chair, Department of Political Science University of Arkansas

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR. Administration of Bachelor of Arts in Political Science degree program with 300 majors and two graduate degree programs (Master of Arts, Political Science and Master of Public Administration (MPA) with 50+ students. The Department has 19 fulltime faculty members with hard funding over \$2 million dollars and 5 clinical/lecturer/visiting professors. The Department is home to two Centers: The Diane Blair Center for Southern Politics and Society (established by an act of U.S. Congress in 2001) and the Asian Center. Accomplishments include:

- o *Collabortory* for service-learning class projects with \$40,000 earmarked funds

o Raymond W. Gosack Master of Public Administration Endowment, \$500,000

2013 - Co-Program Chair to undergraduate "Planning Minor"  
2017 University of Arkansas

Co-developed a new interdisciplinary / intra-college minor in Planning that is shared with the Department of Political Science and the Department of Landscape Architecture at the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR.

2005 - Program Chair, Community Planning Program  
2006 Auburn University

School of Architecture, College of Architecture, Design & Construction, Auburn University, Auburn, AL. Responsibilities include: maintaining Planning Accreditation Board (PAB) accreditation conformance, hiring a new faculty member, annual faculty evaluations (5 fulltime faculty and 3 half-time faculty), and student recruiting.

2004- Co-Principal founder, Community Outreach Center for Design and  
2009 Construction Auburn University

College of Architecture, Design and Construction, with D.K. Ruth (Architecture, Co-founder of the Rural Studio), Linda Ruth (Building Science), and Emily Myers (Social Work). The *Center* was founded on four principles: (1) community-based design for underserved Alabama populations; (2) integrating design and construction processes; (3) environmentally-based approach to planning and development; and, (4) partnership of faculty, student, and community in context-based service learning. Project partially financed through \$55,000 CADC funds.

1994 - Founding State Director, Nebraska Lied Main Street Program  
1995 University of Nebraska

College of Architecture, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska Administration and coordination of architectural, community development, and historic preservation services provided by the State Department of Economic Development, State Historical Society, College of Architecture, and the State Department of Roads. Project partially financed through a \$350,000 endowment from the Lied Foundation.

1991 - Co-State Director, Community Action of Nebraska Agency  
1992 Nebraska Community Action

Worked as the Nebraska state coordinator for a non-profit community action agency which is oriented toward assisting poor and rural communities. See [www.canhelp.org](http://www.canhelp.org) for more information.

## **HONORS / AWARDS**

"PAB Outstanding Site Visitor Award," National Planning Accreditation Board (PAB) outstanding "educator" contribution to the PAB's mission in the assessment of university planning degree programs, 2015.

"Outstanding Faculty Member Award," Auburn University Student Government Association (SGA) Award, 2005.

Winning submission, Sherry Arnstein for the "2005 AICP Planning Pioneer Award," presented at the APA National Planning Conference, San Francisco, 2005.

"Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students" teaching award. University of Nebraska-Lincoln Parents Association, 2002.

*Feature Article of the Year, "Refugees in Western Planner States: Who are They and How do We Plan for Them?," Western Planner, October/November, 20:7, pp.7-9, 1999.*

## **FELLOWSHIPS**

*Fellow, Center for Rural Community Revitalization and Development, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, 1999-2002.*

*Peer Review Teaching Fellowship, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, 1996-1998.*

*Fellow, Center for Great Plains Studies, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, 1995-2002.*

## **ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE**

2017 - Professor, City and Regional Planning Program, Clemson University,  
Present Clemson, SC.

- 2010 - Professor, Department of Political Science, with a 50% appointment  
2017 in Public Policy Ph.D. Program, and a courtesy appointment in the  
Environmental Dynamics, Ph.D. Program, University of Arkansas,  
Fayetteville, AR.
- 2009 - Professor, Department of Sociology/Criminal Justice, with a 50%  
2010 appointment in Public Policy Ph.D. Program, and a courtesy  
appointment in the Environmental Dynamics, Ph.D. Program,  
University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR.
- 2007 - Alumni Professor (Endowed), Community Planning Program, School  
2009 of Architecture, College of Architecture, Design & Construction,  
Auburn University, Auburn, AL.
- 2006 - Professor, Community Planning Program, School of Architecture,  
2009 College of Architecture, Design & Construction, Auburn University,  
Auburn, AL.
- 2002 - Associate Professor, Community Planning Program, School of  
2005 Architecture, College of Architecture, Design & Construction, Auburn  
University, Auburn, AL.
- 2001 - Associate Professor, Department of Community and Regional  
2002 Planning, College of Architecture, University of Nebraska-Lincoln,  
Lincoln, NE.
- 1995 - Assistant Professor, Department of Community and Regional  
2001 Planning, College of Architecture, University of Nebraska-Lincoln,  
Lincoln, NE.
- 1992 - Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Community and Regional  
1995 Planning, College of Architecture, University of Nebraska-Lincoln,  
Lincoln, NE.
- 1990 - Assistant Professor, Department of City and Regional Planning,  
1991 Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, New York.  
In addition to teaching and research, was also affiliated with the Pratt  
Institute for Community and Environmental Development (PICCED).
- 1989 Adjunct Lecturer, Department of Urban Planning, Columbia  
University.

- 1989 Research Assistant, *Community Board #3, Manhattan*: Senior Researcher in developing a community economic plan for local community.
- 1988 *Urban Mass Transportation Association (UMTA)*: Senior Researcher of an auxiliary network of subsidized/informal privately operated "jitney" transport services for downtown Jamaica Queens, NY.
- 1987 *Roosevelt Center for Public Policy*: Helped coordinate a nationwide public policy research experiment on grassroots mobilization concerning national domestic issues in the Southern California region.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Books**

*Qualitative Analysis for Planning and Policy: Beyond the Numbers* 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, Routledge, 2020, ISBN: 978-0-367-25848-1, ISBN: 978-0-367-258504-4, ISBN: 978-0-367-29019-0.

*Qualitative Analysis for Planning and Policy: Beyond the Numbers* (e-book), American Planning Association Press, Chicago, 2014 (with S. Gaber), ISBN: 978-1-61190-167-2.

*Qualitative Analysis for Planning and Policy: Beyond the Numbers*, American Planning Association Press, Chicago, 2007 (with S. Gaber), ISBN: 978-1-932364-32-3.

### **Refereed Journal Articles**

(n=21)

"The Counterculture as an Urbanizing Framework: An explorative outlier analysis of U.S. hippietowns," in progress, 2023.

"Are people in bigger cities better human beings? Evidence on urban living and ethics," E. Morris, D. Pfeiffer, and J. Gaber, *Cities*, 117, 2021.

"Building "A Ladder of Citizen Participation": Sherry Arnstein, Citizen Participation, and Model Cities", in "Special Issue on 50 Years since Arnstein's Ladder," *Journal of American Planning Association*, 85:3, pp.188-201, 2019.

"Seeing the Community's Perspective Through Multiple Emic and Etic Vistas," in *Journal of Health Promotion International*, 32:6, pp.1025-1033, December, 2017.

"Nonprofit Organizations Serving Domestic Violence Survivors: Addressing Intersectional Needs of Asian Indians," in *Journal of Women and Social Work*, (with S. Kapur and A. Zajicek) July, 2017.

"Health Impact Assessments in India: Exploring a possible community health policy innovation," (with S. Kapur) in *Indian Journal of Public Health Research & Development*, July-September, 2014, pp. 287-302.

"Establishing Mixed Method Research Design Guidelines in Health Impact Assessment (HIA) Investigations" (with T. Overacker) in *Impact Assessment and Project Appraisal (IAPA) Journal*, 30: 4, pp.275-283, December, 2012.

"Using Face Validity to Recognize Empirical Community Observations," in *Evaluation and Program Planning*, with (S. Gaber), May, 2010, 33:2, pp138-146.

"Flying with Black Swans," with (R. Norton) in *The Wright Stuff*, United States Air Force, Air University, 3:20, October, 30, 2008, 1-6.

"Simulating Planning: SimCity as a Pedagogical Tool," in *Journal of Planning Education and Research*, Winter, 2007,27:2, pp.113-121.

{This article was selected as one of the best articles published in JPER and was reprinted in the edited book *Best of Recent North American Planning Scholarship: Selections from JPER*, China Architecture and Building Press, and translated into Chinese in 2011.}

"Commercial Truck Parking Analysis: Method to the Madness or Madness in the Method," in *Journal of Urban Planning and Development*, (with S. Gaber, A. Khattak), March, 2005, 131 (1), pp.50-56.

"The Internationalization of the Great Plains: An Analysis of Refugee Resettlement Patterns," in *Journal of Great Plains Research*, (with S. Gaber, J. Vincent, and D. Boellstorf), 14:2, pp. 165-183, 2004.

"If You Could See What I Know: Moving Planners' Use of Photographic Images from Illustrations to Empirical Data," (with S. Gaber) the *Journal of Architecture and Planning Research*, 2004. 21:3, 222-238.

"Using Focus and Nominal Group Techniques for a Better Understanding of the Transit Disadvantaged" (with S. Gaber), in *Transportation Technology and Planning*, 2002. 25:pp.103-120.

"Meta-Needs Assessment," in *Journal of Evaluation and Program Planning*, 2000. 23 (2), pp.139-147.

"A Qualitative Assessment of Transit Needs: The Case of Nebraska," (with S.Gaber), in *Journal of Urban Planning and Development*, American Society of Civil Engineers, 1999. 125 (2), pp.59-67, June.

"Refugees in *Western Planner* States: Who are They and How do We Plan for Them?", *Western Planner*, 1999. October/November, 20:7, pp.7-9 (article of the year).

"Not in My Backyard": Controversial Facility Siting in the *Western Planner* States, (with S.Gaber), in *Western Planner*, 1999. 20:1,pp.6-7.

"Utilizing Mixed-Method Research Designs in Planning: The Case of Fourteenth Street, New York City," (with S. Gaber), in *Journal of Planning Education and Research*, 1997. Winter, Volume 17, Number 2, pp.95-103.

"Manhattan's 14th Street Vendors' Market: Informal Street Peddlers Complementary Relationship with New York City's Economy," *Urban Anthropology*, 1994. Winter, Volume 23, Number 4, pp.1-36.  
{This article is recognized in the *International Bibliography of the Social Sciences*, Routledge (1995) as being one of the most important works in anthropology published in 1994.}

"Introducing Political Considerations into Technical Plans: A Case Study of Nicaragua's Economic Reorganization in a Post Sandinista Administration," (with R. Cantarero), *International Journal of Public Administration*, 1994. Volume 17, Number 23, pp.1583-1629.

"Reasserting the Importance of Qualitative Methods in Planning," *Landscape and Urban Planning*, 1993. Volume 26, pp.137-148.

**Articles, Book Chapters, Book Reviews, Encyclopedia Entries, and Electronic Etc.**  
(n=13)

"Building "A Ladder of Citizen Participation": Sherry Arnstein, Citizen Participation, and Model Cities", in *Learning from Arnstein's Ladder: Citizen Participation to Public Engagement*, Lauria, M., and Slotterback, C., (eds.), Routledge, 2021.

"Data Everywhere: Qualitative research meets cellphones," *Knowledge Center* published post, American Planning Association website, 10/11/2016.

"The Use of Citizen Input in the Evaluation of Planning and Policy Practice via HIA's," (with T. Overacker), in *Place-Based Evaluation for Integrated Land Use*, J. Woltjer, E. Alexander, A. Hull, and M. Ruth, (eds.), Ashgate Publishers, United Kingdom, 2015.

"Qualitative Analysis for Planning & Policy: Beyond the Numbers," (with S. Gaber), in *Essential Readings in Urban Planning*, J. Evans-Cowley (ed.), Planetizen Press, First Edition (2011), Second Edition (2015).

"Applied Research Methods," in *Encyclopedia of Research Design Volume 1*, Thousand Oaks: CA, Sage Publications, pp.35-37, 2010.

"Face Validity," in *Encyclopedia of Research Design Volume 2*, Thousand Oaks: CA, Sage Publications, pp. 471-474, 2010.

"Planning Research," (with S. Gaber) in *Encyclopedia of Research Design*, Thousand Oaks: CA, Sage Publications, pp. 1039-1042, 2010.

"Pix Tricks," (with S. Gaber) in *Planning*, March, Volume 7, Number 3, pp.30-33, 2008.

"Main Streets," *Encyclopedia of the Great Plains*, David Wishart (ed.), University of Nebraska Press, September, 2004.

*Social Work Practice and Immigrants and Refugees*, Pallassana Balgopal (ed.), Columbia University Press, 2000, in *Journal of Planning Education and Research*, Fall, 21:203-205, 2001, (book review).

*Street Foods*, by Irene Tinker, Oxford University Press, New York: NY, 1997, in *Journal of Planning Education and Research*, Fall, 17:1 1997, (book review).

"Street Vendors," *Encyclopedia of New York City*, Kenneth Jackson (ed.), Yale University Press, 1995.

*Mobilizing the Community*, edited by Robert Fisher and Joseph Kling, Newbury Park, CA: Sage Publications, 1993; *The New Localism*, edited by Edward Goetz and Susan Clarke. Newbury Park, CA: Sage Publications, 1993 (with S. Gaber), in *Urban Affairs*, Volume 17, Number 23, pp.331-334,1995, (book review).

## **Professional Reports**

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*Arkansas Growing Healthy Communities: A Series of Rapid Health Impact Assessments for Five Arkansas Communities*, funded by the Arkansas Department of Health, (with T. Overacker), January 2011.

*Arkansas's Growing Healthy Communities Participant Survey: 2010*, funded by the Arkansas Department of Health, (with T. Overacker), August, 2010.

*Alabama Costal Smart Growth Outreach Project*, funded by Mississippi State University, Costal Research and Extension Center in Association with NOAA Sea Grant, (with B. Rretzlaff and E. Swindall) June, 2008.

*Learning Valuable Lessons from Leading Peer Non Profit Agencies*, funded by Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) for the Hale County HERO Program, (with E. Swindall, and M. Schricker) October, 2007.

*Community Design Centers – A case study Overview for the Greensboro, AL HERO Program*, funded by Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) for the Hale County HERO Program, (with D. Stone), September, 2007.

*Franklin County Recreational Amenities Analysis*, funded by Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) for Franklin County, Alabama (with B. Bias), December, 2006.

*Rural Transit for Shorter, Alabama*, funded by Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) prepared for Shorter, Alabama (with K. Mullins), June, 2006.

*Hale County Habitat for Humanity Strategic Investment Research Report*, funded by Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) for the Hale County, Alabama HERO Program (with Y. Ahn), May, 2006.

*Franklin County Geographic Recreational Survey*, funded by Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) for Franklin County, Alabama (with B. Bias), January, 2006.

*Hale County Census Analysis*, funded by Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) for the Hale County, Alabama HERO Program, (with A. Banks), October, 2005.

*Hale County Geographic Visual Housing Survey*, funded by Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) for the Hale County, Alabama HERO Program, (with B. Bias), September, 2005.

*Capacity Building: Shorter Alabama*, funded by Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) for the City of Shorter (with A. Cook), July, 2005.

*Exploring the Minimum Earned Income Provision of the Lincoln Housing Authority's Moving to Work Program: Part II – The Qualitative Data*, report prepared for the Lincoln Housing Authority (with S. Gaber and J. Johnson), June, 2002.

*Exploring the Minimum Earned Income Provision of the Lincoln Housing Authority's Moving to Work Program*, report prepared for the Lincoln Housing Authority (with S. Gaber and D. Andrae), June, 2002.

*Reaching Out to Latina Women at Risk to Prevent and Reduce HIV: An Outcome Evaluation of the HIV Prevention Program*, report prepared for the Nebraska Health and Human Services System, (with S. Gaber, A. Andréa, and D. Pruitt), June, 2002.

*Strategic Planning Discussion*, report prepared for the Division of Family Health, Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services, February, 2001.

*Lincoln, Nebraska Refugee Study: Enumeration and Programmatic Assessment*, report prepared for Cooper Foundation and Woods Charitable Trust, (with S. Gaber) July, 2001.

*More than Fuel: An Analysis of Factors Influencing Non-Fuel Sales at Truckstops and Travel Plazas*, report prepared for the National Association of Truck Stops Organization (NATSO), (with S. Gaber) June, 2001.

*Strategic Planning Discussion*, report prepared for the Division of Family Health, Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services, February, 2001.

*Nebraska Housing Market Study, report prepared for the Nebraska Department of Economic Development, (with S. Gaber, J. Allen, R. Vogt, S. Hunt, S. Niemeyer, and B. Johnson, June, 2001.*

*Commercial Vehicles Parking Along the Interstate and Major Highways in Nebraska, with S. Gaber and A. Khattak for the Nebraska State Department of Roads, December, 2000.*

*Enumeration and Analysis of Refugee Resettlement in Lincoln, Nebraska, report prepared for Cooper Foundation and Woods Charitable Trust, (with S. Gaber) 2000.*

*East "O" Street Resolution Meetings: Bringing Businesses and the City Together, report prepared for the Lincoln, Nebraska City Council (with S. Gaber), 2000.*

*East "O" Street Business Community Issues Identification, report prepared for the Lincoln, Nebraska Chamber of Commerce, (with S. Gaber) 1999.*

*Examining the Combined Services Plan: An Evaluation Using the Case of  
Panhandle  
Community Services, report, prepared for the U.S. Department of Agriculture and  
the  
Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services,(with S. Gaber) 1999.*

*Nebraska ITS Statewide Plan, report prepared for the State of Nebraska  
Department of Roads (with Pat McCoy, S. Gaber, and Bill Tobin) 1999.*

*Identifying Transit Needs and Opportunities in Mid-Sized Nebraska Cities, (with S. Gaber, R. Cantarero, and G. Scholz), 1998.*

*Nebraska Human Service Needs Assessment, report prepared for the State of Nebraska Department of Social Services (with S. Gaber), 1996.*

*Socio-Economic Analysis for I-80 South Locust Interchange, Grand Island, Nebraska, report prepared for EA Engineering Science and Technology, (with S. Gaber). 1994.*

*Social Class and Visual Scale, report presented at the Institute for Architecture and Urbanism, (with S. Sassen, and G. Satler,) 1990.*

*Clinton South: A Plan for a Better Future, technical report, (with E. Sclar and J. Most) 1989.*

*Private Auxiliary Transport at Jamaica Center: Van Activity at Jamaica Center Prior to Archer Avenue Subway Opening*, technical report, (with S. Grava, and N. D. Milder), 1989.

### **Community-based Class Research Reports**

“Envisioning Abney Mill: Clemson Next Steps 2022,” City and Regional Planning, Clemson University, Fall 2022.

“Physical Distancing Strategic Implementation Plan per Clemson University On-campus Teaching Mission,” Spring, 2020.

“Nichols Community Planning Project: Next Steps 2019,” City and Regional Planning, Clemson University, Fall, 2019.

“Lamar Community Planning Project: Next Steps 2018,” City and Regional Planning, Clemson University, Fall 2018. <http://www.newsandpress.net/clemson-report-points-out-lamars-positives/>

“City of Auburn Meta-Analysis of the City Council and the Planning Commission Thoughts on Planning: Short-term, Long-term, and the Overall Role of Planning,” Community Planning 7220, Planning Implementation, Auburn University, Fall, 2003.

“Planning Ethnic Enclaves: A Study of Refugee Services in Lincoln,” Community and Regional Planning 850/450, Social Planning, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Spring 2002.

“North 27<sup>th</sup> Street Ethnic Enclave Study,” Community and Regional Planning 895/495k, Community Organizing, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Spring, 1999.

“Barriers to Family Social Services: A Preliminary Comprehensive Social Service Plan for the City of Omaha,” Social Work 8506/4506, University of Nebraska-Omaha, Spring, 1994.

“Building the Buttress: Omaha Homelessness Plan: Phase I, Establishing Coordination or Referral Services and Evaluation. First Focus: Children Without a Home,” Social Work 8506/4506, University of Nebraska-Omaha, Fall, 1993.

## **GRANTS AND FUNDED RESEARCH / ENDOWMENTS AND DONATIONS**

(\$2,456,442 in external funding)

Public Service Assistantship (PSA), Clemson University, City and Regional Planning, 2020-21, \$54,718.

Public Service Assistantship (PSA), Clemson University, City and Regional Planning, 2019-20, \$68,483.

Public Service Assistantship (PSA), Clemson University, City and Regional Planning, 2018-19, \$80,641.

J.Russ Davis, Jr. and Nancy White Davis Real Estate Development Diversity Endowment, 2018, \$100,000.

James and Jennifer Bihl Fellowship Endowment for joint degree in between MRED and MCRP, 2017, \$300,000

*Preliminary Investigation of State-wide Community Health Initiative*, funded Arkansas State Department of Health, 2010, \$13,000.

*Education of Sustainable Development Practices in Rural Alabama Gulf of Mexico Region*, Costal Research and Extension Center, funded by the U.S. Department of Commerce and NOAA Sea Grant, (with B. Retzlaff), 2007, \$38,544.

*Place-Based Green Building: Integrating Local Environmental and Planning Analysis into Green Building Guidelines*, People, Prosperity, and Planet grant, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), (with B. Retzlaff, A. Cook, C. Lebleu, and D.K. Ruth), 2007, \$10,000.

*Moody Grant* from the Lyndon B. Johnson Presidential Library, University of Texas Austin, grant in-aid fund for archival research, 2007, \$425.

*Flex-E Grant: Capacity Building and Strategic Master Planning II*, Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC), (with B. Retzlaff), 2006, \$123,750.

*Flex-E Grant: Capacity Building and Strategic Master Planning II*, Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC), 2005, \$119,579.

*A Community Outreach Center for Design and Construction II*, University Outreach, Auburn University, with (D.K. Ruth and Linda Ruth), 2005, \$20,000.

*Flex-E Grant: Capacity Building and Strategic Master Planning*, Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC), (with Cheryl Morgan), 2004, \$143,474.

*A Community Outreach Center for Design and Construction I*, University Outreach, Auburn University, with (D.K. Ruth and Linda Ruth), 2004, \$20,000 and \$15,000 match from the College of Design and Construction and School of Architecture.

*Assessment of Minimum Earned Income Requirement (MEI)*, Lincoln Housing Authority/Housing and Urban Development (HUD), (with S. Gaber), 2001, \$34,521.

*HIV/AIDS Prevention Program Evaluation (Phase 2)*, Center for Disease Control/Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services (with S. Gaber), 2001, \$24,560.

*HIV/AIDS Prevention Program Evaluation (Phase 1)*, Center for Disease Control/Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services (with S. Gaber and G. Scholz), 2001, \$24,000.

*Strategic Planning for State Family Health Service Providers*, Nebraska Health and Human Services (Division of Family Health), 2001, \$250.

*Refugee Community Service Provision in Lincoln/Lancaster County (Phase II)*, Woods Charitable Fund and the Cooper Foundation, (with S. Gaber), 2001, \$7,000.

*Study of Truck Parking at Interstate Rest Stops in Nebraska*, Nebraska Department of Roads, (with S. Gaber and A. Khattak), 2000, \$77,846.

*Refugee Community Service Provision in Lincoln/Lancaster County (Phase I)*, Woods Charitable Fund and the Cooper Foundation (with S. Gaber), 2000, \$3,000.

*Strategic Action Plan for the Lincoln Partnership for Economic Development*, Business Development Council (Lincoln, NE) (with S. Gaber), 2000, \$700.

*More than Fuel: An Analysis of factors Influencing Non-Fuel Sales at Truckstops and Travel Plazas*, National Association of Truck Stops Organization (NATSO) Foundation, Alexander, Virginia, (with S. Gaber), 2000, \$9,993.

*East "O" Street Resolution Meetings*, Lincoln, Nebraska, City Council/Chamber of Commerce (with S. Gaber), 2000, \$10,750.

*Nebraska State ITS Plan*, (Mid-America Transportation Center (MATC) and Nebraska Department of Roads) Developing a Statewide Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) Plan (with P.McCoy, S. Gaber, and B. Tobin), 1998, \$30,000.

*Council on Community Planning and Design*, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Lincoln Ethnic Enclaves," 1997, \$2,600.

*WIC Special Project Grant*, funded by U.S. Department of Agriculture, for the Nebraska Department of Health (with S. Gaber), 1996, \$200,661.

*Nebraska State Department of Social Services*, (with S. Gaber) Statewide Human Needs Assessments for Nebraska Community Action Agencies, 1996, \$10,447.

*Nebraska State Department of Economic Development*, additional funding for the Nebraska Lied Main Street Program, 1994, \$25,000.

*Lied Foundation - Nebraska Lied Main Street Program*, (with S. Gaber) pilot grant to fund a "Main Street" in Nebraska, 1994, \$350,000.

*EA Science and Technology*, (with S. Gaber)"Socio-economic Analysis for South Locust Interchange, Grand Island Nebraska", 1994, \$5,500.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

### Invited

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"Hippietowns: Lessons learned in changing the world one community at a time," Tedx Clemson University, April, 2022.

"Faculty Transitions Post-Pandemic" invited panel presentation, delivered to Clemson University, May 27, 2021.

"The Confluence of Three Stories Behind Sherry Arnstein's Ladder of Citizen Participation," delivered to the Lecture in Planning Series (LiPS), Columbia University, September 18, 2018.

"Introduction to Bicycles as a Mode of Transportation," film screening introductory presentation to *Bikes vs. Cars*, funded event sponsored by a grant from the Walton Family Trust and co-sponsored by Urban Land Institute, NWA Arkansas, and the University of Arkansas, January and February 2016.

"Hippietowns: Exploring the spaces between, theory, method, and conclusions," delivered at the Research and Professional Development speaker series in the Public Policy, Ph.D. program at the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas, November 6, 2015.

"Comprehensive Plans and Good City Planning," delivered to the City of Bentonville Planning Commission, Board of Adjustment, and City Council, "Planning Workshop," January 30, 2015.

"Planning Education in Arkansas: The U of A "Planning Minor", it's community impact and possible next steps." Arkansas Chapter, American Planning Association Annual Conference (Fayetteville, AR), September 6, 2013.

"Economics of DC Mobile Food Trucks," invited presentation to the District of Columbia's City Council Hearing on "The Vending Business License Regulation Resolution Act of 2013," Institute of Justice (IJ) at the University of Chicago and the "Save DC Food Trucks" May, 10, 2013.

"Health Impact Assessment and Health Disparities," 2013 Arkansas Health Disparities Conference, Springdale, AR, April 19, 2013.

"The Use of Citizen Input in the Evaluation of Planning and Policy Practice via HIAs," (with T. Orveracker), 8<sup>th</sup> International Workshop on Planning and Evaluation, Groningen, The Netherlands, March 11-13, 2013.

"Street Vending and Urban Food Trucks," Food for Thought Symposium Devoted to Food, Policy, and Community in Arkansas, with the Arkansas Journal of Social Change and Public Service, at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock Law School, October, 16, 2012.

"The Urban Economics of Street Vending," (1.25 cm credit), Arkansas Chapter, American Planning Association Annual Conference (Bentonville, AR), May, 20, 2012.

"Using the History of U.S. Regionalism to Better Understand Norwest Arkansas' Regional Future," at the Northwest Arkansas Regional Development 2012 Conference (Rogers, AR), May 16, 2012.

"Street Food: An Important (and Delicious) Part of Urban Life," invited panel discussant at the *My Street, My Eats, Chicago Mobile Food Symposium & Meet Up*, with the Institute of Justice (IJ) Clinic on Entrepreneurship, University of Chicago, Law School, April 14, 2012.

"Planning Philosophy and History: "How we got here," made to the City of Bentonville Planning Commissioner's Workshop, February 2, 2012.

"Expanding Planning's Range of Research Opportunities with Image and Word-based Investigative Strategies," (1.15 cm credit), Arkansas Chapter, American Planning Association Fall Conference (Fort Smith, Arkansas), September 8, 2011.

"Integrating the Community's Ontological Vista Through Face Validity in the Re-Thinking of Community Healthcare," invited opening ceremony presentation, research paper presentation, and conference moderator at The 2<sup>nd</sup> International Community Healthcare & Healthcare Management Summit, Shanghai, China, August 5-7, 2011.

"Collaborative Research on Health Impact Assessments" (with T. Overacker and S. Kapur), delivered at the Research and Professional Development speaker series in the Public Policy, Ph.D. program at the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas, 2011.

"Healthy Communities and Health Impact Assessments (HIA)", (1.15 cm credit), at the Arkansas Chapter, American Planning Association Spring Conference (North Little Rock, Arkansas), March 10, 2012.

"Making Strategic Planning *Strategic*," delivered at the University of Arkansas, Sam Walton College of Education Executive Education, Lunch and Learn Program, May 13, 2010.

"Making Change Happen," delivered at the University of Arkansas, Sam Walton College of Education Executive Education, Lunch and Learn Program, May 20, 2010.

"Mixed Method Research Strategies in Public Policy and Planning," delivered at the Research and Professional Development speaker series in the Public Policy, Ph.D. program at the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas, 2009.

"Qualitative Analysis for Planning and Policy," American Planning Association National Conference, Las Vegas, NV, April, 21-24, 2008.

"Sometimes the Community is Right: Technical professionals learning from the community," invited speaker at the Montana State University, College of Engineering Spring Seminar Series, 2008.

"The Effects of Hispanic Immigrants on the State of Alabama," roundtable discussant, sponsored by the Auburn University Center for Governmental Services, 2007.

"Outreach Center for Design and Construction," with (D.K. Ruth, E. Myers, and S. Schumacher) at the Outreach Scholarship Symposium 2007, sponsored by the Auburn University Office of the Vice President for University Outreach, 2007.

"If You Could See What I Know," invited presentation to Florida State University, Urban and Regional Planning Department, Ph.D., research colloquium, 2003.

"New Immigrants and New Refugees – Facts and Myths", delivered at the Fourth Annual Great Plains Symposium, presented by the City of Lincoln Commission on Human Rights, Lincoln, NE, 2001.

"Rolling Up Your Shirt Sleeves: Qualitative Methods and Community Input to Supplement Statistical Indicators for Community Development," (with S. Gaber), delivered at the Heartland Center for Leadership Development, National Conference, Lincoln, NE., 1996.

"Immigrant Vendors and the Urban Economy," delivered at "The World at Our Door Speaker Series on Recent Immigrants to New York State." Sponsored by the State University of New York at Geneseo Sociology Department, 1994.

#### International / National Paper Presentations (n=30)

"Seeing the Evolution of Planning Thought from 1980 to 2020," (with R. Stall and R. Drinkwine) delivered at the delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP), Chicago, IL, October, 2023.

"Decolonizing Methods and Actionable Whanau: The intersection of theoretical, epistemological, and citizen participation constructs that gets us to co-created aroha (Yes)," SMUS, Global Center of Spatial Methods for Urban Sustainability, Botswana, September, 2021.

“Outlier Analysis: The case study of Hippietowns,” delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP), Denver, CO, October, 2017.

“Big Data and how it will change Planning,” roundtable presentation delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP), November, 2016.

“Hippietowns,” delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP), Houston, TX, November, 2015.

“Establishing Mixed Method Research Design Guidelines in Health Impact Assessments (HIA) Investigations” (with T. Overacker), delivered at the Association of European Schools of Planning (AESOP), July 11-14, Ankara, Turkey, 2012.

“Health Impact Assessments in India: Exploring a Possible Community Health Policy Innovation,” (with So. Kapur) at the International Conference for Community Health and Well Being, March 10-11, Chicago, IL, 2012.

“Meta-Analysis of HIA Model Used Around the World,” (with T. Overacker) at the International Conference for Community Health and Well being , January 20-22, Berkeley, CA, 2011.

“Motives and Fears Behind the Model Cities Program,” delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP), Crystal City, VA, 2009.

“Taking in Data from All Sides: Open Community Observation Projects,” delivered at the joint Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) at the Association of European Schools of Planning (AESOP), Chicago, IL, 2008.

“iTunes U, Hip or Hype,” (with Becki Retzlaff) delivered at the joint Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) at the Association of European Schools of Planning (AESOP), Chicago, IL, 2008.

“Using Face Validity to Improve the Applications of Citizen Input,” delivered at the Association of European Schools of Planning (AESOP), Naples, Italy, 2007.

“Approximating Qualitative Research Within Imperfect Situations: Hammering the Empirical Nail with a Wrench,” (and published abstract) delivered at the World Planning Schools Congress 2 (WPSC-06), Mexico City, Mexico, 2006.

“Experiencing the Rural Studio: An Assessment of Student Learning Outcomes,” (with David Hinson) American Collegiate Schools of Architecture (ACSA) conference, Salt Lake City, UT, 2006.

“In Search of Sherry Arnstein,” delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) Conference, Portland, OR, 2004.

Roundtable: “Getting Promoted and Tenured,” delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) Conference, Portland, OR, 2004.

“Incorporating Technology to Improve the Application of the Empirical Model of Citizen Consultation (EMC2),” delivered at the International Conference on Public Participation and Information Technologies (ICPPIT-03), at MIT, Cambridge, MA, 2003.

“A Study of Nebraska Truckstops, Rest Areas and Commercial Truck Drivers,” delivered at the annual meeting of the Transportation Research Board (TRB) with (A.J. Khattak and S. Gaber), 2002.

“Letting Go of the Ladder of Citizen Participation,” delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) Conference, Baltimore, MD, 2002.

“Assessing the Social and Economic Impacts in the Resettlement of Refugees in the United States and Canada,” delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) Conference, Cleveland, OH, 2001.

“If You can See What I Know,” delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) Conference, Atlanta, GA, 2000.

“An Evaluation of the Effectiveness of Service Integration,” (poster presentation) with S. Gaber, P. Eurek, and P. Trouba at the National Association of WIC (Women, Infants, and Children) Directors, Philadelphia, PA, 2000.

“Does Service Integration Improve Health Outcomes?” (with P. Eurek, S. Gaber, and D. Ross), delivered at the Maternal and Child Health (MCH) Leadership Conference, Chicago, IL, 2000.

“Working on WIC: Innovating Social Welfare Program Efficiency” (with S. Gaber), delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) Conference, Chicago, IL, 1999.

"Listening to the Data: Expanding Democratic Planning Through Integrative Research," delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) Conference, Pasadena, CA. (Also moderator of panel: "Democracy in Planning."), 1998.

"Meta-Human Service Needs Assessment: A Nebraska Case Study," delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) Conference, Fort Lauderdale, FL, 1997.

"The Changing Socio-Economic Role of New York City Street Vending: A Historical Account of New York City Street Peddling from 1863-1993," delivered at Urban Affairs Association Annual Meeting, New York, NY, 1996.

"Knowing the Angles When Triangulating Research Data: An Analysis of Between-Method Research Strategies," delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning Conference (ACSP), Tempe, AZ. (Also moderator of panel: "Alternative Methods in Planning."), 1994.

"Rethinking Social Planning for the 1990s: Understanding Paradigmatic Shifts in Social Welfare," delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) Conference, Philadelphia, PA, 1993.

"The Lost Art of Field Research," delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) Conference, Columbus, OH, 1992.

"Street Vendors on 14th Street, New York," delivered at the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning Conference (ACSP), Austin, TX, 1990.

## **AFFILIATIONS**

- o American Planning Association
- o South Carolina Chapter, American Planning Association
- o American Institute of Certified Planners

## **SERVICE**

### **External Service**

2022- Governor appointed member, South Carolina Planning Education Advisory  
2024 Committee.

- 2021 Team Leader, Site Visit for National Planning Accreditation Board (PAB), Kansas State University, Master in Regional and Community Planning.
- 2021- Jury member, Outstanding Planning Student Organization Award,  
2023 American Planning Association.
- 2019 Faculty facilitator, American Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP), Ph.D.  
2018 Workshop, Clemson, University.
- 2018 - American Collegiate Schools of Planning Rising Scholar Selection 2020 Committee, member.
- 2017 Team Leader, Site Visit for National Planning Accreditation Board (PAB), Arizona State University, Master in Urban and Environmental Planning.
- 2017 Faculty facilitator, American Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP), Ph.D. Workshop, University of Colorado at Boulder.
- 2017 - Member, Pennell Center Advisory Board, College of Architecture, Art, and  
2023 Humanities, Clemson University. Became Director in 2023.
- 2017 - Member, Executive Committee, South Carolina American Planning Present Association.
- 2016 Planning Community Service, guest meeting facilitator, Mobile Food Vendor Workshop, City of Altoona, WI, July 7<sup>th</sup>, 2016.
- 2015 Team Leader, Site Visit for National Planning Accreditation Board (PAB), California Polytechnic Pomona, Bachelor of Science in Urban and Regional Planning.
- 2015 Team Leader, Site Visit for National Planning Accreditation Board (PAB), California Polytechnic Pomona, Master of Urban and Regional Planning.
- 2013 Team Leader, Site Visit for National Planning Accreditation Board (PAB), University of Utah, City and Metropolitan Planning Department.
- 2012 Planning Community Service, city trail system, Planning Commission, Farmington, AR.

- 2012 Planning Community Service, city trail system, Planning Commission, Bentonville, AR.
- 2012 Site Visitor, National Planning Accreditation Board (PAB), University of Oklahoma, City and Regional Planning Department.
- 2012 Programming Committee, Arkansas Planning Association.
- 2011 Site Visitor, National Planning Accreditation Board (PAB), California Polytechnic, San Luis Obispo, Planning Department.
- 2010 Selection Committee Member, Request for Qualifications (RFQ) selection for Partners for Better Housing (501 c3 non-profit corporation for affordable housing in Fayetteville, AR), for Civil Engineering and Landscape Architecture firms to build affordable housing in Fayetteville, AR
- 2006 Site Visitor, Planning Accreditation Board (PAB), University of Arizona, Planning Department.
- 2005 American Planning Association, Information Technology Division, Student Paper Competition, Selection Committee.
- 2003 - *I-85 Corridor Community Study Group, "Tourism and Community*  
 2004 *Development team,"* member, representative for Auburn University.
- 2001 *Community Health Endowment of Lincoln*, Presentation of refugee research information to Board of Trustees.
- 2000 *United Way of Lincoln and Lancaster County*, Presentation of refugee research to funders' group.
- 2000 - *Journal of Planning and Education Research, Co- Review Editor*, with  
 2004 Sharon Gaber.
- 1999 *Nebraska Community Improvement Program (NCIP)*, judge of communities competing for the Otto Hoiberg Award for best overall community development program.
- 1999 *National Engineers Week Future City Competition*, peer volunteer assisting Park Middle School students to develop a future city using SimCity 2000.

1998 - *New Americans Task force*, City of Lincoln, NE.

1999

1994 - Board of Directors (member), Stephens Center: Homeless Shelter Omaha,  
1996 NE.

1994 *Community Human Service Planning Council*, Lancaster County/ City of  
Lincoln, NE.

### **University Service**

2022- Chair, TIGERS Advocate, university-wide elected community of Clemson

2023 University men who support the vision of the TIGERS Advance Project:  
**Transforming the Institution through Gender Equity, Retention and Support.**  
TIGERS, is a National Science Foundation (NSF) funded innovative and  
systematic institutional transformation approach to reduce Gender inequity  
and all forms of social injustice, and provide opportunities for all faculty,  
both men and women to advance their careers and enjoy work/life balance  
as members of Clemson University. Member from 2021-2024.

2019- Chair of Chairs, Office of Academic Department Chairs (OADC), Provost

2020 Office, Clemson University. This required close coordination with the  
Provost in developing and running bi-monthly meetings with Clemson  
University Chairs and Directors on critical campus wide issues (e.g.  
management of COVID-19).

2018- Director Search Committee Member, Rhetoric, Communication, Information

2019 Design, College of Architecture, Arts, and Humanities, Clemson University.

2017- Chair Search Committee Member, Department Chair, Performing Arts,

2018 College of Architecture, Arts, and Humanities, Clemson University.

2017- Member, Advisory Committee, Pennell Center, College of Architecture, Arts  
and Humanities, Clemson University. The Center supports the research,  
teaching and outreach activities of faculty and students in Clemson's  
School of Design and Building.

2017- Fulbright College Futures Planning Committee, Member, Fulbright College

2018 of Arts and Sciences, University of Arkansas.

2015- Personnel Policy Committee (PPC), Member, Department of Political  
2016 Science, University of Arkansas.

2015- Master of Public Administration / Policy / Nonprofit Studies Committee,  
2016 Chair, Department of Political Science, University of Arkansas.

2014- Master of Public Administration / Policy / Nonprofit Studies Committee,  
2015 Chair, Department of Political Science, University of Arkansas

2013 - Co-Chair to undergraduate "Planning Minor." This is an interdisciplinary  
2017 minor shared with the Department of Political Science and the Department  
of Landscape Architecture, University of Arkansas.

2009- Personal Committee, member, Department of Sociology / Criminal Justice,  
2010 University of Arkansas.

2008- Research Grant-in-Aid Committee, member, Auburn University.  
2009

2008 Chair, Urban Studies Development Committee, Community Planning  
Program, Auburn University.

2007 - Master Plan Committee, member, Auburn University.  
2010

2007 Post-Tenure Review Committee, member, Auburn University.

2006 Graduate Awards Committee, member, Auburn University.

2004 - Auburn University Outstanding Faculty Research Award, Committee,  
2009 member, Auburn University.

2004 - University Budget Advisory Committee, member, Auburn University.  
2009

2004 - Committee X, member, School of Architecture, Auburn University.  
2005

2003 - Committee on Committees, member, School of Architecture, Auburn  
2004 University.

2003 - Faculty search committee, member, "history of landscape architecture,  
2004 School of Architecture, Auburn, University.

2002 - Faculty search committee, member, history of architecture, School of  
2003 Architecture, Auburn, University.

2001 Undergraduate Honors Colloquium, faculty support, University of  
Nebraska-Lincoln.

2000 - Distance Learning Committee, member, College of Architecture,  
2001 University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

2000 - Speakers and Exhibits Committee, member, College of Architecture,  
2001 University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

2000 - Intercollegiate Athletics Committee, University of Nebraska-Lincoln.  
2003

1999 - Human Rights Committee, member, University of Nebraska-Lincoln.  
2002

1999 - Academic Senator, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, representing the  
2001 Department of Community and Regional Planning.

1999 Organizer of the Hyde Chair of Excellence speaker series on Community  
Organizing in the College of Architecture, University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

1997 - Library Committee, member, in the Center for Great Plains  
2002 Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

1996 - Comprehensive Exam Committee, member, Department of  
2002 Community and Regional Planning, University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

1995 - College Council Committee, member, College of Architecture,  
1999 University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

1995 - Chair, Distance Learning Committee, College of Architecture,  
1996 University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

1995 - Multi-Cultural Affairs Committee, member, Department of  
1997 Community and Regional Planning, University of Nebraska-Lincoln.