

Present Position:

Professor, Department of Anthropology and Ethnic Studies Concentration
Watson Faculty Associate, Thomas J. Watson Jr. Institute for International Studies

Education:

Harvard University (Postdoctoral in Cross-Cultural Studies and Adolescence), 1982-83

Harvard University (Postdoctoral in Psychological Anthropology), 1981-82

University of Pennsylvania (Folklore & Folklife, Anthropology Focus), Ph.D, 1973

Brown University (English) M.A. 1962

Chulalongkorn University (English), B.A. (Honors) 1959

Languages: English, Thai, French, Russian

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

1. TEACHING

Professor (adjunct), Dept. of Anthropology, Brown University	2006 to present
Associate Professor (adjunct), Dept. of Anthropology	1993 – 2005
Assistant Professor (research), Dept. of Anthropology	1990 -1992
Assistant Professor (research), Dept. of Anthropology and Center for the Study of Race & Ethnicity, Brown University	1988 –1990
Visiting Professor, Dept. of Anthropology, Faculty of Archaeology, Silpakorn University (Bangkok, Thailand)	June 1985 - October 1986
Lecturer, Harvard Graduate School of Education	1983-84
Teaching Assistant, Folklore and Mythology Program, Harvard University	1981
Lecturer in Folklore and Oral History, Chukchi Community College, University of Alaska Rural Extension Program, Kotzebue, Alaska	1982

Visiting Professor, Dept. of Anthropology, Faculty of Archaeology, Silpakorn University, and the Graduate School, Chulalongkorn University (Bangkok, Thailand) 1976-77

Visiting Professor in Folklore and Anthropology, Dept. of Anthropology, Faculty of Archaeology, Silpakorn University, and the Graduate School, Faculty of Arts, Chulalongkorn University (Bangkok, Thailand) 1974-75

Lecturer in Anthropology, Roger Williams College, Bristol, Rhode Island 1972

Senior Lecturer in English Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand 1962-1963

Lecturer in English, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand 1959 -1960

2. OTHER PROFESSIONAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

Organizer, Meeting of the Southern New England Consortium on Race and Ethnicity, "Ethnic Studies in the 21st Century" at Brown University September 23, 2000

Principal organizer, symposium "Diaspora and Displacement: Teaching and Researching the Asian Diasporas" at Brown University April 15, 2000

Representative of Brown University, Association for Asian American Studies 1999

Coordinator, Southern New England Consortium on Race and Ethnicity 1992 - 1996

Steering Committee Member, Southern New England Consortium on Race and Ethnicity 1992 to 2000

Associate Director, Center for the Study of Race of Ethnicity in America, Brown University December 1991- June 1996

Fellow (elected), Association for the Study of Play 1982 to present

Fellow, Culture Learning Research Institute, East-West Center, Honolulu, Hawaii 1978 to present

Project Coordinator, Brown University, Archeological Expedition, Krabi, Southwestern Thailand 1983,1990,1999

Member of the Editorial Board, Play & Culture, journal of the Association for the Study of Play 1991 - 1994

Organizer, session "Man and the Environment: Man and Animals at Play." 1988 Annual Meeting of the Association for the Study of Play, Philadelphia February 23 1989

Organizer and President, Brown University Alumni Group in Thailand 1985-1986

Founder, Organizer, and Committee Member, Krabi's Secondary Education Sponsorship Program, Krabi, Southern Thailand, Sponsorships obtained from Save the Children Fund (United Kingdom) 1985-present

Organizer, key symposium, "The Ethnography of Play," The 9th Annual Meeting of the Association for the Anthropological Study of Play, Baton Rouge. Participants: Helen Schwartzman, Sarah Harkness, David Lancy, M.M. Katz, Jan Rosenberg 1983

Coordinator, Cross-Cultural Colloquia, Laboratory of Human Development, Graduate School of Education, Harvard University Fall 1981

Rapporteur, Social Science Research Council Conference "Conceptions of Culture and Its Acquisition," New York City May 1981

Research Associate, Department of Anthropology, Brown University 1975-1985

3. MUSEUM WORK

Consultant, Exhibit on animals in rituals and lives in different cultures, Boston Children's Museum 1983

Supervisor and Designer, Selawik Village Museum of Archaeology and Ethnography, Selawik, Alaska September 1978

Supervisor and Designer, Indoor Folklife Museum Exhibit Commemorating Prince Damrong Rajanubhab, Silpakorn University, Bangkok, Thailand June 1976

Consultant, Special Exhibit Commemorating the 300th Anniversary of King Narayana, Lopburi Museum, Thailand 1975

Museum Assistant, Haffenreffer Museum of Anthropology, Brown University 1968, 1971-1973

Museum Assistant, University Museum, University of Pennsylvania 1965-1966

COMPLETED RESEARCH AND SCHOLARSHIP

1. RESEARCH

Ethnographer, follow-up study of Nipa Island Muslims, Thailand. Summers 1999, 2005, 2006

Ethnographer on the research project "Early to Middle Holocene Archeology in Southwestern Thailand" (Principal Investigator: Douglas D. Anderson) July - August 1998, June-July 1999

- Co-Principal Investigator, Field research in NW Alaska on "Human Subsistence Practices in Response to Environmental Fluctuations in Northwest Alaska" 1991-1996
- Principal Investigator, Field research on Rhode Island Lao Refugees: The Making of Laotian American Women, Rhode Island 1991
- Project Coordinator, Brown University Prehistoric Archaeological Excavations in Krabi, Southern Thailand August 1983, December 1984
- Principal Investigator, Field Research on Thai Muslim Adolescent Development, Koh Klang, Southern Thailand August 1982-January 1983, August, 1983 December 1984-February 1985
- Principal Investigator, Field Research on Thai Muslim Children's Social Behavior, Koh Klang, Southern Thailand March 1982
- Consultant and Research Methodologist, Lao Refugee Project, Department of Sociology and Social Work, Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, Tennessee June 1982
- Thai Muslim Children of Koh Klang, Krabi Province, Southern Thailand Summer 1981
- Associate Director, Selawik High School Archaeology, Oral History, and Museum Studies Program, Selawik, Alaska May-June 1981
- Co-director, Anthropological and Folklore Survey of Southern Thailand Summer 1979
- Associate Director, Selawik High School Archaeology and Museum Studies Program, Selawik, Alaska September 1978
- Collaborator, Attribution Study: Sri Lanka-Thailand-United States, East-West Center, Hawaii, and University of Chiangmai, Thailand January-July 1978
- Ethnographer, Selawik River Eskimo Subsistence Study, U.S. National Park Service and U.S. Department of Fish and Wildlife, Department of Interior Summer 1977
- Ethnographer and Folklorist, Kobuk River Eskimo Subsistence Study, U.S. National Park Service, Department of Interior March-December 1975
- Ethnographer and Folklorist, Historical and Ethnological Field Research, Selawik, Alaska September 1971-April 1972
- Principal Investigator, Ethnological and Folkloristic Research on Children's Play and Games in Rural Thailand, Ban Klang, Samut Sakhon, Central Thailand September 1969-May 1970
- Field Assistant, Brown University Archeological Expedition, Onion Portage, Alaska Summers 1966, 1967, 1978

Field Assistant, Ethnological Survey of the Hmong Hill Tribe, Northern Thailand Fall, 1963

2. **BOOKS, MONOGRAPHS, AND EDITED VOLUMES**

2008 Red Hibiscus: Thai-American Trajectory. Submitted for publication.

2005 The Dall Sheep Dinner Guest: Inupiat Narratives of Northwest Alaska. Fairbanks: University of Alaska Press.

G. 2005 Displacements and Diasporas: Asians in the Americas. Wanni W. Anderson and Robert Lee eds. Piscataway: Rutgers University Press.

2003 Wanni W. Anderson Ruthie Tatqavin Sampson. Folktales of the Riverine and Coastal Inupiat. Northwest Arctic Borough and the National Endowment for the Humanities. Bilingual English/Eskimo textbook for Eskimo village schools in the Northwest Arctic Borough School District

1998 Douglas D. Anderson, Wanni Anderson, Richard Nelson, Ray Bane, and Nita Sheldon Towarak. Kuuvangmiut Subsistence: Traditional Eskimo Life in the Twentieth Century Washington D.C: National Park Service, Department of Interior

1989 Editor, Special Issue "Folklore and Folklife of Thailand." Asian Folklore Studies. Vol.XLVII -1

1988 Folklore Studies: New Dimensions in Folklore and Folklife. Bangkok: Arts and Culture Press. Textbook in Thai language for Thai folklore students.

1986 Associate editor, The Many Faces of Play. Kendall Blanchard, Wanni W. Anderson, Garry E. Chick, and E.P. Johnson eds. Champaign: Human Kinetics Publishers

1983 Play and Game Culture of Ban Klang. Translated Thai Language version of Children's Play and Games in Rural Thailand: A Study in Enculturation and Socialization. Bangkok: Social Sciences and Humanities Textbooks Program. Thai language version.

1980 Children's Play and Games in Rural Thailand: A Study in Enculturation and Socialization. Bangkok: Chulalongkorn University Social Research Institute. English version

3. **CHAPTERS IN BOOKS**

2005 "Between Necessity and Choice: Rhode Island Lao American Women." In Displacements and Diasporas: Asians in the Americas Wanni W. Anderson and Robert G. Lee eds. Piscataway: Rutgers University Press, pp. 194-226.

2005 "Asian Displacements" (with Robert G. Lee). In Displacements and Diasporas. Piscataway: Rutgers University Press, pp. 1-22.

- 1993 "Ecological Concepts as Reflected in Myths and Other Folklore Genres." In Man and Nature: A Cross-Cultural Perspective. James M. Gustafson et al., Bangkok: Chulalongkorn University Press, pp. 165-182 (in English), pp. 395-410 (in Thai).
- 1989 "Sports in Thailand." In Handbook of Sports in Asia and Africa, Eric A. Wagner, ed., Westport: Greenwood Press, pp. 21-146
- 1988 "Thai Muslim Children's Play Culture." In The Muslim of Thailand, Vol. 1, Andrew D.W. Forbes ed. Ranchi: The Catholic Press, pp. 111-121
- 1987 Thai Muslim Adolescents' Friendship, Social and Economic Networks. Proceedings of the International Conference on Thai Studies. The Australian National University, Canberra.
- 1985 "World View in Thai Children's Play and Games," Traditional and Changing Thai World View. Amara Pongsapich et al., Bangkok: Chulalongkorn University Social Research Institute and Southeast Asian Studies Program (Singapore), pp. 110-133. Reprinted in 1988.
- 1985 "Play, Toys, and Child Development" (with Duangduen Satraphat). Handbook of Asian Child Development and Child Rearing Practices. Chancha Suvannathat et al. eds., Bangkok: Behavioral Science Research Institute, Sri Nakharinwirot University, pp. 110-133
- 1982 "Ecological and Sociocultural Determinants in Thai Children's Game-Playing Events." Paradoxes of Play, John W. Loy Jr., ed., West Point: Leisure Press, pp. 167-175
- 1982 "Buddhist Thai and Thai Muslim Children's Play and Interaction with the Physical Environment," Proceedings of the 2nd Asian Workshop on Child and Adolescent Development. Chancha Suvannathat et al. eds., Bangkok: Behavioral Science Research Institute, Sri Nakharinwirot University, pp. 172-177
- 1967 "Folklore as a Discipline," Chulalongkorn University's Golden Jubilee Commemorative Issue. English Department, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, pp. 63-64

4. JOURNAL ARTICLES

- 2005 "Beyond the Cockfight: Masculinity and the Thai Dove-Cooing Contest." Manusaya (Journal of Humanities) 9: 80-91. Bangkok: Faculty of Arts, Chulalongkorn University
- 1991 "Ecological Concepts as Reflected in Myths and Other Folklore Genres." Krabi Yai (Publication of Krabi's Cultural Center, Thailand), 2(7):33-43. In Thai.
- 1988 "Thai and American Perspectives on Over-and Under-controlled Behavior Problems: Exploring the Threshold Model Among Parents, Teachers and Psychologists," (with John R. Weize, Somsong Suwanlert, Wanchai Chaiyasit, Bahr Weiss and Bernadette R. Walter). Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology 56(4): 601-609.
- 1988 "The Social World and Play Life of Thai Muslim Adolescents. Asian Folklore Studies. XLVII-1: 1-18.

1987: Friendship: Social and Economic Networks among Thai Muslim Adolescents of Nipa Island." Journal of Education, Kasetsart University, 4(2): 21-47. In Thai

1986 "Thai Muslim Adolescents: Self, Sexuality, and Autonomy" (with Douglas D. Anderson), Ethos, 14(4): 368-398.

1986 "The Social World of Thai Muslim Adolescents and Their Play Culture," Journal of Sociology and Anthropology. Bangkok: Thammasart University, pp. 26-44. In Thai.

1983 "Play and Children's Culture," The Harvard Advocate, 1179 (3A): 29-34.

1978 "Thai Children's Play and Games of Ban Wat Kao," Silpakorn University Journal, 2(3):125-141, Bangkok. In Thai

1977 "Folk Arts and Crafts," Journal of Archaeology, 7(2):4-16, Bangkok. In Thai

1976 "Down The Hole: A Thai Game," Niyom Thai, 2: 5-8.

1975 "Song Duel of the Kobuk River Eskimo," Folk, 16-17: 73-81.

5. BOOK REVIEWS

2003 Imagined States: Nationalism, Utopia, and Longing in Oral Culture, Luisa Del Giudice and Gerald Porter eds., for American Anthropologist 105(1):184-186

2001 Thai Folklore: Insights into Thai Culture, Siraporn Na Thalang ed., for Asian Folklore Studies, Vol. LX-2, pp. 371-373

2001 Adolescence in Pacific Island Societies. Gilbert Herdt and Stephen C. Leavitt eds., for Journal of the Polynesian Society, March issue

1990 Review of the journal Play and Culture (Journal of the Association for the Study of Play) for Asian Folklore Studies, XLIX-2: 323-324

1983 A Study of Philippine Games, Mellie Leandicho Lopez, for Western Folklore, 42: 153-154

1976 The Eskimo Storyteller: Folktales from Noatak, Alaska. Edwin S. Hall, Jr., for Western Canadian Journal of Anthropology, VI(4): 177-178

6. REPORTS

Results of the Second Archaeological Field School and Museum Training Program for Inupiat High School Students, Selawik, Alaska, 1978, Northwest Arctic School District (Alaska)

Kuuvangmiit Subsistence: Traditional Subsistence Living in the Latter Twentieth Century (with D. Anderson, R. Bane, R. Nelson, & N. Sheldon), U.S. National Park Service, 1976

Archaeological and Ethnological Research in Selawik, Alaska: A Preliminary Report (with Douglas D. Anderson), U.S. National Park Service, 1971

7. INVITED LECTURES, SEMINARS, AND WORKSHOPS

- Panelist, Panel “What Is Asian American?” Asian American History Month, Brown University
November 27, 2007
- Lecture “Friendship and Social Networks of Krabi Thai Muslims” for the core undergraduate course “Thailand.” Colgate University
March 26, 2007
- Two lectures, “Krabi’s Thai Muslim Friendship Network” and “ Ethnicity from the Anthropological Perspective.” Institute of Southern Studies, Songkla, Thailand
August 9,10, 2006
- “Man/animal Relationship in the Hunting Eskimo Culture and Folktales” Graduate School of Thai Studies, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand Graduate School of Thai Studies, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand
January 7, 2004
- “Inupiaq Eskimo Culture and Folktales.” Sri Nakharinwirot University, Bangkok, Thailand
January 8, 2003
- Workshop organizer and lecturer “ Inupiaq Eskimo Culture, Folklore and Oral History” for NW Arctic School District, Kotzebue, Alaska
November 4-6, 2002
- “Diaspora and Displacement as Paradigms,” Faculty Seminar, Center for the Study of Race and Ethnicity, Brown University
April 11, 2002
- Organizer of the panel discussion “Connecting with Rhode Island Community: The New Ethnic Americans,” for the Center for the Study of Race and Ethnicity, Brown University
March 2, 2002
- Workshop organizer and lecturer “Inupiaq Folklore as Culture” for NW Arctic School District, Kotzebue, Alaska
October 22-23, 2001 and November 4-6, 2002
- Organizer, Symposium “Diaspora & Displacement: Researching and Teaching the Asian Diasporas, Brown University
April 11, 2000
- Keynote speaker (with Douglas D. Anderson) “Forty Thousand Years of Krabi: From Past to Present.” Conference in Honor of H.M. King Bhumibol Aduldej’s Sixth Cycle Birthday, Office of the National Culture Commission of Thailand
November 23, 1999
- “Ethnic Groups and Ethnic Studies.” In course “Social Structure,” Dept. of Anthropology, Silpakorn University, Bangkok
August 11, 1999

- "Man and Animal Interactions in Inupiaq Eskimo Folktales" and "Men and Women in Inupiaq Culture." Lectures to Brown, Dartmouth, and University of Chicago Alumni Groups
June 9, 1998
- "I Camped Over There: Inupiaq Oral History and Its Applicability to Archeological Investigation." Arctic Colloquia, Brown University
November 1995
- "Cambodian Culture and Cambodian Refugees' Adaptation to Life in America." Workshop for principals and teachers of the Attleboro School District, Attleboro, Massachusetts
October 21, 1994
- "Children of Interracial Marriages: The Best of Both Worlds." Two workshops for the United Asian American Organizations and the Midwest Asian American Student Union Conference, Ann Arbor, Michigan
April 9, 1994
- "Southeast Asians in the Asian American Panethnicity." Panel on Unifying Asian American Histories, Asian American History Month, Brown University
November 17, 1993
- "Cultural Diversity in American Colleges." Lecture presented at American University Association Library, Bangkok, Thailand
January 16, 1992
- "Thai Culture As Expressed in Thai Children's Art." Foster Parents Plan and "See Me, Share My World" Teachers Advisory Group, Providence, Rhode Island
February 15, 1989
- "Folk Sports." Workshop on Folklore Research Methods, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok
9 April 1988
- "Research Design and Qualitative Research Methods." Seminar on Qualitative Research, Faculty of Education, Kasetsart University, Bangkok
17 March 1986
- "Current Approaches to the Study of Children's Play and Games." Three lectures in the course: Research Methods in Folklore, Faculty of Arts, Silpakorn University at Nakhon Pathom
6, 13, 20 February 1986
- "Anthropological Field Research Methods and Key Concepts." Behavioral Science Research Institute, Sri Nakharinwirot University, Bangkok
23 January 1986
- "Youth in Anthropological Perspective: The Case of the Thai Muslims." In the course: The Sociology of Youth, Thammasart University, Bangkok
27 September 1985
- Issues and Interdisciplinary Approaches to the Study of Thai Muslim Adolescents." In the course: Social Research Methods, Thammasart University, Bangkok
11 September 1985
- "Youth in Contemporary Society: The Case of the Thai Muslims," Seminar for the Northwestern International Education Association's Study-Visit to Thailand, Mahidol University, Bangkok
August 2, 1985
- "Growing up in Thailand: What is Important to Us." Orientation to Southeast Asia, Seminar for Development Scholars, State University of Iowa
September 10, 1983

"Thai Muslim Children's Friendship Pattern." Cross-Cultural Colloquia, Laboratory of Human Development, Harvard University, Cambridge April 1982

"Attitudes towards Drinking and Alcoholism in Thailand." Postdoctoral Seminar on Alcohol Study, Brown University, Providence August 1980

"Play and Game Tradition of Rural Thai Children." College on the Air Program, Channel 3 Television Station, Bangkok July 1978

"The Anthropological Study of Thai Children's Play and Games." Faculty of Social Sciences, Thammasart University, Bangkok August 1976

"Living with the Eskimos: A Thai Experience." American Universities Alumni Association, Bangkok March 1975

"Children's Play and Game Tradition of Ban Klang, Central Thailand." Museum International Volunteer Group, National Museum of Thailand February 1975

9. **PAPERS PRESENTED AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS**

"Inupaiq Eskimo Folklore as Language Learning and as Culture Learning." Paper Presented at the 9th International Meeting on Minority Languages, Kiruna, Sweden

June 6, 2003

"Inupiaq Folklore Partners: Telling and Learning Inupiaq Folktales." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Folklore Society Meeting, Anchorage, Alaska

October 21, 2001

"Ethnicity and the Asian Model Minority Myth Revisited: Female Lao College Students in Rhode Island." Panel on Southeast Asian Youth, Annual Meeting of the Association for Asian American Studies, Washington D.C. May 30, 1996

"Structuring Biracial and Multiracial Identities Across Cultures." Panel on Multiracial Asian Americans, Annual Meeting of the Association for Asian American Studies, Ann Arbor, Michigan April 8, 1994

"Chinese Thai and Chinese American Children's Socialization of Family Values and National/Ethnic Identities." International Conference on Chinese Childhood Socialization, East-West Center September 6, 1993

"Rhode Island Female Laotian College Students and the Emergence of Ethnic Identity." Asian American Arts Conference, Providence College, RI April 25, 1993

- "The Socialization of Ethnic and National Identities of Thai Muslim Adolescents." Paper presented at the invited session of Society for Psychological Anthropology, Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Chicago, Illinois November, 1991
- "Ecological Concepts as Reflected in Myths and Other Folklore Genre." The United States - Thailand Conference on Natural Environment, organized by United States Information Service, Bangkok, Thailand June 1990
- "Beyond the Cockfight: Dove-cooing Contest in Thailand." Association for the Study of Play, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania February 23, 1989
- "Traditional Sports and Interpretive Approaches." Folklore Research Meeting, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand April 5, 1988
- "Thai Muslim Adolescents' Friendship, Social and Economic Networks." Paper presented at the International Conference on Thai Studies, National University of Australia, Canberra, Australia and at The University of Auckland, Auckland, New Zealand June 25 and July 5 1987
- "Friendship and Kloe-ship among Thai Muslim Adolescents." Northeastern Anthropological Association Meeting, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Massachusetts March 21, 1987
- Discussant in symposium, "Ethnographic Methods on Display: Informal Examination of Personal Data Organization and Synthesis Systems," (Janet Harris, Organizer). 11th Annual Meeting of the Association for the Anthropological Study of Play, Washington D.C. March 1985
- "Psychosocial and Ecological Dimensions of Adolescent Play: A Comparison of Thai Muslim and Inuit Adolescents." 10th Annual Meeting of the Association for the Anthropological Study of Play, Clemson, South Carolina March 31, 1984
- "Adolescent Sexuality and Autonomy." Paper presented at the invited session of Society for Psychological Anthropology, Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Chicago, Illinois November 19, 1983
- "Thai Muslim Adolescents' Relationships with Parents and Siblings." International Workshop on Family Relations, Population Institute, East-West Center, Honolulu July 27, 1983
- "Play, Social Behavior, and Ethnicity." 8th Annual Meeting of the Association for the Anthropological Study of Play, London, Ontario, Canada April 1, 1982
- "Thai Children's Play Behavior and the Mastery of the Ecological Environment." The Second Asian Workshop on Child and Adolescent Development, Bangkok, Thailand February 16, 1982
- "Field Research Methodology in Folklore." Thai Folklore Conference, Bangkok, Thailand September 1981

"Identity and Integration: Southeast Asian Traditional Game and Sport Movement." 7th Annual Meeting of the Association for the Anthropological Study of Play, Fort Worth, Texas
April 1, 1981

"Sociocultural and Ecological Determinants in Thai Children's Game-Playing Events." 6th Annual Meeting of the Association for the Anthropological Study of Play, Ann Arbor, Michigan
April 11, 1980

"Adult Culture and Children's Culture: A Case Study of Ban Klang, Thailand." Museum of Ethnography, Academy of Sciences, Leningrad, U.S.S.R.
June 7, 1979

"The Play and Game Tradition of Rural Thailand." Annual Meeting of the Rhode Island Division of the American Association of University Women
April 1973

RESEARCH AND WRITING IN PROGRESS

Book, At the Crossroads: Thai Muslims of the Andaman Coast.

"Cultures and Life Choices." On-going comparative research of two Thai American groups: American-born Thai Americans of Thai parents living in the United States and Thai American biracials of Thai and American parents living in Thailand

SERVICE

1. BROWN UNIVERSITY

Brown Fulbright Committee	2004-2005
Campus Minority Affairs Committee (CMAC)	1994- 2003
Committee Member, College Curriculum Council (CCC)	1991-1993
Ethnic Studies Committee, Center for the Study of Race and Ethnicity	2001-2002
Ethnic Studies Committee (at CSREA and CCC)	1992 to 1996
Randall Counselor	1989-93
Sophomore Advising	1990-1992, 1997-98, 1999-2000, 2001-2002
CAP advising	1988-89, 1991-92, 1994-95, 1996-97, 1998-99, 2002-03, 2004-05, 2006-07
Resource Scholars Committee	1995-96
Initiated, coordinated, and chaired Senior Honors Thesis Awards, Center for the Study of Race and Ethnicity in America	1992-1996

Coordinated and chaired MacLoughlin Junior Research Awards, Center for the Study of Race and Ethnicity in America 1992-96

Ad hoc Committee on Need-Blind Admission 1991

Committee Member, Search Committee for Director of Minority Recruitment, Brown University 1989

Committee Member, Duan M. Smith M.D. Service Award for Third World Student's Leadership, Third World Center, Brown University 1989

2. SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Grant Reviewer, National Endowment for the Humanities, American Studies Section 2005

Grant Reviewer, National Science Foundation, Arctic Social Sciences Section 2003, 2007

Consultant, U.S.A.-Thailand Cross-Cultural Research Project "Child Behavior Problems in Cultural Context," Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill 1983-1984

Member of the Executive Council, The Association for the Anthropological Study of Play 1982-1984

Consultant, Thai Studies Curriculum Advisory Committee, Sukhodaya Thammarajitiraj University, Bangkok, Thailand March 1982

Consultant, Handbook for Asian Childrearing, Behavioral Science Research Institute, Srinakarinwirot University, Bangkok, Thailand February 1982

Committee Member, Graduate Curriculum Advisory Committee, Department of Anthropology, Faculty of Archaeology, Silpakorn University, Bangkok, Thailand 1981

Thai Traditional Game and Sport Specialist, The First ASEAN Seminar on Traditional Games and Sports, Bangkok, Thailand September 1980

Consultant, Remote Sensing Applications to Anthropology, U.S. National Park Service, Department of Interior, Albuquerque, New Mexico September 1979

Consultant, Inupiat University of the Arctic, Barrow, Alaska 1978

Committee Member and Thailand Representative, Southeast Asian Oral Tradition Committee, UNESCO Project, Thailand 1976

AWARDS AND GRANTS

National Endowment for Humanities Grant, to integrate Eskimo folktales into the high school curriculum of the Northwest Arctic Borough School District and to increase students literacy in their native Inupiaq language, creative writing skill, and critical skills 2001-2003

Faculty Seminar Grants (with Robert Lee), from the Francis Wayland Collegium and the Thomas J. Watson Jr. Institute for International Studies, Brown University, to organize at Brown the meeting "Diaspora and Displacement: Teaching and Researching the Asian Diasporas" 1999

Research Grant, Thailand National Research Council (with Douglas D. Anderson and Paiboon Pramojani) for joint archeology, ethnography, and geomorphology project in Krabi, Thailand 1998-99

Northwest Arctic Borough's publication grant for the book, Folktales of the Riverine and Coastal Inupiat, Northwest Arctic Borough, Alaska 1998

UTRA Grant (Brown University) for undergraduate teaching assistant for AN25 (UC56): Growing Up Ethnic and Multicultural 1996

National Science Foundation Research Grant (with Douglas D. Anderson) on "Human Substance practices in Response to Environmental Fluctuations in Northwest Alaska" 1991-1996

Professional Associate Awards of the East-West Center and the Chiang Ching-Kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange August 1994

Research Grant to study Laotian Refugees in Rhode Island, Center for the Study of Race and Ethnicity, Brown University 1991

Wayland Collegium Grant: Course preparation "Growing Up Ethnic and Multicultural" 1989-1990

Odyssey Grant of Ford Foundation to Brown University, for the preparation of a new course, "Growing Up As An Ethnic Minority." Summer 1988

Professional Associate Award in Cross-Cultural Research, "Cross-Cultural Views of Children's Care." Culture Learning Institute, East-West Center, Honolulu, Hawaii January 1984

Professional Associate Award for the Workshop on Family Relations in Asia, Population Institute, East-West Center, Honolulu, Hawaii July 1983,

National Research Service Award, National Institute of Mental Health, Department of Health, Education and Welfare, for postdoctoral training in Cross-cultural Studies & Adolescent Development, Peabody Museum Harvard University, Cambridge 1982-1983

National Research Service Award, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, for postdoctoral training in Human Learning

and Behavior at the Laboratory of Human Development, Graduate School of Education,
Harvard University, Cambridge 1981-82

Professional Associate Award in Cross-Cultural Research, Culture-Learning Institute, East-
West Center, Honolulu, Hawaii 1978

Ford Foundation Travel Grant for Visiting Professorship to Silpakorn University and
Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand 1976

Chicago Folklore Prize 1974, Third Prize, International Folklore Association, for "Children's
Play and Games in Rural Thailand: A Study in Enculturation and Socialization"
1974

American Association of University Women Doctoral Dissertation Research Grant, "Children's
Play and Games in Rural Thailand: A Study in Enculturation and Socialization" 1969-70

Brown University Special Scholarship, Providence, RI 1961-62

Smith/Mundt Fulbright Scholarship to Brown University 1960-61

Chulalongkorn University Rector's Award in Students Administration as President of Women
Students, Chulalongkorn University Students Council, Bangkok, Thailand
1958-59

Chandarabhod Award as the Top Student in English in the Graduating Class of 1959,
Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand 1959

COURSES TAUGHT AT AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES

Ethnonationalism: The Asian Arena - Brown University

The American Experience: The Southeast Asian Refugees/Americans - Brown University

Growing Up Ethnic and Multicultural - Brown University

Ethnic American Folklore: Creativity and Continuity -Brown University

Reconstructing Multiraciality - Brown University

Adolescence from the Cross-Cultural Perspective - Harvard University

Introduction to Anthropology - Roger Williams College

COURSES TAUGHT IN THE LAST TWO YEARS

AN 125 (ET 121) The American Experience: The Southeast Asian

Refugees/American (limited enrollment)	Semester II, 2007 17 students
AN 194 Independent Reading and Research	Semester II, 2007 1 student
AN 25 (ET26) Growing Up Ethnic and Multicultural (limited enrollment)	Semester I, 2006 22 students
AN 193 Independent Reading and Research	Semester I, 2006 4 students
AN 120 (ES 119) Ethnonationalism: The Asian Arena (limited enrollment)	Semester II, 2006 8 students
AN 122 (ET 122) Ethnic American Folklore (limited enrollment)	Semester II, 2006 9 students

COMMITTEE MEMBER (Doctoral Dissertations and Theses) (last 3 years)

- 2008 Anthropology Senior Honors Thesis Committee, Bo Thao “The Construction of Multicultural Japan: Local and National Policies for Local Workers”- completed, magna cum laude
- 2007 Anthropology Master’s Thesis Committee, Christy deLair, “Performing Tradition: The Negotiation of a Pan-Ethnic Community in Miss Indian World” - completed
- 2007 Anthropology Senior Honors Thesis Committee, Marc Donnahue’s thesis, “Religious Narrative and Contemporary History: An Analysis of Iranian President Mahmood Ahmadinejad’s Letters to the United States”- completed, linguistic anthropology prize
- 2007 Ethnic Studies Senior Honors Thesis Committee, Lam Thanh Phan’s thesis, “The Phenomenon of William Hung: American Idol, Images and Fan Communities in Cyberspace”
- 2006 Anthropology Senior Honors Thesis Advisor, Julia Kim, “ Second-Generation Korean Americans in New York”
- 2006 English Senior Honors Thesis Committee, Hilary Leewong, on biraciality/multiraciality and ambiguity
- 2006 Anthropology Doctoral Dissertation Committee, Walter Harper’s dissertation, “Educational and Social Worlds in Context: An Anthropological Study of an Urban Elementary School Fifth Grade Classroom.”

INTER-UNIVERSITY ADVISING

- 2007 Faculty Cultural Advisor to 2 RISD and one Brown students on RISD’s Industrial Design course project “Vehicle Crossing Borders,” designing environmental –conscious bus and vendor cart for Ho Chi Minh city.

