

Curriculum Vitae
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EDUCATION

- Vermont College, M.F.A., Creative Writing (1995).
- University of California, Santa Barbara, B.A., Comparative Religions (1970).

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- Professor, Department of English, Arizona State University, Creative Writing Program (Spring 2005-present).
- Visiting Writer, The University of Warwick, Coventry, UK, Virginia G. Piper Center for Creative Writing International Writer's Exchange Program (Fall 2004).
- Associate Professor, Department of English, Arizona State University, Creative Writing Program (Spring 2000-Spring 2005).
- Director, M.F.A. Creative Writing Program, Arizona State University, Fall 2002-Spring 2004.
- Faculty Member, Spalding University's brief-residence Master of Fine Arts in Writing, Sena Jeter Naslund, Director, Louisville, KY, Residencies (October 2001, May 2002, October 2002, May 2003, October 2003).
- Assistant Professor, Department of English, Arizona State University, Creative Writing Program (Fall 1994-Spring 2000).
- Elected to Women's Studies Affiliated Faculty, Arizona State University (Fall 1995-present).
- Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of English, Arizona State University, Creative Writing Program (1992-1994).
- Adjunct Creative Writing Instructor, Santa Fe Community College, Santa Fe, NM (Fall 1990-Spring 1991).

BOOK PUBLICATIONS

Devotedly, Virginia: The Life of Virginia Galvin Piper. Hardcover. Virginia G. Piper Charitable Trust, Phoenix, AZ: December 7, 2008.

Other editions:

--HTML, Virginia G. Piper Charitable Trust, Phoenix, AZ: December 2008
<http://pipertrust.org/virginiapiperbiography>

--Excerpts published in *Piper Notebook* magazine,
<http://pipertrust.org/common/files/oct08notebook.pdf>, October 2008.

INTERVIEWS:

ASU Insight, interview by Judith Smith, February 27, 2009:

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Arizona State University News, interview by Judith Smith, February 23, 2009:

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Other editions:

--Large print, Thorndike, Waterville, ME: August 2004.

--Paperback, Anchor/Vintage Books, New York: NY: March 2005.

--E-book, Anchor Books, New York, NY: December 2007

--Kindle edition, Amazon.com: December 2007

REVIEWS:

Talk Greenville, Greenville, NC, May 2005

Armchair Interviews, www.armchairinterviews.com, 2005

Northern Arizona Book Festival, www.nazbookfestiva.org, Flagstaff, AZ, April 2005

Southwestern Books of the Year, Best Reading 2004,

<http://www.lib.ci.tucson.az.us/pageturners/southwestbooks2004/masterList.htm>

Tucson-Pima Public Library, AZ

Chicago Tribune, "Best Books of 2004" December 19, 2004

South Florida Sun-Sentinel, "Best of 2004" December 19, 2004

Anniston Star, Birmingham, AL, July 25, 2004

BookPage: America's Book Review Magazine, July 2004

Empowerment 4 Women, a webzine, Issue 3, May/June 2004

KCRW Radio, 89.9 FM, "Bookworm," a nationally syndicated book review show,

Michael Silverblatt, reviewer/host, Los Angeles, CA, aired May 13, 2004

Metro: People, Places, Phoenix, Phoenix, AZ, April/May 2004, Issue 7, p.69

Alibi, April 15-21, 2004, Vol. 13, No. 16

The Washington Post, April 11, 2004, p.BW10

New York Daily News, New York, NY, April 4, 2004

Tucson Citizen, Tucson, AZ, April 1, 2004

The Journal News, Life & Style section, "Ashley Warlick's Fictions," New York, NY,

March 28, 2004

Taconic Valley Echo Press, Weekend edition, Berlin, NY, March 18, 2004, p.16

The "Book Review" Forum, www.1stmessageboard.com, March 10, 2004

The Chicago Tribune, March 7, 2004

Romantic Times Book Club Magazine, four star review, March 2004, Issue 241, p.41

Vanity Fair Magazine, "Hot Type," March 2004, p.186

Ingram Library Services, Vol. 15, No. 3, March 2004
Publisher's Weekly, starred review, February 23, 2004, Vol. 251, Issue 8 p.51
Library Journal, February 1, 2004, Vol. 129, Issue 2, p.125
ALA Booklist magazine, February 1, 2004, Vol. 100, Issue 11, p.951
Kirkus Reviews, January 15, 2004, Vol. 72, Issue 2, p.58

INTERVIEWS:

WFMP Radio, 107 FM; Talk Radio, Minneapolis/St. Paul, MN, "The Lori & Julia Show," aired July 26, 2005.
ASU Research Magazine, feature article, interview by Melissa Olson, May 2005.
Cable Radio Network, Los Angeles, CA, with interviewer Jack Roberts, April 2005.
KNAU/KPUB Radio, 88.7 and 91.7 FM; NPR affiliate, Flagstaff, AZ, with interviewer Mitch Teich, aired April 15, 2005.
KNXV-TV, ABC 15, "Arizona Daybreak" Phoenix, AZ, July 25, 2004.
KCRW Radio, 89.9 FM, "Bookworm," nationally syndicated book review show, Michael Silverblatt, interviewer/host. Los Angeles, CA, aired May 13, 2004.
KUAT-TV, PBS 6, "Arizona Illustrated," Tucson, AZ, Pam White, interviewer, aired May 10, 2004.
KNIX Radio, 102.5 FM; KYOT Radio, 95.5FM; KOY Radio, 1230 AM; "Valley Views," Mother's Day broadcast, Tempe, AZ, Dee Dee Sturr, interviewer, aired May 9, 2004.
KTVK-TV 3, "Your Life A to Z," live segment, Phoenix, AZ, aired April 9, 2004
East Valley Tribune, interview by Betty Webb, April 4, 2004.
GNN Broadcasting, televised interview with Denis La Bine, Redlands, CA, March 17, 2004.
The Arizona Republic, "Arts & Entertainment" section featured cover story by Richard Nilsen, March 14, 2004.
Romantic Times Book Club Magazine, "'Spotlight' on Melissa Pritchard" by Cindy Schwab, March 2004, Issue 241, p.73.
Publisher's Weekly, Q&A interview by Melissa Hill, February 23, 2004.

Disappearing Ingenue: The Misadventures of Eleanor Stoddard. Story collection. Doubleday (hardback), New York, NY: May 2002.

Other editions:

--Paperback, Anchor Books, New York, NY, June 2003.
--E-Book, Knopf Group E-Books, June 2003.

REVIEWS:

KLIATT Reviews, "Children's Literature Review," 2003
The Missouri Review, Winter 2003, 26:2, p.201-202.
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INTERVIEWS:

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Desert Living Magazine, September/October 2002, "Class of Arizona 2002," a
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The Arizona Republic, May 2002. Barbara Yost, Interviewer

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REVIEWS:

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The Bloomsbury Review, Summer 1999
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- The Georgia Review*, Vol 62 No 4
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- Art and Antiques*, Summer 1988
- Belles Lettres*, Jul/Aug 1988
- Roanoke Times*, July 24, 1988
- Chicago Tribune*, June 12, 1988
- The Short Story Review*, Spring 1988
- The Book Reader*, Mar/Apr 1988
- Chicago*, March 1988
- The Providence Journal*, January 17, 1988
- The State*, January 17, 1988
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GENERAL REVIEW OF AUTHOR'S WORK

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SHORT FICTION PUBLICATIONS

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"Swimming with Vivaldi." *Platte Valley Review*, University of Nebraska, Allison Hedge-Coke, editor, forthcoming Fall 2009.

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"Talking, Huh," *The Taos Review*, NM (1989). No 2 pp48-50.

"Sweet Feed," *Epoch*, Cornell University (1989). Vol. 38 No 1 pp35-39.

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"A Dance with Alison," *The Southern Review*, Vol. 23, No. 4, pp 874-8, Louisiana State University (1987).

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"Spirit Seizures," *The Ontario Review*, New Jersey (1986). No 24 pp24-33.

"Rocking on Water, Floating on Grass," *Ascent*, Vol. 11, No. 1, pp 77-81, University of Illinois (1985).

"With Wings, Cross Water," *Crosscurrents*, Vol. 5 No 2 (1985). pp131-40.

"A Private Landscape," *Kenyon Review* (Fall 1982). Vol4 No 4 pp90-96.

"Companions," *Webster Review*, Vol. 7, No. 1, pp 69-83, Webster College, MO (Spring 1982).

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"Shed of Grace," *Pulpsmith*, NY (Fall 1981). Vol 1 No 3 pp47-52.

"A Man Around the House," *Colorado State Review*, Spring 1980. Vol 7 No 2 pp27-34.

- "A Dying Man," *StoryQuarterly* 11, Northbrook, IL (1980). pp59-63.
- "Photograph of Luisa," *Prairie Schooner*, University of Nebraska (Fall 1979). Vol 53 No3 pp197-205.
- "The Housekeeper," *Ascent*, University of Illinois (1979).Vol 4 No 3 pp30-40.
- "A Russian Officer," *Jeopardy*, Western Washington University (Spring 1977). Vo13 pp38-43.
- "Julka and Rena," *New America: A Review*, University of New Mexico (1976). Vol 2 Nos 1 and 2 pp28-34.

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- "A Woman's Garden, Sown in Blood." *The Collagist: Online Literature from Danzic Books*, issue 4, editor Matt Bell, November 2009.
- "A Solemn Pleasure." *Conjunctions* 51. "The Death Issue," guest edited by David Shields, Fall 2008.
- "Historical Person You'd Like to Meet." Talk Show column, *FANZINE*, online magazine, July/August 2008.
- "Two Literary Exercises," *Naming the World and Other Creative Writing Exercises*, ed. Bret Anthony Johnston (Random House), pp. 103-106, January 2008. Other contributors include Richard Bausch, Dorothy Allison, Elizabeth McCracken, Mark Windegardner, Joyce Carol Oates, Margot Livesey, Alan Cheuse, Russell Banks.
- "Desirelessness." *Desire: Women Write about Wanting*. Ed. Lisa Solod. Seal Press: Groundbreaking Books by Women for Women / Avalon Publishing, 2007.
- "Notes from Kalighat, India, January 2007." *Copper Nickel: A Journal of Art and Literature* 8: (Fall 2007): University of Colorado, Denver, CO.
- Interview with Sahar Romani and Bishan Samadaar, founders of Kalam: Margins Write, The Daywalka Foundation, Kolkata, India. Interview conducted January 2006, Kolkata, India. *Hayden's Ferry Review*, Issue 39 (Fall/Winter 2007).
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- "A Private Landscape." *Prize Stories: The O'Henry Awards 1984*, William Abrahams editor, New York, NY: Doubleday & Co., 1984, pp 127-133.

PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES & COMMUNITY SERVICE

- Invited Panelist, "Mommy, I'm Having an Existential Crisis," with other panel members: Dan Chaon, Elizabeth Stuckey-French, Eric Puchner, Binnie Kirshenbaum, and moderator Katie Cortese. Associated Writing Programs (AWP) 2010 Conference, Denver, CO (April 7-10, 2010).
- Invited Panelist, "Reading, Writing and Teaching the Literary Fantastic," with Sylvia Brownrigg, Joan Silber, Doug Dorst and moderator novelist Sarah Stone. Associated Writing Programs (AWP) 2010 Conference, Denver, CO (April 7-10, 2010).
- Artist-in-Residence, MFA Program in Creative Writing, Seattle Pacific University, Greg Wolfe, Director, Whidbey Island, WA (March 20-23, 2010).
- Distinguished Guest Speaker and Teaching Faculty, Prague Summer Program. Theme: *The Nature of Mother Nature: Women, Power and the Environment*, Prague, Czech Republic, July 2009.
- Guest Speaker, Professor Mario Materassi's Southwestern Literature class, University of Florence, Florence, Italy (May 2009).
- Keynote Speaker, *Sounds of Spring*, International Dinner and Silent Auction, to benefit Tempe Montessori School, hosted by TEMPO (Tempe Parents' Montessori Organization), Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Tempe, AZ (April 18, 2009).
- Keynote Speaker, Cochise Community Creative Writing Celebration, Sierra Vista, AZ (March 27-28, 2009).
- Selected Presenter, "The Fourth Wall: The Academy in the Community," with Alberto Ríos, Cynthia Hogue, Sean Nevin and Sheila Britton, AWP Writers Conference, Chicago, IL (February 11-14, 2009).
- Invited Writer, STOP (Stop Trafficking and Oppression of Women and Children), New Delhi, India (January 2009).
- Invited Writer, Kalam: Margins Write, Calcutta, India (January 2009).

- Invited Writer, Women for World Health medical mission to Cuenca, Ecuador, invited by Dr. Denise Cucurny, Cal State Long Beach, President of Women for World Health (November 13-23, 2008).
- Invited Speaker, "Children Writing from the Margins," Writing and Wellness Connections Conference, Mercer University, Atlanta, GA (October 10-11, 2008).
- Invited Speaker, Young Adult Writing Project (YAWP), Director, Plynny Gutman. Department of English, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ (June 25, 2008).
- Invited Speaker, 2008 Spring Humanities Series, Columbia Gorge Community College, The Dalles, OR (April 9, 2008).
- Invited Faculty, panel, "Art Matters: The Arts as a Form of Political Engagement and Social Responsibility," roundtable with Kate Gale, Eloise Klein Healy, Terry Hummer, Drew Matott, Drew Cameron, Alberto Ríos, and Peggy Shumaker, part of "Warrior Poets & Papermakers" events. Piper Writers House, ASU, Tempe, AZ (March 19, 2008).
- Invited Reader, MFA Faculty Reading, with Jay Boyer and Norman Dubie. Virginia G. Piper Center for Creative Writing's Distinguished Visiting Writer Series, Tempe Center for the Arts Lakeside Room, Tempe, AZ (April 3, 2008).
- Invited Faculty, panel, "Writing and Social Activism" with Lee Gutkind and Carolyn Forché. Desert Nights, Rising Stars ASU Writer's Conference, Tempe, AZ (February 21, 2008).
- Featured Reader, Third Annual Wordstock Festival. Other readers include Dave Eggers, Jane Hamilton, and Charles Baxter, Oregon Convention Center, Portland, OR (November 9-11, 2007).
- Judge, Flannery O'Connor Award, University of Georgia Press (2007-2008).
- Keynote Speaker & Honoree, "In the Spirit of Mater," Alumni Brunch, Feast of St. Madeleine Sophie, Convent of the Sacred Heart High School, Atherton, CA (October 20, 2007).
- Featured Reader, PEN/Faulkner Award for Fiction Gala, Folger Shakespeare Library, Washington, DC (September 24, 2007).
- Invited Lecturer, ASU Prison Library and Education Project's Guest Lecture Series. GEO Central Arizona Correctional Facility, Florence, AZ (April 27, 2007).
- Invited Guest Lecturer. ENG 217 "Writing Reflective Essays" class, Instructor Susan Davis, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ (March 26, 2007).
- Keynote Speaker, talk title: "Passion and Creation, Joy and Service," Jess Schwartz Jewish Community High School (JSJCHS), Celebration of Writing Week, Paradise Valley, AZ (February 15, 2007).
- Invited Speaker, Cameron University, Lawton OK (February 9, 2007).
- Honorary Board Member, Word Theatre, Los Angeles, New York, and London. Cedering Fox, Director (2006).
- Invited Panelist, Slavery and Anti-Slavery: New Research and Teaching Workshop, The Antislavery Literature Project and the ASU Institute for Humanities Research. "Poetry, Slavery and Human Trafficking in India," Tempe AZ (October 13, 2006).
- Invited Faculty, Pocket Sanctuary Writer's Retreat, Kenyon Ranch, Tumacacori, AZ (October 21, 2006).
- Guest Speaker, Professional Writers of Prescott Writing Workshop, Sharlot Hall Museum Book Fair, Prescott, AZ (September 16, 2006).
- Fiction Faculty, Piper Writer's Studio, community workshop, ASU Piper House, Tempe, AZ (August 23-October 11, 2006).
- Invited Faculty, Craft Talk & Writing Workshop, MA Writing in Consciousness Program, Sarah Stone, Director, New College of California, San Francisco, CA (June 17, 2006).
- Invited Advisory Board Member, Lost Boys Center in Phoenix, 2006.
- Director of Creative Partnerships, Daywalka Foundation, www.daywalka.org, 2005 to present

- Judge, 2005 PEN/Faulkner Award for Fiction, with George Garrett and Ana Menendez. Chose E.L. Doctorow's *The March* as winner. Awards presentation: May 6, 2006.
- Host (my home), Witness Salon, poetry by ASU Creative Writing students (April 8, 2006).
- Invited Author, A Reading by ASU Creative Writing Faculty, with Beckian Fritz Goldberg, T.M. McNally, & Cynthia Hogue, ASU, Tempe, AZ (March 24, 2006).
- Invited Author, at a salon reading of my work, (readers included Victor Williams, Marin Hinkley, & Caroline Rhea), WordTheatreLA, Hollywood, CA (January 29, 2006).
- Member, Outreach Delegation, Nepal and India, Daywalka Foundation (January 2006)
- Host (my home), Hurricane Benefit Reading, benefit for survivors of Hurricane Katrina, New Orleans theme, food, music, poetry by ASU Creative Writing students (September 23, 2005).
- Host (my home), potluck supper for the Lost Boys of Sudan, in support of their Center in Phoenix, AZ. Members of Sudanese Voices United present (September 16, 2005).
- Invited Faculty, Hassayampa Institute for Creative Writing, Prescott, AZ (July 2005).
- Invited Faculty, along with Bob Mittelstadt and Robert Ashcraft, to attend ASU President Michael Crow's "Getaway Weekend," Calistoga Ranch, Napa, CA. Read stories on two consecutive evenings (May 5-8, 2005).
- Invited Speaker, Sedona Welcomers, Hilton Hotel, Sedona, AZ (April 27, 2005).
- Invited Speaker, Northern Arizona Book Festival, Flagstaff, AZ (April 15-17, 2005).
- Fiction Judge, Sonoran Prize for Fiction (March 2005).
- Panelist, "Women and Obsession in the 21st Century," AWP Conference, Vancouver, Canada (March 2005).
- Invited Faculty, ASU Writer's Conference, Phoenix, AZ (March 2005).
- Named Director of Creative Partnerships for the Daywalka Foundation, Christopher Carey, Executive Director (March 2005).
- Invited Author, Visiting Writers Series, Coolidge, AZ (February 23, 2005).
- Participating Author, Warwick University Southwestern Literary Festival (with Jay Boyer, Jewell Parker Rhodes and Ron Carlson), November 23-25, 2004, Coventry, England.
- Judge, AWP's Intro Awards, Indiana University, 2004
- Invited Author, Phoenix Book Club, Phoenix, AZ (August 29, 2004).
- Invited Board Member, Collegiate Recruitment Team, Wendell Tull, M.Ed., Executive Director.
- Member, Advisory Committee, Metro Arts Charter High School, Phoenix, AZ (2004).
- Salon Reading and Discussion of *Late Bloomer*, Spirit of the Senses Salon, Phoenix, AZ (March 26, 2004).
- Reading and Discussion of "a writer's life" and classroom visit, Phoenix Country Day School, Paradise Valley, AZ (February 19, 2004).
- Invited Nominator for the MacArthur Foundation Fellowships, December, 2003.
- Hosted two "Salon Evenings" for M.F.A. graduate students and faculty, my home, Tempe, AZ (September and November 2003).
- Salon Reading & Discussion, Spirit of the Senses, Phoenix, AZ (October 22, 2003).
- Book Group Discussion Leader, Michael Ondaatje's *The English Patient*, Changing Hands Bookstore, Tempe, AZ (October 29, 2003).
- Fiction Judge, Texas Association of Creative Writing Teachers Fiction Competition, Lubbock, TX (September, 2003).
- Invited Faculty: Post-Graduate Writers Seminar, Vermont College, Montpelier, VT (August 13-19, 2003).
- Invited Fiction Faculty: Post-Graduate Writers Seminar, Vermont College, Montpelier, VT (August 14-20, 2002).

- Fiction Judge, *Boston Review*, Boston Review Fiction Contest, co-judge Steve Almond (October, 2002).
- Invited Fiction Faculty, UCLA Writer's Extension, one day workshop (August 3, 2002).
- Advisory Editor, *Iron Horse Literary Review*, Lubbock, TX (2000-present).
- Judge, Scribners Fiction Contest in conjunction with *Hayden's Ferry Review* (Spring 2001).
- Finalist Judge, The Flannery O' Connor Award Series, Charles East, Series Editor (2001).
- Beyond Beauty, NIA/Writing Women s Workshop with Linda Seefeldt. Bodyworks Studio, Tempe, AZ (October 28, 2000).
- Advisory Board of Directors and Faculty Advisory Board, Taos Art School, Taos, NM, Ursula Beck, Director (1996-present).
- Fiction Judge, *The Clackamas Review* Literary Contest, Clackamas Community College, Oregon City, OR (2000).
- Finalist Judge, The Flannery O' Connor Award Series, Charles East, Series Editor, 2000.
- Fiction Faculty, Recursos de Santa Fe, The Santa Fe Writers Conference with Arthur Sze, Bob Shacochis and Carol Moldaw, Santa Fe, NM (July 25-30, 2000).
- Juror, Longan Award, The Sharlot Hall Museum, Prescott, AZ (October 1999).
- Invited Board Member, Advisory and Contributing Editor, Dark Horse Literary Review. Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX (as of August 1999).
- Panel Member, Interdisciplinary Arts Roster, Arizona Commission on the Arts (14 October 1995).
- Invited Speaker, Arizona's Amazing Author's Program, Tempe Public Library, 7-9pm (18 May 1999).
- Fiction Judge, League for Literary Innovation, Maricopa County Community Colleges (May 1999).
- Finalist Judge, Flannery O'Connor Award Series (1999).
- Fiction Faculty, Hassayampa Writing Institute, Prescott, AZ (July 26-31, 1999).
- Co-Director, Native American Circle, Enid, OK (1996-present).
- AWP Benefit Reading Series, Registered Participant (as of Fall 1998).
- Visiting Writer, The Alaska Literary Trail. Other faculty include Simon Ortiz, Leslie Marmon Silko, John Nichols, Brady Udall, Charles Bowden. Sponsored by the National Endowment for the Arts. UAF Visiting Writers Series, Fairbanks Arts Association, UAA Creative Writing Department, The Island Institute, the Alaska Council on the Arts, The Alaska Center for the Book, The JumbleWords Project, The Western States Arts Federation and the Alaska State Council on the Arts, which is supported by the Lannan Foundation. (April 6-20, 1999).
- Fiction Faculty, Recursos de Santa Fe, Santa Fe, NM, "Writing Women's Lives" Conference. Other faculty include Jewell Parker Rhodes, Marilyn Krysl, Julie Shigekuni (January 7-12, 1999).
- Panel Member, "The Art of Storytelling," with Jewelle Gomez, Gioia Timpanelli, Greg Sarris and Rafi Zabor. San Francisco Bay Area Book Festival (November 9, 1998).
- Finalist Judge, Flannery O'Connor Award Series (1998).
- Volunteer, Free Art for Abused Children, Phoenix, AZ, twenty week program (beginning January 1998).
- Fiction Faculty, Recursos de Santa Fe, Santa Fe, NM, "Writing Women's Lives" Conference with Demetria Martinez, Pamela Painter and Toi Derricotte (March 19-23, 1998).
- Mentor, Phoenix College Creative Writing Program (Spring 1997; Fall 1997).
- Fiction Workshop Instructor, Yavapai College Summer Creative Writing Institute, Prescott, AZ (August 1997).
- Fiction Workshop Instructor, Taos Art School, NM (August 4-10 1997).

- Fiction Workshop Instructor, Taos Institute of the Arts, Taos, NM (June 10-July 4, 1997).
- Finalist Judge, Flannery O'Connor Award Series (June-November 1997).
- Advisory Board Member, Phoenix College Creative Writing Program (1997-present).
- Fiction Workshop Instructor, University of Arizona, Extended University Writing Works Center (April 18, 1997).
- Arizona Science Center; wrote nineteenth century dramatic narrative used in exhibit (August 1996).
- Phoenix College, Short Fiction Revision Class (September 28, October 5; 12; 19, 1996).
- Co-Judge, Flannery O'Connor Awards (June-November 1996).
- Juror for Novel Category, 38th Annual Utah Original Writing competition, Utah Arts Council (June-August 1996).
- Creative Writing Instructor, Taos Institute of the Arts (August 4-9, 1996).
- Panel Member, Arizona Arts Commission (May 1996).
- Member of collaborative narrative team, Arizona Science Center and National Science Foundation (December 1995-January 1996).
- Juror, Wyoming Arts Council, Artspeak, Sheridan, Wyoming (August 24-7, 1995).
- Co-Judge, Flannery O'Connor Award Series (1990-1993 & June-November 1995).
- Book Reviewer, *Bloomsbury Review*, three published reviews (1995-present).
- Book Reviewer, *El Palacio: Magazine of the Museum of New Mexico*, eight published reviews (1991-present).
- Book Reviewer, *Chicago Tribune*, fifteen published reviews (1989-present).
- Advisory Editor, *Story Quarterly* (1998-present).
- Creative Writing Instructor, Taos Institute of Arts, Taos, NM (Summer 1994).
- Fiction Workshop Instructor, Cumberland Valley Writer's Conference, Dickenson College, PA (summer 1992).
- Guest Faculty, New Mexico State University Writers' Conference, Las Cruces, NM (1992).
- Workshop Speaker, Santa Fe Community College Writers' Conference, Santa Fe, NM (1992).
- Guest Editor, *The Taos Review* (1992).
- Director, Santa Fe Writer's Conference, Santa Fe, NM (1992).
- Fiction Workshop Instructor, Branham Ranch, San Cristobal, NM (1990-92).
- Fiction Workshop Instructor, Austin Writers' League, Austin, TX (1991).
- Director, Santa Fe Writers' Conference, Santa Fe, NM (1991).
- Guest Faculty, Oak Park River Forest High School, Oak Park, Illinois (1991).
- Coordinator, Santa Fe Literary Center, Santa Fe, NM (1991).
- Fiction Workshop Instructor, Taos Institute of the Arts, Taos, NM (1990-1).
- Kentucky Women Writers' Conference, guest faculty (1990-1).
- Co-Director and Scriptwriter, Taos Children's Theater, Taos, NM (1990-1).
- Book Reviewer for *The Nation*, two published reviews (1990).
- Book Reviewer for *The New York Times*, one published review (1990).
- Fiction Workshop Instructor, Santa Fe Writers' Conference, Santa Fe, NM (1989).
- Co-editor of *Story Quarterly* (1984-88).

BOOK REVIEWS (from Fall 1992)

Paste Magazine, Signs of Life 2007: Best Books We Read in 2007, Decatur, Georgia, Issue 20, December/January 2007/2008, page 80, *Not On Our Watch: The Mission to End Genocide in Darfur and Beyond*, by John Prendergast and Don Cheadle, Hyperion, 2007.

- Paste Magazine*, Decatur, Georgia, June 2007, Issue 32, page 79, *The Beautiful Miscellaneous*, by Dominic Smith, Atria, 2007.
- The Chicago Tribune*, Chicago, IL, April 2001, "Tribune Books," *Juniper Tree Burning*, by Goldberry Long, Scribner's NY.
- The Chicago Tribune*, Chicago, IL, August 2000, "Tribune Books," *Grange House*, by Sarah Blake, Picador U.S.A.
- The Chicago Tribune*, Chicago, IL, November 1999, "Tribune Books," *Change Me Into Zeus Daughter* by Deborah Moss.
- The Chicago Tribune*, Chicago, IL, September 1999, "Tribune Books," *Crossing* by Manuel Luis Martinez, Bilingual Press, Tempe, AZ; *Tales of the Heart* by Harry Mark Petrakis, Ivan Dee, Publisher, Chicago, IL.
- The Chicago Tribune*, Chicago, IL, March 1998, "Tribune Books," *The Short History of a Prince* by Jane Hamilton, Dutton, NY, 1998.
- The Chicago Tribune*, Chicago, IL, September 1997, "Tribune Books," *Boondocking* by Tricia Bauer, Bridgeworks: New York, 1997.
- The Chicago Tribune*, Chicago, IL, September 1997, "Tribune Books," *The Book of Famous Iowans* by Douglas Bauer, Henry Holt & Co.: New York, 1997.
- The Chicago Tribune*, Chicago, IL, Spring 1997, "Tribune Books," *American Owned Love* by Robert Boswell, A. Knopf: New York, 1997.
- The Chicago Tribune*, Chicago, IL, Spring 1997, "Tribune Books," *Necessary Madness* by Jenn Crowell, G.P. Putnam's Sons: New York, 1997.
- El Palacio Magazine*, Summer 1996, *A History of Having a Great Many Times Not Continued to be Friends: The Correspondence Between Mabel Dodge and Gertrude Stein, 1911-1934* by Patricia Everett, University of New Mexico Press: Santa Fe, 1996.
- El Palacio Magazine*, Summer 1996, *Utopian Vistas: The Mabel Dodge Luhan House and the American Counterculture* by Lois Palken Rudnick, University of New Mexico Press: Santa Fe, 1996.
- The Chicago Tribune*, Summer 1996, *A Desert of Pure Feeling* by Judith Freeman, Pantheon Books: New York, 1996.
- The Bloomsbury Review*, Denver, CO, January 1996, *The Old Bridge: The Third Balkan War and the Age of the Refugee* by Christopher Merrill, Milkweed editions: Minneapolis, MN, 1995.
- The Bloomsbury Review*, Denver, CO, December 1995, "Canaletto" by J.G. Links, Phaidon Press Unlimited: London 1994.
- El Palacio Magazine*, Santa Fe, NM, Winter 1994, Vol.99, Nos. 1 & 2, p. 73, University of Oklahoma Press, 1992.

The Chicago Tribune, Chicago, IL, January 10, 1993, "Tribune Books," p. 3, *Dakota: A Spiritual Geography* by Kathleen Norris, Ticknor and Fields.

The Chicago Tribune, Chicago, IL, October 11, 1992, "Tribune Books," p.3, *Rattlesnake Farming*, by Kathryn Kramer, Alfred Knopf.

El Palacio Magazine, Santa Fe, NM, Winter 1992, Vol. 97, No. 1, pp 45-6, *No Short Journeys, the Interplay of Cultures in the History and Literature of the Borderlands* by Cecil Robinson, The University of Arizona Press.

EXTERNAL AWARDS, GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND HONORARY CITATIONS

- Featured Artist of the Month, *IMAGE: Art, Mystery, Faith*, online edition (March 2010).
- Hawthornden Castle Fellowship, Midlothian, Scotland, UK (May 25-June 20, 2008).
- Semi-Finalist, Katherine Anne Porter Prize, *Nimrod Magazine*, for "Pelagia, Holy Fool" (2008).
- Alumni Honoree, Sacred Heart Schools Alumni Board, Atherton, CA (October 2007).
- Selection, AcademicKeys Who's Who in Humanities Higher Education (WWHHE), <http://humanities.academickeys.com/>.
- Nomination, PEN Center USA 2005 Literary Award for *Late Bloomer*.
- *Chicago Tribune* cited *Late Bloomer* as one of the "Best Books of 2004" (December 2004).
- Listed in *Southwestern Books of the Year, Best Reading 2004*, Tucson-Pima Public Library, for *Late Bloomer*
- Nominations, Pushcart Prize XXIX by Antonya Nelson for "Fiona," and "Late Bloomer" two novel excerpts published in *Blackbird* 2:1 (Spring 2003) and *Washington Square* #12, (Summer 2003).
- National Public Radio, *Disappearing Ingenue* selected by Alan Cheuse for 2002's Annual Summer Reading List, (June 2002).
- *Best American Short Stories 2001*, ed. Barbara Kingsolver, Distinguished Story Citation for "Funktionslust" (2001).
- Pushcart Prize XXVI, for "Funktionslust," *The Pushcart Prize XXVI: Best of the Small Presses*, editor Bill Henderson. Pushcart Press (2001).
- Nomination, Pushcart Prize XXVI for "The Widow's Poet," published in *Boulevard*, Richard Burgin, editor, St. Louis, MO (2001).
- O. Henry Award, "Salve Regina," *Prize Stories 2000: The O. Henry Awards*, editor Larry Dark. Random House (2000).
- Nomination, Pushcart Prize XXV for "Hi Fidelity" published in *Alligator Juniper*, Prescott, AZ (2000).
- *Best American Short Stories 1999*, editor Amy Tan. Distinguished Story citation, "Port de Bras" (1999).
- Pushcart Prize XXIV Distinguished Story Citation, editor Larry Henderson, "Port de Bras" (1999).
- O. Henry Short List, "Port de Bras" *The Best of O. Henry Prize Stories*, 1999. Editors Sherman Alexie, Lorrie Moore, Stephen King. Anchor Books (1999).
- Pushcart Prize XXIV Nomination for "Her Last Man" published in *The American Voice* v. 45 (1998).
- Barnes and Noble Discovery Award, Great New Writers Series for *Selene of the Spirits* to be featured in all Barnes & Noble bookstores nationwide (January-March 1999).
- Howard Foundation Fellowship, Brown University (September 1998-September 1999).

- PEN/West Award Finalist, *The Instinct for Bliss* (1996).
- The Janet Heidinger Kafka Prize for fiction by an American woman, *The Instinct for Bliss* (1996).
- Nomination, Pushcart Prize XXI for "The Erotic Life of Luther Burbank" (1996).
- *New York Times* Editor's Choice Book, *Instinct for Bliss* (1995).
- Writer-In-Residence, The Writer's Voice, Scottsdale/Paradise Valley YMCA (March-May 1996).
- *Best American Short Stories 1996*, Distinguished Story Citation, "The Instinct for Bliss" (1996).
- Pushcart Prize, "The Instinct for Bliss" (1996); (see Reprints and Anthologies).
- The Claudia Ortese Memorial Lecture Prize in North American Literature, University of Florence, Italy (May 1995).
- Pushcart Prize XVIII Nominations for "On Faith Alone," "The Good and Faithful Widow," and "Revelations of Child Love" (1994).
- Pushcart Prize XVI, Outstanding Writer Citation for "El Ojito del Muerto" (1992).
- *The Best of the West 5*, Other Notable Western Stories of 1991, Citation for "El Ojito del Muerto" (1991).
- *Best American Short Stories 1990*, Distinguished Story Citation, "Sweet Feed" (1990).
- *Best American Short Stories 1989*, Distinguished Story Citation, "A Dance with Alison" (1989).
- Carl Sandburg Literary Award (1988).
- D.H. Lawrence Fellowship, Finalist (1988).
- Great Lakes Colleges New Writers Award, Second Place (1988).
- Illinois Arts Council Award, Fiction (1988, 1983, 1981, 1980).
- *New York Times* Editor's Choice Book, *Spirit Seizures* (1987)
- *New York Times* Notable Book of the Year, *Spirit Seizures* (1987)
- Flannery O'Connor Short Fiction Award (1987).
- PEN/Nelson Algren Award, Honorary Citation (1987).
- Illinois Arts Council Fellowship (1986).
- PEN/Syndicated Fiction Project, "With Wings Cross Water" (1985).
- The O'Henry Prize Stories, 1984, "A Private Landscape." (see Reprints and Anthologies)
- Pushcart Prize VIII, Outstanding Writer Citation, "Companions" (1983).
- National Endowment for the Arts Fellowship (1982).
- James D. Phelan Award, San Francisco Foundation (1982).
- Leslie Hunt Memorial Poetry Award, Honorable Mention (1977).
- Academy of American Poets, Honorable Mention (1976).

INTERNAL AWARDS, GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS AND HONORARY CITATIONS

- Sabbatical (Fall 2007).
- Virginia G. Piper Center for Creative Writing Summer Faculty Enrichment Fellowship (Summer 2007).
- Graduate Scholars of English Association (GSEA) Faculty Mentor of the Year Award, Arizona State University Department of English (2006-2007).
- Virginia G. Piper Center for Creative Writing Summer Faculty Fellowship (Summer 2006).
- Nominee, Arizona State University Commission on the Status of Women 2005 Outstanding Achievement and Contribution Award (Spring 2005).
- Virginia G. Piper Summer Faculty Fellowship (Summer 2004).
- Nominee, Faculty Research Award, English Department (November 2002).
- Women's Studies Summer Research Award, ASU Women's Studies Program (May 2002).
- Sabbatical (Spring 2001).

- Women's Studies Summer Research Award, ASU Women's Studies Program (May-June 2000).
- Faculty Grant-in-Aid Award, Council for Research and Creative Activities, Arizona State University (May-August 1998).
- Women's Studies Summer Research Award, Arizona State University Women's Studies Program (July-August 1997).
- GSEA "Outstanding Faculty Mentor Award" (May 1996).
- College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Travel Grant Award, Arizona State University, \$1,000 (May 1995).

INTERVIEWS

IMAGE: Art, Mystery, Faith, Online edition, "Featured Artist of the Month," editor Gregory Wolfe (March 2010).

Kinaara, "Author Melissa Pritchard Speaks about Her Life, Work and Writing," feature interview in inaugural issue of South Asian youth literary magazine. Monidipa Mondal and Rohit K. Dasgupta, interviewers (1 July 2009): kinaaramagazine.org/index.php/2009/07/interview-with-melissa-pritchard

IMAGE: Art, Mystery, Faith, Online edition, feature interview, editor Gregory Wolfe (March 2009).

ASU Insight, "Professor examines life of Virginia Piper with new biography." Judith Smith, Interviewer (February 27, 2009): asunews.asu.edu/files/20090227.pdf

Arizona State University News, "Professor takes loving look at life of Virginia Galvin Piper." Judith Smith, Interviewer (February 23, 2009): asunews.asu.edu/20090220_piper.

ASU Insight, "Strength in Numbers: Mission Trip Illustrates Power of Women Working Together." Judith Smith, Interviewer. (December 19, 2008).

Piper Bulletin, "Interview with Melissa Pritchard: Professor of English at Arizona State University and author of *Devotedly, Virginia; The Life of Virginia Galvin Piper*" December 2008: www.pipertrust.org/enewsletter/articles/pritchardinterview.html

"Mission trip illustrates power of women." *Arizona State University News*. Judith Smith, Interviewer (December 11, 2008): asunews.asu.edu/20081211_missiontrip

Phoenix Magazine. Christine Bailey, Interviewer. (November 2007).

The Oklahoma Review 8:1. Petulah Olibert, Interviewer. (Spring 2007). www.cameron.edu/okreview.

Heart of the Matter: Sacred Heart Schools Alumni Magazine. Holly Goodliffe, Interviewer (Winter 2006): p.28.

WFMP Radio, 107 FM; Talk Radio, Minneapolis/St. Paul, MN, "The Lori & Julia Show," aired July 26, 2005.

"Driven to Write," *ASU Research Magazine*, feature article, interview by Melissa Olson, May 2005.

Cable Radio Network, Los Angeles, CA, with interviewer Jack Roberts, April 2005.

KNAU Radio, 91.7 FM; NPR affiliate, Flagstaff, AZ, with interviewer Mitch Teich, April 2005.

KNXV-TV, ABC 15, "Arizona Daybreak," interview about article in *Metro AZ* magazine on the Lost Boys of Sudan, July 25, 2004.

KCRW Radio, 89.9 FM, "Bookworm," a nationally syndicated book review show, Michael Silverblatt, Interviewer/Host. Los Angeles, CA, aired May 13, 2004.

KUAT-TV, PBS 6, "Arizona Illustrated," Tucson, AZ, Pam White, Interviewer, aired May 10, 2004.

KNIX Radio, 102.5 FM; KYOT Radio, 95.5FM; KOY Radio, 1230 AM; "Valley Views," Mother's Day broadcast, Tempe, AZ, Dee Dee Sturr, Interviewer, aired May 9, 2004.

KTVK-TV 3, "Your Life A to Z," live segment, Phoenix, AZ, aired April 9, 2004.

East Valley Tribune, Betty Webb, Interviewer, April 4, 2004.

GNN Broadcasting, Televised Interview with Denis La Bine, Redlands, CA, March 17, 2004.

The Arizona Republic, "Arts & Entertainment" section cover story, Richard Nilsen, Interviewer, March 14, 2004.

Romantic Times Bookclub Magazine, "Spotlight on Melissa Pritchard," Cindy Schwab, Interviewer, March 2004, #241. p.73.

Publisher's Weekly, "Q&A," Melissa Hill, Interviewer, February 23, 2004.

Arizona Foothills Magazine, featuring twenty prominent, successful women of Arizona, Editor, Christy Shannon, October 2003, Phoenix, AZ, p.112.

KAZ -TV, Ch. 13, The Tanya Mock Show, Prescott, AZ. July 25, 2003.

Phoenix New Times, Vol. 34, No. 26, June 26, 2003, Michelle Lautig, Interviewer, p.33.

Metro, People, Places, Phoenix, June/July 2003, Deborah Susser, Interviewer, p.22-23.

Glimmertrain, Issue # 47, Summer, 2003, Leslie Wooten, Interviewer, p.184-198.

Desert Living Magazine, September/October 2002, "Class of Arizona 2002," a "photographic showcase of the Valley's eclectic, prolific and prominent residents," p.60-61.

The Scottsdale Tribune, "Sunday Arts," Interviewer, Betty Webb, July 14 2002, p.14-15.

The Arizona Republic, May 2002. Barbara Yost, Interviewer.

Author Appearance and Booksigning, Public Library Association Convention. Phoenix, AZ. March 13, 2002.

The Arizona Republic, "Arizona Living." Barbara Yost, interviewer. May 2002.

Good Thunder Reading Series, Radio Interview, Minnesota State University, Manicato, MN, September 2001.

Tabletalk Salon.com, Mary Elizabeth Williams, Host. Guest interviewee, "Eye on the Prize: The O. Henry Awards" November 20-27, 2000.

Sirs Mandarin, Inc., Boca Raton, FL, reprint for use online and CD-ROM: *Bloomsbury Review*, Denver, CO, Interviewer: Leslie Wooten (Vol. 19, Issue 4, July/August 1999).

Bloomsbury Review, Denver, CO, Interviewer: Leslie Wooten (Vol. 19, Issue 4, July/August 1999).

Raven Radio, Sitka, AK, 16 April 1999. Interviewer: Carolyn Servid of the Island Institute, KCAW FM.

Fairbanks News, 10 April 1999. Fairbanks, AK. Interviewer: Linden.

KCRW-FM, Bookworm, nationally syndicated radio program, Los Angeles, CA. Interviewer: Michael Silverblatt (May 1999).

The Arizona Republic, Phoenix, AZ. Interviewer: Bob Petry (January 1999).

The Santa Fe New Mexican, "Pasatiempo" section, Santa Fe, NM. Interviewer: Ruth Lopez (January 8, 1999).

Albuquerque Journal, Albuquerque, NM, Interviewer: Craig Sullivan (March 8, 1998).

Story Quarterly #33, Northbrook, IL, Interviewer: James Klise (February 1997). pp 82-93.

Rochester Democrat and Chronicle, Rochester, NY, Interviewer: Deborah Raub (February 19, 1997).

San Francisco Review of Books, San Francisco, CA, September 1995, Interviewer: Jill Bernstein (1995).

English Department Newsletter, Arizona State University (1994, 1993).

Puerto del Sol Literary Magazine, shared interview with Judith Ortiz Cofer. Interviewer: Antonya Nelson. (Summer 1993). Vol 28 No 2 pp 1-26.

Sacred Heart Alumni newsletter (1993).

KAET-TV *Books and Co.*, Tempe, AZ. Ron Carlson interviewer (1993).

Taos Magazine, Taos, NM (1992).

The Taos News, Taos, NM (1991).

The New Mexican, "Pasatiempo" section, Santa Fe, NM (1991).

Novel and Short Story Writers Market, Writers' Digest Publication (1991).

North Shore Magazine, IL (1988).

READINGS AND PERFORMANCES

- Reading, with Ivan Klima, “Pelagia, Holy Fool,” Ypsilon Theater, Prague Summer Program, Prague, Czech Republic, July 2009.
- Invited Reader, MFA Faculty Reading, with Jay Boyer. Virginia G. Piper Center for Creative Writing's Distinguished Visiting Writer Series, Tempe Center for the Arts Lakeside Room, Tempe, AZ, April 3, 2008.
- Featured Reader, Third Annual Wordstock Festival. Other readers include Dave Eggers, Jane Hamilton, and Charles Baxter, Oregon Convention Center, Portland, OR, November 9-11, 2007.
- Featured Reader, PEN/Faulkner Award for Fiction Gala, Folger Shakespeare Library, Washington, DC, September 24, 2007.
- Reading, with ASU Creative Writing Faculty, T.M. McNally, Jeannine Savard & Cynthia Hogue, ASU, Tempe, AZ, March 24, 2006.
- Invited Author/Reader, “Dinner with Melissa Pritchard & Her Stories.” A salon reading of my work, WordTheatreLA, Hollywood, CA (other readers included Victor Williams, Marin Hinkley, & Caroline Rhea), January 29, 2006.
- Reading, Hassayampa Institute for Creative Writing, Prescott, AZ, July 2005.
- Readings, President Michael Crow's "Getaway Weekend," Calistoga Ranch, Napa, CA, May 5-8, 2005.
- Reading, Northern Arizona Book Festival, Flagstaff, AZ, April 15-17, 2005.
- Reading, ASU Writer's Conference, Phoenix, AZ, March 2005.
- Invited Reader, Visiting Writers Series, Coolidge, AZ, February 23, 2005.
- Invited Reader, Royal Holloway, UK. Fall 2004.
- Participating Author, Warwick University Southwestern Literary Festival, Coventry, England (with Jay Boyer, Jewell Parker Rhodes and Ron Carlson), November 23-25, 2004.
- Reading, Phoenix Book Club, Phoenix, AZ, August 29, 2004.
- Reading, The Unexplainable series, "Ghostly Voices in Fiction," Glendale Public Library, Glendale, AZ, August 26, 2004.
- "Valley Authors Salute Changing Hands," Reading at Changing Hands Bookstore Thirtieth Year Anniversary, Tempe, AZ, April 22, 2004.
- Author Reading and Discussion, Prescott College, Prescott, AZ, April 16, 2004.
- Changing Hands Bookstore, Reading from *Late Bloomer*, Tempe, AZ, April 13, 2004.
- "Solo Voices Times Three" with Alexis Pate and Alberto Ríos, Scottsdale Center for the Performing Arts, Scottsdale, AZ, April 9, 2004.
- Reading from *Late Bloomer*, Borders Bookstore, Mill Avenue, Tempe, AZ, March 30, 2004.
- Guest Salon Reader, Spirit of the Senses, March 26, 2004, Phoenix, AZ.
- Author Book-signing and Reading, Dutton's Bookstore, March 25, 2004, Los Angeles, CA.
- Interview and Reading, KCRW Radio, 89.9 FM, “Bookworm,” a nationally syndicated book review show, Michael Silverblatt, host. Los Angeles, CA. March 25, 2004.
- Author Book-signing and Reading, The Frugal Frigate Bookstore, March 17, 2004, Redlands, CA.
- “Desert Nights, Rising Stars,” Arizona Writers Conference, Scottsdale, AZ, Reading from *Late Bloomer*, March 13, 2004.
- Author Reading and Discussion, ASU Creative Writing Club, Bryon Meyerowitz, President, February 24, 2004, Tempe, AZ.
- Reading and Discussion, Author's Luncheon, Phoenix Country Day School, February 19, 2004, Paradise Valley, AZ.

- Art and Prose show, wrote prose pieces to accompany artwork of Joseph Wolves Kill, Vision Gallery, February 6, 2004, Chandler, AZ.
- Guest Salon Reader, Spirit of the Senses, Phoenix, AZ, October 22, 2003.
- Spalding University, Louisville, KY, October, 2003.
- *Metro: People, Places, Phoenix* and Borders Bookstores Presents: Melissa Pritchard Readings, June 28, July 5 & 26, 2003.
- Arizona Biltmore Resort and Spa, Reading from *Disappearing Ingenue*, July 5, 2003, Phoenix, AZ.
- Spalding University, Louisville, KY, May, 2003, reading from *Late Bloomer*.
- Womens Studies "Brown Bag Series," reading, Arizona State University, April 16, 2003, Tempe, AZ.
- Phoenix College, Poets for Peace Event, reading, April 11, 2003, Phoenix, AZ
- Desert Nights, Rising Stars, Arizona State University Writing Conference, reading, March 13-15, 2003, AZ.
- Changing Hands Bookstore, A Reading with Melissa Pritchard and Ron Carlson, September 11, 2002.
- Vermont College, Montpelier, VT, August 2002.
- Book Soup Bookstore, Los Angeles, CA, August 5, 2002.
- Barnes and Noble Bookstore, New York, NY, July 11, 2002.
- Barnes and Noble Bookstore, Phoenix, AZ, June 12, 2002.
- Hawley Cook Bookstore, Louisville, KY, May 19, 2002.
- Spalding University, Louisville, KY, May 2002.
- Changing Hands Bookstore, Tempe, AZ, May 21, 2002.
- Yavapai College, Prescott, AZ. Southwest Writers Series. Reading. April 9, 2000.
- Yavapai College, Prescott, Arizona. Captive Narrative Performance with Joseph Wolveskill, Granite Theater. April 9, 2000.
- AWP Reading Series, Emporia State University, Emporia, KS, November 2001.
- Spalding University M.F.A. Brief-Residency Program, Louisville, KY, October 2001.
- Virginia Commonwealth Universitys Creative Writing Program, Richmond VA, invited reader and workshop leader, October 2001.
- Good Thunder Reading Series, Minnesota State University Creative Writing Program, invited reader and workshop leader, 13 September, 2001.
- News Cafe, *Footloose in a Glass Slipper: Myths and Realities of Womanhood*, a photographic exhibit by Roni Ziemba with guest reading series, Phoenix, AZ, 7 February 2001.
- Changing Hands Bookstore, "Words Within Images" with artist Joseph Wolveskill, November 28, 2000.
- Southern Literature Conference, Embassy Suites, Phoenix Arizona, September 15, 2000.
- The Phoenix Botanical Gardens, "Words, Images and Life: An Evening with writers Miguel Murphy, Margo Tamez, Laura Tohe, Melissa Pritchard and artist Joseph Wolveskill," November 6, 2000, Phoenix, AZ.
- Pueblo Grande Museum, Phoenix, AZ, for Native Recognition Days, "An Evening with Melissa Pritchard and Joseph Wolveskill: Lost Voices" October 18, 2000.
- "Words, Images and Life: An Evening with writers Hershman John, Margo Tamez and Melissa Pritchard with artist Joseph Wolveskill," Pueblo Grande Museum, Phoenix, AZ, 5 April 2000.
- Hassayampa Writing Institute, Prescott, AZ, Reading, 27 July 1999.
- Barnes and Noble Bookstore, Awatukee, AZ, Participant in A Reading for Arizona's Authors' Map, "The Grandeur of Literature," 26 April, 1999, 6-8pm.

- The Alaska Literary Trail, Readings:
 - Glenallen, AK, 9 April 1999, Skookum's Gift Shop and Gallery.
 - Tok, AK, 11 April 1999, Tok Public Library.
 - Fairbanks, AK, 12 April 1999, Alaskaland Civic Center Bear Gallery.
 - Juneau, AK, 13 April 1999, Juneau Public Library.
 - Sitka, AK, 16 April 1999, Sitka Public Library.
 - Katchiken, 18 April 1999, Ketchikan Little Theater.
- "Blue Woman's Last Man," a staged collaborative performance with Susan McCabe, Claudia Nogueira, Karla Elling, Laura Tohe, Ann Bergin and Laurel Haines:
 - Arizona Arts and Education Conference, Phoenix, AZ (March 12, 1999).
 - Changing Hands Bookstore, Tempe, AZ (May 11, 1998).
 - Arizona Book Arts Festival, Phoenix, AZ (April 4, 1998).
 - Associated Writing Program, A National Conference, Portland, OR (March 26, 1998).
- The Writers Voice of the Phoenix Downtown / Urban Services YMCA, Performance Reading from *Selene of the Spirits*, February 22, 1999.
- Barnes and Noble Bookstore, Tucson, AZ. Reading from *Selene of the Spirits*, January 31, 1999.
- Barnes and Noble Bookstore, Awatukee, AZ, Reading from *Selene of the Spirits*, January 26, 1999.
- "Writing Women's Lives" Conference, Santa Fe, NM, performance reading from *Selene of the Spirits*, January 7, 1999.
- Phoenix College, Performance Reading from *Selene of the Spirits*, November 30, 1998.
- Borders Book Store, Phoenix, AZ, Performance Reading from *Selene of the Spirits*, November 15, 1998.
- Diesel Books, Oakland, CA, Reading from *Selene of the Spirits*, November 5, 1998.
- Changing Hands Bookstore, Tempe, AZ, Performance Reading from *Selene of the Spirits*, October 15, 1998.
- Changing Hands Bookstore, Tempe, AZ, Reading, *Hayden's Ferry Review* Benefit, September 25, 1998.
- Faculty Women's Association, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ; Reading and Book-Signing (November 13, 1997).
- Yavapai College, Prescott, AZ; Summer Creative Writing Institute, Reading (July 30, 1998).
- Taos Institute of Arts, Taos, NM; Reading (July 2, 1997).
- University of Rochester, Rochester, NY; Reading (February 21, 1997).
- Books, Etc. Tempe, AZ; Reading (November 17, 1996).
- Phoenix College, Tempe, AZ; Reading (September 20, 1996).
- Yavapai College, Summer Creative Writing Institute, Delivered Reading and Talk, titled "Writing the Creative Landscape," Prescott, AZ (August 14, 1996).
- Central Arizona College, Reading (February 28, 1996).
- Writer's Voice, Scottsdale, AZ; Reading to benefit "Share Our Strength" (November 2, 1995).
- Borders Bookstore, Phoenix, AZ; Collaborative benefit booksigning, Arizonans for Cultural Development (October 28, 1996).
- KGB Sunday Reading Series, 85 E 4th Street, New York, NY; Reading with Rick Moody (October 22, 1995).
- Southwest Writers Series, Yavapai and Prescott Colleges, Prescott, AZ; Reading and Lecture (October 12, 1995).
- Borders Bookstore, Mesa, AZ; Reading and Booksigning (September 20, 1995).
- Changing Hands Bookstore, Tempe, AZ; Reading and Booksigning (September 14, 1995).

- Herberger Theater, "Art from the Heart," collaborative reading to benefit CASS, Central Arizona Shelter Services (July 1995).
- Nelson Fine Arts Center, Tempe, AZ, Reading (March 1995).
- MUAB Culture and Arts Program, Arizona State University, Reading (March 1995).
- Vermont College, Montpelier, VT, Reading (January 1995).
- Honors College, Arizona State University, informal presentation (October 1994).
- Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, AZ, Co-presentation with Ron Carlson (1994).
- President's Forum, Nelson Fine Arts Center, Arizona State University, Reading with Ron Carlson (1994).
- Arizona State University, Reading with Barry Hannah (1994).
- AWP Conference, Tempe, AZ, Panel Member on Two Panels, Introduced Denise Chavez and Richard Shelton, Guest Readers (1994).
- Bookman's, Mesa, AZ (1993).
- CWSA Readings, Nelson Fine Arts Center, Tempe, AZ (1993).
- Santa Fe Writers' Conference, Santa Fe, NM (1989-1993).
- Writer's Voice Reading Series, Scottsdale, AZ (1993).
- Faculty Exchange Readings, NAU, Flagstaff, AZ (1993).
- The Bookroom Writers' Series, Santa Fe, NM (1991-2).
- New Mexico State University Writers' Conference (1992).
- Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ; Reading (1992).
- Yavapai College, Prescott, AZ; Reading (1992).
- Somos Writers' Series, Taos, NM (1990-1).
- Fin De Siecle Conference, Santa Fe, NM (1991).
- Harwood Library Lecture Series, Taos, NM (1991).
- Brodsky's Bookshop, Taos, NM (1991).
- College of Santa Fe, Santa Fe, NM (1990).
- Notre Dame Literary Festival, University of Notre Dame (1990).
- Kentucky Women Writers' Conference, Lexington, KY (1990).
- Pittsburgh Writers' Series, Carnegie Mellon University (1989).
- Taos Nature Writers' Conference, Taos, NM (1989).

LECTURES & INVITED ADDRESSES

- Invited Panelist, "The Voice of Children in Fiction" and "The Literary Fantastic," Associated Writing Programs (AWP) 2010 Conference, Denver, CO, April 7-10, 2010.
- Lecture, "The Oblivion of Beauty: Women in Panjshir Province, Afghanistan, Prague Summer Program, Prague, Czech Republic, July 2009.
- Guest Speaker, Professor Mario Materassi's Southwestern Literature class, University of Florence, Florence, Italy, May 2009.
- Keynote Speaker, *Sounds of Spring*, International Dinner and Silent Auction, to benefit Tempe Montessori School, hosted by TEMPO (Tempe Parents' Montessori Organization), Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Tempe, AZ, April 18, 2009.
- Keynote Speaker, Cochise Community Creative Writing Celebration, Sierra Vista, AZ, March 27-28, 2009.
- Selected Presenter, "The Fourth Wall: The Academy in the Community," with Alberto Ríos, Cynthia Hogue, Sean Nevin and Sheila Britton, AWP Writers Conference, Chicago, IL, February 11-14, 2009.
- Invited Writer, Kalam: Margins Write, Calcutta, India, January 2009.

- Invited Writer, STOP (Stop Trafficking and Oppression of Women and Children), New Delhi, India, January 2009.
- Invited Writer, Women for World Health medical mission to Ecuador, invited by Dr. Denise Cucurny, Cal State Long Beach, President of Women for World Health, November 13-23, 2008.
- Invited Speaker, "Children Writing from the Margins," Writing and Wellness Conference, Mercer University, Atlanta, GA, October 10-11, 2008.
- Invited Speaker, Young Adult Writing Project (YAWP), Director, Plyn Gutman. Department of English, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, June 25, 2008.
- Invited Speaker, 2008 Spring Humanities Series, Columbia Gorge Community College, The Dalles, OR, April 9, 2008.
- Invited Faculty, panel, "Art Matters: The Arts as a Form of Political Engagement and Social Responsibility," roundtable with Kate Gale, Eloise Klein Healy, Terry Hummer, Drew Matott, Drew Cameron, Alberto Ríos, and Peggy Shumaker, part of "Warrior Poets & Papermakers" events. Piper Writers House, ASU, Tempe, AZ, March 19, 2008.
- Invited Faculty, panel, "Writing and Social Activism" with Lee Gutkind and Carolyn Forché. Desert Nights, Rising Stars ASU Writer's Conference, Tempe, AZ, February 21, 2008.
- Keynote Speaker, on work with the Daywalka Foundation's Kalam Margins Write project in Kolkata, India. "In the Spirit of Mater" Alumni Brunch, Feast of St. Madeleine Sophie, Convent of the Sacred Heart High School, Atherton, CA, October 20, 2007.
- Invited Lecturer, ASU Prison Library and Education Project's Guest Lecture Series. GEO Central Arizona Correctional Facility, Florence, AZ, April 27, 2007.
- Keynote Speaker, talk title: "Passion and Creation, Joy and Service," Jess Schwartz Jewish Community High School (JSJCHS), Paradise Valley, Celebration of Writing Week, February 15, 2007.
- Invited Speaker, Cameron University, Lawton OK, February 9, 2007.
- Invited Faculty, Pocket Sanctuary Writer's Retreat, Kenyon Ranch, Tumacacori, AZ, October 21, 2006.
- Invited Panelist, Slavery and Anti-Slavery: New Research and Teaching Workshop, The Antislavery Literature Project and the ASU Institute for Humanities Research; professor Joe Lockard, workshop coordinator. "Poetry, Slavery and Human Trafficking in India," October 13, 2006.
- Guest Speaker, Professional Writers of Prescott Writing Workshop, Sharlot Hall Museum Book Fair, Prescott, AZ, September 16, 2006.
- Invited Faculty, Craft Talk and Workshop, MA Writing in Consciousness Program, New College of California, San Francisco, CA, June 17, 2006.
- Invited Faculty, Hassayampa Institute for Creative Writing, Prescott, AZ, July 2005.
- Invited Faculty, along with Bob Mittelstadt and Robert Ashcraft, to attend ASU President Michael Crow's "Getaway Weekend," Calistoga Ranch, Napa, CA, May 5-8, 2005.
- Invited Speaker, Sedona Welcomers, Hilton Hotel, Sedona, AZ, April 27, 2005.
- Invited Speaker, Northern Arizona Book Festival, Flagstaff, AZ, April 15-17, 2005.
- Panelist, "Women and Obsession in the 21st Century," AWP Conference, Vancouver, Canada March 2005.
- Invited Faculty, ASU Writer's Conference, Phoenix, AZ, March 2005.
- Invited Author, Phoenix Book Club, Phoenix, AZ, August 29, 2004.
- Invited Speaker, The Unexplainable series, "Ghostly Voices in Fiction," Glendale Public Library, Glendale, AZ, August 26, 2004.
- Opening Remarks, Desert Nights, Rising Stars, Arizona State University Writing Conference, March 11-13, 2004, Tempe, AZ.

- Faculty Lecturer, Spalding University Brief Residency M.F.A. Program. Louisville, KY. October 2001, May 2002, October 2002, May 2003.
- Opening Remarks, Desert Nights, Rising Stars, Arizona State University Writing Conference, March 13-15, 2003, Tempe, AZ.
- Invited Speaker, Good Thunder Reading Series, Minnesota State University, Mankato, MN. November 2001.
- The Alaska Literary Trails Project, Workshops (April 1999):
 - Glenallen, AK, 8 April 1999, Prince William Sound Community College.
 - Tok, AK, 10 April 1999, Frozen Ink Writer's Group.
 - Juneau, AK, 14 April 1999, Juneau Arts and Humanities Council.
 - Sitka, AK, 15 April 1999, The Island Institute.
 - Ketchikan, AK, 17 April 1999, Ketchikan Arts and Humanities Council.
- Invited speaker, Phoenix College, in conjunction with Maricopa County Superior Court, Phoenix, AZ; "Changing Women's Lives" (October 22, 1998).
- Invited Speaker, Kemper Open Golf Tournament, The Ritz Carlton Hotel, Washington D.C. (June 6, 1998).
- Invited Classroom Speaker, Phoenix College, in conjunction with Maricopa Superior Court, Phoenix, AZ; "Changing Women's Lives" (November 6 & 20).
- National League of American Pen Women, Scottsdale, AZ; Invited Lecture and Reading (November 12, 1997).
- Invited Speaker, Arizona Women's Political Caucus; Phoenix, AZ (September 25, 1997).
- Spirit of the Senses, Artistic and Literary Salons, Scottsdale, AZ "Authenticity" with Richard Nilsen, Arts Critic and Columnist for *The Arizona Republic* (June 1, 1996).
- Keynote Speaker, Dynamic Conference Presentations, "Freeing the Feminine Spirit" Long Beach, CA (March 16, 1996).
- The Center for American Studies, Rome, Italy, invited lecturer, "From the Deep South to the Desert South," presented as part of an annual seminar on North American literature (May 1995).
- The Fifth Claudia Ortese Memorial Lecture, University of Florence, Italy (May 1995).
- Vermont College, Montpelier, Vermont, "The Ethics of Fiction: The Courage to Make a Clean Breast of It in the Face of Every Question" (January 1995).
- AWP Annual Conference: Literary Magazine/Small Press Conference, as Editor of *StoryQuarterly*, "Inventing Geography, Literary Magazines and the Worlds They Create" (1994).
- Keynote Speaker, Santa Fe Community College Writers' Conference, Santa Fe, NM, "Spirit and Vision" (1992).
- Seminar sponsored by Recursos de Santa Fe; lecture on Willa Cather, D.H. Lawrence Ranch, "Women Who Rode Away, New Lives in the American Southwest" (1992).
- Smithsonian Program, Galisteo, NM, Talk and related reading "Women of the West" (1992).

COURSES TAUGHT AT ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY

- 2009: English 411, and English 498 (Capstone—Poetics of Bearing Witness) with Professor Cynthia Hogue, Spring 2009
- 2008: English 495 and English 498, Fall, 2008
English 210 and English 663, Spring 2008
- 2007: Sabbatical Leave, Fall 2007
English 580, English 210C/D/K, English 593, & English 594B, Spring 2007
- 2006: English 411/505, & English 580, Fall 2006

- English 590, English 210, & English 580, Spring 2006
- 2005: English 310 & English 591 (Fiction as Witness) Fall 2005
English 591 & English 494 (Poetics of Bearing Witness) Spring 2005
- 2004: Creative Writing Course, Warwick University, London, England. Virginia G. Piper
Center for Creative Writing International Writer's Exchange Program (Fall 2004)
- 2004: English 394 (ST: The Creative Writer [Creative Writing and Book Arts]), with Dr.
Karla Elling. Florence, Italy: ASU International Study Abroad Program, Summer 2004
- 2004: English 411, Spring 2004
- 2003: English 598 (ST: The Long Short Story) Fall, 2003
- 2003: English 210 Pedagogy Forum, Spring 2003
- 2002: English 310, Fall 2002
- 2002: Leave of Absence, Spring 2002
- 2001: English 310, English 594, Fall 2001
- 2000: English 594, English 210
- 2000: English 598 (ST: Forms of Fiction) and English 210, Spring 2000
- 1999: English 598 (ST: Gothic Fiction) and English 310, Fall '99
- 1998: English 411 and English 598 (ST: Forms of Fiction) Spring '98.
- 1997: English 411 and English 598 (ST: The Long Short Story) Fall 97
English 310 (honors) & English 598 (ST: The Erotic Image) Spring 97
- 1996: English 310 (honors) & English 598, Fall 96
English 310 & English 598 (ST: Myth in Fiction) Spring 96
- 1995: English 411 & English 598 (ST: Forms of Fiction) Fall 95
English 310 & English 598 (ST: The Long Short Story) Spring 95
- 1994: English 310 & English 598 (Fall); English 210 (Summer Session); English 411/598 &
English 594 (Spring)
- 1993: English 411/598 & English 310 (Fall); English 594 & English 411/598 (Spring).
- 1992: English 598 & Forms of Fiction (Fall).

PRACTICA, READINGS AND CONFERENCES, INDEPENDENT STUDIES

During the four semesters I served as a Visiting Professor at Arizona State University, from the fall of 1992 until the spring of 1994, I conducted approximately seventeen practica. I have begun keeping official records since my appointment as an Assistant Professor beginning in the fall of 1994.

Committee:

Catherine Bates (graduating Spring 2009)
Mike Rock (graduating Spring 2009)
Venita Blackburn (graduated Spring 2008)
Robbie Taylor (graduated Spring 2008)
Aimee Baker (graduated Spring 2008)
Max Doty (graduated Fall 2007)
Michael Green (graduated Fall 2007)
Jeffrey Baker (graduated)
Beth Staples (graduated Fall 2007)
Dinh Vong (graduating Spring 2008)
Liz Wimberly (graduating Spring 2008)
Jake Young (graduated Fall 2007)
Christopher Weaver (graduated)
Isaac Wilson (graduated Spring 2007)
Sean McCormick (graduated)

Josh Owen (graduated)
Veronica Lucero (graduated Fall 2006)
Soren Palmer (graduated Fall 2006)
Pat Hays (graduated Spring 2006)
Elaine Ferrugia (graduated Spring 2006)
Liz Weld (graduated Spring 2006)
Nina Sabolik (graduated Spring 2006)
Catherine Cortese (graduated Spring 2006)
Christopher Weaver (graduated Spring 2006)
Lena Rosenfield (graduated Spring 2006)
Bill Konigsberg (graduated Fall 2005)
Eric Day (graduated Spring 2005)
Marion Crotty (graduated Spring 2005)
Julie Hampton (graduated Spring 2005)
Chris Becker (graduated Spring 2005)
Bonnie Nadzam (graduated Spring 2004)
Amy Miller (graduated Spring 2004)
Josie Milliken (graduated Spring 2004)
Balbir Backhaus (graduated Fall 2003)
Stephanie Wheeler (graduated Fall 2003)
Catherine Rezza (graduated Fall 2003)
Andrea Avery (graduated Spring 2003)
Alana Brussin (graduated Fall 2003)
Jennifer Spiegel (graduated Spring 2003)

Committee Chair:

Matthew Brennan (Spring 2010)
Want Chyi (Spring 2009)
Bojan Louis (Spring 2009)
Dinh Vong (Spring 2008)
Darcy Courteau (Spring 2007)
Caitlin Horrocks (Spring 2007)
Soren Palmer (Fall 2006)
Molly Meneely (Fall 2006)
Kriste Peoples (Spring 2006)
Elaine Ferrugia (Spring 2006)
Michelle Iwen (Spring 2006)
Josie Millikin (Spring 2004)
Balbir Backhaus (Fall 2003)

2009 Practica:

Brian Lee (Spring 2009)
Bojan Louis (Spring 2009)

2008 Practica:

Matthew Brennan (Fall 2008)
Want Chyi (Fall 2008)
Elizabeth Wimberly (Spring 2008)
Dinh Vong (Spring 2008)
Bojan Lewis (Spring 2008)
Mike Rock (Spring 2008)
Catherine Bates (Spring 2008)

2007 Practica:

Michael Green (Spring 2007)
Caitlin Horrocks (Spring 2007)
Dinh Vong (Spring 2007)
Beth Staples (Spring 2007)
Liz Wimberly (Spring 2007)

2006 Reading & Conference:

Lena Rosenfield (Spring 2006)
Molly Meneely (Spring 2006)

2006 Practica:

Max Doty (Fall 2006)
Soren Palmer (Fall 2006)
Aimee Baker (Fall 2006)
Veronica Lucero (Fall 2006)
Robbie Taylor (Fall 2006)
Lena Rosenfield (Spring 2006)
Liz Weld (Spring 2006)
Kriste Peoples (Spring 2006)
Isaac Wilson (Spring 2006)

2005 Reading & Conference:

Renee Simms (Spring 2005)
Kriste Peoples (Spring 2005)

2005 Practica:

Chris Weaver (Spring 2005)
Pat Hays (Spring 2005)
Soren Palmer (Spring 2005)
Elaine Ferrugia (Spring 2005)
Bill Konigsberg (Spring 2005)

2004 Practica:

Patricia Hays (Fall 2004)
Bill Konigsberg (Fall 2004)
Soren Palmer (Fall 2004)
Elizabeth Weld (Fall 2004)
Eric Day (Spring 2004)
Sean McCormick (Spring 2004)
Amy Miller (Spring 2004)
Chris Becker (Spring 2004)
Chris Weaver (Spring 2004)

2003 Practica:

Josie Millikin (Fall 2003)
Bonnie Nadzam (Fall 2003)
Peggy Wallace (Fall 2003)
Marian Crotty (Fall 2003)
Kyla Foutch (Fall 2003)
Stephanie Wheeler (Fall 2003)

Julie Hampton (Spring 2003)
Alana Brussin (Spring 2003)

2002 Practica:

Balbir Backhaus (Fall 2002)

2001 Practica:

Julie Hensley (Spring 2001)
Andrea Avery (Fall 2001)
Jennifer Speigeol (Fall 2001)

2000:

Reading and Conference: Sanderia Smith (Fall 2000)
Reading and Conference: Michael Guerra (Fall 2000)
Chair and Practicum: Tim Hohmann (Fall 2000)
Chair and Practicum: Wendy King (Fall 2000)
Practicum: Julie Hensley (Fall 2000)
Chair and Practicum: Elissa Minor Rust (grad. Spring 2000)
Chair and Practicum: Sara Trudell (grad. Spring 2000)
Committee and Practicum: Jamie Rose (Spring 2000)
Chair and Practicum: Andrea Foege (Spring 2000)
Committee and Practicum: Boyd Jordan (Spring 2000)
Chair and Practicum: Lynn Sokei (Spring 2000)
Chair and Practicum: Wendy King
Committee and Practicum: Melissa Hill
Committee and Practicum: Laurel Haines

1999:

Chair and Practicum: Lynn Sokei (Fall 1999)
Practicum: Elissa Minor (Fall 1999)
Chair and Practicum: Sara Trudell (Fall 1999)
Chair and Practicum: Tim Hohmann (Fall 1999)
Practicum: Jamie Rose (Fall 1999)
Chair and Practicum: Deborah Ackerman
Committee and Practicum: Matt Golsinsky

1998:

Practicum: Chris Garifo (Spring 1998)
Chair and Practicum: Melissa Olson (Spring 1998)
Chair and Practicum: Bob Nelson (Spring 1998)
Chair and Practicum: Deborah Ackerman (Spring 1998)
Chair and Practicum: Sean Layton (Spring 1998)

1997:

Practicum: Eddie Webb (Fall 1997)
Practicum: Claudia Noguiera (Fall 1997)
Practicum: Melissa Olson (Fall 1997)
Practicum: Sean Layton (Fall 1997)
Practicum: Papatya Bucak (Fall 1997)
Practicum: Mary Kenagy (Fall 1997)
Chair and Practicum: Allyson Stack (Spring 1997)

Practicum: John Dahlberg (Spring 1997)
Chair and Practicum: Kevin Haworth (Spring 1997)
Practicum: Eddie Webb (Spring 1997)
Practicum: Bob Nelson (Spring 1997)
Practicum: Melissa Olson (Spring 1997)
Practicum: Verannia White (Spring 1997)
Independent Studies: Teague Bohlen (Spring 1997)
Independent Studies: Connie McGovern (Spring 1997)

1996:

Independent Studies: Connie McGovern (Fall 1996)
Practicum: Chris Melka (Fall 1996)
Practicum: Teague von Bohlen (Fall 1996)
Practicum: Sean Layton (Fall 1996)
Chair and Practicum: Eric Chilton (Fall 1996)
Practicum: Jim Lyddane (Spring 1996)
Practicum: Connie McGovern (Spring 1996)
Chair and Practicum: Tom Legendre (Spring 1996)
Practicum: Susan McMonagle (Spring 1996)
Chair and Practicum: Valerie Jeremijenko (Spring 1996)
Chair and Practicum: Mat Coffey (Spring 96)
Chair and Practicum: P. Sandee Freeman (1 credit, Spring 1996)
Practicum: Chris Alberg (Spring 1996)

1995:

Practicum: Amy Sage Webb (Fall 1995)
Practicum: Eric Chilton (Fall 1995)
Practicum: John Dahlberg (Fall 1995)
Practicum: Chris McCloud (Fall 1995)
Practicum: Teague Von Bolen (Fall 1995)
Practicum: Jim Lyddane (Spring 1995)
Practicum: Mathew Baker (Spring 1995)
Practicum: Valerie Jeremijenko (Spring 1995)
Practicum: Tim Schell (Spring 1995)
Reading and Conference: Jim Lyddane (Spring 1995)
Reading and Conference: Matt Coffey (Spring 1995)
Independent Studies: Kelly Truit (Spring 1995)
Independent Studies: Deborah Partington (Spring 1995)

1994:

Practicum: Tom Legendre (Fall 1994)
Practicum: Sandee Freeman (Fall 1994)
Practicum: Genevieve Hangen (Fall 1994)
Practicum: Mathew Baker (Fall 1994)
Reading and Conference: Valerie Jeremijenko (Fall 1994)
Reading and Conference: Amy Sage Webb (Fall 1994)

M.F.A. COMMITTEE SERVICE

The following are records kept only as I have begun my appointment as Assistant Professor in the fall of

1994. During the spring of 1994, I chaired a committee for Jill Richards Young, and prior to that served on various others: Deneen Jenkins, Linda Swenson, Jeff Martin, and Mark Wasserman among them. I conducted approximately seventeen practica during the four semesters I was a Visiting Professor at ASU from Fall 1992 until Spring 1994.

Chaired Committees for:

Julie Hensley (grad. 2001)
Tim Hohmann (grad. 2000)
Wayne Dixon
Melissa Olson (grad. 1998)
Robert Nelson (grad. 2000)
Patricia Hays
Deborah Ackerman (grad. 2000)
Sean Layton (grad. 1998)
Sarah Trudell (grad. 2000)
Lynn Sokei (grad. 2000)
Wendy King (grad. 2000)
Andrea Foege (grad. 2000)

On Additional Committees for:

Sanderia Smith (grad. 2001)
Boyd Jordan (grad 2001)
Eddie Webb (grad. 1999)
Laurel Haines
John Dahlberg (grad. 1998)
Claudia Noguiera (grad. 1999)
Papatya Bucak
Mary Kenagy
Chris Garifo (grad. 1999)
Matt Golisinski
Varania White (grad. 1998)

OTHER STUDENT COMMITTEES, MENTORSHIPS

- English Honors Thesis Committee Member, Melissa Tse (Spring 2009).
- Honors Contracts, English 411, two students (Spring 2009).
- Mentor, PhD student Melissa Walker, Music. Traveled to India (Calcutta and Delhi) with her for thesis project setting poetry written by children rescued from human trafficking to composed music and song cycle, with composer Dr. Gerard Yun (January 2009).
- Honors Contracts, English 411, two students (Fall 2008).
- English Honors Thesis Committee Member, Melissa Mapes (Fall 2008).
- English Honors Thesis Committee Member, Danielle Mallon (Fall 2008).
- Honors Contracts, English 495, two students (Fall 2008).
- Honors Thesis Reader, Kelsey Dimberg (Spring 2008).
- Honors Thesis Reader, Sarah Lowe (Spring 2008).
- Honors Contracts, English 210: four students (Spring 2008).
- English Honors Thesis Committee Member, Sarah Lowe (Spring 2008).
- English Honors Thesis Committee Member, Kelsey Dimberg (Spring 2008).
- Supervise Independent Study, Michael Green (2007).

- MFA Mentor, Soren Palmer and Todd Kaneko (2004-2005).
- MFA Mentor, Soren Palmer and Christopher Weaver (2003-2004).
- English Honors Thesis Committee Member, Michael Slenske (Fall 2000).
- English Honors Thesis Committee Member, Matt Ellsworth (1997-1998).
- English Honors Thesis Committee Member, David Ramirez (1996-1997).
- English Honors Thesis Committee Member, Mary Beth Mallory (1995-1996).
- Thesis Committee Member, Roberta Clay, Architecture (1995).
- TA Mentor, Connie McGovern (1995).
- TA Mentor, Allyson Stack and Mathew Baker (Spring 1996).

UNIVERSITY SERVICE, DEPARTMENTAL LEVEL

- Editor and Chair, English Department Newsletter Committee (Spring 2009, Fall 2008, Spring 2008, Spring 2007, Fall 2006).
- Chair, English Department Research, Creative Activities and Social Committee (2005-2006).
- SORC Faculty Advisor, student Creative Writing Club; president Bryon Meyerowitz (Spring 2004).
- Awards Committee (Fall 2003).
- Graduate Committee (Fall 2002, Spring 2003, Fall 2003, Spring 2004).
- Administrative Affairs Committee (Fall 2002, Spring 2003, Fall 2003, Spring 2004).
- Director, Creative Writing Program. Arizona State University (Fall 2002-Spring 2004).
- Research and Creative Activities Committee (Fall & Spring 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004).
- Social Committee (Fall 1997-98).
- Brown Bag Series, with Jewell Parker Rhodes (April 17, 1997).
- Gateway Course Subcommittee, Creative Writing Program Representative (1996-1997).
- Curriculum Revision Committee, Creative Writing Program Representative (1996-1998).
- Senior Reception, English Department, May 9, 1996; Colloquium Reading with Jeannine Savard Dubie.
- Research and Creative Activities Committee (1995-96).
- CLAS First Year Seminar, LIA 191 (Discovery Tour: Campus Treasures), Section Leader (Fall 1995).
- Undergraduate Curriculum Review Committee, two weeks duration, seven member committee, Creative Writing Program Representative (July 1995).
- Research and Creative Activities Committee (1994-1995).
 - Prepared for colloquium given by Dawn Bates (Fall 1995).
 - Involved in various aspects of planning and preparation for: Fletcher Lecture, Pew.
- Lectures, Colloquium for Skip Brack, Two Senior Teas (1994-1995).

UNIVERSITY SERVICE, CREATIVE WRITING PROGRAM

- MFA Admissions Committee (Spring 2009).
- Director, Community Outreach Project, Phoenix Children's Hospital (Fall 2008-Spring 2009).
- Member, Search Committee, Fiction Senior Hire, with Jay Boyer and Mike McNally (Spring 2008).
- Member, MFA Admissions Committee, with Mike McNally (Spring 2008).

- Director, Community Outreach Project, Phoenix Children’s Hospital, with graduate students Fernando Perez, Catherine Bates, Ari Sen, Brian Lee, Clinton Monson, and Rachael Malis. Project contacts at PCH: Rachael Lyddon and Jamie Hammonds, Volunteer Services Coordinator (Spring 2008).
- Chair, MFA Admissions Committee (Spring 2007, Spring 2008).
- Member, Creative Writing Search Committee (Spring 2007).
- Sanskriti Foundation, Delhi, India, as faculty accompanying MFA graduate students, January 1-14, 2007.
- Daywalka Foundation, “Kalam: Margins Write,” outreach work, January, 2007.
- Host, (my home), MFA Opening Year Party, August 26, 2006.
- Phoenix Children’s Hospital, Outreach Project with Creative Writing Program, with Sean Nevin, Fall 2006.
- Host (my home), Reception for Terry Hummer, new Director of Creative Writing Program, and MFA Student Salon Reading (April 8, 2006).
- Chair, Creative Writing Program sub-committee to redefine program's vision of itself, 2005-2006.
- Host (my home), Hurricane Benefit Reading, benefit for survivors of Hurricane Katrina, New Orleans theme, food, music, poetry by ASU Creative Writing students (September 23, 2005).
- Nominated two MFA graduate student stories for *Best New American Voices 2007*, Harcourt Brace/Javonovich.
- Creative Writing and Book Arts course, team taught with Dr. Karla Elling, Florence, Italy, in conjunction with ASU’s International Study Abroad Program, June-July 2004.
- Established Outreach Program with the Lost Boys of Sudan, Lost Boys Center, Phoenix, AZ, 2004.
- Nominated two MFA graduate student stories for *Best New American Voices 2006*, Harcourt, Brace/Javonovich.
- Director, Creative Writing Program, Fall 2002-Spring 2004.
- Faculty Organizer and Liason, *Scribner's Best of the M.F.A. Programs Anthology* (1994-present).
- Advisory Editor, *Haydens Ferry Review* (1994-2001).
- Arizona Minority Graduate Education Forum, representative for Creative Writing Program (April 1, 1995).
- Committee Member, Creative Writing Admissions (1994-present).
- Committee Chair, Comprehensive Examinations, Fiction (1994-present).
- Committee Chair, Comprehensive Reading Lists, Fiction (1994-1996).

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Honorary Board Member, Word Theatre, Los Angeles, New York, and London. Cedering Fox, Director (2006-present).
- Advisory Board Member, The Lost Boys Center, Phoenix, AZ (2006-present).
- Member, The Associated Writing Programs, ongoing.
- Executive Board Member, The Daywalka Foundation, Christopher Carey, Executive Director (2005-2009).
- Member, Futures for the Children, Sponsor for Sheena Lue Begay, Chinle, AZ (1999-2000).
- Member, The Island Institute, Sitka, AK.
- Co-Director, The Native American Circle, Enid, OK (1997-1999).

CREDENTIALS

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