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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. Cultural Anthropology** **2006**
Syracuse University, Maxwell School of Citizenship & Public Affairs, Syracuse, New York
Dissertation Title: "WIC and its Metaphors: Urban Risk, Motherhood, and the Strategic Use of a Public Health Program"
- M.A. Cultural Anthropology** **1998**
Syracuse University, Maxwell School of Citizenship & Public Affairs, Syracuse, New York
Master's Thesis: "A Room Without A View: Breastfeeding Discourses and Irish Women's Changing World"
- Syracuse University Women's Studies Program** **1998**
Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY
Graduate Certificate in Women's Studies
- B.A. Anthropology (Magna cum laude)** **1990**
State University of New York at Oswego, Oswego, New York
Minor Study: French

ADDITIONAL TRAINING & EDUCATION

- Fire Academy** **Sept 2015-Dec 2015**
Fire Service Training Program, Fire District 4, Walla Walla, WA
- Emergency Medical Technician (NREMT)** **June 2014**
National Registry Certification
- Emergency Medical Technician Program** **April 2014-June 2014**
Walla Walla Community College, Walla Walla, WA
- CIE Fulbright Scholarship Program** **Aug-Dec 2010**
J. William Fulbright/McMaster University, Toronto, Ontario, Canada
US-Canada Fulbright Distinguished Scholars Program, Visiting Canadian Research Chair, McMaster University, Institute of Environment and Health
Project Title: "'Symptoms of Canada': Cultural Identity, unexplained syndromes, and uses of complementary and alternative medicine in Canada"
- Certificate in University Teaching** **2006**
Future Professoriate Program, Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York

Association for Teachers of Preventive Medicine**June 2000-Feb 2001**

University of Rochester, Division of Public Health Practice, Department of Community and Preventive Medicine, Rochester, NY

CDC-ATPM Grant: "MACH 2010"

Maternal and Child Health Analytic Training for 8-month informatics capacity building among agency-level and county-level staff in New York State

Intensive Spanish Language Training**Aug-Oct 1999**

Centro de Estudios Interamericanos (CEDEI), Cuenca, Ecuador

Epidemiology Training Course**1997**

Rollins School of Public Health, Emory University/Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, Georgia

Certificate in French**1988**

Université de Neuchatel, Neuchatel, Switzerland

FIELDWORK LOCATIONS*

United States, Canada, Ireland, Ecuador, Costa Rica, and St John Island

*With the exception of research on St John Island, which was an archaeological excavation of a marooned slave settlement in the Caribbean, all fieldwork has been ethnographic.

GRANTS & PARTNERSHIPS

CIE Fulbright Scholarship Program (2010)

US-Canada Fulbright Distinguished Scholars Program, Visiting Canadian Research Chair, McMaster University, Institute of Environment and Health

CDC State and Regional AIDSNet Planning Groups (2003-2007)

Member and Community Co-Chair, Washington State

Health Resources and Services Administration (2002-2003)

Smoking Cessation Intervention Project

Institute for Health Services Research and Policy, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago

CDC-Association for Teachers of Preventive Medicine Grant, "MACH 2010" (2000-2001)

University of Rochester Department of Community and Preventive Medicine, Division of Public Health Practice

National Institutes of Health (2000)

Costa Rica-U.S. Training Program in Community Health Informatics ("InfoComm")

University of Rochester Department of Community and Preventive Medicine, Division of Public Health Practice

Burroughs Wellcome Fund Travel Grant (2000)

Rochester-Belfast Maternal and Child Health Research Collaborative (RB-MCHC). Belfast, N. Ireland

Global Political Economy Research Consortium Grant (1999)

Global Affairs Institute, Syracuse University

“Transnational Parenting, Remittances, and Household Consumption: A Survey of High School Students in an Ecuadorian Migrant Sending Community.” Bayendel, Central Andes, Ecuador

Health Resources and Services Administration (1997-1999)

Syracuse Healthy Start

Onondaga County Health Department, Syracuse, NY

SCHOLARLY INTERESTS & EXPERIENCE

Medical Anthropology, Patient Experience, Health Disparities, Health Services Research and Program Evaluation Studies, Grant Writing and Reporting, Complementary, Alternative and Integrative Medicine, Community Acupuncture and Social Movements, Chronic Illness and Trauma-informed Care, HIV/AIDS, Smoking Cessation, Infant Mortality, Harm Reduction, Ethnographic Film Production, Ethnographic Methods, Ethics and Intercultural Competency Training

EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor of Anthropology & Gender Studies

2014-

present

Chair, Department of Anthropology

Whitman College. Walla Walla, WA

Full time faculty member, responsible for course instruction in medical anthropology (health ecosystems, health disparities, patient experience), cultural anthropology, qualitative research (research design, ethics, data management), gender studies, urban studies, and race and ethnic studies. Serve as Chair of Anthropology and Director of Gender Studies on a regular, rotating basis. Maintain active research, consulting, and program evaluation projects in the areas of chronic disease, integrative medicine, homelessness and arrest diversion, acupuncture, and virtual health networks.

Assistant Professor of Anthropology & Interdisciplinary Studies

2008-2014

Director, Gender Studies Program

Whitman College, Walla Walla, WA

Fulbright-McMaster University Visiting Research Chair

Aug-Dec

2010

Institute of Environment and Health. McMaster University. Hamilton, ON

Project Title: “Symptoms of Canada?: Cultural identity, unexplained syndromes, and uses of complementary and alternative medicine in Canada.”

Principle investigator of a qualitative study in Toronto, Ontario examining the integration of biomedical and complementary and alternative medicine in the diagnosis and treatment of chronic diseases.

Prevention Services Coordinator/Executive Director

Jul 2003-

Jul 2007

Blue Mountain Heart to Heart. Walla Walla, WA

Programs Manager and Executive Director of non-profit HIV/AIDS/Hep C services agency in southeastern Washington State funded through state Omnibus and federal Ryan White Program dollars. Responsible for grant writing, program evaluation and reporting, fiscal management, newsletter publishing, supervision of 5 staff members and 3-5 volunteers, working with a 12-member Board of Directors, participating in and assuming leadership positions on the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention State and Regional HIV/AIDS Planning Groups and Ryan White Program Consortium, coordinating and conducting HIV prevention education, Latino outreach, client advocacy (i.e., direct client services to persons living with HIV or AIDS), and HIV and Hepatitis C counseling and testing. Collaborated with state and national epidemiologists and public health administrators to link clients to medical, housing, legal, nutritional, and psychosocial services.

Visiting Research Scholar/Project Manager
Jun 2003

May 2002-

Institute for Health Services Research and Policy, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago

Project manager of a HRSA-funded smoking cessation intervention project in Chicago and across the state of Illinois. Responsible for data collection (qualitative and quantitative), analysis (using NVivo for qualitative data and SPSS and SAS for quantitative data), and reporting. Supervised four MPH research assistants and traveled across the state to coordinate project activities with directors of maternal and child health clinics.

Research Associate
2000

Mar 1998-Oct

University of Rochester Department of Community and Preventive Medicine, Division of Public Health Practice

Evaluator of the Syracuse Healthy Start Project (a HRSA-funded infant mortality prevention program). **Ethnographer** for the LINCOS Project, a coordinated effort with MIT, the Technical Institute of Costa Rica, and the Organization for Sustainable Development of Costa Rica to introduce computer technologies and telemedicine sites throughout Costa Rica. **Project assistant** to a **CDC/ATPM-funded Maternal and Child Health Analytic Training Program** (8-month-long Internet-based distance learning program) for New York State public health and community agency staff. **Project assistant** to a NIH-funded, Costa Rica–U.S. Training Program in Community Health Informatics (“InfoComm”). **Focus group analyst** on two projects sponsored by the Monroe County Department of Social Services: 1) Child Abuse/Child Neglect Formative Research Initiative; and, 2) WIC Program Assessment. Participated in focus group protocol development, focus group administration, and focus group analysis.

Graduate Fellow

Oct 1997-Feb 1999

Onondaga County Health Department, Syracuse, NY

Assistant to the Project Director for the Syracuse Healthy Start Program, HRSA-funded infant mortality prevention project. Coordinated in-service education to area providers on breastfeeding, smoking cessation, and low literacy. Organized a community education and counselor training program on breastfeeding, taught breastfeeding awareness seminars for healthcare providers, and created a Syracuse University-community forum on breastfeeding. Collaborated with local United Way’s Success By Six Program to prepare SIDS prevention campaign. Prepared infant death reports for the County Child Death Review Board and co-wrote a social risk screening tool to be used by public health nurses during home visits with pregnant and post partum women. Concurrent with my

direct work on the infant mortality prevention project I conducted research for my dissertation: “WIC and its Metaphors: Urban Risk, Motherhood, and the Strategic Use of a Public Health Program.”

Graduate Assistant

1999 and 2001

Global Affairs Institute, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University

Worked with a multidisciplinary team to develop a program of study in gender and globalization. Conducted a 3-month study of a migrant sending community in southern Ecuador. Assisted in the development and writing of a grant proposal to the Rockefeller Foundation Humanities Fellowship Program.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Visiting Assistant Professor of Medical Anthropology

Jan-May 2008

Cornell University, Ithaca, NY

Hired as a sabbatical replacement, I designed and taught two courses that fulfilled Cornell Anthropology Department's commitment to the University Writing Program (i.e., both courses were writing intensive). The first course was an upper-division class in medical anthropology in which most students were health sciences (e.g., pre-med) majors, “Medicine, Culture, and Society.” The “medicalization of life” theme that characterized the course reflected my own studies of how local health perceptions and practices reflect larger issues of social change and structure cross culturally. The second course was a Freshman Writing Seminar, “Culture and AIDS,” which explored the politics of HIV/AIDS over time and space through public discourse (e.g., discourses of fear, historically-based metaphors, social activism, and media coverage), medical literature and clinical studies, studies of stigma and political violence in areas of high disease rates, and prevention campaigns. Focus was on the evolution of global perceptions about HIV transmission, risk factors, and experiences of living with HIV/AIDS. Students worked through memoir, ethnography, news media, and public health/medical journal writings that traverse the 25-year+ history of the virus to represent modernity, authoritative knowledge and a driving force behind individual and group decision making.

***Summer Field School Director, “Whitman in the Andes”
& 2009***

Summer 2008

Cañar, Ecuador

Co-director of a 7-week field-based study abroad, where students lived and conducted ethnographic research in indigenous communities of the south-central Ecuadorian Andes. Students lived with Cañari host families in small hamlets dotting the town of Cañar (population 5,000), dividing their time between classroom instruction in ethnographic field methods and Andean society and culture, and the execution of individual research projects. Early in the program students selected topics for their research projects (under a general theme of “health, development, and migration”). In addition to readings, discussion, and a number of small methods assignments, each student wrote a 20-25-page ethnographic report detailing their research findings once back in the U.S.

Adjunct Assistant Professor of Anthropology & Gender Studies

Fall 2004-Fall 2007

Research Associate, Department of Anthropology

Whitman College, Walla Walla, WA

Duties included teaching 3 courses in anthropology, gender studies, and general studies. In addition to coursework, I was available to advise anthropology and gender studies majors who were developing senior thesis projects. During my appointment I served on a committee to examine the

makeup and evolution of “non-traditional” teaching positions at the College. I received internal support from the College to hire student collaborators on my film project: “From Our Strength: Birth and Indigenous Politics in Cañar, Ecuador.” During the fall 2007 I designed, promoted, and recruited participants for the summer ethnographic fieldschool in Ecuador that was launched by Whitman in the summer of 2008.

Instructor of Anthropology *Fall 2006*
Walla Walla University, College Place, WA

Instructor of Anthropology & Women’s Studies *Fall 2003 & Fall 2007*
Walla Walla Community College, Walla Walla, WA

Instructor of Epidemiology *Fall 1998*
State University of New York Health Science Center, College of Health Professions, Syracuse, NY

Part-time Instructor of Anthropology & Teaching Associate *Spring 1995-Spring 2002*
Syracuse University, University College, Syracuse, NY

Teaching Awards:

George Ball Award for Excellence in Advising, Spring 2017. Whitman College.

Outstanding Teaching Associate, Spring 1997. Graduate School, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY.

PUBLICATIONS

Morrissey, SE and Haggmann, O. 2020. Social Justice, Trauma-Informed Care, and “Liberation Acupuncture”: exploring the activism of the Peoples Organization of Community Acupuncture. In Willow, Anna and Kelly Yotebieng, editors. *Anthropology OF/AS/AND Activism: New Contexts, New Conversations*. Routledge Press.

Morrissey SE, Nyrop, K. and Lee, T. Landscapes of Loss and Recovery: The Anthropology of Police-Community Relations and Harm Reduction. *Human Organization*. 2019; 78(1): 28-42.

Morrissey SE. *Motherhood, Poverty, and the WIC Program in Urban America: Life Strategies*. 2016. Rowman & Littlefield Publishing Group, Lexington Books Politics and International Relations Series.
<https://rowman.com/ISBN/9780739189337/Motherhood-Poverty-and-the-WIC-Program-in-Urban-America-Life-Strategies>

Morrissey SE. 2015. Book Review, Living with Lupus: Women and Chronic Illness in Ecuador by Ann Miles (Austin: University of Texas Press, 2013). *American Anthropologist* 117(3): 614-15.

Morrissey SE, Keith P. *From Our Strength: Two Births and Indigenous Politics in Cañar, Ecuador* (DVD Run time: 37 min). Screenings of rough cut at Society for Applied Anthropology Meetings (Seattle, WA Mar 2011); Official Selection for Columbia Gorge International Film Festival (Vancouver, WA Aug 2011); LA Femme Film Festival (Beverly Hills, CA Oct 2011); Female Eye Film Festival (Toronto, ON Mar 2012); and, in final cut at Ethnografilm Festival (Paris, France 2014). Berkeley Media LLC; 2014 http://www.berkeleymedia.com/product/from_our_strength/

Trailer: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AUmpzp2hnHk>

Morrissey SE, Patzel M. Elusive Maladies: Finding Hope with Integrative Medicine in North America. *Anthropology News*. 2012 March; 53(3).

Morrissey SE. Finding Culture in Integrative Medicine: Ethnographic Research into the Uses of CAM Therapies for “Hard-to-diagnose” Illnesses. In: Verhoef MJ, Boon H, editors. Proceedings of the Sixth IN-CAM Research Symposium: Complementary and Integrative Health Care: Methodological, Theoretical and Practical Issues; 2010 Nov 20-22; Vancouver, BC. *Journal of Complementary and Integrative Medicine*. 2010; 7(1): Article 44.

Morrissey SE. Metaphors of Relief: High Risk Pregnancy in a Context of Health Policy for the “Undeserving” Poor. *Human Organization*. 2010; 69(4): 352-61.

Rubinstein RA, Scrimshaw S, Morrissey, SE. Classification and Process in Sociomedical Understanding: Toward a Multilevel View of Sociomedical Methodology. In: Albrecht G, Fitzpatrick R, Scrimshaw S, editors. *Handbook of Social Studies in Health and Medicine*. London: Sage; 2000. p. 36-49.

Dye T, Morrissey SE, Wojtowycz M, Quade J, Aubry R. Women’s willingness to share information and participate in prenatal care systems. Proceedings of the Society for Epidemiologic Research Annual Conference; Baltimore, MD. *American Journal of Epidemiology*. 1999; 149: S40.

Morrissey GR, Morrissey SE, inventors; Adapter for use with apparatus and method for controlling human lactation. United States patent: US 005732714A. 1998 Mar 31.

TECHNICAL REPORTS, PEER REVIEWS & PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Maternal and Child Health Journal article review, MACU-D-20-00228, December 20, 2020. “I told them they need to stop being ashamed and go to the doctor’: A qualitative study of knowledge, attitudes, beliefs, and practices regarding family planning in an urban, indigenous community of Guatemala.”

Zippia.com, “Experts Weigh In On Current Job Market Trends” (November 18, 2020).
<http://www.zippia.com/anthropologist-jobs/trends/>

American Anthropological Association, General Anthropology Division. Elected Officer, 4-year term, 2020-2024, Treasurer/Secretary.

Journal of Latin American and Caribbean Anthropology article review, JLACA-RA-Jun_2020-0044, Sept 2, 2020. “Voices of Kichwa Midwives and Patients in Ecuador: Barriers and Pathways to Culturally Appropriate Health Care.”

Social Currents article review, SCU-19-0064, Sept 5, 2019. “Barriers to Participation in the Women, Infants and Children (WIC) Program: A Synthesis of the Literature.”

Maternal and Child Health Journal article review, MACI-D-18-00320., Aug 11, 2018. “Intercultural childbirth: impact on the maternal health of the Ecuadorian Kichwa and mestizo people of the Otavalo region.”

Maternal and Child Health Journal article review, MACI-D-17-00533, July 31, 2018. “Barriers to Father Involvement During Infancy: Perspectives from Professionals Who Interact with Unmarried Co-parents.”

Morrissey, S. and students of Anthropology 304, The Anthropology of Complementary, Alternative and Integrative Medicine. “Complementary and Alternative Medicine in Walla Walla, WA: A Guide to Walla Walla’s CAM Providers and their Research.” July 20, 2018.

Maternal and Child Health Journal article review, MACI-D-16-00626, Feb 16, 2017. “Investigating first-time pregnant women’s motivation for planning vaginal delivery: A qualitative study.”

Maternal and Child Health Journal article review, MACI-D-15-00670, May 27, 2016. “Healthy Start: A Qualitative Study of Providers' Perspectives of Barriers to Valuable Case Management for Women at Risk for Perinatal Disparities.”

Canadian Scholars’ Press/Women’s Press book manuscript review, Dec 18, 2015. *Complementary and Alternative Medicine, Traditional Medicine, and Reproductive Health: Prospects and Challenges*.

Tenure case review for Kalamazoo College, October 22, 2015. Dr. Adriana Garriga-Lopez, Department of Anthropology.

Maternal and Child Health Journal article review, MACI-D-14-00587, June 4, 2015. “Evaluating Latino WIC Mothers’ Perceptions of Infants’ Healthy Growth: A Formative Assessment.”

Morrissey, S. and students of Anthropology 304, The Anthropology of Complementary, Alternative and Integrative Medicine. “Final Report for the Walla Walla VA Medical Center’s CAM Program.” May 2014.

Social Science & Medicine article review, SSM-D-13-02618R1, Jan 31, 2014. “The ‘gender puzzle’ of alternative medicine and holistic spirituality: Literature review.” Post-revisions re-review, Feb 28, 2014.

Human Organization article review, 1697-6321-1-RV, April 11, 2013. “Implementing Childhood Obesity Prevention Coalition in a Tribal Community in the Southwest.”

Maternal and Child Health Journal article review, MACI-2456R1, Jan 24, 2013. “Formative Research to Examine Collaboration Between Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children and Health Start Programs.”

Medical Anthropology Quarterly article review, MAQ-Jun-2-12-CAM-0002. July 14, 2012. “Beyond Patienthood: Integrative Medicine, Healing Environments and the Journey toward New Selfhood.”

Medical Anthropology Quarterly article review, MAQ-OA-0004, Jan 2011. “‘Pro-formula’ or ‘pro-breastfeeding’: the polarization of discourses on infant feeding in the context of HIV in Africa.”

Human Organization article review, 1483. September 29, 2010. “Action Anthropology and Pedagogy: University community collaborations in setting policy.”

Dye, T, Morrissey SE. Syracuse Healthy Start Annual Evaluation Report. Submitted to Project Directors, Onondaga County Health Department and the Health Resources and Services Administration; 1998, 1999, 2000; Syracuse, NY.

Dye T, Dozier A, Chin N, Morrissey SE, Hood K, Suter B, Duckett J. Monroe County Child Abuse/Child Neglect Formative Research Initiative Report. Submitted to the Monroe County Department of Social Services; 2000; Rochester, NY.

Dozier A, Chin N, Morrissey SE. Monroe County Health Department WIC Focus Group Report. Submitted to the Monroe County Health Department; 2000; Rochester, NY.

Dye T, Morrissey SE. Final Report: Proposal to Develop the Rochester-Belfast Maternal and Child Health Research Collaborative (RB-MCHC). Submitted to the Burroughs Wellcome Fund Travel Grant Program; May 2000; Rochester, NY.

Dye T, Goepp J, Fernandez D, Morrissey SE, et al. Report on the Rapid Ethnographic Assessment of rural Costa Rica. Submitted to the LINCOS Project, MIT and the Costa Rican Foundation for Sustainable Development; 1999; Rochester, NY.

PRESENTATIONS, INVITED TALKS, and CONFERENCES/INSTITUTES

Participation in **Evergreen College Enduring Legacies Project's Native Case Institute**, Squaxin Island Tribe's Little Creek Casino, June 18-19, 2019. The 14-year-old initiative is a curriculum development and dissemination project which is producing a significant body of cases (more than 100) focusing on contemporary Native American issues. Learning objectives of the Institute included:

- Understand what the Native Cases project is and the resources available
- Explore the educational rationale behind case-based learning.
- Explore different types of cases and teaching approaches
- Learn about considerations of incorporating indigenous knowledge into cases
- Experience doing cases from a student perspective
- Develop teaching and assessment approaches with cases

Morrissey, SE and Olivia Hagmann. Social Justice, Trauma-Informed Care, and "Liberation Acupuncture": Exploring the Activism of the Peoples Organization of Community Acupuncture in Portland, OR. Invited panel presentation, Anthropology OF/AS/AND Activism Invited Part I: Anthropology OF Activism (ExtrACTION & Environment TIG). **Proceedings of the Society for Applied Anthropology Meeting**; March 19-23, 2019; Portland, OR.

Participation in **Association of American Colleges & Universities Institute on General Education and Assessment**, University of Utah, June 5-8, 2018. A Whitman Team (made up of 4 faculty across the disciplines and our Provost and Dean of Faculty) attended the institute to emerge with some possible models for general education as well as tools for sharing model suggestions to our faculty. An additional goal was to identify how we might include a faculty development plan and an assessment plan in our proposal and expect to partner with our Center for Teaching and Learning to provide the necessary support for any new curriculum.

St John Fisher College, April 12-14, 2018

- Invited lecture in the Applied Anthropology Series (with contribution to their Criminal Justice Program), “Landscapes of Loss and Recovery: The Anthropology of Police-Community Relations and Harm Reduction”
- Consultancy to the Intercultural Competency Program – how to design a patient sensitivity/safety program without essentializing “culture”

Participation in **Teach Global Health: 2017 Summer Institute for Undergraduate Course Development and Curriculum Design**, Alleghany College, June 19-21, 2017. This intensive undergraduate global health symposium was designed to bring together faculty at undergraduate-serving institutions to evaluate curricular programs and assessment tools, participate in charrettes designed to refine course and curriculum materials that strengthen students’ learning, and share experiences and best practices.

Morrissey, SE. Landscapes of Loss and Recovery: The Anthropology of Police-Community Relations and Harm Reduction. Panel Organizer and Chair. **Proceedings of the Society for Applied Anthropology Meeting**; March 28-April 1, 2017; Santa Fe, NM.

Morrissey, SE and Nyrop, K. Stabilizing Police-Community Relationships in an Era of “Law and Order” Rhetoric. **Proceedings of the Society for Applied Anthropology Meeting**; March 28-April 1, 2017; Santa Fe, NM.

Morrissey, SE. Landscapes of Loss and Recovery: The Anthropology of Police-Community Relations and Harm Reduction. **Whitman College Faculty Forum**, Aug 30, 2017.

Morrissey, SE. Treatment Solidarity: The Community Acupuncture Movement in North America and What it has in Common with Medical Anthropology. **Proceedings of the Society for Canadian Anthropology/Society for the Anthropology of North America Meetings**; May 11-15, 2016; Halifax, Nova Scotia.

Morrissey, SE. The Peoples Organization for Community Acupuncture: affordable healing through the “calmest revolution ever staged.” Film short screening and presentation. **Futures of Visual Anthropology Conference**, Temple University. April 9-11, 2015; Philadelphia, PA.

Morrissey, SE. Producing Health: The Intersections of Work and Complementary and Alternative Medicine in the Pursuit of Meaning, Knowledge and Wellbeing. Panel Organizer and Chair. **Proceedings of the 113th Annual American Anthropological Association Meetings**; 2014 Dec 3-7; Washington, DC.

Morrissey, SE. The Work of Healing: Acupuncture for the People. Living Wages for the Providers. **Proceedings of the 113th Annual American Anthropological Association Meetings**; 2014 Dec 3-7; Washington, DC.

Morrissey, SE. Auto-expectation: Exploring Chronic and Autoimmune Disorders and Integrative Clinical Practice Through Collaboration, “Patient” Identification, and Researcher Accountability. Invited Session, Uncertain Destinations: Experiencing Diagnosis of Chronic and Autoimmune Diseases. **Proceedings of the Society for Applied Anthropology (SfAA) Meetings**; 2014 Mar 18-22; Albuquerque, NM.

Morrissey, SE, Nyrop K. Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion (LEAD): Mediating Police-Community Relations in Seattle, Washington. “Contested Spaces” track for **Proceedings of the Society for the Anthropology of North America Meetings**; 2013 Mar 15-16; Durham, NC.

Morrissey, SE. Redefining Diagnoses: Chronic Illness, Holistic Providers and Integrative Medicine in Toronto, Ontario and Portland, Oregon. **Proceedings of the 111th Annual American Anthropological Association Meetings**; 2012 Nov 14-18; San Francisco, CA.

Morrissey SE. From “Yuppie Plague” to “Chronic Disease”: Experiences of Fibromyalgia and Integrative Medicine in Toronto. **Proceedings of the Pacific Northwest Canadian Studies Consortium Meetings**; 2012 Feb 3; Seattle, WA.

Morrissey SE. From “Yuppie Plague” to “Chronic Disease”: Fibromyalgia, Integrative Medicine and Women who Suffer from Uncertainty. **Whitman College Faculty Forum**; 2012 Jan 25; Walla Walla, WA.

Morrissey SE. “From Our Strength: Two Births and Indigenous Politics in Canar, Ecuador,” film screening. **Whitman College Faculty Forum**; 2011 Nov 9; Walla Walla, WA.

Morrissey SE. Anthropological Sentiments and Resentments of “The Spirit Catches You and You Fall Down”: what happens when a journalist puts ethnographic knowledge to use? **Faculty Panel Presentation, Summer Book Program, Whitman College**; 2011 Aug 27; Walla Walla, WA.

Related links: <http://www.whitman.edu/content/communications/fountain/archives/2011/08/15> and <http://www.whitman.edu/content/news/culturalbroker>

Morrissey SE. Integrative Medicine: Practice, Policy and Outcomes in Ontario, Canada. Presentation to the **Cross-Disciplinary Learning and Teaching Initiatives** group, “Multi-Disciplinary Perspectives on Canada,” Whitman College; 2011 Aug 9; Walla Walla, WA.

Morrissey SE. Changing Birth Practices and Indigenous Identity in Andean Ecuador. **Proceedings of the Society for Applied Anthropology Annual Meetings**; 2011 Mar 29-Apr 2; Seattle, WA.

Morrissey SE. From “Yuppie Plague” to “Chronic Disease”: Fibromyalgia and the women who suffer with uncertainty. Invited talk, **Voices of Planned Parenthood (VOX) Speaker Series**, Whitman College; 2011 Mar 11; Walla Walla, WA.

Morrissey SE. Birth and Modernity in Highland Ecuador. Invited talk, **Anthropology Speaker Series, McMaster University**; 2010 Nov 30; Hamilton, ON.

Morrissey SE. “I’m innocent after all”: Prison Metaphors, Hard to Diagnose Illness and the Use of Integrative Medicine to Health. Invited talk, **Institute of Environment and Health, McMaster University**; 2012 Nov 25; Hamilton, ON.

Morrissey SE. Finding Culture in Integrative Medicine: Ethnographic Research into the Uses of CAM Therapies for “Hard-to-diagnose” Illnesses. **Proceedings of the Sixth IN-CAM Research Symposium**; 2010 Nov 19-21; Vancouver, BC.

Morrissey SE. Complementary and Alternative Medicine in Motion: Claims to Knowledge and Care in Toronto's Integrative Medicine Movement. **Proceedings of the 109th Annual American Anthropological Association Meetings**; 2010 Nov 14-18; New Orleans, LA.

Morrissey SE. Metaphors of Relief: High Risk Pregnancy in a Context of Health Policy for the "Undeserving" Poor. Invited talk, the **Anthropology Speaker Series, University of Western Ontario**; 2010 Oct 27; London, ON.

Morrissey SE. The City Mosaic and Integrative Medicine in North America: Defining and Desiring Complementary and Alternative Medicine in Shifting Urban Landscapes. **Proceedings of the Society for the Anthropology of North America and Association of Black Anthropologists Conference**; 2010 Apr 15-17; University of Denver, Denver, CO.

Morrissey SE. Panel on U.S. Health Care Reform Debate and Legislation (the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act [H.R. 3590]). Invited talk for the **Whitman Pre-Medical Society and Student Health Advisory Council**, Whitman College; 2010 Apr 7; Walla Walla, WA.

Morrissey SE, Keith P. Giving Birth to Indigeneity in Highland Ecuador. **Proceedings of the Society for Medical Anthropology Conference**; 2009 Sept 24-27; Yale University, New Haven, CT.

Morrissey SE. Critical and Alternative Voices: Using Satrapi's *Persepolis* in a Liberal Arts Classroom. Invited talk, **AAUW and Whitman Alumni Association**, Tri-Cities Chapters; 2009 May 16; Pasco, WA.

Morrissey SE. Gathering Wool: Feminist Filmmaking in Highland Ecuador. Invited talk, **Feminist Salon Series**, Whitman College; 2009 Apr 16; Walla Walla, WA.

Morrissey SE. Ethnographic Explorations in Highland Ecuador: Undergraduate Fieldschool Experiences. Panel Chair. **Proceedings of the Society for Applied Anthropology Meetings**; 2009 Mar 17-21; Santa Fe, NM.

Morrissey SE. "Whitman in the Andes" Summer Ethnographic Field School in Highland Ecuador. Invited talk, **Whitman College Talk About Teaching Series**; 2009 Jan 27; Walla Walla, WA.

Morrissey SE. To Eat or To Heal?: Culture and Disparate Metaphors of the WIC Program in Syracuse, NY. Invited talk, **Cornell University Lecture Series**; 2008 Jan 26; Ithaca, NY.

Morrissey SE, Corcorran M. Fear of the Unknown: Disease Risks, Health-seeking Behaviors and Late HIV Diagnosis among Mexican Migrants in Washington State. **Proceedings of the 106th Annual American Anthropological Association Meetings**; 2007 Nov 28-Dec 2; Washington, DC.

Chapman C, Morrissey SE. The Face of AIDS: Using Life Histories in Prevention Education. **Proceedings of the Society of Applied Anthropology Meetings**; 2007 Mar 28-31; Tampa, FL.

Morrissey SE. HIV in Corrections: America's dirty little secret. **Proceedings of the Annual Washington State Agriculture and Forestry Leadership Program, Crime and Punishment Seminar**; 2006 Nov 9-10; Whitman College, Walla Walla, WA.

Morrissey SE. Panel participation in recognition of the 3rd anniversary of Roe v. Wade at Whitman College, "The Politicalization of Reproductive Health Care" sponsored by **Voices for Planned Parenthood (VOX) and Blue Mountain NOW**; 2006; Walla Walla, WA.

Morrissey SE, Manfredi C. Using Process Evaluation to Explore the Implementation of a Smoking Cessation Project. **Proceedings of the Society of Applied Anthropology Meetings**; 2003 Mar 19-23; Portland, OR.

Morrissey SE. If They Aren't a Problem Then How Do We Study Them?: The Resiliency of Single Mothers in Urban America and What Public Health Providers Should Know. **Proceedings of the Society of Applied Anthropology Meetings**; 2003 Mar 19-23; Portland, OR.

Morrissey SE. The Right to Eat vs. The Right to Heal: Culture and Disparate Metaphors of the WIC Program in Syracuse, New York. Invited talk for **UIC Maternal and Child Health Program Lecture Series**; 2003 Jan 29; Chicago, IL.

Morrissey SE, Dye T, Fernandez D. The Marketing of Medicine: An Ethnographic Assessment for the Placement of New Technologies in Rural Costa Rica. **Proceedings of the 101st Annual American Anthropological Association Meetings**; 2002 Nov 20-24; New Orleans, LA.

Morrissey SE. Selling Culture: A Dialogue Between Critical and Applied Approaches to Marketing in Health. Panel Organizer and Chair. **Proceedings of the 101st Annual American Anthropological Association Meetings**; 2002 Nov 20-24; New Orleans, LA.

Morrissey SE. Is it Food Assistance or is it Healthcare?: What Women Expect From a Public Health Service, the Strategies They Use to Avoid Dependency, and the Providers Who Feel Used. **Proceedings of the Society for the Anthropology of North America Conference with the Canadian Anthropology Society**; 2002 May 3; Windsor, ON.

Morrissey SE, Pribilsky JC. "Bringing Peace of Mind": DNA Paternity Testing and Shifting Images of Fatherhood in the United States. **Proceedings of the 100th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association**; 2001 Nov 28-Dec 2; Washington, D.C.

Lane SD, Dygert K, Milton D, Morrissey SE, et al. Action Anthropology and Infant Mortality Prevention. **Proceedings of the 99th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association**; 2000 Nov 16-19; San Francisco, CA.

Morrissey SE, Pribilsky JC. Accounting for Consumption: Survey Development and Methodological Shifts in an Ethnographic Study of an Ecuadorian Migrant-sending Community. **Proceedings of the Global Affairs Institute Workshop**, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University; 2000 Sept 8; Syracuse, NY.

Morrissey SE. "Poor Women, Poor Outcomes": The Use of Qualitative Methods to Discover Folk Categories. **Proceedings of the Qualitative Health Research Conference**; 2000 Apr 6-8; Banff, Alberta.

Chin N, Dye T, Morrissey SE, Hood K, et al. Child Abuse Prevention: Using Key Informant Interviews to Identify Critical Knowledge, Attitudes, and Beliefs. **Proceedings of the Qualitative Health Research Conference**; 2000 Apr 6-8; Banff, Alberta.

Dye T, Chin N, Morrissey SE, Hood K, et al. Use of Focus Groups In Patterning Context of Child Abuse and Child Neglect Ascertainment. **Proceedings of the Qualitative Health Research Conference**; 2000 Apr 6-8; Banff, Alberta.

Morrissey SE. State, Church and Public Health Policy: Images of the "Good" Mother in the Republic of Ireland. **Proceedings of the Annual Meeting of the American Ethnological Society**; 2000 Mar 23-25; Tampa, FL.

Dye T, Morrissey SE. Integrating Qualitative Methods into Quantitative Approaches: The Results of the Rochester Child Abuse Study. **Research seminar of the Royal Maternity Hospital of Belfast, Health and Social Care Research Unit**; 2000 Mar 9-15; Belfast, Northern Ireland.

Dye T, Morrissey SE. Breastfeeding: Comparing N.I. and U.S. Experiences. **Research seminar of the Royal Maternity Hospital of Belfast, Health and Social Care Research Unit**; 2000 Mar 9-15; Belfast, Northern Ireland.

Dye T, Wojtowycz M, Quade J, Morrissey SE, Aubry R. Adequacy of Prenatal Care Among Immigrants from the Former Soviet Union. **Proceedings of the 5th Annual CDC Maternal and Child Health Epidemiology Conference**; 1999 December 8-9; Atlanta, GA.

Dye T, Wojtowycz M, Quade J, Morrissey SE, Aubry R. Asking About Conception: Correlates of Response to an Intendedness of Pregnancy Question. **Proceedings of the 5th Annual CDC Maternal and Child Health Epidemiology Conference**; 1999 December 8-9; Atlanta, GA.

Morrissey SE. "WIC is For You": Exploration of Prenatal Intervention Strategies in Syracuse, New York. **Proceedings of the 98th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association**; 1999 Nov 17-21; Chicago, IL.

Morrissey SE. Rapid Ethnographic Assessment in Rural Costa Rica: Anthropology and Computer Assisted Public Health. Invited talk for the **Department of Anthropology Syracuse University Lecture Series**; 1999 Nov; Syracuse, NY.

Morrissey SE. Mapping Disparity: The Geography of Infant Mortality in Inner City Neighborhoods. **Proceedings of the 97th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association**; 1998 Dec 2-6; Philadelphia, PA.

Lane SD, Morrissey SE, Cibula D, Nestor A. The Demographics of Racism: Hidden Violence and Preventable Mortality. **Proceedings of the 97th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association**; 1998 Dec 2-6; Philadelphia, PA.

Morrissey SE, Nestor A, Novick L. Infant Mortality in Inner City Neighborhoods: Geographic Analysis of Health Disparities. **Proceedings of the 4th CDC Annual Maternal, Infant, and Child Health Epidemiology Conference**; 1998 Dec 1-2; Atlanta, GA.

Morrissey SE. Comparative Approaches to Breastfeeding: Barriers and Health Implications. Conference Organizer. Discussant: Ann McElroy, Ph.D., University of Buffalo Department of Anthropology; 1998 Sept 23; Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY.

Morrissey SE. Breastfeeding and World Health: The Implications of Urbanization and Public Health Policy. **Proceedings of the 25th Annual Meeting of the North Eastern Anthropological Association**; 1995 Apr; Lake Placid, NY.

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS

Louis B. Perry Student-Faculty Summer Research Scholarship 2018. “Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion (LEAD): Urban Ethnography and Qualitative Evaluation of a Harm Reduction Program in Seattle, Washington.” Seattle, WA.

Louis B. Perry Student-Faculty Summer Research Scholarship 2017. “Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion (LEAD): Urban Ethnography and Qualitative Evaluation of a Harm Reduction Program in Seattle, Washington.” Walla Walla, WA.

George Ball Award for Excellence in Advising 2016-2017. Whitman College. Walla Walla, WA.

Louis B. Perry Student-Faculty Summer Research Scholarship 2016. “Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion (LEAD): Urban Ethnography and Qualitative Evaluation of a Harm Reduction Program in Seattle, Washington.” Seattle, WA.

Abshire Research Scholar Award 2015. “The People’s Organization of Community Acupuncture (POCA): grassroots movement to democratize acupuncture treatment.” Portland, OR.

Louis B. Perry Student-Faculty Summer Research Scholarship 2014. “The Work of Healing: Instigating Health Care Reform One Acupuncturist at a Time.” Portland, OR.

Abshire Research Scholar Award 2014. “The People’s Organization of Community Acupuncture (POCA): qualitative study of a medical social movement.” Portland, OR.

Abshire Research Scholar Award 2013. “The People’s Organization of Community Acupuncture (POCA): qualitative study of a medical social movement.” Portland, OR.

Summer Grant for Pedagogical Research and Development 2013. “Medical Systems Cultures: Integrating Methods Training for Anthropology Students.” Whitman College, Walla Walla, WA.

Louis B. Perry Student-Faculty Summer Research Scholarship 2011. “Complementary and alternative medicine for diagnosis and treatment of multi-symptom chronic disease: a comparative study.” Portland, OR.

US-Canada Fulbright, McMaster University Visiting Research Chair in Health Science and the Environment 2010. “Symptoms of Canada’: Cultural identity, unexplained syndromes, and uses of complementary and alternative medicine.” Hamilton, Ontario.

Abshire Research Scholar Award Spring 2010. “Changing Birth Practices and Indigenous Identity in Andean Ecuador – A Documentary Film Project.” Whitman College funding to support student-faculty research.

Abshire Research Scholar Award 2009. “Changing Birth Practices and Indigenous Identity in Andean Ecuador – a Documentary Film Project.” Whitman College funding to support student-faculty research.

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University of Michigan W.K. Kellogg Foundation Community Health Scholars Program 2001. Awarded two-year post-doc in the School of Public Health, Ann Arbor, MI. (declined).

Burroughs Wellcome Fund Travel Grant 2000. “The Rochester-Belfast Maternal and Child Health Research Collaborative (RB-MCHC).” Belfast, N. Ireland.

University Fellow 1999-2000. Dissertation write-up grant, Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York, (declined).

Global Political Economy Research Consortium Grant 1999. Global Affairs Institute, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY. “Transnational Parenting, Remittances, and Household Consumption: A Survey of High School Students in an Ecuadorian Migrant Sending Community.” Bayendel, Central Andes, Ecuador.

Graduate Assistantship Spring and Summer 1999. Global Affairs Institute, Gender and Globalization Project, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY.

Roscoe Martin Fund for Dissertation Research Spring 1998 and Spring 1999. Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY.

Creative Research Grant for Dissertation Research 1998. Graduate School, Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York.

Graduate Fellow 1997-1998. Dissertation research funding, Health Resources and Services Administration and the Onondaga County Health Department (Syracuse Healthy Start Project), Syracuse, New York.

Claudia de Lys Fund for Dissertation Research 1997. Anthropology Department, Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York.

Dean's Summer Research Grant 1996. Grant for Master's research in Ireland, Maxwell School, Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York.

Graduate Assistant Summer Fellowship 1996. Grant for Master's research in Ireland, Program on the Analysis and Resolution of Conflict (PARC), Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York.

COMMUNITY COLLABORATIONS and SERVICE

Common Roots Housing Trust, Founding Board Member (March 2021-present), Walla Walla, WA.

Cambia Grove, Member (June 2020-present), Seattle, WA.

EMT Volunteer, Walla Walla Fire District #4, Station 41 (January 2016-October 2018), Walla Walla, WA.

Walla Walla Search & Rescue Member, Ground and Snow Unit (December 2014-December 2017). Walla Walla, WA.

EMT Volunteer, Waitsburg Ambulance Service (January 2014-December 2015). Waitsburg, WA.

Community Co-Chair, HIV/AIDS Regional Planning Group (January 2006-September 2007). Spokane, WA.

Regional Representative, HIV/AIDS State Planning Group (January 2006-July 2007). Seattle, WA.

Board President, Palouse Community School (2005-2007). Walla Walla, WA.

Steering Committee, Walla Walla County Mobilization for Action through Planning and Process (2006-2007). Walla Walla, WA.

Meth Coalition, Walla Walla County Health Department (2003-2007). Walla Walla, WA.

Volunteer Committee, Syracuse Mobile Health Van (1999). Neighborhood canvassing/education on mobile health van services and the Syracuse WIC Program.

Health Consortium, Syracuse Health Start Project (1998-1999). Member of community consortium for infant mortality prevention.

Child Fatality Review Committee, Syracuse Healthy Start Project (1997-1998). Review and summarize child death files for Death Review Committee.

Breastfeeding Working Group, Syracuse Healthy Start Project (1997-1998). Participant in group and coordinated community education activities.

SPECIAL SKILLS

Language skills: Conversational Spanish and French; Reading Spanish and French

Computer design and database skills: MS Word, MS Project, Power Point, Excel, Epi-Info 6, SPSS, SAS, ACCESS, NVivo (NUD*IST for qualitative research).

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

American Anthropological Association

 General Anthropology Division

The Beryl Institute

The Just Health Collective Village

Cambia Grove

Society for Applied Anthropology

Society for Medical Anthropology

 Special Interest Group: Social Science Studies of CAM and IM

Society for the Anthropology of North America

National Women's Studies Association