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## Education

- University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, Ph.D. in English, 1984-89.
- University of Tennessee, Knoxville  
M.A. in English, 1982-84.  
B.A. with High Honors in English, 1978-82.

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## Employment

- Professor of English & Distinguished Teaching Scholar, University of Florida, 2013 - .
- Director of Graduate Student Teaching & General Education, Department of English, 2016 - 2019.
- Associate Professor of English, University of Florida, 1997 - 2013.
- Assistant Professor of English, University of Florida, 1989 - 1997.

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## Research and Teaching Areas

Post-1900 literature and culture (American & British), modernist studies, poetry & visual culture, women's writing, pedagogy

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## Academic Honors & Awards

### Editorial and Advisory Boards

- Associate Editor, *Contemporary Women's Writing* (2013-2022).
- Advisory Board, *The Space Between: Literature and Culture, 1914-1945* (2011-2014).

### Research and Teaching

- Doctoral Dissertation Advisor/Mentoring Award. University of Florida. 2017-18.
  - UF Term Professor, 2016-2019.
  - Academy of Distinguished Teaching Scholars. University of Florida, 2014-.
  - Fellowship, National Endowment for the Humanities, 2007-08.
  - Pedagogy workshop co-leader for Impact of Materials on Society project (Materials Research Society meeting, Boston), funded by National Science Foundation, 2014.
  - Interdisciplinary Team-Teaching Grant with Mary Ann Eaverly (Classics), Center for the Humanities and the Public Sphere, University of Florida 2015.
  - Creative Campus Catalyst Grant (team member), University of Florida, 2013-14.
  - Sabbatical, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, University of Florida, 2014, 2002.
  - Humanities Scholarship Enhancement Grant, University of Florida, 2013, 2007, 2000.
  - College of Liberal Arts & Sciences Award for Outstanding Undergraduate Teaching, University of Florida, 2005, 2002, 1991.
  - Mentor, UF Scholars Program, 1999.
  - Teaching Incentive Program (TIP) Award, University of Florida, 1996, 1993.
  - Research Development Award, University of Florida, 1992, 1990.
  - Phi Beta Kappa, 1982.
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## Academic Writing

### Books (Humanities)

*Women's Poetry and Popular Culture*. Modern and Contemporary Poetry and Poetics Series. 2011. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2013.

Reviews:

- *Twentieth-Century Literature* (59.1, Fall 2013): 164–173.
- *Women's Studies: An Interdisciplinary Journal* (42.8, October 2013): 1030–32.
- *Choice* (March 2012)
- *Poetry & Popular Culture* (Jan. 2012)
- *Tulsa Studies in Women's Literature* (30.2, Fall 2011): 475-78.

*Auden and Documentary in the 1930s*. Charlottesville: University Press of Virginia, 1997.

Reviews:

- *International Review of Modernism* 2.1 (Fall/Winter 1998): 20-22.
- *Visual Anthropology* 15.1 (Spring/Summer 1999): 78-80.

Reprints & Excerpts:

- *The Isherwood Century*, ed. James Berg and Chris Freeman (U. Wisconsin Press 2000, 2001; Lambda Literary Award for Gay Studies, 2001).
- *Caverns of Night: Coal Mines in Art, Literature, and Film*, ed. William B. Thesing (University of South Carolina Press, 2000).

*Photo-Textualities: Reading Photographs and Literature*, ed. Marsha Bryant. Newark: University of Delaware Press, 1996.

- Reviewed in *Modern Language Review* 93.2 (1998): 490-91.

### Journal Essays and Book Chapters (Humanities)

- "It Ain't Me, Babe," *The Poetry of Bob Dylan*, ed. Mike Chasar. Bloomsbury Academic Press, forthcoming September 2025.
- "Punk Pedagogy as Creative Reuse: DIY with Trash," *Creativity in the Classroom*, forthcoming, Indiana U. Press, 2025.
- "How Plath Invented the Nursing Home Poem (and Why It Matters to GenZ)," *The Routledge Companion to Sylvia Plath* ed. Janet Badia, Julie Goodspeed-Chadwick and Emily Van Duyn, forthcoming.
- "The Midcentury Modernist Long Poem," *The Cambridge Companion to Late Modernism*, ed. Claire Seiler, forthcoming.
- "Hellenic by Design: H.D., Architecture, and Future Modernism," co-authored with Charlie Hailey. *Ex-Centric Narratives. Journal of Anglophone Literature, Culture, and Media*. No. 7 (2023).
- "Beelines: Reading Plath through Edith Sitwell and Carol Ann Duffy." *The Bloomsbury Handbook to Sylvia Plath*, ed. Anita Helle, Amanda Golden, and Maeve O'Brien. 199-210. (2022). Paperback edition 2023.
- "Thirteen Tactics for Teaching Poetry as Architecture," co-authored with Charlie Hailey. For the essay series Modernist Poetry and Visual Culture, ed. Linda Kinnahan. *Humanities* 11, no. 1: 19 (2022). <https://doi.org/10.3390/h11010019>
- "Queen Bees: Edith Sitwell, Sylvia Plath, and Cross-Atlantic Affiliations." *Feminist Modernist Studies* (June 5, 2019). doi: [10.1080/24692921.2019.1621690](https://doi.org/10.1080/24692921.2019.1621690)

- “Modernist Migrations, Pedagogical Arenas: Translating Modernist Reception in the Classroom and Gallery” (coauthored with Mary Ann Eaverly). *The Classics in Modernist Translation*, ed. Lynn Kozak and Miranda Hickman. London: Bloomsbury, 2019.  
Featured in Meryl Altman's review "Classical Reception for Modernists: An Update," *Modernism/Modernity* 29.4 (November 2022): 901-908)
- "Sitwell Beyond the Semiotic" (reprint with Coda). *The Many Facades of Edith Sitwell*, ed. Allan Pero and Gyllian Phillips. University Press of Florida. June 2017. 94-120. (Rev. *TLS* Jan. 16, 2018.)
- "Gentry Modernism: Cultural Connoisseurship and Midcentury Masculinity, 1951-1957," *Popular Modernism and Its Legacies: From Pop Literature to Video Games*, ed. Scott Ortolano. Bloomsbury, Dec. 2017. 19-44.
- "[Crisis Modes: Ancient Egyptian Forms and Modern Women Poets](#)," co-authored with Mary Ann Eaverly. *Mezzo Cammin* 12.1 (July 2017).
- "The WP Network: Anthologies & Affiliations in Contemporary American Women's Poetry," *A History of Twentieth-Century American Women's Poetry*, ed. Linda Kinnahan. Cambridge U. Press, 2016. 186-201.
- "Camp Modernism Forum," co-edited with Douglas Mao, *Modernism/modernity* 23.1 (January 2016), 1-36.
- "Parody as Pedagogy, Plath as Style" (features student work), [Plath Profiles 7](#) (2014). 13-21.
- "Epic Encounters: The Modernist Long Poem Goes to the Movies," *Journal of Modern Literature* 37.4 (Summer 2014), 70-90.
- "The Confessional Other: Identity, Form, and Origins in Confessional Poetry," *Identity and Form in Contemporary Literature*, ed. Ana Maria Sanchez-Arce. Routledge, 2013. 177-94.
- “Excavating H.D.’s Egypt,” co-authored with Mary Ann Eaverly, *Approaches to Teaching H.D.’s Poetry and Prose*. Modern Language Association, 2011. 77-83.
- “Counter-Intuitive Innovation,” in the forum “Making It New: Innovative Approaches to Teaching Modernism,” *Modernism/modernity* 16.3. (September 2009): 482-84.
- “Graduate Student Mentoring: A Poetics,” in *Poetry, Politics, and the Profession: Cary Nelson and the Struggle for the University*, ed. Michael Rothberg and Peter K. Garrett. State U. of New York Press, 2009. 187-92.
- “Egypto-modernism: James Henry Breasted, H.D., and the New Past,” co-authored with Mary Ann Eaverly, *Modernism/modernity* 14.3 (September 2007): 435-53.
- “Ariel’s Kitchen: Plath, Ladies’ Home Journal, and the Domestic Surreal,” in *The Unraveling Archive: Essays on Sylvia Plath*, ed. Anita Helle, U. of Michigan Press, 2007. 211-35.
- “Displaced Artist Statements, Reluctant Artist-Researchers: Poet-Editors of Women’s Poetry Anthologies,” *Open Letter* 13.4 (Fall 2007): 45-63. (special issue: *Artist Statements and the Nature of Artistic Inquiry*, ed. Rachel Nash and W. F. Garrett-Petts).
- “Brooks, *Ebony*, and Postwar Race Relations,” *American Literature* 79.1 (March 2007): 113-141.
- “Sitwell Beyond the Semiotic: Gender, Race & Empire in *Façade*,” *Tulsa Studies in Women’s Literature*, 26.2 (Fall 2007): 243-67.
- “Classical Tourism in Debora Greger’s Poetry,” co-authored with Mary Ann Eaverly. *Mosaic* 37.3 (September, 2004): 67-91.
- “IMAX Authorship: Teaching Plath and Her *Unabridged Journals*,” *Pedagogy* 4.2 (Spring 2004): 241-61.
- “Plath, Domesticity, and the Art of Advertising,” *College Literature* 29.3 (Summer 2002 special issue on Literature & Art): 17-34.  
Reprinted in *The Bell Jar: Critical Insights*. Salem Press. Ipswich, MA: 2011. 180-200.
- “W. H. Auden and the Homoerotics of the 1930s Documentary,” *Mosaic* 30.2 (June 1997): 69-92.

- “Photo-Graphic Pedagogies: Bringing Photography into the English Department Classroom,” in *Integrating Visual and Verbal Literacies*, Ed. W. F. Garrett-Petts and Donald Lawrence. Winnipeg, Manitoba: Inkshed Publications, 1996. 76-100.
- “Auden and the ‘Arctic Stare’: Documentary as Public Collage in *Letters from Iceland*,” *Journal of Modern Literature* 17.4 (1991; published 1994), 537-65.
- “The Films of Paul Strand” (curator's essay). *New American Film and Video Series*, 63. Whitney Museum of American Art. March, 1992.

## Reviews (Humanities)

- Rev. of C. D. Blanton's *Epic Negation: The Dialectical Poetics of Late Modernism*. *Modernism/modernity* 24.3 (September 2017): 649-51.
- Rev. of *This Business of Words: Reassessing Anne Sexton*, ed. Amanda Golden. [American Literary History Online Review, Series XII](#). August 2017.
- Rev. of Stan Smith, ed, *The Cambridge Companion to W. H. Auden*. Auden Society Newsletter 26 (December 2005): 25-28.
- Rev. of Albert Gelpi's *Living in Time: The Poetry of C. Day Lewis*. *Modern Philology* 99.1 (August 2001): 161-65.
- Response to Marjorie Perloff's review of Cary Nelson's anthology, *Modern American Poetry*. *symploke* 9:1-2 (2001): 176-77.
- Rev. of John Fuller's *W. H. Auden: A Commentary*. *International Review of Modernism* 3.1 (Fall/Winter 1999): 20-22.

## STEM Publications

- [Impact of Materials on Society](#), ed. Sophia Krzys Acord, Kevin S. Jones, Marsha Bryant, Debra Dauphin-Jones, and Pamela Hupp. Library Press @UF, September 2021.
  - "[Fantastic Plastics in Postwar America: Earl Tupper, Brownie Wise, and Materials Marketing](#)," In *Impact of Materials on Society*, ed. Acord, Bryant, et al. Library Press @UF, September 2021.
  - Alexandra Lucas, Dara Wakefield, Marsha Bryant et al. "[Glycosaminoglycans \(GAGs\) in Cardiovascular Disease: Searching for the Sweet Spot](#)." *Journal of Clinical & Experimental Cardiology* 7.1 (2016). doi: 10.4172/2155-9880.1000e141.
  - Marsha Bryant, Alexandra Lucas et al. "[Tako-Tsubo Stress Cardiomyopathy—A Quantum Event of the Heart?](#)" *Journal of Clinical & Experimental Cardiology* 6.10 (2015). doi: 10.4172/2155-9880.1000e140.
  - Alexandra Lucas, Andrea Krafft, Gail Ellison, Sally Ryden, Grant McFadden, Jen H. Lucas, Seana O'Regan, and Marsha Bryant. "[I to I: Women in the Heart of Medicine 2](#)." *Journal of Clinical and Experimental Cardiology* 6.2 (2015). doi: 10.4172/2155-9880.1000e139.
  - Alexandra Lucas, Sriram Ambadapadi, Donghang Zheng, Hao Chen, Andrea Krafft, Marsha Bryant, et al. "[The Virome – Viral Ghost Companion, Virus Wars](#)." *Journal of Clinical and Experimental Cardiology*. 5.8(2014): doi: 10.4172/2155.9880.1000e136.
  - Alexandra Lucas, Mary Ann Eaverly, Grant McFadden and Marsha Bryant. "[Women in Cardiology: The X Factor and the Heart of Medicine](#)" (editorial), *Journal of Clinical & Experimental Cardiology* 5.2 (2014): doi: 10.4172/2155-9880.1000e134.
  - Alexandra Lucas and Marsha Bryant. "[Disseminated Intravascular Coagulation](#) - The Hemorrhagic Hurricane and the Cytokine Storm" (editorial). *Clinical & Experimental Cardiology*. 4:e127 (June 2013): doi: 10.4172/2155-9880.10003127.
  - Alexandra Lucas, Jennifer Davids, Marsha Bryant, et al. "[Inflammatory Vascular Disease: A Unifying Hypothesis](#):" (editorial). *Clinical & Experimental Cardiology*. 3:e111 (August 2012): doi:10.4172/2155-9880.1000e111.
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## Exhibitions & Media

- Mornings with Simi Show guest for [The Hunt for a Sober October](#) segment. Global News Radio, 980 CKNW, Vancouver, Canada. October 1, 2024.
- Mornings with Simi Show guest for [The Rise and Fall of Tupperware](#) segment. Global News Radio, 980 CKNW, Vancouver, Canada. September 20, 2024.
- [UF Yearbook Highlights: UF in the 1950s](#). Undergraduate class project from Desperate Domesticity: The American 1950s. UF Libraries Special Collections (University Archives). October 2021.
- Ed., [Thinking about Modernity](#) (Instructional Resources for the Harn Museum of Art). Collaborators: (from the Harn) Eric Segal, Carol McCusker, Dulce Roman; (from my 2019 seminar Modernist Studies & Pedagogy) Lauren Burrell Cox, S. R. Graham, Nicole Green, remus jackson, Claire Beth Karnap, Burcu Kuheylan, Elizabeth Lambert, Jacqueline Schnieber, Cassidy Sheehan, Deepthi Siriwardena, Allen Thomas, Vincent Wing. March 2021.
- ["Marsha Bryant on Sylvia Plath and the Dream Kitchen."](#) *Theory to No End* podcast by Camelia Raghinaru. May 4, 2020.
- ["Decades Past Its Birth, Tupperware Still Has a Place in Our Kitchens"](#) (interview). Wisconsin Public Radio. Oct. 1, 2018.
- [En Dehors Garde Limericks for Stevie Smith](#). (collage with limericks, drawing, buttons, puzzle pieces). Mina Loy: Navigating the Avant-Garde posted September 2018.
  - Featured in ["Handiwork: Mina Loy, Collage, and the En Dehors Garde"](#) (Suzanne W. Churchill, Linda Kinnahan, and Susan Rosenbaum). Modernism/modernity Print+ Visualities blog. October 21, 2020.
- [Impact of Materials on Society: Polymers](#) (educational video). Commentator. Materials Research Society. March 2016.
- "Women Poets, Modernism, and Classical Myth." [Modern American Poetry MOOC](#), U. of Illinois/Coursera. 2016.
- *Classical Convergences: Traditions & Inventions*. (with Mary Ann Eaverly and Carol McCusker). Harn Museum of Art, Gainesville FL. December 2014 - May 2015.
- *failure*. (with Arts & Humanities Research Group). UF Libraries exhibit, Gainesville FL. Spring 2014.
- *The Films of Paul Strand* (curator). Whitney Museum of American Art, New York. 1992.

## Workshops

- Organizer and Moderator, "Job Tips from Recent Alums" panel. For Department's MarketWise session for Graduate Students. September 4, 2025.
- Co-Leader and Presenter. "Material Modernisms Teaching Workshop." Teaching Modernisms International Online Conference. (Modernist Studies Association session), July 29, 2024. (attendees from 7 countries)
- Co-leader. "Team Teaching from Classroom to Gallery." Office of Faculty Development & Teaching Excellence. Harn Museum of Art, November 2018. (with Eric Segal, Alexa Bitton-Braddy, Carol McCusker, Mary Ann Eaverly Nina Stoyan-Rosenzweig)
- TA Workshops for UF English: "Projecting Our Classroom Voices" (April 2019), "Teaching Toni Morrison" (Marsh 2019), "Spotlight on CRW 1101 & 2100: Fiction Writing" (Sep. 2018), "Teaching *Hamilton*" (April 2018), "Teaching *Macbeth* and Performance" (January 2018), "Spotlight on ENG 2300: Film Analysis" (Oct. 2017), "Teaching *Gulliver's Travels*" (Sep. 2017), "Spotlight on ENG 1131: Writing through Media" (April 2017)
- Co-leader. [Teaching with Archives](#). Campus-wide workshop co-sponsored by The Academy of Distinguished Teaching Scholars, Office of Faculty Development & Teaching Excellence, and Smathers Libraries' Department of Special Collections. March 2017.



- Co-leader. "Teaching with the Harn: A TA Workshop." Harn Museum of Art, University of Florida. December 2016.
- Pedagogy workshop co-leader for Impact of Materials on Society project (Materials Research Society meeting, Boston), funded by National Science Foundation, 2014.

### Consulting

- Grant Review Consultant for State University System of Louisiana, ATLAS program (Creative Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences), 2024.
- Humanities Adviser for educational video ([Polymers](#)). Impact of Materials on Society (IMOS) project, funded by Department of Defense. University of Florida, 2015.
- Grant review panelist for Fellowships (Comparative Literature and Critical Theory), National Endowment for the Humanities, 2010, 2012.

### Invited Talks

- "Teaching with Trash." Research in Teaching and Learning Spring Symposium. UF Center for Teaching Excellence. Forthcoming. (April 25, 2024).
- Book Launch for *The Bloomsbury Handbook to Sylvia Plath*, led by editors Anita Helle, Amanda Golden, and Maeve O'Brien. May 25, 2022
- "Teaching with Perusall." UFIT TechBytes faculty panel on Pandemic Learning. May 12, 2021.
- "Beelines: Reading Sylvia Plath through Edith Sitwell and Carol Ann Duffy." Plath Zoomposium III, August 25, 2020. (Talk begins at 16:44 [here](#)).
- "Beyond Isis: Women's Poetry, Social Crisis, and Ancient Egypt" (with Mary Ann Eaverly). Poetry by the Sea: A Global Conference. (Madison, CT), May 2015.
- "The Power of Polymers: Tupperware and Domestic Design in Postwar America." Impact of Materials on Society teaching workshop. Materials Research Society (Boston, MA), December 2014.
- "Modernism's Child: Stevie Smith and Children's Culture." Shannon-Clark Seminar. Washington and Lee University (Lexington, VA), March 2010.
- "Epic Gender Makeovers: H.D.'s *Helen in Egypt* and Warner Brothers' *Helen of Troy*," plenary talk for "Femininities and Masculinities in a Global Context," Florida Consortium for Women's and Gender Studies (Tampa FL), February 2008.
- "Graduate Student Mentoring." Poetry, Politics & The Profession: A Tribute to Cary Nelson. University of Illinois (Urbana-Champaign), October 2006.
- "Racing Modern Poetry: A Triptych," English Department, University of Georgia, December 2005.
- "Displaced Artist Statements in Women's Poetry Anthologies." Workshop on Artist Statements and Artistic Inquiry. Thompson Rivers University, British Columbia, Canada, November 2005.
- "Raising the Dead: Teaching Seamus Heaney and Photography." Session sponsored by the MLA at the NCTE Convention (Orlando, FL), November 1994.
- "Paul Strand and Documentary." The Whitney Museum of American Art (New York, NY), March 1992.

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### Public Humanities Writing & Creative Work

- [Dog Days Beers](#). *Massachusetts Review*, July 21, 2025.
- [Malternatives: Tasting the Malty Beer Spectrum](#). *Massachusetts Review*, May 27, 2025
- [New Beers Resolutions](#). *Massachusetts Review*, January 10, 2025.
- [Wheat Beers for a Fulsome Fall](#). *Massachusetts Review*, November 22, 2024
- [Beers for a Sober October](#). *Massachusetts Review*, October 30, 2024
- [Three for the Fourth](#). *Massachusetts Review*, July 3, 2024.
- [Tripelicious Trio](#). *Massachusetts Review*, May 28, 2024.

- [Beers for Brrr!](#) *Massachusetts Review*, January 24, 2024.
- [More Beers for a Sober October](#). *Massachusetts Review*, October 3, 2024.
- [In Defense of IPAs: A Limerick Manifesto](#). *Massachusetts Review*, August 3, 2023.
- [Buoyant Beers & Light Limericks: A Summer Sip-Along](#). *Massachusetts Review*, June 16, 2023.
- [Limericks for St. Patrick's Day](#). *Massachusetts Review*, March 17, 2023.
- [Beers for Burns Night](#). *Massachusetts Review*, January 25, 2023.
- [Double-Digit 6-Pack: A Holiday Brew Review](#). *Massachusetts Review*, December 21, 2022.
- [More than Märzen: Limericks on German Beers](#). *Massachusetts Review*, October 26, 2022.
- [Back2School Brews](#). *Massachusetts Review*, September 6, 2022.
- [Florida Beach 4-Pack #2](#). *Massachusetts Review*, July 8, 2022.
- [Florida Beach 4-Pack #1](#). *Massachusetts Review*, April 10, 2022.
- [A Valentine's Brewquet](#). *Massachusetts Review*, February 14, 2022.
- [The Beers Before New Year's](#). *Massachusetts Review*. December 16, 2021.
- [Märzen Madness and Florida Festbier](#). *Massachusetts Review*. October 19, 2021.
- [Limericks for the Beers of Summer](#). *Massachusetts Review*. May 31, 2021.
- Op-Ed Limericks ([The Spring HyFlex Plan Limericks](#)). *Independent Florida Alligator*. Nov. 16, 2020.
- [En Dehors Garde Limericks for Stevie Smith](#). (collage with limericks, drawing, buttons, puzzle pieces). Mina Loy: Navigating the Avant-Garde posted September 2018.
  - Featured in "[Handiwork: Mina Loy, Collage, and the En Dehors Garde](#)" (Suzanne W. Churchill, Linda Kinnahan, and Susan Rosenbaum). *Modernism/modernity Print+ Visualities* blog. October 21, 2020.
- [Back to Basics: Whitman's Brew du Monde](#). *Massachusetts Review*. July 2, 2020.
- [Homebound on Whitman's Open Road](#). *Massachusetts Review* online. April 20, 2020.
- [Brew the Locomotion for Whitman's Marvelous Machine](#). *Massachusetts Review*. January 2, 2020.
- [Bells for Whitman's Captain](#). *Massachusetts Review*. October 29, 2019.
- [Liquid Whitman](#). *Massachusetts Review*. July 4, 2019.
- "[From Slag to Swag](#): The Story of Earl Tupper's Fantastic Plastics." *The Conversation*. August 14, 2018.
- (with PostPunk Collective) "inFESTation," [Parts 1 & 2](#) (Editorials). punknews.org. November 11 & 12, 2016.
- Marsha Bryant and Mary Ann Eaverly. "[The BFF Guide to Interdisciplinary Collaboration](#)" in *Modernism/modernity Print+* blog "On Collaboration" by Lesley Wheeler. July 2016.
- [Poems Exploding Like Bombs](#): Casagrande and Poetry's Public Spheres." *Poetry & Popular Culture* blog. February 21, 2014.
- Rev. of *The Oxford Companion to Beer*: "[Oktoberfest Library: A Review-in-Limericks](#)." *Massachusetts Review* (October 2013): <http://www.massreview.org/blog/oktoberfest-library>.
- "How the New NHL Looks to a Soccer Mom (And Why You Should Care)." *The Hockey News* (February 2007), online edition.

## MB Blog Posts

- <https://people.clas.ufl.edu/mbryant/category/blog/>

## Refereed Conference Papers

- "Flora Flâneuse: *Tanka* Trekking in Harryette Mullen's *Urban Tumbleweed*." *Traces & Places: Climactic Spaces, Changing Environments*. International Association for the Study of Environment, Space, and Place (Jacksonville, Florida), April 2025. (Organizer for Edge Spaces panel)

- "Midcentury Crossings in the Anglo-American Long Poem." 1940s Seminar. Modernist Studies Association (Chicago, IL), November 2024.
- "Modernist Streets, Personal Trash Piles & American Poetry." Modernist Studies Association (Brooklyn NY), October 2023.
- Plastic Modernisms roundtable leader. Modernist Studies Association (Toronto, Canada), October 2019.
- "#SSF" - The Legacies of Susan Stanford Friedman Roundtable. Modernist Studies Association (Toronto, Canada), October 2019.
- "Architextures: New Pedagogies for Modernist Studies." Modern Architecture and Narrative seminar. Modernist Studies Association (Columbus, OH), November 2018.
- ["The Cultures of Materials Science Engineering: Bridging Literacies in the STEM Classroom"](#) (with Mary Ann Eaverly). Humanities for STEM: Using Archives to Bridge the Two Cultures Divide (NYU MetroTech Center). April 6, 2018.
- "Cinepoetic Spaces of Conflict: Staging Myth through Visual Culture." The Politics of Space and the Humanities International Conference. Aristotle University (Thessaloniki, Greece) 15-17 December, 2017.
- Organizer and roundtable chair, "Multimodal Texts and Collaborative Pedagogy: Teaching *Persepolis*." LIT 2.0 Collective. "UWP Conference: Pedagogy, Practice and Philosophy" (Gainesville, FL), January 2018.
- Organizer and roundtable chair, "Oh, the Places Modernist Studies Will Go!" Modernist Studies Association (Pasadena, CA). November 2016.
- "Mythic Migrations: Ange Mlinko and the Modernist Imagination" (with Mary Ann Eaverly). Portals, Gates: The Classics in Modernist Translation. McGill University (Montréal, Canada). April 29-May 1, 2016.
- "The Fabrics of the Man: Cleanth Brooks, *Gentry* Magazine, and Postwar Style." Modernist Studies Association (Boston, MA), November 2015.
- "Why Women's Poetry Now: The View from 1973." Modernist Studies Association (Pittsburgh, PA), November 2014.
- "*Gentry*, the New Criticism, and the Aesthetics of Postwar American Masculinity." Marxist Reading Group Conference (Gainesville, FL), March 2014.
- "Queen Bees: Edith Sitwell and Sylvia Plath." Modernist Studies Association (Brighton, UK), August 2013.
- "Camp Modernism" (Roundtable organizer/co-moderator). Modernist Studies Association (Las Vegas, NV), November 2012.
- "Excavating H.D.'s Egypt in the Classroom." Modern Language Association (Seattle, WA), January 2012.
- Panelist and Organizer of Roundtable "Rethinking Poetic Innovation." Modernist Studies Association (Buffalo, NY), October 2011.
- "The American Sitwell." Sitwelliana Symposium (Birmingham, U.K.), September 2011.
- "CinemaScope Poetics: H.D., Helen, and Epic Film." Louisville Conference on Literature and Culture since 1900 (Louisville KY), March 2011.
- "H.D. in CinemaScope." Modernist Studies Association (Victoria, Canada), November 2010. Invited seminar participant, "Modernism and the Scene of the Archive," Modernist Studies Association (Victoria, Canada), November 2010.
- "Everyday *Ariel*, Household Mythologies." Lifting Belly High: Women's Poetry since 1900. (Pittsburgh PA), September 2008.
- Seminar Co-Leader, "Modernisms in the 1950s," and Panelist for Forum on Teaching Innovation, Modernist Studies Association (Long Beach CA), November 2007.
- "Lyric Killers: Ai's Monologues of Male Violence." Black Cultural Interventions into Gender and Sexuality Conference, University of Florida, March 2007.



- “Sounding Sitwell, Sounding Modernism.” Modernist Studies Association (Tulsa OK), October 2006.
- “H.D.'s Egypto-Modernism and James Henry Breasted's New Past,” co-authored with Mary Ann Eaverly. Modernist Studies Association (Chicago, IL), November 2005.
- “The I's Have It? The Problem of Dramatic Monologue in Contemporary Women's Poetry.” Modernist Studies Association (Chicago, IL), November 2005.
- “Reading Stevie Smith's Image-Text,” Society for Textual Scholarship conference (New York, NY), March 2005.
- “Edith Sitwell as Modernist Icon: The Beaton Photographs.” Modernist Studies Association (Vancouver, Canada), October 2004.
- “Classical Tourism in Debora Greger's Poetry,” with Mary Ann Eaverly and Debora Greger. Center for Women's Studies and Gender Research, U. of Florida, October 2004.
- Respondent, “Modernism's Traffic in Urban Women.” Cities of Women: The Filmic Portrayal of Urban Female Struggles. U. of Florida, December 2003.
- Cross-Atlantic Roundtable Participant. “The Auden Generation, Reconfigured.” Modernist Studies Association (Birmingham, U.K.), Oct. 2003.
- “Stevie Smith and the Children's Culture Concept.” Modernist Studies Association (Birmingham, U.K.), Oct. 2003.
- “Uneasy Alliances: Brooks, *Ebony*, and Postwar Race Relations.” Modernist Studies Association (Madison, WI), Nov. 2002.
- “Edith Sitwell: Emblem of Modernism.” Modernist Studies Association (Houston, TX), Oct. 2001
- “Modernist *mise en page*: Stevie Smith and Children's Literature.” Modernist Studies Association (Houston, TX), Oct. 2001
- “Plath, Advertising, and the Domestic Surreal.” Marxist Reading Group Conference (Gainesville, FL), March 2001.
- “Edith Sitwell's Facades of Empire: Performance, Race, Nation.” Modernist Studies Association (Philadelphia, PA), Oct. 2000.
- “Persephone in Florida: Greek Myth in Debora Greger's Poems” (with Mary Ann Eaverly). 20th Anniversary Symposium of the Center for Greek Studies at the University of Florida. (Gainesville, FL), February 2000.
- “Teaching Myth through Modern Poetry” (With Mary Ann Eaverly, Helen Sword, and Cynthia Bannon). American Women and Classical Myths (College Park, MD), Sept. 1999.
- “Excavating H.D.'s Egypt in *Palimpsest* and *The Walls Do Not Fall*” (with Mary Ann Eaverly). American Literature Association (San Diego, CA), May 1998.
- “Afro-Centric Archaeology in H.D.'s *The Walls Do Not Fall*” (with Mary Ann Eaverly). Southeast Women's Studies Association (Gainesville, FL), March 1998.
- “Alternative Masculinities in 1930s Industrial Britain.” Modern Language Association (Washington, D.C.), December 1996.
- “Interpretive Fictions: Reading Photographs and Literature.” Modern Language Association (San Diego, CA), December 1994.
- “‘Splendid Men’ of the Black Country: Documentary, Masculinity, and Industrial Britain in the 1930s.” 19th Conference on Literature and Film. Florida State University, January 1994.
- “Casting Shadows: Auden, Photography, and Documentary.” Cultural Studies in the 1990s Conference, University of Oklahoma, October 1990.
- “Notes Toward a Supreme War Poem: Auden's *Spain* and Cultural Memory.” Modern Language Association (Washington, D.C.), December 1989.
- “‘Selected Images’ and ‘Gardened Words.’” Midwest Modern Language Association (Minneapolis, MN), November 1989.
- “Fantasy as Counter-Narrative: The Subversive Text of Joyce's *Dubliners*.” James Joyce Conference (Philadelphia, PA), June 1989.

- “A War of One's Own: Auden's Photographic Vision in *Journey to a War*.” Modern Language Association (New Orleans, LA), December 1988.
- “Auden’s Reluctant ‘I’ in the Early Love Poems.” Midwest Modern Language Association (Columbus, OH), November 1987.
- “‘I walk among them taking photographs’: Auden's Documentary Vision in *Letters from Iceland*.” 12th Annual Colloquium on Literature and Film. West Virginia University, October 1987.

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## Public Talks

- "Broke and Healed": An Antiphonal Meditation," with Mitchell Stecker (spoken word and musical performance featuring poems by Gerard Manley Hopkins and Anne Sexton). Episcopal Chapel of the Incarnation on campus. Gainesville FL, March 2017.
- "London Calling: Poetry and Popular Music in the Modernist City." (Gallery talk and musical performance). Harn Museum of Art, June 2015.
- "Mighty Aphrodites: Classical Convergences in Art and Poetry" (with Mary Ann Eaverly). Harn Museum of Art, March 2015.
- "Three Modes of Maya Angelou: The Groove, The Grit, The Gravitas." Oak Hammock at the University of Florida, June 2014.
- "From Siouxsie Sioux to Suzie Bonebreaker: Femininity on the Edge." Talk-back for the film *The Punk Singer*. Hippodrome State Theatre, January 2014.
- "Sylvia Plath and the Dream Kitchen." National Poetry Month event. Alachua County Headquarters Library, April 2013.
- Symposium Panelist, "The Feminine Mystique at Fifty: 1963-2013." UF Center for Women's Studies and Gender Research, March 2013.
- “Everyday Ariel: Sylvia Plath and Domesticity.” Reinventing Domesticity Forum. UF Center for Women’s Studies and Gender Research, November, 2011.
- “Plath and the Discourse of Postwar Domesticity,” UF English Majors club, February 2007.
- Literary Connections: Marsden Hartley, American Modern. Harn Museum of Art, November 2006.
- “Celebrate National Poetry Month,” Talbot Elementary School, April 2004.
- “Celebrate National Poetry Month,” Flowers Montessori School, April 2003.
- “What is Poetry?” Holy Trinity Child Caring Center. March 2000 & 2001.
- “Sylvia Plath and the 1950s Kitchen,” Jewish Newcomers Club, April 2000.

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## UF Courses Taught

- 1950s Domesticity and UF Life (GenEd Quest 1)
- American City Poems
- American Women's Poetry
- CinePoetics
- Classical Tourism in Paris (team-taught with Mary Ann Eaverly for UF’s Paris Research Center)
- Confessional Poetry/Confessional Culture
- Desperate Domesticity: The American 1950s
- Documentary Books
- Film Analysis
- H.D. and Modernist Studies
- Introduction to Poetry
- Literature & Photography
- Literature & Social Consciousness in the 1930s
- Modern American Poetry
- Modern American Poetry & Design
- Modernist Studies & Pedagogy

- Post-Punk Cultures: The British 1980s
- Sylvia Plath and Her Cultural Afterlife
- Supersized: Modernist Long Poems & Epic Films
- Twentieth-Century British Poetry
- Women's Poetry
- Women Writers & Classical Myths (team-taught with Mary Ann Eaverly for CHPS and Honors College)
- Women's Writing & Pedagogy
- Writing About Literature

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## Professional Service

- Associate Editor, *Contemporary Women's Writing*. 2002-2013.
- Specialist reader for the scholarly journals *PMLA*, *Contemporary Women's Writing*, *Humanities*, *Journal of Cultural Research*, *Mosaic*, *Tulsa Studies in Women's Literature*, *Twentieth Century Literature*, *College Literature*.
- Specialist reader for Ashgate Press, University Press of Florida, University of Minnesota Press, Palgrave Macmillan, Routledge Press, University of Toronto Press.

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## Ph.D. Candidate Dissertations & Positions

- Elizabeth Lambert, "Marcel Proust, Architecture, and the Modernist Spatial Imaginary." 2023. Institute of Contemporary Art, Boston. Marketing Communications Specialist, Tulane University.
- Jacqueline Schnieber. "The Modernist (Con) Artist and the Hoaxes that Transformed German and American Novels." 2023. Lecturer, University of Hildesheim, Germany.
- Carolyn Bradley, "John O'Brien's *The Review of Contemporary Fiction*: A Love Letter," 2018. Proposal Development and Funding Specialist. Office of Research Development, Florida State University.
- Rob Short, "Big Books: Addiction and Recovery in the Novels of David Foster Wallace," co-directed with Trysh Travis. 2017. IT Consultant and President of the International David Foster Wallace Society.
- Andrea Krafft, "The Domestic Fantastic: Postwar American Fiction from Bradbury to Plath," 2015. Instructional Designer and Trainer, Tokio Marine Stop Loss Group. (Formerly Assistant Professor of Writing & Communication, Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College, GA.)
- Emily McCann, "Gothic Futures: Modernist Gothic, Women's Modernism," 2014. Northern Regional Bargaining and Advocacy Specialist, Florida Education Association. UniServ Consultant, Oregon Education Association.
- Megan Leroy, "Redefining Domesticity: Women's Poetry in Twentieth-Century America," 2014. Director of Teaching & Learning Center, Warrington College of Business, UF.
- Cortney Grubbs McLeod, "Confessing Captivity: Queer Narratives of Trauma by American Women Writers," 2010. Assistant Professor of English at Gordon State College, GA.
- James McDougall, "The Incorporation of Chinese Literature into Modern American Poetry," 2007. Associate Professor at Sichuan University, China.
- Jill Pruett, "Autobiography and the Business of Being Modern: Gertrude Stein, Josephine Baker, Sylvia Beach, and Elsa Schiaparelli in Paris," 2007. Assistant Teaching Professor at the U. of Massachusetts-Lowell.
- Kirsten Bartholomew Ortega, "The Poet Flâneuse in the American City: Gwendolyn Brooks, Adrienne Rich, Diane DiPrima, Audre Lorde," 2006. Associate Professor & Chair of English at the University of Colorado at Colorado Springs.

- Glenn Freeman, “Lyric Voice and American Individualism,” 2005. Professor of English & Director of MFA Program at Cornell College, Iowa.
- John Smith, “Men of the Cold War: Warrior Ethos and Domesticity in 1950s America,” 2002. Ret. faculty of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point.
- Steve Spence, “Photographic Culture and the American Thirties,” 1999. Professor of Media Studies at Clayton State University, Georgia .

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### **Department & University Service**

- Harn Museum Director Search Committee, 2018.
- Academy of Distinguished Teaching Scholars, 2014 -
- University Cultural Plaza Advisory Committee, 2011-
- Judge, Words on Canvas student writing competition (Harn Museum), 2023.
- CLAS Humanities Scholarship Enhancement Grant Selection Committee, 2013, 2008.
- Department Graduate Studies Committee (Placement), 2012 -
- Department Council (elected), 2014-, 2003-2005, 2000-2001.
- Department Merit Pay Committee, 2011-13.
- Grant Workshop presenter and reader, UF Center for Humanities and the Public Sphere, 2011.
- Department Curriculum Committee, 2009-2010.
- Judge, UF Woman Leader of the Year (Women’s Leadership Council), 2009, 2007.
- Department Tenure & Promotion Committee (elected): 2005-2007.
- Department Graduate Studies Committee (Admissions): 1998-2000, 2003-2006.
- CLAS Research Advisory Committee, 2003.
- CLAS Assembly Steering Committee, 2003-2004.
- Chair, Department Speakers Committee, 2000-2002.
- Department Hiring Committee, 2004, 1999, 1997.
- Phi Beta Kappa Selection Committee, 2000-2002.
- University Committee on Teacher Education, 1999-2002.
- Department General Education Committee, 1994-97.
- Department Chair Search Committee for English (elected), 1994.
- University Teaching Improvement Program (TIP) Advisory Committee, 1994.
- University Teaching Improvement Design Committee, 1992.
- CLAS Teaching Awards Selection Committee, 1992.
- Department Merit Pay Committee (elected), 1990-91, 1991-92, 1993-94, 2024-2025.

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### **Professional Memberships**

- Modernist Studies Association
- Modern Language Association
- H.D. International Society
- W. H. Auden Society