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EDUCATION

- 1997-1999 **Post-Doctoral Fellowship.** American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) Science, Technology, and Diplomacy Fellowship. Tenured at the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID).
- 1991-1994 **Ph.D. in Anthropology.** University of California, Los Angeles
Dissertation title: "The Hydra of Inequality in Brazil: A Case Study of Class, Gender, and *Qualidade* in the Northeast."
- 1990-1991 **M.A. in Anthropology.** University of California, Los Angeles
Thesis title: "Understanding *Qualidade*: Conceptions of Race, Color, and Status in Northeastern Brazil."
- 1986-1990 **B.S. in Foreign Service/Latin American Studies.** Georgetown University
Honors Thesis: "The Kayapó Indians of Brazil: A Case Study of Indigenous Peoples Affecting Development."

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2006-present **Assistant Professor of Anthropology & Gender Studies,** Saint Michael's College
Teaching: Introductory Anthropology; Anthropological Perspectives on Gender; Introduction to Gender Studies; Gender and International Development; Participatory Action Research
Service: Women's Center Advisory Board; Gender Studies Curriculum Review Committee; Lecture Fund Committee
- Spring 2006 **Fulbright Scholar,** National University of East Timor
- 1999-2006 **Adjunct Professor,** School of Foreign Service, Georgetown University
- 2001-2002 **Faculty,** Semester at Sea (Spring 2002)
- 1999-2001 **Visiting Assistant Professor of Anthropology & International Affairs and Acting Director of the International Development Studies Program** (MA level), The George Washington University
- 1994-1998 **Assistant Professor of Sociology/Anthropology,** Guilford College
(*On leave of absence 1997-1998*)
Teaching: Research Methods, Anthropology of Development, Latin America and Development, Ethnicity, Anthropology of Tourism, Visual Anthropology, Introduction to Cultural Anthropology, and Summer Field School on Tourism and Development
Service: Chair, Study Abroad Committee; Faculty Leader of semester in Guadalajara, Mexico; Chair of Anthropology Search Committee; Member of Latin American and African American Studies Committees; Member of International Studies Committee
- 1993-1994 **Visiting Lecturer,** University of South Alabama
Taught "Introduction to Cultural Anthropology"

- 1991-1993 **Teaching Assistant and Field Studies Coordinator**, University of California at Los Angeles
- Teaching Assistant for Introduction to Cultural Anthropology, Human Evolution, and Anthropology for Today.
 - Supervised undergraduate internships for cross-cultural field study.

SELECTED GRANTS and HONORS

- 2005-2006 **Fulbright Scholarship**, from the IIE Fulbright Commission for teaching and research. Tenured at the National University of East Timor.
- 2003 **Fellow**. Society for Applied Anthropology. Awarded following nomination by SfAA board in recognition of “demonstrated competence in research and application of behavioral science in contemporary societies”
- 1997-1999 **Post-Doctoral Fellowship**. American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) Science, Technology, and Diplomacy Fellowship. Tenured at the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID)
- 1993-1994 **Fulbright Scholarship** from the IIE Fulbright Commission for dissertation research in Brazil.
- 1992 **Graduate Fellowship** for research in Japan. Sasakawa Fund, U.C.L.A.
- 1990 **Rowe Citation** for outstanding undergraduate in Latin American Studies. Georgetown University

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Delaney, Patricia L. “Who Burned Down our House This Time?: Ethnography and Conflict in East Timor.” Practicing Anthropology. (Accepted “in principle” for publication in Spring 2009 edition.)

Delaney, Patricia L. (January 2005) “Strategy Paper: Gender and Context.” USAID Office of Transition Initiatives.

Delaney, Patricia L. (2003) "International Development" In Careers in International Affairs. Seventh Edition: pp. 279-282. Washington DC: Georgetown University Press.

Delaney, Patricia L., Beaulieu, Denise, & Noudegbessi, Bernice. (October 2002) “Orientation and Training For USAID/Benin Gender Committee & advice for Development of a Gender Strategy Implementation Plan.” Widtech Publications and USAID/WID Bulletin.

Delaney, Patricia L. (August 2001) DPM: Integrating Disaster Preparedness and Mitigation in Your Work. Washington DC: Peace Corps publication M0084.

Delaney, Patricia L. (May 2000) "The View from the Bottom: The Sociocultural Context of Natural Disasters." In High Level Research Consultation on Crisis, In Focus Programme on Crisis Response and Reconstruction. Geneva: International Labour Office.

Delaney, Patricia L. & Shrader, Elizabeth. (October 1999) “Gender and Post-Disaster Reconstruction: Honduras and Nicaragua in the Wake of Hurricane Mitch.” The World Bank. *Embargoed but available on-line*.

Delaney, Patricia L. (Summer 1994) “Many Colors Here: The Cultural Significance of Race Categories in Bolandreira, Brazil.” CAAS Report, 15:1-2.

Delaney, Patricia L. (Fall 1992) "Conceptions of Race, Color, and Status in Northeastern Brazil." California Anthropologist, 19(1):1-8.

Delaney, Patricia L. & Senturia, Kirsten D., eds. Anthropology UCLA. 19(1).

CONFERENCE PAPERS

"Who Burned Down our House This Time?: Reflections on Displacement, Conflict, and the Contestation of Cultural Identity, Again, In Timor Leste." Society for Applied Anthropology Annual Meeting. (March 2007)

"Gender and Development in Brazil, East Timor, and Angola." 13th Annual Hispanic Forum, University of Vermont. (October 2006)

"Moving Beyond 'Do No Harm': Anthropological Contributions to Policy and Practice in Disaster Work." Society for Applied Anthropology Annual Meeting. (March 2001)

"Gender and Hurricane Mitch: Constraints and Recommendations to the World Bank." Reaching Women and Children in Disasters Conference. Miami, Florida. (June 2000)

"Humanitarianism and Participation: Moving Beyond 'Do No Harm' in Disaster Mitigation and Response, A Call to Action." Participatory Development Forum. Ottawa, Canada. (August 1999)

"*Jeito Brasileiro* in Japan: Ethnicity, Identity, and Economic Strategies of Japanese-Brazilian Migrant Workers in Japan. Georgetown University Colloquium on the Japanese Diaspora, Library of Congress (April 1999).

"Anthropological Contributions to Family Planning: A Government-PVO Partnership. (Co-authored with Dr. Mary Willis) 14th International Congress of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences. (July 1998)

"Traditional Ethnography and the Anthropological Method in Policy Research: Lessons from Family Planning at USAID." 4th Qualitative Health Research Conference. (February 1998)

"The Decision to Lose Respect: Sex, Tourism, and Women's Decision-Making in Northeastern Brazil." Society for Applied Anthropology Annual Meeting. (March 1997)

"Mongongo Nuts, When Harry Met Sally, and Trilus or Why My Anthropology Professor Makes me Do Such Weird Stuff." Writing Across the Curriculum Third National Conference. (February 1997)

"Scandals, Crenes, and Promiscuity: Changing Definitions of 'Woman' and 'Respect' in Brazil's Northeast. American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting. (November 1996)

"*Candomblé and Qualidade*: Afro-Brazilian Religion and Resistance to Ethnic Inequality in Rural Northeastern Brazil." Ethnicity and Multiethnicity Conference, Brigham Young University-Hawaii. (May 1995)

"Environment, Development, and Political Economy." Session Co-Chair and Co-Organizer. Southern Anthropological Association Annual Meeting. (April 1995)

"The Rise and Fall of *Roça* Peasant Agriculture in Northeastern Brazil." Southern Anthropological Association Annual Meeting. (April 1995)

“*Temos Força: The Power of Afro-Brazilian Song, Dance, and Ritual as Mechanisms of Resistance in Northeastern Brazil.*” Southeastern Council on Latin American Studies Annual Meeting. (March 1995)

Redefining Women’s Roles: Developing New Social Communities in Societies in Transition. Session Co-Chair and Co-Organizer. American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting (November 1995)”

“*Nordestinas em Transe: Women, Development, and Transitions in Northeastern Brazil.*” American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting. (November 1995)

“Development and Change: Lessons from Bahia, Brazil.” Session Chair and Organizer. International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association. (September 1995)

“Ethnicity and Tourism: Transition in the Northern Littoral of Bahia.” International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association. (September 1995)

“Women, Stratification, and the Deleterious Consequences of Capitalist Development in Rural Brazil.” American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting. (December 1994)

“Ethnicity, Stratification and Change in Rural Northeastern Brazil.” Southern Anthropological Association Annual Meeting. (April 1993)

“Men and Women in *Bolandeira*: An Analysis of Cognitive Categories and Life Experiences in Rural Brazil.” Rediscovering America 1492-1992 Conference: National, Cultural, and Disciplinary Boundaries Re-Examined. (February 1992)

INTERNAL GRANTS

2006 **Junior Faculty Summer Stipend**, Saint Michael’s College.

1995 **Dean’s Research Grant** for ethnographic research in Brazil and Cuba. Guilford College.

1994 **Keenan Grant** for faculty development. Guilford College.

1992- **Pre-Doctoral Fellowship** for dissertation research in Brazil. Center for
1993 Afro-American Studies, University of California, Los Angeles.

1991 **Student Affiliated Scholar**. Center for Afro-American Studies, University of California, Los Angeles.

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL PUBLICATIONS

“Gender Needs Assessment.” USAID/El Salvador. (June 2007)

“Angola Third Social Action Fund Monitoring and Evaluation.” Fundo de Apoio Social (FAS)/ Angola (August 2006)

“Building Community in the Maryland International Corridor: Education, Outreach, Community.” City of Takoma Park, Maryland. (January 2005)

“PRA/RRA Working Paper.” Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance, USAID. (October 1998)

“Community-Based Animal Health Services in the Greater Horn of Africa: An Assessment.” Co-authored with Hunt McCauley and Andrew Catley. Washington DC: USAID/USDA Famine Mitigation Activity. (May 1998)

“Recomendação Para Pesquisa Formativa.” Prepared for CARE-Mozambique with funding from USAID/G/PHN/Population. (December 1997)

“Management Review of CARE Population and Family Planning Expansion Project for FY 1997.” Prepared for the Office of Population, USAID. (August 1997)

SELECTED SPEAKING INVITATIONS

“Applied Methods in Anthropology.” Guest speaker at University of Vermont. (April 2007)

“Lessons from the Field: The Hot Spot Initiative.” Invited panelist at Community-Based Research Institute, hosted by Campus Compact at the University of Vermont. (March 2007)

“Gender and International Development.” Guest speaker at Burlington College. (March 2007)

“The Global Perspective.” Invited Speaker at the Milton/Colchester Rotary Club. (December 2006)

“Learning to Eat With Chopsticks: The Rewards and Challenges of Thinking Globally Every Day.” Keynote address at the Vermont Women in Higher Education Annual Meeting. (October 2006)

Invited Panelist at United States Institute of Peace (USIP) Workshop on “Rebuilding East Timor Again.” (July 2006)

Invited Panelist at United States Department of State Workshop for East Timor Scholars. (July 2006)

“Gender and Disasters,” CHF International Brown Bag Series (September 2005)

“International Development: The View from the Field.” Invited speaker for the Master's of Science in Foreign Service Program, Georgetown University. (October 2001)

“Poverty Eradication: Gender, Participation, and Community Involvement.” Invited Speaker for Leland/Emerson Hunger Fellows, Congressional Hunger Center. (June 2001)

“Disasters and International Relief: The State of the Humanitarian Community.” Annual Keynote address to the American Jewish Committee, Detroit Chapter. (June 2000)

“Gender and Development: Opportunities and Realities.” Invited speaker for the Master's of Science in Foreign Service Program, Georgetown University. (March 2000)

“Participation and Disaster Management: Applying the Lessons of Community-Based Development to Hurricane Mitch.” Invited speaker for Brown Bag Lecture Series, The Program on Social Change and Development, SAIS, Johns Hopkins University. (September 1999)

“Humanitarianism and Development: Constraints and Opportunities.” Invited speaker for International Affairs program, University of Delaware. (May 1999)

“Participation and Assessment in the Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance: An Insider's Perspective.” Invited speaker for PRA Short Course, American University. (January 1999)

“MREs vs. Beans and Rice: Constraints in the Relief to Development Continuum.” OFDA Bi-Annual PVO/NGO Conference. (November 1998)

“Anthropology and USAID: Challenges and Opportunities.” Invited speaker for Graduate Seminar in Development, George Washington University. (October 1998)

“ENSO After Action – the Washington Perspective.” OFDA/Latin America El Niño Southern Oscillation After Action, Lima, Peru. (September 1998)

“Community-Based Animal Health Services in the Greater Horn of Africa.” Part of team presentation to USAID/OFDA, GHAI, and the Africa Bureau. (June 1998)

“The Insider Dilemma Revisited: Reflections on the ‘Nationalization’ of NGO Staff in International Development. Invited speaker for the Department of Anthropology Colloquium Series, University of Pittsburgh. (February 1998)

“Democracy and Racial Democracy in Brazil: Reflections on the Recent Presidential Election.” Invited Speaker for the Center for Latin American Studies, Georgetown University. (March 1996)

“*Estratificação e mudança no Reconcavo Bahiano*,” Universidade Federal da Bahia, Brazil. (August 1995)

“Race and Ethnicity in Brazil.” Invited Speaker for Latin American Colloquium, Departments of Spanish and Portuguese, Georgetown University. (March 1995)

APPLIED EXPERIENCE

May 2005- Present **Independent Researcher**

Conducted applied research; completed policy analyses; and designed and implemented participatory training workshops in international relief and development in over twenty countries in Africa, Latin America, and the Pacific. *An illustrative list of recent projects includes:*

- Rapid Assessment Expert, Colombia Initial Government Response Program (IGRP), Implemented by Creative Associates Incorporated, Funded by USAID/OTI (July – August 2007)
- Gender Expert and Team Leader, Integrated Coastal and Watershed Management , Social Impact sub-contract to Development Alternatives Incorporated, USAID/El Salvador (May 2007-June 2007)
- Team Leader and Monitoring and Evaluation Specialist, Social Action Fund of Angola (*January 2006-August 2006*)

January 2002- April 2005 **Expert Consultant and Associate Director**, Peace Corps

- Mentored over one hundred Peace Corps Volunteers and provided special support in the areas of cross-cultural adaptation, grassroots development, and gender and development.
- Served as Associate Peace Corps Director for Peace Corps/Tonga (2004-2005)
- Served as Acting Country Director and Associate Director for Peace Corps/East Timor (2002-2004)
- Completed expert consultancy on Disaster Preparedness and Mitigation for Peace Corps Headquarters. Oversaw publication and launch of materials for Peace Corps worldwide. (2002)
- Spearheaded the design and start-up of programming and training for Peace Corps in East Timor.

February 1999-
November 2002

Independent Researcher

Conducted applied research; completed policy analyses; and designed and implemented participatory training workshops in international relief and development in over twenty countries in Africa, Latin America, and the Pacific. *An illustrative list of applied projects includes:*

- **Team Leader and Gender Consultant**, Widtech Technical Assistance Project, USAID/Benin (June-August 2002)
- **Study Director and Community Organizing Team Leader**, Maryland International Corridor Hot Spot Initiative. (December 2000 - December 2001)
- **Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation Specialist**, Social Action Fund of Angola (April 2000 - December 2001)
- **Community-Based Disaster Specialist**, Consultant to Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance (OFDA), U.S. Agency for International Development (September 1999- June 2000)
- **Participatory Needs Assessment Specialist**, The Carter Center (April-June 2000)
- **Gender Consultant**, Women's Commission for Refugee Women and Children (November 1999 to December 1999)
- **Researcher and Author**, Latin America & The Caribbean Region, The World Bank Group (July 1999 -October 1999)
- **Social Science Analyst/ Regional Manager**, African Development Foundation (February 1999 - July 1999)

August 1997 -
February 1999

Social Science Advisor and Technical Advisor, U.S. Agency for International Development (AAAS Fellow)

- Completed field assessments on animal health in East Africa, women's participation in Afghanistan, and disaster training in Brazil.
- Executed monitoring visits and drafted recommendations for activities including: HIV/AIDS prevention in Ghana; Population and Environment in Uganda; and Child Survival and Child Spacing in Mozambique.
- Provided social science technical input in the areas of western/non-western medicine interface, community-based programming, culturally appropriate Information, Education, and Communication, population and environment, gender and methodology design.

TRAINING COURSES and WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

- ◆ Submitting a Book Prospectus in Anthropology. American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting (October 2006)
- ◆ Education Sector Workshop, Ministry of Education of Kingdom of Tonga. (April 2004)
- ◆ Sub-Regional Programming Workshop, Peace Corps Pacific Region. October 2003)
- ◆ Overseas Staff Training Course, Peace Corps Headquarters. (June 2003)
- ◆ International Labor Organization InFocus Programme on Crisis Response and Reconstruction High-Level Research Consultation Workshop. (May 2000)
- ◆ African Development Foundation Bi-Annual Workshop. (February 1999)
- ◆ Participation in Development, IDS Study Workshop 15. A workshop for the staff of multilateral and bilateral agencies and international NGOs. (December 1998)
- ◆ USAID-Brazil Annual Environment Meeting and Workshop. (November 1998)
- ◆ OFDA Disaster Assistance Response Team (DART) course. (October 1998)
- ◆ Disaster Preparedness Workshop, OFDA-Latin America. (September 1998)
- ◆ Rural Rapid Appraisal and Participatory Rapid Appraisal. (May 1998)
- ◆ OFDA Assessment Course. (May 1998)
- ◆ People Oriented Planning, UNHCR. (March 1998)

- ◆ Nud.ist data management workshop, Qualitative Health Research Conference. (February 1998)
- ◆ CARE BP 2000 Workshop. Workshop for CARE staff, implementing partners, and USAID staff in family planning and reproductive health. (September 1997)
- ◆ Teaching Anthropology Workshop, Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association. (November of 1995 and 1996)

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING SESSIONS DEVELOPED

- ◆ "Rapid Assessment Methodology Workshop." Center for Integrated Action, Office of the President, Government of Colombia (August 2007)
- ◆ "Gender 101: Introduction to Gender Analysis," Integrated Conservation and Watershed Management Project, USAID/El Salvador (June 2007)
- ◆ "Advanced Workshop on Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation," Social Action Fund of Angola. (August 2006)
- ◆ "Integrating Anthropology in Health Settings," Institute for Health Innovation (March 2006)
- ◆ "In Service Training," Peace Corps/East Timor and Peace Corps/Tonga (2003 and 2004)
- ◆ "Project Plan Workshop," Peace Corps/East Timor (March 2003)
- ◆ "Information Gathering: Tools and Techniques," State Department, Bureau for Population, Refugees and Migration. (December 2001)
- ◆ "Research Methods Training: Design, Fieldwork, and Analysis," Refugees International. (October 2001 and July 2002)
- ◆ "Technical Meeting on Applied Anthropology," Quality Assurance Project, Center for Human Services. (October 2001)
- ◆ "Participatory Learning and Action: A workshop for young professionals," Georgetown University Masters of Science in Foreign Service Program. (March and October 2001)
- ◆ "Disaster Preparedness and Mitigation at the Peace Corps," Training of Trainers, Peace Corps/Washington DC. (October 2001)
- ◆ "Disaster Preparedness and Mitigation in the Education Sector," Peace Corps/Madagascar. (August 2001)
- ◆ "Advanced Workshop on Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation," The Social Fund of Angola (August 2001)
- ◆ "Disaster Preparedness and Mitigation and Project Cycle Management," Training for Peace Corps Country Directors and staff, Palau. (July 2001)
- ◆ "Introductory Workshop on Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation," The Social Fund of Angola. (February 2001)
- ◆ "Participatory Learning and Action in Civil Society Programming," A Workshop for The Carter Center (April 2000)
- ◆ "Context of Disasters" and "Research Methods in Assessments," Assessment Course, OFDA/USAID. (November 1999)
- ◆ "Sub-Regional Workshop in Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation" in Zanzibar, Tanzania, African Development Foundation. (June 1999)
- ◆ "Key Interview Skills for Development," Georgetown University Masters of Science in Foreign Service Program. (March 1999)
- ◆ "Rapid Rural Appraisal and Disasters" Workshop for OFDA/Washington staff. (February 1999)
- ◆ "Incorporating Holism" and the "Relief to Development Non-Continuum," Disaster Assistance Response Team" (DART) Training for OFDA. (October 1998)
- ◆ "Apreciación Participativa Local" Workshop for OFDA-Latin America staff. (September 1998)
- ◆ "Culture" and "Information Gathering Techniques," OFDA Assessment Course. (May 1998)

LANGUAGE ABILITY

English, Portuguese, Tetum (East Timor), Spanish, and elementary Tongan.

PROFESSIONAL TRAVEL

Latin America: Brazil (*resident 4 years*), Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Guyana, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Peru

Africa: Angola, Benin, Botswana, Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Madagascar, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa, Tanzania, Uganda, Zimbabwe

Asia/Pacific: Afghanistan, China, Fiji, India, Japan, Palau, Timor Leste, Tonga, Vanuatu, Vietnam

SERVICE

Sustaining Fellow, Society for Applied Anthropology (2007)

Fellow, Society for Applied Anthropology (2004-2007)

Mentor, National Association of Practicing Anthropologists (2001-present)

External Reviewer, Human Organization (1998-present)

External Reviewer, Journal of Peacekeeping & Development (2003 – present)

Volunteer, Vermont Refugee Resettlement Program (2006 – present)