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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Education (Socio-Cultural Studies), University of California, Davis, 1993.
M.A. in Education (Curriculum and Instruction), University of California, Davis, 1991.
B.A. in English, Jilin University, People's Republic of China. 1982.
Diploma in Albanian, Shanghai Foreign Institute. 1970-1973.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

2015-Present University Endowed Professor for Global Leadership Studies
Professor, Educational Leadership and Policy Studies
Director, Asian American Studies Center, University of Houston.
Director, Asian International Programs.

2010-2015 Professor, Educational Leadership and Policy Studies
Director, Asian American Studies Center, University of Houston.
Director, Asian International Programs.

2002-2010 Professor, Educational Leadership and Cultural Studies
Director, Asian American Studies Center, University of Houston.
Director, Asian International Programs.

1996-2002 Associate Professor, Educational Leadership and Cultural Studies, UH
Director, Asian American Studies Center, University of Houston.
Director of the Asian International Programs.

1995-1996 Director, Asian American Studies Center. Coordinator, Asian International
Program. Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Educational Leadership and
Cultural Studies, College of Education, University of Houston.

1994-1995 Postdoctoral Fellow and Research Associate, School of Education, University of
Wisconsin-Madison.

- 1993-1994 Graduate Thesis Supervisor, Department of Educational Administration and Policy Studies, School of Education, California State University, Sacramento.
- 1989-1992 Lecturer, Chinese and Japanese Department, University of California, Davis.
- 1991-1992 Lecturer, Educational Foundations, Division of Education, UC Davis.
- 1989-1991 Research Assistant, Graduate Studies Division, University of California, Davis.
- 1989-1991 Assistant Editor, Anthropology and Education Quarterly.
- 1986-1988 Chair, Department of Foreign Languages, Changchun Science and Technology Institute, Changchun, Jilin Province.
- 1978-85 Lecturer, Department of Foreign Languages, Changchun Science and Technology Institute.
- 1985 English Interpreter, Metallurgical Industrial Ministry of People's Republic of China (worked in China, France, Sweden and Belgium).
- 1977-1978 Albanian Instructor and Interpreter for Albanian Technicians to study at the Changchun First Automobile Works and Jilin Iron and Alloy Plant, Jilin Province, People's Republic of China.
- 1976 Albanian Interpreter, Chang Chun Film Studio. Translated Four Albanian Movies into Mandarin Chinese for the National Theater Show. Provided translation for lip sync dubbings of four movies: Early Spring; Last Winter; Cut Off Devil's Claws; Oil Explosion.
- 1973-1976 Albanian Interpreter, Foreign Affair Office of Shanghai Government.

PUBLICATIONS

Books

- Coulson, H. **Zou, Y.** and Fernandez, F. (in press). *Transformational University Leadership in the 21st Century*. Emerald Publishing.
- Gonzalez, J., Zou, Y., Liew, J. and Curtis, G. (in press). *Family literacy practices in Asian- and Latinx families: Educational and Cultural Considerations*. Springer Nature Switzerland AG. Gewerbstrasse, Switzerland.
- Zheng, Z. and Zou, Y. (in review). *The Houston Chinatown: Its Origin and Transformation*.
- Yang, F., Zou, Y. and Poimbauf, R. (Eds), (2014). *Knowing China by Learning Chinese Culture and Chinese People*. Tianjin, Tianjin University Publisher China.
- Yang, F. and Zou, Y. (Eds.) (Under Review). *Learning China at Zero Distance*. Tianjin, Tianjin University Publisher China.

- Zou, Y. & Trueba, H. T. (Eds.). (2002). *Ethnography and education: Qualitative approaches to the study of education*. Boulder, Rowman & Littlefield Publisher, Inc.
- Zou Y., & Trueba, H. T. (Eds.). (1998). *Ethnic identity and power: Cultural contexts of political action in school and society*. New York, NY: State University of New York Press.
- Stutts, A., & Zou, Y. (1997). *Successful management and operation: In the service industry: A cultural perspective*. (Chinese). Beijing: Central University for Nationalities Press.
- Trueba, H., & Zou, Y. (1994). *Power in education: The case of Miao university students and its significance for American culture*. London: Falmer Press.
- Trueba, H., Rodriguez, C., Zou, Y. & Cintron, J. (1993). *Healing multicultural America: Mexican immigrants rise to power in rural California*. London: Falmer Press.

Articles and Book Chapters

- Fernandez, F., Coulson, H., and **Zou, Y.** (2021). Leading in the eye of a storm: A case study of crisis management and disaster resilience. *Studies in Higher Education*.
- Li, Y.M., White, C., and **Zou, Y.** (2021) "Living with Solitude": Narrative of a female college student from rural China. *British Journal of Sociology of Education*.
- Coulson, H., Fernandez and **Zou, Y.** (under review). Sharing credit with an open heart: An intersectional study of university leadership. *Higher Education*.
- Gonzalez, J., Liew, J., Zou, Y. & Curtis, G. (2021). "They're going to forget about their mother tongue": Influence of Chinese beliefs in child home language and literacy development. *Journal of Early Childhood literacy*.
- Craig, C., **Zou, Y.**, & Curtis, G. (2019). Moving from arrogance to acceptance: Narratively shifting perceptions through a China study abroad programme. *Pedagogies: An International Journal*.
- Zou, Y.** Craig, C. Wu, Q. and Bourdeau, G. (under review)). The American dream and the Chinese dream: Through college students' eyes. *Asia Pacific Journal of Education*
- Craig, C., You, J., **Zou, Y.**, Curtis, G. & Poimbeauf, R. (under review). Fishing for topics in teaching and teacher education: Finding Publishable Research in Large Data Pools. *Education Studies*.
- Craig, C., You, J., **Zou, Y.**, Verma, R., Stokes, D., Evans, P. & Curtis, G. (2018). The narrative nature of embodied knowledge: A cross-study analysis of teaching, learning and living. *Teaching and Teacher Education*, 71, 327-340.

- Craig, C., **Zou, Y.**, & Curtis, G. (2018). The developing knowledge and identity of an Asian American teacher: The influence of a China study abroad experience. *Learning, Culture and Social Interaction*, 17, 1-20.
- Zou, Y.** & Li, M. (2017). Confucius Educational Philosophy and Educational Style and its Relationship to the Modern Education of China and Abroad. Issue No.1 of Academic Journal of Hainan Tropical Ocean University of China.
- Mu, Z. & **Zou, Y.** (2017). The Role of Scholarship in Spring and Autumn Periods' Literature. Issue No.1 of the Academic Journal of Fu Zhou University, China.
- Wu, Q., **Zou Y.**, & Zheng Z. (2017). Survey and Analysis of the Value of University Students in Beijing based on the Spindler's Values Projective Technique, *Issue no. 4 of the Journal of Guizhou Normal University (Social Science)*
- Fan, W., **Zou, Y.**, & Bahrman, J. (2016). Choice to take advanced placement course(s) in preparing students for STEM majors: The role of identification with academics and school motivation. *International Journal for Cross-Disciplinary Subjects in Education*, 7(4), 2913-2917.
- Craig, C., **Zou, Y.**, & Curtis, G. (2016). Preservice teachers' reflective journaling: A way to know culture. In J. C. Lee, & C. Day (Eds.), *Quality and change in teacher Education: Western and Chinese perspective*. New York, NY: Springer Publishing.
- Zou, Y.**, Craig, C. J., & Poimbeauf, R. (2016). What the West could learn from the East: a reflective analysis. *Teachers and Teaching: Theory and Practice*, 22(7), 842-857.
- Mu, Z. & **Zou, Y.** (2016). Xi Zhou Dynasty and Scholarship. Issue No.1 of the Academic Journal of Xiamen University, China.
- Craig, C., **Zou, Y.**, & Curtis, G. (2015). Journal writing as a way to know culture: Insights from a travel study abroad program, *Teachers and Teaching: Theory and Practice*, 21(4), 472-489.
- Craig, C., Zou, Y. & Poimbeauf, R. (2015). A narrative inquiry into schooling in China: Three images of the principalship, *Journal of Curriculum Studies*, 47(1), 141-169.
- Craig, C. J., Zou, Y., & Poimbeauf, R. (2014). Narrative inquiry as travel study method: affordances and constraints. *Asia Pacific Education Review*, 15(1), 127-140.
- *Zou, Y., Craig, C., & Poimbeauf, R. (2015) China study trips: Expanding teacher and leadership horizons. *Journal of Intercultural Education*.
- *Craig, C., Zou, Y., & Poimbeauf, R. (2015). Journal writing as a way to know culture: Insights from a Travel Study Abroad program. *Teachers and Teaching: Theory and Practice*.

* Craig, C. Zou, Y. & Curtis, G. (2015). From arrogance to acceptance: Narratively shifting the 'I-It' to the 'I-Thou' through reflection. *Learning, Culture and Social Interaction*.

Zou, Y., & Craig, C. J. (2015). Traveling, living and learning in a diverse setting. *The International Journal of Diverse Identities*.

Zou, Y., & Craig, C. (2015). What the West could learn from the East: A reflective analysis *Journal of Educational Research*.

* Zou, Y., Craig, C., & Poimbeauf, R. (review). Principal as lead teacher, agent of harmonious community and teacher maker: One narrative account; three interpretive images. *Journal of Curriculum Studies*.

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Chapter

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Zou, Y (2005). Ethnographic Encounters in China. Special issues to dedicate to Dr. Henry Trueba. *International Journal of Qualitative Studies in Education*.

Zou, Y. (2003). A Chinese American woman's struggle for success and self-discovery in the academy. In J. Cintrón, L. Jacobs, C. Canton, and H. Trueba (Eds.), *The politics of survival: Narratives of unexpected success in academia*. Rowman & Littlefield Publishers Inc.

Zou, Y. & Pang, Z. H.(2002) Comparative study of Chinese and American university students' value systems. *Youth Study of China*.

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- Zou, Y. (2001). The Voice of a Chinese Immigrant in America: Reflections on research and self-Identity. In H. Trueba and L. I. Bartolome (Eds.), *Immigrant Voices: In Search of Educational Equity*. Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, Inc.
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- Trueba, H., & Zou, Y. (1998). Introduction: Rethinking ethnic identity and power. In Y. Zou, & H. T. Trueba (Eds.), *Ethnic identity and power: Cultural contexts of political action in school and society* (pp.1-25). New York, NY: State University of New York Press.
- Zou, Y., & Li, S. (1997). Cultural conflicts, fusion and adjustment when transnational corporations enter China. *Monograph of Beijing International Conference on Business Ethics*. (pp. 48- 52). Beijing: International Business Forum.
- Zou, Y. (1993). Woodland in Yolo County. In Trueba, H., Rodriguez, C., Zou, Y. & J. Cintron. (Eds.), *Healing multicultural America: Mexican immigrants rise to power in rural California* (pp. 52-74). London: Falmer Press.

Translation of books, Articles, Films and Movies

- Zou, Y. (1988). *The Structure of Aesthetics*. Translated into Chinese. Worker's Press of China.
- Zou, Y. (1976). *Early Spring*. Translated from Albanian into Chinese and was dubbed into Chinese on national media and all theaters in P.R.C.
- Zou, Y. (1976). *Last Winter*. Translated from Albanian into Chinese and was dubbed into Chinese on national media and all theaters in P.R.C.
- Zou, Y. (1976). *Cut Off Devil's Claws*. Translated from Albanian into Chinese and was dubbed into Chinese on national media and all theaters in P.R.C.
- Zou, Y. (1976). *Oil Explosion*. Translated from Albanian into Chinese and was dubbed into Chinese on national media and all theaters in P.R.C.
- Zou, Y. (1983-1984). Various translations of a dozen articles from English to Chinese from the *American Agricultural Research*.

Conference Proceedings

Zou, Y. & Craig, C. (2019). The Intersection of the American Dream and the China Dream: Experiences of Traveling to and from China and America and Back Again. Presented in the World Education Research Association Conference 2019 on Future of Democracy and Education: Realizing Equity and Social Justice Worldwide, August 5-8, 2019 in Tokyo

Zou, Y. (2018). Comparative Study of American and Chinese University Value System. Beijing Normal University

Zou, Y. (2018). China Study Abroad Program: Expanding Students' Learning Horizons. Presented at WERA 2018 world Congress, 3-5 August 2018, Cape Town, South Africa.

Zou, Y. Craig, C. Wu, Q. and Bourdeau, G. (2018). The American Dream & the Chinese Dream: Through University Students' Eyes. Presented in 16th Annual Conference of Hawaii International Conference on Education. January 6th-9th, 2018).

Craig, C. & Zou, Y. (2017) In search of the good life: Perspectives of American and Chinese college students. Proceedings of the World Education Research Association Conference. Hong Kong, CN: Education University of Hong Kong.

Zou, Y. and Rickey, F. (2016). Diversity Integration: An Effective Strategy for Promoting Students' Success in Higher Education. International Conference on Global Education in Taipei, Taiwan.

Zou, Y., Craig, C. & Poimbeauf, R. (2014) 14th Annual Conference on Diversity of Organizations, Communities, and Nations. *Traveling, Living and Learning in a diverse setting: The China Study Abroad Program*. Vienna, Austria.

Zou, Y., Craig, C., & Poimbeauf, R. (2013). 11th Annual Hawaii International Conference on Education. *Journal writing as a way to know culture: Insights from a travel study abroad program*. Honolulu, Hawaii.

Zou, Y., Craig, C., & Poimbeauf, R. (2013). 11th Annual Hawaii International Conference on Education. Narrative inquiry as travel study method: affordance and constraints. Honolulu, Hawaii.

Zou, Y., Craig, C., & Poimbeauf, R. (2012). The 10th Annual Hawaii International Conference on Education. *China study trips abroad: An exploratory study*. Honolulu, Hawaii.

Professional Paper Presentations

Zou, Y. & Craig, C. (2019). The Intersection of the American Dream and the China Dream: Experiences of Traveling to and from China and America and Back Again. Presented in the World Education Research Association Conference 2019 on Future of Democracy and Education: Realizing Equity and Social Justice Worldwide, August 5-8, 2019 in Tokyo

Zou, Y. (2018). Comparative Study of American and Chinese University Value System. Beijing Normal University

Zou, Y. (2018). China Study Abroad Program: Expanding Students' Learning Horizons. Presented at WERA 2018 world Congress, 3-5 August 2018, Cape Town, South Africa.

Zou, Y. Craig, C. Wu, Q. and Bourdeau, G. (2018). The American Dream & the Chinese Dream:

Through University Students' Eyes. Presented in 16th Annual Conference of Hawaii International Conference on Education. January 6th-9th, 2018).

Fan, W, **Zou, Y** and Arbona C. (2018). Identification with Academics and School Motivation in Predicting Students' choice in majoring in STEM. Sydney, Australia. 2018 International Conference on Education (ICEPL-Sydney 2018)

Fan, W. and **Zou, Y.** (2018). Measuring Academic Procrastination: Its Reliability and Validity. Sydney, Australia. 2018 International Conference on Education (ICEPL-Sydney2018)

Craig, C. & **Zou, Y.** (2017). Being and becoming an academic: A female perspective. Hong Kong, CN: University of Hong Kong.

Craig C., **Zou, Y.** and Evans, P. (2017) The Embodied Nature of Narrative Knowledge: A Cross-Study Analysis of Teaching, Learning and Living. San Antonio, TX. 2017 AERA

Zou, Y. (2017). American Resources Allocation in Higher Education. Paper Presentation at Beijing Educational Finance and Resource Allocation Conference. Beijing, China. January 16th, 2017

Zou, Y. and Rickey, F. (2016). Diversity Integration: An Effective Strategy for Promoting Students' Success in Higher Education. International Conference on Global Education in Taiwan. October 14-16, 2016

Fan, W. H. and **Zou, Y.** (2016). Identification with Academics, School Motivation and AP Courses in Preparing for Stem Majors. Paper Presentation at the International Conference at Dublin, Ireland. (April 24-27)

Craig, C, & Zou, Y. (2016). Trolling for topics in a Qualitative Research Pool: Finding stories worth telling in narrative inquiry. Paper presentation at the American Educational Research Association Conference, Washington, DC. (April 8-12)

Zou, Y., Craig, C., & Curtis, G. (2015). The knowledge and identity of an Asian American teacher: Impact of China study abroad experience. Paper presentation at the American Educational Research Association Conference, Chicago, IL. (April 16-20)

Zou, Y., (2015). Equity and quality in higher education: Global challenges. Paper presentation at Think Tank Construction Forum, Beijing Normal University, Beijing, China. (January 25-26)

Zou, Y. Craig, C. (2014). *Traveling, living and learning in a diverse setting: The China Study abroad program*. At 14th Annual Conference for the Diversity of Organizations, Communities and Nations. Vienna, Austria.

Zou, Y. (2014). China Study Abroad Program: Expanding student learning horizons. Presented at Gullen Institute Conference at UH Hilton (February 19, 2014).

Zou, Y., Craig, C. (2014). From arrogance to acceptance: narrative shifting "I-It" to the "I-Thou" through reflection. (2014 AERA Annual Meeting on April 3-7, 2014)

Zou, Y. Craig, C. Poimbeauf R. (2013) Narrative Inquiry: A Research Method for Travel Study. (2013 AERA Annual Meeting on April 27-May 1, 2013)

Craig, C., **Zou, Y.**, and Poimbeauf R. (2013) What the West Can Learn From the East: A Reflective Analysis". (2013 AERA Annual Meeting on April 27-May 1, 2013).

Zou, Y., Craig, C and Poimbeauf R. (2013) Journal Writing as a Way of Knowing Culture: Insights from a Travel Study Abroad Program. Presented in 11th Annual Conference of Hawaii International Conference on Education. January 6th-9th, 2013).

Zou, Y. Craig, C. Poimbeauf R. (2013) Narrative Inquiry as Travel Study Method.. Presented in 11th Annual Conference of Hawaii International Conference on Education. January 6th-9th, 2013).

Horn, C., **Zou, Y.** and Curtis (2013). University Automatic Admission Policies: A potentially long and deep reach. International Conference on University Access and Admission Policies. Beijing. China

Zou, Y. and Horn, C. (2013) Higher Education Administration at Private University Presidents forum organized by China Educational Association. Beijing, China

Fan, W., & **Zou, Y.** (Summer, 2012). *The mediating role of school motivation in linking student victimization and academic achievement*. Paper presented at the 19th International Conference on Learning, London, UK.

Zou, Y., Craig, C and Poimbeauf R. (2012). *China Study trips: Expanding Horizons of Graduate Students Knowing*. Presented in Hawaii International Conference on Education. January 4-9, 2012)

Zou, Y. Craig, C. Poimbeauf R. (2012). *China Study Expanding Teacher and Leadership Horizons*. (2012 AERA Annual Meeting on April 11-16, 2012)

Craig, C., **Zou, Y.**, and Poimbeauf R. (2012). *One Principal's Reconstructed Field Text: Three Researchers' Interpretive Lenses*". (2012 AERA Annual Meeting on April 11-16, 2012).

Zou, Y. (2007). How to prepare UH students for global education, UH System Faculty Executive Committee's Conference, April, 2007 UH Clear Lake.

Zou, Y. (2006). A Chinese American Woman's Struggle for Success and Self-Discovery in the Academy. At the International Women's Day Conference. UH Clear Lake, October 2006.

Zou, Y. (2006). How professional training improve the quality of work force. At the First China Work Forum. Kunming, Yunnan Province, China, August 2006.

Zou, Y. (2006). Cross-cultural and transnational understanding. Chinese Minority Leadership Training Program. September 22, 2006. UH Campus

Zou, Y. (2006). Higher Education Leadership: Global Perspectives. At the China Tian Jin University Administrators' Training Program. October, 2006, UH Campus

Zou, Y. (2005) Keynote Speaker at the Minority Women's Leadership Training Programs. November 27-December 5, 2005, Beijing

Zou, Y. (2005). The Importance of Chinese Teachers' Training and HSK Test in the United States. Beijing, July 5th 2005

Zou, Y. (2004). Women's Leadership: Global Perspectives. At the China Minority Women Leader's Conference at the Institute for China Minority Women Leaders. Beijing, November 6, 2004

Zou, Y. (2004) Keynote Speaker of Minority Leadership Development and Progress. at the Women's International Forum at Beijing. October 15-16, 2004

Zou, Y. (2004). Minority woman's education: Comparative studies in both American and China at the Conference of "Education Reform and Woman's Education" in Beijing June 18 2004.

Zou, Y. (2004). Cross cultural understanding at the Changchun Professional Training Program March 17, 2004

Zou, Y. (2001). China Educational Reform and Economic Development. Third World Conference Foundation. Chicago. 2001 (March 21-24).

Zou, Y. (200). History of Educational Ethnography. National Ethnographic Research Conference. Houston. 2000 (February 11-12).

Zou, Y. (1999). Psychosocial identity development of Korean -American Adolescents. American Educational Research Association. Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada. 1999 (April 19-23).

Zou, Y. (1999). The Secret of Success: Asian American resiliency. Conference of Coming to America: Asian and Latino/an Experiences in the 1990's. Houston, TX, 1999 (April 15-16)

Zou, Y. (1998). A Vygotskian approach to empowerment: The experiences of Chinese immigrant revisited. American Educational Research Association, Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, 1998 (April 13-17).

Zou, Y. (1998). The Challenges of multicultural settings: theories of multicultural education, equity, and achievements. American Educational Research Association, Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, 1998 (April 13-17).

Zou, Y. (1998). Issues affecting the education of Chinese American students. American Educational Research Association, Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, 1998 (April 13-17).

Zou, Y. (1998). Critical issues in Asia and Southeast Asia. 24th Annual Third World Conference, Chicago, 1998 (March 18-21).

Zou, Y. (1997). China's economic development and its role in educational reform. 23 rd Third World Conference. Chicago, 1997 (April 20)

Zou, Y. (1997). The role of Chinese mothers in their children's education: motivating minority children to achieve excellence. American Anthropological Association, Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C. 1997 (November 20).

Zou, Y. (1997). From Chinese immigrant to Chinese American scholar: A process of empowerment. American Anthropological Association, Annual Meeting, Washington, DC. 1997 (November 20).

Zou, Y. (1994). Empowerment of Miao minority students in China: Dilemmas faced by critical ethnographers. American Educational Research Association, Annual Conference, San Francisco, 1995 (April 18-22).

Zou, Y. (1994). Empowering Miao students in China: Questions of dominance, ideology, and ethnicity. American Anthropological Association, Annual Meeting, Atlanta, 1994 (November 4-11).

Zou, Y. (1992). An Ethnohistorical Account of Minority Populations in Woodland from 1850 to the Present. American Educational Research Association, Annual Conference, Chicago, 1992 (April).

Invited Presentations

How to Conduct Ethnographic Research in Education, Presented to Beijing Normal University, China. December 20th, 2016

Educational Research Philosophical Assumptions, Paradigms and Conceptual Framework. Presented to Beijing Normal University, China, December 21st, 2016

Power in Education: A Case Study of Chinese Ethnic Minority Students' Academic Achievement. Presented to Beijing Normal University, China, December 22nd, 2016.

How to Write a Research Paper, Presented to Tianjin University English Teachers, In Tianjin University Administrative Building, March, 2012

Cross-Cultural and Transnational Understanding: Higher Education Reform. Presented to the Chinese Education Ministry Delegation, UH Farish Hall, November, 2011

Diversity Issues in Education Administration, Presented to Sichuan Educational Group, UH 208 Farish, July, 2011

Higher Education Management. Presentation to the Chinese Education Ministry Delegation, UH Cullen 220. November, 2006

Blending Eastern & Western Cultures: Creating a New Art Expression. UH Alumni Center, November 10, 2006.

China Economic Development and its impact to Globalization. International Day Celebration. Chevron Corporation, Houston, April 2006

Cross Cultural and Transnational Understanding: Comparative perspectives on women's issues both in the United States and China for a Chinese Minority Leadership Delegation. Houston, November 29, 2005.

Socio-Political Reality: Education as a Fundamental Human Right. 2003 Fulbright Foreign Students Houston Seminar: Global Issues- Global Challenges: Education and Human Resource Development. March 6-9, 2003.

Cross-Cultural Training for Houston Rockets. September 25, 2002

Important Roles of Private Universities plays in Chinese Modern Educational Development. Xian International University, September 21, 2002.

Comparative Study of Minority Education both in United States and People's Republic of China. Beijing, Central University for Nationalities, July 8, 2001.

Cultural and Social Impact of Marco Returning to China. Houston, 1999 (December 20)

Cultural Differences: Eastern Culture and Western Culture. International Conference on Hotel Management Strategies in 21st Century, Guang Zhou, China. 1999 (August 9-11)

The Impact of Cultural Differences on Hotel Management. China National Tourism Administration. Beijing, China. 1999 (March 11-15)

'Critical Pedagogy: Its Theories and Theorists, and Educational Issues concerning Asian, Hispanic, and African American Students' Phi Delta Kappa, University Park Chapter, 1999 (March 8th).

"Cross-Culture Negotiation". Houston, Amoco Corporate, 1998 (September 22)

"Educational Reform in China". Houston, US Chinese School Association, 1998 (October 3).

"The impact of South-east Asian economic crisis on China economic development." Houston: Asia Economic Conference, 1998 (March 26).

"Understanding China from Cultural and Social Perspectives." Houston International Association Conference, 1997 (December 19).

"Chinese Culture and Chinese People." Chinese Professional Association, Houston, 1997 (November 11).

"The Future of Hong Kong after July 1, 1997." Organized by the Asian American Studies Center and Consulate General of People's Republic of China, Houston, 1997 (June 27).

"The Cultural Impact of Hong Kong Returning to China." Chinese Organizations, Conference Organized by Thirty Chinese Organizations in Houston, 1997 (June 21).

"China and Hong Kong after Deng." Conference Organized by the Asian American Studies Center and the Departments of History and Economics of the University of Houston, 1997 (April 20).

"Dilemmas Faced by a Chinese Ethnographer in China." Public Lecture presented at Harvard University, 1997 (February 20).

"Successful business management in the United States and economic reform in China." Presented at the Conference Organized by China Economic Reform Committee, Beijing, 1997 (April 8-11).

"Successful hotel management in the United States." Presented in the Workshop Organized by China Economic Reform Committee, Beijing, 1996 (October 4-11).

"We are the true wonder of the world" Invited keynote address, Ethnic Organization Council of the University of Houston, Annual Award Meeting, Houston, 1996 (April 28).

"Minority Education in the United States." Central University for Nationalities, Beijing, China, 1995 (June 2).

"Preparing Students for 21st Century Global Community." Invited keynote address, Asian Cultures Awareness Day, University of Houston, 1995 (April 11).

"Doing Ethnographic Research in Schools." Central University for Nationalities, Beijing, China, 1995 (May 31).

"New Direction of Vocational College in China." Invited by the Jilin Province Educational Commission, Changchun, China, 1994 (July 8).

"Culture and Learning" Invited by American Educational Association, Annual Conference, New Orleans, 1994 (April).

"Twenty-first Century Education in China." Invited by the State Educational Commission of People's Republic of China. National Education Conference, Beijing, China, 1994 (July 17).

"New Trends of Social Science and Educational Research in the United States" Invited by State Educational Commission of People's Republic of China and Beijing Municipal Educational Bureau. National Education Conference, Beijing, China, 1994 (July 19).

"Moral Education in the United States" Invited by State Educational Commission and Beijing Municipal Educational Bureau. National Education Conference, Beijing, China, 1994 (July 20).

"Foreign Language Teaching in Higher Education". Higher Educational Association Conference, Changchun, People's Republic of China, 1988.

"Foreign Languages Curriculum Reform". Higher Educational Association Conference, Beijing, People's Republic of China, 1987.

"Discussion of Foreign Languages Teaching Methodologies". Jilin Province Higher Educational Association, Annual Conference, Jilin, P.R.C., 1985.

Panel Discussant

"Issues Affecting the Education of Chinese American Students." American Educational Research Association, 1998.

"Critical Issues in Asia and Southeast Asia." 24th Third World Conference, 1998.

"Re-imagining the Instructional Context." American Anthropological Association 96th Annual Meeting, 1997.

"Chinese Economic Reform and Its Impact on Social and Political Reform." 23rd Third World Conference, 1997.

Editorial Roles and Contributions in Professional Journals

(2004) Immigrants and Transnationals at Work: Immigrant and Transnational Experience.
Laham, Maryland: Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, Inc.

2002- Co-Editor of a New Rowman & Littlefield Series, Adaptation of Immigrant
Communities. A Cross-Cultural Approach to International and Transnational
Phenomena.

(2003) The politics of survival: Narratives of unexpected success in academia. Rowman &
Littlefield Publishers, Inc.

(2002) Ethnography and Education: Qualitative approaches to the study of education. Boulder,
Rowman & Littlefield Publisher, Inc.

Member, Editorial Board, Educational Researcher (Journal for the American Educational
Research Association), 1998-2000

Editorial Assistant, Anthropology and Education Quarterly, Vol. 22, No 1-4, 1991.

Editorial Assistant, Anthropology and Education Quarterly, Vol. 21, No 4, 1990.

Book Reviewer, Challenges of urban education: Sociological perspectives for the next century.”
State University of New York Press, 1998.

Book Reviewer, Cultural and critical perspectives on human development: Implications for
research, theory, and practice. State University of New York Press. 1999.

Received Research Grant and Professional Development Contract

Multicultural Success Initiative (11/28/2019-5/30/2022)	\$400,000.00	2019
Global Leadership Training Program (1/10-5/30/2019)	\$700,629.00	2019
Small Funding for Global Leadership Workshop (9/14/2018)	\$7000.00	2018
Grant for Global Leadership Studies (3/10-8/10/2018)	\$696,129.00	2018
Three Small Professional Training Contracts 8/1-12/30/2017	\$40,220.00	2017
Grant for Global Leadership Studies Program 3/1/2017-8/30/2017	\$457,512.00	2017
Grant for Global Leadership Studies Program 12/12/2015-5/30/2016	\$457,257.00	2016
Small Fund for Global Leadership Studies for Judges. October 2016	\$13,220.00	2016
Small Fund for Cultural Awareness Event	\$7,000.00	2016
Grant for Global Leadership Training	\$456,800.00	2015
Grant for Global Leadership for Talented Youth	\$18,000.00	2015
Small Grant for Human Resources Management	\$10,000.00	2015
Fund for Business Executives	\$9,000.00	2015
Fund for Training for Judges	\$9,500.00	2015
Grant for a book Project: “Chinese Society and its Politics”	\$25,000.00	2015
Grant for Global Leadership Training	\$456,800.00	2015
Grant for a book Project: “Chinese Society and its Politics”	\$25,000.00	2015
Provost’s Faculty Travel Fund	\$1,000	2012
Provost’s Faculty Travel Fund	\$750	2012
Global Leadership Studies Certificate Program (K-12-00127)	\$426,233.00	2012

Human Resources Executive Certificate Program (K-12-00791)	\$111,650.00	2012
Professional Project Management Certificate Program K-12-00923	\$219,167.00	2012
Business Management Training Program K-13-00016 (9/12-9/25/12)	\$80,600.00	2012
Higher Education Administrators Training Program (k-12-00129)	\$209,200.00	2012
Getting to Know Chinese Culture from the Perspective of Foreigners	\$20,000	2011
Project Management Training Program (K-11-00743)	\$226,692.00	2011
Project Management Training Program (K11-007542)	\$227,931.00	2011
Human resources Management (K-12-00126)	\$ 78,780.00	2011
Financial Petroleum Industry Financial Training (K-12-00127)	\$426,233.00	2011
English Teachers Teaching Strategy	\$ 12,500.00	2011
Sino American Cultural Foundation	\$13,200.00	2011
Project Management Training	\$207,369.00	2010
Finance and Accounting Training Grant	\$819,236.00	2009
Project Management Training Grant	\$177,000.00	2009
Finance and Auditing Group Training Grant	\$819,236.00	2008
Project Management Training Grant	\$177,000.00	2007
Exxon Mobil Foundation	\$7,500.00	2007
American Confucius Foundation	\$600.00	2007
Asian Pacific Institute Research Grant	\$ 33,700.00	2006-2007
Exxonmobil Foundation	\$6,000.00	2006
Project Management Training	\$24,000.00	2006
Chinese Minority Leadership Training	\$10,000.00	2005-2006
Project Management Training	\$8,500.00	2005
Asian Business Management Training	\$9,500.00	2005

Spencer Foundation Grant (\$36,000) to organize a national conference entitled " The role of educational ethnography in pedagogy: critical ethnography in a global and interdisciplinary perspective". December, 1999.

Spencer Foundation (\$247,300 three-year research grant), “Achievement Factors among Best Latino, Asian and Anglo-American High School Students in Houston: An Ethnographic Study of Learning Environments and Strategies across Languages and Cultures.” Co-principal investigator with Dr. Trueba, 1998.

Spencer Foundation (101,025.65) Achievement factors among best Latino, Asian and Anglo-American High School Students in Houston: An ethnographic study of learning Environments. (18 case studies) Principal investigator, 2001

McGovern Fund (\$5,000.00) Asian American Studies,		2001.
Proposal for Developing Vietnamese Courses	(\$5,000.00)	2004
McGovern Fund for Asian American Studies.	(\$3,000.00)	2004
McGovern Fund Asian American Studies	.(5,000.00)	2003
Asian Business Leadership Training	(\$10,000.00)	2003-2004
PeroChina Management Training	(\$8,500)	2004-2005
Changchun Public Administrators Training	(\$5000)	2004
20 Scholarships for UH students and Houston community members to go to China for Chinese Cultural Studies sponsored by Chinese Educational Ministry.		(2002)
24 Scholarships for UH students and Houston community members to go to China for Chinese culture studies sponsored by Chinese Educational Ministry		(2003)
12 Scholarships for UH Students and Houston community members to go to China for Chinese culture and language studies.		(2004)
12 Scholarships for UH students and Houston community members to go to China for Chinese culture studies sponsored by Chinese educational Ministry		(2005)
Yunnan Province Art Performance Delegation (1,500.00) The impact of Art on Children's Cognitive development.		(2001)
McGovern Fund for Asian American Studies Scholarship.	(5,000.00)	2000
Guanxi Province Young Entrepreneur Association Minority Economic Development in China: The Roles of Young Entrepreneurs. Principal Investigator,	(\$10,000.00)	1998
Conrad Hilton Foundation Designing Cross-Cultural Curricula in Hotel, Restaurant Management, Principal Investigator,	(\$20,000.00)	1998
Asian International Program from College of Optometry,	(\$3000.00)	1998
Houston Assembly of Delphian Chapters), Award for purchasing a portable slide projector,	(\$200.00)	1998.
Asian American Community, City of Houston’s Donation to support the Asian American Studies Center's Programs.	(\$ 10,000.00)	1998

University of Houston grant for sponsoring academic programs of the Asian American Studies Center,	(\$25,000.00)	1998
Conrad Hilton Foundation Culturally Based Curriculum Reform, Principal Investigator,	(\$20,000.00)	1997
Sponsor Office, University of Houston “Cultural and Cognitive Conflicts Faced by Asian-American Students in the University of Houston,” Principal Investigator,	(\$2,000.00)	1997
Shenzhen City’s “Training Chinese Scholars Project”	(\$8,000.00)	1997
Conrad Hilton Foundation “Cultural Modifications of Hotel and Restaurant Management Instruction for work in the People’s Republic of China,” Principle Investigator,	(\$20,000.00)	1996.
Asian American Community, City of Houston to support the Asian American Studies Center's Programs,	(\$20,000.00)	1996
Proposal for the Establishment of the Asian American Studies Center at the University of Houston, Awarded by UH Provost Office	(\$ 150,000.00)	1995.
University of Wisconsin-Madison Awarded a Grant to support a Book Project: Ethnic Identity and Power: Cultural Contexts of Political Action in School and Society, Principal Investigator,	(\$ 28,000.00)	1994.
University of Wisconsin-Madison Awarded a Grant to support a research Project on Minority Education in China and its Significance for American Culture, Principal Investigator,	(\$12,000.00)	1992
University of California, Davis Awarded a Grant to support a Research Project on Mexican Immigrants Rise to Power in Rural California, Principal Investigator, (\$5,000)		1990.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO ACADEMIC PROGRAMS AND INSTRUCTION

New Academic Programs Created

Created the Asian American Studies Center at the University of Houston

China Abroad Study Program of the University of Houston

Academic Specialization in Asian American Studies

Minor in Asian American Studies

Certificate Program for Educational Leadership

Asian International Program

Visiting Scholars Program

Global Leadership Training Program

Chinese Standard Test (HSK)

New Courses Developed

CUST 2300: Introduction to the Asian American Studies

CUST 4300: Asian American Cultures and Communities

CUST 3397: Business Environment in China

CUST 3310: Asian American Communities in Popular Culture

CUST 3315: Asian American Experiences of Migration and Transnationalism

CUST 3397: Vietnamese American Community & its Culture

CUST 4397: Vietnamese American History & Experience

CUST 4320: Asian American Literature and Identity Issues

ELCS 6397: Modern China and Economic Development

ELCS 8397: Educational Anthropology I: Theory and Literature

ELCS 8397: Educational Anthropology II: Practice and Research

SAER 8320 Ethnographic Methods in Educational Research

CUST 2300 Introduction to Asian American Studies: Global Education in China

CUST 4300 Asian American Cultures and Communities: Chinese People,
Chinese Cultures and Chinese Society

CUST 8378 Current Issues in Education: Global Education in China

ELCS 8338 Administration of Higher Education in Multicultural Settings:
Global Leadership of Higher Education in China

New Courses Taught:

CUST 6397: Introduction to the Asian American Studies

CUST 6398: Asian American Cultures and Communities

ELCS 3320: Multicultural Environment in Urban Settings

ELCS 6360: Educational Foundations of Sociology

CUST 6311: Education in Multicultural Society

ELCS 6397: Modern China and Its Economic Development

ELCS 6398: Special Topics: Chinese Culture and Chinese History

CUST 7310: Laboratory Experiences and Research in Multicultural Society

CUST 7311: Research in Multicultural Education: Ethnic Groups in China

CUST 7360: Global Education

ELCS 8397: Education and Anthropology

SAER 8320: Ethnographic Research in Education

Supervision of Students

2020-2021 Advisor for 10 doctoral students: Trang Phan, Gerald Bourdeau, Esmeralda Naldez , Kerry Ademosu, Amy Matsumoto, Stephenia Perez, Karim Quardi, Holly Prevost, Alexa Schwartz and Andie Beer.

2018-2020 Advisor for 10 Doctoral Students: Trang Phan, Ha Thi Nguyen, Gerald Bourdeau, Esmeralda Naldez , Kerry Ademosu, Amy Matsumoto, Stephenia Perez, Karim Quardi, Holly Prevost and Alexa Schwartz.

2017-2018 Advisor for Doctoral Students: Trang Phan, Ha Thi Nguyen, Gerald Bourdeau, Esmeralda Naldez , Kerry Ademosu, Amy Matsumoto and Holly Prevost

2017-2018 Supervised Post-Doctoral Fellow, Dr. Wu, Qian

2017-2018 Supervising Undergraduate Students: 64 students enrolled in Asian American

2016-2017 Advisor for Doctoral Students: Trang Phan, Ha Thi Nguyen, Gerald Bourdeau, Esmeralda Naldez and Kerry Ademosu

1998-2003 Directing Spencer Research Team: Judith Radigan, Ruth Silva, Min-Chih Wang, Jose Martinez, Frez Diaz, Hendrick Winters, James Idea, Robert Hecher and Sang Kim.

1998-2020 Supervised 85 **Visiting Scholars** and finished 72 research papers.

Professor Guojun Yang, Professor Zhang Li, Professor Zhang Dongyan, Professor Yang, Zhuihui, Prof. Duan, Hong, Mr. Piao Yong, Dr. Wang Qiang, Mr. Qin, Hongjun, Ms. Zhang, Ling, Mr. Wang, Gehua, Ms. Guo Lei, Ms. Guli Smayi, Dr. Seela Abraham, Ms. Karman Kurban, Prof. Ten Fu, Mr. You Fuyong, Dr. Wen Kahua, Prof. Luo Xu Hua, Mr. Wang Yong, Mr. Deng Zhusheng, Mr. Song Jijiang, Mr. Wu Fuliang, Mr. Liu Jun Hou, Zeng Fangqin, Pro. Jia Zhimin, Prof. Tian, Li Dong, Prof. Wang Shou Yi, Prof. Li Lan, Mr. Ha Hu, Prof. Mo, Ailin, Ms. Hu, Manhua, Mr. He Guangxi, Wang Shu Hua,

Prof. Haerhee Baeck, Prof. Li, Xihui, Ms. Su Lin, Prof. Guan Hai Ge, Prof. Li Xiao Rong, Ms Zhang Ling and Professor Zhuo Heng Pang. Dr. Zhang Weixing, Mr. Hu Yongjian, Prof. Shi Lin and Mr. Qian Guohua, Hu, Man Hua, Liu Zuo Kai, Li Yiqun, Jiang Wenli, Yuan Xueguo, Yang Zhuhui Prof. Qi Yuying and Cui Lei, Prof. Gao, Jing Ping, Prof. Li Xihui, Wang Shuhua, Gao, Jingping, Henry Li, Woods Jia, Can Wang, Dr. Zhou Hai Tao; Prof. Zhou Haiyan, Dr. Shang, Hongjuan; Cathy Yuan; Dr. Zhu Binbin, Dr. Xing Jinming, Dr. Zhou Haitau, Dr. Lin Zuotao; Prof. Liu Jing, Professor Li Zhenyu, Professor Mu Zhai; Dr. Wang Lanying, Ms. Hu Xiao Ming and Ms. Zhai Juanhua, Dr. Qian Wu, Dr. Ma, Xiaoxue, Dr. Feng, Zhuo, Ms. Lina Lu, Ms. Tian Tian, Prof. Yan Zhan, Dr. Pinghui Zhu, Prof. Xiaomei Ding and Prof. GuoJun Yang

- 1996-2017 Supervised, or on the dissertation committee of, **doctoral students** (97)
 Trang Phan, Ha Thi Nguyen, Gerald Bourdeau, Esmeralda Naldez, Li Ran Feng, Carol Humphreys, Kathleen Watson, Meichi Wang, Huili Fan Huili Chang, Saekyung Kim, Tony Talbert, Mary Wollin, Deborah Buell, Maria Traus, Keith Mandabach, Judy Bartasis, Theresa. Art, Awar Keshta, Jose Martinez, Frez Diaz, Cici Wong, Subrina Nguyen, Ruth Silva, Storm Anderson, Lilian Binns, John Johnson, Theresa Hilman, Subrina Nguyen; Jassica Hirshorn, Kathleen Watson, Emily Summer, Sujung Ou, Eugenia Chen, Sandra Mannelli, Hendrick Winters, Linda Quintanilla, Kathleen Monohan, Mohammad Nasser Saghaye-Biria, Stella Ho, Grechen Jacson, Rita Hernandez, Rita Poimbeauf, Grace Huey-Yuh Lin, Edwin A. Davis, Judy Campbel Goldstein, Michael W. Emerson, Jassica deValentino, Adriana Higgins, Tyron Tanner, Karen Yeh, Vali Balasubramanyam, Steven Fullen, Traci Jensen, Kathy Wisenbaker, Jason Apodaca, Christopher Witschonke, May Dowson, Subrina Marsh, Judith Owens, Allegra McGrew, Anjana Mudambi, Campbel Khalilah, Carlos Phillips, Aretha Matthews, Seth Batiste, Alison Von Bergen, Daniele Brown, Cory Owen, Jerry Pyka, Lateki Lewis, Robert Bell, Sarwat Jafry, Glenda Horner and Ann Stiles. R. Mac Griswold; Chiliang Yu; Mosadi Porter; Lillian Wangjagi, Lisa Johnson, Maryam Hussain; Alison Von Bergen. Anne Monahan Carlos Phillips, Khalilah Campbell-Phone, and Lisa Johnson ;Jerry Pyka; Neely kim ;Lewis Lateki; Chiliang Yu; Brad Powell; Amber Kamdar and Fan Wu, Trang Phan, Esmerlda Valdez, Koryn Dillard, Keri Myrick and Gerald Bourdeau
- 2013-2019 **Five Postdoctoral Fellows: Dr. Gayle Curtis, Dr. Maryam Hussain and Dr. Amanda Rolle, Dr. Yumei Li and Dr. Qian Wu**
- 1996-2012 Supervised Master's students in their research efforts toward M.A (12).
 (B. Rodriguez, C. Chang, T. Phan, Cardi Cheng, Iris. Wang, Vicki West, and Yiting Cai, Ben Vera, Mary Moran and Kendra Weber, Matt Avery (Anthropology department) and Naz Delshad.
- 1996-2012 Chair or Co-chair of the Dissertation Committee of **Doctoral Students** (20)
 Awar Keshta, Mary Wollin, Fred Diaz, Cici Wong, Kathleen Watson, Lilian Binns, Thresa Hilman, Sandra Mannelli, Jessica Hirshorn Hendrick Winters, Linda Quintanilla, Kathleen Monohan and Tyron Tanner, Saekyung Kim, Kathleen Harrell, Adriana Higgins, Jessica

DeValentino and, Cory Owen, Jerry Pyka.

Professional Organizations: Proposals/Books Reviewer

Book Reviewer, Ambivalent Urban, Immigrant Identities: Discourse, Identity, and Lao American Student by Bic Ngo. State University of New York Press, 2008

Book Reviewer, Cultural and Critical Perspectives on Human Development: Implications for Research, Theory, and Practice, State University of New York Press, 1999

Book Reviewer, Challenges of Urban Education: Sociological Perspectives for the Next Century.” State University of New York Press, 1998.

Reviewer, Scholarly Proposal, Division G, American Educational Research Association, 1995-1998.

Reviewer, Research Proposal, Spencer Foundation, 1995.

Membership in Professional Organizations

1989- American Educational Research Association

1989- American Anthropological Association

1989- National Association for Bilingual Education, U.S.A.

1997- Chinese American Educational Research and Development Association.

2005- Asian American Studies Association

Professional Organizations: Offices and Appointed Positions

2001- Board Member of China Educational Foundation

1993- Member, Nominations Committee, American Educational Research Association, Division G, the Social and Cultural Context of Education.

1997 Program Co-Chair, Division G, American Educational Association.

1989- American Anthropological Association. Council on Anthropology and Education. U.S.A.

1996- Special Advisor, National Minority Educational Research Association in China.

1995- Board Member, Third World Conference Foundation.

HONORS AND AWARDS

2020- Board of Advisors for George H. W. Bush Foundation for US-China Relations.

2019- American Education Research Association (AERA) Narrative SIG Outstanding Publication Award for the co-authored article “The Embodied Nature of Narrative Knowledge: A Cross-Study Analysis of Embodied Knowledge in Teaching, Learning, and Life” published in *Teaching and Teacher Education*.

2016- Principal Advisor for Educational Leadership and Policy Studies for Beijing ArtBright Education Group

2015- Magnet Advisory Committee Member for Houston Independent School District

2015- Foreign Educational Expert in Higher Education Institute of Chinese Education Ministry

2015- Guest Professor of Higher Education Institute in Beijing Normal University

2015- Distinguished Research Fellow for Shanghai Educational Science Academy

2015- Visiting Professor of Jilin Hua Qiao University of Foreign Languages.

2014- Member of the Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi

2006- Advisor for Zhong Shan University in Beijing, China

2006- Guest Professor for Northwest University for Nationalities in China

1994- Guest Professor for the Central University for Nationalities, China

2005 -Member of Board Trustees of Houston Ballet Foundation

2005- Board Member of Chinese News

2001- Guest Professor of Tianjin Normal University of China.

1996- Board Member of Asia Society at Texas

2000- Advisor for the Special Education College of Changchun University of P.R.C

Gala Chair for 58 Anniversary Celebration of People’s Republic of China in Houston (880 people attended) September 29, 2007

Chair of 2006 Houston Community Cultural Celebration Performance (60 Organizations in Houston and 1500 people attended)

Chair of 2006 Houston Community Cultural Celebration Performance (60 Organizations in Houston and 1500 people attended) February 2006

Outstanding Asian American Leadership Award by Houston Community 2006, UH Hilton

Distinguished Leadership Award by the Houston Chinese Northeast Friendship Association (January 2006)

President of Houston Chinese North East Friendship Association (2005-2007)

Honorary Advisor for the Journal:” Psychological Health Education for Elementary and Middle Schools” in China (2006-present)

Advisor for American Confucius Foundation, 2008

Research Excellent Award, College of Education, University of Houston (2003)

Vice President of the Third World Conference Foundation (1997-present)

Outstanding Asian Pacific American Employee Award from Mayor Bill White (2004)

Outstanding APA Employee of the University of Houston at the “They Serve with Honor” Banquet, OCA-Greater Houston Chapter February 26, 2004

Advisor for the Special Education College of Changchun University of P.R.C (2000-present)

Educational and Economic Development Advisor of the Pulan Dian City Government in China (2000-present)

Educational Economic Development Advisor of the Hechi City Government in China (2000-present)

Award for the Great Contributions to the Minority Education of the People's Republic of China. Beijing, 2004.

College Education Research Excellent Award 2003

Excellent Service Award from National Federation of Filipino American Association 2003

Advisor for the President of the Central University for Nationalities in Beijing (2001-present)

Outstanding Contributions to the World Peace, Houston, May 2002

External Funding Achievement Award, College of Education, University of Houston (2001)

Advisor of the National Minority Research Center of People's Republic Of China (2000-)

Award from the National Ethnographic Research Conference for outstanding research and contributions to Students Research., University Hilton (February, 2000)

Excellent Research Award, College of Education, University of Houston. (1998-1999).

Phi Beta Delta Honor Society for International Scholars, (1998).

Outstanding Leadership to the Asian American Community at the University of Houston by Asian Students' Association at the University of Houston, (1996).

Board Member of the Chinese Community Center, Houston, (1996-1999).

Board Member of the College of Art and Science of Governors University in Chicago, (1995-present).

Honorary President of the Beijing International Business Institute, (1996-present).

Honorary Professor of the Central University for Nationalities in Beijing, (1994-present).

Yali Zou Scholarship for Miao Students' Excellent Achievement in the Central University for Nationalities in Beijing, (1994-present).

University of California Scholarship, University of California, Davis, (1993).

National Teaching Excellence Award of People's Republic of China, (1988).
(This is the highest teaching achievement award in higher Education in the People's Republic of China).

Provincial Teaching Excellence Award by the Jilin Province Educational Commission, (1988).

Outstanding Teacher Award, Changchun Science and Technology Institute, (1987).

Outstanding Teacher Award, Changchun Science and Technology Institute, (1986).

Teaching Excellence Award, Jilin Province Teaching and Research Association, (1986).

PUBLIC SERVICE

International and National

2020-	Board of Advisor for George H. W. Bush Foundation for U.S.- China Relations.
2017	Judge for Universal Miss China Pageant organized by Hong Kong Phoenix Television
2017	Judge for Global Chinese Arts and Music Grand Prix organized by Chinese Times Newspaper
2016 2015	Chair for the Event of “Experiencing China” Nov. in UH Hilton Advisor for China Higher Education Institute

- 2006 Member of Mayor Bill White's Delegation to China
- 2006 Co-organizer of China First Work Forum with China Social Security Research Institute at Kunming, Yunnan, China. August, 2006
- 2005 Co-organizer of 5th International Conference on Diversity in
Organizations, Communities and Nations in Beijing (June 30th-July 3rd 2005)
- 2003 Member of Mayor Lee Brown 's Delegation To China
- 2002- Advisor for Special Education College of Changchun University, China
- 2001- Advisor for the Central University for Nationalities in Beijing, China
- 2001 Co-Chair for the World Peace Art Competition with New York Art Center
- 2001 Chair of the International Gala of the Third World Conference Foundation
- 2001- Honorary Professor of Tianjin Normal University in People's Republic of China
- 2000- Advisor for the National Minority Association of the People's Republic of China
- 1998- Board Member of the Third World Conference Foundation, Chicago, IL
- 1998- Consultant for the Prudential International
- 1999 Member of Mayor Lee Brown Delegation to China
- 1997 American Educational Association, Division G Program Co-Chair.
- 1996- Honorary President of the Beijing International Business Institute.
- 1995- Board Member of the College of Humanities of Governors University in Chicago.
- 1994- Honorary Professor of the Central University for Nationalities in Beijing.

Regional and Local

- 2017 Member of Houston Mayor Sylvester Turner's Mission to China
- 2013 Advisory Board Committee for HISD Magnet Schools
- 2011 Advisor for Establishing Bilingual Elementary School in HISD

- 2000- Board Member for Houston North-East Association
- 2007 Gala chair for 58 Anniversary Celebration of People’s Republic of China in Houston (880 people attended) September 29, 2007
- 2006 Chair of 2006 Houston Community Cultural Celebration Performance (60 Organizations in Houston and 1500 people attended)
- 2004-2006 President of Houston Chinese North East Friendship Association
- 2005- Member of Trustee of Houston Ballet Foundation
- 2005 Advisor for Chinese Times (Newspaper)
- 2004 Co-chair of the National Day Celebration Gala at Westin Galleria Hotel
- 2002- Board Member of Houston Corporate University (appointed by Houston Mayor Lee Brow)
- 2001- Director of Chinese Standard Test in Southern Part of America.
- 2000-2004 Asian Business Women Forum.
- 2001- Member of the Consulting Committee of Chinese Community Center, Houston
- 1997 Chair, Hong Kong Returning to China Activities Committee.
- 1996- Board Member of the Asia Society in the State of Texas.
- 1996-1999 Board Member of the Chinese Community Center, Houston.

University of Houston

- 2020 Hobby School for Public Affairs Visiting Professor Search Committee
- 2017-2020 Provost Global Education Advisory Committee
- 2019-2020 Provost Global Engagement Committee Member
- 2019-2020 Provost ASPIRE Global Institute Committee Member
- 2018 Assisting Provost Office and Dean’s Office of the College of Education to discuss with Beijing Normal University for establishing Joint-Ed.D.
- 2018 Assisted International Scholar and Students Service Office to have pre-orientation Event in Beijing Normal University (June 2017 around 50 people participated) Program

2017	Assisted Provost Office to negotiate the establishment of Joint-Ed.D Program between university of Houston and Beijing Normal University
2017	Assisted International Scholar and Students Service Office to have pre-orientation Event in Beijing Normal University (June 2017 around 80 people participated)
2016-2017	Member of the Dean's Review Committee
2015-	University Global Advisory Committee
2013	Member of the Search Committee of the Vice Provost for Global Strategies and Studies of the University of Houston
1995- 2013	Supervising the Visiting Scholars to the UH from Asian Countries and directed their research projects. .
1995-2013	Providing Leadership for the UH Global Leadership Training Programs (Over 1600 Participants)
2006-2009	Member of the University Grievance Committee
2005	Co-organizer of the event of Asian American Cultural Celebration at UC Arbor, May 2005
2004	Assisted Chairman of Board Regents of the University of Houston System, Bo Smith and his wife Josanna Smith to visit China for exploring collaboration opportunities for UH System (June 29 to July 6)
2004	Co-organizer of the conference entitled: "Asian against Domestic Violence" (January 31).
2004	Organizer of the Conference" Cultural Therapy" at UH Campus (February 28)
2002-present	Member of the University of Houston Presidential Commission on Status of Women
2001	Assisted Dean Gupta of the College of Technology to develop faculty and Students exchange program with Beijing Post Communication University and Beijing Science and Technology Institute
2001	Assist Dean Estes of the Honors College and Associate Dean Brown-Guillory of the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences to visit China to explore the collaborative projects with China institutions
2000	Organizing a National Conference entitled: "The role of educational ethnography in pedagogy: critical ethnography in a global and interdisciplinary perspective."
1998-2002	Member, University of Houston Presidential Commission on the Status of Woman
1996-present	Directing UH China Study Abroad Program

- 1999 Member, Search Committee for the Position of the University of Houston Vice Chancellor and Vice President for Public Relations
- 1999 Member, Search Committee for the Position of the University of Houston Vice Chancellor and Vice President for Institutional Advancement
- 1998 Member, University of Houston Undergraduate Council.
- 1998 Assisted Mr. Aguirre, Chairman of the Board Regents of the University of Houston System to Visit China to give a keynote speech at the Commencement of the Central University for Nationalities in Beijing
- 1997 Assisted Dr. Arthur Smith, Chancellor/UH System and President of UH to Visit China to establish official relationship between the Universities of Houston and China
- 1997- Member, Development Campaign Committee of the Asian American Studies Center
- 1997 Member, University International Education Committee.
- 1997 Member, International Task Force of the University of Houston.
- 1997 Member, University Long-distance Education Committee.
- 1995- Coordinator, University Asian International Programs.
- 1995- Organizer, China Abroad Studies Program of the University of Houston.
- 1995 Assisted faculty members from Education, Hilton, Social Work, Honors College, Liberal Arts and Social Science, Technology, Business and administration to conduct their research or deal with collaborative research projects in China.
- 1995- Assisted Conrad Hilton College to Develop Executive Training Programs for China.
- 1995- Asian American Studies Center (Advising Council and Operational Duties).
- 1995- Inviting Visiting Scholars to the UH from Asian Countries (Dealing with paper work, diplomatic work).
- 1995- Supervision of international students to the UH from Asian Countries.
- 1995- Dealing with the diplomatic work for the UH with the Asian Consulates in Houston.

College and Department

- 2020-2021 ELPS NTT Committee
 2019-2021 College P & T Committee
 2018-2019 College P & T Committee

2016-2017	Department P & T Committee
2017-2018	College P & T Committee
2017-2018	College NTT Committee
2014-2016	College P & T Committee
2010-2013	Member of the College Effective Assessment Committee
2006-2013	Member of the Department Promotion and Tenure Committee
2010-2013	Member of the Department Academic Committee
2005-2008	Member of the Merit Review Committee
2003 & 2004	Chair of ELCS Department Promotion and Tenure Committee
2004-2008	Member of the Research Committee of the College of Education
2003-2008	Member of the Undergraduate Studies Committee of the College of Education
2004	Chair of Qualitative Research Courses Development Committee for the ELCS Department

Community/School

2013	Advisor for Establishment of Bilingual Elementary School in Houston Independent School District
2013	Advisory Board Member for Magnet School Regulation in Houston Independent School District
2013-	Advisory Board Member for Asia Society in Texas
2005-	Board Member of the North East Association
2007	Gala chair for 58 Anniversary Celebration of People's Republic of China in Houston (880 people attended) September 29, 2007
2006	Chair of 2006 Houston Community Cultural Celebration Performance (60 Organizations in Houston and 1500 people attended)
2004	Committee member for China 55 Anniversary Gala to Honor UH Chancellor and Chair of Board Regents, Bo Smith. September 25, 2004
1995-	Providing Asian Professional Training Programs (Over 1,600 Asian Governments

Officials, Educational Leadership and Business Executives participated in the program)

- 1998- Educational Advisor for Chinese Community Center
- 1998-2005 Organized "Chinese Standard Test" Co-sponsored by the Chinese Educational Ministry of People's Republic of China (November 1998 & October 2005)
- 2004 Organized Asian Cultural and Art Performance