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#### EDUCATION

Ph.D. University of California, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California (Political Science: American Politics, Public Law, Public Administration, Urban History, Quantitative Methods), 1975  
M.A. University of California, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California (Political Science), 1969  
B.A. University of California, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California (Political Science), 1967

#### EMPLOYMENT

2003-Present Professor, Department of Political Science, University of California, San Diego  
2000-Present Director, Urban Studies and Planning Program, University of California, San Diego  
1991-Present Adjunct Associate Professor and Professor, Department of History, University of California, San Diego  
1981-2003 Assistant and Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, University of California, San Diego  
1978-81 Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, State University of New York at Albany  
1975-78 Assistant Professor, School of Public Administration, University of Southern California  
1972-75 Instructor, School of Public Administration, University of Southern California

#### AWARDS AND HONORS

Paradise Plundered: Best Book in Urban Politics 2011, Urban Politics Section, American Political Science Association, 2012.

Globalizing L.A.: International Author Award, Lambda Alpha International Honorary Society for the Advancement of Land Economics, 2009; Donald H. Pflueger Local History Award, Historical Society of Southern California, 2006.

Chancellor's Associates Faculty Award for Excellence in Community Service, UC San Diego, 2004-05.

"Fiscal Constraints and the Loss of Home Rule: The Long-Term Impacts of California's Post-Proposition 13 Fiscal Regime." Best Article Award, 2002, The American Review of Public Administration.

"'Chinatown' Old and New: Southern California Water Wars from the Owens Valley to the Imperial Valley." Haynes Foundation Lecture, the Huntington Library, San Marino, California, April 21, 1998.

Outstanding Teaching Award, Earl Warren College, UC San Diego, 1996.

"Building and Rebuilding Los Angeles: How the City Development Agencies Shape Regional Growth." Ninth Annual John C. Bollens/John C. Ries Lecture, UCLA, April 28, 1993.

Rainbow's End: Best Book in Urban Politics 1988, Urban Politics Section, American Political Science Association, 1989; Robert Park Award 1989, Community and Urban Section, American Sociological Association, 1989.

Faculty Fellow, National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration, serving as a Policy Analyst in the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Washington D.C., 1980-81.

Teaching Excellence Award, School of Public Administration, University of Southern California, 1974-75, 1975-76, 1976-77.

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### **Books**

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Beyond Chinatown: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2006, 364 pp.

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- “The L.A. School and Politics *Noir*: Bringing the Local State Back In” (with Scott A. MacKenzie). Journal of Urban Affairs 31:5 (2009), pp. 537-557.
- “Building L.A.'s Global Gateways: Harbor and Airports” (with Thomas P. Kim and Charles F. Queenan). In The Development of Los Angeles City Government: An Institutional Memory, 1850-2000, edited by Hynda L. Rudd et al. Los Angeles: Los Angeles City Historical Society, 2007, pp. 257-285.
- “L.A.'s ‘Crown Jewels’: The Challenge of Regionalism.” In 2006 Los Angeles State of the City Report Los Angeles: The Pat Brown Institute of Public Affairs, 2006, pp. 11-13.
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- “Enhancing Southern California’s Global Gateways: Challenges and Opportunities for Trade Infrastructure Development.” In Pacific Council on International Policy, Series on Engaging Americans in a Globalizing World. Los Angeles: Pacific Council on International Policy, 2003, pp. 1-44.
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William J. Grimshaw, Bitter Fruit: Black Politics and the Chicago Machine, 1931-1991 (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1992) in Contemporary Sociology 22:6 (November 1993): 841-843.

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## **GRANTS/CONTRACTS**

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"The Cost of Water in San Diego: the SDCWA-IID Water Transfer and SDCWA Water Rates." Los Angeles County Economic Development Corporation, 2011-12. \$15,000.

"L.A.'s Global Gateways: 21<sup>st</sup> Century Governance and Policymaking Challenges" (co-PI with Scott A. MacKenzie, UC Davis). John Randolph Haynes and Dora Haynes Foundation, 2010-11. \$57,226.

"Troubled Paradise: The Crisis of Growth Politics in San Diego." General Campus Subcommittee on Research, UC San Diego, 2009-11. \$18,907.

"L.A.'s Crown Jewels: Historical Governance and Finance Lessons." The Gateway Megaregions: Governance and Finance Project. The Judith and John Bedrosian Center on Governance and the Public Enterprise and the Keston Institute for Public Finance and Infrastructure, University of Southern California, 2008-09. \$10,000.

"Regional Airport Management Implementation Study." The Southern California Association of Governments, 2006. \$75,000.

"Regional Airport Management Study" (with Citigroup Technologies Corporation). The Southern California Association of Governments, 2005. \$47,500.

"MWD: Cooperation and Conflict Over Water in Southern California." John Randolph Haynes and Dora Haynes Foundation, 2003-04. \$49,728.

"MWD: Cooperation and Conflict Over Water in Southern California." Committee on Research, UC San Diego, 2002-2004. \$10,298.

"A New Orange County Airport at El Toro: A 2001 Update of Economic Impacts." Orange County Education and Research Institute, 2001. \$40,000.

"Meeting the Los Angeles Region's Trade and Mobility Needs" (with the Los Angeles County Economic Development Corporation). John Randolph Haynes and Dora Haynes Foundation, 2001-02. \$67,700.

"El Toro Airport Catalytic Demand Study." Orange County Business Council, 1999. \$25,000.

"Imperial Los Angeles: Growth and Crisis of a Developmental City-State." Committee on Research, UC San Diego, 1999-2002. \$19,735.

"Unraveling the Southern California Water/Growth Nexus." Southern California Studies Center, University of Southern California and The James Irvine Foundation, 1998-2000. \$11,500.

- “El Toro Airport Economic Benefits Study.” Orange County Business Council, 1998. \$40,000.
- “Where Globalization Meets Community: Improving Regional Infrastructure Decision-Making.” Southern California Studies Center, University of Southern California and The James Irvine Foundation, 1998-2000. \$69,601.
- “Assessing the Local Impacts of California’s Post-Proposition 13 Fiscal Regime: The Case of Metropolitan Los Angeles.” Claremont Graduate University Research Institute and the John Randolph Haynes and Dora Haynes Foundation, 1997-98. \$20,000.
- “International Trade and Job Creation in Southern California: California’s Stake in Regional Port and Airport Infrastructure Projects.” California Policy Research Center, 1994-95. \$37,894.
- “Paths to Political Incorporation for California’s Newer Minorities.” California Policy Research Center, 1990-91. \$54,996.
- “Rainbow’s End: Irish-Americans and the Dilemmas of Urban Machine Politics, 1840-1985.” Committee on Research, UC San Diego, 1983-87. \$19,587.

#### **CONFERENCE PAPERS, PUBLIC LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS**

- “Understanding San Diego’s Quest for Water Independence from MWD.” Presentation at the Water Science and Policy Center Seminar Series, University of California, Riverside, Riverside, California, May 13, 2013.
- “Upswing in the Urban Studies and Planning Program and the San Diego-Imperial Region.” Keynote Address to the San Diego American Planning Association Section 2013 Awards Ceremony, University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, California, April 30, 2013.
- “San Diego: From Fiscal/Pension Crisis to Reform Exemplar?” Paper presented at the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting of the Urban Affairs Association, San Francisco, California, April 3-6, 2013.
- “Paradise Regained? Has San Diego Solved its Fiscal and Pension Problems?” Presentation to the Scholia Club of San Diego, San Diego, California, January 8, 2013.
- Panelist, “Lessons From the Front: Comparative Case Studies From California.” Conference on “California’s Fiscal Crisis: Prospects for Deficit Reduction and Pension Reform” UC Berkeley Institute of Governmental Studies, Berkeley, California, September 21, 2012.
- “Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego.” Presentation to San Diego Grantmakers, La Jolla, California, September 13, 2012.
- “Understanding San Diego’s Quest for Water Independence from MWD.” Presentation at the Municipal Water District of Orange County Water Policy Forum, Costa Mesa, California, July 25, 2012.
- “Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Presentation at the Osher Learning Center, UC San Diego, San Diego, California, June 1, 2012.
- “Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego.” Presentation to the San Diego Downtown Breakfast Rotary Club, San Diego, California, May 30, 2012.
- “Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan and Scott A. MacKenzie). Presentation at the UC Sacramento Center. Sacramento, California, May 17, 2012.
- Panelist, “The Big Vision for LA—Past, Present, Future.” The Board of Directors, San Francisco Planning and Urban Research Association (SPUR), Study Trip, Los Angeles, California, May 10, 2012.
- “LAEDC Study: The Cost of Water in San Diego: The IID Water Transfer and SDCWA Rates.”

Presentation to the Board of Directors, Los Angeles Water and Power Associates, Los Angeles, California, May 9, 2012.

“Authors Meet Critics: Steven P. Erie, Vladimir Kogan, and Scott A. MacKenzie, *Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego*.” Panel at the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting, Urban Affairs Association, Pittsburgh, PA, April 18-21, 2012.

Moderator, “City Politics in Historical Perspective.” Panel at the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting, Urban Affairs Association, Pittsburgh, PA, April 18-21, 2012.

“Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Presentation at the Center on Policy Initiatives and Thomas Jefferson School of Law, Center for Law and Social Justice, San Diego, California, April 10, 2012.

“Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Center on Policy Initiatives and Thomas Jefferson School of Law, Center for Law and Social Justice, San Diego, California, April 10, 2012.

Participant, Roundtable, Authors Meet Their Critics: *Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego*. Ninety-Second Annual Meeting, Southwestern Social Science Association San Diego, California, April 4-7, 2012.

“Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Presentation at the California Connections Seminar, the Southern California Leadership Network, Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce, Chula Vista, California, March 22, 2012.

“Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Presentation to the Point Loma Democratic Club, San Diego, California, February 26, 2012.

“Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Presentation at the San Diego History Center, San Diego, California, February 23, 2012.

“Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Presentation to the Rancho Santa Fe Democratic Club, Solana Beach, California, February 16, 2012.

“Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Presentation to the Mesa Democratic Club, San Diego, California, February 13, 2012.

“Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Presentation at the “Governance in the Region” Workshop, League of Women Voters, Citizens Coordinate for Century 3, Common Cause, and Partners for Livable Places, San Diego, California, February 11, 2012.

“Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan and Scott A. MacKenzie). Presentation at the Social Sciences Supper Club, UC San Diego, La Jolla, California, February 1, 2012.

“Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego.” Presentation to the Klein Leadership Roundtable Group, La Jolla, California, January 18, 2012.

“Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego.” Presentation to the Greater San Diego Business Association, January 10, 2012.

“Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Presentation to the Catfish Club, San Diego, California, January 6, 2012.

“Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Presentation to the City Club of San Diego, La Jolla, California, December 3, 2011.

- “Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” Presentation to the San Diego Lions Club, San Diego, California, November 15, 2011.
- “Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Presentation to the Save Our Heritage Organisation (SOHO), San Diego, California, November 9, 2011.
- “Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Social Science and Humanities Library Author’s Talk, UC San Diego, La Jolla, California, November 2, 2011.
- “Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Presentation to San Diego Democracy for America and San Diego Metro Chapter, Progressive Democrats of America, San Diego, California, November 2, 2011.
- “Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan). Presentation at D.G. Wills Books, La Jolla, California, October 8, 2011.
- “Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Failures in San Diego.” Presentation to the Board of Directors, Los Angeles Water and Power Associates, Los Angeles, California, September 14, 2011.
- “Public Entrepreneurs and Transportation Empires in New York and Los Angeles: How Governance Shapes Agency Performance and Regional Outcomes” (with Jameson W. Doig and Scott A. MacKenzie). Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Seattle Washington, September 1-4, 2011.
- “America’s Leading International Trade Centers and Their Entrepreneurial Public Agencies: Challenges and Strategies in the NY and L.A. Regions” (with Jameson W. Doig and Scott A. MacKenzie). Paper presented at the 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting, Urban Affairs Association, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 16-19, 2011.
- Panelist, “Why History Matters: Time and Temporality in Urban Political Analysis” (Colloquy), 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting, Urban Affairs Association, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 16-19, 2011.
- “Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Challenges in San Diego—The Pension Scandal and Fiscal Crisis” (with Vladimir Kogan). Presentation to Town and Gown, UC San Diego, San Diego, California, March 1, 2011.
- “Beyond *Chinatown*: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.” Presentation at the Leadership Breakfast, Three Valleys Municipal Water District, Pomona, California, February 17, 2011.
- “Boom, Bust and Beyond: Trade Infrastructure and Stimulus Strategies in Los Angeles and San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan and Scott A. MacKenzie). Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, DC., September 2-5, 2010.
- “Paradise Insolvent? From Pension Scandal to Fiscal Crisis in San Diego” (with Vladimir Kogan and Scott A. MacKenzie). Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, San Francisco, California, April 1-3, 2010.
- Chair/Discussant, Panel on “Devolution, Diffusion, and Federalism.” Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, San Francisco, California, April 1-3, 2010.
- “Paradise Plundered: Fiscal Crisis and Governance Challenges in San Diego.” Presentation at the 2009-2010 SDSU Speakers Series, Department of Geography, State Diego State University, San Diego, California, March 5, 2010.

- Panelist, "Los Angeles History, What's The Future?" Urban Lecture Series 2010, Thomas and Dorothy Leavey Center for the Study of Los Angeles, Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, California, February 11, 2010.
- "Global Gateways and Economic Development: Evidence and Lessons from the New York & Los Angeles Airport, Seaport, and Freight-Rail Systems" (with Jameson W. Doig and Scott A. MacKenzie). Paper presented at the 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Social Science History Association, Long Beach, California, November 12-15, 2009.
- Discussant, "'The Port of Los Angeles: A History' Documentary Screening and Discussion." The Historical Society of Southern California, Port of Los Angeles, and Huntington-USC Institute on California and the West, the Huntington Library, San Marino, California, November 8, 2009.
- "The Story of the Region's Ports and Global Trade" (with James A. Fawcett). Presentation at The Aquarium of the Pacific Aquatic Academy, Southern California's Urban Ocean, Long Beach, California, November 5, 2009.
- "Boom, Bust and Beyond: Trade Infrastructure and Stimulus Strategies in Los Angeles and San Diego" (with Vladimir Kogan and Scott A. MacKenzie). Paper presented at the "What's Next for American Cities? Infrastructure and Economic Development in a Post-boom Era" Conference, sponsored by Claremont Graduate University School of Politics and Economics and the Lincoln Institute of Land Policy, Claremont Graduate University, Claremont California, September 18, 2009.
- Discussant, Panel on "Rainbow's End? An Examination of an Urban Classic." 2009 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Toronto, Canada, September 3-6, 2009.
- "L.A.'s Crown Jewels: Historical Governance and Finance Lessons." Paper presented at the Megaregions Governance and Finance Workshop, the Bedrosian Center, the Keston Institute, and the Sonny Astani Civil Engineering Department, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California, April 20, 2009.
- "The L.A. School and Politics *Noir*: Bringing the State Back In" (with Scott A. MacKenzie). Paper presented at the 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Urban Affairs Association, Chicago, Illinois, March 4-7 2009.
- "Water and the Geography of Urban Development in Los Angeles and Southern California." Presentation at The History of California Landscapes Distinguished Speakers Series, Geography Graduate Group, University of California, Davis, Davis, California, February 11, 2009.
- "Water" (with Michael George). Presentation at the Social Issues Speakers Series, College of Letters, Arts & Sciences and USC Spectrum, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California, October 28-29, 2008.
- Panelist, "News Media Briefing on Likely Impacts for Region of November 4<sup>th</sup> Election," UCSD Chancellor and Board of Overseers, San Diego, California, October 14, 2008.
- "Beyond *Chinatown*: The Politics of Water in Southern California." Keynote Address, Conference on "Water and Politics in Southern California." Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, California, October 3-4, 2008.
- Moderator, Panel on "L.A. vs. Seattle: Whose Pacific Rim Is It?" Zócalo Public Square Lecture Series/ Huntington-USC Institute on California and the West, Los Angeles, California, September 3, 2008.
- Panelist, "The Future of Air Transport in California." University of California Sacramento Center, Sacramento, California, August 15, 2008.
- "Global Gateways and Economic Development: Evidence and Lessons from New York & Los Angeles Airport, Seaport and Freight-Rail Systems" (with Jameson W. Doig and Scott A. MacKenzie). Presentation at the NY-LA Sequel Mini-Conference, New York City, New York, July 10, 2008.

- “Findings and Recommendations of the San Diego Regional Fire Safety Forum.” Presentation to the San Diego County Science Advisory Board, San Diego, California, May 21, 2008.
- “The Improbable Ports of San Pedro Bay.” Keynote Address for World Trade Week 2008, Long Beach Area Chamber of Commerce and International Business Association of Southern California, Long Beach, California, May 16, 2008.
- “History of Southern California’s Premier Trade Infrastructure.” Presentation to the Leadership Southern California Class of 2008, Southern California Leadership Network and Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce, San Pedro, California, March 28, 2008.
- “Redeveloping Downtown San Diego: Millennial Dreams or Bayfront Nightmares?” (with Scott A. MacKenzie). Paper presented at the 2008 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, San Diego, California, March 20-22, 2008.
- Panelist, “Scholars of Los Angeles.” 2008 Urban Lecture Series, The Thomas and Dorothy Leavey Center for the Study of Los Angeles, Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, California, February 21, 2008.
- “Water, Water Hardly Anywhere: What Will Southern California Drink in 2020?” Presentation to the Scholia Club of San Diego, San Diego, California, January 8, 2008.
- “The Mayor’s Rigged Charter Review Committee.” Testimony to the San Diego City Council Rules Committee, San Diego, California, November 7, 2007.
- “Regional Governance Reconsidered: Southern California Infrastructure” (with Scott A. MacKenzie). Paper presented at the 2007 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Illinois. August 30-September 7, 2007.
- “The L.A. School and Politics *Noir*: Bringing the Local State Back In” (with Scott A. MacKenzie). Paper presented at the UIC Urban Scholars Symposium, Theorizing Cities of the Left, Right, and Third Coast: Los Angeles, New York, and Chicago in Urban Scholarship, University of Illinois, Chicago and the Jane Adams Hull-House Museum, Chicago Illinois, April 10-11, 2007.
- Chair/Discussant, Panel on “International Perspectives.” The UIC Urban Scholars Symposium, Theorizing Cities of the Left, Right, and Third Coast: Los Angeles, New York, and Chicago in Urban Scholarship, University of Illinois, Chicago and the Jane Adams Hull-House Museum, Chicago Illinois, April 10-11, 2007.
- “Economic Growth and Trade: What’s Infrastructure Got to do with it?” Presentation at the Seminar on California Trade/Investment Strategy, University of California Sacramento Center (UCCS), Sacramento, California, February 16, 2007.
- “Regional Airport Management Implementation Study—Final Report.” (With Norman Emerson and Scott A. MacKenzie). Presentation to the Aviation Task Force, Southern California Association of Governments, Los Angeles, California, February 8, 2007.
- “Beyond *Chinatown*: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.” Presentation to the Sierra Club, San Diego Chapter, San Diego, California, January 26, 2007.
- “Summary Results of the Regional Airport Management Implementation Study.” (With Norman Emerson and Scott MacKenzie). Presentation to the Aviation Technical Advisory Committee, Southern California Association of Governments, Los Angeles, California, January 11, 2007.
- “2006 SCAG Regional Airport Management Implementation Study: Final Results from Stakeholder Surveys” (with Norman Emerson and Scott MacKenzie). Presentation to the Aviation Task Force, Southern California Association of Governments, Los Angeles, California, December 13, 2006.



“Steven Erie, author of *Beyond Chinatown: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.*” ICW In Conversation Series, Huntington-USC Institute on California and the West, Huntington Library, San Marino, California, December 5, 2006.

“*Beyond Chinatown: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.*” Presentation at the Cabrillo Marine Aquarium, San Pedro, California, November 18, 2006.

“Regional Airport Planning and Governance in San Diego’s Future” (with Scott MacKenzie). . Presentation to the Senate Local Government Committee Hearing on “The Regional Airport Authority: Is it Working for San Diego?” San Diego, California, November 17, 2006.

“*Beyond Chinatown: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.*” Presentation at the MWD Member Agency General Counsel Dinner Meeting, Los Angeles, California, November 13, 2006.

“*Beyond Chinatown: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.*” Social Science and Humanities Library Author’s Talk, UC San Diego, La Jolla, California, November 7, 2006.

“*Beyond Chinatown: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.*” Presentation at the Osher Lifelong Learning Center, UC San Diego, La Jolla, California, October 31, 2006.

Panelist, “Water: Delivering, Storing and Conserving Water Resources.” Valley Industry and Commerce Association, 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Business Forecast Conference, Universal City, California, October 27, 2006.

“Securing Southern California’s Water Future: 21<sup>st</sup> Century Challenges.” Keynote Address at the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting and Dinner of the Southern California Water Committee, Los Angeles, California, October 19, 2006.

“*Beyond Chinatown: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.*” Presentation to the Council of Water Utilities, San Diego County, Poway, California, October 17, 2006.

“The Southern California Regional Airport Authority and Regionalization: Preliminary Findings from the SCAG Regional Airport Management Implementation Study.” (With Norman Emerson and Scott MacKenzie). Presentation to the Southern California Regional Airport Authority Board, Los Angeles, California, October 12, 2006.

“*Beyond Chinatown: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.*” Presentation to the Planning Commissioners Training Seminar, UCLA Extension Public Policy Program, Los Angeles, California, October 5, 2006.

“Overview of Stakeholder Surveys for Regional Airport Management Implementation Study.” Presentation to the Transportation and Communications Committee, Southern California Association of Governments, Los Angeles, California, October 5, 2006.

“*Beyond Chinatown: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.*” Presentation at the “Shaping Southern California: Transportation and Water” Symposium, the Los Angeles Regional Planning History Group and the Huntington-USC Institute on California and the West, the Huntington Library, San Marino, California, September 30, 2006.

Panelist, “Leveraging the Infrastructure Investment Bond Dollars in the Regions.” California Center for Regional Leadership 2006 Civic Entrepreneur Summit, “Infrastructure: A Regional Challenge.” San Francisco, California, September 24-26, 2006.

- Chair, Panel on “‘Bleaching’ New Orleans? Power, Race, and Place After Katrina.” 2006 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, August 31-September 3, 2006.
- Chair, Panel on “Bringing Urbanization into American Political Development: Institutions, Power Structures, and Identities.” 2006 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, August 31-September 3, 2006.
- “Beyond *Chinatown*: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.” Presentation to the San Diego Retired Employees Association, San Diego, California, August 8, 2006.
- “Update on Regional Airport Management Implementation Study” (with Norman Emerson and Scott MacKenzie). Presentation to the Aviation Task Force, Southern California Association of Governments, Los Angeles, California, July 27, 2006.
- “Beyond *Chinatown*: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.” Presentation to the City Club of San Diego/Catfish Club, San Diego, California, June 23, 2006.
- “Beyond *Chinatown*: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.” Presentation at Lambda Alpha International, Los Angeles, California, June 21, 2006.
- “Beyond *Chinatown*: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.” Presentation at Dawson’s Book Shop, L.A. Salon Series, Los Angeles, California, June 10, 2006.
- “Beyond *Chinatown*: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.” Presentation to the American Society of Plumbing Engineers, Santa Ana, California, May 31, 2006.
- “Beyond *Chinatown*: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.” Presentation at D.G. Wills Books, La Jolla, California, May 19, 2006.
- “Beyond *Chinatown*: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.” Presentation at the Aquarium of the Pacific Lecture Series, Long Beach, California, May 15, 2006.
- “Beyond *Chinatown*: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California.” Presentation at Los Angeles Water and Power Associates, Los Angeles, California, May 10, 2006.
- “Urban/Coastal Growth, Transportation.” Presentation at the Environment and Sustainability Initiative, Energy Workshop, UC San Diego, La Jolla, California, May 3-5, 2006.
- Panelist, “California’s Infrastructure: What are the Priorities and how should they be funded?” Next Ten/Panetta Institute Infrastructure Policy Discussion, Monterey, California, March 31, 2006.
- “Regional Airport Management Study.” Presentation to the Southern California Association of Governments’ Aviation Task Force, Los Angeles, California, February 23, 2006.
- “Trade Infrastructure Challenges and Opportunities: Lessons from Southern California.” Presentation at Service Employees International Union Vice Presidents’ Retreat, Burlingame, California, January 17-18, 2006.
- Panelist, “Emerging Trends in Urban Politics.” Southern Political Science Association 77<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Atlanta Georgia, January 5-7, 2006.

- Speaker, "Transportation and Goods Movement" Panel, Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors Retreat, Ojai, California, November 18-19, 2005.
- "New Regional Supplies/New Environmental Challenges: The Case of Seawater Desalination." Keynote Address at the 2004 Water Quality Awards, Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board, Long Beach, California, October 20, 2005.
- "Implementing San Diego's New 'Strong Mayor' Government." Presentation at the Social Sciences Supper Club, "November 8<sup>th</sup> Election: San Diego and Statewide Perspective," UC San Diego, La Jolla, California, October 19, 2005.
- "Regional Airport Management Study." Presentation to the Southern California Association of Governments' Aviation Technical Advisory Committee, Long Beach, California, October 13, 2005.
- "What Price Water Independence? Lessons from San Diego." Presentation at the Urban Water Research Center, UC Irvine, Irvine, California, June 29, 2005.
- Moderator and Panelist, Panel on "Airports of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Why Airports and Air Cargo Matter." San Diego World Trade Center, TradeVisions 2005: A Region in Motion: Land, Sea, Air, San Diego, California, May 18, 2005.
- Presenter, "Universities and Their Communities: Obligations and Opportunities," Higher Education Roundtable, UC San Diego, La Jolla, California, May 18, 2005.
- Panelist, Plenary Panel on "Water Policy in a Contested Region: The Challenge of Sustainability." Urban Affairs Association 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Salt Lake City, Utah, April 15, 2005.
- "Globalizing L.A.: Trade, Infrastructure, and Regional Development." Presentation at the Industry Manufacturers Council, Industry Hills, California, March 1, 2005.
- "Examining L.A.'s Infrastructure from a Regional Perspective." Presentation at the Urban Issues Lecture Series, Center for the Study of Los Angeles, Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, California, February 3, 2005.
- "Globalizing L.A.: Trade, Infrastructure, and Regional Development." Presentation at the San Diego World Trade Center, San Diego, California, January 26, 2005.
- Panelist, "The Strong Mayor Initiative, the City Election, and San Diego Politics." UC San Diego Foundation Board of Trustees, La Jolla, California, December 3, 2004.
- "Beyond *Chinatown*: The Metropolitan Water District, Growth, and the Environment in Southern California." Presentation at the Urban Politics Speaker Series, Stanford University, Palo Alto, California, November 23, 2004.
- Panelist, "The Southern California Trade Rush: 21<sup>st</sup> Century Gold?" Eighth Annual Regional Economic Forecast for Southern California, 2005-2006. Southern California Association of Governments, Los Angeles, California, November 18, 2004.
- Moderator, Panel on "Prognosticating on the Globalization of L.A." 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Business Forecast Conference, Valley Industry and Commerce Association, Woodland Hills, California, October 29, 2004.
- Participant, "Linking Goods Movement to Economic Prosperity and Environmental Quality," UCLA Transportation/Land Use/Environmental Connection Annual Policy and Research Symposium, Lake Arrowhead, California, October 24-26, 2004.
- "Goods Movement, Regional Infrastructure, and Leadership." Presentation at the Southern California Regional Rail Authority Board of Directors Strategic Work Session, Indian Wells, California, October 22-23, 2004.

“Globalizing L.A.: Trade, Infrastructure, and Regional Development.” Presentation to the Los Angeles Air Cargo Association, El Segundo, California, October 14, 2004.

“Globalizing L.A.: Trade, Infrastructure, and Regional Development.” Presentation at the Aquarium of the Pacific Lecture Series, Long Beach, California, August 18, 2004.

Moderator, Panel on “The Nexus: Trade, Transportation and Economic Growth.” Mobility 21 Third Annual Countywide Transportation Summit, Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority and Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce, Burbank, California, August 3, 2004.

“Globalizing L.A.: Trade, Infrastructure, and Regional Development.” Presentation to the Propeller Club of Los Angeles-Long Beach, Long Beach, California, June 30, 2004.

“Globalizing L.A.: Trade, Infrastructure, and Regional Development.” Presentation at the Public Policy Institute of California, San Francisco, California, June 28, 2004.

“Globalizing L.A.: Trade, Infrastructure, and Regional Development.” Presentation to the City Club of San Diego/Catfish Club, San Diego, California, June 18, 2004.

“Globalizing L.A.: Challenges and Opportunities.” Presentation to Lambda Alpha International, Los Angeles, California, June 16, 2004.

“Globalizing L.A.: Trade, Infrastructure, and Regional Development.” Presentation at the Croatian Cultural Center, San Pedro, California, June 3, 2004.

“Globalizing L.A.: Trade, Infrastructure, and Regional Development.” Presentation at D.G. Wills Books, La Jolla, California, May 22, 2004.

“It’s the Infrastructure, Stupid!” Presentation to the Westside Urban Forum, Los Angeles, California, May 21, 2004.

“Globalizing L.A.: Trade, Infrastructure, and Regional Development.” Social Science and Humanities Library Author’s Talk, UC San Diego, La Jolla, California, May 13, 2004.

“Los Angeles at the Global Crossroads.” Presentation to the General Assembly, Southern California Association of Governments, Los Angeles, California, May 6, 2004.

Panelist, “The Logistics Revolving Door.” One Global California Conference, Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce and The CalTrade Report, Los Angeles, California, May 5, 2004.

“Water for Southern California: Past, Present, and Future.” Presentation at the Oceanids Sounding Board Luncheon, UC San Diego, La Jolla, California, April 1, 2004.

“Globalizing L.A.: Trade, Infrastructure, and Regional Development.” Presentation at Dawson’s Book Shop, L.A. Salon Series, Los Angeles, California, March 27, 2004.

Panelist, “Mobility in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Planes, Trains, and Automobiles.” Eighth Annual Real Estate Conference, University of San Diego, School of Business Administration, Real Estate Institute, San Diego, California, January 20, 2004.

Moderator, 2004 Airport Forum, “Airports and Regional Competitiveness.” San Diego Economic Development Corporation and the San Diego Regional Airport Authority, San Diego, California, January 16, 2004.

“Relocating the Freight Rail Yards Outside of Downtown San Diego: Assessing the Benefits, Costs and Risks.” (with James R. Mills). Working paper presented to the Downtown Community Plan Update Steering Committee, Centre City Development Corporation, San Diego, California, January 16, 2004.

- “Being an Effective Board Member.” Presentation at the American Association of Port Authorities Commissioners Seminar, San Diego, California, January 14, 2004.
- Panelist, “Local Impacts of Globalization,” Meeting of the National League of Cities International Task Force, Los Angeles, California, July 23-24, 2003.
- Panelist, Public Forum on “Economic Prosperity for All: How Do We Get There?” City of San Diego Planning Department, San Diego, California, June 26, 2003.
- “Enhancing Southern California’s Global Gateways: Challenges and Opportunities for Trade Infrastructure Development.” Paper presented at a panel on “The Globalization of California’s Economy: Implications for Public Policy and the Private Sector,” the Pacific Council on International Policy, the Public Policy Institute of California and the Asia Society Southern California Center, Los Angeles, California, June 17, 2003.
- Discussant, Panel on “Policy Issues in the Inland Empire.” Founding Conference for the Center for Sustainable Suburban Development, University of California, Riverside, Riverside, California, February 20-21, 2003.
- “Globalizing L.A.” Presentation to the Southern California Association of Governments, Los Angeles, California, December 17, 2002.
- Moderator, Panel on “Getting To and From the Airports.” Mobility-21 2002 Transportation Summit, Metropolitan Transportation Authority and Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles, California, November 18, 2002.
- “The Challenge of Planning San Diego’s Airport Future.” Presentation to the American Public Works Association, San Diego, California, November 14, 2002.
- Panelist, “The International Freight Connection--Regional Impacts and National Benefits.” 2002 Western Intermodal Planning Group Annual Conference, Newport Beach, California, October 6-8, 2002.
- Moderator, Panel on “Aviation Planning in a Post 9/11 Environment.” 2002 Western Intermodal Planning Group Annual Conference, Newport Beach, California, October 6-8, 2002.
- “Southern California Infrastructure: Growth and Governance Challenges” (with Henry Kim). Paper presented at the John Randolph Haynes and Dora Haynes Foundation conference, “Reform, L.A. Style: The Theory and Practice of Urban Governance at Century’s Turn,” University of Southern California, School of Policy, Planning and Development, Los Angeles, California, September 19-20, 2002.
- “The San Diego Airport Dilemma.” Presentation at the UCSD Faculty Luncheon Seminar, John Muir College, UC San Diego, May 2, 2002.
- Chair, Panel on “Urban Political Economy,” Annual Meeting of the Public Choice Society, San Diego, California, March 22-24, 2002.
- Panelist, “Mega Projects,” 16th Annual UCLA Land Use Law & Planning Conference, Los Angeles, California, January 25, 2002.
- Panelist, “Airport Planning 2002 San Diego Style,” Citizens Coordinate for Century 3, San Diego, California, January 24, 2002.
- Panelist, “California Policy Forum: Current State Policy Issues.” Civic Entrepreneur Summit, Berkeley, California, January 13-15, 2002.
- “Globalizing L.A.: Trade Infrastructure Planning and Development Challenges.” Presentation at “Metropolitan Policy for the 21st Century: An Agenda for Policy Development and Research,”

Southern California Studies Center Urban Policy Seminar, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California, November 20, 2001.

Panelist, "The Influence of International Trade on the Southern California Economy: A Panel of Experts." The Regional Economic Forecast for Southern California, 2002-2003, Southern California Association of Governments, San Marino, California, November 16, 2001.

Panelist, "The Experts Weigh In: Assessing the Golden State's Infrastructure." The 9th Annual California Policy Issues Conference of the Pat Brown Institute of Public Affairs, Los Angeles, California, November 15, 2001.

"A New Orange County Airport at El Toro: A 2001 Update of Economic Impacts." Presentation to the Orange County Business Council, Irvine, California, September 13, 2001.

"Global Gateways and Infrastructure Challenges: The Case of Southern California." Paper presented at "Globalization and the Information Revolution: Their Impact on North America's Federal Systems" Conference, Brigham Young University, Provo, UT, June 1-2, 2001.

Panelist, Panel on "L.A.'s Transportation Future." Vision Los Angeles Conference, Los Angeles, California, February 27, 2001.

"Collaborative Regional Planning: The Case of Los Angeles Area Airports." Presentation to the Speaker's Commission on Regionalism, Getty Center, Los Angeles, California, February 23, 2001.

"Breaking Up Is Hard To Do: Valley Secession and Infrastructure." Presentation at the Valley Industry and Commerce Association, Los Angeles, California, January 19, 2001.

"The Water Authority and Me." Presentation at California Western School of Law, San Diego, California, January 16, 2001.

"Water, Water Hardly Anywhere: What Will the Region Drink in 2020?" Presentation at the 2000-2001 Regional Economic Forecast for Southern California, Southern California Association of Governments, Downey, California, December 8, 2000.

"Infrastructure Challenges." Presentation at the 2001-2002 Economic Forecast Conference, Los Angeles County Economic Development Corporation, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California, December 5, 2000.

Panelist, "Deregulating California's Utilities," Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce, Valley Industry Commerce Association, Central City Association, Los Angeles Business Council, Los Angeles Headquarters Association, and South Bay Association of Chambers of Commerce, Los Angeles, California, October 26, 2000.

Participant, Symposium on "Growth and the Quality of Life," UCLA Extension Public Policy Program, "The Transportation/Land Use/Environmental Connection: Annual Policy and Research Symposium Series, Lake Arrowhead, California, October 22-24, 2000.

Participant, California Transportation Finance Workshop, UCLA, Los Angeles, California, August 28, 2000.

Panelist, Panel on "Building Bridges--and Airports and Aqueducts." American Planning Association 2000 Conference, Long Beach, California, August 19, 2000.

"Public Policy Challenges in a Fragmented Southern California Economy," Presentation to the National Association for Business Economics and Los Angeles Society of Financial Analysts, Los Angeles, California, June 27, 2000.

"The Challenge of Developing the Cross-Border Region's Trade Infrastructure" (with Charles Nathanson). Briefing paper presented to San Diego Dialogue, Forum *Fronterizo* Council, "The Global

Engagement of San Diego/Tijuana,” San Diego, California, May 23, 2000.

“Getting the Facts: The Metropolitan Los Angeles Area in the Next Two Decades--Demographic, Economic and Environmental Trends,” Presentation at the Urban Land Institute Smart Growth Leadership Forum, Los Angeles, California, May 3, 2000.

Panelist, “Valuing Public Action.” American Society for Public Administration 61st National Conference, San Diego, California, April 1-2, 2000.

“Infrastructure of Los Angeles.” Presentation at “Los Angeles in 2050: What Will It Be?” The 9th Annual Marie Northrop Lecture Series: "Los Angeles: The Broad View." Los Angeles City Historical Society and the History Department, Los Angeles Public Library, Los Angeles, California, March 26, 2000.

Panelist, “Competing Interests for Water: Demand, Supply, and Power,” Workshop on “Fluid Boundaries: Colorado River Water and the Californias,” Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, UC San Diego, La Jolla, California, March 24, 2000.

“Water Wars,” Presentation to the Los Angeles County Economic Development Corporation, Los Angeles, California, January 19, 2000.

“A New Orange County Airport at El Toro: Catalyst for High-Wage, High-Tech Economic Development,” Presentation at the Orange County Business Council, Irvine, California, December 16, 1999.

“Dilemmas of Airport Development in Southern California.” Presentation at the UCLA School of Public Policy and Social Research, Los Angeles, California, November 17, 1999.

"A Regional Airport System for the New Millennium: Will It Fly?" Presentation at the 2000-2001 Regional Economic Forecast for Southern California, Southern California Association of Governments, Huntington Library, San Marino, California, November 17, 1999.

“Connecting Our Region: Bi-National Infrastructure.” Presentation at the Economic Summit IX and 2000 Economic Forecast, Urban Land Institute and South County Economic Development Corporation, San Diego, California, October 29, 1999.

“The Challenges of Airport Development in Southern California.” Presentation at the Symposium on “Inter-Regional Travel and Local Development.” UCLA Extension Public Policy Program, Lake Arrowhead, California, October 24-26, 1999.

“Southern California Water Wars from the Owens Valley to the Imperial Valley.” Presentation at the Distinguished Lecture Series, Institute for Continued Learning, UC San Diego, La Jolla, California, October 8, 1999.

“Economic Effects of El Toro Airport Conversion.” Testimony to the Assembly Select Committee on Long-term Planning for Commercial and General Aviation Airport Capacity, Santa Ana, California, October 5, 1999.

“The LAX Master Plan: Facing the Challenges of Community, Environmental and Regional Airport Planning,” (with Thomas P. Kim and Gregory Freeman). Paper presented at the 1999 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Atlanta, Georgia, September 2-5, 1999.

Panelist, “Politics and Policy: A Retrospective on the Career and Contributions of Norton Long.” 1999 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Atlanta, Georgia, September 2-5, 1999.

“Toward a Trade Infrastructure Strategy for the San Diego/Tijuana Region.” Presentation to the South County Economic Development Council, Chula Vista, California, July 6, 1999.

“Goals, Process of Governor Davis’ Infrastructure Commission.” Presentation at the Greater San Diego Chamber of Commerce, San Diego, California, June 22, 1999.

The Politics of Infrastructure: The Infrastructure of Politics.” Presentation at the Symposium on Building Community: A Shared Vision for San Diego’s Future, San Diego Council of Design Professionals, San Diego, California, May 26, 1999.

“Global Los Angeles: Growth and Crisis of a Developmental City-State.” Presentation at the Los Angeles History Seminar, Huntington Library, San Marino, California, May 22, 1999.

“Unraveling Southern California’s Water/Growth Nexus: Metropolitan Water District Policies and Subsidies for Suburban Development, 1928-1996.” (with Pascale Joassart-Marcelli). Presentation at the Brookings Institution Metropolitan Initiative/Southern California Studies Center Sustainable Metropolis Project, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California, April 16, 1999.

“The Fiscalization of Development.” Presentation to the State Controller’s State Municipal Reform Taskforce, Los Angeles, California, April 16, 1999.

“Trade Infrastructure.” Testimony to a Joint Hearing of the Assembly Select Committee on California-Mexico Affairs and the Assembly Committee on International Trade and Development, Sacramento, California, April 7, 1999.

“San Diego’s Infrastructure Challenges.” Presentation to the UC San Diego Board of Overseers, San Diego, California, January 20, 1999.

“California’s New Water Wars.” (with Harold Brackman). Paper presented at the 47<sup>th</sup> Annual UCLA Anderson School Forecast and School of Public Policy and Social Research Conference, Los Angeles, California, December 18, 1998.

“A New Orange County Airport at El Toro: An Economic Benefits Study.” Presentations to the Orange County Business Council Board of Directors, Irvine, California, October 8, 1998; Orange County Regional Airport Authority, October 14, 1998; and Orange County Airport Commission and Citizens Advisory Committee, November 12, 1998.

“Assessing the Local Impacts of California’s Post-Proposition 13 Fiscal Regime: The Case of Metropolitan Los Angeles.” Paper presented at the 1998 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Boston, Massachusetts, September 3-6, 1998.

“Southern California’s Water Wars.” Presentation to the Natural Resources and Environment Committee, Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles, California, August 6, 1998.

“‘Chinatown’ Old & New: Southern California Water Wars.” Presentation at the Social Sciences Supper Club, UC San Diego, La Jolla, California, May 12, 1998.

“‘Chinatown’ Old and New: Southern California Water Wars from the Owens Valley to the Imperial Valley.” Haynes Foundation Lecture, the Huntington Library, San Marino, California, April 21, 1998.

Panelist, “The Property Tax Shift,” Joint Senate-Assembly Field Hearing on the State-Local Fiscal Relationship, Los Angeles, California, March 27, 1998.

“L.A.’s Crown Jewels.” Paper presented at the UCLA Economic History Workshop, Los Angeles, California, February 25, 1998.

Panelist, “Roundtable on State Infrastructure Investment: Needs, Priorities, and Financing,” Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Committee Retreat, University of California, Berkeley, California, January 22-24, 1998.

Panelist, “How Should the Proprietary Departments Be Governed and Managed?” Meeting of the City of Los Angeles Charter Reform Commission, Los Angeles, California, January 14, 1998.



- Panelist, "Infrastructure Needs for San Diego." Second Annual Real Estate Conference, University of San Diego, San Diego, California, January 13, 1998.
- "Southern California's Port, Rail and Airport Systems." Testimony to the Assembly Transportation Committee, Los Angeles, California, December 12, 1997.
- Commentator, Panel on "Transportation Infrastructure for Competitive Success." Symposium on "Transportation and the Economy." UCLA Extension Public Policy Program, Lake Arrowhead, California, December 7-9, 1997.
- Panelist, "Clearing the Obstacles to Reliable Water Supplies for Southern California," Metro Investment Report Water Policy Seminar: The Future of Southern California's Water Supply, Los Angeles, California, December 2, 1997.
- "Facing the Challenges of Water Transfers: Lessons from the Imperial Valley." Keynote Address for "California Water Policy VII: The Search for Certainty" Conference, Los Angeles, California, October 29, 1997.
- "The Alameda Corridor Project." Testimony to the Senate Select Committee on the Alameda Corridor Project and the Assembly Select Committee on the Corridors of Economic Significance, Long Beach, California, October 16, 1997.
- "Mulholland's 'Water Hole': The History of the Colorado River Aqueduct and the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California." Presentation at the MWD Member Agency General Counsel Dinner Meeting, Los Angeles, California, October 13, 1997.
- "The Economic Significance of the Ports of San Pedro Bay." Testimony to the Assembly Select Committee on California Ports, Long Beach, California, September 26, 1997.
- "Water Wars Old and New: From the Owens Valley to the Imperial Valley." Keynote Address for "Nature's Workshop: Environmental Change in 20<sup>th</sup> Century Southern California," the Southern California Environment and History Conference, California State University, Northridge, and the California Institute of Technology, Northridge, California, September 18-20, 1997.
- "Growing and Globalizing San Diego: Facing the Infrastructure Challenges." Presentation to the UC San Diego Foundation Board of Trustees, La Jolla, California, June 6, 1997.
- "Paradoxes of Mexican Trade Integration in Southern California." Presentation at the Workshop on "Impacts of Trade and Integration on Subregions in Mexico and the United States, The Mexico Project, Georgetown University, Washington, DC, April 26, 1997.
- "Global Los Angeles: Challenges and Pitfalls." Presentation at the School of Planning and Development, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California, April 18, 1997.
- "Southern California's Port, Rail and Airport System: Current Status and Future Needs." Testimony to the Assembly Committee on International Trade and Development, Sacramento, California, March 10, 1997.
- "History of Charter Reform in Los Angeles." Presentation at the Milken Institute for Job & Capital Formation Charter Reform Conference, Santa Monica, California, January 25, 1997.
- Participant, Symposium on "ISTEA Reauthorization: Will It Refine, Redefine, or Forge New Public Linkages?" UCLA Extension Public Policy Program, Lake Arrowhead, California, December 8-10, 1996.
- "The El Toro Reuse Decision and What It Means to the Economic Future of Orange County." Presentation to the Orange County Business Council, Irvine, California, November 20, 1996.

- “The Region’s Infrastructure.” Presentation at the Public Forum on “Beyond Boosterism: Strategies for San Diego/Tijuana’s Future,” sponsored by the School of Public Administration and Urban Studies, San Diego State University, San Diego, California, November 18, 1996.
- “The Politics of Infrastructure in Southern California.” Presentation at the 1996 California Issues Conference, “Creative Building for California’s Future: the ‘Pat’ Brown Years, 1959-1967,” at the Edmund G. “Pat” Brown Institute, California State University, Los Angeles, California, November 13, 1996.
- “Infrastructure and the San Diego Region’s Future.” Presentation at the Urban Land Institute's Annual Forecast Conference, San Diego, California, October 16, 1996.
- “International Trade and Job Creation in Southern California: Facilitating Los Angeles/Long Beach Port, Rail, and Airport Development.” Paper presentation at the UCLA Policy Forum, UCLA School of Public Policy and Social Research, Los Angeles, California, August 1, 1996.
- “The Challenge of Expanding Southern California’s Global Gateways.” Presentation to the California Transportation Commission, San Diego, California, June 4, 1996.
- Panelist, “Ethnic Politics in the United States: History, Demography and Contemporary Challenges.” Conference on Latino/a Politics: An Analysis of Hispanic Political Participation in San Diego County, Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, UC San Diego, San Diego, California, May 3, 1996.
- “Southern California’s Destiny: Are We Ready?” Presentation at the 1996 Harbor Area Business Outlook Conference, San Pedro, California, April 25, 1996.
- “At Competitive Disadvantage: San Diego’s Infrastructure.” Presentation at the Regional Urban Land Institute, San Diego, California, March 20, 1996.
- “The Challenge of Expanding Southern California’s Global Gateways.” Presentation to the Southern California Association of Governments, Los Angeles, California, January 17, 1996.
- “The Politics of Airport Development.” Presentation at the Airport 2000 Conference on Aviation and San Diego’s Future, San Diego, California, December 9, 1995.
- “The Politics of Infrastructure in Twentieth Century Los Angeles.” Presentation at the Conference on the Impact of World War II on California, the Huntington Library, San Marino, California, November 10-11, 1995.
- “The Alameda Corridor Project.” Presentation at the South Bay/South Los Angeles County Economic Business Forecast, School of Management, California State University, Dominguez Hills, November 9, 1995.
- Chair, Panel on “Los Angeles Politics Past and Present.” 1995 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Portland, Oregon, March 16-18, 1995.
- Chair, Panel on “The Politics of Urban Infrastructure.” 1994 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, New York, New York, September 1-4, 1994.
- Chair, “A Roundtable on Urban Transition: Big City Politics in the 1990’s.” 1994 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Albuquerque, New Mexico, March 10-12, 1994.
- Panelist, “A Symposium on Peter Skerry’s Mexican Americans: The Ambivalent Minority.” The Tomas Rivera Center and the Center for Politics and Economics, Claremont Graduate School, Claremont, California, February 11, 1994.
- Panelist, “Roundtable--Los Angeles: A Year Later.” 1993 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., September 2-5, 1993.

- “Building and Rebuilding Los Angeles: How the City Development Agencies Shape Regional Growth.” Ninth Annual John C. Bollens/John C. Ries Lecture, UCLA, Los Angeles, California, April 28, 1993.
- “Which Disaster and Which Recovery? The Local Politics of Rebuilding and Redevelopment in Los Angeles.” Paper delivered at the Fannie Mae Symposium on Post-Disaster Recovery and Redevelopment, Latin American and Caribbean Center, Florida International University, Miami, Florida, February 26-27, 1993.
- “Beyond 'Politics by Other Means'? Empowerment Strategies for Los Angeles' Asian Pacific Community,” (with Harold Brackman). Paper delivered at the Conference on a New Urban and Regional Hierarchy? Impacts of Modernization, Restructuring, and an End to Bipolarity, the International Sociological Association, Los Angeles, California, April 23-25, 1992.
- “The Once-and-Future Majority: Latino Politics in Los Angeles,” (with Harold Brackman). Paper presented at the 1991 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., August 29-September 1, 1991
- “How the Urban West Was Won: The Local State and Economic Growth in Los Angeles, 1880-1932.” Paper presented at the 1991 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., August 29-September 1, 1991.
- Discussant, Panel on “Urban Politics: Reevaluations of the Social Divisions of the City,” 1991 Annual Meeting of the Organization of American Historians, Louisville, Kentucky, April 11-14, 1991.
- Chair, Panel on “Race, Gender and the American State.” 1990 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, California, August 30-September 2, 1990.
- “City Unlimited: Building the Los Angeles Growth Machine, 1880-1930.” Paper delivered at the 1990 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, San Francisco, California, August 30-September 2, 1990.
- Participant, Conference on Modeling Race and U.S. Electoral Politics, sponsored by the Interdisciplinary Focused Research Program in Public Choice, UC Irvine, Irvine, California, May 19, 1990.
- Participant, Conference on American Politics in Historical Perspective, UCLA, Los Angeles, California, May 12-13, 1990.
- Chair, “Roundtable on Los Angeles Politics.” 1990 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Newport Beach, California, March 22-24, 1990.
- Chair, Panel on “The New Urban Ethnic Politics,” 1989 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Atlanta, Georgia, August 31-September 3, 1989.
- Chair, Panel on “Historical Approaches to Urban Politics.” 1988 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., September 1-4, 1988.
- “Rainbow's End: From the Old to the New Urban Ethnic Politics.” Paper delivered at the 1988 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., September 1-4, 1988.
- “The Last Hurrah? Machines in the Postwar Era.” Paper delivered at the 1987 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Illinois, September 3-6, 1987.
- Chair, Panel on “The Cities in the Reagan Era,” 1987 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Anaheim, California, March 26-28, 1987.
- “Wedded to the Welfare State: Women Against Reaganite Retrenchment.” Paper delivered at the 1986 meeting of the Conference Group on Political Economy, Washington, D.C., August 28-31, 1986.

“Women and the Welfare State: Potential for a New Progressive Alliance?” Paper delivered at the Center for European Studies Conference on Work and Politics: The Feminization of the Labor Force, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts, March 14-16, 1986.

Chair, Panel on “The Political Economy of the Welfare State,” 1985 Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, Washington, D.C., August 23-26, 1985.

Panelist, “The Impact of Retrenchment in the United States.” Conference on The Unraveling of the Welfare State? Retrenchment and Social Policy During the Reagan Years, sponsored by the Organized Research Activity in Institutional Analysis and Social Policy, University of California, Santa Cruz, June 6-8, 1985.

“The Conservative Attack upon Women and the Welfare State in the United States: Potential for a New Progressive Alliance?” Paper delivered at the Tocqueville Society Conference on Community Action and Public Policy, Institut d'Etudes Politiques, Paris, France, May 6-7, 1985.

Discussant, Panel on “Minorities, Poverty, and Public Policy,” 1985 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Las Vegas, Nevada, March 28-30, 1985.

Discussant, Panel on “Organizations and Public Policy,” 1985 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Las Vegas, Nevada, March 28-30, 1985.

Panelist, “Family Policy,” Conference on Women and Poverty, UCLA Graduate School of Urban Planning, Los Angeles, California, April 26-28, 1984.

“The Depression, New Deal and Changing Irish Machine Fortunes, 1928-1950.” Paper delivered at the 1984 Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Sacramento, California, April 12-14, 1984.

“Women, Reagan, and the Welfare State: The Hidden Agenda of the New Class War.” Paper delivered at the 1983 Annual Meeting of the Women's Caucus for Political Science, Chicago, Illinois, September 1-4, 1983.

“The Organization of Irish-Americans into Urban Institutions: Building the Political Machine, 1840-1896.” Paper delivered at the 1983 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Chicago, Illinois, September 1-4, 1983.

“Women, Blacks and Reagan's Assault on the Great Society,” (with Michael K. Brown). Paper delivered at the 1982 meeting of the Conference Group on the Political Economy of Advanced Industrial Societies, Denver, Colorado, September 2-5, 1982.

“Women and the Reagan Revolution: Thermidor for the Social Welfare Economy,” (with Martin Rein and Barbara Wiget). Paper delivered at the 1982 meeting of the Western Political Science Association, San Diego, California, March 25-27, 1982.

“Forecasting AFDC Caseload Changes in the 1980's,” (with Gordon M. Fisher). Paper delivered at the 21st National Workshop on Welfare Research and Statistics, Nashville, Tennessee, August 2-6, 1981.

“Blacks and the Great Society: The Economic and Political Impact of Federal Social Policy,” (with Michael K. Brown). Paper delivered at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., August 1980.

“The Political and Administrative Legacy of the War on Poverty,” (with Michael K. Brown). Paper delivered at the Annual Conference of the American Society for Public Administration, San Francisco, California, April 1980.

“Social Policy and the Emergence of the Black Social Welfare Economy,” (with Michael K. Brown). Paper delivered at the Annual Conference of the American Society for Public Administration, Baltimore, Maryland, April 1979.

Co-convener, Panel on “The Political Economy of the Intergovernmental Grant System,” Annual Conference of the American Society for Public Administration, Baltimore, Maryland, April 1979.

Panelist, “Neighborhood Revitalization,” Conference on New York State Priorities for the 1980's, Center for Governmental Research and Services, State University of New York at Albany, November 1978.

“The Two Faces of Irish Power: Lessons for Blacks.” Paper delivered at Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, New York City, New York, August 1978.

Participant, Forum on “Urban Fiscal Crises: Political Dimensions,” New York University, August 1978.

“Power and Administration: Notes on a Theory of Public Organizations,” (with Michael K. Brown). Paper delivered at the Annual Meeting of the American Society for Public Administration, Phoenix, Arizona, April 1978.

“Administrative Theory and the Problem of Political Power.” Paper delivered at the Annual Meeting of the American Society for Public Administration, Atlanta, Georgia, March 1977.

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

### **University Service, 2000 to present**

Director, Urban Studies and Planning Program, UC San Diego, 2000- present.

Committee on Academic Personnel, 2012-2013.

Campus and Community Environment Committee, UC San Diego, 2007-2011.

Campus/Community Planning Committee, UC San Diego, 2010–2011.

The Charles Nathanson Memorial Lecture Series Planning Committee, UC San Diego, 2004- present.

Chair, Institute of the Americas Chair for Inter-American Affairs Nomination Committee, Division of Social Sciences, 2010.

Committee on Educational Policy Subcommittee to Review the Undergraduate Program in Latin American Studies, UC San Diego, 2010.

Faculty Mentor, Thurgood Marshall College Mentor Program, 2010-present.

Chair, CA Cultures Faculty Search Committee, Department of Political Science, UC San Diego, 2004-06.

Budget Committee, Department of Political Science, UC San Diego, 2003-04.

Space Committee, Department of Political Science, UC San Diego, 2002-03.

Joint Faculty Search Committee, Urban Studies and Planning/Ethnic Studies, UC San Diego, 2007-08.

Joint Faculty Search Committee, Urban Studies and Planning/History, UC San Diego, 2007-08.

Joint Faculty Search Committee, Urban Studies and Planning/Sociology, UC San Diego, 2003-04.

Joint Faculty Search Committee, Urban Studies and Planning/Ethnic Studies, UC San Diego, 2003-04.

Joint Faculty Search Committee, Urban Studies and Planning/Sociology, UC San Diego, 2002-03.

Academic Advisory Council, UC Center in Sacramento, 2003-2009.

Steering Committee, California Policy Research Center, 2004-2007.

### **Memberships (scholarly societies, civic and professional organizations)**

American Political Science Association (APSA)

President, Urban Politics Section, APSA, 2010-2011.

Member (ex officio), Executive Council, Urban Politics Section, APSA, 2011-2012.

Member, Executive Council, Urban Politics Section, APSA, 1989-1991.

Member, APSA Committee on Organized Sections, 2011-2014.

Western Political Science Association

Section Coordinator, Local and Urban Politics panels, Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, Portland, OR, March 16-18, 1995.

Urban Affairs Association

Member, 2013 Conference Program Committee  
Southwestern Political Science Association  
Social Science History Association  
Historical Society of Southern California  
Los Angeles City Historical Society  
Board of Directors, Los Angeles Water and Power Associates  
Lambda Alpha International Honorary Society for the Advancement of Land Economics, San Diego Chapter  
Urban Land Institute, San Diego-Tijuana Chapter  
Scholia Club of San Diego  
The City Club of San Diego  
Citizens Coordinate for Century Three (C3)  
San Diego History Center

### **Reviewer/Award Committees**

Urban Politics Best Book Award Committee, Urban Politics Section, APSA, 2003.

Charles Redd Prize Committee, Western Political Science Association, 1996.

Chair, Urban Politics Best Book Award Committee, Urban Politics Section, APSA, 1991.

Contributing Editor, Metro Investment Report, VerdeXchange News.

Editorial Board, The Development of Los Angeles City Government: An Institutional History, 1850-2000, Los Angeles City Historical Society.

Advisory Board, *Under the Sun: Los Angeles, California and the World* Exhibit, Los Angeles County Museum of Natural History.

Book manuscript reviewer: University of California Press, University of Chicago Press, Oxford University Press, Cambridge University Press, Scott Foresman/Little Brown, University of Kansas Press, Greenwood Press, University of Virginia Press, University of Illinois Press, Georgetown University Press, Stanford University Press, University of New Mexico Press.

Journal manuscript reviewer: American Political Science Review, American Journal of Political Science, Political Science Quarterly, Journal of Politics, Polity, Studies in American Political Development, American Sociological Review, Urban Affairs Review, Comparative Urban and Community Research, Journal of Urban Affairs, Policy Studies Journal, Journal of Urban History, Journal of Policy History, Public Administration Review, Administration and Society, Feminist Studies, Social Science Journal, California Journal of Politics and Policy, Journal of Urbanism, City & Community.

Grant proposal reviewer: National Science Foundation, National Endowment for the Humanities, California Policy Research Center, Public Policy Institute of California, RAND, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada.

## **PUBLIC SERVICE AND CONSULTATION**

### **Public and Community Service**

Governor's Commission on Building for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century, Invest for California: Strategic Planning for California's Future Prosperity and Quality of Life (Sacramento: The Commission, September 2001), 110 pp.

Los Angeles Aqueduct Centennial Honorary Committee, 2013.

Water Advisory Committee, Trans-Border Institute, University of San Diego, 2012.

Peer Review Panel, San Diego Citizens Revenue Review and Economic Competitiveness Commission, 2009-present.

San Diego Regional Fire Safety Forum, 2007- present.

Save Our [San Diego] Working Waterfront Coalition, 2008-09.

Citizens Advisory Committee for the [San Diego] Mayor-Council Transition, 2004-06.

San Diego Regional Airport Site Selection Public Working Group, 2004-06

San Diego Strong Mayor Steering Committee, 2003-04.

Commentator: Los Angeles Times, Wall Street Journal, New York Times, Washington Post, Chicago Tribune, San Francisco Examiner, San Francisco Chronicle, San Diego Union-Tribune, Christian Science Monitor, Sacramento Bee, Los Angeles Daily News, New York Newsday, San Diego Business Journal, Baltimore Sun, Detroit Free Press, San Jose Mercury News, Forbes, Los Angeles Business Journal, Orange County Business Journal, Voice of San Diego, San Diego Reader, North County Times, CNN, NBC, ABC, KPBS, KPBS-FM, KNX-AM.

### **Expert Witness/Amicus Curiae**

Expert Witness, “Declaration in Support of Motion for Partial Summary Judgment Filed by the City of San Diego ,” submitted in Thalheimer et al v. City of San Diego (2009). (San Diego campaign contribution restrictions).

Expert Witness, State of California v. City of Los Angeles, City of Los Angeles Harbor Department, and Los Angeles Board of Harbor Commissioners (2001). (Transfer of harbor revenue funds).

Expert Witness, “Declaration” in The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California v. All Persons Interested in the Matter (1997). (Validation lawsuit on MWD wheeling rates).

Expert Witness, “Declaration in Support of Plaintiffs’ Motion for Summary Judgment,” in California Democratic Party v. Lungren (1996). (Pre-primary party endorsements in nonpartisan elections).

“Intent of the 1923 Los Angeles Board of Freeholders in the Drafting of the Current Charter,” Primary Author of Brief of *Amici Curiae* Historians and Political Scientists, ACLU Foundation of Southern California, submitted in Gates v. Board of Police Commissioners (1991).

### **Consultation**

Los Angeles County Economic Development Corporation, The Cost of Water in San Diego: the SDCWA-IID Water Transfer and SDCWA Water Rates; Orange County Gateway Cost-Benefit Analysis; On-Trac Transit Village Study; Analysis of the Economic Impacts of Mandatory Health Coverage in California; Alameda Corridor-East Trade Corridor Plan (AB 2928); Global Gateways Development Program (SCR 96); and Los Angeles-Inland Empire Trade Corridor Cost-Benefit Study.

Southern California Association of Governments, Regional Airport Management Study; and Regional Airport Management Implementation Study.

RAND, Los Angeles Charter Reform Study; and Metropolitan Water District of Southern California Strategic Visioning Project.

Orange County Business Council, A New Orange County Airport at El Toro: An Economic Benefits Study; A New Orange County Airport at El Toro: Catalyst for High-Wage, High-Tech Economic Development; and A New Orange County Airport at El Toro: A 2001 Update of Economic Impacts.

San Diego Centre City Development Corporation, Relocating the Freight Rail Yards Outside of Downtown San Diego: Assessing the Benefits, Costs and Risks.

California Business, Transportation and Housing Agency, California High Speed Rail Authority, Southern California Association of Governments, and Parsons Transportation Group, Technology Assessment Panel, Technology Selection Report, California MAGLEV Deployment Project.