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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Natural Resources and Environmental Policy
University of Michigan School of Natural Resources (2005)
M.A. Anthropology
Johns Hopkins University (1999)
M.F.S. (Master of Forest Science)
Yale University School of Forestry & Environmental Studies (1996)
B.S. in Natural Resources and Environmental Policy
University of Michigan School of Natural Resources (1993)

(ESG) CORPORATE, INVESTOR EXPERIENCE & LEADERSHIP

Limited Partner & Co-Founding Investor 2015 – present

Around the Corner Advisors & Around the Corner Capital, LLC

Washington, DC, USA

Oversight & Responsibilities:

- Large scale renewable energy and sustainability deal cultivation, financing and project development.
- Series A investor in [CHGX](#) (IPO 2017, NYSE); ESG methodology co-creation for ticker “FOFF”.
- Multi-spectrum strategic advocacy for globally profitable large-scale renewable energy via regulators, elected officials, investors, media, NGOs, and other platforms.

Limited Partner & Co-Founding Investor

IberSun North America (Americas) 2020 – present

IberSun Solar (USA, Spain, Japan) 2019 – present

Pahal Solar (India & South Asia) 2018 – present

Univergy/Think Green (India) 2017 – 2018

Washington, DC, USA; Hiroshima, Japan; Getxo, Spain; Hyderabad, India

Oversight & Responsibilities:

- Large/Utility scale solar deal cultivation, negotiation & deployment.
- Solar project financing, development and sale – Global
(Large scale (15MW-1GW) projects to date in: Botswana, India, Panama, South Africa, Spain, Zimbabwe and beyond.)
- IberSun 2020-21 EU Yield: 29 MW Sold; 37MW Developed; 3GW Pipeline. **Transaction Value \$79.7M (€66M)**

President 2018 – present

Board Member 2017 – present

LPS2, LLC

Detroit, MI, USA

Oversight & Responsibilities:

- Fiduciary oversight.
- Strategic Advice – Secured 2017 Motor City Match Grant.

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POLICY EMPLOYMENT, MAJOR BOARD & ADVISORY ROLES

Senior Program Officer

Feb 2016 – Feb 2018

National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine, Science and Technology for Sustainability (STS) Program

Washington, DC

- Help in the management and leadership of the STS program working on a broad range of activities and issues in support of the program's mission, to strengthen science for decision-making related to sustainability.
- Work closely with the STS Director and other staff to manage consensus studies as well as make significant contributions to related activities.
- Lead national to global conversations on the current issues in the field of sustainability science.
- Oversaw production & distribution of: National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine. 2016. *Pathways to Urban Sustainability: Challenges and Opportunities for the United States*. Washington, DC: The National Academies Press; & National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine. Forthcoming (Anticipated 2018). *Permanent Supportive Housing as a Foundation for Health: Evaluating the Evidence*. Washington, DC: The National Academies Press

Interim Director

November 2013 – Jan 2016

Joint Center for Political & Economic Studies

Washington, DC & New York, NY

- Hire and manage small group of support staff and program fellows.
- Solicit, raise and manage grant funds for the program, including concluding funds from Kresge Foundation on climate resilience and vulnerable urban populations
- Author energy and environment policy papers.
- Regularly comment on energy and environment policy in global media.

Visiting Fellow

2009 – 2015

Joint Center for Political & Economic Studies

Energy and Environment Program

Washington, DC

- Provide advice and guidance on domestic and global climate change policies.
- (2013) Helped secure Kresge Foundation grant on climate resilience and vulnerable urban populations (valued at **\$225,000**).

Advisor

April 2014 – August 2014

United Nations Non-Governmental Liaison Service (UN-NGLS)

New York, NY

- Provide head of office timely information on multilateral climate, energy sustainability and small island policy matters.
- Re-establish funder relations with private, bilateral and multilateral funding sources.
- Recruit, identify and supervise short-term contract staff, fellows and interns.
- Comment on energy and environment policy in global media.

Co-Founder, Vice President of Strategy, Board Member

April 2013 – present

US Climate Plan (a federally registered 501c3); *Renamed: Sunrise (Movement Education Fund)*

Washington, DC

- Provide Executive Director (ED) timely intelligence and insights on domestic climate and energy policy concerns.
- Co-direct with the ED initiation and maintenance of relationships with private foundations and high-net worth individual donors.

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- Recruit, identify and supervise staff, as well as short-term contract fellows and interns.
- Comment on energy and environment policy in global media.

Special Advisor 2008 – 2009

NAACP - National Association for the Advancement of Colored People

Washington, DC

- On the request of the NAACP President, advise on how to build a fully staffed environmental program for the NAACP.

Co-Founder/Board Member 2006 - 2015

Islands First (islandsfirst.org)

New York, NY & Globally

- Co-create and govern a new non-governmental organization dedicated to raising awareness of the plight of island nations facing climate change.

Advisor 2006 – 2015

Palau Mission to the United Nations

New York, NY

- Advise the Mission Ambassador and Ambassador on Oceans and High Seas (His Excellency, Ambassador Stuart Beck) and junior staff on environment and development matters, especially climate change and oceans issues.

Director and Fifth Officer

Sierra Club

San Francisco, CA

Third Term 2014 – 2017.
Appointed Term 2009 – 2010;
Second Term 2000 – 2003;
First Term 1997 – 2000.

(Selective assignments: in Glasgow, Scotland; Quebec City, Canada; Permanent United Nations Representative –UN-NYC, Geneva, etc.)

- Govern, along with 14 other Directors on an active board, the largest and oldest environmental organization in the United States.
- Oversee all staff and volunteer activities.
- Establish the Club's conservation priorities and internal policies—*especially help build the environmental justice (EJ) program.*
- Adopt and implement the annual budget (\$121 million for FY2016).
- Elect Club officers.

Special Senior Advisor on International Affairs & Policy 2001 – 2007

Exploratory Initiative on Human Genetic Engineering

San Francisco, CA & Washington, DC

(Assignments: UN New York, USA; UN Geneva, Switzerland)

- Represent the interests of the Initiative at various international meetings.
- Provide policy guidance and advice regarding government and NGO agencies and actors.

Advisory Board Member 2001 – 2014

CorpWatch

San Francisco, CA

- Serve in leadership positions for CorpWatch and undertake special assignments.
- Help CorpWatch to raise funds through various means.

Trustee & Founding Member 1999 – 2004

Environmental Leadership Program

Washington, DC

- Develop programs to promote public intellectual leadership and institution-building in the environmental field.

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- Secure and administer funds to support articulate, publicly engaged leaders who can formulate and promote a sustainable relationship between environment and society.
- Identify and select new and emerging environmentalists for fellowship award.

Director & Founding Member
Center for Environmental Health
San Francisco, CA

2012 (Sept) - present
1996 – 2007

- Provide knowledge and information necessary to start-up a new not-for-profit organization with a mission to reduce toxic exposures and environmental health hazards by directly influencing corporate behavior.
- Identify potential new staff members, both professionals and students, to carry out the organization's mission.
- Support ongoing fundraising efforts and cultivate high net-worth donors.

Honorary Board Member
New York City Environmental Film Festival
New York, NY

1997 – 1999

National Advisory Board Member
Youth Warriors
Baltimore, MD

1996 – 1998

Fellow & Advisor
Center for Justice And Sustainability
Oxon Hill, MD

1997 – 2000

- Provided policy advice to effectively realize the Center's mission to help individuals, organizations and systems operationalize the tenets and principles of sustainability and justice in the conduct of their business initiatives and activities.

Task Force Member
President's Council on Sustainable Development

1994 – 1996

- Served on Public Linkage, Dialogue and Education Task Force.

ACADEMIC/TEACHING EXPERIENCE & LEADERSHIP

Macmillan Scholar in Residence & Global Affiliate
University of Vermont
Gund Institute for Environment
Burlington, VT

Fall 2020

- Help UVM understand the physical and natural sciences, their relationship to other academic disciplines, and facilitate closing the gap between the sciences and the rest of the academic community.
- Deliver Macmillan Scholar Lecture.

Senior Innovation Fellow & Director of Energy & Sustainability Initiatives
Duke University Innovation Technology Policy Lab (ITPLab)
Durham, North Carolina, USA

2015 – 2016

Research Oversight & Responsibilities:

- Work closely with the Director to cultivate and maintain relationships with corporations, financial institutions, foundations and other conglomerates working on sustainability innovation and technologies.
- Supervise and mentor students, interns and recent graduates on sustainability oriented research problems.

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Visiting Fellow & Professor

2012 – 2013

Wesleyan University, College of the Environment

Middletown, Connecticut, USA

Research:

- Structure and function of multilateral environmental agreements (MEAs); focus on the political economy of multilateral climate conventions, finance and policies.
- Justice and sustainability in MEAs and other multilateral agreements (i.e., CBD, Rio Treaties).
- Anthropology/ethnography and histories of sustainability/sustainable development and (un)civil society organizations/non-governmental organizations (CSOs/NGOs).

Teaching course entitled:

- *Environmental Justice and Sustainability* (ENVS 255).

Visiting Scholar

December 2011 – 2016

University KwaZuluNatal (UKZN), Center on Civil Society

Durban, South Africa

- Provide strategic insight and research on civil society responses to global climate change and multilateral climate policy.

Assistant Professor

July 2005 – June 2012

Lecturer

January 2003 – June 2005

Dartmouth College, Environmental Studies Program

Hanover, New Hampshire, USA

Research:

- Structure and function of multilateral environmental agreements (MEAs); focus on the political economy of global biodiversity and climate change policies and conventions.
- Justice and equity in MEAs and other multilateral agreements (i.e., CBD, *inter alia*).
- Anthropology/ethnography and histories of sustainability/sustainable development and (un)civil society organizations/non-governmental organizations (CSOs/NGOs).

Teaching courses entitled:

- *International Environmental Issues* (ENVS 65)
- *Environmental Justice Movements in the USA* (ENVS 58)
- *Environment & Society* (i.e., introductions to (US) environmental policy) (ENVS 3)
- *Mapping Environmental Justice: Culture, Class & Space* (Writing Seminar, ENVS 7.1)
- *The Other Drug War: Biodiversity and Bioprospecting* (ENVS 80/LALACS 75)
- *Southern Africa Foreign Study Program* ('Sweeping' Co-Instructor)

Assistant Professor (Adjunct)

July 2005 – June 2012

Dartmouth College, Latin American, Latino, and Caribbean Studies

Hanover, New Hampshire, USA

- Serve as steering committee member.
- Taught Latin American, Latino, and Caribbean Studies (LALACS 75).

Affiliated Researcher

November 2007 – 2010

Erasmus University, Erasmus Research Institute of Management (ERIM)

Sustainability & Climate Change Research Unit

Rotterdam, The Netherlands

- Provide strategic advice to ERIM and the Sustainability & Climate Change Research Unit faculty on matters of climate justice and multilateral climate policy.

Resident Scholar

October 2008 – June 2009

University of California, Santa Cruz Center for Cultural Studies

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Santa Cruz, California (USA)

- Sabbatical Leave.

Visiting Lecturer

May 2002

University of Witwatersrand, Graduate School of Public & Development Management

Johannesburg, South Africa

- Taught two courses on globalization and environment in cooperation with (former) faculty member Prof. Patrick Bond.
- Secured partial course funding from Open Society Initiative for Southern Africa (OSISA).

Visiting Lecturer

October 2001

Kungl Tekniska Högskolan (Royal Institute of Technology)

Stockholm, Sweden

- Taught short course to mid-level Baltic state environmental policy makers on international environmental negotiations.

Lloyd Hall Resident Teaching Fellow/GSI

September 1998 – May 1999

University of Michigan (UM) College of Literature, Science & Arts

Ann Arbor, Michigan

- Designed and taught undergraduate seminar entitled: *The Other Drug War: Biopirates and the Patenting of the Amazon*.
- Conducted course fieldtrip to Upper Amazon basin, in eastern Ecuador's *Oriente*.

Graduate Teaching Assistant (TA)

September 1997 – May 1998

Johns Hopkins University, Department of Anthropology

Baltimore, Maryland

- Taught discussion sections for the Anthropology of Love & undergraduate Introduction to Anthropology.

Visiting Lecturer

Summers 1995, 1996, 1998, 1999

Institute for Social Ecology

Winter 2000, 2002

Plainfield, Vermont

- Taught seminars on political economy of biodiversity and bioprospecting (Sum.'98, '99; & Winters).
- Led seminars on environmental justice issues ('95 and '96).

Graduate Teaching Assistant (TA)

September – December 1995

Yale University, Yale College & School of Forestry and Environmental Studies

New Haven, Connecticut

- Taught Introduction to Environmental Studies discussion section.
- Collaborated with professor and other teaching assistants in course administration.

Lecturer/Resident Advisor

January – May 1994

University of Michigan (UM) College of Literature, Science & Arts

Ann Arbor, Michigan

- Designed and taught undergraduate seminar entitled: *Environmental Justice: Race, Poverty & the Environment*.

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PUBLICATIONS

Forthcoming

Chang, A. and Dorsey, M. K. (under signed contract 18 September 2020). *At the Interface: Science, Art & Climate Policy*. (Working Title) Routledge (Focus Series Imprint.)

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- Dorsey, Michael K. (and Patrick Bond) 2002. Green Capitalism and the New African Imperialists. *RedPepper* (UK) No. 98 (August): 16-17.
- Dorsey, Michael K. 2002. The New Eugenics. *World Watch* Vol. 15, No. 4: 21-23.
- Dorsey, Michael K. and Julie Narimatsu. 1999. Playing God: The implications of human patenting. *Synthesis/Regeneration: A Magazine of Green Social Thought* Vol. 18: 17-19.
- Dorsey, Michael K. 1998. Testimony of Michael K. Dorsey, Director, Sierra Club, Regarding Maryland State Finance and Procurement Act SB 354, Sanctions Against Nigeria (February 26).
- Dorsey, Michael K. 1998. Environmentalism or racism. *Earth First!: The Radical Environmental Journal* XVIII (III) (February-March): 3.
- Dorsey, Michael K. (and Theodore Oben) 1997. How to get involved in environmental activities. In *Young Action for the Future* (Second Edition). UNEP (Nairobi): 9-15.
- Dorsey, Michael K. 1997. Petroleo y otros perros de la guerra. *Tengantai* (Quito, Ecuador:) 8 (April):1-24.
- Dorsey, Michael K. 1994. Environmental justice: Just how green is Bill. *Michigan Toxics Watch* 5 (1-2) (Spring):5.

NON-PROFIT FUNDRAISING (GRANTS, SCHOLARSHIPS, FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS)

- 2017 Schmidt Ocean Institute submission, for NAS Pacific Ocean Conservation Initiative (\$900,000) (submitted LOI December 2017).
- 2017 Nathan Cummings Foundation submission, for NAS Carbon Revenue Expenditure Justice (\$220,000) (submitted LOI October 2017).
- 2017 California Air Resources Board submission, for NAS Carbon Revenue Expenditure Justice (\$220,000) (submitted LOI September 2017).
- 2017 Over a dozen LOIs submitted in August, for Green Leadership Trust staffing and build out. (\$300,000) (submitted LOIs August 2017 to Packard, Nathan Cummings, RBF, and others)
- 2016 Wallace Global Foundation submission, for Carbon Revenue Expenditure Justice (\$220,000) (submitted July 2016).
- 2015 SolarCity Grant, with Joint Center for Political & Economic Studies (\$250,000) (submitted 22 March 2015; denied).
- 2013 Kresge Foundation Grant, with Joint Center for Political & Economic Studies (\$250,000) (awarded).
- 2010 Global Sustainability Summer School Fellow Tuition (awarded).
- 2009 Bildner Family Fund Course Enhancement Grant (\$15,000) (awarded).
- 2008 Ford Foundation Climate Justice Research Project (\$300,000) (awarded).
- 2008 Center for Cultural Studies at the University of California, Santa Cruz, Resident Scholar, 07-08 (awarded, declined); 08-09 (re-awarded).
- 2008 Yale University Fellowship Program in Agrarian Studies, 08-09 (denied).
- 2007 Dartmouth College, Sabbatical Leave Term Request, Fall 09 (awarded).
- 2007 Mesa Refuge, Writers Retreat Fellowship (awarded).
- 2007 Dartmouth, Nelson Rockefeller Center for Social Sciences, Public Policy Grant, "Future Markets in Biology: Life After Bioprospecting," (\$15,374), Principal Investigator (denied).
- 2006 International Development Research Center (IDRC-Canada), "Civil Society Research and Participation in Climate Change Adaptation: Southern African Issues, Capacity and Policy Responses" C\$1,595,000 (USD\$1,384,218), Co-principal investigator, with Prof. Patrick Bond, University of Kwa-Zulu Natal (denied).

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- 2006 John Sloan Dickey Center for International Understanding, “What Comes After Kyoto? A Critical Dartmouth Dialogue,” (\$4000) Co-principal investigator (awarded).
- 2006 Dean of Faculty Discretionary Fund, “What Comes After Kyoto? A Critical Dartmouth Dialogue,” (\$1500) Co-principal investigator (awarded).
- 2005-06 Dartmouth, Nelson Rockefeller Center for Social Sciences Grant, (\$5000) Co-principal investigator (awarded).
- 2001-02 Thurgood Marshall Fellowship in Geography & Environmental Studies, Dartmouth College
- 2001-02 Gaius Charles Bolin Fellowship, Williams College (*declined*)
- 2000-01 Bioprospecting Research Grant, Max and Anna Levinson Foundation, New Mexico (\$20,000) (awarded).
- 1997 Johns Hopkins University Institute for Global Studies in Culture, Power and History Research Grant (awarded).
- 1997 Johns Hopkins University Department of Anthropology Travel Grant (awarded).
- 1996-00 Johns Hopkins University Minority Fellowship (awarded).
- 1995 Yale Agrarian Studies Program Research Support Grant, for MS thesis research (awarded).
- 1995 Yale Center for International and Area Studies/Coca-Cola Foundation Research Grant, for MS thesis research (awarded).
- 1994 Yale University School of Forestry Tuition Award (awarded).
- 1993 University of Michigan (UM) Alumni Incentive Internship Grant, for summer research (awarded).
- 1993 Bernstein Grant, for research at the African Centre for Technology Studies (awarded).
- 1993 Research Grant from the Institute of Agriculture and Trade Policy (awarded).
- 1993 Travel Grant from the UM Center for International Business Education (awarded).
- 1989 The UM Scholar Recognition Tuition Award (awarded).
- 1989 Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. Southfield Alumni Chapter Scholarship (awarded).
- 1989 Honeywell /NAACP Scholarship (awarded).
- 1989 Rosa Parks Foundation Scholarship (awarded).
- 1989 University of Michigan Martin Luther King Scholarship (awarded).
- 1989 Soroptimist International Organization Scholarship (awarded).
- 1989 State of Michigan Competitive Scholarship (awarded).

AWARDS & RECOGNITION (Partial List)

- 2013 Named an “Energy & Environment Expert Insider” by the *National Journal*.
- 2013 Made “Full Member” of the Club of Rome.
- 2011 Dartmouth College Social Justice Award, in honor of “Ongoing Commitment”.
- 2010 Named an “Emerging Scholar of the Class of 2010” by *Diverse Issues in Higher Education*, 7 January 2010.
- 2004 Nominated as “International Scientist of the Year,” in *2000 Outstanding Scientists of the 21st Century*.
- 2003 Voted 1 of 18 “Outstanding Professors” at Dartmouth College by the *Dartmouth Free Press*.
- 2001 Nominated for Ford Foundation’s *Leadership for a Changing World Award*.
- 1997 Profiled in Okwu, J. *Face Forward: Young African-American Men in A Critical Age* (Chronicle Books: San Francisco).
- 1997 Recipient of *Paul Harris Medal, for Distinguished Service to Humanity* by Rotary International, Glasgow, Scotland.
- 1993 Awarded University of Michigan School of Natural Resources, *Alumni War Memorial Award for Distinguished Service in Natural Resources*.
- 1993 Awarded *General Motors Volunteer Spirit Award*.
- 1992 Profiled in, David Helvarg, prod. *Green For Life* VCR, 28 min., distributed by Earth Island Institute, San Francisco.

ACADEMIC CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (partial list)

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- 2019 Keynote Address at Carnegie Mellon University for the 2019 [University Energy Institute Leadership Summit](#) (in collaboration with the Colorado School of Mines' Payne Institute for Public Policy and Rice University's Baker Institute for Public Policy), Sept. 25 and 26.
- 2015 Keynote Address as University of Minnesota (Morris) 43rd "Annual World Touch Cultural Heritage Week" Distinguished Speaker, University of Minnesota, 1 April 2015.
- 2013 Keynote Address as the Sagan National Colloquium Distinguished Speaker & the Butler A. Jones Lecturer on Race & Society "Climate Collapse vs. Climate Justice." Ohio Wesleyan, 25 September.
- 2012 Invited Colloquium Paper: "Preliminary Participant Observations on the Persistence & Consequences of Neoliberal Climate Policy, University of Kansas, IGERT Program, 22 October.
- 2012 Invited paper: "Post-2012 Climate Policies and Movements", University of Arizona, Institute of Environment, 23 March.
- 2011 Invited paper: "Which Way for the EU-ETS?" Freie University of Berlin, 30 June.
- 2011 Invited paper: "Tracing the Oligonomy of the Sky: Critical Ethnographic Analyses, Actor-Network Data a Visualizations of the Carbon Market Industrial Complex & Struggles for Climate Justice" on the Roundtable: "Technology Law, Governance and Green Innovation." 4 November.
- 2009 Invited paper: "Market Mania, Eco-Barons and the New Geographies of Enclosures & Openings," American Association of Geography (AAG) Meetings. 23-27 March.
- 2009 Invited paper: "Financial Haruspicy, Eco-Market Mandarins & Resistance on the Road to Copenhagen & Beyond," presented to The Program for Environmental and Regional Equity and the Center for Sustainable Cities, University of Southern California (USC). Friday, March 13.
- 2008 Invited paper: "Climate Justice and California's Climate Policy," presented to California Environmental Dialogue (CED), November 5-6.
- 2008 Invited paper: "The effectiveness of government imposed solutions, the provision of corporate subsidies to polluters, inconsistent enforcement of environmental regulations and market solutions to global problems.," International Economic Forum of the Americas (Montreal, Quebec) 9-12 June.
- 2008 Invited paper: "Author meets critic, public review of Understories: The Political Life of Forests in Northern New Mexico. Jake Kosek. Duke University Press. 2006. A John Hope Franklin Center Book." American Association of Geography (AAG) Meetings. 15-18 April.
- 2008 Invited paper: "The Struggle for Climate Justice" presented Environmental Sciences Institute, Distinguished Guest Speaker Series, Florida A&M University, 21 March.
- 2008 Invited paper: "The Axis of CO2: Exploring Networks of Climate Change Compradorism" presented at the Energy and Environmental Policy Colloquium, Center for Energy and Environmental Policy, University of Delaware, 20 March.
- 2008 Keynote Address: "The Challenge of Real Change: Environmentalism and Social Justice, On Campus and Beyond" Pomona College, 11-12 March.
- 2008 Invited paper: "International Frameworks to Combat Climate Change" presented at Confronting Global Climate Change: Using the Law to Protect Future Generations, Vermont Law School, 22-23 February.

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- 2007 Keynote Address: “Climate Change: Markets, Crises or Justice—Roles for Fulbright Scholars” presented at the Fulbright Association 30th Anniversary Conference: People and the Planet, Washington, DC, 3 November.
- 2007 Invited paper: “Climate Policy Decision Making” presented at the Sustainability and Climate Research Group, Erasmus University, Erasmus University (Rotterdam, The Netherlands), 26 September.
- 2007 Invited paper: “Climate (in)Justice” presented at The State of Environmental Justice in America, Sponsored by the US-EPA, DOE & Howard University Law School, Washington, DC, 29-31 March 2007.
- 2006 Invited paper: “Micro-Macro Battles over Biodiversity, from Post-Conservation to Neo-Commercialization” presented at Michigan State University Center for Latin American & Caribbean Studies, Lansing, MI, 29 November 2006.
- 2006 Keynote Address: “Environmental Justice in Hot Times”, presented at Civic Performance Conference, SUNY Stony Brook, Stony Brook, NY, 18 November 2006.
- 2006 Invited Session Chair: “Fighting Old Battles in a New Word: Civil Society Confronting Corporations”, presented at the What Next Conference, Sponsored by Dag Hammarskjold Foundation, Uppsala Castle, Uppsala, Sweden, 19-21 September 2006.
- 2006 Invited paper: “Globaloney and other tall tales and trajectories of (anti)globalization” presented at Futures of American Studies Institute, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, 21 June 2006.
- 2006 Invited paper: “Lost on the High Seas of Hate, 1866 to 2005: How Nazis, Deep Ecologists and Captain Paul Watson Come to Similar Conclusions on ‘The Immigration Question’ and Myriad Racisms” given at the American Society of Environmental Historians Conference (Track: Meanings of the Land: Linked Formations of Race and Landscape *Session Chair*: Carolyn Merchant, University of California, Berkeley), Minneapolis/St.Paul, Minnesota, March 29 - April 3, 2006.
- 2006 Invited paper: “Life After Bioprospecting: New markets in biology”, given at Latin American Studies Association Conference, (Environments, Developments and Communities: Ambiguous Alliances, Uneven Outcomes, Session I), San Juan, PR, USA, March 15 - 18, 2006.
- 2006 Invited paper: “Invested nature and the science and death”, at the conference: Beyond Biopolitics: State Racism And The Politics Of Life And Death, sponsored by The Center For The Study Of Women And Society/Graduate Center, CUNY, New York, NY, March 16-17, 2006.
- 2005 Session Moderator for session titled: "Manipulating Evidence: Safeguarding the Integrity of Science", given at 133rd Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association (APHA), Philadelphia, PA, December 10-14, 2005.
- 2005 Invited paper: “Biocomercio o Bioimperialismo” given at the conference Biocomercio o Bioimperialismo? Co-Sponsored by: *Universidad Andina Simón Bolívar*, Quito, Ecuador, November 9, 2005.
- 2005 Co-Chaired Panel on Bio-Commerce & presented paper: “*Bio-Arbitrage and Other forms of 21st Century Bio-Profiteering*” at the Society for the Social Studies of Science (4S), Pasadena, CA, October 20-22, 2005.
- 2005 Invited paper: “*A Response to ‘Technology and Values in Medicine’, by Peter Singer*” at the Symposium On Global Bioethics, at Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, October 17 & 18, 2005.

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- 2005 Invited paper: Beyond Biopolitics: Towards a Political Ecology of Bio-Commerce, given at Bio/Art and the Public Sphere: A Project, Research and Conference Initiative, sponsored by UC Irvine, Irvine, CA, October 17, 2005.
- 2005 Invited paper: “The promise and threat of climate justice: Geographies of resistance in the context of uneven development” given at the 4th Global Conference: Environmental Justice & Global Citizenship, Mansfield College, Oxford, Oxford, UK, July 5 - 7, 2005.
- 2005 Invited paper: “Beyond Biopolitics: Towards a Political Ecology of Bio-Commerce” given at The Sinues of the Present: Genealogies of Biopolitics, Université de Montréal, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, May 7 – 8, 2005.
- 2004 Co-Chaired Panel on Bio-Commerce & gave invited paper: “Shamans, Shenanigans and Sophistry in Far Amazonia”, presented at the Society for the Social Studies of Science (4S), Paris, France, August 25-29, 2004.
- 2003 Invited paper: “Access and Benefit Sharing of Ecuadorian Plant Genetic Resources,” given at the II Congreso de Conservación de la Biodiversidad en los Andes y Amazonia, sponsored by Universidad Técnica Particular de Loja, Loja, Ecuador, August 25-30, 2003.
- 2003 Invited paper: “Mini-Histories of Amazonian Plant Hunting” given at Amazonian Perspectives/Amazonian Prospects Conference, sponsored by Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, May 1-3, 2003.
- 2001 Invited paper: “Theories of Environmental Justice” given at the Rijksuniversiteit Groningen, sponsored by the Faculty of Spatial Sciences, Groningen, The Netherlands, October 5, 2001.
- 2001 Invited paper: “International Negotiations: 10 Years Since Rio” given in the Department of Regional Planning, sponsored by Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden, September 25-26, 2001.
- 2001 Invited paper: “On Race and Environmental History,” given at American Society of Environmental History, Durham, North Carolina, March 28 – April 1, 2001.
- 1999 Invited paper: “Plant Genetic Resources and Intellectual Property Rights in the 21 Century,” given at the International Botanical Congress, St. Louis, Missouri, August 6, 1999.
- 1998 Invited paper: “Struggles in Amazonia: Shaping Ecology Power and Knowledge” given at Institute for Global Studies in Culture, Power and History, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland, April 21, 1998.
- 1998 Invited paper: “The Chatter of Globalization and Transnationalism,” given at the Globalization from Below: Contingency, Conflict, Contestation in Historical Perspective Conference, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, February 5-8, 1998.

INVITED TALKS & KEYNOTES (Partial List)

- 2014 Invited talk: “Carbon Colonialism, Crony-Capitalism, & (various forms of) Financial Haruspicy & Collusion” at the University of California at Santa Barbara Global Studies Conference, Santa Barbara, CA, USA, 1 March.
- 2011 Invited “Honorary Keynote” at the Northwestern University Summit on Sustainability: Environmental Justice in the 21st Century, Evanston, IL, USA, 2 April.

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- 2006 Invited talk: “The emergence of transnational environmental crime: Some brief thoughts,” presented at University of Ibadan, Department of Political Science (in conjunction with the Dartmouth-Nigeria Fulbright Exchange), Ibadan, Nigeria, 14 September.
- 2006 Ponencia invitado: “¿Que pasará después del racismo medioambiental? Nuevos senderos y luchas hacia la justicia ambiental mundial” (given in Spanish), una presentación en la Casa de la Cultura, auspicado por el Instituto De Estudios Ecologistas Del Tercer Mundo, Quito, Ecuador, 8 August.
- 2005 Invited talk: “Epistemological & Spatial Dimensions of Dynamic, Doomed or Evolving (?) Biocommerce (A Qualitative-Anecdotal Treatment)”, given *Capitalism, Nature, Socialism* Anniversary Conference, Ecology, Imperialism and the Contradictions of Capitalism, Sponsored by York University, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, July 22-24.
- 2005 Invited talk: “Solutions: Policy Initiatives by Government, Business, and Civil Society,” given at the Clifford Symposium - Renewal: Perspectives and Possibilities in an Age of Climate Crisis, sponsored by Middlebury College, Middlebury, VT, September 22-24.
- 2005 Invited talk: “Local to Global Agendas for Climate Change” given at Philadelphia Beyond Oil Conference, sponsored by the Shalom Center, Friends Center & the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, September 17- 18.
- 2003 Invited talk: “The Genetics-Industrial Complex: Biopolitics and the International Market Place” given At Within and Beyond the Limits to Human Nature Working Conference, sponsored by the Heinrich-Boell-Stiftung & Institut Mensch, Ethik und Wissenschaft, Berlin, Germany, October 13-15.
- 2003 Invited talk: “The Problem of Biopiracy,” on the panel: Contestational Science: Identifying Sites of Struggle in the Life Sciences” at N5M Conference, sponsored by De Baile/Netherlands Media Art Institute, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, September 11-14.
- 2003 Keynote Address: “Who will control agriculture?” Webster University, St. Louis, MO, September 6.
- 2003 Keynote address: “High Roads to Sustainability: Justice & Accountability”, given at Sustainable Campuses in the 21st Century Conference, sponsored by UC Merced, Merced, California, April 28-29.
- 2002 Invited talk: “Biotech - Human and Agricultural Applications,” given to the Environmental Grantmakers Association, Asheville, North Carolina, September 9-11.
- 2001 Keynote address: “Environmental Justice”, *Rijksuniversiteit Groningen*, Groningen, The Netherlands, 4 October.
- 2000 The Hearst Lecture, sponsored by The College of Architecture and Environmental Design, California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, 12 May.
- 2000 Invited talk: “Mining the Microscopic: The Hazards of Treating DNA as a Natural Resource” given at McGill University, Montreal, Canada, March 16.
- 1999 Invited talk: “Roots of Bioprospecting in the Ecuadorian Amazon”, at the American Society of Environmental History Tucson, Arizona, April 15.
- 1998 Keynote address: “21st Century Racism: The Backlash Against Environmental Justice,” given at the Environmental Diversity Forum Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, June 20.

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- 1998 Keynote address: "Uninhabitable Environments: EcoJustice in the Twenty First Century" given at the Fontaine Fellowship Society Symposium, Backyard Talks: Cleaning Up the Relationship Between Activists and Scholars, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, April 18.
- 1997 Keynote address: "Inequality, Work and the Economy, A Dialogue," given at Inequality and Work: A Teach-In on the Economy and Labor, Towson State University, Baltimore, Maryland, April 29.
- 1995 Keynote address, "Environmental Justice and Sustainable Development: Can We Have Both?" given at Hunter College, New York, New York, October 27.
- 1992 Keynote address "Reflections from UNCED: Beyond the North/South Divide" given at Model United Nations Conference, sponsored by University of Dayton, Dayton, Ohio, November 12.
- 1992 Keynote address "The Role of Youth at UNCED: International Grassroots Organizing," given at the Post Earth Summit Caribbean Youth Conference, Kingston, Jamaica, September 2-5.
- 1992 Keynote address: "Now It Can Be Told: What Really Happened in Rio at the Earth Summit" sponsored by the University of Colorado at Boulder, Boulder, Colorado, July 20.

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SUSTAINED MEDIA APPEARANCES

For over two decades, on average, I do a half dozen or more media appearances quarterly—across all platforms: print, radio, television and web.

In 2016 I became [a contributor to the *Wall Street Journal*](#). Over decades I have provided my published opinions and views or been featured in the world's leading lay television, radio and print outlets from [Al Jazeera](#), the Associated Press, [South Africa's *Business Day*](#), [CGTN/CCTV](#), CNN, [Democracy Now!](#), [The Los Angeles Times](#), [The New York Times](#), the [Orlando Sentinel](#), [The Sacramento Bee](#), [The Thom Hartmann Show](#), [US News and World Reports](#) and many, many other outlets. One PBS documentary, [Green for Life](#), showcased my early efforts in 1992 on the road to the United Nations Earth Summit.

OTHER ADVOCACY & ESG RESEARCH EMPLOYMENT

Elected Steering Committee Member & Co-Chair 2017 – 2020 (April)
Member & Fundraising Committee 2015 – present
[Green Leadership Trust](#)
Washington, DC

- Oversee the US environmental and conservation movement and increase likelihoods of broader, more inclusive victories for all.
- Identify, foster relationships & secure funds with a variety of donors to fund our work.
- Serve as a spokesperson and public face for our organization.

Co-Founder December 2013 – 2016
[Detroit xPAC](#) (a federally registered 527; and Michigan Registered PAC)
Washington, DC

- Oversee the operations and growth of a political action committee whose goal is to elect people to office who will consistently stand up for the rights of Detroiters, and who will invest creating a future for the city that is sustainably and economically vibrant.
- Identify relationships with high-net worth individual donors committed to our Mission.
- Serve as a spokesperson and public face for our organization.

Biodiversity Program Co-Coordinator / Researcher August 1999 – August 2001
Friend of the Earth Ecuador/Acción Ecológica
Quito, Ecuador and *Provincia Napo*

- Co-coordinated research and advocacy campaign on biodiversity issues in the upper Amazon basin, Andean Pact and the Global South.
- Solicited and raised grant funds for project.

Consultant February – May 2000
WWF-Biodiversity Support Program (BSP)
Washington, DC

- Evaluated BSP projects for program closure.

Development Coordinator May – September 1996
Community University Consortium for Regional Environmental Justice, Rutgers University
Newark, NJ

- Wrote grants to secure development funds for Consortium.
- Conducted needs assessments of Consortium members

Researcher May – September 1995
Border Ecology Project
Bisbee, AZ & Sonora, Mexico

- Conducted Master's thesis research on neoliberalism and mining in Mexico.

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- Research Fellow May 1993 – September 1994
African Centre for Technology Studies (ACTS)
Nairobi, Kenya
- Assisted with research efforts in ACTS' Technology and Environment Program.
- Visiting Scholar, Consultant
World Resources Institute (WRI) May – October 1993;
Washington, DC and Dar es Salaam, Tanzania May – July 1994
- Environmental Careers Organization Intern June – September 1992
Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory (LBL), Environmental Health and Safety Division
Berkeley, CA
- Assessed LBL compliance with Resource Conservation and Recovery Act & Dept. of Energy Orders.
 - Designed database to monitor environmental assessment activities.
- US Delegate to the United Nations
Conference on Environment and Development – UNCED March – June 1992
US Department of State
New York, NY & Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- Proposed language to be included in UNCED documents.
 - Reported to Heads of Delegation with ideas and input to resolve contested issues during negotiations.
 - Liaised between the US delegation and non-governmental organizations.
- US Coordinator for UNCED Youth Summit October 1991 – March 1992
Student Environmental Action Coalition
New York, NY
- Assisted with pre-conference planning in San José & Limón, Costa Rica.
 - Coordinated the formation of a selection committee to choose delegates.
 - Prepared delegate information and briefing materials on Summit & UNCED.
- Research Assistant May 1991 – October 1991
University of Michigan, Space Physics Research Lab
Ann Arbor, MI
- Designed instruments for and analyzed synoptic meteorological data from the Lake Michigan Ozone Study.
 - Assisted with the Lake Michigan Urban Air Toxics Study.
- Technical Co-op June 1990 – December 1990
California Institute of Technology, NASA/Jet Propulsion Laboratory
Pasadena, CA
- Worked in Spacecraft Systems Engineering Section on TOPEX/Poseidon ocean mapping satellite.
- Research Assistant September 1989 – April 1990
University of Michigan, Low-Temperature Physics Laboratory
Ann Arbor, MI
- Performed analysis on low-temperature superconductors using micro-kelvin cryostats.
- Engineering Intern June 1989 – August 1989
Stanford University, Stanford Linear Accelerator Center (SLAC)
Stanford, CA
- Worked in Klystron Research and Development.

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INTERNATIONAL ADVISORY & CONSULTANCIES ROLES

- Stakeholder Forum for a Sustainable Future, International Advisory Board (2002- 2012).
- Member of Club of Rome tt30 Group (2005-2009).
- Delegate to Trans-Atlantic Environmental Dialogue, Brussels, Belgium; Washington, DC (1999-2000).
- Advisor to International Possibilities Unlimited – Washington, DC (1999-2005).
- Consultant to the Earth Council - San Jose, Costa Rica (1995).
- Member of World Resources Institute, Environmental Education Advisory Group (1994-98).
- Member of the North American Association of Environmental Education (NAAEE); Working Group on Urban Environmental Education (1994-1996).

OTHER DOMESTIC ADVISORY & CONSULTANCIES ROLES

- Member, Plastic Pollution Coalition, Executive Advisory Board (2021-present).
- Advisor to As You Sow Racial Justice Initiative (2020-present).
- Appointed, by two EPA Administrators, as Member of the United States Environmental Protection Agency's National Advisory Committee (NAC) (2010-2016).
- Advisor to Glenn Canyon Action Network (2000-2005).
- Advisor to Trust for Public Lands, Center for Land & People (2001-2003).
- Center for Environmental Citizenship Trainer (1999 & 2000).
- Consultant to Earth Island Institute - San Francisco, CA (1991-92).
- Delegate to the First National People of Color Environmental Leadership Summit - Washington, D.C. (1991).
- Member of the Student Environmental Action Coalition (SEAC) (1990-1996).
- Consultant to the Ecology Center - Ann Arbor, MI (1990-91).
- Life Member of the Sierra Club (1986-present).

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Conversational and technical fluency in Spanish (Landed, legal resident of Ecuador 1999-2001).

HOBBIES

- High Altitude Mountaineering (two failed summit attempts on Cotopaxi (19,348 ft/5897m) and Chimborazo (20,703 ft/6310m) in the high Andes); Adventure Travel (successful solo crossings of Yosemite National Park and Adirondack National Park)
- [Skyrunning](#) (ISF) & trail running
- Sitting quietly while doing nothing in beautiful locations.
- Relearning to play the flute & learning duduk.