

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

- Ed.D. 2011 Curriculum and Instruction, Educational Leadership
Portland State University, Portland, OR.
- M.A. 1993 Intercultural/International Administration
School for International Training/World Learning, Brattleboro,
VT.
- B.A. 1987 Business Administration/Arts Administration
Lewis and Clark College, Portland, OR.

EMPLOYMENT

- Associate Professor, Program in Conflict Resolution, College of Liberal Arts and Science,
Portland State University, Portland, Oregon, 9/2019 – present
- Assistant Professor, Program in Conflict Resolution, College of Liberal Arts and Science,
Portland State University, Portland, Oregon, 9/2015 – 8/2019
- Senior Instructor II, Program in Conflict Resolution, College of Liberal Arts and Science,
Portland State University, Portland, Oregon, 11/2014 – 8/2015
- Senior Instructor, Graduate Program in Conflict Resolution, College of Liberal Arts and Science,
Portland State University. Portland, Oregon, 1/2012 – 11/2014
- Instructor, Graduate Program in Conflict Resolution, College of Liberal Arts and Science,
Portland State University. Portland, Oregon, 4/1999 – 1/2012
- Adjunct Faculty, Saybrook University, Transformative Social Change Program, Oakland,
California, 6/2017 – present
- Associate Faculty, Justice Studies, School for Humanitarian Studies, Royal Roads University,
Victoria, BC, Canada 1/2014 – 2017

Instructor, Master's Degree Program in Conflict and Dispute Resolution Program, University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon, 9/2010-2012

Instructor, Women Studies, Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon, 3/2005-6/2005

Instructor, Marylhurst University, Portland, Oregon, 9/2001 – 8/2005

Instructor, University of Phoenix, Portland, Oregon, 9/2001 – 12/2002

Violence Prevention Specialist, Multnomah County Health Department, Portland, Oregon, 6/1996 – 9/1999

Program Director, Immigration Counseling and Advocacy, Lutheran Family Services, Portland, Oregon, 6/1989 – 3/1998

DISSERTATION

Storytelling as Loving Praxis in Critical Peace Education: A Grounded Theory Study of Postsecondary Social Justice Educators, 2011, Farahmandpur, Chair.

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS OR OTHER CREATIVE ACHIEVEMENTS

Book Chapters

Byron, A. (2019). Storytelling as pedagogy in post-secondary peace (and justice) education. In M. Groarke and E. Welte (Eds.), *Peace and justice studies: Critical pedagogy*, 108-116. Florence, KY: Routledge Taylor & Francis Group.

Trujillo, M., Byron, A., & Meeker, J. (2016). Communication and conflict: An intersectional lens. In T. G. Matyok, & P. M. Kellett (Eds.), *Transforming conflict through communication in personal, family, and working relationships*, 85-106. Boulder, CO: Lexington Books.

Byron, A. (2015). Integrative Conflict Resolution: Tools for Loving Praxis in Organizational Leadership. In N. Erbe and A. Normore (Eds.), *Cross Cultural Collaboration and Leadership for Modern Organizations*, 50-62, Hershey, PA: IGI Global.

Byron, A. (2015). Crisis and Conflict Management. In J. Bennett (Ed.), *The SAGE Encyclopedia of Intercultural Competence*, 131-132. Thousand Oaks, CA: SAGE Publications.

Byron, A. (2015). Peacebuilding. In J. Bennett (Ed.), *The SAGE Encyclopedia of Intercultural Competence*, 659-661. Thousand Oaks, CA: SAGE Publications.

Byron, A. (2015). Universal Human Rights. In J. Bennett (Ed.), *The SAGE Encyclopedia*

of *Intercultural Competence*, 831-833. Thousand Oaks, CA: SAGE Publications.

Articles

- Byron, A. (2019). (Re)Claiming human dignity. *Journal of Transdisciplinary Peace Praxis*, 1(2), 138-153.
ISSN: 2631-746X (Print); 2631-7478 (Online)
- Byron, A. (2017). Interfaith dialogue to de-radicalize radicalization: Storytelling as peacebuilding in Indonesia. *Journal of Living Together*, 2-3 (1), 92-102.
ISSN: 2373-6615 (Print); 2373-6631 (Online)

Book Reviews

- Byron, A. (2009). [Review of The lessons of nonviolence: Theory and practice in a world of conflict, by T. Hastings]. *Journal of Peace Education*, 6(1), 141-151.

NON-REFEREED PUBLICATIONS OR OTHER CREATIVE ACHIEVEMENTS

- Byron, A. (2020). Dignity: A Poem, Peace Chronicle, Winter 2020 Issue.
- Byron, A. (2018). Love Warriors (Music and Lyrics) © 2018
- Byron, A. (2016). Open the Love Window (Music and Lyrics) © 2016
- Byron, A. (2014). Singing the Sacred Song of Every Heart (Music and Lyrics) © 2014
- Byron, A. (2006). Peaceful parenting. The Peacemaker, Salem, OR.
- Byron, A. (2004). Creating Enemies VB#47.1, Flying Focus Films, Portland, OR.
- Byron, A. (2003). Media violence. The Peacemaker, Salem, OR.
- Byron, A. (2002). Weapons of mass distraction VB#40.8&9, Flying Focus Films, Portland, OR.
- Byron, A. (2002). Rabia replied (Compact Disk of Original Music). Bosnian Studios, Portland, OR.

PRESENTATIONS AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS

- “Restorative Circle Process: Polarization and the Election,” Peace and Justice Studies Association Conference, November 13, 2020, Online.
- “Evolving Narratives: Expanding Imagination and Mobilizing Voices for Change,” Peace and Justice Studies Association Conference, October 3, 2020, Online:
https://media.pdx.edu/media/EditedPJSA/1_9m6sxtwd
- “Restorative Circle Praxis,” Interprofessional Conference, October 1, 2020, Chicago School of Professional Psychology, Online.
- “Dilemmas of Restorative and Transformative Practices Online,” Peace and Justice Studies Association Conference, September 23, 2020, Online.
- “De-Colonizing Pedagogies,” Peace and Justice Studies Association Conference, October 4, 2019, Winnipeg University, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada.
- “Finding Dignity in Survivor Testimony,” Northwest Justice Forum, June 2019, Multnomah

- College, Portland, OR.
- “What's Love Got to Do with It? Building Beloved Community in Higher Education,” Peace and Justice Studies Association Conference, September 29, 2018, Arcadia University, Glenside, Pennsylvania.
- “Reimagining Dignity in Restorative Justice,” Northwest Justice Forum, May 2018, Southern Oregon University, Ashland, OR.
- “Seeking Human Dignity in an Era of Divisiveness,” Peace and Justice Studies Association Conference, October 27, 2017. University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL.
- “Intersectionality and Pedagogy Roundtable,” Peace and Justice Studies Association Conference, October 27, 2017. University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL.
- “Power & Politics of Storytelling,” (Un)Comfortable Identities: Representations of Persecution, United States Holocaust Memorial Museum Symposium, October 19, 2017. Humboldt State University, Arcata, CA.
- “Creating Climates of Connection in a Culture of Disconnect,” Northwest Justice Forum, May 24, 2017. Lewis and Clark College, Portland, OR.
- “Intersectionality and Grief: Reading Power to Build Coalitions in Troubling Times,” Globalization, Diversity, and Education Conference, February 16, 2017. Washington State University, Spokane, WA.
- “Interfaith Dialogue to De-Radicalize Radicalization: Storytelling as Peacebuilding in Indonesia,” November 2, 2016. International Center for Ethno-Religious Mediation (ICERM), New York, NY: <https://youtu.be/G20OFFIqdLo>
- “Teaching Peace and Social Justice through Social Media,” September 23, 2016. Peace and Justice Studies Association Conference, Selkirk College, Nelson, British Columbia, Canada.
- “Educator Roundtable: Critical pedagogy in Teaching Peace Studies,” September 22, 2016. Peace and Justice Studies Association Conference, Selkirk College, Nelson, British Columbia, Canada.
- “Stories, Discomfort, and Power: The Embodied Praxis of Storytelling in the Classroom,” Peace and Justice Studies Association, October 17, 2014. University of San Diego, San Diego, CA.
- “Narrating Discomfort: Decolonizing Imagination through Embodied Storytelling,” Globalization, Diversity, and Education Conference, February 27, 2014. Washington State University, Spokane, WA.
- “Subjects into Objects: Storytelling as a Pedagogy of Humanization,” Peace and Justice Studies Association Conference, October 19, 2013. Wilfred Laurier University/University of Waterloo, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.
- “Overcoming Hate: (Re)claiming Narrative Through Social Media/Promoting Nonviolence,” Addressing Hate & Preventing Global Conflicts: The Role of Media Outlets, May 31, 2013. Gonzaga University/Portland State University/Jubitz War Prevention Initiative, Portland, OR.
- “Possibilizing Transformation: Storytelling and Social Change/Globalization,” Diversity and Education Conference, February 27, 2013. Washington State University, Vancouver, WA.
- “The Pooling Qualities of Self-Care, Healing and Learning: A Transformative Pedagogy for a Global Society,” Globalization, Diversity and Education Conference, February 27, 2013. Washington State University, Vancouver, WA.

- “Loving Praxis: A Pedagogy of Social Justice,” Northwest Women’s Studies Association Conference, April 21, 2012. Portland State University, Portland, OR.
- “Storytelling as Loving Praxis: Cultivating Concern for the Common Good as Critical Peace Education,” Globalization, Diversity and Education Conference, February 2012. Washington State University, Vancouver, WA.
- “A Pedagogy of Storytelling,” Globalization, Diversity and Education Conference, February 2010. Washington State University, Spokane, WA.
- “Restorative Practice in Education: A Tool for Building Diverse Democracy,” Globalization, Diversity and Education Conference, February 2009. Washington State University, Spokane, WA.
- “American Sufism: Eat, Dance and Pray Together,” Peace and Justice Studies Conference, September 13, 2008. Portland State University, Portland, OR.
- “Cultural Competence in Conflict,” Globalization, Diversity and Education Conference, February 2007. Washington State University, Spokane, WA.
- “Peace Education as Public Health,” Building Cultures of Peace, 2007. University of Oregon, Eugene, OR.
- “Peace Education in Action: An Introductory Course,” Peace and Conflict Studies Consortium Conference, 2006, Portland Community College, Portland, OR.
- “Peace Education as a Primary Prevention Paradigm,” National Conference on Peace Education, November 9, 2005. Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.
- “Media and the War Machine,” War, Peace and Media Conference, 2005. Portland State University, Portland, OR.
- “Beyond Neutrality,” Oregon Mediation Association Annual Conference, 2004. Portland, OR.
- “Weapons of Mass Distraction,” War, Peace and Media Conference, 2004. Portland State University, Portland, OR.

HONORS

- 2013 John Eliot Allen Outstanding Teaching Award, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Portland State University
- 2013 Fulbright Specialist Award: Diplomatic Academy of Vietnam
- 2010 John Eliot Allen Outstanding Teaching Award, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Portland State University

GRANTS

- 2020 Nathan Cogan: Holocaust and Genocide Studies Project (PSU Foundation) \$5,000
- 2018 Nathan Cogan: Holocaust and Genocide Studies Project (PSU Foundation) \$15,000
- 2017 Nathan Cogan: Holocaust and Genocide Studies Project (PSU Foundation) \$5,000
- 2016 Nathan Cogan: Holocaust and Genocide Studies Project (PSU Foundation) \$5,000
- 2016 PI Byron: Oregon Department of Education, Salem, OR/Immigrant and Refugee Community Organization, Portland, OR \$32,100
- 2013 PI Byron: United States Institute of Peace Grant, Washington DC: Peace Education as Democracy Building Symposium \$5,000

FELLOWSHIPS

- 2019 Regional Institute on the Holocaust and Jewish Civilization, Holocaust Educational Foundation of Northwest University and the Ray Wolpow Institute for the Study of the Holocaust, Genocide, and Crimes Against Humanity of Western Washington University, Bellingham, Washington.
- 2018 United States Holocaust Memorial Museum 2018 Annual Faculty Seminar on Ethics, Religion, and the Holocaust, “After Evil: the Ethical Dynamics of Addressing the Past.”
- 2018 Summer Institute on Genocide Studies and Prevention: Cohen Center for Holocaust and Genocide Studies, Keene State College, New Hampshire.
- 2015 Workshop on Peacebuilding, Interreligious Relations, and Diversity in Southeast Asia: University of Hawai'i, Manoa (Center for Southeast Asian Studies) and Gadjah Mada University, Yogyakarta, Indonesia (Center for Religious and Cross-cultural Studies)

COMMUNITY PRESENTATIONS AND CREATIVE ACHIEVEMENTS

- “Holocaust and Genocide Studies,” R. Gould’s Evil and Hate Class, Portland State University, November 9, 2019, Portland, Oregon.
- “Storytelling and Social Change: Artist as Citizen. School of Music,” Portland State University, November 8, 2019, Portland, Oregon.
- “Genocide: Recognizing Risk and Preventing Escalation,” This is Us: Diversity Day, September 23, 2019, Lake Oswego High School, Lake Oswego, Oregon.
- “Weapons of Mass Distraction: Navigating the Truth in Media Messaging,” This is Us: Diversity Day, September 23, 2019, Lake Oswego High School, Lake Oswego, Oregon.
- “Intersectional Praxis: Supporting Interventions with Diverse Participants,” Transformative Social Change, Saybrook University Residency, August 27, 2019. Monterey, California.
- “Genocide Prevention,” The Olga Lengyel Institute for Holocaust Studies and Human Rights, June 27, 2019, Oregon Jewish Museum and Center for Holocaust Education, Portland, Oregon.
- “Peacebuilding through the Arts: Artist as Citizen. School of Music,” Portland State University, October 5, 2018, Portland, Oregon.
- “De-escalation,” A Seat at the Table, Oregon Food Bank Partner Agency Conference, September 14, 2018, Portland, Oregon.
- “Conflict System Design,” A Seat at the Table, Oregon Food Bank Partner Agency Conference, September 14, 2018, Portland, Oregon.
- “Interfaith Social Justice,” Spirit Led Justice Alliance, United Church of Christ/Congregation Shir Tivkah, August 23, 2018, Portland, Oregon.
- “Nonviolence: Artist as Citizen. School of Music,” Portland State University, May 4, 2018. Portland, Oregon.
- “Panel on Genocide Prevention,” Commemoration of Rwandan Genocide, Rwandan Community of Oregon and Oregon Historical Society, April 7, 2018, Portland, Oregon.
- “Deliberating Differences, Pursuing Possibilities,” Transformative Social Change, Saybrook University Residency, January 24, 2018. Monterey, California.
- “Creativity and Conflict Resolution: Artist as Citizen. School of Music,” Portland State University, October 13, 2017. Portland, Oregon.
- “Education for All: Inclusion and Access as Pathways to Peace,” US Department of State, May 12, 2017. Portland State University, Portland, Oregon.

- “Destabilizing Dominant Narratives and Creating Alternative Narratives of Social Justice,” Transformative Social Change, Saybrook University Residency, January 24, 2017. Monterey, California.
- “De-Radicalizing Radicalization: Interfaith Peacebuilding in Indonesia, the United States, and the World,” in partnership with the Indonesian Consulate of San Francisco, October 14/15, 2016. Portland State University, Portland, Oregon.
- “De-Radicalizing Radicalization: Storytelling as Peacebuilding,” De-Radicalizing Radicalization: Interfaith Peacebuilding in Indonesia, the United States, and the World, in partnership with the Indonesian Consulate of San Francisco, October 14/15, 2016. Portland State University, Portland, Oregon.
- “Restorative Justice with Refugee Youth,” IRCO, October 16, 2015. Portland, Oregon.
- “LGBTQ Faith Leader Conference on Black Lives Matter, October 15, 2015. Portland, Oregon.
- “Domestic Violence Safe Dialogue Facilitator Presentation,” April 11, 2015, Portland, Oregon.
- “Hate Panel,” Vancoug American Democracy Project. Washington State University, April 21, 2015. Vancouver, Washington.
- “Conflict Resolution and Difficult Conversations. Oregon State Tax Auditors Annual Conference, September 24, 2013. Oregon Gardens, Silverton, Oregon.
- “Conflict Resolution and Problem Solving Techniques for Life, Work and Beyond,” Preparing for the Next Step: A 2013 Seminar for Fulbright Students from Pakistan, April 11, 2013. Portland State University, Portland, Oregon.
- “Possibilizing Transformation: Storytelling and Social Change,” Faculty Favorite Lecture Series, Women’s Resource Center, March 12, 2013. Portland State University, Portland, Oregon/
- “Introduction to Portland State University: Doorway to International Education. Diplomatic Academy of Vietnam, January 2013, Hanoi, Vietnam.
- “Storytelling and Social Change,” Unitarian Fellowship, Orcas Island, October 24, 2009. Eastsound, Washington.
- “The Yoga of Giving: A Conversation,” Bali Spirit Festival, March 27, 2011. Ubud, Bali, Indonesia.
- “A CR Approach to Genocide Prevention,” Anthropology Student Association, May 13, 2010. Portland State University, Portland, Oregon.
- “Holocaust Dialogue Presentation,” Holocaust Remembrance Day, Kerem Shalom, April 9-10, 2010. Concord, Massachusetts.
- “Feminism and Restorative Justice,” Lori Patterson’s WS101: Introduction to Women’s Studies, November 23, 2009. Portland State University, Portland, Oregon.
- “Healing the Holocaust. Unitarian Fellowship, Orcas Island, October 24, 2009. Eastsound, Washington.
- “Holocaust Reconciliation Dialogue. One By One, August 18-28, 2009. Berlin, Germany.
- “Restorative Justice: A Feminist Approach to Conflict Resolution,” Faculty Favorite Lecture Series, Women’s Resource Center, January 22, 2009. Portland State University, Portland, Oregon.
- “CR Assessment Poster/Learning Outcomes Showcase,” Portland State University, 2008. Portland, Oregon.
- “Restorative Justice: A Prevention Paradigm,” Violence Prevention Summer Institute, 2006. Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon.

“Media Violence,” Violence Prevention Summer Institute, 2002. Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon.
“Deconstructing Media,” Violence Prevention Summer Institute, 2001. Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon.
“Media Literacy and Brain Development,” Violence Prevention Summer Institute, 2000. Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon.
“Media Literacy,” Violence Prevention Summer Institute, 1999. Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon.

TEACHING

Portland State University
4/1999 - Present

CR301U: Introduction to Conflict Resolution
CR307: Conflict Management Skills
CR312: Introduction to Intercultural Conflict Resolution
CR301U: Consensus Building
CR 399: Learning to Work with Conflict
CR 399: Media and Gender
CR 399: Understanding Violence
CR441/541: Storytelling and Conflict Resolution
CR420/520: Reconciliation Processes
CR407/507: Love and CR: What’s Love Got to Do With It?
CR407/507: Religion and Conflict Resolution
CR407/507: Enmification: The Art and Consequence of Enemy Making
CR442/542: Peace Education
CR407/CR507: Media Violence
CR407/507: Spirituality and Peace Education
CR407/507: Hate and War Prevention
CR410/510: Restorative Justice
CR410/510: Restorative Justice in Prisons
CR410/510: Grant Writing for CR
CR 410/510: Cultural Competency and Conflict
CR 407/507: Multicultural Competence in Organizations
CR 407/507: Deconstructing Violence
CR 407/507: Educating Nonviolent Children
CR 407/507: Nonviolent Power and Privilege
CR526: Intercultural Conflict Resolution
CR 512: Perspectives in Conflict Resolution
CR507: Research Methods I/Introduction
CR507: Research Methods II
CR507: Thesis/Project Prep
CR 525: CR Systems Design

Saybrook University, Oakland, California

5/2018 - Present

TSC6594: Peacebuilding

Royal Roads University, Victoria, BC, Canada

1/2013 – 9/2017

Justice Studies: Critical Justice Perspectives

Justice Studies: Alternative Dispute Resolution

University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon

9/2010 – 6/2012

CRES Research Methods II

Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon

4/2005 – 6/2005

WS 420/520: Hate, Resistance and Reconciliation

Marylhurst University, Marylhurst, Oregon

1/2001 – 6/2005

CM347E: Negotiation

PCR590: Enmification

CM346E: Conflict Management

University of Phoenix, Portland, Oregon

9/2001 – 12/2002

BSHS 480: Advanced Interpersonal Communication

BSHS 450: Program Design and Proposal Writing

BSHS 440: Advocacy and Mediation, University of Phoenix

MENTORING

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Chair

2019: Rachel Fessenden, Portland State University. *Understanding Dignity Through Survivor Testimony*.

2019: Ariel Bushnell, Portland State University. *Maximizing Community Resiliency Through LINC*.

2016: Flannery Mack, Portland State University. *Rewriting History: Using Reconciliation Processes to Revise Dominant Cultural Narratives and Assessing Cultural Readiness for Reconciliation*.

2014: Sarah Nicole Donaldson, Portland State University. *The Secret Life of the Transnational Fairy Tale: A Comparative Study of the Indonesian Folktale “Bawang Merah, Bawang Putih” and Three European Fairy Tales*.

McNair Scholars Undergraduate Research Chair

2016: Laura Aguon, Portland State University. *Police women: The successful use of de-escalation skills in crisis situations*.

Masters Thesis Committee Chair

- 2013: Johari Efendi, University of Oregon. *Civic Engagement and Collaborative Governance in Post-Conflict Societies Case Study Ambon, Indonesia.*
- 2012: Jami Mitchell, University of Innsbruck, Austria. *Intersecting Peaces: Exploring Rainbow Gatherings and Ecofeminism.*

Masters Thesis Committee Member

- 2020: Sam Frazier Hediger. *Trailblazing Transformation: Charting a Path Toward Transformative Peacebuilding in Higher Education Labor Conflicts.*
- 2017: Leslie O'Donoghue. *Holocaust, Memory, Second-Generation, and Conflict Resolution.*
- 2012: Elizabeth Hooker. *Here, We are Walking on a Clothesline: Statelessness and Human (In)Security Among Burmese Women Political Exiles Living in Thailand.*
- 2010: Eric Berge. *Teaching Peace: Peace Education in the Catholic High School.*
- 2010: Mindy Johnston. *Exploring the Beliefs Musicians-Artists have About the Role of Music in Society and How This Should be Considered in the Field of Conflict Resolution.*
- 2010: Juniper Painton. *The Effects of Objectification: Can Women Be Simultaneously Oppressed and Empowered?*
- 2010: Kerry Basset. *Bullying in the Workplace – A Study of the Impact on Employees and Employers.*
- 2010: Pamela English. *Sexism as an Exclusionary Practice in Conflict Resolution.*
- 2009: Ruth Rondema. *Perceptions of Community and Organizational Conflict Resulting from Service-Learning Experiences.*
- 2009: Rachel Foxhoven. *Religious Commitment, Religious Approach, and Attitudes Toward Gay Rights within Catholicism.*
- 2009: Crystal Tenty. *Sex Work and Moral Conflict: Enhancing the Quality of Public Discourse using Photovoice Method.*
- 2009: Eileen Farao. *A Quantitative Methods Examination of Violence Among Sex Workers of West Bengal, India.*
- 2009: Christine Evans. *American Assemblies of God Foreign Policy Attitudes: Exploring the Relationship Between Religiosity and Politics.*
- 2009: Naskah Zada. *Mediation as an Effective Deterrent for the Kurdish Practice of Honor Killings.*
- 2009: Christopher Potts. *If You are Light, You are Alright; If You are Black, Step Back.*
- 2009: Foday Darboe. *Warfare and the Black Market in Small Arms Sale: The Challenge for Conflict Resolution in Liberia and Sierra Leone.*
- 2009: Emily Dayton.
- 2009: Justin Zoradi. *Cultural Identity and the Peace Process: The Impact of Conflict on Protestant College Students in Northern Ireland.*
- 2009: Tobin Krell. *Motivational Factors for Inmate Participation in the Alternatives to Violence Project.*
- 2009: Steven Bates. *Red De Salud – Network of Health: Structural Violence, Exclusion and Inclusion in Venezuela.*
- 2009: Inger Easton. *The Aftermath of the Murder of Theo Van Gogh: The Dutch Perception of Integration of Second Generation Moroccan Youth.*
- 2008: Maria Scanelli. *Anticipating Deployment: Conflict Resolution for Military Personnel and Their Families.*

- 2008: Michelle Diamond. *Islamophobia and the U.S. Media.*
- 2008: Devin Russo. *My Brother's Keeper: HIV Stigmatization in the Gay Community.*
- 2008: Melissa Miller. *Restorative Justice Processes and Dignity Village: A Case Study.*
- 2008: Catherine McCracken. *Shame: A Prison with Parole?*
- 2007: Kathleen Kirkpatrick. *A Case Study: How Participants Used the Training in PSUnity's Diversity and Inclusion Workshop.*
- 2007: Christopher Williams. *Resilience and Identification with Academic Success for African American Males at Joseph L. Meek High School.*
- 2006: Samantha Soma. *An Examination of Conflict Conversation in an Online Community: The Pie Fight at DailyKos.com.*
- 2006: Sonja Young. *The Effect of Childbirth on the Mother-Daughter Relationship.*
- 2005: Andrew Reed. *An Intercultural Approach to the Creation of a Flexible Mediation Model.*
- 2003: Dawn Draais. *The Differentiation of Forgiveness and Reconciliation in the Friendship Relationship.*
- 2003: Jodie Brauer. *Assessing the Conflict Resolution Potential of Media and Literacy Education with Seventh Grade Students at Harriet Tubman Middle School.*
- 2002: Alyson Lynn Markham-Shultz. *An Exploration of the Potential Dialogue Groups as a Tool in Addressing Divisive Social Issues.*

Masters Professional Project Committee Chair

- 2020: Sara Barger, *Equity Evaluation in Neighborhood Mediation Center.*
- 2020: Lauren Rook, *Never Again Coalition, Genocide Awareness.*
- 2020: Cristina Nieves, *Summative Evaluation of Programa de Robotica.*
- 2017: Zeyaad Moussa, *Yala! Let's Talk.*
- 2017: Jennifer Williams, *Champoeg Masonic Organization: Conflict Skills Training.*
- 2017: Gwynne McCay, *Dinner Dialogue: Building Intergroup Respect Through Dialogic Conversation.*
- 2017: Nicole Matson, *Portland Peace Network.*
- 2017: Alexander Cribbs, *Peace Podcast: Connecting Peace Scholarship and Practice.*
- 2017: Joshua Christophersen, *Journey Towards Inner Peace.*
- 2017: Nicole Thurmond & Alex Trapp, *Peer Mediation program at HB Lee Middle School in Gresham, OR*
- 2017: Tigeste Awoke, *The New Donald Trump Presidency: How We Got Here, and How Immigrants Can Fight Back.*
- 2016: Christopher Saucier, *Restorative Practices at H.B. Lee Middle School.*
- 2016: Jaimie Surface, *Structural Violence and Human Needs in India.*
- 2015: Amanda Englund, *The Peacemakers Conference and Youth Violence Prevention: Is it Effective in its Goal of Education and Prevention?*
- 2015: Shannon Hoyer, *Job Corps Curriculum for Disadvantaged Youth: Career and Community Conflict Transformation.*
- 2015: Jesse Manuta, *Peace and Environmental Education in the David Douglas School District.*
- 2014: Asher Wallis, *A Reference Guide and Community Support Directory for Cultural and Spiritual Competence Regarding End-of-Life Care in Portland, Oregon.*
- 2013: Ashley Schmuecker, *Peace Education through Chiron Studies: Imagining and Performing Nonviolence in the Superhero Genre.*

- 2012: Ashley Cone, *Permanency for Youth: Creating Opportunities for Permanent Connections*.
- 2012: Dina Lingga, *Support Behind the Veil: Access to Resources for Middle Eastern Women in Portland, OR*.
- 2012: Shannon O’Hurley. *Conflict Transformation and the World’s Religions: A Ten-Week Graduate Course Curriculum*.
- 2012: Moira Keller. *Beyond the Bridge Resources: Improving Quality of Life for Marginalized Populations*.
- 2012: Erica Besptich & Abduhrahim Audi. *Conflict Resolution in a Social Work Setting: A Training for Harry’s Mother Staff*.
- 2010: Robert Talley. *Equipped to Manage Workplace Conflict*.
- 2010: Camille Jackson. *Healing and Oral history: Documenting and Educating Through “The Oh Project” and the Cambodian-American Community of Oregon*.
- 2010: Kara Karmosino. *Beyond Peace Education: (De)constructing a Conflict Resolution Curriculum*.
- 2009: Teri Pierson. *Creating of Training Materials on the Intersection Between Conflict Resolution and Culture*.
- 2009: Ana Brozek. *Cross Cultural Leadership Training*.
- 2009: Carley Berkey. *Intercultural Conflict: Undocumented Children*.
- 2009: Nicole Schmidt. *The Suited Pair: Web Counseling for Online Poker couples*.
- 2009: Carmina Rinker. *Creating a Community Needs Assessment Process to Inform Dialogue Work Within African Diaspora Communities in Portland, Oregon*.
- 2009: Robin MacGarghee. *Bullying in Preschool vs. Caring Being: Helping Young Children See with Their Hearts*.
- 2008: Martine Coblentz. *Immigrant and Refugee Families and Child Welfare*.

Masters Professional Project Committee Member

- 2019: Rachel Bruneau & Ashley Shambaugh, *Practicing conflict resolution skills: A guide for social service employees working with diverse individuals in food pantries*.
- 2018: Kim Watson & Natalie Duchala, *Immigrant and Refugee Resource Guide for Elmonica Elementary School*.
- 2017: Lyndsey Anne Minaglia. *Peer Acceptance and Strength-Based Group Work in the Classroom*.
- 2017: Elizabeth Levy & Radhika Niles. *Interventions in Empathy: Using Social Neuroscience to Address Bias*.
- 2017: Abby Chroman. *Conflict Resolution for Women Entrepreneurs*.
- 2016: Jean Knutson. *Back-Casting: A Roadmap To A Shared Vision Of Restorative Justice In Multnomah County*.
- 2016: Anne Tyler. *Improvistional Theater of the Oppressed: A Tool for People with Disabilities*.
- 2016: Rose Mary Hemmer-Vitti. *Conflict Resolution through Transferable Skills Curriculum for Youth*.
- 2016: Rachel Rustad. *Violence Prevention in Lincoln County: Assessing Community Need for Supervised Visitation and Safe Exchange Services in Lincoln County, Oregon*.
- 2016: Aziz Saleh. *Communications at the Hilton Hotel in Downtown Portland*.

- 2014: Vincent Chirimwami. *Publishing Book Chapters, Articles And Developing Marketing Outreach Strategies For Dialogue And Reconciliation Within Diaspora Communities.*
- 2013: Adam Tyus. *Creating a Stable Environment in a Youth Residential Facility through Effective Communication and Accountability.*
- 2013: Daniel Amine. *A Guidebook On Domestic Violence And Basic Rights For Newly Arrived African Immigrants And Refugees In Portland Oregon, United States of America.*
- 2013: Connie Hockaday. *Conflict Resolution Strategies in San Francisco Bay Area Worker Cooperatives: Practices and Recommendations for the Future.*
- 2012: Zuzana Mulcanova & Riya Kaphle. *Sustainable Peacebuilding in Meru, Kenya.*
- 2012: Gina Ronning. *Peacemaking Criminology: Justice through Nonviolence.*
- 2012: Fonda Gonzalez. *Early Childhood Development Program Outcomes in Rural India.*
- 2010: Dominique Rasterelli. *Expanding and Organization's Capacity to Involve Volunteers and Raise Awareness of Child Sexual Exploitation in the US.*
- 2010: Sara Eksuzian. *Restorative Justice in Schools.*
- 2010: Damir Dzafic. *Using a Case Study of the EU Peacebuilding System to Teach Identity and Belonging in a Montessori Middle School.*
- 2009: Claire Adamsick. *Linking Online Dialogue and Constructive Civic Engagement: An Evaluation of Mercy Corps' Global Citizen Corps Online Discussion Groups.*
- 2007: Catherine Griffith. *Introductory Conflict Resolution Curriculum for High School Students.*
- 2006: Roberta Hunte. *You Do Not Understand the Scantron: How do Race and Class Impact Student to Teacher Conflict in the Classroom.*
- 2006: Stephenie Jahnke. *Transgendered Conflict Resolution: Transforming the Atmosphere at Portland State University from Toxic or Unwelcoming to Safe and Respectful.*
- 2002: Alexandra Ryan. *Facilitating Training Manual for the State of Oregon's Department of Human Services.*

SIGNIFICANT PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES

- 2020: Lemkin Summit to End Genocide and Mass Atrocities, Washington DC.
- 2019: Holocaust Educational Foundation, Regional Institute on the Holocaust and Jewish Civilization, Bellingham, WA.
- 2018: Annual Faculty Seminar on Ethics, Religion, and the Holocaust, United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, Washington, DC.
- 2018: Summer Institute on Genocide Studies and Prevention, Cohen Center for Holocaust and Genocide Studies, Keene State College, NH.
- 2017: Arbitration Institute, Labor Education and Research Center, University of Oregon (for union advocates to prepare/present grievance arbitration cases), Portland, OR.
- 2017: Portland State University Globalization and Diversity Initiative's Inclusive and Culturally Responsive Curriculum & Pedagogy Workshops, Portland, OR.
- 2016: Advanced Workplace Relations: Implicit Bias Training, Labor and Employment Relations Association, Portland, OR.
- 2015: Workshop on Peacebuilding, Interreligious Relations, and Diversity in Southeast Asia; University of Hawai'i, Manoa (Center for Southeast Asian Studies) and Gadjah Mada University, Yogyakarta, Indonesia (Center for Religious and Cross-cultural Studies).
- 2014: PRIM-R Institutional Review Board (IRB250), Portland State University.

2013: NIH Protecting Human Research Participants Certificate.
 2005: National Coalition Building Institute Training, Portland State University.
 2002: CranioSacral Therapy 1 and 2, Upledger Institute, Palm Beach Gardens, FL, Certificate.
 2001-2003: Infant Body Psychotherapy Training Institute, Certificate.
 2000-2003: University of Spiritual Healing and Sufism, Certificate.
 2002: Advanced Mediation Training, Confluence Center for Mediation, Certificate.
 1999: Advanced Mediation Training, Portland State University, Certificate.
 1998: Basic Mediation Training, Portland State University, Certificate.

SCHOLARLY WORKS IN PROGRESS

Byron, A. (2020). Transforming structural and cultural violence: Individual, group and societal movement toward positive peace. In V. Lee (Ed.), *Sustainable positive peace: Counseling for structural and cultural transformation*. New York, NY: Springer Publishing. *In Review*.
 Byron, A. (2020). [Review of War-torn exchanges: The lives and letters of nursing sisters Laura Holland and Mildred Forbes, by Andrea McKenzie. Accepted in *The Canadian Journal of Peace and Conflict Studies*.
 Vass, N., and Byron, A. (2020). Intergenerational trauma: Narratives from the Holocaust. London, England: BBC Films. *In Production*.

GOVERNANCE ACTIVITIES FOR THE UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE, DEPARTMENT

2016-2020	Director (Coordinator/Community Liaison), Holocaust and Genocide Studies Project, Portland State University
2018-2021	Dean's Advisory Group Member, Interdisciplinary General Education, Portland State University
2018-2020	Grievance Officer, American Association of University Professors, Portland State University Chapter
2016-2017	Vice President of Academic Freedom and Grievances, American Association of University Professors, Portland State University Chapter
2015-2016	Member, Institutional Assessment Council, Portland State University
2014-2016	Grievance Officer, American Association of University Professors, Portland State University Chapter
2014-2018	Admissions Committee, Conflict Resolution, Portland State University
2005-2016	Program Assessment Coordinator, Conflict Resolution, Portland State University
2013-2015	Co-Chair, Conflict Resolution Curriculum Committee, Portland State University
2009-2014	Member, Institutional Research Board, Portland State University
2006-2009	Faculty Coordinator, Student Center for Dispute Resolution, Graduate Program in Conflict Resolution, Portland State University
2008-2010	Facilitator, Practicum Supervisor, and Assessment Coordinator, African Diaspora Reconciliation Dialogue Project, Portland State University
2004-2006	Trainer, PSUnity (National Coalition Building Institute), PSU

GOVERNANCE AND OTHER PROFESSIONALLY RELATED SERVICE

2017-2021	Peace and Justice Studies Association (PJSA), Board Member: Research
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<https://www.peacejusticestudies.org/>
 2017-2020 Oregon Coalition of Hate Crimes, Advisory Board Member
<https://oregoncahc.org/>
 2014-2020 Human Dignity and Humiliation Studies, Global Education Team Member
<http://www.humiliationstudies.org/>
 2014-2020 Gamelan Rakyat, Board Member
<http://gamelanrakyat.org/about.html>
 2017-2019 Fulbright Specialist Program, World Learning, Peer Reviewer
<https://fulbrightspecialist.worldlearning.org/>
 2010-2018 Domestic Violence Safe Dialogue, Portland, OR, Board President
<http://www.dvdsprogram.com/>
 2017 Journal of Living Together: International Center for Ethno-Religious Mediation,
 Editorial Board Member
<https://www.icermediation.org/projects-campaigns/journal-of-living-together/>
 2007-2010 Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, Seattle, WA, Consultant/Advisor
 (Paid work to provide mentoring, editing and consultation for Global Health
 Division grant proposals and reporting)
 2005-2009 Phoenix Rising Transitions, Problem Solving Instructor/Advisory Board
 2001-2003 City of Portland, OR, Volunteer Mediator
 2001-2002 Oregon Mediation Association, Board Member
 2001-2004 Northwest Institute of Conflict Resolution, Board Member
 1999-2006 Oregon Peace Institute, Board Member/President
 1998-2008 University of Spiritual Healing and Sufism, Advisor to Peace Program
 1998-2003 Northwest Media Literacy Center, Education Committee Member
 1996-2005 Violence Prevention Summer Institute/ODE, Advisory Board Member
 1995-2003 Resolutions Northwest, Volunteer Mediator
 1994-1998 Oregon Interfaith Alliance for Immigrant Rights, Founder

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

Member, The National Higher Education Leadership Consortium of Directors of Centers in Holocaust, Genocide and Human Rights Studies

Member, Association of Holocaust Organizations

Member, Peace and Justice Studies Association (SIG: Gender; Board Member/Research Chair)

Member, AERA (SIGS: Conflict Resolution and Violence Prevention, Peace Education)