

CGS Delegate Package June 2016

- June Meeting Agenda
- May minutes (thanks to Alex Wesaw for stepping in and taking these!)
- President's report
- Vice President's report
- Ad hoc Committee on CEMP report
- Resumes of Secretary Candidates
- Resolution 1617-SU-004 CGS 2016-17 Budget



Council of Graduate Students
The Ohio State University

Delegate Meeting Agenda

Date: June 24, 2016

2nd Summer Delegate Meeting

Location Ohio Union, Senate Chambers

Ohio Union Rm 2088A | 1739 N. High Street | Columbus, OH 43210 | (614) 292-4380 | cgs@studentlife.osu.edu

1. Call to Order

1.1. STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

1.1.1. To effectively advocate and program to ensure that The Ohio State University graduate student experience is the best it can be.

1.2. From the CGS CODE OF ETHICS

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

2.1. Minutes from May Meeting

3. OFFICER REPORTS

4.1 President (As submitted in meeting packet)

4.2 Vice President

4.3 Treasurer

4.4 Chief of Staff

4. OLD BUSINESS

4.1. Election of CGS Secretary

5. NEW BUSINESS

5.1. Proposed Resolution:

5.1.1. Act 1617-SU-004 An Act Establishing CGS Budget 2016-17

5.2. Any Delegate Issues and Concerns

6. ANNOUNCEMENTS

6.1. NO July Delegate meeting.

6.2. August Meeting: August 26th 3:30 PM Ohio Union Senate Chambers



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1. Call to Order

Bowers.461 called the meeting to order at: 3:36 pm.

1.1. STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

Walterbusch.1 read the Statement of Purpose:

To effectively advocate and program to ensure that The Ohio State University graduate student experience is the best it can be.

Walterbusch.1 also read from the Code of Ethics.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

2.1. Minutes from April Meeting

There were no requested changes to the April meeting minutes as presented.

3. Presentation regarding changes to Carmen

Liv Gjestvang, Associate Vice President, Learning Technology (was not able to attend the meeting due to a family issue).

Travis Ritter

Travis Ritter, Director of Learning Systems here at OSU, has been with OSU for nearly 10 years. Asked how many people assist with teaching courses, how many use Carmen, transition from D2L to Canvas.

Plans to go over the timeline for the transition and the evaluation.

Evaluation started last spring. Considered 3 products (Blackboard, Canvas, and D2L). Canvas was reported to be the most preferred by the faculty that piloted the system. We have had D2L for about 10 years. Hoping that as time goes by that people will grow to prefer Canvas. The interface seems to be the main appealing factor with Canvas. For Faculty, those who piloted the program seemed to like the *Clean interface, Easier course building, and SpeedGrader* function. For students, the *mobile app, grades, simplified collaboration, and Calendar* features really stood out as the popular features. The timeline for the new Canvas courses are starting now. Building most all courses are expected to happen over Fall 2016. Spring 2017 it is expected that all courses will be used with a few exemptions only. After Summer 2017, D2L will be completely gone. The university will no longer have licenses for it.

There are workshops, open office hours, and help videos at: go.osu.edu/adoptcanvas. Also adoptcanvas@osu.edu with any questions.

Trying to brand the transition of systems as a way to revise and update courses.

Q&A

Ethier.4 asked if previous course materials would be transferred from D2L to Canvas? Ritter responded that it would fall on the instructor.

Will the branding still be Carmen? Ritter responded, yes.

Puthawala.1 asked wasn't Canvas originally developed for secondary education purposes? Ritter said he had heard that. Puthawala.1 added that some of the tools are under developed at this time. The December release will improve functionality.

Wesaw.1 why is it necessary to agree to terms to be able to access Canvas sites? I don't recall having to do that with the current system. Ritter responded, not the Canvas technical expert but would try to find out more and get back to us.

Ritter asked the audience: are there particular ways that it makes sense to reach out to graduate students that we haven't so far? Bowers.461 said that for the next go around that earlier and more engaging ways would be better. There is a feeling across campus that OCIO did not respect the University's tradition of shared governance – it would have been nice to have had more engagement during the original piloting. Seems like it is a big change that avoided the whole University Senate process that the University has in place. Ritter added, that there was never an attempt to keep this under wraps in any way – our evaluation team seemed to have regular presentations with DELIT.

Grice.17 asked where to do for in-person help with support? Ritter responded, check out the go.osu.edu/adoptcanvas. He thought that Tech Hub would probably be the location. Also, added that he's happy to come back.

4. OFFICER REPORTS

4.1 President (as submitted in delegate packets)

4.2 Vice President

Walterbusch.1 said that she is excited to be here and to check out the report she submitted.

4.3 Treasurer

Wesaw.1 reported that they are still getting up and running as the Treasurer since the transition from previous Treasurer, Roger Anderson.2299, on 5/9/2016. There was no budget update. Mentioned that the Ray Travel Award now has four funding periods (previously there were three per academic year). The first funding period deadline is coming up on June 15, 2016 at 11:59 pm, for conferences between 8/4/2016-9/30/16. Lastly, what that in mind, Wesaw.1 is looking for volunteer judges for the Ray Travel Award.

4.4 Chief of Staff

There was no report from the Chief of Staff.

5. NEW BUSINESS

5.1. Election of CGS Secretary

Bowers.461 turned things over to Walterbusch.1 to facilitate the Secretary's election.

Puthawala.1 moved to postpone the vote until the June delegate meeting. Flemister.10 seconded the motion.

Gambrel.15 asked about the number of resumes in the delegate packet. Walterbusch.1 responded, some people dropped out and some are out of the country.

Ethier.4 asked if nominations would be re-opened if we postpone. Walterbusch.1 said that they would be re-opened.

Motioned passed at 4:08 pm.

5.2. Act 1617-SU-001 An Act Establishing CGS Meeting Dates 2016-17

Bowers.461 resumed facilitating the meeting at 4:09 pm.

There were no questions about the act.

Act passed at 4:10 pm.

5.3. Act 1617-SU-002 An Act Establishing the 2016-17 Standing Committees

The "Communications Committee" will now be known as "Marketing & Communication Committee" to focus on getting as close to 100% enrollment for our 130 CGS Delegate seats. Otherwise, all the committees will be the same as they were in Academic Year 2015-2016.

Act passed at 4:11 pm.

5.4. Act 1617-SU-003 An Act Amending the Standing Rules regarding Delegate Service Requirements

Current Standing Rules calls for Delegates to serve on 2 committees (one internal and one external). The change seeks to lighten the load on current delegates and bring in more graduate students into the organization. Additionally, we hope that the engagement will increase people's capacity to serve where they are assigned.

Question was raised to clarify what the language of the Act means when it says "University external committees."

Question was raised, asking if this reduces our representative-ness across the University.

Concern was raised to communicate better committee assignments, a better committee list, etc. Bowers.461 reported that there was a meeting this week to discuss committee assignments and this issue was raised and is being addressed. Walterbusch.1 added that if anyone else had/had any communication issues in the past to please let her know.

Concern was raised about whether this would lessen participation on internal committees.

Question was raised as to whether this would help our recruitment of new delegates.

Bowers.461 mentioned that he hopes to have Committee Chairs to report out to Delegates, at the first Delegate meeting in the fall, what exactly their committees do.

Act passed at 4:25 pm.

5.5. Any Delegate Issues and Concerns

Ethier.4 asked about the previous concerns with TA hours and safety. Bowers.461 responded, that he heard from three people following the last delegate meeting and that he raised this issue with the Graduate School. Bowers.461 asked again for the body to send him expectations that departments have in writing so that we can get more information and present to the Graduate School.

Gambrel.15 added that when there is a situation where students are concerns for their safety, those concerns should be reported to Student Conduct Board to address the concern. Puthawala.1 added that as a Graduate TA, any issues that are violations of the Student Code of Conduct should be reported to the COAM. Pierce. 508 added that he felt that if we have this many questions, there this is probably something that should be addressed in the future.

6. ANNOUNCEMENTS

6.1. June Meeting: June 24th 3:30 PM Ohio Union Senate Chambers

Adjourned at 4:31 pm.

Greetings! I am going to have to miss our June meeting because I'll be at a conference, but our VP Tracey Walterbusch is all set and ready to chair the meeting. Also, we will NOT hold the July Delegate meeting, so the next meeting (after June 24) will be August 26th.

- Summer's certainly moving along! It's difficult to believe that we're already moving through mid-June! I am pleased to report that the 2016-17 officer team has picked up and continued the great work began by last year's team.
- As you most likely heard, Dr. Bruce McPherson was appointed as our new Provost. Many thanks to Marcos Rivera for representing CGS on the search advisory committee. Both Tracey, our VP, and I were included in the interview teams for the finalist candidates. It was exciting to meet those candidates, all of whom were amazingly qualified. Having had the opportunity to get to know Dr. McPherson a little bit during his time as interim provost, I can tell you that I have tremendous faith in his abilities and commitment to our university as well as a keen concern for graduate students and all that we bring to the campus community. I look forward to working with him in the coming year.
- We recently learned of the new student health plan rates for the 2016-17 year. Although increases are never welcomed (\$100./term for domestic single student); we avoided a new and higher "graduate student" premium level—once again all students are charged the same rate for the same coverage. In past years international students enjoyed a lower premium rate, but aspects of the Affordable Care Act required that going forward they pay the same as other students. When I asked about this, administrators reported that they didn't have a choice in making that change. Although the 2016-17 benefits have not yet been announced, I have heard that some of the things lost in last year's program change are likely to be restored. Once Student Life officially posts the benefits schedule we'll alert you. BUT you can always check the Student Health Insurance website <https://shi.osu.edu/>.
- In my most recent conversation with President Drake he reiterated his appreciation to CGS for our leadership on the new Implicit Bias and Diversity programming and expressed hope that, even as we move that towards more permanent footing through Student Life, CGS remain involved. I once again invited him to address the Delegate body, and I am pleased to report that he will to speaking to us at our November meeting.

- Elsewhere in the packet you'll find an initial report from the ad hoc committee on the comprehensive energy management plan. I appreciate the work of the committee, and especially chair Hoda Hatoum, on that effort.
- You'll note that the 2016-17 proposed budget is included in your materials. Our treasurer Alex Wesaw will lead the discussion at the meeting next week, but I wanted to point out a couple of things:
 - Although the overall amount is slightly lower than last year, we are able to maintain the level of funds available through our grants program—this is because the reductions are coming from funds we are not allowed to award as individual grants. We also keep committees' budgets consistent with their needs from the past year.
 - There is a new \$5000 income item (and corresponding expense item) for the National Association of Graduate and Professional Students mid-west regional conference. NSGPS would like us to host this event next spring. If we do, there will be some cost involved. Thus I'll be seeking some extra funding to enable us to take on this project. If we can't find the money, then we'll politely decline the opportunity to host.
 - The budget includes funds for 5 officer parking passes. In past years we left the Chief of Staff without a pass. This last year, when one other officer did not require a pass, CGS delegates voted to make that 4th pass available to the Chief of Staff. Because the expectations for work are similar, and we're allowed to provide 5 passes, I believe this is a fair provision to make for all our officers. I hope you'll agree. And if you don't agree I hope you'll share your concerns with the meeting.
- Finally, I am pleased to inform you that we have chairs lined up for most of our 2016-17 committees! For the remaining couple, I have some potential folks in mind, but thus far we have:
 - Arts and Culture: Janet Schroeder
 - International Student Concerns—Yanty Wirza
 - Grants Admin (CDG & Global Gateway)—Olga Kondratjeva
 - Marketing & Communications—Matthew Connolly
 - Health & Wellness—Laura Hopkins

I hope you enjoy a productive (and enjoyable) rest of the summer! Even though the delegate meeting won't take place in July, I am around and available. So if you have some time and have anything you'd like to talk about, ask about or simply opine upon, please shoot me an email. I'd love to chat with you!

David

June 2016 VP Report

Thanks to the Delegate Body

As this is my last CGS meeting with the 2015-16 team, I'd like to thank the delegate body for its amazing work over the past year. I'm honored to represent such a diversity of graduate students from across the University and to be part of such an important organization. Please don't hesitate to let me know if you would like to stay involved formally or informally. Or, additionally please reach out, if you have feedback for us in the future.

Hayes Forum

Hayes Forum is officially scheduled for March 3, 2017. I have started working through the timeline of events and updating some of our marketing materials.

Officer Elections

Our Secretary position for the 16-17 year will occur tonight.

Our applicants are:

Sahra Ahmed
Annelise Antonucci
Nivedita Bhaktha
Corolin Mueller
Cailtin Mullins
Erin Osborne
Swati Vijaya

Delegate Elections

Please reference the website and last week's meeting minutes for 2016-17 Delegate Information.

The Comprehensive Energy Management Project committee met in May 13 2016. The members who attended the meeting were Christopher Pierce, Robert Vandenberg, Alex Wesaw, Rachel Smith, Ashley Toenjes and Hoda Hatoum in the presence of David Bowers. The committee discussed the CEMP latest status stemming from the information provided on the Energy Management website and the responses that Dr. Jennifer Cowley of the office of academic affairs had for the questions raised previously by the United Students Against Sweatshops (USAS). The points discussed by the committee revolved around energy rates supervision, students' employment and tuition, different possibilities of funding, readiness to check other proposals and solutions, project duration, workers union status, scalability of the project, research dollars availability and investment, and the consequences of not reaching the intended goal. These concerns and questions were formulated in a progress report to be discussed with Dr. Cowley and a senior energy advisor from the Office of Energy and Environment. The committee will gather after the June CGS meeting to discuss the responses of the concerns raised.

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EDUCATION

PhD in Educational Policy

Ohio State University, Columbus OH, 2/2016-present

- Research interests: Educational policies and how they affect minority students, distribution of educational opportunities, equity in Higher Education, languages and literacies in urban communities.
- Member of The Ohio State University Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, the nation's oldest, largest, and selective honor society.

MA in Education: Educational Policy and Leadership

Cultural Foundations, Technology and Qualitative Inquiry, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, 6/2011

- 4.0/4.0 GPA.
- Member of The Ohio State University Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society
- Tutor – Assisted students in proofreading and editing their college papers.

BS in Biology [Honors Program] - University of Massachusetts, Boston, MA, 8/2005

- Earned Departmental Honors (2005), placed on UMass Dean's List (2001-2004), and featured in The National Dean's List (2003-2004 edition), a compendium that recognizes the academic achievements of outstanding college students in America.
- **"Outstanding Leadership Award"** presented by the University of Massachusetts-Boston for participation in the Muslim Student Association in arranging Muslim scholars to bridge the understanding between Muslim and non-Muslim cultures and faiths.
- **Treasurer:** Muslim Student Association (2001-2004)

PRESENTATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS

Goleman, J. (2004). An "Immensely Simplified Task": Form in Modern Composition-Rhetoric. *The Journal of the Conference on College Composition and Communication*, 56(1), 51-71. [Note: the bulk of this essay analyzes my paper "Language Acquisition vs. Identity Crisis"]

Ahmed, S. (2011). *Education in Colonial Africa: The American Connection through the Phelps-Stokes Educational Committee*. Paper presented at the 17th Annual Conference of the International Society of African Philosophy and Studies, Columbus, OH.

PROFILE

Educator

College Success ▪ Career Life Planning ▪ Academic Enrichment

A professional educator with an MA in Education and solid experience teaching, coaching, and mentoring students and adults in English and math. More than six years' experience working with individuals seeking educational assistance, computer skills training, job readiness and cultural adaption services. Strong track record of developing successful outreach strategies to increase the involvement of low-income families in schools.

~ Core Competencies ~

Educational Leadership ▪ Excellent Writing and Communication skills ▪ Educational Technologies ▪ Event Planning ▪ Somali/Swahili/English ▪ Literacy Improvement ▪ Academic Enrichment ▪ Public Speaking ▪ Job Readiness ▪ Cultural Training Programming ▪ Diversity Education ▪ Translation & Interpretation ▪ Mentoring

RECENT TEACHING EXPERIENCE

HAWTHORNE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, Westerville, OH 2015-Present
[A K-5 public school that serves both native English speakers and ELL students]

Teacher Assistant/Volunteer

Assist Kindergarten teacher in a classroom of mainly ELL students.

- Motivate students to improve academic and social well-being.
- Create and maintain positive relationships with students and faculty to enhance learning.
- Provide differentiated individual and small group instruction to foster student success and appropriately challenge students. Assess each student's progress.

FOCUS LEARNING ACADEMY, Columbus, OH 2011-2014
[A K-8 charter school that serves ELL students]

Teacher

Instructed fifth-graders in all subjects according to curriculum standards. Developed and conducted daily lesson plans in all core subjects. Assessed each student's progress; provided small group and individualized instruction. Motivated students to improve academic and social well-being.

- Maintained positive relationships with parents through ongoing communication and conferences.
- Served on various school and district committees, such as Ohio State's Race to the Top: **RttT**-Achieve, Graduate, Succeed
- Initiated Focus Family Literacy Night, a program to increase parental involvement in literacy activities for refugee and immigrant children.

A&L AFTERSCHOOL LITERACY+ INSTITUTE, Columbus, OH 2011-2012
[A year-round afterschool academics and summer camp]

Team Leader

Provided academic intervention, homework support, and enrichment activities to students. Independently supervised 20-25 students while delivering high quality instruction. Supported students' social and emotional development. Collaborated with other team members to share best practices in engaging students from diverse learning backgrounds.

- Maintained a safe and effective environment for academic instruction and enrichment activities.
- Provided group and individualized instruction to students.
- Created an environment of high expectations for learning by stimulating critical thinking
- Participated in summer tennis training and promoted healthy living and exercise

W.C. CUPE FAMILY of SCHOOLS, Columbus, OH

2008 – 2010

[An urban charter school, part of the Educational Solutions Company]

Teacher

Taught 3rd to 5th grade ESL students spelling, writing, language arts, and math.

- Developed and implemented multilingual classroom curriculum materials. Used a Smart Board and computer-aided instruction to strengthen students' comprehension, performance, and subject matter retention.
- Served as community liaison for the families of at-risk children and spearheaded community outreach efforts.
- Led initiatives to educate parents on how to navigate the educational system; increased parental involvement.
- Provided tutoring services for after-school and summer enrichment programs.

ZENITH ACADEMY, Columbus, OH

2006 - 2008

[A K-8 charter school that caters primarily to Somali students]

Teacher and Tutor

Taught all subjects to 20-25 immigrant and refugee children in the 1st and 2nd grades.

- Assisted other teachers in integrating their students into mainstream classrooms.
- Mediated conflicts, educated parents on the school system, and increased the engagement of families in the school.
- Successfully leveraged key technologies, including a Smart Board and computers, to enhance classroom learning.
- Connected families with activities and resources outside of the classroom to augment student achievement.

SOMALI WOMEN and CHILDREN'S ALLIANCE, Columbus, OH

2005 – 2006

[A nonprofit organization that provides ESL classes, computer literacy, job readiness, and interpretation/translation services].

Program and Office Manager

Orchestrated and delivered all programming in addition to managing all office administration functions.

- Designed and taught computer literacy classes, as well as reading and writing workshops. Provided interpretation and translation services and led cultural training initiatives.
- Helped immigrants of all backgrounds gain access to vocational and educational programs.
- Developed and implemented an intensive English language curriculum for newly-arrived immigrants.

JUMPSTART, Boston, MA

2004 – 2005

[A nonprofit organization that helps low-income preschool children excel in language, literacy and social skills]

Teaching Assistant

Delivered a high quality early education curriculum to preschool children in low-income neighborhoods by working with children on a one-to-one program to develop language, literacy, and social skills. Planned

lessons for study sessions and supported family involvement with activities and at-home learning. Assisted teachers by participating in all classroom activities; communicated with parents and provided feedback on student progress.

- Participated in community activities to strengthen and prioritize the importance of early childhood education.
- Paired students with college students who provided tutoring for an entire year.

CIVIC & VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

- Invited to speak to middle school students at ESL Afterschool Communities in the Columbus area during Columbus State Community College's Career Exploration Day (May 17th, 2012). Passionately discussed the importance of aiming higher and staying focused on career goals and ambition.
- Participated in Ohio State University's Community Spotlight event, sponsored by the Somali Student Association, focusing on the importance on giving back to the community and providing mentorship to students of all ages. Highlighted various ways to volunteer at schools in the Columbus area with a high population of refugee and immigrant students (April 20th, 2012).
- Invited to speak to college students participating in Capital University's Inter Cultural Student Teaching Program. Discussed the importance of immersing oneself in other cultures so as to learn from one another (April 16th, 2013).
- Co-founded "End Famine," a grassroots organization dedicated to eradicating famine in the Horn of Africa. Collaborated with East African organizations to assess needs, organized fundraisers to provide shelters and schools, educated the OSU community about famine, and invited renowned speakers to campus to discuss related issues.

Education

- Ph.D. **The Ohio State University.** In Summer 2014, started degree in biophysics with a concentration in structural biology and molecular biology. Currently, working on minor in Applied Clinical and Preclinical Research.
- M.S. **State University of New York at Albany.** Completed chemistry degree in Spring 2014. Thesis focused on investigating protein folding through electron paramagnetic resonance. Supervised by Dr. Charles Scholes and Dr. Carla Theimer.
- B.S. **State University of New York at Albany.** Completed physics degree in Spring 2014.
- B.A. **Bard College.** Completed degree with concentration in biochemistry in Spring 2011.
- B.A. **Simon's Rock.** Completed degree with concentration in quantitative studies in Spring 2011. Senior thesis was entitled "How Does Gender Play a Role in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Education?"

Community Involvement

- Council of Graduate Students Mathematical and Physical Sciences
University Senate Representative 2016 Academic Year
- Biophysics Graduate Student Representative for Graduate Student
Council 2015 & 2016 Academic Year
- Participated in Diversity and Implicit Bias Awareness Training Spring 2016
- Communications Committee Chair for Graduate Student Council 2015 Academic Year
- First Year Representative for the Biophysics Student Organization 2014 Academic Year

Publications/Presentations

- Presented "Utilizing Notch Ligand-Based Reagents to Regulate
Immune Responses" at OSU Life Sciences Interdisciplinary Graduate
Programs Symposium Summer 2016
- Acknowledgements on the Paper (Aquaporin 11 Variant Associates
with Kidney Disease in Type 2 Diabetic Patients) Fall 2015
- Presented "Notch Ligand-Based Reagents as Therapeutics for
Immune Modulation in Cancer" at OSUCCC Translation
Therapeutics Program 2015 Retreat Fall 2015
- Named Contributor on the poster "Multifunctional Electron
Paramagnetic Resonance Analysis of the Primary Tumor
Microenvironment and Imaging of Premetastatic Niche
Development in Metastatic Lung Disease" at OSUCCC
Translation Therapeutics Program 2015 Retreat Fall 2015
- Named Contributor on the poster "Investigation of the Packing Spring 2015

Defects in the Hydrophobic Core of the Model Protein Rop:
Library Characterization of Rop's R55F56 Residues"

Research Experience

- Graduate Student. During my rotations, I learned about to make mutant proteins, isothermal titration calorimetry, and protein purification. Summer 2014
The lab I ultimately joined taught me numerous skills involving mouse technique, rtPCR, fluorescence, tissue culture, and EPR.
- Graduate Student. During rotations, I learned about protein purification, gel electroelution, and synthesizing B-diketonates, RNA, and crosslinkers. Fall 2012- Spring 2014
- Undergraduate Researcher. Working with Dr. Michael Fasullo, I learned basic tissue culture technique. Fall 2011-Fall 2012

Teaching Experience

- General Chemistry Teaching Assistant at State University of New York at Albany Fall 2013

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Quantitative Research, Evaluation and Measurement (QREM), Educational Studies	Expected 2018
The Ohio State University	
MS Statistics, Graduate Minor in Economics	2015
The Ohio State University	
M.Sc. Statistics	2013
University of Mumbai	
B.Sc. Statistics	2011
Ramnarain Ruia College, University of Mumbai	

EXPERIENCE

Teaching Associate	OSU
Univariate and Multivariate Experimental Design	August 2015-May 2016
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Co-teach the course by conducting an interactive lab session using SPSS and R and summarize the lecture taught by the professor. Design examples, assignments, and notes along with managing the course website and grading projects. Help students with univariate and multivariate analysis for their research.	
Intern	OSU
EHE Research Methodology Center	October 2015- 2016
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Assist the Director of the Center, Dr. Ann A. O'Connell in analyzing RISE and LARRC dataset by using exploratory and confirmatory factor analysis for scale validation using SAS and SPSS. Build latent mixture models for LARRC data using Mplus and prepare a manuscript for publication. Assist in organizing the methodology workshops.	
Research Associate	OSU
College of Public Health, Biostatistics	May 2015- August 2015
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Assist Dr. Stanley Lemeshow with the analysis of hospital survey dataset by building Logistic models for hospital ratings and various other characteristics for good patient care using STATA. Compare and test the proposed logistic model with the existing score based and regression models.	

Teaching Associate

OSU

Coursera

March 2015 - July 2015

1. Applied Linear Regression
2. Applied Logistic Regression

- Help prepare the two MOOCs by transcribing video lectures, preparing assignments, quizzes and course materials such as weekly narration, definitions, lecture notes etc. Reply to the questions posted by the students and also provide suggestions for their research. Prepare and analyze the course satisfaction surveys.

Teaching and Research Associate

OSU

Introduction to Business Statistics

2014-2015

- Design and create assignments, quizzes, exams and examples for the class. Conduct interactive lab session using MS Excel. Create and manage the online component of the course and the course website. Assist in developing course curriculum and course administration. Tutor in Mathematics and Statistics Learning Center.

Intern

Mumbai, India

P D Hinduja Hospital
Biostatistics

2012-2013

- Assist the chief Biostatistician in all levels of research undertaken in the hospital. Develop questionnaires, help with sample size estimation, analyze medical data using parametric and non-parametric methods and interpret analyzed data.

CONFERENCE

American Evaluation Association

2015

Chicago

- Presentations
 1. Poisson Regression model for a Quasi-Experimental design
 2. Use of Multinomial Logistic Regression for Modeling Categorical Response

SERVICE

- Paper reviewer for Journal of MultiDisciplinary Evaluation (JMDE) 2016
- Proposal/abstract reviewer for EHE Research Forum 2016
- Proposal/ abstract reviewer for American Evaluation Association (AEA) 2015

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Data Analysis

- Linear and generalized linear regression analysis, Univariate and Multivariate Analysis, Logistic Regression, Multilevel Modeling, Causal Inference, Structural Equation Modeling, Exploratory and Confirmatory Factor Analysis, Latent Variable Modeling, Categorical Data Analysis, Time series Analysis, Econometrics, Educational Measurement, Mathematical Statistics

Data Management, Computing and Programming

- **Statistical software** – STATA, SAS, R, SPSS, LISREL, Mplus, HLM, Minitab, JMP, Excel analysis tool pack
- **Programming** - C, C++
- **Microsoft office**

TRAINING PROGRAMS

- Generalized linear mixed models by Dr. Ann O'Connell, Research Methodology Center, OSU
- Latent growth curve modelling by Dr. Jessica Logan in CCEC, OSU
- Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) online training
- Suicide prevention gatekeeper workshop by College of EHE, OSU

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Recipient of University Fellowship, The Ohio State University
- 2nd rank in M.Sc. (Statistics) in Mumbai University
- Won the award of Best Project in M.Sc. , Mumbai University
- Recipient of Departmental Scholarship, Mumbai University
- 7th rank in B.Sc. in Mumbai University

LANGUAGES

- English, Konkani, Hindi, Kannada and Sanskrit (Limited proficiency)

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EDUCATION

2014 - 2016 MA, German Studies, Ohio State University

- visual representations of migrant experiences in Germany in film and visual culture
- The economization of migrant politics
- Experiences of oppression and flight in Germany
- Umberto Eco's semiotics, visual semiotics
- intercultural education

2014 - 2015 Ohio State University (*One Year Exchange Program, Graduate Teaching Assistantship*)

- articulation of neo-structuralist thought in Eastern German Art in German Philosophy of Modernity and Postmodernity
- content-based language instruction at a postsecondary level German Film Studies
- Subsidiary courses in Fine Art Printing were included in both semesters.

2012 - 2015 MEd., Teaching English and Art Education for Higher Education, Technical University of Dresden

- the analysis of gender and femininity through visual culture representation in feminist photography
- historic and socio-cultural analysis of post-apocalyptic American films
- the exploration of the origins and outcomes of stereotyping in educational circumstances
- the study of inclusion techniques for the involvement of international exchange student immigrants used by high school teachers in German public high schools

Master Thesis: "Semiotische Analyse der animierten Zeichnungen von William Kentridge", with Dr. Marie-Luise Lange, Head of the Art Education Institute at the Technical University of Dresden, and Dr. phil. Petra Resch, senior lecturer in the Department of Art Education at the Technical University of Dresden

2013 Kent State University (One Semester Exchange Program)

Gained inclusion to the Dean's List for my academic achievements.

Attended lectures and seminars and worked on multiple papers on the experience of African and African American writers in changing political contexts.

2009 - 2013 BEd., Teaching English and Art Education for Higher Education, Technical University of Dresden

- developmental psychology
- psychology of learning
- art philosophy

- literary analysis of American and African American authors
- analysis of urban identities in American film and TV shows
- analysis of urban identities through urban gardening

Bachelor thesis: “DOCUMENTA (13) – transhumane Sichtweisen” (“DOCUMENTA (13) – transhumant perceptions”), with Dr. Marie-Luise Lange, Head of the Art Education Institute at the Technical University of Dresden, and Dr. Sara Burkhardt, prorektor for the sciences and professor for didactics in visual arts at Burg Giebichenstein Art College, Halle.

2002 - 2009 **Geschwister-Scholl Gymnasium, Zeitz, Germany**

RESEARCH INTERESTS

My principal research interests include representations of migrant experiences in Germany in film and visual culture, the economization of migrant politics, experiences of oppression and flight in Germany, Umberto Eco’s and visual semiotics, and intercultural education

My future research plans are to find interconnections between my fields of interest to develop models of investigating migration developments in Germany.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2014- present** Language instructor for lower and intermediate level German at The Ohio State University (1102,1103)
- Fall 2014** Apprenticeship and co-taught units in upper level German classes (2102), supervised by Barbara Heck
- Spring 2016** Peer coordination for the intermediate level German (1103)
Apprenticeship and co-taught units in upper level German classes for majors (3600), supervised by Prof. Dr. Carmen Taleghani-Nikazm
- 2014 – 2015** Language Teacher for ESL, Global Lt.
- 2014 – 2015** Language Teacher for English, Volkshochschule Dresden
- 2013 – 2015** Language Teacher for English, Sprachstudio Dresden
- 2013 – 2015** Language Teacher for English and German, “Fremdsprachenschule for everyone“ Dresden
- 2013 – 2014** Tutor for Art Studies, TU Dresden, Institute for Art Education
- 2010 – 2013** Language Teacher for English and German, Schülerhilfe Dresden
- 2010 - present** Teaching Experience in practicums in various German Gymnasiums (Art Education and ESL)

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- 2015-present** Secretary for the Performance Studies Working Group at the Ohio State University
- Spring 2016** Proctor at the 30th Annual Hayes Forum at the Ohio State University

- 2014-2015** Volunteer for the Student Printmaking Association at the Ohio State University
- 2014** “Dembo Dibaga-ein Flüchtling, der bleiben will” (community project to promote taking into consideration the social engagement of refugees in German communities and support Dembo Dibaga, an adolescent refugee from Mali to stay in Germany)
- 2007 – present** volunteer for the youth exchange organization „Youth for Understanding“
- coordinating public relations for Sachsen Anhalt (2010 –2012)
 - interview committee chair (since 2010)
 - seminar supervisor and facilitator for youth seminars for international students (since 2008)

PUBLICATION

Raising Awareness: Piper Kerman's 'Orange is the New Black' and the oppression of women in U.S. Prisons. London: HYSTERIA PRESS, July 24 2014. (translation in Tamil forthcoming)

PRESENTATIONS/ WORKSHOPS

- 2016** “Germany’s ‘Willkommenskultur’, Integration, and Street Art. *Toward a dialectical utopia – German Willkommenskultur, Street Art, and its production of public utopia*” at the German Graduate Student Conference at the Ohio State University
- 2016** “Experiencing the Performative”, workshop sponsored by the Performance Studies Working Group at the Ohio State University
- 2015** “Making Languages Relevant: The Potential of Cultures and Languages across the Curriculum for Sustaining German Programs” at the Ohio German Studies Workshop at the Ohio State University (together with Prof. Dr. Gabriele Dillmann, PhD. Jaelyn Kurash, and Kathrin Frenzel)

EXHIBITIONS

- 2016** “Across the Pond and back again”, collaborative show at the City Center Gallery, Columbus/Ohio
- 2015-2016** “Gedruckt”, GROWL!, Columbus/Ohio
- 2015** “Across the Pond”, collaborative show at the City Hall, Dresden/Germany
- 2015** “Querkraft”, collaborative Master Exhibition, at Werft Laubegast, Dresden/Germany
- 2015** “Nebel”, collaborative show at the end of the art symposium *Strömungen* at Kulturzentrum Rehlovice/Czech Republic

ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

- 2013, 2014** “Deutschlandstipendium” for exceptional academic achievements and social engagement
- 2013, 2014** PROMOS Scholarship, Technical University of Dresden

MEMBERSHIPS

Student Member of the Critical Ethnic Studies Association

Student Member of the Modern Languages Association

REFEREES

Professor Babacar M'Baye (Literature Professor), Associate Professor at Kent State University (Department of English, Department of Pan-African Studies), 113 Satterfield Hall, Kent OH 44242. Email: bmbaye@kent.edu

Professor Carmen Taleghani-Nikazm (Supervisor), Associate Professor and Director of Undergraduate German Language Instruction Faculty at Ohio State University, 438 Hagerty Hall, 1775 S. College Road, Columbus OH 43210. Email: taleghani-nikazm.1@osu.edu

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EDUCATION

The Ohio State University - Columbus, OH Aug 2015 – May 2017
Master of Science, Animal Welfare and Behavior
Major Professor: Dr. Monique Pairis-Garcia, Ph.D., DVM
Thesis project: “*Development of an interactive training app for timely and humane on-farm euthanasia in pigs*”

The Ohio State University - Columbus, OH May 2015
Bachelor of Science in Agriculture, Honors Program
Major: Meat Science Minor: Biology
Cumulative GPA: 4.00

RESEARCH PROJECTS

Master of Science Graduate Program **The Department of Animal Sciences** Aug 2015 - Present

- “*Development of an interactive training app for timely and humane on-farm euthanasia in pigs*”
 - Identification of factors which influence euthanasia decision-making in swine operations
 - Development of a training app for use by swine farm employees to better understand appropriate euthanasia endpoints

Undergraduate Student Researcher **The Department of Animal Sciences** Feb 2014 - May 2015

- First author on proposal and recipient of \$3,300 grant from Ohio Agricultural and Research Development Center (OARDC) Research Enhancement Competitive Grants Program to complete project titled “*Small Heat Shock Protein 27: a small protein with great potential*”
- Collect *post-mortem* serial muscle tissue samples, pH, and temperature in two swine breeds

Student Researcher **James Cook University School of Veterinary and Biomedical Sciences** May 2014 - Aug 2014

- James Cook University, Townsville, Queensland, Australia
- Collected muscle samples via live animal biopsies from dairy and Brahman beef cattle
- Utilized a proteomics-based approach (ELISA tests) to quantify protein expression in tissue samples

Grant Author **College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences** Jul 2014
Honors Research Program Competitive Project Grant Awards

- Received \$1,000 project grant to fund proposal titled, “*Investigating the expression of Small Heat Shock Protein 27 in Bos indicus type cattle*”

PUBLICATIONS

Mullins CR, Zerby HN, Fitzpatrick, LA, Parker AJ. *Bos indicus* cattle possess greater basal concentrations of HSP27, alpha B-crystallin, and HSP70 in skeletal muscle in vivo compared with *Bos taurus* cattle. *Journal of Animal Science*. 2016;94:424-429. doi:10.2527/jas2015-9630.

GRADUATE TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Honors Introductory Animal Sciences (AnimSci 2300H) Aug 2015 - Dec 2015

- Deliver several 55-min independent guest lectures on the topics of animal behavior and welfare
- Assist with laboratory experiments and demonstrations
- Responsible for grading examinations and assignments

Animal Behavior and Welfare (AnimSci 4400) Aug 2015 - Dec 2015

- Deliver several 1-hr independent guest lectures on the topics of animal behavioral studies
- Assist with laboratory activities at animal facilities

GRADUATE ACTIVITIES

- Co-Coach* **Department of Animal Sciences Animal Welfare Judging Team** Sep 2015 - Nov 2015
- Create practice judging contests and scenarios for undergraduate participants to use
 - Compile and provide relevant literature related to animal species under study
 - Lead weekly practice sessions and coordinate practice and information sharing with veterinary school team
- Member* **Animal Sciences Graduate Student Association** Aug 2015 - Present
- Attend regular meetings to plan yearly events and hear from speakers
 - Plan annual chili cook-off

CERTIFICATIONS, AFFILIATIONS, AND TRAINING

- Humane Farm Animal Care Certified Humane Auditor Jan 2016 - Present
- Ohio Academy of Sciences Member Sep 2015 - Present
- American Society of Animal Science Mar 2015 - Present
- PAACO (Professional Animal Auditor Certification Organization) Poultry Welfare Auditor Training Aug 2015
- Introductory Meat and Poultry HACCP Training Jul 2015
- Pork Quality Assurance (PQA) Plus Certified Jan 2014

CONFERENCES

- Midwest Veterinary Conference Feb 2013; Feb 2016
Columbus, OH
- Lecture session presider both years
- Harvard University National Collegiate Research Conference Jan 2015
Cambridge, MA
- Accepted to attend 3-day interdisciplinary undergraduate research conference with world-renowned keynote speakers
 - Presented research poster in competition alongside 200 other participants
- American Society of Animal Science/American Dairy Science Association Midwest Meeting Mar 2013; Mar 2014
Des Moines, IA

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- UC Davis 5th Annual Food Animal Practitioners Continuing Education Symposium Jan 2014
Columbus, OH
- Attended 9-hour webinar covering the topics of humane cattle handling (presented by Dr. Temple Grandin), bovine embryo transfer, bovine toxicology, bovine reproductive ultrasound techniques, dairy feed management, and extra-label drug use
- CFAES Professional Development Night Oct 2012
Columbus, OH
- Attended lecture by speaker and author Mr. Jon Petz who spoke on taking initiative, getting involved in the college, and being ambitious in pursuing goals
- National American Pre-Veterinary Medical Association (APVMA) Symposium Mar 2012
Raleigh, NC
- Attended lectures on equine ophthalmology, swine health management, and humane cattle handling methods
 - Participated in equine reproduction wet lab covering teasing mares, collecting a stallion, artificial insemination, and spermatozoa
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UNDERGRADUATE TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Diverse Fields and Experiences in Animal Sciences (AnimSci 2700)** Oct 2013 - Mar 2015
- Instruct discussion-based recitation section focusing on current issues in animal agriculture, research and career opportunities, and résumé and cover letter composition
- Equine Feeds and Feeding (AnimSci 3131)** Aug 2014 - Dec 2014
- Aided in grading quizzes and exams
 - Guest-lectured on topics of body condition scoring and general feeding considerations
- Appreciation of Companion and Production Animals (AnimSci 2100)** Jan 2014 - Apr 2014
- Assisted with grading assignments and quizzes with enrolled class of 135 students
- Office of Student Life: First Year Experience Peer Leader** Aug 2013 - Oct 2013
- Instructed several hour-long courses to groups of approximately 50 incoming freshman
 - Discussed wellness, financial security, academics, diversity, community service, and extra-curricular involvement resources at the university

UNDERGRADUATE ACTIVITIES AND LEADERSHIP

- 108th Class Inductee and Class Treasurer** **SPHINX Senior Class Honorary** Apr 2014 - May 2015
- One of 24 senior class students inducted into prestigious and oldest honorary at The Ohio State University
 - Selected based on scholarship, leadership, commitment to the university, and notable achievements in particular field of study
- Executive Team Member** **College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences (CFAES)** Sep 2013 - May 2015
- Annual Recognition Banquet Steering Committee**
- Food & Menu Committee Chair** Sep 2014 - May 2015
- Participated in executive meetings to determine awards, dedication, entertainment pieces, and order of events
 - Contacted and worked with commodity industry groups to obtain donated food items
 - Coordinated with banquet venue to establish dinner service and logistics of food delivery, storage, and preparation
 - Oversaw timely completion of tasks delegated to committee members
- Secretary and Treasurer** Sep 2013 - Apr 2014
- Kept meeting minutes and checkbook register, balanced back account, wrote purchase and reimbursement checks
 - Solicited donations from local and national corporations to fund 600 person banquet event
- Grant Writer** **CFAES Back2School Bash Planning Committee** May 2012 - May 2015
- Managed \$18,000 budget involving financial donations from 11 student organizations
 - Co-wrote and submitted funding requests to Undergraduate Student Government, Coca-Cola, CFAES Student Council, and the Ohio Union
 - Itemized and tabulated costs for food and beverages, entertainment, apparel, consumables, and equipment rental
- Team Member** **Animal Science Community Alliance** Apr 2012 - May 2015
- Designed and implemented outreach programs to recruit potential students into the college
 - Instructed introductory course for incoming students covering professional development, college success strategies, research projects, and internship opportunities
 - Acted as a liaison between students, staff, and faculty in Dept. of Animal Sciences to strengthen and improve relationships and improve collaboration on mutually beneficial events
- General Member** **Meat Science Club at The Ohio State University** Aug 2013 - May 2015
- Attended meeting lectures with speakers from academia and industry
 - Independently coordinated bi-annual club quiz bowl competition
 - Toured and learned about production practices at Fresh Mark, Inc. (11/2013) and Birchwood Foods (3/2014)
- Team Member** **Intercollegiate Animal Welfare Judging/Assessment Contest** Sep 2014 - Nov 2014
- Placed 1st in undergraduate team competition (11 teams) and 2nd high individual overall
 - Competed in 2-day contest hosted by Michigan State University
 - Conducted on-farm evaluation of beef cow-calf operation and delivered oral reasons for 3 animal welfare scenarios (shelter cats, captive seals, and grower-finisher pigs)

 INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

CFAES 10-Day First-Year Student Study Abroad in Ecuador Dec 2011

- Studied sustainable agriculture of both livestock and crops and how Ecuadorians adapt basic production principles to their climate, landscape, and budget
- Compared systems management between Ecuador and United States

 VETERINARY EXPERIENCE

Veterinary Associates Animal Hospital Jul 2015 - Aug 2015

Xenia, OH

- Assisted with animal restraint during laser therapy, acupuncture, and livestock husbandry practices
- Observed veterinarian-client-patient interactions in clinic and on farm
- Assisted with county fair health checks

The Ohio State University Food Animal Club Sep 2011 - Apr 2014

Columbus, OH

- Attended weekly meetings with industry speakers and veterinary professionals
- Participated in practical hands-on wet lab experiences
 - Sheep Pregnancy Diagnostic Ultrasound Lab
 - Bovine Hoof Trimming Lab with Cadaver Legs
 - Piglet Processing and Sow Milk Collection

Riverside Drive Animal Care Center: Small Animal Medicine May 2013 - Aug 2013

Dublin, OH

- Observed veterinary procedures and diagnostic techniques including ultrasound, radiographs, dental surgery, abdominal laparoscopic surgery, bacterial culturing and microscopic identification, CPR, and euthanasia
- Assisted with animal restraint during physical exams, blood draws, and splint application

Food & Fiber Animal Department at The Ohio State Univ. Veterinary Medical Center Jan 2013 - May 2013

Columbus, OH

- Approximately 8 hours/week
- Observed routine veterinary procedures and veterinarian-client interactions
- Assisted with procedures such as placing an IV catheter, moving "downed" animals, animal restraint, and running a PCV and total blood protein
- Participated in morning case-review rounds
- 44 total hours

Walnut Grove Veterinary Service: Equine Medicine Dec 2012

Troy, OH

- Assisted with farm-call procedures such as radiographs of stifles, hocks, and hooves; castration; and horse restraint under Dr. Rhiannon Kauffeld D.V.M.
- Observed disease diagnosis, routine physical exams, medication administration, suturing, wound management, pre-purchase and lameness exams, and blood draws
- 26 total hours

 HONORS AND AWARDS

Ohio Agricultural and Research Development Center (OARDC) Director's Associateship Aug 2016 - Jul 2017

- Full graduate funding stipend (\$22,000), tuition and fees awarded on a competitive basis by the Graduate School to graduate students in an agricultural program at The Ohio State University

The Ohio State University 'University Fellowship' Aug 2015 - Jul 2016

- Full graduate funding stipend (\$20,808), tuition and fees awarded on a competitive basis by the Graduate School to incoming graduate students

The Ohio State University Top 20 Outstanding Senior Award Apr 2015
CFAES Top 20 Graduating Senior Apr 2015

Gamma Sigma Delta Scholarship	Apr 2015
The Department of Animal Sciences Waldock Brothers Outstanding Senior Award	Mar 2015
The Department of Animal Sciences George R. Johnson Award	Mar 2014, 2015
CFAES Newcomb Scholar Award: Top Cumulative GPA of college class	Apr 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015
North American Meat Association Undergraduate Scholar	Sep 2014
Meat Industry Suppliers Alliance Foundation Scholar	Jul 2014
Kunkle Student Development Fund Scholar	Apr 2013, 2014
Cunningham 4-H Leadership Award	Apr 2013, 2014
Ralph H. Grimshaw Award Scholarship	May 2013

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Education

2011 Arizona State University

2012 University of Michigan

2012 The Ohio State University

- Bachelor's of Science in Environmental Health – May 2016
- Master's in Veterinary Public Health – Expected Graduation: May 2017
- Cumulative GPA: 3.6

Experience

Internal Medicine Research Assistant

- Principal Researcher: Gary Hammer M.D. PhD
- January 2012 to May 2012 – University of Michigan
- Responsibilities: Maintained data in an organized form using Microsoft Excel, kept watch over mice cages, learned how to handle live animal subjects and basic laboratory methods

Bacteriophage and Antibiotic Resistance Research

- August 2012 to May 2013 – The Ohio State University via Howard Hughes Medical Institute
- Responsibilities: Finding my own environmental research samples, maintaining data in a laboratory notebook, learning advanced laboratory skills, designing and performing experiments that fit the research project, analyzing bacteriophage genome through bioinformatics, and preparing my results to be interpreted and further tested at Howard Hughes Medical Institute

Ohio Department of Health Bureau of Infectious Disease FoodCORE Interviewer

- June 2015 to Present
- Responsibilities: Interview patients based on reportable conditions, keep detailed notes of patient exposures, further investigate foodborne disease outbreaks, give updates at PHEP quarterly meetings, create posters, complete influenza data entry, and complete other tasks in a timely manner as assigned

Toledo Lucas County Health Department Harmful Algal Blooms Workshop Organizer

- April 2016 to June 2016
- Responsibilities: Invited topic area professionals to present, created an agenda, flyers, registration, and educational tools, sent out invites through professional societies in Ohio (i.e. Ohio EPA), hosted workshop, sent out continuing education certifications to guests, completed interviews with Ohio State media, and wrote a detailed analysis at the completion of the workshop

Publications

"Dramatic Variation in Phage Genome Structures Revealed by Whole Genome Comparisons." *Nature* (2015). Print.

Activities

Leadership

- August 2011 to December 2011 – Cannon Leadership Program – Arizona State University
- August 2013 to 2015 – Peer Leader – The Ohio State University
- August 2013 to Present – Student Wellness Ambassador Nutrition Program Manager – The Ohio State University

Volunteer

- August 2012 to May 2013 – The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center
- March 2013 – Buck-I-Serve: One World Running in Belize –The Ohio State University
- August 2013 to May 2016 – Buckeyes for Public Health – The Ohio State University
- December 2013 – Buck-I-Serve: Pinellas County Sea and Land Grant in St. Petersburg, Florida – The Ohio State University
- June 2016 to Present – Ohio State University Star House Volunteer

Study Abroad

- June 2013 to August 2013 – Accelerated German Language Program –Dresden, Germany
- May 2014 – Environmental Sustainability on a Coffee Plantation– San Jose, Costa Rica

Curriculum Vitae

Swati Palanivelu Vijaya

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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION

Ph.D. in Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies The Ohio State University	2015-Present Columbus, OH, USA
M.A. in Women's Studies Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS)	2012-2014 Mumbai, India
B.A. (Honours) in Political Science Lady Shri Ram (LSR) College, University of Delhi	2009-2012 New Delhi, India

WORK EXPERIENCE

Graduate Teaching Associate The Ohio State University	January, 2016-Present Columbus, OH, USA
Graduate Teaching Assistant The Ohio State University	August-December, 2015 Columbus, OH, USA
Officer – Gender Mainstreaming Indo-Global Social Service Society (IGSSS)	August, 2014 to July, 2015 New Delhi, India
Programme Associate Programme on Women's Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (PWESCR)	March-July, 2014 New Delhi, India
Freelance Sub-Editor Youth Ki Awaaz (YKA)	January-October, 2012 New Delhi, India
Fellow Centre for Tribal and Rural Development (CTRD)	May-June, 2011 Nilgiris, Tamil Nadu, India

INTERSHIPS

Advocacy Intern TARSHI- Talking About Reproductive and Sexual Health	October-November, 2013 New Delhi, India
Research Intern Institute for Social and Economic Change (ISEC)	April-June, 2013 Bangalore, India
Majlis Legal Centre Student Intern	Mumbai, India November, 2012 to March, 2013
Field Surveyor National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (NREGA) Survey	May-June, 2010 Chhattisgarh, India

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2016 WGSS Graduate Small Grant Support, OSU
- 2016 Arts & Humanities Graduate Research Small Grants Program, OSU
- 2015 *Lady Meherbai D. Tata* Education Trust Scholarship
- 2014 *Prof. Chhaya Datar* Prize to the Best Research Project in Women's Studies, TISS
- 2011 *Grassroutes* Fellowship for youth social interventions
- 2009 *Amul Vidya Bhushan* award for outstanding academic performance in Central Board Higher Secondary

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

M.A. Thesis

- 2014 Vijaya, S. *Gendered Mobility and Caste-Ed Morality: A Study Exploring Migrant Trajectories of Women from Gounder Caste of Tamil Nadu*, Advanced Centre for Women's Studies, Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS), Mumbai, India

Conference Presentations

- 2016 Vijaya, S. *Gendered Mobility and Caste-ed Morality: Exploring Migrant Trajectories of Women from Gounder Caste in Southern India*, 3rd International Sociological Association (ISA) Forum, Vienna, Austria (Forthcoming)
- 2014 Vijaya, S. *Gendered Pedagogies and Caste-ed Institutions: Political Economy of Higher Education in Tamil Nadu*, Centre for Philosophy and Humanities, Manipal University, India

LEADERSHIP ROLES

- 2016 President, South Asia Graduate Study Association, The Ohio State University
- 2013 Co-organizer, *Ibteda*-annual academic meet, School of Development Studies, Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS)
- 2012 President, Political Sciences Student Union, Lady Shri Ram (LSR) College
- 2011 Campaigner, *MustBol* initiative against Gender-Based Violence by UN Women
- 2011 Student representative, 3rd National Right to Information Convention, India
- 2010 Member, Student lobby group for Right to Food working under Dr. Jean Dreze and Dr. Reetika Khera in New Delhi, India

LANGUAGE SKILLS

- Reading: English, Hindi and Tamil
- Writing: English and Hindi
- Speaking: English, Hindi and Tamil

ACT 1617-SU-004

An Act Concerning the Approval of the Budget for the Fiscal Year 2016 for the Council of Graduate Students

Authors: Alex Wesaw and David Bowers
Sponsor: The Executive Committee

Section 1. Whereas the Council of Graduate Students, per by-laws, requires an operating budget going into the university's new fiscal year, the proposed budget is submitted

Section 2. Whereas, it is understood that this is a preliminary operating budget and will be amended when all fiscal reports are processed later in the academic year.

Section 3. Upon approval by the delegate body, this act will become effective immediately

CGS Budget FY 2016-2017

Category	Budgeted
Income	
Coca Cola Carry Forward	16,000.00
Coca Cola Endowment	14,000.00
CSA Carry Forward	7,500.00
CSA Student Activity Fee	77,000.00
Grant for hosting NAGPS Mtng	5,000.00
Global Gtwy	10,000.00
Global Gtwy Carry Forward	3,000.00
Grad Sch.--Hayes	9,000.00
OAA Ray Travel	35,000.00
OAA Ray Travel Carry Forward	10,000.00
OR Hayes Endwmnt	10,000.00
Total Income	196,500.00
Expense	
1000 President's Projects	
1100 Discretionary	1,000.00
1300 Inauguration	1,000.00
1000 President's Projects - Other	0.00

Total 1000 President's Projects 2,000.00

2000 Vice President

2100 Hayes 28,000.00

2000 Vice President - Other 0.00

Total 2000 Vice President 28,000.00

3000 Committees

3100 Exec

3110 Retreat 3,000.00

3120 Awards & Rec 500.00

3130 Exec Disc 500.00

3140 Comm. Disc. 3,000.00

3150 MarCom 10,000.00

3160 Speaker Series 4,000.00

3100 Exec - Other-NAGPS Conf. 5,000.00

Subtotal 3100 Exec 26,000.00

3301 Grants Admin 500.00

3340 Arts & Culture 3,000.00

3400 Del OutReach Grnt 3,700.00

3410 Communications 1,000.00

3500 Div & Inclusion 3,000.00

3510 International Student Concerns 3,000.00

3610 Ray Trv Grant Adm 500.00

3611 Ray Reception 2,000.00

3700 Grad H & W 2,500.00

3710 SERC 2,000.00

3800 Org & Elect 500.00

3900 Senate Advisory 0.00

3000 Committees - Other 0.00

Total 3000 Committees 47,700.00

3300 Grant Funds

3310 Career Dev 12,000.00

3320 Global Gtwy 15,000.00

3330 Ray Travel Award 45,000.00

3300 Grants Admin Funds - Other 0.00

Total 3300 Grant Funds	72,000.00
4000 Office Equip	
4100 Copier	500.00
4200 Equip.	400.00
4300 Furn.	0.00
4400 Supplies	1,000.00
4500 Telephone	1,650.00
4600 Technology	8,000.00
4000 Office Equip - Other	<u>65.00</u>
Total 4000 Office Equip	11,615.00
5000 Administrative	
5300 Mtng. Refreshments	12,500.00
5400 Org. Dev.	500.00
5410 Travel	12,500.00
6000 Prkng Passes	4,685.00
5000 Administrative - Other	<u>0.00</u>
Total 5000 Administrative	30,185.00
8000 PY Encum	
8100 Career Dev.	500.00
8200 Global Gtwy	500.00
8300 Ray Travel Award	3,000.00
8000 PY Encum - Other	<u>1,000.00</u>
Total 8000 PY Encum	<u>5,000.00</u>
Total Expense	196,500.00