#### Luke Capizzo, Ph.D., APR

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#### **EDUCATION**

#### Ph.D. in Communication (emphasis in Public Relations)

University of Maryland, College of Arts & Humanities, Department of Communication, 2019

> Dissertation: "Managing intractability: Wrestling with wicked problems and seeing beyond consensus in public relations"

#### M.A. in Communication

University of Maryland, College of Arts & Humanities, Department of Communication, 2018

#### APR (Accreditation in Public Relations)

Public Relations Society of America, 2014

#### **B.A.** in Professional Writing

Michigan State University, College of Arts & Letters, 2007

#### B.A. in Political Theory & Constitutional Democracy

Michigan State University,

James Madison College of Public Affairs, 2007

#### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

**Assistant Professor** (August 2022-Present) University of Missouri, School of Journalism

#### Assistant Professor (August 2019-July 2022)

James Madison University, School of Communication Studies

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### Identity (Bingham Farms, Mich.)

Senior Account Executive, Media Relations & Marketing (April 2013-Aug 2015)

Account Executive, Media Relations & Marketing

(August 2011-March 2013)

#### Michigan Credit Union League (Lansing, Mich.)

Communication Manager (August 2008-August 2011)

#### Lezotte Miller Public Relations, Inc. (Okemos, Mich.)

Client Services Coordinator (June 2007-July 2008)

#### Office of Governor Jennifer M. Granholm (Lansing, Mich.)

Intern, Communication Department (August 2005-Dec. 2005)

# PUBLICATIONS Journal Articles

- Capizzo, L. & Iannacone, J. I. (2023). Citizen brand: The emergence of brandstanding as organizational engagement and civic duty. *Public Relations Review*, 49(2), 102307. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.pubrev.2023.102307
- Capizzo, L., Pevac, M., & Madden, S. (2023). It's about (damn) time: Community, temporality, and feminist values in activist public relations history. *Public Relations Review*, 49(2), 102313. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.pubrev.2023.102313
- Zhou, A., **Capizzo, L.**, Page, T. G., & Toth, E. L. (2023). Exploring public relations research topics and inter-cluster dynamics through computational modeling (2010-2020). *Journal of Public Relations Research*. https://doi.org/10.1080/1062726X.2023.2180373
- Capizzo, L., & Harrison, V. S. (2023). Theorizing CSA's impact on nonprofit stewardship: New challenges for ethical corporate partnerships and issue engagement. *Public Relations Review*, 49(1), 102293. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.pubrev.2023.102293
- Capizzo, L. (2023). Managing intractability: Wrestling with wicked problems and seeing beyond consensus in public relations. *Public Relations Review*, 49(1), 102263. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.pubrev.2022.102263
- Capizzo, L., & Madden, S. (2022). Organizing community: Public relations of activism and place through Grace Lee Boggs and Jane Jacobs. *Public Relations Review*, 48(5), 102260. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.pubrev.2022.102260
- Capizzo, L., & Feinman, M. (2022). Extending civic values in architectures of listening: Arendt, Mouffe and the pluralistic imperative for organizational listening. *Journal of Public Relations Research*, *34*(6), 274-295. https://doi.org/10.1080/1062726X.2022.2127728
- Capizzo, L., Vasquez, R., & Jun, H. (2022). A shortage of excellence? An exploratory study of U.S. doctoral-level education in public relations. *Journal of Public Relations Education*, 8(1), 76-115. https://aejmc.us/jpre/2022/03/31/a-shortage-of-excellence-an-exploratory-study-of-u-s-doctoral-level-education-in-public-relations/
- **Capizzo, L.** (2022). What counts amid contention? Measuring perceived intractable problems in public relations. *Public Relations Review*, 48(2), 1-11. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.pubrev.2022.102179
- **Capizzo, L., &** Sommerfeldt, E. J. (2021). Defining the contours of contention: Facets of intractability in social issues management. *International Journal of Strategic Communication*, *15*(4), 357-374. https://doi.org/10.1080/1553118X.2021.1932907

- Page, T. G., & **Capizzo, L.** (2021). From "an open field" to established "waves": 45 years of public relations scholarship through the lens of Public Relations Review. *Public Relations Review*, 47(5), 102115. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.pubrev.2021.102115
- Capizzo, L. (2020). The Right Side of History, Inc.: Social issues management, social license to operate, and the Obergefell v. Hodges decision. *Public Relations Review*, 46(5), 101957. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.pubrev.2020.101957
- **Capizzo, L.** (2018). Reimagining dialogue in public relations: Bakhtin and open dialogue in the public sphere. *Public Relations Review*, 44(4), 523-532. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.pubrev.2018.07.007

#### **Book Reviews**

Capizzo, L. (2022). [Review of the book *A strategic nature: Public relations and the politics of environmentalism*, by M. Aronczyk and M. Espinoza]. *Journal of Communication*. https://doi.org/10.1093/joc/jqac014

#### **Scholarly Books**

**Capizzo, L.** (under contract). *Public relations and social impact:* Reclaiming the PR profession. Routledge.

#### **Textbooks**

- Luttrell, R. & Capizzo, L. (2021). Public relations campaigns: An integrated approach (2nd ed.). Sage Publications.
- Luttrell, R. & Capizzo, L. (2018). Public relations campaigns: An integrated approach. Sage Publications.
- Luttrell, R. & Capizzo, L. (2018). The PR agency handbook. Sage Publications.

#### Refereed Book Chapters

**Capizzo, L.,** & Sommerfeldt, E.J. (2018). The privileged space of financial communication: Journalistic perspectives, relationships, and implications for financial public relations. In A. Laskin (Ed.) *The bandbook of financial communication and investor relations*, (pp. 365-375). Wiley.

# Invited Book Chapters

**Capizzo, L.** (in press). Listening in polarized times: Hannah Arendt's actualized plurality and the civic imperative for organizational listening. In K. R. Place (Ed.), *Organizational listening: Building theory and practice for strategic communication*. Routledge.

#### **Blog Posts**

- Capizzo, L. & Martinez Gonzalez, A. (2022, June 15). Research in Progress: Polarized environments? Exploring CSA in an environmental context. *Arthur W. Page Center Blog.* https://www.bellisario.psu.edu/page-center/article/research-in-progress-polarized-environments-exploring-csa-in-an-environment
- Capizzo, L. (2020, Aug. 11). Research in Progress: Listening for what's hard to hear. *Arthur W. Page Center Blog.* https://www.bellisario.psu.edu/page-center/article/research-in-progress-listening-for-whats-hard-to-hear

#### REFEREED

Martinez Gonzalez, A., & Capizzo, L. (2023, June 5-9). Moral decoupling in a

### CONFERENCE PAPERS

- climate justice advocacy: Examining the mediating role of performance and immorality judgments. 17th Conference on Communication and Environment, Harrisonburg, VA, United States.
- Capizzo, L., Perryman, B. R., Nzau, T., & Ferguson, H. (2023, May 25-29). Diagnosing shared crises as acute intractability: Organizing crises and intractable problems in public relations theory [Paper presentation]. International Communication Association 73<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference, Toronto, Canada.
- Capizzo, L., & Luisi, M. (2023, March 2-4). CSR, ESG, or environmental justice? Public relations' professional responsibilities and evolving expectations for stewardship and citizenship. 26th International Public Relations Research Conference, Orlando, FL, United States.
- Page., T. G., & Capizzo, L. (2022, Nov. 17-20). Toward an open-tent model of organizations: Stakeholders, permeability, and multiple identities in public relations theory. National Communication Association 108th Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA, United States.
- Martinez Gonzalez, A., & Capizzo, L. (2022, Nov. 17-20). Moral decoupling in a corporate social advocacy context: Examining the mediating role of performance and immorality judgments. National Communication Association 108th Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA, United States.
- Capizzo, L., Pevac, M., & Madden, S. (2022, Aug. 3-6). It's about (damn) time: Community, temporality, and feminist values in activist public relations history [Paper presentation]. Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 105th Annual Conference, Detroit, MI, United States. (Museum of Public Relations History Award, PR Division)
- Capizzo, L., Wallace, A., Logan, N., & Place, K. (2022, Aug. 3-6).

  Accomplices in the public relations classroom: An autoethnography of socialjustice and anti-racism-informed teaching [Paper presentation].

  Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication
  105th Annual Conference, Detroit, MI, United States. (First Place
  Teaching Competition Paper, PR Division)
- Zhou, A., **Capizzo, L.**, Page, T. G., Toth, E. L. (2022, May 26-30)
  Exploring PR paradigms through computational modeling:
  Refractions and recommitment in public relations research [Paper presentation]. International Communication Association 72<sup>nd</sup>
  Annual Conference, Paris, France.
- Capizzo, L., & Madden, S. (2021, Nov. 18-21). Organizing community:

  Public relations of activism and place through Grace Lee Boggs and Jane
  Jacobs [Paper presentation]. National Communication Association
  107th Annual Convention, Seattle, WA, United States. (Top
  Faculty Paper, PR Division)
- Capizzo, L., & Feinman, M. (2021, August 4-7). Extending civic values in

- architectures of listening: Arendt, Mouffe and the pluralistic imperative for organizational listening [Paper presentation]. Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 104th Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA, United States.
- Capizzo, L. (2021, May 27-31). What counts amid contention? Measuring perceived intractable problems in public relations [Paper presentation]. International Communication Association 71st Annual Conference, Denver, CO, United States. (Top Faculty Paper, PR Division)
- Dodd, M., Capizzo, L., & Spaulding, C. (2021, May 27-31). The Historical Development of Corporate Social Responsibility and Legitimization of Corporate Social Advocacy: A Multinational Approach [Paper presentation]. International Communication Association 71st Annual Conference, Denver, CO, United States.
- Capizzo, L. & Iannacone, J. (2021, March 4-6). Citizen Brand: The Emergence of Brandstanding as Organizational Engagement, Voice, and Civic Duty [Paper presentation]. 24th Annual International Public Relations Research Conference, Miami, FL, United States.
- Capizzo, L. (2020, November 19-22). Managing intractability: Wrestling with wicked problems and seeing beyond consensus in public relations [Paper presentation]. National Communication Association 106th Annual Convention, Indianapolis, IN, United States. (Top Faculty Paper, PR Division)
- Page, T. G. & Capizzo, L. (2020, November 19-22). From "an open field" to established "waves": 45 years of public relations scholarship through the lens of Public Relations Review [Paper presentation]. National Communication Association 106th Annual Convention, Indianapolis, IN, United States. (Top Faculty Paper, PR Division)
- Stanley, S. J., Ledford, V. A., Atwell Seate, A., Kamran, N., & Capizzo, L. (2020, November 19-22). Identity orientation, worry about sexual outcomes, attitudes toward sexual health behaviors: Antecedents of information seeking from student health center websites [Paper presentation]. National Communication Association 106th Annual Convention, Indianapolis, IN, United States.
- Capizzo, L. & Sommerfeldt, E.J. (2020, May 20-27). Defining the contours of contention: Facets of intractability in social issues management [Paper presentation]. International Communication Association 70th Annual Conference, Gold Coast, Australia.
- Capizzo, L. (2018, November 14-17). A business-to-business case for public relations outreach: Best practices for stakeholders, linkages, and networks within the supply chain [Paper presentation].

  National Communication Association 105th Annual Convention, Salt Lake City, UT, United States.

- Capizzo, L. & Sommerfeldt, E.J. (2018, May 24-28). Tracing the transnational corporate citizen: Deliberative corporate social responsibility in global public relations [Paper presentation]. International Communication Association 68th Annual Conference, Prague, Czech Republic.
- Capizzo, L. (2017, November 16-19). Reimagining dialogue in public relations:

  Bakhtin and open dialogue in the public sphere [Paper presentation].

  National Communication Association 104th Annual Convention,
  Dallas, TX, United States. (Top Student Paper, PR Division)
- Capizzo, L. (2017, August 9-12). The first generation: Lessons from the public relations industry's first university-trained social media practitioners [Paper presentation]. Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 100th Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, United States. (Top Student Paper, PR Division)
- Capizzo, L. (2017, May 25-29). (Financial) crisis of confidence: The refocusing events of the great recession for financial journalism and media relations [Paper presentation]. International Communication Association 67th Annual Conference, San Diego, CA, United States.
- Capizzo, L. (2016, November 10-13). The right side of history, inc.: Corporate public engagement and the Obergefell v. Hodges decision [Paper presentation]. National Communication Association 103rd Annual Convention, Philadelphia, PA, United States. (Top Student Paper, PR Division)

#### REFEREED CONFERENCE PANELS

- Toth, E. L., Capizzo, L., Page, T. G., Zhou, A., & Bardhan, N. R. (2022, Nov. 17-20). Public relations theory as practical map making: Making sense of paradigmatic and research trend studies for scholarship, pedagogy, and practice [Conference panel]. National Communication Association 108th Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA, United States.
- Waymer, D., (Moderator), **Capizzo, L.**, Ciszek, E., Logan, N., Place, K. R., & Reynolds, C. (2022, Aug 3-6). *The future of critical research in public relations practice and pedagogy* [Conference panel]. Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication 105<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Detroit, MI, United States.
- Capizzo, L. (Moderator), Edrington, C., Feistman, G., & Logan, N. (2022, March 24-25). Shifting from CSR to CSA: Corporate and activist insights for professional communicators [Conference panel]. Institute for Public Relations 4th annual IPR Bridge Conference, Washington, DC, United States.
- Logan, N. (Moderator), Aghazadeh, S., Edrington, C., & Capizzo, L. (2021, Oct. 6). *ICONversations: Hot-button DEI Issues in PR* [Conference panel]. PRSA International Conference, Orlando, FL.
- Capizzo, L. (Moderator), Aghazadeh, S., Edrington, C., Feistman, G., & Harrison, V. (2021, January). *Unbounding CSR in the classroom* [Conference panel]. Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication PR Division 3rd Annual Virtual Conference.

Capizzo, L. (Moderator), Austin, L., Dodd, M., Logan, N., & Moscato, D. (2020, November 19-22). Corporate engagement at the crossroads of profit and purpose: CSA, CSR, and critical perspectives on the evolving role of public relations in social issue discourse [Conference panel]. National Communication Association 106th Annual Convention, Indianapolis, IN, United States.

#### COURSES TAUGHT

#### University of Missouri

JOURN 2200: Audiences & Persuasion (Fall 2022, Fall 2023)

JOURN 8044: Strategic Conflict Management (M.A. & Ph.D.) (Fall 2022, Fall 2023)

JOURN 4970W: Strategic Campaigns (Capstone) (Spring 2023)

#### James Madison University

SCOM 660/680: Risk & Crisis Communication (M.A.) (Spring 2021\*^; Spring 2022) \*Course redesign, ^Online course

SCOM 460: Public Relations Management (\*Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Spring 2021^, Summer 2021^)

SCOM 367: Advanced Public Relations Writing (Spring 2020; Spring 2022)

SCOM 362: Public Relations Theory (Summer 2020\*^, Fall 2020^, Spring 2021^, Summer 2021^, Fall 2021)

SCOM 369: Topics in Engaged Public Relations [Public Relations Student-Run Agency] (Fall 2020\*^, Fall 2021)

#### University of Maryland

COMM 353: New Media Writing for Public Relations (Fall 2018, Spring 2019)

COMM 331: News Writing for Public Relations (Spring 2018, Summer, 2018)

COMM 351: Public Relations Techniques (Fall 2017)

COMM 488I: Strategic Interviewing for the Career You Want (Winter 2017<sup>^</sup>, Spring 2017<sup>^</sup>, Summer 2017<sup>^</sup>, Fall 2018<sup>^</sup>) Co-developed this online course with Dr. Lindsey Anderson

COMM 107: Oral Communication: Principles and Practices (Instructor of Record: Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2016), Spring 2017)

Special section taught in partnership with the University of Maryland's Academy for Innovation & Entrepreneurship

# INVITED & PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Guest Lecture: "Organizing crisis communication in public relations" (April 2023). PUBR 380: Crisis Communication. East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, Tennessee (virtual).

Workshop Presenter: "Organizational Listening" (April 2023). Pro Communicators Conference, Missouri Chamber of Commerce, Columbia, Missouri.

Guest Lecture: "PESO in integrated campaigns" (March 2023). APRD 4405: Strategic Communication Capstone. University of Colorado—Boulder (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "The Scope of Applied PR Research" (Feb. 2023). MC 3360: PR Research. Texas State University, San Marcos (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "PESO & PR Campaigns," (Jan. 2023). COM 476 Public Relations Campaigns. North Carolina State University, Charlotte, North Carolina (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "PESO & public relations campaign planning" (Jan. 2023). COMM 473: Public Relations Campaigns. Penn State University, State College, Pennsylvania (virtual).

Invited Keynote: "Handling Difficult Situations: A risk and crisis communication toolbox for everyday teaching," (Jan. 2023). Graduate Teaching Orientation (GTO), Graduate School, University of Missouri.

Discussant: "Exploring engagement, authentic communication, and network perspectives in public relations," (Nov. 2022). NCA Public Relations Division, NCA Annual Conference.

Guest Lecture: "Integration and convergence in public relations campaigns," (Oct., 2022). COMM 8005: Public Relations and Global Marketing Communication (M.A. program). Binus University, West Jakarta, Indonesia (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "Pursuing a Ph.D. in strategic communication" (Oct. 2022). MCOM 5085: Media Theory & MCOM 5020: Media and Cultural Diversities. East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, Tennessee (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "PESO & ROSTIR models in public relations campaigns" (Oct. 2022). COM CM 701: Contemporary Public Relations (M.A. program). Boston University (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "Evolving technology in PR practice" (Sept. 2022). COMM 450/COMM 550: Technologies of Human Communication. New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, New Mexico (virtual).

Discussant: "Top Student Papers," (Aug. 2022). AEJMC Public Relations

Division, AEJMC Annual Conference.

Guest Lecture: "Brandstanding in public relations" (April 2022). PUBR 380: Crisis Communication. East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, Tennessee (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "Crisis communication and IMC" (Feb. 2022). ENG355: Case Studies in Public Relations. Salve Regina University, Newport, Rhode Island (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "PESO & public relations professionalism" (Feb. 2022). CMA 411: Public Relations Campaigns. Hood College, Frederick, Maryland (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "PESO & public relations campaign planning" (Jan. 2022). COMM 473: Public Relations Campaigns. Penn State University (virtual).

Discussant: "Social media engagement, online brand communities, and moderation effects," (Nov. 2021). NCA Public Relations Division, NCA Annual Conference.

Invited panelist: "Allies and the DEI Journey" (Oct. 2021). Institute for Public Relations' Race in the PR Classroom series (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "Corporate social advocacy and social media in public relations" (Oct. 2021). MEJO 670H: Digital Advertising & Marketing (Honors). University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "PESO implementation for public relations campaigns" (Oct. 2021). COM CM 701: Contemporary Public Relations (M.A. program). Boston University (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "Dialogue in PR Theory" (Sept. 2021). COMM 8560: Trends in Public Relations Theory and Research (M.A. program). Clemson University, Clemson, South Carolina (virtual).

Invited Lecture (Sydney Lectures series): "History and new directions for dialogue in public relations" (May 2021). University of New South Wales—Sydney, Australia (virtual).

Guest Lecture: Integrated Campaigns Using ROSTIR & PESO" (Feb. 2021). JMU 4040: Social Media Analytics. School of Communication, University of Nebraska—Omaha, Nebraska (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "Managing crises and issues in public relations: Theory and practice" (Nov. 2020). ADV 800: Advertising and Public Relations Theory (M.A. program). College of Communication Arts and Sciences, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan (virtual).

Workshop Presenter: "Communicating justice: Disseminating our JEDI scholarship to non-academic audiences" (Oct. 2020). Center for Faculty Innovation, James Madison University.

Speaker: "Brandstanding: Navigating contentious issues while maintaining an authentic brand voice" (Oct. 2020). PRSA International Conference, Nashville, TN (virtual).

Speaker: "PR Theories, PR Management, and Managing Relationships" (Aug. 2020 & June 2021). PRSA National Capital Chapter. Accreditation in Public Relations training session (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "Integration and convergence in public relations campaigns," (May, 2020). COMM 8005: Public Relations and Global Marketing Communication (M.A. program). Binus University, West Jakarta, Indonesia (virtual).

Guest Lecture: "Objectives in public relations campaign planning," (March, 2020; Oct. 2020). CMA 411: Public Relations Campaigns. Hood College, Frederick, MD.

Invited Lecture: "Research in public affairs: A framework for effective communication planning and assessment" (Sept. 2018). United States Defense Information School (DINFOS), Ft. Meade, MD.

Guest Lectures: "PR Departments & PR Firms" and "Roles in Public Relations" (Spring 2018). COMM 201: Intro to Public Relations, Professor Erich Sommerfeldt, University of Maryland, College Park, MD.

Guest Lecture: "Messaging in Public Relations" (Oct. 2016; April 2017). COMM 351: Public Relations Techniques, Professor Susan Simon, University of Maryland, College Park, MD.

Guest Lecture: "Media Pitching: Purpose and Process" (April 2016; Sept. 2016; April 2018). COMM 351: Public Relations Techniques, Professor Pamela Grant, University of Maryland, College Park, MD.

Student Workshop: "Interacting with the Media 101" (March 2016; Oct 2016). Oral Communication Center Workshop Series, University of Maryland, College Park, MD.

Keynote: "Convergence in Public Relations" (Dec. 2014). PRSSA Student Development Conference, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI.

Professional Workshop: "Media Relations 101: Making the Most of Media" (Feb. 2014). Marketing & Lending Conference, Michigan Credit Union League, Grand Rapids, MI.

Professional Workshop: "Making Credit Union Communication Strategic" (Feb. 2014). Marketing & Lending Conference, Michigan Credit Union League, Grand Rapids, MI.

DEPARTMENTAL, UNIVERSITY, & COMMUNITY SERVICE Member, Awards Committee, School of Journalism, University of Missouri (Fall 2022-Spring 2023)

**Co-faculty advisor (founding), University of Missouri PRSSA** (Fall 2022-Present)

Member, Academic Unit Personnel Advisory Committee (AUPAC), School of Communication Studies, James Madison University (Fall 2021-Spring 2022)

Assistant Faculty Advisor, Bluestone Communications (student-run PR firm), School of Communication Studies, James Madison University (Fall 2020-Spring 2022)

School of Communication Studies Faculty Representative, DEI Strategic Planning Committee, College of Arts & Letters, James Madison University (Spring 2021)

**Member, Graduate Committee**, School of Communication Studies, James Madison University (Spring 2020-Spring 2022)

Faculty Advisor (2017-2018), University of Maryland Bateman PR Team (PRSSA), Co-advisor (2016-2017)

**Graduate Student Representative,** PR Tenure Track Faculty Search Committee, Department of Communication, University of Maryland (Fall 2017)

Graduate Student Board Departmental Representative, Department of Communication, College of Arts & Humanities (ARHU), University of Maryland (Fall 2016, Fall 2017)

**Invited Professional Portfolio Reviewer**, Department of Communication, University of Maryland, COMM 483: Public Relations Senior Seminar, COMM 332: News Editing for Public Relations, COMM 331: News Writing for Public Relations (Fall 2015-Spring 2018)

**Invited Professional Panelist**, Michigan State University PRSSA (Fall 2013, Spring 2015)

**Invited Professional Panelist**, Eastern Michigan University PRSSA (Fall 2014)

**Professional Reviewer,** Michigan State University Professional Writing Senior Portfolios (Spring 2009, Spring 2010, Spring 2012, Spring 2014, Spring 2015)

Communication Committee Member (volunteer), Mid Michigan Red Cross (2009-2011)

DOCTORAL COMMITTEE SERIVCE (MISSOURI) Teresia Nzau (2022- present), Committee Chair Evgeniia Belobrovkina (2022-present), Committee Member

M.A. Brittany Kummerer (2022-2023), Committee Chair COMMITTEE Wei Hua (2022-2023), Committee Chair

SERVICE (MISSOURI) Patrick Cunningham (2022-2023), Committee Member Lily Williams (2023-present), Committee Member

M.A.

COMMITTEE SERVICE (JMU) Kaylin Mathes (2021-2022), Committee Chair Clara Barnhardt (2021-2022), Committee Member Leah Tripp (2021-2022), Committee Member Laureta Ramaj (2020-2021), Committee Member Jasmine Tillman (2020-2021), Committee Member

SERVICE FOR ACADEMIC & PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS Associate Editor & Editorial Board Member, Journal of Public Relations

Education (2021-Present)

Editorial Board Member, Public Relations Review (2022-Present)

Editorial Board Member, Journal of Public Relations Research (2022-Present)

**Editorial Board Member,** *Journal of Public Interest Communications* (2022-Present)

**Editorial Board Member,** Case Studies in Strategic Communication (2022-Present)

**Member,** Research Committee, Public Relations Division, AEJMC (Fall 2022-Present)

**Vice Chair,** Professional Freedom & Responsibility Committee, Public Relations Division, AEJMC (Fall 2021-Fall 2022)

**Member,** Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee, Public Relations Division, AEJMC (Fall 2020-Summer 2021)

**Chair & Committee Member,** Inez Kaiser Graduate Students of Color Award Committee, Public Relations Division, AEJMC (Fall 2020-Spring 2022)

**APR Committee Member**, Public Relations Society of America: National Capital Chapter (2020-2022)

Member, PRIDE Committee, PR Division, NCA (2019-2020, 2021-2022)

Graduate Student Committee, AEJMC PR Division Faculty Liaison (2019-2020) Co-chair (2018-2019) Member (2017-2018)

Reviewer, Sustainability (2022-present): 1 article

**Reviewer**, Journal of International Risk & Crisis Communication Research (2021-present): 1 article

Reviewer, Journal of Public Interest Communications (2020-present): 1 article

**Reviewer**, *Journal of Public Relations Education* (2020-present): 6 articles

**Reviewer**, *International Journal of Strategic Communication* (2019-present): 3 articles

Reviewer, Public Relations Review (2018-present): 20 articles

Reviewer, Kentucky Journal of Communication (2018): 1 article

Reviewer, Journal of Public Relations Research (2017-present): 6 articles

Reviewer, PR Division, AEJMC (2020-present)

**Reviewer**, PR Division, ICA (2017-present)

**Reviewer**, PR Division, NCA (2016-present)

**APR Adjudicator**, Public Relations Society of America: National Capital Chapter (2017-2022)

**APR Prep Educator**, Public Relations Society of America: National Capital Chapter (2016, 2017, 2020, 2021)

**APR Co-chair,** Public Relations Society of America: Detroit PRSA Chapter (2014-2015)

**APR Adjudicator**, Public Relations Society of America: Detroit Chapter (2014)

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (2016-present)

International Communication Association

(2016-present)

National Communication Association

(2015-present)

Public Relations Society of America

(2008-present)

## GRANTS, HONORS

GRANTS, HONORS, Arthur W. Page Center, Legacy Scholar grant recipient (\$5,000):

"Can PR be local, global, and prosocial? Transnational CSA and practitioner negotiation amid contentious issues" (2023-2024)

Arts & Humanities Research and Creative Works Fellows Program, University of Missouri, 2023-2025

**Top Teaching Competition Paper (1st place),** Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, PR Division, 2022

Museum of Public Relations History Award, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, PR Division, 2022

**Top Reviewer Award (Student paper competition)**, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, PR Division, 2022

Arthur W. Page Center, Legacy Scholar grant recipient (\$4,500): "Examining Corporate Social Advocacy in the Context of Sustainability and Environmental Justice: An Application of Moral Decoupling Theory" (2022-2023)

**Top Faculty Paper Award (1st place),** National Communication Association, PR Division, 2021

JMU College of Arts & Letters Faculty, Mini-Grant recipient (\$1,500): "Rising temperatures and polarized engagement: Examining corporate social advocacy in the contexts of climate change and racial justice" (2021-2022)

**Professor of the Year (2020-2021),** School of Communication Studies, James Madison University, *Presented by Lambda Pi Eta (Communication Honors Society of the National Communication Association)* 

Arthur W. Page Center, Legacy Scholar grant recipient (\$1,550): "Extending Civic Values in Architectures of Listening: Arendt, Mouffe, and the Pluralistic Imperative for Organizational Listening" (2020-2021)

**Top Faculty Paper Award (3rd place),** International Communication Association, PR Division, 2021

Top Faculty Paper Awards (1st place & 3rd place), National Communication Association, PR Division, 2020

Goldhaber Travel Award, The Graduate School, University of Maryland, 2018

**Top Student Paper Award (1st place)**, National Communication Association, PR Division, 2017

**Top Student Paper Award (2<sup>nd</sup> place)**, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, PR Division, 2017

**Outstanding Graduate Assistant Award**, The Graduate School, University of Maryland, 2017

**Outstanding Teaching Award**, Department of Communication, University of Maryland, 2017

**Top Student Paper Award (3rd place)**, National Communication Association, PR Division, 2016

Dean's Fellowship, University of Maryland, 2015-2020 (\$25,000)

First Place, 2007 MSU Undergraduate Research and Arts Forum

**Genevieve Gillette Fellowship**, 2006: Honors College, Michigan State University: Supported undergraduate research (\$2,000)

Phi Beta Kappa, inducted 2007