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### **Academic Appointments**

August 2006-present	Professor, Department of Anthropology, Colorado State University
August 2000-2006	Associate Professor, Department of Anthropology, Colorado State University
August 1994-2000	Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology, Colorado State University

#### Education

1993	<b>PhD in Anthropology,</b> Southern Methodist University (SMU). Dissertation Title: The Factors
	Underlying Differential Participation in the Informal Economy. Graduate Advisor: Dr. Victoria
	Lockwood.

- 1990 M.A. Cultural Anthropology Program, Department of Anthropology, SMU.
- 1976 **B.A. in English with Honors**, SMU.

#### **BOOKS**

2015	<u>Standing in the Need: Culture, Comfort, and Coming Home After Katrina.</u> 2015, University of Texas
	Press, one of 8 books comprising the Social Science Research Council's "Katrina Shelf." Second
	printing.

- 2009 <u>Economics and Morality: Anthropological Approaches</u>. Edited by Katherine E. Browne and Lynne Milgram. Lanham, MD: AltaMira Press.
- 2004 <u>Creole Economics: Caribbean Cunning Under the French Flag.</u> Austin: University of Texas Press. Continued college class adoptions as of 2018. Second printing.

# HIGHLIGHTS OF RECENT DISASTER WORK AND STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

- Director, first US-based Risk and Disaster Field School: a 4-week ethnographic field school located on the Texas Gulf Coast, conceived and organized by Browne for undergraduates at Colorado State University. Organized as a collaboration between Browne's home institution, Colorado State University, and Texas A&M Corpus Christi where students were housed during June 2019. Browne led classes and immersion in original research projects to map risk perception using GIS and story maps. Classroom instruction focused on accelerated learning of qualitative and quantitative research methods and social science approaches to the study of risk and disaster. Fieldwork with survivors in the coastal community of Rockport, Texas where Harvey made landfall. The students interviewed residents from three neighborhoods and generated participatory mapping projects related to risk perception.
- 2018-19 **Co-lead, US Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Workshop, Webinar, and Research Report.** FEMA Higher Education-funded efforts to examine agency's new Strategic Plan 2018- 2022 "Building a Culture of Preparedness."
  - **FEMA Workshop** Co-organized, designed content and facilitated a Two-Day Workshop, bringing together disaster scholars and practitioner experts in disaster management to assist in the development of a conceptual framework for "Building Cultures of Preparedness" Convened May 22-23, 2018. Georgetown University, Washington, DC.

- **FEMA Webinar** Design and delivery of a webinar entitled *Building Cultures of Preparedness* for FEMA leadership and the Emergency Management academic community. Convened through FEMA, September 20, 2018.
- FEMA Research Report on National Preparedness. 2019. Co-lead author of a 38-page research report, <u>Building Cultures of Preparedness</u> detailing the failures of preparedness efforts to date and calling for a "culture-based, ground-up approach" to achieve FEMA's new Strategic Plan (2018-2022) focused on preparedness. Report proposes that the relevance of cultural knowledge is critical for identifying local needs and strengths and ensuring success with preparedness. Report disseminated widely among emergency managers and homeland security communities as well as academic and practitioner groups. Extensive coverage by journals and magazines in the field. Published January 2019.
- 2017 Co-Founder and Co-Director, CADAN: to link scholars and practitioners with mission to reduce suffering in disaster: Browne co-founded the Culture and Disaster Action Network (CADAN), a 14-member network of practitioners and academics with a mission of urgency—to increase comprehension of cultural difference and move such recognition into practice in order to reduce suffering of people impacted by disaster. Leadership of this network has included preparing materials to demonstrate members' expertise, working with sub-teams to present culture-based approach and consult with government and non-government entities in US and in international settings. Focus on policy and practitioner interventions, educational presentations, trainings, consultation, publications, and applied projects. For more, see <a href="https://www.cultureanddisaster.org">www.cultureanddisaster.org</a>
- Development of new undergraduate class, Public Anthropology and Global Environmental Challenges (ANTH 405). First taught Spring 2018. Students read public scholarship about environmental topics, translated academic articles into public-facing work, and wrote weekly blogs and multiple op-eds for major newspapers, 6 published op-ed pieces (reaching more than 1,500,000 combined readership). Story about class: <a href="https://libarts.source.colostate.edu/new-public-anthropology-course-takes-academic-work-to-the-streets/">https://libarts.source.colostate.edu/new-public-anthropology-course-takes-academic-work-to-the-streets/</a>
- Co-lead, presentation at the Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction (GPDRR). "Culture-Based DRR: No One Left Behind" written and presented by Kate Browne and Adam Koons. Hosted by UNISDR in Cancun, Mexico. 22-26 May 2017. National Science Foundation funded. During this conference of 5,000 delegates from International NGOs and national governments around the world, our CADAN team of 5 academics and practitioners also conducted a "rapid ethnography" to interview 40 representatives from disaster organizations to learn about their treatment of cultural variation. Coding and analysis of these interviews is underway.
- Rapid re-design of spring 2014 disaster seminar for class research project in response to devastating floods of September 2013 in Northern Colorado. In addition to course readings related to disaster studies literature, students participated in original, community-based research with Weld County's Long-Term Recovery Group (LTRG). The LTRG was assembled as a consortium of 15 NGO organizations in Northern Colorado tasked to provide recovery for communities impacted by the devastating floods of September 2013. Semester-long fieldwork research by 14 students included individual interviews, analysis, collaboration and collective analysis of findings, preparation of powerpoint and timeline mural for final student-led presentation to LTRG and community of Evans. The findings, insights, and recommendations well-received by recovery professionals. April 22, 2014.

#### **VISUAL SCHOLARSHIP**

**2007-12 Production and broadcast of two documentary films based on original research.** Broadcast successively during this timeframe, nationally and internationally

### **Still Waiting: Life After Katrina**, PBS broadcast:

- Broadcast on PBS stations throughout US (in markets representing 65% of US households).
- Broadcast on French Canadian Public Broadcasting stations
- 2010 Used in the program for the United Nations University Summer Academy
- Used in high schools, universities, non-profit agencies, disaster-related management programs, churches, community libraries

<u>Lifting the Weight of History/Au Tournant de l'Histoire</u>: French TV and global broadcasts. film about Martinique's women entrepreneurs and the historical context of slavery that shaped their cultural approach to changing practice of Caribbean business.

- **45-minute French version** broadcast all over the world on TV5 (francophone global TV) and released nationally in France on French TV (France 3) and abroad, on French overseas TV (RFO), 2009.
- **30-minute French and 30-minute English versions** (released together in packaged set, 2010). Film adopted for classrooms focused on Caribbean studies, global entrepreneurship, gender studies and francophone studies; for small business trainings in US; by high school teachers of French for use in AP and IB programs; used by scholars and French teachers in US, France, Martinique, England, Germany, and Caribbean countries.

### DISASTER-RELATED RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS AND PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES: SELECTED

- 2020 "Research Report: Rockport Residents and Life After Harvey," A 45-page ethnographic and geospatial analysis. Authored by Katherine E. Browne, PhD, and the 2019 Ethnographic Field School class: Sarvis Anarella, Maizie Anders, Michelle Anderson, Charlotte Dorsey, Frances Fedele, Amanda Kircher, Althaea Kress, Zoe Schutte, Elizabeth Shrewsbury, Julie Spawn, Madeline Stott, Sydney Vander Waerdt, John Weinzel and graduate teaching assistants, Shadi Azadegan and Ned Molder. With contributions from Stephen Leisz, PhD, Department of Anthropology and Geography, Colorado State University; Stefanie Berganini, PhD student, Colorado State University; and Philippe Tissot, PhD, Interim Director, Conrad Blucher Institute, Texas A&M-Corpus Christi.
- Browne, Katherine E. Marino, Elizabeth, Lazrus, Heather. and Maxwell, Keely. <u>"Engaged: Applying the Anthropology of Disaster to Practitioner Settings and Policy Creation"</u> p292-312. in *Disaster Upon Disaster: Exploring the Gap Between Risk and Disaster Knowledge and What Enters Policy and Practice.* Susanna Hoffman and Roberto Barrios, eds. New York City: Berghahn Press.
- Browne, Katherine and Laura Olson. "Building Cultures of Preparedness: A Forward Looking Approach to Community Resilience." *Crisis Response Journal* (leading European journal in Emergency Management). 14(4):42-44.

  <a href="https://www.dropbox.com/s/2ar56g53lr2rit1/BrowneOlson%20CRJ%20article%20Oct%202019.pdf">https://www.dropbox.com/s/2ar56g53lr2rit1/BrowneOlson%20CRJ%20article%20Oct%202019.pdf</a>
  ?dl=0
- Browne, Katherine E and Laura Olson, invited lead authors. <u>Building Cultures of Preparedness:</u>

  Report for the Federal Emergency Management (FEMA) Higher Education Community. 38-page research report developed in response to FEMA's new Strategic Plan, 2018-2022. January 2019.

- 2018 Browne, Katherine E. and Even, Trevor. <u>"The 'Culture of Disaster' Student Immersion Project: First-Hand Research to Learn about Disaster Recovery after a Colorado Flood."</u> Special Issue on Teaching Disaster. *International Journal of Mass Emergencies and Disasters* (IJMED) 36(3):264-286.
- Browne, Katherine E., O'Connell, Caela, Yoder, Laura M. <u>"Journey through the Groan Zone with Academics and Practitioners:</u> Conflict, Difference, and the Process of Bridging to Strengthen Disaster Risk and Recovery Work." *International Journal of Disaster Risk Science* (IJDRS). Published September 2018, 9(3): 421-428. IF= 2.25. 1.8k downloads.
- 2017 Browne, Katherine E. <u>"Who Lives Here: How Understanding Culture Reduces Suffering, Speeds Recovery, and Supports Resilience."</u> Natural Hazards Center essay for *Research Counts* series. Published online October 23, 2017 and as printed paperback book, July 2018.
- Culture and Disaster Action Network: Marino, E., A. Koons, L. Olson, K.E. Browne, AJ Faas, J. Maldonado (July 10, 2017). <u>"A Helping Hand."</u> *The Mark News* (syndicated publisher among English-language news publishers around the world).
- 2017 Culture and Disaster Action Network: Marino, E., A. Koons, L. Olson, K.E. Browne, AJ Faas, J. Maldonado (July 17, 2017). "Local Resilience." The Mark News (syndicated publisher among English-language news publishers around the world).
- Browne, Katherine E. <u>"Roux and Resilience: Eleven Years after Hurricane Katrina."</u> *SAPIENS (*highimpact public anthropology magazine). August 2016.
- Browne, Katherine E. and Lori Peek. <u>"Beyond the IRB: An Ethical Toolkit for Long-term Disaster Research"</u> International Journal of Mass Emergencies and Disasters (IJMED). (18,000 words). 32(1): 82-120.
- Browne, Katherine E. <u>"Standing in the Need: Communication Failures that Increased Suffering After Katrina."</u> Anthropology Now (public anthropology journal of the American Anthropological Association). 5(1): 54-66.
- Browne, Katherine E., <u>"Economics and Morality: Introduction."</u> In *Economics and Morality:*Anthropological Approaches. Pp 1-40. Edited by Katherine E. Browne and Lynne Milgram. Lanham,
  MD: AltaMira Press.

# HONORS, AWARDS, AND RESEARCH GRANTS: SELECTED

- 2019 University Distinguished Professor, Colorado State University. Lifetime designation and title awarded by Colorado State University in May 2019 as one of 14 UDP professors from 1,200+ tenure-track faculty. Fourth ever to receive this title from the College of Liberal Arts.
- Franz Boas Award for Exemplary Service to Anthropology. This award is presented annually by the American Anthropological Association "to its members whose careers demonstrate extraordinary achievements that have well served the anthropological profession." Award Presentation at 2018 AAA Meeting in San Jose, November 16, 2018.
- 2000-19 **National Science Foundation,** Principal Investigator for 10 Research Awards totaling more than \$500,000.
- Ann Gill Excellence in Teaching Award. Endowed award (\$10,000). This award recognizes faculty members who are instrumental in students becoming life-long learners, critical and creative thinkers, outstanding communicators and performers, and engaged and caring citizens of their various communities.

- 2016 **Distinguished Lecture, National Science Foundation.** Invited presentation for Social, Behavioral, and Economics (SBE) Distinguished Lecture Series. Audience of NSF Program Officers, Staff and Public. Presentation titled "The Hidden Heart of Recovery: Lessons from Long-term Anthropological Research." Presented 14 January 2016. NSF Headquarters, Washington DC.
- 2015 **Katrina research featured on NSF "Discoveries" page:** <u>Documenting the Invisible Damage of Katrina:</u> Anthropologist's Account of a Family's Eight-Year Recovery After Hurricane Katrina Yields Lessons for Future Disasters.
- 2015-17 **Editor,** *Economic Anthropology.* This journal is a publication of Wiley-Blackwell in association with the American Anthropological Association (AAA). It is the peer-reviewed journal of the Society for Economic Anthropology. Top rate of growth for all 33 journals of AAA in each year since its founding.
- 2013 Katrina work featured in NSF Report to Congress, feature about Browne's research (page 3)
- NSF Disaster Research Workshop. Invited and funded participant to review how NSF awards research in this multidisciplinary area of study. June 12-13, 2012. Washington DC.
- 2011 **Best Teacher Award**. Student nominations for Best Teacher at Colorado State University. Organized by CSU Alumni Association and the Student Alumni Connection. One of 5 selected from 300+ nominations.
- 2011-13 **President, Society for Economic Anthropology (SEA).** Inducted at SEA Annual Conference, University of Notre Dame. March 2011. Two-year term, until April 2013. Initiated and oversaw major organizational changes including shift to AAA section and co-founding of new Wiley journal, *Economic Anthropology,* as part of AAA coalition of journals indexed in AnthroSource database and included in all library subscriptions to AAA.

### **INVITED PROFESSIONAL PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS: SELECTED**

- 2019 Invited speaker. FEMA Region VIII Annual Conference. 2019. Session: "From Awareness to Action: Influencing Public Awareness into a Culture of Preparedness (1.30 hrs). Browne. FEMA Region VIII's National Preparedness Division. December 10-12, 2019. Denver Colorado.
- Invited speaker. Colorado Division of Homeland Security and Emergency
  Management (DHSEM), 2019. "Getting it Right: Emergency Management Access and
  Functional Needs Conference" Luncheon presentation, Nov 5 (Colorado Springs) and
  Nov 7 (Montrose). 2019. Browne. YouTube video, pre-recorded presentation.
  https://youtu.be/iRGoghKFVxE
- 2019 Invited Lead Presenter, US Army Corps of Engineers, National Silver Jackets Program. Webinar of FEMA Report (Browne and Olson, lead authors).
- 2019 Invited Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology (SfAA). "The Emerald City's Hidden Facets: Exploring the Polyvocality of Disaster in Post-Harvey Houston" Session organized by Roberto Barrios. 18-24 March, Portland, OR.
- 2018 Invited Presentation, 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Homeland Defense & Security Education Summit. "The relevance of culture in building preparedness" and "The role of Culture Brokers in operationalizing

- our guiding principles" for session, "Building Cultures of Preparedness." Presented by Zoom link video. October 11-13, 2018.
- 2018 Invited Presentation and Funded Attendance, Annual Natural Hazards Researcher Meeting. Title of talk: "Decision-making methods as a window into risk perception and interdependencies." Boulder, CO. 11-12 July, 2018.
- Invited Plenary Speaker, Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology (SfAA). Title of talk: "Knowledge into Action and Action into Knowledge." Philadelphia, PA. April 4-8, 2018.
- 2017 Invited Presentation, Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association (AAA).

  Roundtable session entitled: "Climate Denialism, Global Warming and Environmental Catastrophe in the Trumpocene Era." December 2, Washington DC.
- Invited Presentation, Natural Hazards Workshop Annual Meeting. "Who Lives Here? A hands-on session to locate and leverage culture to support community resilience." Special one-hour presentation with CADAN team led by K. Browne, with A. Dietrich, J. Maldonado, K. Maxwell, and C. O'Connell. July 12, 2017.
- Presentation at the Society for Applied Anthropology Annual Meeting (SfAA). "Journey through the Groan Zone: Bridging Practitioner-Academic Divides in Disaster Recovery Work. Co-authors Caela O'Connell (UTenn), Robert Macleod (USAID), Laura Yoder (Wheaton C). Santa Fe. 1 April, 2017.
- 2016 **Princeton University, Invited talks.** "The Demands of the Ethnographic Method in Post-Disaster Settings" and "Ethnographic Writing: Challenges and Opportunities." Sponsored by Department of Sociology. November 2016.
- 2016 Invited Lectures. University of North Carolina (UNC) Greensboro. "The Surge of Racism After Katrina" and "The Cultural Roots of Resilience." Sponsored by Department of Anthropology and Department of Sociology. September 2016.
- 2016 **Invited Plenary Speaker, Natural Hazards Workshop.** "The Relevance of Culture in Disaster Recovery." Invited attendance of 500 global attendees of scientists, practitioners, and policy makers. 13 July, 2016. Boulder, Colorado.
- 2016 Invited Discussant at biannual European Association of Social Anthropologists (EASA). Session titled "Disaster Capitalism as Creative Destruction." 20-24 July, 2016. Milan, Italy.
- Invited panelist at American Anthropological Association (AAA) Annual Meeting. Panelist "The Moynihan Report Fifty Years Later: Why The 'Strange' Seems So 'Familiar.'" 19 November 2015. Denver, CO.
- 2015 **Invited talk at Natural Hazards Workshop.** Evening talk, 7-8:30pm. Invited as special event speaker to address global attendees of scientists, practitioners, and policy makers about my Katrina research. Presentation titled "The Hidden Heart of Recovery." 20 July, 2015. Boulder, CO.
- 2015 Invited Golden Jubilee Pig Roast Lecture at Southern Methodist University (SMU) celebrating 50-year anniversary of the Department of Anthropology. "Standing in the Need: Culture, Comfort, and Coming Home After Katrina." 25 April, 2015. Dallas TX.
- Invited presentation at Southern Sociological Society (SSS), "Standing in the Need: When A Black, Bayou Family Met the Machine of Recovery," a paper presented in a two-part session of Katrina Bookshelf authors. 26 March, 2015. New Orleans, LA.

- 2013 Invited presentation at American Anthropological Association (AAA) Annual Meeting. "The Stakes and Urgency of Going Public"." Session entitled "Public Anthropology and Anthropology Now" Sponsored by General Anthropology Division (GAD), the largest section of the AAA.
- 2012 Invited presentation at Society for Applied Anthropology (SfAA) Annual Meeting. "Wounded Culture/Rescue Culture: Strategies for Recognition and Recovery after Katrina." Denver. March 21, 2012.
- Invited Executive Session at American Anthropological Association (AAA) Annual Meeting. "Hurricane Sandy in Comparative Perspective." San Francisco. November 18, 2012.
- Vanderbilt University, Invited talk. "Opportunity in Times of Disaster: The Terms and Impact of Creativity After Katrina." The Curb Center for Art, Enterprise and Public Policy. April 12, 2012.

#### **RECENT MEDIA COVERAGE: SELECTED**

#### **Professional media**

- 2019 Emergency Management Magazine. "Report: We've Failed Miserably at Preparedness." Story based on Editor's interviews with Browne and Olson, lead authors of FEMA Report. Trade publication with 30,000 Emergency Managers readership. Published March 1, 2019
- 2019 *Homeland Security Today.* "Perspective: Successful National Preparedness Requires a Radical New Approach." March 9, 2019. Authored by Laura Olson and Katherine Browne.
- 2015 **National Science Foundation "Discoveries" page feature.** August 28, 2015. <u>"Documenting the invisible damage of Katrina."</u>
- National Science Foundation homepage. "Still Waiting: Life After Katrina" Short article about documentary film featured on October-December 2007.

### Radio

- 2016 **17 radio interviews with Browne, broadcast on stations with regional or national audiences and some nationally syndicated programs.** Broadcast of live or taped interviews ranged from 10 minutes to one hour. Media included regional NPR and PBS stations, CBS and NBC affiliates, SiriusXM Satellite Radio channels. See complete CV for individual program details.
- Public Radio International/National Public Radio. *The Bob Edwards Show*: Interviews broadcast on PRI on Sirius XM (and NPR weekend): 2 September 2015, re-broadcast of 23-minute 2010 interview; 4 September 2015, new 14-minute interview.
- 2010 **Broadcast of interview with Bob Edwards on** *The Bob Edwards Show.* Broadcast on NPR and PRI stations around the country, Sept 11 and 12, 2010 and on PRI on XM Satellite, Wednesday Sept 8, 2010.

### Online/print stories

- 2015 **Politico Magazine.** "The Dark Side of Katrina Recovery." By Katy Reckdahl. <a href="http://www.politico.com/magazine/story/2015/08/katrina-inequality-race-new-orleans-213087?o=1">http://www.politico.com/magazine/story/2015/08/katrina-inequality-race-new-orleans-213087?o=1</a>
- New Orleans Advocate. Feature story. "Writer follows post-Katrina journey of St. Bernard Parish family." By Susan Larson. 10 August

2015. http://www.theneworleansadvocate.com/news/12930407-148/writer-follows-post-katrina-journey-of

## **Op-Ed pieces/Blogs**

- "Cultural Communication" posted by Browne on 24 August 2015\_as part of University of Texas
  Press blogspot, "Nine Scholars on the Lessons of Katrina."

  http://utpressnews.blogspot.com/2015/08/nine-scholars-on-katrinas-hard-lessons.html
- Soapbox: 'Culture brokers' have role to play in flood disaster recovery." Opinion piece by Browne published by *The Coloradoan*, Fort Collins CO. October 5, 2013.
- 2007 "Imperative to stay connected to Katrina victims." Op-ed by Browne published in **Denver Post.com., Austin American Statesman, WashingtonPost.com** and regional Colorado media. 2007.

## Colorado State University publications featuring Browne: Selected

- 2019 **'Should I Stay or Should I Go?' How People Make Decisions about Disasters.** CSU College of Liberal Arts Magazine: Lenses of the Liberal Arts Special issue: Water. Winter issue, 2019. <a href="https://magazine.libarts.colostate.edu/article/should-i-stay-or-should-i-go-how-people-make-decisions-about-disasters/">https://magazine.libarts.colostate.edu/article/should-i-stay-or-should-i-go-how-people-make-decisions-about-disasters/</a>
- 2018 **CSU professor wins 'Nobel Prize for anthropologists"** CSU Source story. November 12, 2018. https://source.colostate.edu/csu-professor-wins-nobel-prize-for-anthropologists/
- 2018 **New 'Public Anthropology' course takes academic work to the streets.** CSU Source story. May 7, 2018. <a href="https://libarts.source.colostate.edu/new-public-anthropology-course-takes-academic-work-to-the-streets/">https://libarts.source.colostate.edu/new-public-anthropology-course-takes-academic-work-to-the-streets/</a>
- 2016 **Browne delivers National Science Foundation lecture Jan.14.** CSU Source story. January 12, 2016. https://source.colostate.edu/csus-browne-delivers-national-science-foundation-lecture-jan-14/
- 2015 **CSU** author chronicles vexing recovery of family after Katrina. CSU Source story. June 21, 2015. https://source.colostate.edu/csu-author-chronicles-vexing-recovery-of-family-after-katrina/

#### SELECTED RECENT PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP

- 2017-20 Co-Director of CADAN, the Culture and Disaster Action Network
- 2016fie Co-Founder, Culture and Disaster Action Network (CADAN), inspired by the success of our NSF-funded workshop in October at CSU, in early 2017, we created a name for our network of academics and practitioners and formalized a mission recognizing how cultural needs and practices needed to move into disaster policy and practice. Included management and organizational work.
- 2016 **Co-Organizer, 3-day NSF-funded workshop at Colorado State University.** Browne and O'Connell conceived and organized "The Relevance of Culture in Disaster Recovery," with 12 participants (anthropologists and practitioners) to identify barriers and opportunities related to the inclusion of cultural factors in the management of disaster recovery. Workshop grant provided funding for two professional facilitators—a traditional facilitator and a graphics recorder. October 2016.
- 2015- 17 **Editor**, *Economic Anthropology*, a Wiley-Blackwell journal that is part of the coalition of AAA section journals indexed in AnthroSource.

2011-13 **President, Society for Economic Anthropology.** Undertook radical new structure for the SEA during my tenure that involved the proposal and negotiations necessary with SEA and AAA membership to complete a merger with the American Anthropological Association. Began in early 2012, project achieved legal standing in March 2013. Negotiations included conversion of annual monograph into a new online, searchable journal, *Economic Anthropology*, to be part of the AAA's portfolio of peerreviewed journals for the discipline.