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## **EDUCATION**

- 2002            Ph.D. Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Chicago.  
                  Chair: Professor James R. Lawler
- 1997            D.E.A. Mention: Bien. Littérature comparée, Université de Paris IV, Sorbonne.  
                  Chair: Professor Pierre Brunel
- 1994            M.A. Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Chicago
- 1992            B.A., *Cum Laude*, Music and Literature, University of California at Berkeley

## **RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS**

Interdisciplinary Approaches to Literature, Art, Theory, Ethics, and Social Studies  
Women's and Cross-Cultural Studies, Feminism, Post-Colonialism, Eco-poetics  
20<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> Century French and Francophone Literature and Culture

## **ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE**

- 2018-Present    Professor of French, Department of Languages, Clemson University
- 2010-2018       Associate Professor of French, Department of Languages, Clemson University  
                  (French Section Head, 2014-2018) (LAIB Program Director, 2014-2018)
- 2008-2010       Assistant Professor of French, Department of Languages, Clemson University
- 2007-2008       Assistant Professor of French, St. John's University, New York
- 2003-2007       Assistant Professor of French/International Studies, Adelphi University, New York
- 2002-2003       Lecturer, Foreign Languages and Literatures, Loyola University at Chicago
- 1994-2002       Lecturer, Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Chicago

## **LANGUAGES**

French	Reading, Writing, Speaking	Native
English	Reading, Writing, Speaking	Fluent
Spanish	Reading, Writing, Speaking	Advanced level

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Books:**

1. *Penser la ruralité en Aquitaine : Saubusse (1930-2020). Héritage, Territoire, Transmission.* Forthcoming, 2024.
2. *France in the Age of Covid 19, French Politics, Culture & Society*, Vol. 40. New York: Berghahn Books, 2022. (Sponsored by the Institute of French Studies at New York University and the Gunzburg Center for European Studies at Harvard University). (<https://www.berghahnjournals.com/view/journals/fpcs/40/2/fpcs.40.issue-2.xml>).

This special issue predominantly discusses the nonmedical aspects of Covid-19's impacts on France today including politics, intersectional feminism, online activism, the public humanities, artistic performance, and flânerie. It seeks to make sense of a crisis that is still unfolding via its effects on people's beliefs, thoughts, and behaviors. It demonstrates how Covid-19 breaks through diverse ethnic, cultural, socio-economic, and ideological realms, and encompasses the undefined, infinite, and invisible "other" engaged in the same traumatic experience. It transgresses limits and norms so that we may elevate ourselves to a higher degree of awareness and responsibility.

3. *Simone de Beauvoir: le combat au féminin.* Collection Que Sais-Je ? Paris: Presses Universitaires de France/Humensis, 1<sup>st</sup> Edition, 2019, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, 2022.

**Reviews/Notices:** Pascale Fautrier: "Simone de Beauvoir, philosophe du XXI<sup>ème</sup> siècle." *L'Humanité*, Paris, France, March 2019. Géraldine Mosna-Savoie, "Journal de la Philo" *France Culture Radio*, March 21, 2019 (<https://www.franceculture.fr/oeuvre/simone-de-beauvoir-0>). Nathalie Collard: "Faut-il juger Simone de Beauvoir?" *La Presse*, Montréal, Canada, May 2019 (<https://www.lapresse.ca/societe/201905/20/01-5226811-faut-il-juger-simone-de-beauvoir.php>). Nicole Meyer. *Women in French Studies*, Vol. 27, 2019, p. 227-229. Ursula Tidd. *French Studies*, Vol. 74, Issue 1, January 2020, p. 141-142. Araceli Hernández-Laroche. *The French Review*, Vol. 93, no 4, May 2020, p. 214-215. Teresa Ashlin Nunn. *Studies in 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> Century Literature*, Vol. 44, Issue 1, June 2020. Eric Levéel. *French Studies in South Africa*, Vol. 50, June 2020, p. 250-255. Béatrice Lefebvre-Côté. *Dalhousie French Studies: Revues d'études littéraires du Canada*, Numéro 119, 2021, p. 165-166.

4. *The Case for the Humanities: Pedagogy, Polity, Interdisciplinarity.* Lanham, MD: Rowman & Littlefield, 2016.

**Reviews/Notices:** Michael A. Morris, Choice Review, *American Library Association*, Vol. 55 No. 2, October 2017. Hélène Poiré, *Revue Canada-Mediterranean-Centre Review*, Vol. 4, No 2, 2017. Nicole Meyer. *Women in French Studies*, Vol. 25, 2017, p. 191-192. Nina C. Ayoub, *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, Vol. 64, Issue 28, March 2018. Eileen M. Angellini, *Dalhousie French Studies*, No. 111, Winter 2018, p. 129-130. Anca Koczkas, *Interdisciplinary Humanities, Humanities Education and Research Association*, Vol. 35, 2018. Jean Christophe Ippolito, *Studi di Letteratura Francese*, Vol. 43, 2018. Rosetta Marantz Cohen, *Review of Higher Education*,

Vol. 42, 2019. Additional reviews from CHOICE, Frederick Luis Aldama, Arts & Humanities Distinguished Professor Ohio State University, and author of "Why the Humanities Matter", Peter Pericles Trifonas, professor, University of Toronto, and Thomas E. Peterson, Professor at the University of Georgia, and author of "The Revolt of the Scribe in Modern Italian Literature".

5. *Francophone Women Writers: Feminisms, Postcolonialisms, Cross-Cultures*. Preface by Maryse Condé. Lanham: Lexington Books Publishing, 2011. Paperback reissue 2013.

**Reviews/Notices:** Nancy Arenberg, *Dalhousie French Studies*, 95, 2011, p. 122-123. Sylvie Vanbaelen, Choice Review, *American Library Association*, March 2012. Megan C. MacDonald, *Bulletin for Francophone Postcolonial Studies*, Autumn 2012, p. 25-27. Helen Vassallo, *French Studies: A Quarterly Review*, Vol. 66, Issue 4, October 2012, p. 591-592. Ayo A. Coli, *Research in African Literatures*, vol. 45, no 1, Spring 2014, p. 172-173. Virginie Sauzon, *Revista Francofonia. Studi e Ricerche Sulle Letterature di Lingua Francese*, Vol. 66, Primavera 2014, p. 229-230. Nancy E. Wardle, *Studies in Twentieth and Twenty-First Century Literature*, Vol. 39, 1, 2015. Mary Vogl. *French Forum*, Vol. 40, Number 1, Winter 2015, p. 162-165. Arline Cravens, *Papers on Language and Literature*, Vol. 51, No. 1, Winter 2015. Nicole Meyer, *Nouvelles Études Francophones*, Vol. 31, No. 1, Printemps 2016, p. 155-157.

6. *French-American Relations: Remembering D-Day after September 11*. Translations by Nora Wizenberg. Lanham: University Press of America, 2008.

**Reviews/Notices:** James P. Gilroy, *French Review*, Vol. 82, No. 6, May 2009, p. 1340-1341. Talbot Imlay, *French History*, Vol. 23, January 2009, p. 139-140. Vera Mark, *H-France Review*, Vol. 9, December 2009, p. 612-615.

7. *Musique et Poétique à l'Âge du symbolisme: Baudelaire, Mallarmé, Claudel, Valéry*. Paris: Editions L'Harmattan, 2005.

**Reviews/Notices:** Hampton Morris, *French Review*, Vol. 80, No. 6, May 2007, p. 1380. Nelson Charest : "Wagner hors de soi" *Analyses. Revue de Critique et de Théorie Littéraire*, Winter 2007, p. 20-23.

#### **Articles:**

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"Plus jamais la guerre !" Claudel diplomate: 1927-1947. Prolongements dans les *Suppléments aux Œuvres complètes*." *Bulletin de la Société Paul Claudel*, Vol. 242. Paris: Classiques Garnier, 2024, p. 15-25.

"Beauvoir and World Politics Today: Collapses, Ambiguities, and Democracy's Future." *Simone de Beauvoir: Decay and Renewal*, edited by E. Nicole Meyer and Arline Cravens, forthcoming.

- “Liberal Arts Approaches to Teaching Women Entrepreneurship in Senegal: Narratives, Ethics, Empathy.” *The Entrepreneurial Humanities: The Crucial Role of the Humanities in Enterprise and the Economy*, edited by Alain-Philippe Durand and Christine Henseler. New York: Routledge, 2023, p. 113-123.
- “‘La France ne se sent pas bien’: fractures, populisme, démocratie et l’élection présidentielle de 2022.” *The French Review*, Vol. 96. no 4, May 2023, p. 81-94.
- “Political Ramifications of Covid-19: Inequalities, Divide, Populism.” *French Politics, Culture & Society*, Vol. 40, Issue 2, Summer 2022, p. 1-28.
- “Ionesco and Camus in the Age of Covid 19: Power, Chaos, Responsibility.” Special Issue: The New Normal. *Contemporary French & Francophone Studies: Sites*, Vol. 26, Issue 3, 2022, p. 277-286.
- “‘Habiter poétiquement le monde’: Claudel et Marion.” Les philosophes inspirés par Claudel. *Bulletin de la Société Paul Claudel*, Vol. 236. Paris: Classiques Garnier, 2022, p. 15-25.
- “Voix politiques, transcendantes, et transgressives dans l’œuvre de Véronique Tadjo et Isabelle Eberhardt.” *Africana: Figures de femmes et formes de pouvoirs*. Paris: Classiques Garnier, 2022, p. 417-428.
- “‘Souvenir d’horizons, qu’est-ce, ô toi, que la Terre?’: Écopoétique chez Bonnefoy et Mallarmé: lieu, sens, présence.” Parler la Terre/Speaking the Earth. *Contemporary French & Francophone Studies: Sites*, Vol. 25, Issue 4, 2021, p. 398-405.
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- “Gilets Jaunes, Macron’s Presidency, and France’s contradictions”, *Contemporary French Civilization*, Vol 45.3-4, 2020, p. 393-402.
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- “Entretien avec Hédi Bouraoui: altérité, nomanitude, interstice.” *The French Review*, Vol. 93.1, October 2019, p. 173-186.
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- “Violence, Mort, et Terreur: Camus, Meursault, Girard, et les limites de la critique littéraire.” *Transitions: Journal of Franco-Iberian Studies*, Vol. 10, Spring 2015, p. 64-81.
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- “Le souffle, le chant et le sacré dans *La croyance même* et *Prières quotidiennes* de Luce Irigaray: une poétique du sujet féminin?” *L’Esprit Créateur*, Vol. 52, No. 3, Fall 2012, p. 74-87.
- “Hédi Bouraoui et les limites de la théorie postcoloniale: Approche transpoétique et nomadique.” *Présence francophone: Revue Internationale de Langue et de Littérature*, No. 77, Fall 2011, p. 107-122.
- “Migration et violence dans l’oeuvre de Ying Chen et Marie-Célie Agnant.” *Frictions et devenir dans les écritures migrantes au féminin*. Névine El Nossery and Anna Rocca (Ed.) Sarrebruck: Editions Universitaires Européennes, 2011, p. 131-148.
- “Le poète et le diplomate: Claudel ou le virtuose de la longitude.” *Paul Claudel Papers*, Vol. VIII, May 2011, p. 21-37.
- “Réflexions sur le monde actuel: Claudel, l’histoire et la diplomatie.” *Paul Claudel Papers*, Vol. VII, May 2009, p. 63-73.
- “Claudel et Mallarmé: Approches critiques et poétiques.” *Paul Claudel 2005: Perspectives critiques*. Toronto: Edition Legas, 2008, pp. 61-67.
- “Poetics and Poetry: Baudelaire, Nietzsche, Poe and Mallarmé’s ‘eternal logic’.” *Nineteenth Century French Studies*, Vol. 35.2, Winter 2007, pp. 393-407.
- “Littérature et Trans-culture: Paul Claudel, Darius Milhaud et l’art de la polyphonie.” *Paul Claudel Papers*, Vol. V, Fall 2007, pp. 73-78.
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### **INVITED LECTURES & ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS**

“Revisiting Hélé Béji’s Layers of Complexities: Postcolonialism, Interreligious Relations, Democracy, and the North-South Dialogue.” Revisiting the Past: Women of the French-Speaking World. *2024 Rocky Mountain Modern Language Association Conference*, Las Vegas, October 10-12, 2024.

“Baudelaire’s Expression of Life: Poetics and Politics of Production in Modernity.” *Semicentennial Colloquium of Nineteenth-Century French Studies*, “Producing and Receiving the Nineteenth Century,” Duke University, September 19-21, 2024.

“The Limits of AI: Ethical Issues and Humanities’ Perspectives.” *Envisioning the Future: Engaged Scholarship, Education, and Practice in the Digital Age*. Watt Family Innovation Center, Clemson University, May 8, 2024.

“Precarious Lives on the Margins: Women Farmers, Vulnerabilities and Systemic Inequalities in Rural France.” *11th International Women in French Conference*, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, March 28-30, 2024.

“Emplaced Humanities, Beauvoir’s ‘Situatedness’, and Bourdieu’s ‘Habitus’”. Defining Emplaced Humanities Methods: Clinic of the Soul I-II. *Modern Language Association of America Conference*, Philadelphia, January 5 and 7, 2024.

“The Value of Public Humanities: Theories and Methodologies.” *Publications of the Modern Language Association Workshop*. Dartmouth College, Hanover, November 14, 2023.

“Ethics of the Other in Derrida and Levinas: Theory and Practice.” (paper accepted) “Levinas Today.” Vilnius University, Vilnius, Lithuania, November 7-8, 2023.

“Gilets jaunes, justice sociale, et démocratie en France aujourd'hui: voix littéraires,



- philosophiques, socio-économiques et politiques.” *2023 American Association of Teachers of France Conference*, Trois-Rivières Canada, July 23-25, 2023.
- “Immigration, Literature, and the Public Humanities in the Francophone World”, *Migrants, Labor, and Activism: Pasts, Presents, and Futures*, Southeastern Immigration Studies Association (SEISA), USC Upstate Greenville Campus, April 14, 2023.
- “Women’s Leadership and Entrepreneurship in Senegal: Narratives, Ethics, Empathy.” *Oxford Women’s Leadership Symposium*, Somerville College, University of Oxford, United Kingdom, March 15-16, 2023.
- Invited speaker: “Co-Creating DEI Retention Strategies.” ADFL Sponsored Roundtable Session on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion. *Modern Language Association of America Conference*, San Francisco, CA, January 2023.
- “‘Je comprends l’harmonie du monde’: symbole, parabole et métaphysique de la musique dans l’œuvre de Claudel.” “Claudel and the Humanities/Claudel et les humanités.” *Modern Language Association of America Conference*, San Francisco, CA, January 2023.
- “Margins, Voices, Pathways in Evelyne Bornier’s *Le Lit de l’exilée/The Bed of the Exile* (2017).” RMMLA 2022, Seventy-Fifth Annual Convention. *Women in French Panel V: La francophonie existait-elle avant notre ère ?* Albuquerque, NM, October 14, 2022.
- Invited speaker: “Emmanuel Levinas: Ethics of Democracy.” *8<sup>th</sup> Levinas Philosophy Summer Seminar. NEH Summer Seminar*, University of Buffalo, Buffalo, August 1-5, 2022.
- “Con/di/vergences: Laïcité française, Féminisme/s, Intersectionnalités.” *Zones de contact, zones de conflit. Convergences et divergences francophones. 36<sup>ème</sup> Congrès Mondial du Conseil International d’Études Francophones*. Trente, Italy, June 24, 2022.
- “French *laïcité*: Feminisms, Cross-Cultures, and the Common Good.” *7<sup>th</sup> Annual Research Symposium*, Watt Family Innovation Center, Clemson University, May 10, 2022.
- “The virtues of Close Reading: Ethical, Social, and Theoretical Approaches to Mallarmé’s ‘Salut’.” “A Method Armistice, and the Problem of Method”, *Modern Language Association of America Conference*, Washington DC, January 8, 2022.
- “Teaching French-Speaking Africa through women entrepreneurs, ethics, and alternative economic rationales. The cases of ‘Femme auto’ and ‘Taxi Sister’ and ‘Sooretul’.” *2021 Southeast Coastal Conference on Languages and Literatures*, September 24, 2021.
- “Approaches to Teaching French-Speaking Cultures through Business, Economics, and Politics.” *What’s New in French for Specific Purposes? 94<sup>th</sup> Annual AATF Convention*, New Orleans, LA, July 15, 2021.
- “Political Ramifications of Covid 19 in France: Sovereignty, Sustainability, and the future of

- Democracy.” *Twentieth and Twenty-First Century French and Francophone Studies International Colloquium*, Georgetown University, Washington DC. March 10, 2021.
- “‘Habiter poétiquement le monde’: présence et représentation chez Claudel et Jean-Luc Marion.” *Modern Language Association of America Conference*, Seattle, January 8, 2021.
- “Pouvoir de participer: Écrire et Récrire l’histoire (traces de mémoire).” *Colloque International et Interdisciplinaire*. Lausanne : Université de Lausanne, October 8, 2020.
- “Voix politiques, transcendantes, et transgressives dans l’œuvre de Véronique Tadjo et d’Isabelle Eberhardt.” *Africana. Figures de femmes et formes de pouvoir*. Invited Lecture to the Université de Lausanne, May 4, 2020.
- “‘Souvenirs d’horizons, qu’est-ce, ô toi, que la Terre?’: Sens et présence dans l’oeuvre poétique de Mallarmé et Bonnefoy.” *Parler la terre. 20<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> Century French and Francophone Studies International Colloquium*. Lincoln: University of Nebraska. March 28, 2020.  
Site: <https://modlang.unl.edu/20th-21st-century-french-francophone-studies-colloquium>
- “‘Ne me quitte pas’: Literature, Professional Opportunities, and the betterment of Society.” Let’s Say Quit to Quit Lit. *Modern Language Association of America Conference*, Seattle, January 10, 2020.
- “French-Chinese Poetics: Cross-Cultural and Symbolic Landscapes in Claudel’s *Connaissance de l’Est*.” *Comparative Poetics. Modern Language Association of America Conference*, Seattle, January 10, 2020.
- “Gilets Jaunes, Macron’s Presidency, and France’s contradictions” *2019 Contemporary French Civilization/s Conference*, Frenchness, Globalization, and Regionalism, University of Arizona, Tucson, August 29, 2019.
- “Professional Career Paths in French and International Business.” *91st Annual AATF Conference*. Session officielle de la Commission sur la Défense du Français. *Le Français à Philadelphie: Interculturalité dans la ville de l’amour fraternal*. Philadelphia, July 16, 2019.
- “Study Abroad Programs and Perspectives on French-American Relations.” Guest Lecture, Rorary Club of Clemson, March 18, 2019.
- “Teaching Hélé Béji, Post-Colonialism, and the Arab Spring: Perspectives from Baudrillard, McClintock, Giroux.” *Teaching Women in French Roundtable at the 2018 Rocky Mountain MLA Conference*. Cheyenne, Wyoming, October 4, 2018.
- “Bonnefoy, Badiou, et l’avenir de la poésie: divergences et rapprochements.” *French Literature Since 1800. 72<sup>nd</sup> Annual Convention of the 2018 Rocky Mountain Modern Language Association Conference*. Cheyenne, Wyoming, October 4, 2018.

- “Caudel dans/pour l’avenir: diplomatie, économie, éco-critique.” *Colloque Paul Claudel Résolument Contemporain*. Université de Paris IV Sorbonne, September 19-21, 2018.
- “Political, Transcending, and Transgressive Voices/Sounds in Véronique Tadjo’s *The Shadow of Imana* and Isabelle Eberhardt’s *In the Shadow of Islam*: Rancière, Spivak, Lévinas.” *2018 Women in French Conference*. Tallahassee, Florida, February 8-10, 2018.
- “Mallarmé et Claudel: ‘Qu’est-ce que cela veut dire?’ Théorie, poétique, et les fins du monde.” Claudel at 150/Claudel à 150 ans. *Modern Language Association of America Conference*, New York, January 5, 2018.
- “Humanizing Economics: Pedagogical Approaches to Transforming the *Homo Economicus*.” “Dichotomies/Schisms/Divisions” *32nd Annual Interdisciplinary Conference in the Humanities*, University of West Georgia, Carrollton, GA, October 26- 28, 2017.
- “Make Civil Rights and the Humanities Happen at Your Library.” Invited Lecture at the *2017 South Carolina Library Association Conference*. Columbia, SC, October 12, 2017.
- “Sens, Interprétations, et significances musicales chez Valéry, Barthes, et Bonnefoy.” “Le Sens et les sens/Sense and the Senses”, *2017 International Colloquium on Twentieth and Twenty-First Century French and Francophone Studies*. University of Indiana, Bloomington, Indiana, April 6-8, 2017.
- “Remembering the Great War: Apollinaire, Proust, Claudel, Valéry.” *France and the Memory of the Great War: An Interdisciplinary Conference*. University of South Alabama, Mobile, Alabama, March 2-3, 2017.
- “Claudel diplomate, poète, et exégète.” “(Re)-presenting Claudel Today”, Program arranged by the Paul Claudel Society. *Modern Language Association of America Conference*, Philadelphia, January 6, 2017.
- “Fluid Selves in Isabelle Eberhardt’s ‘In the Shadow of Islam’: Gender, Cross-Cultural, and Nomadic Identities.” *Women in French Conference*, Gettysburg College, June 2016.
- “L’arbre à palabres: effacement identitaire, altérité, et traversée chez Gauthier et Bonnefoy.” *30ème Congrès Mondial du Conseil International d’Études Francophones*, Saly Portudal, Sénégal, May 2016.
- “‘Un instant de l’autre sans fin’: seuils et passages dans ‘Les Arbres’ d’Yves Bonnefoy.” *Colloque International des Études Françaises et Francophones des XXème et XXIème siècles*. Saint Louis, March 2016.
- “The Future of the Humanities: Theory, Praxis, Interdisciplinarity”. Invited Lecture at the *Romance Languages and Literatures Department’s Spring Colloquium Series*. Athens: University of Georgia, February 2016.

- “A Role for the Humanities in Economic Courses and Discourses.” *Why the Humanities: Answers from the Cognitive and Neurosciences*. Kent State University, July 2015.
- “L’écriture et la quête de ‘l’autre’ monde: Véronique Tadjo et Emmanuel Lévinas.” 28<sup>ème</sup> *Congrès du Conseil International d’Études Francophones*, San Francisco, July 2014.
- “Gender and Epistemic Violence: Véronique Tadjo and the Rwanda Genocide” *Genders and Sexualities Across Cultures. The 10<sup>th</sup> Biennial Associated Colleges of the South Women’s and Gender Studies Conference*, April 2014.
- “Leçons économiques et bibliques: Claudel, *L’Échange* et l’Apocalypse.” Claudel et les Amériques. Théâtre et Poésie. *Modern Language Association of America Conference*, Chicago, January 2014.
- “Camus, Girard, et les limites de la critique littéraire.” *International/Multidisciplinary Conference Albert Camus: un homme de multiples présents*. Institut Américain Universitaire, Aix-en-Provence, France, November 2013.
- “Cyrano Then and Now: A Study of Metamorphoses in French Theater and Society.” Invited Lecture at the Brooks Center for the Performing Arts, Clemson, SC, February 2013.
- “Uncovering French-American Rotary Connections: Paul Harris, the Paris Universal Exhibition, Pierre de Coubertin, and the Making of the UN.” Invited Lecture at the Rotary Club of Clemson, Clemson, SC, October 2012.
- “National Disenchantment in Hédi Béji: Perspectives on Women, Nation, and Baudrillard's Simulacra” *5<sup>th</sup> Annual Association for the Study of the Middle East and Africa Conference*, Washington DC, October 2012.
- “Crossing Boundaries, Spirituality, and Nomadic Identities in Isabelle Eberhardt’s *In the Shadow of Islam*.” *Women in French Conference*, Arizona State University, February 2012.
- “Poétiques de Claudel et Valéry: Approches théoriques: Art, critique, littérature.” *Modern Language Association of America Conference*, Seattle, January 2012.
- “Getting Away with Murder: Migration et Violence dans l’oeuvre de Ying Chen et Marie-Célie Agnant.” 25<sup>ème</sup> *Congrès du Conseil International d’Études Francophones*, Aix-en-Provence, May-June 2011.
- “A Journey to Rwanda: Discourse and Transcendent Spaces in Véronique Tadjo’s *The Shadow of Imana*” *17th Annual Carolina Conference on Romance Literatures*, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, March 2011.
- “Métissage, Hétéro-glose et Nomadisme: Analyse comparée d’Assia Djebar et de Marie-Célie Agnant.” 39<sup>th</sup> *Louisville Conference on Literature and Culture since 1900*, University of Louisville, February 2011.

- “*Migrance and Violence in Ying Chen and Marie-Célie Agnant.*” (Poster session) *World Wide Women. Mondialisation, Genres, Langages. Colloque International, Centro Interdisciplinare Ricerche e Studi delle Donne*, Università di Torino, February 2011.
- “Pros and Cons on Globalization: French Political Perspectives.” *Globalization Lecture Series*, Clemson University, February 2011.
- “Perspectives on Women in Francophone Literature: Feminism, Post-colonialism, Cross-Culture.” *Clemson University Women’s Studies Faculty Research Forum*, February 2010.
- “Le poète et le diplomate: Claudel actuel ou le virtuose de la longitude.” The *Modern Language Association of America* Conference, Philadelphia, December 2009.
- “Understanding and Interacting with Global Cultures: France.” *Globalization Seminar Series*, Clemson University, Sistine Hall, November 2009.
- “French perspectives on Globalization: Economics, Politics, Culture.” *Globalization Lecture Series*, Clemson University, September 2009.
- “In the Middle Today: Simone Weil’s Rhetoric of Politics and Ethics.” *Women in French Conference*, University of North Texas, April 2008.
- “French-American Relations in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century and the Era of Globalization.” *Academic Lecture Series*, St. John’s University, April 2008.
- “Vincent de Paul: Bridging Thought, Action and Charity.” *Crossing Borders and Discovering our Vincentian Roots*. St. John’s University, January 2008.
- “Littérature et Politique: Claudel, l’Histoire et la diplomatie.” Paper read at the *Modern Language Association of America* Conference, Chicago, December 2007.
- “Reading Camus in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: A Reading and Analysis of *The Plague*.” *Colloquium on Literature and the Human Condition*. Adelphi University, April 2007.
- “Littérature et Trans-culture: Paul Claudel, Darius Milhaud et l’art de la polyphonie.” Paper read at the *Modern Language Association of America* Conference, December 2006.
- “Beyond Postcolonialism: The Trans-cultural Vision of Hédi Bouraoui.” *Boundaries and Limits of Postcolonialism: Anglophone, Francophone, Global*, held at Florida State University, October 2006.
- “Poe over there: Mallarmé’s *Eurêka*.” Paper read at the *Modern Language Association of America* Conference, December 2005.
- “France/Amérique or France/Etats-Unis: On Future Relations.” Paper read at the

*Conference on France and America*, held at Florida State University, February 2005.

“Symbolist Legacies: The French poets and Edgar Poe.” Paper read at the *Nineteenth Century French Studies Colloquium* held in Washington University in Saint Louis, Missouri, October 2004.

“The Culture of Performance in 1880-1920 Paris: Assessing Changes from the Concert Halls to the Theater.” Paper presented to the *Nineteenth Century French Studies Conference*, held at the University of Arizona in Tucson, October 2003.

“Music, Letters, and Mallarmé’s ‘Eternal logic.’” Paper presented at the *Fifth Annual Conference on Music and Literature: The Universal in Foreign Languages*, Old Dominion University, April 2003.

“Paradoxes, Counterpoint and Modulations in Diderot and Valéry.” Paper presented at the *56th Annual Kentucky Foreign Language Conference*, April 2003.

“Baudelaire and Modernity: A Critical Study of *Les Fleurs du mal*.” Paper presented at Calvert House, University of Chicago, February 2001.

“Paul Valéry’s ‘Eupalinos ou l’Architecte’: Construction and Modulation from the Work to the Self.” Paper presented at the *Fifth Annual Symposium on Literature*, University of Pennsylvania, March 1999.

“The Language of French Symbolism: The Idea of Poetry and Music.” Paper presented at the *Fourth Annual Conference on Romance Literature*, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, March 1998.

“Les poètes symbolistes français et le rêve de l’Absolu.” Paper presented at the *Nineteenth Annual Cincinnati Conference of Romance Languages and Literatures*, University of Cincinnati, May 1997.

“An Exegesis of Mallarmé’s ‘The Afternoon of a Faun.’” Paper presented at the *Eighth Annual Graduate Symposium*, University of Madison, Wisconsin, April 1995.

“Diderot et ‘Le Neveu de Rameau.’” Paper presented at the *Seventh Annual Graduate Symposium*, University of Madison, Wisconsin, April 1994.

“Littérature, musique, peinture au siècle des lumières.” Paper presented at the *Eighteenth Annual Conference in Literature and the Other Arts*, University of West Virginia, September 1993.

## **FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS & AWARDS**

NEH Summer Seminar, “Levinas: Ethics of Democracy.” University of Buffalo, 2022 (\$1,300)

Grant, Service Culturel de l’Ambassade de France aux Etats-Unis, Atlanta, 2022 (\$1,000)  
 Faculty Research Development Grant, College of AAH, Clemson University, 2021 (\$1,500)  
 2021 EUREKA! Honors summer research program, Clemson University, 2021 (\$1,000)  
 Dixon Senior Fellowship, Honors College, Clemson University, 2020 (\$1,000)  
 Summer Institute on Critical Thinking and Global Challenges, Clemson University, 2020 (\$2,000)  
 Dixon Senior Fellowship, Honors College, Clemson University, 2019 (\$1,000)  
 2019 EUREKA! Honors summer research program, Clemson University, 2019 (\$1,000)  
 Faculty Research Grant Development, Clemson University, 2018-2019 (\$1,000)  
 Award for Outstanding Performance, Clemson University, 2017-2018 (\$1,000)  
 Dean’s Award for Outstanding Achievement in Service, Clemson University, 2017 (\$1,000)  
 NEH Summer Seminar, “Tocqueville and Democracy”, University of Virginia, 2016 (\$2,100)  
 Faculty Research Fellowship, College of AAH, Clemson University, 2014-2015 (\$3,000)  
 Chevalier dans l’Ordre des Palmes Académiques, Education Ministry, Paris, France, 2014  
 Humanities Advancement Board Funding, Clemson University, 2013 (\$500)  
 John B. & Thelma A. Gentry Award for Teaching Excellence in the Humanities, 2012 (\$3,000)  
 Humanities Advancement Board Funding, L&IT, Clemson University, 2011 (\$1,750)  
 Humanities Advancement Board Funding, Clemson University, 2010 (\$500)  
 Michelin Career Center Award, L&IT Conference, Clemson University, 2010 (\$1,000)  
 John Bednar Award of Excellence in L&IT-French, Clemson University, 2010 (\$1,000 per year)  
 Department of Foreign Language Travel Grant, Clemson University, 2009 (\$1,000)  
 Faculty Grant for Creative Inquiry, Clemson University, 2009 (\$3,500)  
 Fellow at the Center for Teaching and Learning, St. John’s University, 2008 (\$2,000)  
 Research and Scholarship Reduction, St. John’s University, 2007 (\$3,000)  
 Faculty Award for Outstanding Performance, Adelphi University, 2005 (\$2,500)  
 Faculty Development Grant, Adelphi University, January 2005 (\$2,000)  
 Research and Scholarship Reduction, Adelphi University, 2004 (\$3,000)  
 Teaching and Full Tuition Scholarship, University of Chicago, 1999-2002 (\$75,000)  
 Graduate Student Fellowship, University of Chicago, 1994-1998 (\$100,000)

### **ACADEMIC SERVICES & RESPONSIBILITIES**

Member, Academic Affairs Committee (Adelphi Univ., 2003-2007)  
 Member, International Studies Committee (Adelphi Univ., 2003-2007)  
 Founder and Faculty Advisor, *Le Cercle français* (Adelphi Univ., 2003-2007)  
 Director, B.A. Thesis French & IS Undergraduate Research (Adelphi Univ., 2003-2007)  
 Member, Levermore Global Scholar Committee (Adelphi Univ., 2003-2007)  
 Member, French Faculty Search Committee (Adelphi Univ., 2005-2006)  
 Member, Arts and Science Curriculum Committee (Adelphi Univ., 2005-2007)  
 Faculty Advisor, International Studies Honors Society (Adelphi Univ., 2006-2007)  
 Member, Academic Job Search Committee: French (Adelphi Univ., 2006-2007)  
 Creator and Coordinator, St. John’s in Paris 2009 (St. John’s Univ., 2007-2008)  
 Member, Liberal Arts Faculty Council (St. John’s Univ., 2007-2008)  
 Secretary, Paul Claudel Society (St. John’s/Clemson Univ., 2007-)  
 Coordinator, Department Website (St. John’s/Clemson Univ., 2007-2008)  
 Head/Faculty Advisor, French and International Trade Program (Clemson Univ., 2008-)  
 Co-organizer, Language and International Trade Conference (Clemson Univ., 2008-2017)

L&IT Faculty Advisor, Université de Louvain Study Abroad (Clemson Univ., 2008-2013)  
 Director, B.A. Thesis French/L&IT Undergraduate Research (Clemson Univ., 2008-)  
 Founder/Director, DFP B2/Clemson-Paris Chamber of Commerce (Clemson Univ., 2008-)  
 Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of Language Teaching and Research* (Clemson, 2009-)  
 Member, E-Portfolio Task Force Committee (Clemson Univ., 2009-2012)  
 Director, Language and International Trade Conference (Clemson Univ., 2009-2011)  
 Coordinator, Session on Paul Claudel, MLA Conference (Clemson, 2010-)  
 Founder, John Bednar Award of Excellence in French & International Trade (Clemson, 2010-)  
 Member, Arts & Humanities General Education Subcommittee (Clemson Univ., 2010-2018)  
 Chair, Curriculum Committee, College of Arts and Humanities (Clemson Univ., 2010-2014)  
 Faculty Coordinator, French/LAIB Majors Internship at Michelin (Clemson Univ., 2010-2014)  
 Founder/Director, Remembering D-Day Paris-Normandy Program (Clemson Univ., 2010-)  
 Founder/Coordinator, Clemson-Bordeaux IV Exchange Program (Clemson Univ., 2010-2014)  
 Faculty Director, Language and International Trade Society (Clemson Univ., 2011-2017)  
 Director, Language and International Trade Conference (Clemson Univ., 2014-2015)  
 Faculty Advisor, Clemson University Curriculum Committee (Clemson Univ., 2011-2013)  
 Founder/Coordinator, Scholars' Forum for the Humanities (Clemson Univ., 2013-2014)  
 Member, Global Initiatives Committee, College of AAH (Clemson Univ., 2014-2015)  
 Director, Language and International Trade Program (Clemson Univ., 2014-2018)  
 Head, French Section, Department of Languages (Clemson Univ., 2014-2018)  
 Member, Academic Job Search Committee: French position (Clemson Univ., 2014-2015)  
 Member, Academic Job Search Committee: Japanese position (Clemson Univ., 2014-2015)  
 Faculty Member, Faculty Advisory Council, College of AAH (Clemson Univ., 2014-2016)  
 Member, Peer Evaluation Committee, Department of Languages (Clemson Univ., 2015-)  
 Member, Humanities Faculty Steering Committee, College of AAH (Clemson Univ., 2015-2016)  
 Co-Director, Language and International Business Conference (Clemson Univ., 2016-2017)  
 Member, Academic Job Search Committee: Italian position (Clemson Univ., 2016-2017)  
 Affiliated faculty, Women's Leadership Program (Clemson Univ., 2017-)  
 Founder/Coordinator, French Professional Society (Clemson Univ., 2017-)  
 Member, University Research Council, College of AAH (Clemson Univ., 2017-2018)  
 Member, Faculty Awards Committee, College of AAH (Clemson Univ., 2017-2020)  
 Member, University Diversity/Inclusive Excellence Taskforce (Clemson Univ., 2017-2018)  
 Member, Underg. Academic Advising Committee, College of AAH (Clemson Univ., 2017-2018)  
 Member, Evaluation Committee, Nineteenth Century French Studies (Univ. of Nebraska, 2018-)  
 Member, Sabbatical Committee, Department of Languages (Clemson Univ., 2018-2020)  
 Member, Diversity & Inclusion Committee, College of AAH (Clemson Univ., 2018-2022)  
 Member, Arts & Humanities General Education Competency Council (Clemson Univ., 2018-)  
 Liaison/Representative, French American Chamber of the Carolinas (Clemson Univ., 2019-)  
 Faculty Supervisor, Dixon Senior Fellows, Honors College (Clemson Univ., 2019-)  
 Faculty Coordinator, Graduate Reading Exam, College of AAH (Clemson Univ., 2019-)  
 Member, Evaluation Committee, *Dalhousie French Studies* (Dalhousie University, 2020-)  
 Member, Undergraduate Academic Advising Committee (Clemson Univ., 2020-2022)  
 Member, Council on Undergraduate Studies Committee, College of AAH (Clemson Univ., 2021)  
 Chair, Travel Grants-in-Aid Committee, Department of Languages (Clemson Univ., 2020-)  
 Member, Bylaws Ad Hoc Review Committee, Dept. of Languages (Clemson Univ., 2020-2021)  
 Member, General Education Committee, College of AAH (Clemson Univ., 2021-)



Member, Undergrad. Academic Integrity Committee, College of AAH (Clemson Univ., 2022-)  
 Chair, Hiring Committee, Lecturer, Women's Leadership Program (Clemson Univ., 2023)  
 Chair, Hiring Committee, Assist. Director, Women's Leadership Prog. (Clemson Univ., 2023)  
 Member, Program Advisory Committee for Women's Leadership (Clemson Univ., 2023)  
 Member, Hiring Committee, Assistant Professor of Japanese (Clemson Univ., 2024)  
 Member, Dean of Arts and Humanities Third Year Review Committee (Clemson Univ., 2024)  
 Member, Advisory Committee, Department of Interdisciplinary Studies (Clemson Univ., 2024)  
 Member, Distinguished Professorship Selection Committee, Coll. of AH (Clemson Univ., 2024)  
 Member, Sabbatical Review Committee, Dept. of Lang. Coll. of AH (Clemson Univ., 2024)  
 Member, Ad Hoc Committee, Callahan Scholarship, Women Leadership (Clemson Univ., 2024)  
 Member, Search Committee for Women's Leadership Lecturer (Clemson Univ., 2024)

### **COURSES TAUGHT SELECTION**

French 3000: Survey of French Literature: 1100-1800 (I), 1800-2000 (II) (In French)  
 French 3030: Emergence of Modern France: 1860-1914 (in French)  
 French 3040: French Short Story: from Marie de France to Camus (in French)  
 French 3050: Advanced French Conversation and Composition (in French)  
 French 3070: History of French Civilization (in French)  
 French 3100: Strategies in French oral Communications (in French)  
 French 3160: France & the US: French for International Business I (in French)  
 French 3170: Contemporary French Civilization and Film (in French)  
 French 3200: French Theater: Interpretation and Performance (in French)  
 French 3270: Francophone Cultures and Traditions (NEW COURSE, in French)  
 French 3630: French and Francophone Poetry (in French)  
 French 3970: Women in French Politics (Creative Inquiry in English, NEW COURSE)  
 French 3980: Directed Reading: Selected Topics in French Literature and Culture (in French)  
 French 4000: Twentieth Century French Literature/Theater: From Proust to Ionesco (in French)  
 French 4100: Femmes auteures dans la littérature francophone (NEW COURSE, in French)  
 French 4160: The Francophone World: French/International Business II (in French)  
 French 4200: French Enlightenment, Revolution, and Romanticism (in French)  
 French 4750: Advanced French Seminar: French View of America (NEW COURSE, in French)  
 French 4760: French Feminism and Theory (NEW COURSE, in English)  
 French 4810: 19<sup>th</sup> Century French Literature (in French)  
 French 4820: 20<sup>th</sup> Century French Literature, Media, Culture (in French)  
 French 4910: French Thought: 16-20<sup>th</sup> Century (in French, NEW COURSE).  
 French 4980: Bordeaux and the American experience 1500-2000 (in French, NEW COURSE)  
 French 3280: 20<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> Century Literature and Cinema (in French, NEW COURSE)  
 French 3600: Contemporary France: Media, Culture, and Politics (in French)  
 French Honors 4380: Honors Research, Calhoun Honors College (in French/English)  
 French Honors 4390: Honors Thesis, Calhoun Honors College (in French/English)  
 Honors 4000: Advanced Study and Research, Calhoun Honors College (in French/English)  
 Honors Eureka: Macron's Presidency and France's Contradiction (in English, NEW COURSE)  
 CHS-H 2020: Calhoun Honors College Seminar (in English/French, NEW COURSE)  
 History 1930: Modern World History: The French-American Experience (in English)  
 History 3840: History of Modern France (in English)

HUM 3090: Studies in Humanities: Interdisciplinary Approaches (in English)  
IS 2100: Special Topics in International Studies (in English)  
LGS 1100: Levermore Global Scholars Freshman Seminar (in English)  
GEN 1100: Freshman Seminar on Self and Society (in English, NEW COURSE)  
HON 4860: From Renaissance to Postmodern (Honors Seminar, in English, NEW COURSE)

### **EXAMPLES OF HONORS/IS COURSES/TOPICS**

Frontières de la littérature: Rimbaud et l'absolu.  
Race and Gender in International Politics Obama et Royal.  
Pop Culture in France and the United States.  
Socialisme et capitalisme en France et aux Etats-Unis.  
French-American Intellectuals' Views on US-France.  
18<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> Century Influence of French Philosophy on America.  
*L'École des femmes* du 17<sup>ème</sup> siècle à nos jours.  
Naissance et déclin de l'Art Déco.  
Mondes francophones comparées: Sallenave, Roy, Dracius.  
Camus: De l'absurde à la révolte: Sisyphé, L'Hôte, La Peste.  
Influence et rejet du féminisme en politique française.  
L'Islam au Sénégal et dans le monde: Étude comparée.  
Boniface Diarra et la pensée démocratique au Mali.  
L'héroïsme, l'histoire, et la révolte: Saint-Exupéry, Giraudoux, Camus.  
Hébert, Chen, Agnant: Perspectives féministes et postcoloniales.  
Jorge Luis Borgès en France: Poétique, Critique, Influences.  
Exil et transcendance: Bouraoui, Bâ, Camus, et Djébar.  
Questions féministes: théories françaises et pratiques francophones.  
Proust et la musique: Correspondances, réception, transcendance.

### **COURSES/TOPICS TAUGHT ABROAD**

History of French Civilization, University of Chicago-Tours, France (2000-2001)  
Remembering D-Day: French-American Relations. Paris-Normandy, France (2010-2019)  
*\*Examples of topics in the Paris-Normandy program include:*  
Life under Nazi occupation: The Case of French and Dutch Citizens  
World War II through American and French Cinema.  
Recording and Representing of Literature and History (1940-1945).  
Economic Impact of World War II on France and the United States.  
Struggles and Revival: From the Great Depression to Bretton Woods.  
The Eurozone: A Unified Currency to Prevent World War II Sized Conflicts.  
Giving Paris Back Its Light: The French Resistance.  
Espionage during World War II: Different Ways to Fight for Freedom.  
The Nazi occupation of Greece through my grandmother's memory.  
Hitler's War on Culture: Paintings, Sculptures, Architectural Masterpieces.  
The Role of Bicycles in France in the Second World War.  
Experiencing the Cuisine of France through the Legacy of Julia Child.  
"I just felt I Wanted to Scream": Art Therapy and WWII Veterans.  
Delacroix and French Art: A Testimony of the Fight for Freedom.

Lessons in Leadership: Steve Rochester and the Greatest Generation.  
 After the Shock of Defeat: The Spirit of the French Nation Under Occupation.  
 Communication Strategies and Techniques in FDR and Hitler.  
 Soldiers' Sacrifice: A New Hope Is Born (Creative Writing).  
 The Triumph and Tragedy of WWII: Richard Ballenger Harris and other soldiers.  
 The Unrecognized Players: Women, Children, and the Underground.  
 The Significance of Christianity on D-Day and WWII.  
 My Grandparents: A Symbol of French-American Relations.  
 Women Combatant: The Rochambelles on the WWII Front.  
 Heavy Water and Development of Nuclear Technology (1930-1950).  
 Medical Progress and the D-Day Battlefield Experiences.  
 Radical Words: Writing as a path to Resistance in *La Peste*.  
 How WWII Changed France's Defense, Intelligence and Foreign Policy.  
 Memories of D-Day: Through Cemeteries and Ceremonies.

### **DIRECTED ACADEMIC WORK:**

#### BA HONORS/CREATIVE INDEPENDENT STUDIES

1. Randi Rabideau: "La mondialisation en France: Atouts et mécontentements." (Sp. 2004)
2. Ama Adjare-Nimako: "La Démocratie au Ghana est-elle possible?" (Sp. 2005)
3. Mariam Cisse: "L'avenir politique au Congo: incertitudes et espoirs." (Sp. 2005)
4. Belco Bocoum: "Féminisme au Mali: mouvements de femmes contre l'excision." (Sp. 2007)
5. Andrea Sutton: "Frontières de la littérature: Arthur Rimbaud et l'absolu. Étude d'*Une Saison en enfer* et *Illuminations*." (Fa. 2007)
6. Rachel Charity: "The Indivisible Claim: Liberty, Justice, and Healthcare for All? Obama Care and Universal Coverage in France: A Comparative Study." (Sp. 2009)
7. Lorcan Ingham: "Breaking Down the Wall: The Declining Importance of Race and Gender in International Politics: The Cases of Barak Obama and Ségolène Royal." (Sp. 2009)
8. Kelly Shurknight: "Leading the Transformation of French Universities: Valérie Pécresse and the Reform of the French Higher Education System." (Sp. 2009)
9. Jason Weeks: "Socialisme et capitalisme en France et aux Etats-Unis: Deux mondes à part ou des similarités cachées?" (Fa. 2010)
10. Robert Newhouse: "Pop Culture in France and the United States: Cross-Influences and Exchanges since the 1970s." (Sp. 2011)
11. Evan Leinbach: "French-American Intellectuals' Views on US-France: Tocqueville, Chomsky, Bernard-Henri Lévy, and Baudrillard." (Sp. 2011)
12. Jonathan Baulch: "18<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> Century Influence of French Philosophy on America: From Rousseau's *Contrat Social* to Sartre's existentialisme." (Sp. 2011)
13. Cody Whitelock: "Engineering of Past and Present: The Louvre, Versailles, and Mont-Saint-Michel, in Roy Martin's Footsteps." (Hist. Sum. 2012)
14. Samantha Hoffman: "Unveiling a Diamond in the Rough: What Americans Can Learn From the French Educational System." (Hist. Sum. 2012)
15. Holly McKissick: "Mondes francophones comparées: France, Canada, Martinique. Étude croisée de Danièle Sallenave, Gabrielle Roy, et Suzanne Dracius." (Sp. 2012)
16. Claire Van Strien: "Life in an Occupied Country: An Insight of Daily Life for French &

- Dutch Citizens during the Nazi Occupation.” (Hist. Sum. 2012)
17. Carson Kohler: “Recording and Representing: French Literature and History in WWII.” (Hist. Sum. 2012)
  18. Amélie Baker: “*L’École des femmes* du 17ème siècle à nos jours: perspectives esthétiques, sociales et féministes: étude de réception.” (Fa. 2012)
  19. Stephen Knackstedt: “Molière et Zola: perspectives littéraires et économiques.” (Fa. 2012)
  20. Tara Boudreau: “Exploring Cross-Cultural Issues: Québécois-American Relations in Commerce, Culture, and Politics.” (Sp. 2013)
  21. Rachel Gamble: “Naissance et déclin de l’Art Déco: Perspectives culturelles, artistiques et architecturales.” (Sp. 2013)
  22. Will Richter: “The Role of Bicycles in World War II Occupied France.” (Hist. Sum. 2014)
  23. Michelle Dickens: “The Monuments Women: French Espionage and Resistance in the Underground.” (Hist. Sum. 2014)
  24. Rebecca Brown: “Camus: De l’absurde à la révolte: Sisyphes, L’Hôte, *La Peste*.” (Fa. 2014)
  25. Bastien Bacro-Duverger: “Constructions et déconstructions: Mémoires individuelles et Collectives de ‘Martin Guerre’ à ‘La grande vadrouille’.” (Sp. 2015)
  26. Alicia Williams: “Histoire de la représentation et représentation de l’histoire dans le cinéma français: ‘Ridicule’ et ‘Colonel Chabert’.” (Sp. 2015)
  27. Caroline Zavakos: “L’infidélité et le mercantilisme dans l’adaptation de *Les Misérables* de Victor Hugo.” (Sp. 2015)
  28. Breen Weir: “Influence et rejet du féminisme en politique française.” (Fa. 2015)
  29. Camille Reader: “La tristesse de ‘Clair de lune’: Études de Verlaine et Debussy.” (Fa. 2015)
  30. Taylor Walton: “Football féminin en France et dans le monde: sport, économie, culture, parité, justice sociale.” (Sp. 2016)
  31. Jared Mohler: “Socialism, France, and America: A Cross-Cultural Analysis on the Historical Impacts of Socialism.” (Summer 2016)
  32. Sidy Djitte: “L’Islam au Sénégal et dans le monde: Étude comparée: Perceptions, Réalités, Réflexions.” (Fall 2016)
  33. Sirah Diarra: “Boniface Diarra et la pensée démocratique au Mali: Histoire, Analyses, et Réflexions.” (Sp. 2017)
  34. Chloé Beemer: “Défis économiques et démocratiques: France, Maroc, Mali.” (Fall 2017)
  35. Michelle Wiltse: “L’héroïsme, l’histoire, et la révolte dans la littérature française du XXème siècle (1935-1945): Saint-Exupéry, Giraudoux, Camus.” (Sp. 2018)
  36. Sirah Diarra: “Trois écrivaines québécoises: Anne Hébert, Ying Chen, Marie-Célie Agnant. Perspectives féministes, postcoloniales, et interculturelles.” (Sp. 2018)
  37. Jenny Horton: “Radical Worlds: An Analysis of Writing as a Method of Resistance in *La Peste*.” (Summer 2018)
  38. Gavin Hunt: “Macron’s Presidency and France’s Contradictions.” *Honors College, Eurêka Project* (Summer 2019)
  39. Candela Kechkian: “Réception de Jorge Luis Borgès en France: Poétique, Critique, Influences.” (Fall 2019)
  40. Louise Averitt: “Exil et transcendance dans l’œuvre de Nina Bouraoui, Mariama Bâ, Albert Camus, et Assia Djebar.” (Spring 2020)
  41. Maria Camargo: “Questions féministes: Théories françaises et pratiques francophones. Colimon-Hall, Bouraoui, Condé, Bâ.” (Spring 2020)
  42. Maryia Shaban: “Proust et la musique: Correspondances, réception, transcendance.” (Fall

2020)

43. Isabella Kilper: "Mouvements environnementaux, développements économiques, et justice sociale en France, aux Etats-Unis et en Corée du Sud: étude comparée." (Spring 2021)
44. Sophie Burhans: "Socio-Political and Cultural Contentious Issues in Europe and America: Making Sense of France, the US, and Hungary Today". *Honors College, Eurêka Project* (Summer 2021)

#### BA FRENCH/INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS SENIOR THESIS

1. Whitney Arthur: "La nature de la bête: le licenciement est-il humain?" (Sp. 2008)
2. Rosalyn Morrison: "Apprendre au vert: tourisme linguistique au Château Mazure." (Fa. 2008)
3. Sara Quinn: "Politique comparée de l'énergie et de l'environnement: GE et EDF." (Fa. 2008)
4. Patrick O'Connor: "Culture de l'entreprise au Maghreb: le cas d'Air Algérie." (Sp. 2009)
5. Alexandra Luc: "Le système bancaire français et américain face à la crise." (Sp. 2009)
6. Anne Whitaker: "Sister Cities et la promotion d'un dialogue interculturel." (Sp. 2009)
7. Melinda Moore: "Les chocolats Godiva de Bruxelles dans le marché mondial." (Sum. 2009)
8. Natasha Korba: "Programme universitaire de Disney: perspectives internationales." (Fa. 2009)
9. Kelley Jonkoff: "Etude comparée et inter-culturalité: le cas de ScanSource Europe." (Fa. 2009)
10. Caroline Witcher: "Amway Global: Politiques commerciales et humanitaires." (Sp. 2010)
11. Andrew Childs: "Echanges économiques et culturels entre le Maroc et les Etats-Unis. Mon expérience à la Chambre de Commerce Américaine de Casablanca." (Sp. 2010)
12. Brigitte Brière: "Expeditors Int.: Stratégies commerciales face à la crise." (Sum. 2010)
13. Layton Williamson: "La crise immobilière est-elle synonyme de crise du libéralisme? Étude comparée: France et États-Unis." (Fa. 2010)
14. Kimberly Mann: "La mercatique de l'art: Considérations économiques/politiques." (Sp. 2011)
15. Anne Seignious: "Dialogue interculturel et mondialisation: enjeux et stratégies." (Sp. 2011)
16. Grace Habberfield: "L'avenir à Level One est-il en français? Présent./Réflexions." (Fa. 2011)
17. Anna Finke: "Procter & Gamble: Stratégies pour un développement durable." (Fa. 2011)
18. Jillian Travers: "Une américaine au Château Fonplégade: quel avenir économique pour un vignoble bordelais unique en son genre?" (Fa. 2011)
19. Chelsea Lappin: "De l'Inde à Michelin: Stratégie de recrutement transculturel." (Sp. 2012)
20. Kyle Cornelius: "De Clemson à Bordeaux: Storific et la révolution mobile." (Sp. 2012)
21. Jordan Kersse: "Les médias sociaux dans le développement économique." (Sp. 2012)
22. Karen Onate: "Europe/Etats-Unis: éducation, culture, et commerce comparées." (Sp. 2012)
23. Catherine Poplin: "L'importance du recyclage. Perspectives de l'URRC." (Sp. 2012)
24. Eliana Zamora: "Mes voyages autour du monde. Questions et Perspectives interculturelles hispaniques, anglophones et francophones." (Sp. 2012)
25. Holly McKissick: "(In)-compréhensions franco-américaines: culture, politique, affaires, économie." (Sum. 2012)
26. Matthew Fielder: "Hotatech Inc: Analyse critique, organisation et logistique." (Sum. 2012)
27. Anna Duncan: "Questions éthiques et stratégiques dans le commerce international: Mon expérience à World Cargo." (Fa. 2012)
28. Bryony Higgins: "Comment promouvoir l'étude et l'enseignement des étudiants étrangers? Rapport du Centre d'information et d'orientation de Louvain." (Fa. 2012)
29. Colleen Darr: "Échanges et différences interculturelles: Mon expérience à Louvain au Bureau des étudiants étrangers." (Fa. 2012)
30. Sara Weber: "Comment être compétitif sur le marché international ? Relations et

- compétitivités internationales à Boston Financial Data Services.” (Sp. 2013)
31. Sarah Smoak: “Analyse de Wyndham Worldwide: Leader dans l’Industrie Hôtelière Internationale.” (Sp. 2013)
  32. Arden Hare: “Promouvoir l’excellence à travers les expressions artistiques à l’Office des Affaires Culturelles de Charleston: une destination culturelle internationale.” (Sp. 2013)
  33. Hillary Reichart: “Le marketing à petite échelle: Mon expérience francophone à The Heart of the Village Inn dans le Vermont.” (Sp. 2013)
  34. Nysa Hicks: “Claro Lanceria del Hogar et Michelin: Deux perspectives culturelles sur la compréhension des autres.” (Sp. 2013)
  35. Alisha Becker: “La concurrence, moteur de croissance et d’innovation.” (Sum. 2014)
  36. Aurelia Wurzel: “Haribo Belgique: Nouvelles stratégies de l’Ours d’or.” (Sum. 2014)
  37. Carissa Richardson: “Leçons environnementales et gouvernementales: mon stage au Ministère des Ressources Naturelles de l’Ontario.” (Fa. 2014)
  38. Sierra White: “Mondialisation et insertion au centre international de Greenville.” (Fa. 2014)
  39. Brittany Bentz: “La réussite d’Entreprise: une analyse de l’histoire, de la stratégie, et de l’avenir de la société.” (Fa. 2014)
  40. Chloe Duffy: “Comment économiser de l’agent sur vos impôts? Perspectives nationales et Internationales à J.R. Timbo et Associates LLC.” (Fa. 2015)
  41. Danielle Ayer: “Pourquoi apprendre le français? Importance des langues étrangères dans le monde des affaires.” (Fa. 2015)
  42. John Jeffcoat: “Investir pour la jeunesse et la défense des minorités: Mon stage en Afrique du Sud à ‘Projects Abroad Human Rights’.” (Sp. 2016)
  43. Ikponmwoosa Omoigui: “Pourquoi l’inclusion et la diversité sont-elles un atout pour l’entreprise et le vivre ensemble ?” (Fa. 2016)
  44. Caroline Vargas: “Pourquoi une Chambre de Commerce Française à Greenville ? Une étude stratégique de développement.” (Fa. 2016)
  45. Victoria Gonzalez: “La réussite dans les affaires est-elle possible sans le bonheur? Mon expérience à Scansource.” (Sp. 2017)
  46. Caroline Rubino: “Problématiques et réflexions sur la conformité commerciale, les accords de libre-échange, et le droit international à l’ère de la mondialisation: Mon expérience à AFL.” (Sp. 2017)
  47. Michelle Wiltse: “Perspectives d’avenir avec TeamWorks: études de marché et développement du football féminin en France.” (Sum. 2017)
  48. Chloé Beemer: “Quel avenir pour Arianespace, société française de lancement de satellite commercial? Perspectives publicitaires, commerciales, et stratégiques.” (Sum. 2017)
  49. Kiana Dunn: “Pourquoi étudier en France ? Attentes, défis, et opportunités à USAC: chocs culturels, impacts psychologiques, challenges pédagogiques.” (Fall 2017)
  50. Mary Kate Carter: “Promotion et organisation des exportations au Ministère du commerce extérieur à Washington DC: Études et stratégies.” (Fall 2017)
  51. Maria Fernanda Navarro: “Sport, culture, et développement économique à la Fédération Française de Tennis-Ligue Occitanie.” (Fall 2018)
  52. Lucas Paquette: “Explorations des marchés internationaux: AVX Corporation.” (Fall 2018)
  53. Mari Lentini: “Utilisation des langues et connaissance interculturelle dans la diplomatie américaine: Mon stage au Département d’État à Washington DC.” (Fall 2018)
  54. Anna Caroline Bridgeman : “Comment promouvoir les entreprises françaises aux États-

- Unis ? Histoire et réalisations de la Chambre de Commerce franco-américaine des Carolines.” (Spring 2019)
55. Sydney McCollough : “Pour un grand changement, faire de petits pas : le projet Borgen et la réduction de la pauvreté dans le monde francophone.” (Spring 2019)
  56. Lauren Burnett: “Un mélange de nostalgie et de rêve : Perspectives interculturelles de Euro Disney à Orlando.” (Spring 2019)
  57. Shannon O’Toole: “Trump, Madame Macron, et la mission de Reebok: Marketing et communication pour le conditionnement physique et le bien-être.” (Spring 2019)
  58. Juliana Cano: “L’avenir d’AFL sur le marché international.” (Summer 2019)
  59. Olivia Moran: “Les médias sociaux et la compétitivité des entreprises en France et aux Etats-Unis.” (Fall 2019)
  60. Catherine Patterson: “Comment promouvoir le développement commercial d’une entreprise internationale ? Mon stage à Airbus Hélicoptères.” (Fall 2019)
  61. Hannah Trump: “Allyn International face au défi de la diversité et de la mondialisation.” (Fall 2019)
  62. Mary Veideman : “Quelle est l’importance du multilinguisme dans l’économie mondiale ? Le cas de CEESO Lyon.” (Fall 2019)
  63. Alexandra Karnes: “Quel est le rôle de la culture dans le marketing international ? Mon expérience à FerebeeLane, agence de marketing et publicité.” (Fall 2019)
  64. Jonathan Demelo: “Upstate International: Initiatives et développements des entreprises à en Caroline du Sud.” (Spring 2020)
  65. Kathleen Champagne: “Comment améliorer la relation entre l’entreprise et la Cité à l’ère de la mondialisation ?” (Fall 2020)
  66. Oguchi Onyewu: “La création d’une nouvelle entreprise après la retraite: ‘Train like a pro’ : ONYX Elite, LLC.” (Fall 2020)
  67. Samiya Morton-Dotson: “Défense de la diversité culturelle et alimentaire en France: ‘À Poêle’, précurseur des podcasts de gastronomie de nouvelle génération.” (Fall 2020)
  68. Madelyn Stringer: “Le rôle des médias sociaux dans l’hôtellerie en France : le cas d’Aix-en-Provence.” (Fall 2020)
  69. Kelly Burns: “Pour une relation économique florissante entre les États-Unis et la France avec la FACC: accueil, sensibilisation, développement.” (Fall 2020)
  70. Jessica Cole: “Internalisation et impact des entreprises françaises et internationales sur le développement économique et culturel de la Caroline du Sud.” (Spring 2021)
  71. Jenna Poropatch: “Pourquoi/comment une marque doit-elle adapter ses stratégies de commercialisation? De FerebeeLane à Le Creuset.” (Spring 2021)
  72. Ansley Cordero: “Logistique tierce partie: Étude comparée: TMC, Geodis, et externalisation de la chaîne d’approvisionnement d’Esthée Lauder et L’Oréal.” (Spring 2022)
  73. Emily Bonfanti: “La clé du commerce international: le réseautage. Mon expérience à la Chambre de Commerce Franco-Américains des Carolines.” (Spring 2022)
  74. Ellie Smoak: “Challenges interculturels: (Dés)-Orientations des étudiants étrangers dans les universités françaises et américaines : Mon expérience à Montpellier.” (Fall 2022)
  75. Addison Louthian: “En quoi l’industrie de la mode française diffère-t-elle de l’industrie de la mode américaine? Agnès B. sur les marchés européens et asiatiques.” (Fall 2022)
  76. Victoria Dupré : “Comment le réseautage permet-il d’améliorer et d’approfondir les relations interculturelles? Mon expérience à la FACC des Carolines.” (Fall 2022)
  77. Gracyn Karp: “Quelle est l’importance des médias sociaux en France et aux Etats-Unis et

- comment affectent-ils les stratégies de marketing dans le domaine du sport?” (Fall 2022)
78. Ansley Stone: “Les médias sociaux en France et aux Etats-Unis dans les organisations à but non lucratif : le cas de United Way.” (Fall 2022)
  79. Polly Fansworth: “Quelle différences existent entre la culture du sport et son lien avec le monde des affaires en France et aux États-Unis: cadre professionnel et académique?” (Fall 2022)
  80. Alexis Delobelle: “Le basket français: importance économique et stratégies de développement à Montpellier.” (Sum. 2023)
  81. Elizabeth Bland: “Stratégies de la CCFA de Washington DC: Promotion, échange, et développement, entre la France et les Etats-Unis.” (Fall. 2023)
  82. Savannah Hall: “L’école de la deuxième chance à Montpellier: objectifs et fonctionnements. Quels bénéfices pour les étudiants et la société ?” (Fall. 2023)
  83. Adriana Witalis: “Étude comparée: Renault et Daimler Truck dans la compétition internationale de l’industrie automobile : marchés, ambitions, stratégies.” (Fall 2023)
  84. Taylor Vrettas: “Impact socio-économique de Gammes à Montpellier : engagement communautaire et accompagnement des personnes en précarité.” (Fall 2023)
  85. Grace Shea: “Comment une entreprise réussit à l’étranger ? Stratégies de marketing chez Renault, PSA Peugeot, Citroën et BMW : Considérations interculturelles.” (Spring 2024)
  86. Sophie Burhans: “Tricothé ou Café-Crochet : Comment développer et exporter le concept ‘salon de thé-tricot’? Considérations mercatiques et culturelles.” (Spring 2024)
  87. Afi Gbolovi: “Comment dépasser les frontières? Stratégies d’intégrations des entreprises à Upstate International et d’internationalisation à United Way.” (Spring 2024)

## **ACADEMIC & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENTS**

Participant: Internal Review for Magda Matuskova’s book project on Cuba. The Humanities Hub Manuscript Workshop, Clemson University, Clemson, April 23, 2024.

Participant: “Le français professionnel dans l’enseignement supérieur : Simple tendance ou phénomène durable ?” Département de coopération éducative de l’Ambassade de France, Washington DC, March 23, 2024.

Colloquium Organizer: “Does Global Feminism Exist? What is its Future?” Sponsored by the Robert J. Rutland Institute for Ethics. Vickery Hall Auditorium, Room 100, Clemson University, Clemson, February 19, 2024.

Participant: “Exploring Teaching Philosophies.” Lunch and learn Series, Office of Teaching Effectiveness and Innovation. Clemson University, Clemson, February 12, 2024.

Session Organizer, “Caudel and the earth/Caudel et la terre”, *Modern Language Association Conference*, Philadelphia, January 6, 2024.

Participant, *Workshop on French for Professional Purposes*, University of Southern California and the Consulate General of France. Los Angeles. October 28, 2023.

Participant, *French in Higher Education: Current Landscape of French Studies*. University of



Southern California and the Consulate General of France. Los Angeles. October 23, 2023.

Participant, “Empowering Humanities Dialogues on the Iraq and Afghanistan War: Experience, Trauma, Healing.” “Dialogues on the Experience of War”, NEH Grant Submission, September 7, 2023.

Participant, 2023 General Education Program Retreat: Learning Assessments, Global Challenge, Watt Family Innovation Center, Wednesday, August 16, 2023.

Co-organizer, Language and International Business program Career, Internship & Info Fair, Clemson University, Hendrix Concourse A. April 19, 2023.

Guest speaker, “Why is Ethics Important: Situatedness, Perspectives, Contexts”, *Ethics Case Competition. The Rutland Institute for Ethics at Clemson University*, Hendrix Concourse A, March 10, 2023.

Participant, “Advancing Scholarship through Mentorship”, *2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Women’s Scholar Symposium*, Watt Family Information Center, March 8, 2023.

Participant, “National Endowment for the Humanities Information Session”, Division of Research Programs, February 16, 2023.

Participant, “Developing Strong Proposals to Fund Your Research”, *Office of Research Development*, Clemson University, September 21, 2022.

Participant, “Training: Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act”, College of Architecture Arts and Humanities, Clemson University, September 8, 2022.

Invited Participant, “Emmanuel Levinas: Ethics of Democracy.” *NEH Summer Seminar*, University of Buffalo, Buffalo, August 1-5, 2022.

Participant, “Research F2F Spring 2022: Grant Funding, Info Ed, and Increasing Impact” (with Associate Dean Elyse Newman, Clemson University, Clemson, SC, May 5, 2022.

Guest Participant, “Promouvoir, soutenir et développer les études françaises dans les Universités du Sud-Est” (Working Session), *French Consulate*, Atlanta, April 6, 2022.

Organizer: “Zoom Information Session for high school students/faculty with Clemson alumni: the LAIB experience: curriculum, study abroad, internship, job opportunities.” College of AAH, Clemson University, Clemson, SC, March 19, 2022.

Guest Speaker: “French-American Perspectives on the Birth of the Rotary Club.” *Rotary Club of Clemson*, Clemson, SC, January 10, 2022.

Participant: “Global Challenges Course Design Sessions.” *Office of Teaching Effectiveness and Innovation*, Clemson University, November 10, 2021.

Participant: “Successful Grant Seeking: Crafting an Overview page with Goals, Objectives, and Specific Aims.” *Office of Research Development Seminar Series*, Clemson University, October 6, 2021

Participant, Tigers Advance Trailblazers Program (prepares faculty for leadership roles in academic or professional organizations), Clemson University, September 17, 2021.

Evaluator: Review of Evelyne Bornier’ dossier for promotion to Full Professor at Auburn University, August 10, 2021.

Research Director: “Covid 19 and the Crises of French Politics” (Sophie Burhans). *EUREKA! Honors Summer Research Program*, Clemson University, June 24-July 30, 2021.

Participant: “Grant Writing Online Proposal Development Workshop.” *Office of Research and Development*, Clemson University, May 18, 2021.

Panel organizer: “Business Ethics and Women’s Leadership.” *French Professional Society*. Guest speakers: Brookes Brown and Gail DePriest, Clemson University, April 5, 2021.

Participant: “Giving Voice to the Voiceless: Discussions around Social Justice in the Classroom.” *Metropolitan New York AATF Chapter*, New York, March 27, 2021.

Panel Organizer: “Covid 19 and the new normal in France and beyond.” *Twentieth and Twenty-First Century French and Francophone Studies International Colloquium*, Georgetown University, Washington DC, March 10, 2021.

Panel organizer: “Business Cultural Differences between France and the US.” *French Professional Society*. Guest speakers: Gérard Auvergne, French American Chamber of Commerce of the Carolinas, February 25, 2021.

Participant: “Mellon Foundation Monuments Grants.” Clemson University, February 11. 2021.

Participant: “Surveying Remote Internship Results.” Lisa Robinson, Associate Director of the UPIC programs, Clemson University, December 2. 2020.

Participant: “Encouraging Academic Integrity in Online Exams.” Clemson online Training. Clemson University, November 19, 2020.

Participant: Fulbright Scholar Program Webinar organized by Michelle Boulourchi, Outreach and Recruitment Specialist, Clemson University, November 11, 2020.

Evaluator: Review of Julia Frengs’ dossier for promotion to Associate Professor with tenure at the University of Nebraska, August 1, 2020.

Participant: “Evidence of Student Learning in Evaluation of Faculty Teaching.” *Office of*

*Teaching Effectiveness and Innovation* (OTEI), Clemson University, July 31, 2020.

Participant: “NEH Stipends Program Introduction Webinar.” Clemson University, May 20, 2020.

Participant: “Online Course Design Workshop.” Focus: Quick tips on how to build your summer course in Canvas using materials from existing courses. Clemson Online, May 8, 2020.

Participant: “Best Practices in Online Teaching and Student Engagement.” Focus: Adjust pedagogy to deliver effective online teaching focused on creating a strong learning community. Clemson Online, April 20, 2020.

Speaker/Presentation: “Political Implications of the Yellow Vests Movement: France, EU, Globalization.” Snack Box Series, Clemson University, March 2020.

Panel Organizer: Nicole Meyer, Augusta University: “Autobiographical Considerations: Reading Marguerite Duras’s post-holocaust writing through the prism of fracture.” Clemson University, March 4, 2020.

Organizer: “Business Networking: The French-American Chamber of Commerce and the French Professional Society.” Greenville, SC, February 13, 2020.

Supervisor, Dixon Senior Fellows, Honors College, Clemson University, August 15-December 10, 2019.

Invited Participation: “French-American Chamber of Commerce of the Carolinas Awards Gala: Nomination of the L&IB/French program at Clemson.” French-American Chamber of Commerce of the Carolinas. North Carolina Museum of Art, Raleigh, NC, October 10, 2019.

Organizer: Guest Speaker, Hubert Nové-Josserand, World Bank: “La Banque mondiale: projets, challenges, réussites.” Clemson University, October 9, 2019.

Evaluator: Review of Dr. Kathy Comfort’s dossier for promotion to Professor at the University of Arkansas, September 13, 2019.

Research Director: “Macron's Presidency and France's contradictions” (Gavin Hunt). *EUREKA! Honors Summer Research Program*, Clemson University, June 27-August 3, 2019.

Exhibitor: “Professional Career Paths in French and International Business.” *91st Annual AATF Conference*. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, July 14-16, 2019.

Invited Presentation: “Introduction to Simone de Beauvoir’s Life and Thought.” Dina Haruvi, University of Tel Aviv, Tel Aviv, Israel, June 13, 2019.

Participant: “Perspectives on French and Francophone Studies”, *2019 Southern Conference on Language Teaching Conference*, Myrtle Beach, SC, March 21-23, 2019.

Speaker, Dejeuner Info: "Perspectives on Gilets jaunes: French News and Politics Today." *French Club*, Clemson University, March 11, 2019

Panel Organizer: Araceli Hernandez-Laroche, University of South Carolina Upstate: “Mother Tongue, Exile and Politics in Maryam Madjidi’s, *Marx et la poupée*.” Clemson University, March 6, 2019.

Participant: “New Years’ Gathering/Business Networking: The French-American Chamber of Commerce and the French Professional Society.” Greer, SC, January 30, 2019.

Co-organizer, guest lecture on study abroad and internship opportunities in France by Professor Heather McCoy, Penn State University, October 12, 2018.

Participant, *Teaching Women in French Roundtable at the 2018 Rocky Mountain MLA Conference*. Cheyenne, Wyoming, October 4, 2018.

Participant, *Clemson Teaching Excellence Conference: Teaching Students Today*. Watt Center. Clemson University, September 17, 2018.

Reading discussion on the Introduction (“Humanities at Risk”) and Chapter One “Humanities in the City” of Eric Touya de Marenne’s *The Case for the Humanities: Pedagogy, Polity, Interdisciplinarity*. “Symposium: Humanities and the Future”, The Missouri Humanities Council & The Humanities and Ethics Center at Drury University, March 22, 2018.

Participant, “Advising Best Practices Workshop.” College of Arts, Architecture, and Humanities. Clemson University, March 12, 2018.

Keynote Speaker: “Toward New Leadership in Diplomacy: Decentering Languages and Cultures.” *Opening Ceremony of the Clemson University Model United Nations Conference*, Clemson University, October 20, 2017.

Paper accepted, “Nomaditude et métissage chez Bouraoui, Rancière, et Glissant.” *31ème Congrès Mondial du Conseil International d’Études Francophones*, Université des Antilles, Schoelcher, La Martinique, June 30, 2017.

Guest Lecture, “Why should STEM students study the humanities?” *2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Research Symposium*, Watt Family Innovation Center, Clemson University, May 10, 2017.

Director, *Language and International Trade Conference*, The Hendrix Center. “Inclusiveness in the Business World: Global Careers, Cross-Cultures, Identities.” <http://www.clemson.edu/caah/departments/languages/academics/lnit/lnit->

- [conference/index.html](#) Keynote Address: Lee A. Gill, JD, Office of Inclusion and Equity, Clemson University, March 8, 2017.
- Participant, “Exploring American Democracy with Tocqueville as Guide.” *NEH Summer Seminar*, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, July 2016.
- Director, *Language and International Trade Conference*, The Hendrix Center, Clemson University, (<http://www.clemson.edu/linit/conference.html>): “Nurturing Global Competence: The Relationships between Demographics and Marketability.” March 9, 2016.
- Guest Lecture Organizer: Britt Beemer, America’s Research Group, CEO: “From Degrees to International Careers: What Employers Are Looking For?” Class of 1941 Studio. Clemson University, February, 24, 2016.
- Participant, “How Do Master Teachers Create a Positive Classroom?” *Teaching Effectiveness and Innovation*, Clemson University, January 20, 2016.
- Participant, “Where Our Students Are Coming from—and How to Reach Them?” *Teaching Effectiveness and Innovation*, Clemson University, July 24, 2015.
- Director, *Language and International Trade Conference*, The Hendrix Center, Clemson University, (<http://www.clemson.edu/linit/conference.html>): “Business Leadership and Society’s Well Being: The Task of Responsibility”), February 2015.
- Faculty Advisor/Facilitator, 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Freshman Summer Reading Program for Max Barry’s *Machine Man*, Clemson University, August 2014.
- Guest Lecture Organizer: “The Threat of Digital Technology to the Humanities.” *Scholars’ Forum for the Humanities*, Clemson University, April 2014.
- Paper accepted: “Camus, Girard, et les limites de la critique littéraire.” *Colloque Albert Camus: un homme aux multiples présents*. IAU College, Aix-en-Provence, November 2013.
- Participant, “Research Ethics/Responsible Conduct of Research Workshop.” Michelin Career Center Conference Room, June 4, 2013.
- Faculty Advisor/organizer: “Is Rosetta Stone a Viable Option for Second Language Learning?” *Scholars’ Forum for the Humanities*, April 2013.
- Faculty Advisor/organizer: “Doing Well by Doing Good: The New Face of Global Business.” Roundtable discussion, Hendrix Center, Clemson University, March 13, 2013.
- Participant, “How To Develop a Leadership Plan.” *Teaching Effectiveness and Innovation*, Clemson University, March 11, 2013.

Panel Chair, *Claudél: Heroes, Villains, Saints*, chaired at the Modern Language Association of America Conference held in Boston, January 2013.

Faculty Advisor/Facilitator, 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Freshman Summer Reading Program for Rosalyn Story's *Wading Home*, Clemson University, August 2012.

Participant, "Getting your Students to do the Reading." *Teaching Effectiveness and Innovation*, Clemson University, July 2012.

Participant, "Critical Thinking: Focus on Instructional Strategies That Promote Critical Thought." *Teaching Effectiveness and Innovation*, Clemson University, May 2012.

Faculty Advisor/organizer: "The Question of Ethics in Business and International Trade." Brown Room, Clemson Library, Clemson University, January 2012.

"Introduction to James Lawler's 'Valéry et Claudel, un dialogue symboliste'", *Bulletin de la Société Paul Claudel*, 204, December 2011.

Participant: "Ethics across the Curriculum Seminar", The Ruthland Institute for Ethics, *Teaching Effectiveness and Innovation*, Clemson University, August 2011.

Director, *Language and International Trade Conference*, The Hendrix Center, Clemson University (<http://www.clemson.edu/lnit/conference.html>: "Global Citizenship and the Changing Role of Corporation"), April 2011.

Faculty Founder and Coordinator, French-L&IT Majors-Michelin Internship program, Clemson University, Spring 2011.

Faculty Mentor for International Fellows, ILEP International Leaders in Education Program, Clemson University, Spring 2011.

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