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PERSONAL DATA

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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

1980 Ph.D. in Sociology, Minor in International Relations, Indiana University, Bloomington

1796 M.A. in Sociology, Indiana University

1973 B.A. in Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison

1969-

1972 Eastern Illinois University

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

North Carolina State University, Head, Department of Sociology & Anthropology 2005-

Middle Tennessee State University, President of the Council of Chairs, 2003-04

Middle Tennessee State University, Chairperson, Department of Sociology & Anthropology,  
1999-2005

University of Utah, Chairperson, Department of Sociology 1987-93

University of Utah, Director, International Studies, 1984-87

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

North Carolina State University, Head and Professor 2005-

Middle Tennessee State University, Professor and Chair, 1999-2005

University of Utah, Professor, 1991-1999 (promoted 1991)

University of Utah, Associate Professor, 1984-91 (tenured and promoted 1984)

University of Utah, Assistant Professor, 1980-84

University of Utah, Instructor, 1978-80

Indiana University, Associate Instructor, 1976-78

HONORS AND AWARDS

Phi Kappa Phi 2002-

Distinguished Professor-Consultant, Moscow State University ("Russia"), 2002-

Finalist, Social and Behavioral Sciences Superior Research Award, 1999

Nominee, Presidential Teaching Scholarship Award 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996

Fulbright Lecture and Research Award, New Zealand, 1987-88

University Professor, University of Utah, Nominee, 1985, 1989

Golden Key National Honor Society, Honorary Member, 1986-present  
University of Utah, Distinguished Teaching Award, 1984  
Superior Teaching Award, University of Utah, College of Social and Behavior Science, 1984  
University of Utah, Distinguished Teaching Award, Finalist, 1983, 1984  
Superior Teaching Award, University of Utah, College of Social and Behavior Science,  
University of Utah, Finalist 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984

### RESEARCH/TEACHING AREAS

Macro-comparative Sociology  
Human and Economic Development  
Social Capital, Well Being and Community Development  
Organizations and Institutions  
Methodology  
Deviance and Crime

### CLASSES INSTRUCTED

Senior Seminar: Sociology Capstone Course  
Introduction to Social Organization  
Introduction to Research Methods  
Introduction to Sociology  
Introduction to Sociology (telecourse)  
Introduction to Sociology: Honors  
Family-Centered Community Building (with Vice President Albert Gore)  
Deviance and Social Control  
Collective Behavior and Violence  
Intergroup Relations  
Social Problems  
Global Social Structure  
Sociology of Women  
Sociology of Men  
World Peace Seminar (lecturer)  
Rural Communities (telecourse)  
Aggression, Conflict and Violence: International Comparisons  
Liberal Education: Social Science Issues  
South Africa: Conflict and Human Rights  
Utah Plan: Social Science Issues  
Graduate Seminar: Comparative Institutions  
Graduate Seminar: Social Organization  
Graduate Seminar: Deviant Behavior/Social Control  
Graduate Seminar: World-System Analysis  
Graduate Seminar: Comparative Societies (NCSU)  
Graduate Seminar: Developing Societies (NCSU)

RECENT DISSERTATIONS/THESES SUPERVISED

“The World System, Communities and Biodiversity” (Laura McKinney, Ph.D. Expected 2008)

“Globalization, Local Articulations, and the Ecological Footprint”  
(Gretchen McHenry, Ph.D. Expected 2008)

“Gendered Perceptions of Fairness in the U.S. Postal Service” (Sara Hall, M.A. 2005).

“Prosecutorial Decision Stages in Cases of Fraud” (Emily Wilson, M.A. 2002).

“Self-Reported Factors Relating to Job Satisfaction and Employee Modes of Adaptation”  
(Crystal Parker, M. 2002).

“Capital Expatriation, Dependency, Peripheral Position and National Development: A Cross  
National Analysis of Underdeveloped Countries: (R. Nasser, Ph.D., 1999).

“A Multi-Casual, Multi-Institutional, and Interactive Model of National Development of Third  
World Countries” (L. Wang, Ph.D., 1999).

Dissertation/Thesis Committee Memberships, 1978-present: 45.

MAJOR PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Co-Editor, Journal of World-System Research 2007-

Book Review Editor, Journal of World-System Research, 2004-

Session Leader, ASA Chairs Conference, Department History and Department Futures: Issues  
Linked to the Institutional Context, 2004 (and 2003)

Special Issue Editor on the Environment, Journal of World-Systems Research, 2002-2003

Associate Editor, Journal of World-System Research, 1994-present

Guest Editor, Journal of Political and Military Sociology, 1988-1994

Governing Board Member, International Political Economy Section of the  
International Studies Association, 1990-1993

Co-editor, Western Sociological Review, 1984-1987

Book Review Editor, Political Sociology, Journal of Political and Military Sociology, 1984-1989

Committee Member, Committee on Committees, American Sociological Association (ASA),  
1990-1992 (Acting Representative to ASA Council 1990)

Ad hoc Reviewer: The American Sociologist; The Sociological Quarterly; Social Forces;  
Sociological Inquiry; American Sociological Review; Journal of Political and Military  
Sociology; Sociological Forum; Journal of Poverty; Sociological Perspectives; Sociological  
Spectrum; Social Problems; Harourt, Brace Jonanovich; Allyn & Bacon

RESEARCH GRANTS, CONTRACTS AND AWARDS

**Social Capital and Community Development:**

- 2007 Co-Principal Investigator, “Warfare, Labor Markets, Community and HIV Aids in Uganda: Policy Implications.” To be submitted to National Institute of Health \$450,00.
- 2006 Co-Principal Investigator, “Impact Assessment and Socioeconomic Influences on Adoption of Peanut CRSP-Supported New Technology. USAID, \$70,000.
- 2004- Co-Principal Investigator, “Tobacco Use Prevention: Community Funded Projects” (Rutherford County, TN as pass-through agent for the Center for Disease Control, Atlanta, GA. Funded for \$20,000 annually, renewable for three years).
- 2004 Senior Personnel, “The Importance of Place Identity In Understanding People’s Decision-Making A Study of Repetitive Loss Properties in Urban Floodplains.” (Funded: URS and Federal Emergency Management Agency, \$145,000).
- 2004 Contractor for Project Methodology, “The Importance of Place Identity in Understanding People’s Decision-Making: A Study of Repetitive Loss Properties in Urban Floodplains.” (Funded: URS and Federal Emergency Management Agency, \$27,000).
- 2002 Senior Personnel, “Land Acquisition Programs and Community Development in the Flood Plains.” (Funded: Federal Emergency Management Agency, \$90,000).
- 2002 Co-principal Investigator, “Globalization and the New South City.” (Funded: Center for the Study of the American South at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, \$4,500)
- 2002 Co-principal Investigator, “Community Reinvestment Grant.” (Funded: Chattanooga Neighborhood Enterprise, \$35,000).

**Macro-comparative:**

- 1997- Co-principal Investigator, “Transition from State Socialism in Russia.”  
1999 (Funded: University of Utah Research Committee, \$5,000 - 1997-1999).
- 1987- Fulbright Teaching and Research Award to New Zealand (\$15,000).  
1988
- 1978- Principal Investigator, “The World System and National Attributes.” (Funded:  
1987 University of Utah Research Committee, \$5,000).

BOOKS

- 2006 Jorgensen and Edward Kick (eds.). Globalization and the Environment. Leiden, England: Brill Academic Publishers.
- 2007 Thomas Burns and Edward Kick. The Sociological Tradition. Under contract with Allyn and Bacon.

PUBLICATIONS: ARTICLES and CHAPTERS

- 2007 Fraser, James and Edward L. Kick.  
“The Role of Public, Private, Non-Profit and Community Sectors in Shaping Mixed Incomes Housing Outcomes.” Urban Studies 44:2357-2377
- 2007 Laura McKinney, Greg Fulkerson, and Edward Kick. “Investigating the Correlates of Biodiversity loss: A Cross National Quantitative Analysis of Theoretical Bird Species. Forthcoming in Human Ecology Review
- 2006 Kick, Edward L., Byron Davis and Jeffrey Kentor.  
“A Cross-National Analysis of Militarization and Inequality.” Winter Issue of Journal of Political and Military Sociology.
- 2006 Davis, Byron and Edward L. Kick.  
“Changing Scores, Composites, and Reliability Issues in Cross-National Development Research.” International Journal of Comparative Sociology.
- 2006 Jorgensen, Andrew and Edward L. Kick  
“Globalization and the Environment: An Introduction.” Forthcoming in Globalization and the Environment. Pp. 1-12 Andrew Jorgensen and Edward L. Kick (eds.) Leiden, England: Brill Academic Publishers.
- 2006 Thomas Burns, Edward Kick and Byron Davis.  
“A Quantitative Cross-National Study of Deforestation in the Late Twentieth Century: A Case of Recursive Exploitation.” Pp. 37-60 Forthcoming in Globalization and the Environment, Andrew Jorgensen and Edward L. Kick (eds.) Leiden, England: Brill Academic Publishers.
- 2006 Kick, Edward L., James C. Fraser, and Byron Davis.  
“Performance Management, Managerial Citizenship, and Worker Commitment: A Study of the United States Postal Service.” Economic and Industrial Democracy, 27:137-172.
- 2005 James Fraser and Edward Kick.  
“Understanding Community Building in Urban America.” Journal of Poverty 9:23-43.

- 2003 Andrew Jorgensen and Edward Kick.  
“Globalization and the Environment.” Journal of World-Systems Research 9:202-204.
- 2003 Thomas Burns, Edward Kick and Byron Davis.  
“Theorizing and Rethinking Linkages Between the Natural Environment and the Modern World System: Deforestation in the Late 20<sup>th</sup> Century.” Journal of World-Systems Research 9:357-390.
- 2003 James Fraser, Jonathan Lepofsky, Edward Kick and J. Patrick Williams.  
“The Construction of the Local and the Limits of Contemporary Community-Building in the United States.” Urban Affairs Review 38(3): 417-445.
- 2002 Edward Kick, Jonathan Lepofsky, and James Fraser.  
“Public and Private Partnerships in Neighborhood Change: Addressing Housing in Downtown Chattanooga.” Washington, D.C.: Urban Land Institute.
- 2002 James Fraser, Edward Kick and Kim Barber.  
“Organizational Culture as Contested Ground in an Era of Globalization: Worker Perceptions and Satisfaction in the U.S.P.S” Sociological Spectrum 22:445-471. (Nominated for Best Paper Award, 7/03).
- 2002 James Fraser, Edward Kick and Patrick Williams.  
“Neighborhood Revitalization and the Practice of Evaluation in the U.S.: Developing a Margin Research Perspective.” City and Community 1:120-126.
- 2001 Edward Kick, Byron Davis and Crystal Parker.  
“Macrosocial Causes of Suicide A Research-in-Progress Report.” International Journal of Comparative Criminology 120-126.
- 2001 Edward Kick and Byron Davis.  
World-System Structure and Change: An Analysis of Global Networks and Economic Growth Across Two Time Periods.” The American Behavioral Scientist 44:1561-1578.
- 2001 James Fraser and Edward Kick.  
“Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation Homeownership Evaluation.” Washington, D.C.: Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation.
- 2000 Edward Kick, Byron Davis, Marlene Lehtinen and Li-Ya Wang.  
“Family and Economic Growth: A World-System Approach and a Cross-National Analysis.” International Journal of Comparative Sociology 41:225-244.

- 2000 Edward Kick and James Fraser.  
"White Attitudes and Race and Income-Targeted Policies: The Relative Significance of Group Self-Interest, Stratification Beliefs, and Racial Attitudes." Journal of Poverty 4:43-71.
- 2000 James Fraser and Edward Kick.  
"Interpretive Repertoires of Whites on Race-Targeted Policies: The Use of Time in Constructing Policy Attitudes." Sociological Perspectives 43:13-28.
- 2000 Edward Kick, Byron Davis, and Marlene Lehtinen.  
"A Cross-Analysis of Democracy, Political Instability, and National Development Outcomes." Journal of Political and Military Sociology 28:131-155.
- 2000 Byron Davis and Edward Kick.  
"Human Capital Issues and Information Technology in Education in the New Millennium." Pp. 23-36 in Social Dimensions of Information Technology: Issues for the New Millennium, G. David Garson (ed.) Hershey, PA: Idea Group Publishing.
- 1999 Li-Ya Wang, Edward Kick, James Fraser and Thomas Burns.  
"Locus of Control, Self-Esteem, and Status Attainment." Sociological Spectrum v.19: 281-298. (Nominated for Best Paper Award).
- 1998 Edward L. Kick, Byron Davis, David Kiefer, and Thomas Burns.  
"A Cross-National Analysis of Militarization and Well-Being Relationships in Developing Countries." Social Science Research 27:351-370.
- 1997 Thomas Burns, Byron L. Davis and Edward L. Kick.  
"Position in The World-System and National Emissions of Greenhouse Gases." Journal of World-Systems Research 3:432-465.
- 1997 Heidi Fain, Edward L. Kick, Byron Davis, and Thomas Burns.  
"World-System Position, Tropical Climate, National Development and Infant Mortality: A Cross-National Analysis of 86 Countries." Human Ecological Review 3:197-203.
- 1996 Edward L. Kick, Thomas J. Burns, Byron Davis, David A. Murray, and Dixie A. Murray. "Impacts of Domestic Population Dynamics and Foreign Wood Trade on Deforestation: A World-System Perspective." Journal of Developing Societies 12(1):68-87.
- 1996 Byron L. Davis and Edward L. Kick.  
"Human Capital Issues in the Use of Information Technology in Education." Social Science Computer Review 14: 169-180.

- 1995 Edward L. Kick, Byron Davis, Thomas J. Burns, and Li- Ying Li.  
"World-System and National Institutional Effects on Infant Mortality in Third World Countries." International Third World Studies Journal and Review 7:61-67.
- 1995 Edward L. Kick, Byron Davis, Thomas J. Burns, and Oleg Gubin.  
"International Multiple Networks in World-System Approaches." In M.G. Everett and K. Renolls (eds.) International Conference on Social Networks 3: 237-248. London: Greenwich University Press.
- 1994 Thomas J. Burns, Edward Kick, David Murray, and Dixie Murray.  
"Demography, Development, and Deforestation in a World-System Perspective." International Journal of Comparative Sociology 35:221-239.
- 1994 Yvonne Burgess, Byron Davis, and Edward Kick.  
"Militarization and Well-Being: An Analysis of Third World Women and Men." International Third World Studies Journal and Review 5:9-23.
- 1991 Edward L. Kick, Randa Nasser, Byron Davis, and Lee Bean.  
"Militarization and Infant Mortality in the Third World." Journal of Political and Military Sociology 18:285-305.
- 1989 Byron Davis, Edward Kick and David Kiefer.  
"The World System, Militarization and National Development." Pp. 27-46 in Robert K. Schaeffer, ed. War in the World-System. New York, NY: Greenwood.
- 1987 Edward Kick.  
"World-System Structure, National Development, and the Prospects for a Socialist World Order." Pp. 127-155 in Terry Boswell and Albert Bergesen, eds. America's Changing Role in the World System. New York, NY: Praeger.
- 1987 Edward Kick and David Kiefer.  
"The Influence of the World System on War in the Third World." International Journal of Sociology and Social Policy 7:34-48.
- 1986 Edward Kick and Barn Dev Sharda.  
"Third World Development: Theory and Evidence Gaps." In S.L. Sharma, ed. Development: Socio-Cultural Dimensions. Delhi, India: Rawat Bros.

- 1986 Gary LaFree and Edward Kick.  
"Cross-National Effects of Developmental, Distributional, and Demographic Variables on Crime: Review and Analysis." International Annals of Criminology 24:213-236.
- 1986 Edward Kick and Bam Dev Sharda.  
"Third World Militarization and Development." Journal of Developing Societies 2:49-67.
- 1985 Edward Kick.  
"The Form and Operation of the World System." Boulder, Colorado: Education Resource Information Center.
- 1985 Edward Kick and Gary LaFree.  
"Development and the Social Context of Murder and Theft." Comparative Social Research 8:37-58.
- 1983 Edward Kick and Joseph Conaty.  
"African Economic Development: The Effects of Post-1960 Networks of East, West, and Chinese Penetration." Pp. 264-286 in Albert Bergesen, ed. Crisis in the World System. Beverly Hills, CA: Sage.
- 1983 Edward Kick. "World-System Properties and Military Intervention-Internal War Linkages." Journal of Political and Military Sociology 11: 185-208.
- 1980 Edward Kick.  
"World-System Properties and Mass Political Conflict Within Nations: Theoretical Framework." Journal of Political and Military Sociology 8: 175-190.
- 1980 Frank Westie and Edward Kick. "Retired Sociologists Expectations for Professional Immortality: Further Demonstrations of the Constructed Nature of Reality." The American Sociologist 15:93-99.
- 1979 David Snyder and Edward Kick.  
"Structural Position in the World System and Economic Growth, 1955-1970: A Multiple-Network Analysis of Transnational Interactions." American Journal of Sociology 84: 1096-1126. (Reprinted in Social Structure: A Network Approach, 3rd ed., S. D. Berkowitz and D. R. White, eds. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2004.)
- 1977 Ilene Bernstein, Edward Kick, Jan Leung, and Barbara Schulz.  
"Charge Reduction: An Intermediary Stage in the Process of Labelling." Social Forces 56:362-384.

- 1977 Nicholas C. Mullins, Lowell Hargens, Pamela Hecht and Edward Kick.  
"The Group Structure of Two Co-citation Clusters: A Comparative Study."  
American Sociological Review 42:552-562.

In Progress (available in draft form)

Edward L. Kick, Byron L. Davis, and Thomas J. Burns. "World-System Position, Social Institutions, and Their Coupling Effects on Economic Growth in Developing Countries." Revise/resubmit, Sociological Perspectives.

Edward Kick, James Fraser and Greg Fulkerson. "FEMA Policies and Effectiveness: The Facilitations to Migration in Flooded Communities."

Greg Fulkerson, Edward Kick and Laura McKinney. "Theoretical and Methodological Challenges to IPAT Models of Environmental Outcomes." Under Submission to Social Science Research.

Jeffrey Kentor and Edward Kick. "The Impact of Hi-Technology Military Expenditures on Labor Force Growth and Economic Development 1990-2003. A Cross National Analysis. Resubmit to American Sociological Review.

James Fraser and Edward Kick. "Mixed Income Housing: Urban Revitalization, and Community Poverty: Amelioration or Both" revise/submit. (In draft form)

Edward L. Kick and James Fraser. "Global Neo-liberalism, City Revitalization, and Community Development: A Tale of Two Cities." (In draft form)

Bird and Mammal Biodiversity: A Test of Alternative Theoretical Models: (In draft form)

William Clifford, Jerry Jacka, Edward Kick and Robert Moxley. "Policy Adoption for Agricultural Sustainability: Peanut Production, Aflatoxins and Markets in Ghana, Africa." (In draft form for USAID).

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Published Proceedings: Various

Abstracted Articles: Various

Published Book Reviews: Over 50 in a range of journals.

Teaching Publications:

- 1995 Test Item File for Macionis' Sociology (5th edition). Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice Hall.

- 1994 Study Guide for Sullivan's Sociology (3rd edition). New York, NY: Macmillan/Allyn and Bacon.
- 1993 Test Item File for Macionis' Society: The Basics (2nd edition). Englewood Cliffs, NJ:
- 1992 Test Item File for Macionis' Sociology (4th edition). Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice Hall.
- 1992 Test Item File for Macionis' Society: The Basics. Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice Hall.
- 1991 Test Item File for Macionis' Sociology (3rd edition). Englewood cliffs, NJ: Prentice Hall.
- 1990 Study Guide for Sullivan's Sociology (2nd edition). New York, NY: Macmillan Publishing Company.
- 1989 Instructor's Manual for Tischler's Introduction to Sociology (3rd edition). New York, NY: Holt, Rinehart and Winston.

#### CONFERENCE PAPERS: INTERNATIONAL

James Fraser and Edward Kick. "City Poverty and Social Policies." Presented at the International Sociological Association's *Social Inequality, Redistributive Justice, and the City Conference* in Amsterdam, Holland, 2001.

Edward Kick, Thomas Burns and Byron Davis. "Interaction Effects of World-System Position and Domestic Institutions on Economic Growth in Developing Countries." Presented at the annual meetings of the Society for Advancement of Socioeconomics, Montreal, Canada, 1997.

Thomas Burns, Edward Kick and Byron Davis. "Interaction Effects of the Colonial Legacy and Domestic Institutions in Third World Development." Presented at the annual meetings of the Society for the Advancement of Socioeconomics, Montreal, Canada, 1997.

James Fraser, Thomas J. Burns, Li-Ya Wang and Edward Kick. "The Status Attainment Process: Mediating Effects of Locus of Control and Self-Esteem in Achievement." Presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, Toronto, Canada, 1997.

Liya Wang, Edward Kick, Marlene Lehtinen and Byron Davis. "A Cross-National Analysis of the Family and National Development." Presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, Toronto, Canada, 1997.

Thomas J. Burns, Edward L. Kick and Byron L. Davis. "Development and the Colonial Legacy in Former British and French Colonies: The Contributions of Militarization and Education." Presented at annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, Toronto, Canada, 1997.

Edward Kick, Byron Davis, Thomas J. Burns and Oleg Gubin. "International Multiple Networks in World-System Approaches." Presented at the International Social Network Conference. London, England, 1995.

Edward Kick. "Militarization and Quality of Life in Third World Countries." Presented (by Dr. Barn Dev Sharda) at the annual meetings of the XII World Congress of Sociology, Madrid, Spain, 1990.

Edward Kick. "World System Structure: Economic and Non-Economic Networks." Presented at the annual meetings of the International Studies Association, London, 1989.

Edward Kick. "The Welfare State." Presented at five New Zealand Universities in conjunction with the Fulbright Lecture and Research Award, 1987-1988.

Edward Kick. "Militarism and Development." Presented at five New Zealand Universities in conjunction with the Fulbright Lecture and Research Award, 1987-1988.

Edward Kick. "Crime in New Zealand and the Pacific Basin." Presented at five New Zealand Universities in conjunction with the Fulbright Lecture and Research Award, 1987-1988.

Edward Kick. "The World System, Class and Inequality." Presented at the Australian and New Zealand Association for the Advancement of Science, Massey University, New Zealand, 1987.

Edward Kick and Gary LaFree. "Cross-National Effects of Development and Distributional and Demographic Variables on Crime." Presented at the United Nations Council on Crime Prevention, San Jose, Costa Rica, 1984.

Gary LaFree and Edward Kick. "Forecasting International Crime Rates: Policy Implications of Recent Research." Presented at the 9th International Congress on Criminology, Vienna, Austria, 1983.

Edward Kick. "World-System Properties and Military Intervention-Domestic Conflict Linkages." Presented at the annual meetings of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, Toronto, 1981.

#### CONFERENCE PAPERS: UNITED STATES

James Fraser and Edward Kick. "The Role of Public, Private, Non-Profit and Community Sectors in Shaping Mixed Income Housing Outcomes." Presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, GA, 2007.

Edward Kick. "Building Strong Sociology Departments in Public Institutions." Presented at the request of the ASA at the 13<sup>th</sup> Annual ASA Chair Conference in Montreal, Canada, 2006.

James Fraser, Edward Kick and Michael Bacon. "Uneven Urban Revitalization: Using Spatial Cluster Analysis to Examine the Mobility of Crime." Presented at the annual meetings of the Southern Sociological Society in New Orleans, LA, 2006.

Jeffrey Kentor and Edward Kick. "Military Expenditures, Economic Growth and Income Inequality: A Cross-National Study." Presented at the annual meetings of the International Studies Association in San Diego, CA, 2006.

James C. Fraser and Edward L. Kick. "The Unevenness of Neoliberal Urban Revitalization Initiatives." Presented at the annual meetings of the Society for the Study of Social Problems in Philadelphia, P A., 2005.

Edward L. Kick, Byron Davis, and Jeffrey Kentor. "A Cross-National Analysis of Militarization and Inequality." Presented at the annual meetings of the Southern Sociological Society in Charlotte, NC, 2005.

Edward L. Kick, Patricia C. Parker, James C. Fraser, and Sara R. Hall. "Globalization, Urban Revitalization, Community Building, and Homicides in a Southeastern City." Presented at the annual meetings of the Southern Sociological Society in Charlotte, NC, 2005.

Sara Hall, Edward L. Kick and James Fraser. "Gendered Perceptions of Fairness and Alienation in the United States Postal Service." Presented at the annual meetings of the Southern Sociological Society in Atlanta, GA, 2004.

James Fraser and Edward L. Kick. "Developing a Theory of Community Building." Presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association in Atlanta, GA, 2003.

James Fraser and Edward L. Kick. "Mapping the Material and Discursive Practices of Community Building." Presented at the annual meetings of the Southern Sociological Society in Baltimore, MD, 2002.

James Fraser, Edward L. Kick, and John Lepofsky. "Mobilization and Maintaining the Momentum." Presented at the 41st Annual Conference of Neighborhoods entitled *Building a Global Community* in Chattanooga, TN, 2002.

James Fraser, Edward L. Kick, and John Lepofsky. "The Keys to Successful Public-Private Relations." Presented at the 4th Annual Conference of Neighborhoods entitled *Building a Global Community* in Chattanooga, TN, 2002.

James Fraser and Edward L. Kick. "Neighborhood Revitalization and the Practice of Evaluation in the U. S.: Research in Representation as Contested Ground." Presented at the Society for Applied Sociology Annual Meeting in Kansas City, MO, 2001.

James Fraser and Edward L. Kick. "Homeownership and Its Impact on Neighborhood Revitalization." Presented at the April 16-18 Neighborhood Corporation Meeting in Chicago, IL.

Thomas J. Burns, Byron L. Davis, Andrew K. Jorgenson and Edward L. Kick. "Assessing the Short-and-Long-Term Impacts of Environmental Degradation on Social and Economic Outcomes." Presented at the 96th Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association in Anaheim, CA, 2001.

James Fraser and Edward L. Kick. "Global Imperatives, Organizational Culture, and Organizational Commitment." Presented at the Annual Southern Sociological Society Meeting in Atlanta, GA, 2001.

James Fraser and Edward L. Kick. " Shaping Local Neighborhood Revitalization: Whose Agenda Permeates Community Revitalization Activities?" Presented at the Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting in San Francisco, CA, 2001.

James Fraser and Edward L. Kick. "Organizational Culture, Worker Perceptions, and Job Satisfaction." Presented at the Mid-South Sociological Association Meetings in Knoxville, TN, 2000.

James Fraser and Edward L. Kick. "Developing Connections Between the Meaning of Community Revitalization, Public Participation, Organizational Culture, and Community Outcomes." Presented at the Mid-South Sociological Association Meetings in Knoxville, TN, 2000.

Jeffrey Kentor, Edward L. Kick and Byron Davis. "Economic Development Processes." Presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association in Washington, D.C. 2000.

Greg Gubin, Edward L. Kick, Yergenity N. Moshchelkov and Thomas Burns. "Historical Analyses of the Soviet Union and Russia." Presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association in Washington, D. C. 2000.

James Fraser and Edward L. Kick. "Organizational Culture as a Foundation for Community Initiative Success." Presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting in New Orleans, LA, 2000.

- James Fraser and Edward L. Kick. "Developing Capacity in Neighborhoods to Conduct Research." Presented at the Mid-South Sociological Society annual meeting in Jackson, MS, 1999.
- James Fraser and Edward L. Kick. "The Use of Culture in Community Development Strategies." Presented at the Society for Applied Sociology annual meeting in Dallas, TX, 1999.
- James Fraser and Edward L. Kick. "The Interpretive Repertoires of Whites on Race-Targeting Policies." Presented at Southern Sociological Society annual meeting in Nashville, TN, 1999.
- Edward L. Kick. "Cultural Politics and Community Development: The Chasm of Perceptions Between Local Elites and Community Residents." Presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting in New Orleans, LA, 1999.
- Oleg Gubin, Edward L. Kick, Thomas J. Burns, Marshall Mosdelkov and Byron L. Davis. "Rational Choice in the 1996 Russian Presidential Election." Presented at the 70th Annual Meeting of the Pacific Sociological Association, in Portland, OR, 1999.
- Edward L. Kick, Byron L. Davis and Marlene Lehtinen. "A Cross-National Analysis of Democracy, political Instability, and National Development Outcomes." Presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association in San Francisco, CA, 1998.
- Thomas J. Burns, Edward L. Kick and Byron L. Davis. "Theorizing and Rethinking Linkages Between Population and Environment." Presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association in San Francisco, CA, 1998.
- Edward Kick and James Fraser. "Support in America for Affirmative Action, Race- and Income- Targeted Policies." Presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association in San Francisco, CA, 1998.
- Edward Kick, Marlene Lehtinen, Byron Davis and Liya Wang. "Family and Economic Development: A Cross-National Analysis." Presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association in San Francisco, CA, 1998.
- Edward L. Kick, Oleg I. Gubin, Thomas J. Burns and Byron L. Davis. "Income Inequality in Russia: A World-System Analysis." Presented at the annual meetings of the Pacific Sociological Association in San Francisco, CA, 1998.
- Byron L. Davis, Edward L. Kick and Thomas J. Burns. "Pitfalls and Evidence in Assessing Change in Social and Economic Development Cross-Nationally." Presented at the National Third World Studies Conferences in Omaha, NE, 1997.

- Thomas J. Burns, Edward L. Kick, Byron L. Davis and Simon Cheng. "Environmental Problems in Developing Countries." Presented at the annual meetings of the Pacific Sociological Association in San Diego, CA, 1997.
- Thomas J. Burns, Edward L. Kick and Byron Davis. "Institutional Coupling in Former British and French Colonies: An Examination of Constraints to the Payoff of Education. " Presented at the National Third World Studies Conference in Omaha, NE, 1996.
- Edward L. Kick, Byron Davis and Thomas J. Burns. "Preconditions to Infant and Child Mortality in Third World Settings." Presented at the National Third World Studies Conference in Omaha, NE, 1996.
- Byron L. Davis and Edward L. Kick. "Global Forces, Political Economy, and the Expansion of the Virtual University." Presented at the 7th Annual Conference on Computing for the Social Sciences in Minneapolis, MN, May 1996.
- Oleg Gubin, Edward Kick and Ron Liang. "War, Peace and Social Institutions in China and Russia." Presented at the annual meeting of the Pacific Sociological Association in Seattle, WA, March 1996.
- Thomas J. Burns, Byron Davis and Edward Kick. "The World System, National Institutions, and Infant Mortality." Presented at the 18th Annual Third World Studies Conference in Omaha, NE, October 1995.
- Byron Davis and Edward Kick. "Human Capital Issues in the Use of Information Technology in Education." Presented at the annual meeting of Social Science Computing Association in San Diego, CA, June, 1995.
- Thomas J. Burns, Byron Davis and Edward Kick. "The World System, National Institutions, and the Greenhouse Effect." Presented at the 18th Annual Third World Studies Conference in Omaha, NE, October 1995.
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**University**

2007-	CHASS (College of Humanities and Social Sciences) Committee on College Budget Principles (NCSU)
2006-	CHASS Steering Committee of Department Heads and Dean
2005-present	CHASS Committee on Evaluation of Department Heads
2005-present	CALS (College of Agriculture and Life Sciences) Safety Committee
2005-present	CALS Department Heads Committee
2004-2005	Steering Committee for Executive Provost and Council of Chairs
2004-2005	Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity Committee
2004-2005	MTSU Ad Hoc Scheduling Committee
2003-2004	Steering Committee: Jennings Jones Chair of Excellence in Urban and Regional Planning
2004	Advising Awards Ad Hoc Committee

2004 Minority Dissertation Fellowship Committee  
 2003-2004 President, MTSU Council of Chairs  
 2003-2004 Deans and Directors Committee  
 2003-2004 Deans and Chairs Group  
 2003-2004 Steering Committee on Adjunct Recruitment, Preparation and Compensation  
 2003 Undergraduate Research Initiative  
 2003-2004 CLUE (Classroom and Laboratory Utilization and Effectiveness) Committee  
 2003-2004 Coordinators Group for 120-Hour Degree Program  
 2003 Committee on Adjunct Criteria, Selection and Compensation  
 2003 Co-Coordinator, Ad Hoc Committee on Streamlining University Paperwork  
 2002-2003 President-Elect, MTSU Chairs Council  
 2002- Coordinator, MTSU Adjunct Criteria and Evaluation Committee  
 2002 President's Commission on Honors  
 2002 University Applied Research Task Force  
 2001- Committee on Family-Centered Community Building  
 2000-2001 Co-Chair, Ad hoc Committee on Roles and Responsibilities of Chairs  
 1999- 2000 Co-Chair, Ad hoc Committee on the Survey of Chairs (MTSU)  
 1994-1999 Ad Hoc Committee on Mediation in Juvenile Justice Cases  
 1988-1998 University Academics and Athletics Recruitment Program  
 1996-1997 University of Utah Undergraduate Council (UUUC:UT)  
 1996-1997 UUUC Subcommittee on Quantitative Reasoning Requirement  
 1996-1997 UUUC Subcommittee on Continuing Education and Correspondence Study  
 1997 Internal Review Committee: Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology  
 1996 University of Utah Graduate Council  
 1984-1995 Cambridge University Study Abroad Program  
 1995 Grant Reviewer, HETI (State Technology Initiative)  
 1995 Internal Reviewer: Exercise and Sports Science  
 1990-1992 University of Utah International Studies Task Force  
 1989-1992 University of Utah Martin Luther King Jr., Event Planning Committee  
 1991 Ad Hoc Committee on Minority Student Retention  
 1991 University of Utah Undergraduate Advisory Committee  
 1991 Task Force to Study Future Uses of Fort Douglas, University of Utah  
 1991 University of Utah Task Force for Expanding Opportunities for Women on Campus  
 1990-1991 Head, University of Utah Teaching Committee  
 1989-1991 Equal Opportunity Commission Subcommittee on the Status of Women  
 University of Utah  
 1989-1991 Equal Opportunity Commission  
 1988-1990 University Teaching Committee  
 1987-1990 African Studies Program Committee  
 1987-1990 International Studies Committee  
 1986-1990 International Teaching Assistants Task Force  
 1982-1990 Liberal Education Study Abroad Scholarships Committee  
 1984-1990 Chairperson, Cambridge University Study Abroad Program  
 1989 Graduate Internal Review Committee, University of Utah Survey Research Center

1989 Graduate Internal Review Committee, Department of Cellular, Viral and Molecular Biology  
1989 Presidential Task-Force on the Undergraduate Experience (Task Force on Leadership and Organization)  
1989 University Representative to NASULGC Conference on Title XI Grants  
1987-1989 Board of Directors, Supplementary Instruction Program  
1986-1987 University Senate Academic Policy and Advising Committee  
1984-1987 Director, International Studies  
1986 Graduate Internal Review Committee, Department of Geography

### **College**

2002 Coordinator, Ad Hoc Committee on Community Development, College of Liberal Arts  
2000 CCAS Chairs Seminar: Liberal Arts College  
1999, 2002- Windham Lecture Series Selection Committee (MTSU) and Sponsoring Department  
1999 Council of Chairs  
1998-99 Sabbaticals Committee, Social and Behavioral Sciences College (SBS)  
1988-1999 University Academics and Athletics Recruitment Program  
1995 SBS College Superior Teaching Award Committee  
1992-1993 Coordinator, SBS College Internship Initiative  
1992 SBS College Advisory Board  
1989-1990 College of Social and Behavioral Sciences Teaching Committee  
1983-1985 Liberal Education Area Committee  
1981-1983 College Curriculum Committee

### **Departmental**

1978-Current, Various

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