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### **EDUCATION**

Institution	Degree	Year
Northwestern University	B.S. Communication Studies	1989
The Wheaton College Graduate School	M.A. Intercultural Studies	1990
University of California, San Diego	Ph.D. Communication	1999

Dissertation title: "Writing Conflicts: An Activity-Theoretical Analysis of the Development of the Network for Ethnological Monitoring and Early Warning."

## **ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

<u>Institution</u>	Position	Period
University of Washington		
Department of Communication	Professor	2001-present
Shenzhen University, China	Visiting Scholar	Autumn 2016
University of Helsinki, Finland	Visiting Scholar	Spring 2001
University of Pennsylvania		
Annenberg Public Policy Center,		
Information & Society Program	Research Fellow	1999-2001

# **SELECTED AWARDS AND HONORS**

- Best Interactive Poster Award for "Extending the Four Flows CCO Model to Explain Coalition
  Outcomes: A Comparative Analysis of Counter-Human Trafficking Coalitions in the Global South,"
  from the Organizational Communication Division of the International Communication Association,
  2019.
- Sue DeWine Distinguished Book Award for *Collaborating Against Human Trafficking*, from the Applied Communication Division of the National Communication Association, 2016.
- Book of the Year Award for *Collaborating Against Human Trafficking*, from the Organizational Communication Division of the National Communication Association, 2016.
- Best Poster Award for "Leveraging computational social science by combining hyperlink and textual analyses: The case of online anti-human trafficking networks," Journal of Information Technology and Politics annual conference, 2011.

#### SELECTED CONSULTANCIES & PROFESSIONAL TRAININGS

- Consultations on strategic planning and facilitation of semi-annual planning workshops, Washington State Task Force on Human Trafficking, 2018-2019.
- Collaboration evaluations & action research on the U.S. Department of Justice Enhanced Collaborative Model grant to the Washington Advisory Committee on Human Trafficking, annually 2016-2021.

- Training workshops on counter-trafficking collaboration for international delegations of counter-trafficking experts via the U.S. State Department's International Visitors' Leadership Program, 2014-2019.
- Consultations and webinar training on trauma-informed evaluation of collaboration and collaboration practices in counter-human trafficking task forces, U.S. Dept. of Justice/Office for Victims of Crime, July 2018, October, 2018, November 2019.
- Collaboration evaluation of the U.S. Department of Justice Enhanced Collaborative Model grant to the Los Angeles Regional Human Trafficking Task Force, autumn 2018.
- Webinar training for survivors of human trafficking on navigating power in collaborations, National Survivor Network, October, 2018.
- Consultations on agenda development and emcee for Seattle Police Department's Advanced Human Trafficking Training conference for regional law enforcement, spring 2018.
- Consultations on Web interface and database design, U.S. Freedom Registry, 2010-2012.
- Consultations on research design and data analysis, Seattle and King County Public Health, 2010-2011.
- Consultation on hyperlink mapping and analysis, Global Action Network, 2008.
- Consortium evaluation, Forum on Early Warning and Early Response, London, UK, 2002.

## SELECTED RESEARCH AND EDUCATIONAL GRANTS

- Chab Dai International for research on "Counter-Trafficking Coalition Development" (2016). \$3000
- Mack Center on Nonprofit and Public Sector Management in the Human Services, School of Social Welfare, University of California – Berkeley for "Analyzing Social Service Provision with Cultural-Historical Activity Theory" (2013). \$4000
- PI, grants/gifts from Microsoft Research, Imago Dei Fund, the Namaste Foundation, Zum Communications and six individuals in support of book on collaboration challenges in efforts to counter human trafficking (2012). \$26,100
- PI, "Cross-National Comparative Analysis of Electoral Web Practices," UW Royalty Research Fund grant (2004-2005). \$32,000
- PI, Pew Charitable Trusts grant: "2002 Election Web Archive Project," (2002-2003). \$535,000
- Co-PI, (Steven M. Schneider, PI), Pew Internet & American Life Project grant: "The Web in the Aftermath of the September 11 Attacks," (2001-2002). \$81,500
- Fulbright Faculty Research Fellowship, University of Helsinki, Finland, (2001).

# **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Books**

Kirsten Foot, 2016, *Collaborating Against Human Trafficking: Cross-Sector Challenges and Practices*, Rowman and Littlefield Publishers.

\*Sue DeWine Distinguished Book Award from the Applied Communication Division of the National Communication Association, 2016.

\*Book of the Year Award from the Organizational Communication Division of the National Communication Association, 2016.

\*Finalist for Foreword Review's 2015 INDIEFAB Book of the Year Award in the Social Sciences, adjudicated by the American Library Association.

\*Selected by the Intersector Project as "one of the most valuable books on cross-sector collaboration published in 2015."

\*Reviewed in these journals: Administrative Sciences Quarterly; J. of Human Trafficking; J. of Interprofessional Practice; Slavery Today; Social Work

Tarleton Gillespie, Pablo Boczkowski, & Kirsten Foot (Eds.), 2014, *Media Technologies: Essays on Communication, Materiality, and Society*, MIT Press.

Randolph Kluver, Nicholas Jankowski, Kirsten Foot, and Steven Schneider (Eds.), 2007, *The Web and National Elections: A Comparative Study of Web Campaigning*, Routledge.

Kirsten Foot and Steven M. Schneider, 2006, Web Campaigning, MIT Press.

\* Doris Graber Outstanding Book Award from the Political Communication Division of the American Political Science Association, 2008.

#### **Selected Recent Refereed Articles**

Kirsten Foot, Helen Sworn, and AnnJanette Alejano-Steele, 2019, "Structures and Practices of Cross-Sector Engagement in Counter-Human Trafficking Coalitions in the Global South," *Cosmopolitan Civil Societies: An Interdisciplinary Journal*, 11(1): 27-45. https://epress.lib.uts.edu.au/journals/index.php/mcs/article/view/6259

Kirsten Foot, Amoshaun Toft, and Nina Cesare, 2015, "Developments in Anti-Trafficking Efforts: 2008-2011," the *Journal of Human Trafficking*, 1(2):136-155. DOI: 10.1080/23322705.2014.980663.

Kirsten Foot, 2015, "Using Cultural-Historical Activity Theory to Analyze Social Service Practices Evolving from the Norwegian HUSK Projects," the *Journal of Evidence-Based Social Work*. 12(1):112-123. DOI: 10.1080/15433714.2014.960243.

http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/15433714.2014.960243#.VMxaKC4SNuo

Kirsten Foot and John Vanek, 2012, "Toward Constructive Engagement Between Local Law Enforcement and Mobilization and Advocacy Nongovernmental Organizations About Human Trafficking: Recommendations for Law Enforcement Executives," *Law Enforcement Executive Forum*, 12(1), March, https://www.iletsbei.com/forum/articledetail.php?recordID=1319.

Kirsten Foot and Carole Groleau, 2011, "Contradictions, Transitions, and Materiality in Organizing Processes: An Activity Theory Perspective," *First Monday*, 16(6), June, http://firstmonday.org/htbin/cgiwrap/bin/ojs/index.php/fm/article/view/3479/2983.

W. Lance Bennett, Kirsten A. Foot, Michael Xenos, 2011, "Narratives and Network Organizations: A Comparison of Fair Trade Systems in Two Nations," *Journal of Communication*, 61(2):219-245.

# **Selected Recent Invited Book Chapters**

Kirsten Foot, 2019, "Multisector Collaboration Against Human Trafficking," in *The Palgrave International Handbook on Human Trafficking*, John Winterdyk and Jackie Jones (Eds.), Palgrave.

Elizbeth Parks and Kirsten Foot, 2019, "Conceptualizing Listening as Voice and its Affordances for Collaboration Scholarship in *Voices*, Patricia Moy and Donald Matheson (Eds.), Peter Lang.

Kirsten Foot, 2011, "Actors and Activities in the Anti-Human Trafficking Movement," in R. Thakur and J. Heine (Eds.) *The Dark Side of Globalization*, United Nations Press, pp. 249-265.

### SELECTED RECENT INVITED LECTURES

"Developing a Multilevel Constitutive Communication Approach to Organizing," Department of Communication, University of California San Diego, October 3, 2019.

- "Fraught Axes in Multisector Collaboration and Why They Matter for Engaged Scholars of Communication," Plenary keynote, Aspen Engaged Conference, Aspen CO, July 27, 2019.
- "Engaged Communication Scholarship," School of Communication Studies, Ohio University, March 14, 2017.
- "Participatory Action Research Across Organizations," Department of Communication Studies, Baylor University, February 17, 2017.
- "How to Conduct Rigorous Qualitative Research," School of Communication and Media, Shenzhen University, November 28, 2016
- "Transnational Human Trafficking and Efforts to End It," Lampert Institute for Global and Civil Affairs, Colgate University, Hamilton, NY, September 25, 2016.
- "Human Trafficking and the Anti-Trafficking Movement Through a Gender Lens," Trinity Western University, Langley, British Columbia, Canada, March 9, 2016.
- "Multisector Collaboration for Human Rights: Lessons and Questions from Anti-Human Trafficking Alliances," Center for Human Rights, UW, February 24, 2016.
- "Doing Participatory Action Research on Counter-Trafficking Efforts," Simpson Center for the Humanities, UW, December 7, 2015.
- "Collaborating Against Human Trafficking," Colorado Network to End Human Trafficking, Denver, CO, November 10, 2015.
- "Collaborating Against Human Trafficking," Southern Colorado Task Force on Human Trafficking, Colorado Springs, CO, November 10, 2015.

#### SELECTED RECENT INVITED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- "Multi-Disciplinary Collaboration: Real World Strategies, Practices, and Tools," with Deborah Pembroke and Kathleen Morris, Freedom Network USA annual conference, Washington, D.C., March 20-21, 2019.
- "Effective Cross-Sector Collaboration," plenary at Seattle Police Department's Advanced Human Trafficking Training conference for law enforcement, Burien, WA, June 12-13, 2018.
- "Facing the Challenges of Collaborating Against Human Trafficking," keynote plenary at the Human Trafficking Research and Advisory Roundtable Conference, San Diego, CA, February 4, 2017.
- "Cross-Sector Collaboration Against Human Trafficking," the Regional Implementation Initiative on Combating Human Trafficking, Vienna, Austria, November 20, 2015.
- "Community Engagement," Summit on Collective Impact, Northwestern University's Network on Nonprofit and Social Impact, Evanston, IL, November 2-3, 2015.
- "Collaborating Against Human Trafficking," keynote plenary at Ensure Justice Conference, Global Center for Women & Justice, Vanguard University, Costa Mesa, CA, March 3, 2015.
- "Collaborating on Outreach to Potential Victims of Human Trafficking," the Freedom Network Conference, San Francisco, CA, April 1, 2014.

"Race, Class, and Gender in Multisector Collaboration Against Human Trafficking," at the Engage for Impact Summit, Washington Engage, Seattle, WA, October 5, 2013.

"Challenges in Collaboration between Law Enforcement and NGOs," the National Conference of the Laboratory to Combat Human Trafficking, Denver, Co, March 7-8, 2013.

"Working Across Sectors to Combat Human Trafficking," the National Conference of the Laboratory to Combat Human Trafficking, Denver, Co, March 7-8, 2013.

## RECENT COMPETITIVELY-SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Kirsten Foot, Helen Sworn, and AnnJanette Alejano-Steele, "Extending the Four Flows CCO Model to Explain Coalition Outcomes: A Comparative Analysis of Counter-Human Trafficking Coalitions in the Global South," International Communication Association Annual Conference, Organizational Communication Division, Washington DC, May 24-28, 2019. [Interactive Poster Presentation]

Elizabeth Parks and Kirsten Foot, "Conceptualizing Listening as Voice and Invitation to Hospitable Dialogue in Collaborative Processes," International Communication Association Annual Conference, Organizational Communication Division, Prague, May 24-27, 2018.

Kirsten Foot, Helen Sworn, and AnnJanette Alejano-Steele, "Structures and Practices of Cross-Sector Engagement in Counter-Human Trafficking Coalitions in the Global South," Rethinking Cross-Sector Social Innovation Conference, organized by the Social Innovation and Change Initiative at Harvard Kennedy School, Cambridge, April 5-6, 2018.

Kirsten Foot, "Mitigating Potential Harms While Conducting Participatory Action Research on Collaborations to Counter Human Trafficking," Aspen Conference on Engaged Communication Scholarship, July 30-August 1, 2016.

Kirsten Foot, "Race and Gender in U.S. Counter-Trafficking Efforts," Seventh Interdisciplinary Human Trafficking Conference, University of Nebraska – Lincoln, Nebraska, October 1-3, 2015.

Kirsten Foot, Amoshaun Toft, and Nina Cesare, "How Efforts to Counter Human Trafficking Have Evolved," Sixth Interdisciplinary Human Trafficking Conference, University of Nebraska – Lincoln, Nebraska, October 9-11, 2014.

Kirsten Foot & John Vanek, "Toward Constructive Engagement Between Local Law Enforcement and Mobilization and Advocacy Nongovernmental Organizations About Human Trafficking," Fourth Interdisciplinary Human Trafficking Conference, University of Nebraska – Lincoln, Nebraska, October 11-13, 2012.

# SELECTED RECENT PUBLIC SERVICE

Member of the Board of Directors for 10 Thousand Windows, January 2018-present.

Member of the Washington Advisory Committee on Trafficking, 2010-present.

Member of the National Steering Committee for the U.S. Freedom Registry and the Freedom Collaborative, 2009-2015.

Member of the National Advisory Board of the Laboratory to Combat Human Trafficking's Colorado Project, 2010-2013.

Advisor to Western Washington Coalition Against Human Trafficking, 2009-2011.