

## CLAUDIA GASTROW

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### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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2023-present	Assistant Professor, Sociology and Anthropology, North Carolina State University
2020-2023	Senior lecturer (South African equivalent to advanced Assistant Professor, with tenure), Anthropology and Development Studies, University of Johannesburg
2016-2020	Lecturer (South African equivalent to Assistant Professor), Anthropology and Development Studies, University of Johannesburg
2014-2016	Postdoctoral fellow, University of the Witwatersrand

### EDUCATION

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2014	PhD, Anthropology, University of Chicago
2007	MA, African Studies, University of Basel, <i>summa cum laude</i> Concentrations in Anthropology and History
2006	BA(Honors), Historical Studies, University of Cape Town, First class pass
2004	B.Soc.Sci, Historical Studies and Political Science, University of Cape Town, Degree with distinction

### PUBLICATIONS

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#### Monograph

2024	<i>The Aesthetics of Belonging: Indigenous urbanism and city building in oil-boom Luanda</i> . Chapel Hill: The University of North Carolina Press.
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#### Refereed Articles

Under Review	“Imposing Geographies: Risk, Enclaving and Real Estate in Urban Africa” Special Issue on new practices of enclaving in Africa. <i>Africa</i> .
2022	“If Angola were Libya: Protest and politics in Angola” <i>Transformation: Critical Perspectives on Southern Africa</i> , 108(1): 11-34.
2020	“Housing Middle Classness: Formality and distinction in Luanda, Angola” <i>Africa</i> , 90(3): 509-28.
2020	“DIY Verticality: The politics of materiality in Luanda” <i>City and Society</i> , 32(1): 93-117
2020	“Urban States: The Presidency and planning in Luanda, Angola” <i>International Journal of Urban and Regional Research</i> , 44(2): 366-83
2017	“Cement Citizens: Housing, demolition and political belonging in Luanda, Angola” <i>Citizenship Studies</i> , 21(2): 224-39
2017	“Aesthetic Dissent: Urban redevelopment and political belonging in Luanda, Angola” <i>Antipode</i> , 49(2): 377-96. *Winner of the 2018 Central African Studies Association Award for best paper published internationally on Central Africa by an early career scholar*
2014	“Vamos Construir!: Revendications foncières et géographie du pouvoir à Luanda, Angola” <i>Politique Africaine</i> , 132: 49-72

- 2011 “Contested Aesthetics: Urban redevelopment and citizenship in Luanda, Angola” *Mulemba – Revista Angolana de Ciências Sociais*, 1(1): 93-106.
- 2005 “Struggling for Freedom: The divestment movement at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1977-1987” *Safundi*, 6(4): 1-26.

### Special Issues

- 2019 Co-editor with Jeremy Ball (Dickenson College) of special issue of *Kronos*: “Angola: Nationalist narratives and alternative histories.”

### Refereed Book Chapters

- Forthcoming “Living with Ruination: Building collapse and the political economy of materiality in Luanda.” In *Handbook on Politics and Society*, eds. Shireen Hassim and Anna Kortweg. Northampton, MA: Edward Elgar.
- 2024 The Socialist Atlantic: Rethinking Luanda from the *prédios cubanos*. In *Regional Drift: Remapping Africa’s southern oceans*, eds. Pamila Gupta and Caio Simões de Araújo. London: Routledge.
- 2021 “Capturing *Poder Popular*: Governance and control in early socialist Angola.” In *Socialismes en Afrique/Socialisms in Africa*, ed. François Blum. Paris: Maison de Sciences de l’Homme.
- 2019 “The Politics of Repair: Talatona and luxury urbanism in Luanda, Angola.” In *African Luxury: Aesthetics and Politics*, eds. Simidele Dosekun and Mehita Iqani. Chicago: Intellect Books.
- 2019 “Recycling Consumption: Political power and elite wealth in Angola.” In *Conspicuous Consumption in Africa*, eds. Deborah Posel and Ilana van Wyk. Johannesburg: Wits University Press.

### Non-Refereed Publications (selected)

- Forthcoming “Belonging.” In *The Social Properties of Concrete*, eds. Eli Elinoff and Kali Rubaii, London: Punctum Books.
- 2022 “Aesthetics and the Making of Urban Futures in Angola.” *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*, Spotlight on African Urban Futures, ed. Claire Mercer, <https://www.ijurr.org/spotlight-on/african-futures/aesthetics-and-the-making-of-urban-futures-in-luanda-angola/>
- 2017 “Urban” *Somatosphere*, 6 November. Special collection on Toxicity, Waste and Detritus in the Global South: Africa and Beyond, eds. Gabriel Hecht and Pamila Gupta: <https://somatosphere.com/2017/urban.html/>
- 2016 “Design and Temporality: Integration” *Cultural Anthropology*, 27 June. Conversations series: <https://culanth.org/fieldsights/design-and-temporality-integration>
- 2015 “Thinking futures through the slum.” *The Avery Review*, September, Issue 9: <https://www.averyreview.com/issues/9/thinking-futures>

### Media and Public Engagement

- 2022 (with Gilson Lázaro) “Angola’s Eduardo dos Santos: a divisive figure in life – and death,” *The Conversation*, 22 July: <https://theconversation.com/angolas-eduardo-dos-santos-a-divisive-figure-in-life-and-in-death-187462>

- 2020 “New leader is changing Angola, but the end destination is not clear,” *The Conversation*, 6 February: <https://theconversation.com/new-leader-is-changing-angola-but-the-end-destination-isnt-clear-131063>
- “Laundering Isabel Dos Santos,” *Africa is a Country*, 20 January: <https://africasacountry.com/2020/01/laundering-isabel-dos-santos>
- 2019 “Scenes from a dry city,” *Africa is a Country*, 9 June: <https://africasacountry.com/2019/06/scenes-from-a-dry-city>
- 2018 “Cape Town’s water woes are the norm for the city’s black residents,” *Africa is a Country*, 28 February: <https://africasacountry.com/2018/02/cape-towns-water-woes-are-the-norm-for-the-citys-black-residents>
- 2017 “Angola’s ruling party regains power but faces legitimacy question,” *The Conversation*, 14 September. <https://theconversation.com/angolas-ruling-party-regains-power-but-faces-legitimacy-questions-83983>
- 2016 “No Change on the horizon for Angola,” *Cape Times*, 22 February.  
 “Dos Santos maintains the status quo while suggesting change in Angola,” *The Conversation*, 29 March: <https://theconversation.com/dos-santos-maintains-the-status-quo-while-suggesting-change-in-angola-56883>
- 2015 “Why the residents of Luanda are asking: Where did all the riches go?” *The Conversation*, 29 October: <https://theconversation.com/why-luandas-residents-are-asking-where-did-all-the-oil-riches-go-49772>
2013. “The increasingly shaky edifice of Luanda,” 8 November. *Africa Is a Country*. <http://africasacountry.com/author/claudia-gastrow/>  
 “Angolan Elections 2012: Beer and circuses no longer enough,” 30 August. *African Arguments*. <http://africanarguments.org/2012/08/30/angolan-elections-2012-beer-and-circuses-no-longer-enough-by-claudia-gastrow/>

### Book reviews

- 2022 “Review of Paula Christina Roque. *Governing in the Shadows: Angola’s securitized state*.” In *Transformation: Critical Perspectives in Southern Africa*, 110: 132-134.
- 2021 Review of David Birmingham. *A Short History of Modern Angola*. In *Transformation: Critical Perspectives on Southern Africa*, 106: 115-118.  
 “Review of Maria do Carmo Piçarra and Teresa Castro (eds.) 2017. *(Re)Imagining African Cinema: Film, Visual Arts and the Fall of the Portuguese Empire*” In *Journal of African Cinema*. 12.  
 “Review of Jess Auerbach. *From Water to Wine: Becoming Middle-Class in Angola*,” May. H-Luso Africa, H-Net Reviews: <https://networks.h-net.org/node/7926/reviews/7735347/gastrow-auerbach-water-wine-becoming-middle-class-angola>
- 2017 “The multiplicity and contradictions of modernization highlighted – *Modernization as Spectacle in Africa*, Peter J. Bloom, Stephan F. Miescher and Takyiwaa Manuh (eds)” *Historia*. 62(1): 125-128.
- 2016 “Oxford Street, Accra: City life and itineraries of transnationalism,” *Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute* (22): 1020 – 1021.  
 “Political Identity and Conflict in Central Angola, 1975-2002,” *Anthropology Southern Africa*. 39 (2): 170-172.

- 2015 “The Unpredictable Past: A review of *In the Name of the People: Angola’s Forgotten Massacre*,” *The Salon*, Vol 10.
- 2013 “Cubans in Angola: South-South Cooperation and Transfer of Knowledge, 1976 – 1991,” *South African Historical Journal*. 67 (4): 475-478.
- “Legacies and Losses: A review of *Claim no Easy Victories: The Legacy of Amilcar Cabral*. *Feminist Africa*,” (20): 127-131.
- 2013 “From London to Luanda: A review of Daniel Metcalfe’s *Blue Dahlia, Black Gold*,” 29 October, *African Arguments*:  
<http://africanarguments.org/2013/10/29/from-london-to-luanda-review-of-daniel-metcalfes-blue-dahlia-black-gold-by-claudia-gastrow/>

## TEACHING & ADVISING

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### Courses Taught at North Carolina State University

- Introduction to Cultural Anthropology (requirement for majors, approximately 50 students)
- Practicing Anthropology (mixed graduate and advanced undergraduate course, focus on contemporary social theory and ethnographic writing, 15 students)
- People and Cultures of Africa (undergraduate survey course on African studies and the anthropology of Africa, 20 students)

### Courses Taught at the University of Johannesburg

- Introduction to Anthropology (Requirement for majors, survey course of anthropology with a focus on its history and development in Africa, 450 students)
- Political Anthropology (Senior course, focus on Africa, 10 students)
- The Anthropology of Space and Place (Survey course, focus on African urbanism, 200 students)
- Anthropological Theory (Senior level course, an overview of the history and current state of anthropological theory, 50 students)
- Reading Anthropological Debates through Ethnography (200 students)

### Courses Taught at the University of Chicago

- Urban Africa: Writing the World from the African Metropolis (10 students)

### Graduate supervision

#### *Masters*

- Praveer Patel, “The digital driver: An ethnographic study of social media through car culture perspectives” (2020, University of Johannesburg)

#### *PhD*

- Praveer Patel, “Disease Detectives: An ethnographic study of biomedical knowledge production in the South African Covid-19 epidemic” (2020 – present, Anthropology, University of Johannesburg, currently writing)
- Nina Barnett, “Water and Politics in Johannesburg” (2021 – present, Creative Practice/Fine Arts, University of Johannesburg, currently writing)

- Maria Rodner, “Education and aspiration in Mozambique” (2021 – present, Anthropology, University of Johannesburg, currently writing)
- Heather van Niekerk, “Ways we make the city: Creative interventions and their role in constructing everyday life in Johannesburg” (2021 – present, currently writing)

### **Additional supervision and mentoring**

- 2023 External member of dissertation defense committee for Katarina Blank, Department of Anthropology, Columbia University
- 2023-present Postdoctoral academic mentor, Erin Jordan, North Carolina State University

### **AWARDS, GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

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- 2021 Faculty of Humanities Emerging Researcher Award, University of Johannesburg, Urban Studies Foundation International Fellowship. Writing fellowship hosted by Harvard Mellon Urban Initiative, Harvard University.
- 2019 British Academy-Academy of Science of South Africa, Early Career Workshop on Urban Lives.
- 2019-2023 Norwegian Research Council, “Urban enclaving futures” grant. Collaboration between academics in Mozambique, South Africa, Ghana, the UK and Norway to focus on contemporary enclaving practices in African cities.
- 2019-2023 Stellenbosch Institute for Advanced Studies Iso Lomso Fellowship for Emerging African Scholar (placed on hold for 2020 and 2021 due to maternity leave and Covid-19 pandemic).
- 2018 Central African Studies Article Award: Awarded by the Central African Studies Association for the best article written about Central Africa by an early career scholar during 2017 and 2018.
- 2018-19 Institute for Advanced Studies, Princeton, Fellow in Summer Program in the Social Sciences. Two-year fellowship program to advance collaborations between early career scholars from Africa, the Middle East, and Latin America.
- 2018 University of Birmingham, Cadbury Bursary to attend to ASAUK Conference.
- 2016 Cambridge University, Junior African Scholar Travel Award, Cambridge Centre for African Studies.
- 2015-16 American Council of Learned Societies, African Humanities Program Postdoctoral Fellow.
- 2013 Pozen Human Rights Fellow, University of Chicago.
- 2012 Residential Fellow at the Centre for the Study of Race, Politics, and Culture, University of Chicago.
- Urban Doctoral Fellow, Urban Network, University of Chicago.
- 2011-12 Social Science Research Council International Dissertation Research Fund.
- 2010-11 Wenner-Gren Foundation Dissertation Fieldwork Grant.  
Wenner-Gren Osmundsen Initiative Grant.
- National Science Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant
- 2009 University of Chicago, Human Rights Fellowship for summer internship and research.
- 2008 Middlebury College, Kathryn Davis Fellowship for Peace: Awarded to cover the total costs of attending the summer 2008 Portuguese Language School.

2007-2014 University of Chicago Graduate Aid Initiative Fellowship. Awarded to cover the costs of graduate level study (fees and stipend) at the University of Chicago.

## INVITED TALKS

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- 2024 “The Aesthetics of Belonging: Indigenous urbanism and city building in oil-boom Luanda,” November 6, Center for African Studies Lecture Series, Yale University, New Haven, CT.
- 2023 “Indigenous urbanism and the materiality of property in Luanda, Angola,” November 7, Leuven University, Belgium.
- 2022 Keynote: “Indigenous urbanism and city-building in Luanda, Angola.” African Urbanities Summer Institute. October 19, Makerere University, Uganda.
- 2019 “The discomforts of home: Class, infrastructure and aesthesis in Luanda, Angola,” April 16, Stellenbosch Institute for Advanced Studies, Stellenbosch, South Africa.
- 2018 “‘Stealing taps is a crime against the people’: Civility and materiality in Luanda, Angola” December 3, African Studies Workshop. Harvard University, Cambridge, MA.
- “Musseques city: Urban autochthony and material belonging,” November 27, Colby College, Waterville, ME.
- 2015 “Thinking futures through the slum,” April 10. Housing the Majority. Columbia University, New York, NY.
- 2011 “Antropologia urbana: O caso de Luanda,” September 21, University of Agostinho Neto, Luanda, Angola

## CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

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### Conferences and Workshops Organized

- 2024 Symposium co-organizer. “African Studies and Black Studies: Intersections, Genealogies, and New Directions,” Collaboration between the *African Studies Review* and Duke University, 1-2 November.
- 2019 Workshop co-organizer. ‘Angola: Nationalist Narratives and Alternative Histories’ University of Johannesburg, 14-15 January.
- 2015 Symposium co-organizer. “Pan-Africanism in the Age of Xenophobia” University of the Witwatersrand. Johannesburg, 3 – 4 June.
- 2015 Workshop Coordinator. “Public Space, Infrastructure and Informality in the Splintering City” University of Michigan-Ann Arbor and University of the Witwatersrand collaboration. Johannesburg, 4- 11 May.
- 2014 Co-organizer. “Workshop on Angolan Urban Studies” Luanda, Angola, 5 and 6 December.

### Invited Workshop Participation (selected)

- 2024 Participant in round table: “Assentamentos humanos autoconstruídos e/ou autoproduzidos em Moçambique, Brasil, Angola e Portugal” at Simpósio Internacional “A Questão E Os Desafios Dos Assentamentos Humanos

- Autoconstruídos E Autoproduzidos Nos Países Lusófonos, University of São Paulo, São Paulo, Brazil.
- 2023 Presenter, “Living with Ruination: Building Collapse and the Political Economy of Materiality in Angola,” September 21-22, Institute for African Studies, Carlton University, Canada.
- 2022 Presenter, “The Socialist Atlantic: Rethinking Luanda from the *prédios Cubanos*,” November 4-7, Oceanic Africa Workshop. Organized by the University of the Witwatersrand and Kaleidoscopio. Maputo, Mozambique.
- 2018 Presenter, “Suspicious constructions” December 7-10, Suspicious Materialities Workshop. Lusaka, 7-10 December.
- Presenter, “A descolonização da universidade em África do Sul: Poder, instituições e mobilização,” September 21-25, *Humanidades públicas: Pensar a Liberdade na universidade africana*. Catholic University of Angola. Luanda, 21-25 September.
- Presenter, “Autochthonous urbanism,” 5-6 June, African Metropolitan Futures workshop. Organized by Bergen University. Cape Town. 5 – 6 June.
- Presenter, “The abject city: Musseque and cidade in Luanda” March 12-13, Afrotopias workshop. Organized by Bergen University. Zanzibar, Tanzania.
- 2017 Presenter, “High-Rise Stories: Architectural politics in Luanda,” The Political Materiality of Cities workshop. University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam, 28-29 September.
- 2016 Presenter, “Kilamba and continuities of class in Luanda’s new suburbs,” 17-19 October, Global Suburbanisms workshop. Johannesburg Institute for Advanced Studies, Johannesburg, South Africa.
- Presenter, “The discomforts of home,” July 10-15, Technology Studies in Africa workshop. Organized by the University of Michigan Ann Arbor and the University of the Witwatersrand, Durban, South Africa.
- Presenter, “Toxic politics,” July 7-8, Interdisciplinary Workshop on Toxicities, Waste, Detritus. Durban, South Africa.
- 2015 “I have the same qualities as them: Differentiated citizenship and the sensual politics of class in Luanda, Angola,” February 4-5, Differentiated Citizenship: A North/South Dialogue. University of the Witwatersrand. Johannesburg, South Africa.

### Conference participation (selected)

- 2023 “Building Revolution in the Atlantic World: Remaking diaspora through Angola’s *prédios cubanos*.” 2<sup>nd</sup> International Congress on Colonial and Postcolonial Architecture: Colonialism and War. January 18-20, Lisbon, Portugal.
- 2023 Roundtable participant. “Imagining Africa in the Postcolonial City: Interdisciplinary Reflections on the book *Congo Style*,” African Studies Association annual meeting, November 30 – December 2, San Francisco, CA.
- 2023 Roundtable participant. “Author meets Critic: Tasha Rijke-Epstein, *Children of the Soil: The Power of the Built Form in Urban Madagascar*.” African Studies Association annual meeting, November 30 – December 2, San Francisco, CA.

- 2022 “Nested Enclaves: De-Risking and making usable space in urban Africa.” African Studies Association annual meeting, November 17-19, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2021 “Proliferating Enclaves: “De-risking” and the making of usable space in urban Africa.” Harvard University, December 9, Cambridge, MA.
- 2021 “Mussequette City: Urban Autochthony in Fugitive Spaces.” Johns Hopkins University, November 12, Baltimore, MD
- 2019 “Exploitative Infrastructures in Luanda.” African Studies Association of Africa biannual meeting, October 24-26, Nairobi, Kenya.
- 2019 “The Aesthetics of Care in Luanda.” African Studies Association annual meeting, November 22-23, Boston, MA.
- 2018 “Unmaking property: Demolition and displacement in Luanda, Angola.” African Studies Association – UK annual meeting, September 11-13, Birmingham, UK.
- 2017 “Slum anxieties.” Urban Anxieties in the Global South conference, University of the Witwatersrand, August 16-17, Johannesburg, Kenya.
- 2017 “Angola and the unpredictable.” Locations of African and African Diaspora Critical Thought, August 12-15, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa.
- 2017 “The shadow city: The state and urban planning in Luanda Angola.” Urbanism in the Global South: Building New Geographies of Development, June 26, Cambridge University, Cambridge, UK.
- 2017 “Middle class complicity in Angola.” The Middle Class and Activism in Africa workshop, March 17-21, Stellenbosch Institute for Advanced Studies, Stellenbosch, South Africa.
- 2016 “Demolition as care and dissent as war in Luanda, Angola.” *American Anthropological Association Annual General Meeting*. Minneapolis, USA, 16 – 20 November.
- 2016 “The good city.” The Dynamics of Dwelling in Africa workshop. Organized by Bergen University, October 24-27, Maputo, Mozambique.
- 2016 “Middle classness as state intervention?: Housing and distinction in Luanda, Angola.” African Studies Association UK biannual meeting, September 7-9, Cambridge, UK.
- 2016 “Mussequette Citizens: Urban space, materiality, and belonging in Luanda, Angola.” Northeastern Workshop on Southern Africa, April 15-17, Burlington, VT.
- 2016 “Housing socialist citizens in Luanda.” Socialisme Africaine/Socialisme en Afrique, Université Paris I, April 6-9, Paris, France.
- 2015 “Mussequette como património.” Conferência Internacional de Estudos sobre Angola, Catholic University of Angola, December 7-8, Luanda, Angola.
- “The political aesthetics of infrastructure and rights” European Conference on African Studies. July 8-10, Paris, France.
- “Segregation in Luanda.” Forensic Infrastructure conference, University of the Witwatersrand, April 1-2, Johannesburg, South Africa.
- “The sensual life of class in Luanda, Angola.” Infrastructural Life in Africa workshop, Columbia University, March 6, New York, NY.
- 2014 “The country has been sold” UK African Studies Association meeting. University of Sussex, UK.



- 2013 “Governing through destruction: Understanding the politics of demolition in Luanda, Angola” The Second International Conference on Angola: New Directions in Angolan Research. Oxford University, March 17-18, Oxford.
- 2013 “Failed architectures? Understanding the high-rise in Luanda, Angola.” American Anthropological Association annual meeting, March 20-24, Chicago, IL.
- 2012 ‘I have the same qualities as them’: Democracy, human rights, and housing in Luanda, Angola. African Studies Association annual meeting, November 29 – 1 December, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2010 “Designing the urban subject: Housing, architecture, and citizenship in Luanda Angola.” American Anthropological Association annual meeting, November 15-18, San Francisco, CA.
- 2010 “Homes, property, and reconstruction: Cold War legacies in urban Angola.” Cold War Cultures: Transnational and Interdisciplinary Perspectives. University of Texas – Austin, September 30 – October 3, Austin, TX.
- 2009 “Contesting heritage in postcolonial Luanda.” American Anthropological Association annual meeting, December 2 – 4, Philadelphia, PA.

## SERVICE TO PROFESSION

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### General Service

- 2024-2027 Best Graduate Paper Prize Committee, African Studies Association.
- 2023-present Board of Directors of the African Studies Association (special assignment to Publications and Finance Committees)
- 2023 Program Chair, African Studies Association annual meeting, November 30 – December 2, San Francisco, CA.
- 2020 Subtheme chair: Anthropology stream, African Studies Association annual meeting, November 19-21, held online.
- 2018 Subtheme chair: Civil Society and Activism stream, African Studies Association. Annual meeting, November 29-December 1, Atlanta, GA.
- 2018 Subtheme chair: Shifting Urban Landscapes stream, African Studies Association and American Anthropology Association collaborative conference, May 25-28, Johannesburg, South Africa.
- 2017 Subtheme chair: Anthropology stream. African Studies Association annual meeting, November 16-18, Chicago, IL.

### Mentoring for early career scholars

- 2024 Mentor. Carnegie Corporation of New York and African Studies Association Africa-based emerging scholar program.
- 2022 Mentor. Carnegie Corporation of New York and African Studies Association, Africa-based emerging scholar program.
- 2019 Mentor. *African Studies Review* Pipeline for Emerging Scholars Workshop, October 23, Nairobi, Kenya.
- 2018-2020 Organizer, facilitator and mentor for annual PhD student journal article writing workshop, funded by *African Studies*.

- 2018 Mentor. *Journal for Southern African Studies*, Emerging Scholars and New Research in Southern Africa Writing Workshop. Centre for Social Research and Chancellor College, July 17-19, Zomba, Malawi.  
Mentor. *African Studies Review* Pipeline for Emerging African Scholars Workshop, May 24, Johannesburg, South Africa.
- 2017 Mentor. *African Studies Review* Pipeline for Emerging African Scholars Workshop, November 15, Chicago, IL.

### **Journal service**

- 2022-present Editorial Board, *Anthropology Southern Africa*.  
2022-present Editorial Board, *African Studies*  
2020-present Corresponding Editor, *International Journal of Urban and Regional Research*.  
2018-present Associate Editor, *African Studies Review*  
2017-2022 Advisor Board/Editorial Board, *Journal of Southern African Studies*.  
2017-2022 Co-editor, *African Studies*

Occasional reviewer for the following journals:

*Cultural Anthropology*, *Singapore Journal of Tropical Geography*, *Social Dynamics*, *The Dubois Review*, *Social Analysis*, *Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute*, *African Studies*, *South Asia*, *Anthropology Southern Africa*, *Journal of Material Culture*, *Journal of African History*, *Urban Geography*, *Journal of Southern African Studies*, *Critical African Studies*, *American Anthropologist*, *Africa*, *American Ethnologist*, *Urban Studies*, *Political Geography*, *City, Society and Space*, *Canadian Journal of African Studies*

### **UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

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#### **North Carolina State University**

- 2024-present Anthropology representative, departmental Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

#### **University of Johannesburg**

- 2021-2023: Faculty Higher Degrees Committee  
2020-2022: Coordinator of Anthropology MA program  
2020-2022: Co-coordinator of departmental graduate student research seminar  
2017-2019: Coordinator of Anthropology Honors Program  
2017 and 2022: Co-coordinator of departmental seminar series.

### **LANGUAGES**

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- English (First Language)  
Portuguese (Strong speaking, reading, and writing)  
German (Heritage speaker, fluent reading, basic writing skills)  
Afrikaans (Basic speaking and writing skills, fluent reading)  
Spanish (Strong reading)