

## **Faculty Curriculum Vitae**

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### **Educational Background/Training**

- Completed required course work (60 hours) for PhD curriculum in Urban Planning & Environmental Policy with a specialization placed on maritime transportation and logistics. Currently in the Comprehensive Exam stage of research at the Barbara Jordan – Mickey Leland College of Public Affairs at Texas Southern University.
- MA, Cross – Cultural Studies, University of Houston-Clear Lake
- BBA, General Business, University of Houston-Clear Lake

### **Relevant Teaching Experience**

- Houston Community College Southeast College: Adjunct Instructor Second Start Fall 2012. Introduction to Materials Handling.
- University of Houston: Adjunct Instructor Fall 2012. Introduction to Logistics Technology.
- Texas Southern University: Visiting Instructor Geography Fall 2010 to Summer II 2012. Courses taught include: Transportation Geography, Urban Geography, Economic Geography, World Regional Geography, Cultures & People of Africa, Cultures of Asia, Geography of Texas, Geography of North America, Geography of Health & Disease and participated and taught in TSU's Study Abroad program in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania.

### **Academic Scholarship/Research/Creative Endeavors**

#### **Merit:**

- Selected for TSU faculty team traveling to Tanzania, summer 2012.
- Fall 2010 National Defense Transportation Association Scholarship.

- 2009/2010 Graduate Assistantship at TSU.
- Fall 2010 Breakbulk Education Day – Houston, Texas Conference.
- Summer 2010 International travel award from Dean of College of Public Affairs at TSU.
- Summer 2008 Office of International Initiatives grant for study abroad at UHCL.

### **Conferences:**

- Spring 2011 ISDR17 at Columbia University, Co-Author “Is Houston Moving Towards a Sustainable Future?”
- Summer 2010 TRANSED Conference Hong Kong, Co-Author with Dr. Lalita Sen: “Growth of Mega Cities Worldwide and Its Impact on Accessible Public Transport.”
- Summer 2010 Geoinformatics Conference Beijing, Author “Port of Houston Impact on Residential Neighborhoods.”
- Spring 2010 Research Week Texas Southern University, Author “Establishing Common Ground: The Agglomeration of Multicultural Assets in the Binz Neighborhood.”
- Summer 2008 Institute of Interfaith Dialog and Turkish Cultural Center Houston, Author “Developing and Maintaining Civil Society: Purveying Public Goods through Islamic Nonprofit-Charitable Organizations and Transnational NGO’s.”
- Spring 2008 UHCL Women’s Week team research and display “Latinas en Luche: El Salvador’s COMADRES.”
- Spring 2008 Model Arab League, sponsored by the Bilateral U.S. – Arab Chamber of Commerce and hosted by St. Thomas University, selected to serve as Chairman / Facilitator for Environmental Affairs for eight academic teams.
- Spring 2008 UHCL Student Research Conference, Poster presenter, “Environmental Justice: Are Natural Rights Protected in All Houston Neighborhoods?”

### **Creative Endeavors:**

- Fall 2011 Launched Geography Magazine for current students at TSU.
- Fall 2011 Launched Geography Speaker Series on TSU campus.
- Spring 2011 Organized undergraduate student participation in regional “Environmental Justice” Workshop and follow up survey project.
- Spring 2011 Organized undergraduate student engagement in “City of Houston” redistricting plan and follow up project.
- Spring 2011 Organized undergraduate student participation in METRO Scoping process and follow up rail survey.
- Spring 2011 Organized undergraduate participation in attending programming at Ifest / “Silk Road” volunteers and Emancipation Park redesign. process and community service volunteers for Maritime Youth Expo held at Sylvan Beach (April 9, 2011).
- Fall 2010 Organized Geography Philanthropic Shoe Box Project.

- Fall 2010 Organized “The Geography of Human Rights” Exhibit for 170 undergraduate students.

### **Study Abroad Experience**

- Summer 2012 Taught and Conducted Maritime Research in Tanzania.
- June 2010 Summer Research/Conference – Hong Kong, Ningbo, Beijing, Mobility/Accessibility, and Ports/Environment, China.
- Summer 2008 Summer Research Turkey at Crossroads of Civilizations.
- Summer 1985 Summer Research Europe and Globalization.

### **Language Skills**

Operational Spanish.