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Academic Positions

City College of New York

Associate Professor of Management (with tenure), 2010-Present.
Research Fellow, Colin Powell Center for Policy Studies, 2006-2013.
Assistant Professor of Management, 2004-2009.

Palo Alto Research Center (Xerox PARC)

Visiting Researcher, 2011-2012

Harvard University

Postdoctoral Fellow, John F. Kennedy School of Government. 2003-2004.

Education

University of St. Gallen, Switzerland

Ph.D. (Dr.oec.) in Business Economics. 2003.

Harvard University

Predoctoral Fellow, John F. Kennedy School of Government. 2001-2003.

Bocconi University, Milan, Italy

BA in Economics and Business Administration. 1996.

Vienna University of Economics and Business Administration, Austria

Coursework in Economics and Law of the European Community. 1994.

Honors and Awards

US Department of Education Scholarship, Workshop on Religion & Diversity, Yogyakarta, Indonesia, 2015.

Excellence in Teaching Award, Business and Economics Alumni Society of CCNY. 2014.

Public Scholarship Fellow, Colin Powell School for Civic and Global Leadership. 2013.

American Review of Public Administration Best Article Award. 2012.

Faculty Award for Commitment to Service-Learning Excellence. 2010.

Who's Who in America. 2010-2015.

CUNY Salute to Scholars Honoree. 2007, 2009, 2010.

City College Service-Learning Faculty Fellowship. Colin Powell Center. 2007

Postdoctoral fellowship, National Center for Digital Government, Harvard Kennedy School. 2003-2004.

Doctoral fellowship, National Center for Digital Government, Harvard Kennedy School. 2002-2003.

Fellowship for prospective researchers, Swiss National Science Foundation. 2001-2002.

University of St. Gallen Grant for Basic Research. 2000-2001.

External Grants

National Science Foundation (#1409841)

Gilda Barabino (PI), "ADVANCE CCNY: Blueprint for Increased Representation and Advancement of Women in STEM"

08/2014-08/2016 (\$188,000)

Role: Co-Principal Investigator

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National Science Foundation (#0943203)

Maria Christina Binz-Scharf (PI), “VOSS: New Generations of Scientific Knowledge in Collaboratories”

09/2009-08/2013 (\$375,210)

Role: Principal Investigator

National Institutes of Health - National Cancer Institute (U54 CA137788)

Carma Bylund (PI), “CCT-Link: Enhancing Primary Care Physicians’ Capacity to Improve Cancer Patients’ Access to Clinical Trials”

09/2008-08/2011 (\$529,919)

Role: Co-Principal Investigator and
CCNY PI (CCNY portion: \$127,494)

National Science Foundation (#0621242)

David Lazer (PI), “Sharing of Innovation Across Government Organizations”

09/2006-08/2011 (\$196,379)

Role: Co-Principal Investigator and
CCNY PI (CCNY portion: \$89,956)

SDA Bocconi School of Management

Greta Nasi (PI), “Structural Determinants of Knowledge Sharing in Government Organizations”

07/2007-12/2008 (€13,500)

Role: Co-Principal Investigator

Internal Grants

PSC-CUNY 44

Maria Christina Binz-Scharf (PI), “Collaboration and Coordination: A Study of Networked Science”

07/2013-12/2014 (\$5,937)

Role: Principal Investigator

City SEEDS FY12

Michael Grossberg (PI), “Designing Cyberinfrastructure to Facilitate Cross-Disciplinary Collaboration in the Geosciences”

01/2012-12/2012 (\$50,122)

Role: Co-Principal Investigator

PSC-CUNY 41

Maria Christina Binz-Scharf (PI), “Growing Pains: An Investigation into the Expansion of a Public Agency”

07/2010-12/2011 (\$3,990)

Role: Principal Investigator

PSC-CUNY 39

Maria Christina Binz-Scharf (PI), “Checking Back In: A Longitudinal Study of IT Project Implementation in Large Bureaucracies”

07/2008-12/2009 (\$4,000)

Role: Principal Investigator

PSC-CUNY 38

Maria Christina Binz-Scharf (PI), “The Social Structure of Innovation”

07/2007- 06/2008 (\$4,800)

Role: Principal Investigator

PSC-CUNY 36

Maria Christina Binz-Scharf (PI), “Knowledge Sharing in a Dispersed Community”

07/2005-12/2006 (\$3,000)

Role: Principal Investigator

Publications

Book

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina (2008). *Exploration and Exploitation – Toward a Theory of Knowledge Sharing in Digital Government Projects*. Saarbruecken: SVH Verlag. 204 pp. ISBN 978-3838101866.

Journal Articles

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, Yuval Kalish, and Leslie Paik (2015). Making Science: Evolution of collaboration in a scientific field. *American Behavioral Scientist* 59(5):531-547.

Michaels, Margo, Tom D’Agostino, Natasha Blakeney, Elisa Weiss, Maria Christina Binz-Scharf, Mitch Golant, and Carma L. Bylund (2015). The impact of primary care provider knowledge, attitudes, and beliefs about patient referral to cancer clinical trials: Implications for continuing education and advocacy. *Journal of Cancer Education* 30(1):152-157.

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Shen Johnson, Megan, Maria Christina Binz-Scharf, Tom D'Agostino, Natasha Blakeney, Elisa Weiss, Margo Michaels, Shilpa Patel, M. Diane McKee, and Carma L. Bylund (2015). A mixed methods examination of communication between oncologists and primary care providers of underserved, minority populations. *Cancer* 121(6):908-915.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, David Lazer, and Ines Mergel (2012). Searching for answers: Networks of practice among public administrators. *American Review of Public Administration* 41(2):202-225.

***Winner, ARPA Best Article Award 2012**

Mergel, Ines, David Lazer, and Maria Christina Binz-Scharf (2008). Lending a helping hand: Voluntary engagement in knowledge sharing. *International Journal of Learning and Change* 3(1):5-22.

Book Chapters

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina (2015). A practice approach to the study of social networks. In: *Handbook of Qualitative Organizational Research: Innovative Pathways and Methods*. Kimberly D. Elsbach and Roderick M. Kramer, eds. New York: Taylor & Francis, pp. 186-194.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina (2007). Firstgov.gov: The road to success of the US government's web portal. In: Mayer-Schoenberger, Viktor and David Lazer (Eds.), *Governance and Information Technology - From Electronic Government to Information Government*. Boston: MIT Press, pp. 33-37.

Lazer, David and Maria Christina Binz-Scharf (2007). It takes a network to build a network. In: Mayer-Schoenberger, Viktor and David Lazer (Eds.), *Governance and Information Technology - From Electronic Government to Information Government*. Boston: MIT Press, pp. 262-278.

Schedler, Kuno and Maria Christina Scharf (2001). Exploring the interrelations between e-government and the New Public Management. 2001. In: Schmid, Beat, Stanoevska, Katarina, & Tschammer, Volker (Eds.), *Towards the E-Society. E-Commerce, E-Business, and E-Government*. Boston: Kluwer, pp. 775-788.

Conference Proceedings

Shen Johnson, Megan, Maria Christina Binz-Scharf, Tom D'Agostino, Natasha Blakeney, Elisa Weiss, Margo Michaels, Shilpa Patel, M. Diane McKee, and Carma L. Bylund (2014). A mixed methods examination of communication between oncologists and primary care providers of underserved, minority populations. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, Vol. 47, p. S97.

Vaast, Emmanuelle and Maria Christina Binz-Scharf (2008). Bringing change in government organizations: Evolution toward post-bureaucracy with web-based IT projects. *Proceedings of the 29th International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS)*, Paper 213.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina (2005). Collaboration, communication, and control: The effects of ICT-enabled innovation projects on informal organizational structures. *Proceedings of the 38th Annual Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS'05)*, pp. 248-256.

Mergel, Ines, David Lazer, and Maria Christina Binz-Scharf (2005). Electronic communication in a geographically dispersed community of forensic scientists. *Proceedings of the 2005 National Conference on Digital Government Research (dg.o2005)*, ACM International Conference Proceeding Series; Vol. 89, pp. 299-300.

Working Papers

Arora, Punit and Maria Christina Binz-Scharf. Female CEOs, entrepreneurial ecosystems and firm performance: Evidence from Eastern Europe and Central Asia. *Under review*

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, Danielle Dunne, and Leslie Paik. The way we work now: Toward a relational practice theory of network emergence. *Under review*

Greenberg, Jason, David Lazer, Maria Christina Binz-Scharf, and Ines Mergel. Inter-organizational tie formation: Agency, social constraints, and knowledge diffusion. *In preparation for submission*

Paik, Leslie and Maria Christina Binz-Scharf. Coevolution of scientific careers and virtual organizations: Their impact on knowledge production. *In preparation for submission*

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina and Punit Arora. Reining in and letting loose: Managing knowledge in inter-organizational change projects. *In preparation for submission*

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina and David Lazer. A new order of things: Managing novelty and cross-agency cooperation. Faculty research working paper series RWP08-048. Cambridge, MA: Harvard Kennedy School.

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Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina. Bureaucratic networks or networked bureaucracies? Knowledge sharing in ICT-enabled innovation projects. NCDG Working Paper No. 03-012. Cambridge, MA: Harvard University.

Invited Talks and Lectures

“Using Small Data in Big Data Studies”, Workshop III: Cultural Patterns: Multiscale Data-driven Models, Program on Culture Analytics, Institute for Pure & Applied Mathematics, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, May 9-13, 2016.

“Reining In and Letting Loose: Managing Knowledge in Inter-Organizational Change Projects”, Organization Science Winter Conference, Park City, UT, February 6, 2015.

“Team Science”, NSF Emerging Frontiers in Research and Innovation (EFRI) Workshop: Interdisciplinarity and Innovation, National Science Foundation, August 21, 2014.

“CSI: For Real – Networks of Practice in Forensic Science”, MIS Seminar, City College of New York, February 10, 2014.

“CSI: For Real – Networks of Practice in Forensic Science”, Networks, Organizations, and Markets, Stern School of Business, New York University, New York, NY February 20, 2013.

“Making Science: Evolution of collaboration in a scientific field”, 5th Annual People and Organizations Conference, The Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, September 28, 2012.

“Collaborative knowledge production in a virtual world”, CSL Colloquium, Palo Alto Research Center (PARC), Palo Alto, CA, June 21, 2012.

“Big Science under the microscope: Changes in scientific knowledge production”, Translational Science Seminar, Clinical and Translational Science Center, UC Davis, Sacramento, CA, May 22, 2012.

“Big Science under the microscope: Changes in scientific knowledge production”, Department of Communications, UC Davis, Davis, CA, May 17, 2012.

“A Brave New World? Databases and the scientific knowledge production process”, Informatics Seminar, Donald Bren School of Information and Computer Sciences, UC Irvine, Irvine, CA, April 27, 2012.

“The role of databases in scientific knowledge production”, Davis Conference on Qualitative Research, Napa, CA, March 24, 2012.

“The role of databases in scientific knowledge production”, ASC Brownbag, Palo Alto Research Center (PARC), Palo Alto, CA, January 17, 2012.

“Networks of Practice in Government”, Implications of the Use of Information and Communications Technology (ICT) through 2020, National Intelligence Council, Arlington, VA, October 12, 2011.

“Collaborative production of scientific knowledge”, SONIC Speaker Series, School of Communication, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, September 15, 2011.

“Collaboratories: Production of scientific knowledge in the age of the Internet”, Public Management & Policy Research Seminar, SDA Bocconi School of Management, Milan, Italy, June 29, 2010.

“The National Science Foundation’s interests in innovation and organizational science research”, Innovation Symposium, VERA Institute of Justice, New York, November 17, 2008.

“Searching for answers: Networks of practice among public administrators”, Public Management & Policy Research Seminar, SDA Bocconi School of Management, Milan, Italy, December 20, 2007.

“Searching for answers: Networks of practice among public administrators”, Faculty Research Seminar, School of Public Affairs, Baruch College (CUNY), New York, November 28, 2007.

“It takes a network to build a network”, Symposium on Information Technology and Governance, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, November 14, 2007.

“The social structure of innovation: Implementing change in formal organizations through informal networks”, Seminar Series of the Faculty of Economic Sciences, University of Lugano (USI), Switzerland, June 14, 2006.

“Knowledge sharing in innovation projects”, ARG seminar, Harvard Business School, Cambridge, MA, April 7, 2004.

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- “The evolution of knowledge networks“, Knowledge Management (STM-118), John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, March 23, 2004.
- “The evolution of knowledge networks“, Department of Economics, City College of New York (CUNY), New York, March 18, 2004.
- “The evolution of knowledge networks“, Department of Communication Studies, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, February 24, 2004.
- “Knowledge management in public sector organizations: Necessities, concepts and experience“, International Conference on Knowledge Management in Public Administration, Academy for Public Management, Munich, Germany, April 26, 2001.
- “Benchmarks for electronic government“, Seminar on the Development of Electronic Information Infrastructures, University of Konstanz, Germany, Feb. 9, 2001.
- “Knowledge management: A concept for public institutions“, IDT Conference on Management of Knowledge in Public Institutions, Zurich, Switzerland, Oct. 31, 2000.

Refereed Conference Papers

- Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina. “Youth as Drivers for Prudence in Business: Lessons from Indonesia”, Workshop on Prudence and Business, Tübingen, Germany, October 7-9, 2015.
- Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina and Punit Arora. “Knowledge Processes in Inter-Organizational Innovation Projects”, 30th EGOS Colloquium, Athens, Greece, July 2-4, 2015.
- Paik, Leslie and Maria Christina Binz-Scharf. “Democratization or Reflection: The Paradox of Databases’ Influences on Knowledge Production”. Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management, Philadelphia, PA, August 1-5, 2014.
- Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, Yuval Kalish, and Leslie Paik. “Scientific knowledge production in the era of Big Science”. Annual Meeting of the International Communication Association, Seattle, WA, May 22-26, 2014.
- Paik, Leslie and Maria Christina Binz-Scharf. “Coevolution of Scientific Careers and Virtual Organizations: Their Impact on Knowledge Production”. Society for the Social Studies of Science Annual Meeting. San Diego, CA, October 9-12, 2013.
- Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, Yuval Kalish, and Leslie Paik. “Scientific collaboration and effects of status in a virtual world”, 108th Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY, August 10-13, 2013.
- Paik, Leslie and Maria Christina Binz-Scharf. “A Brave New World? Database uses in the scientific knowledge production process”, 108th Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY, August 10-13, 2013.
- Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, Yuval Kalish, and Leslie Paik. “Making Science: Evolution of collaboration in a scientific field”, 28th EGOS Colloquium, Montreal, Canada, July 3-6, 2013.
- Greenberg, Jason, David Lazer, Maria Christina Binz-Scharf, and Ines Mergel. “Agency and structure in the diffusion of knowledge: A multilevel study of inter-organizational tie formation”, 107th Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Denver, CO, August 17-20, 2012.
- Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, Yuval Kalish, and Leslie Paik. “The role of databases in scientific collaboration: A multilevel perspective”, 27th EGOS Colloquium, Helsinki, Finland, July 3-7, 2012.
- Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, Yuval Kalish, and Leslie Paik. “The anatomy of Big Science: Changes in scientific knowledge production”, International Social Network Conference (Sunbelt XXXII), Redondo Beach, CA, March. 15-18, 2012.
- Greenberg, Jason, David Lazer, Maria Christina Binz-Scharf, and Ines Mergel. “Social constraints, agency, and the micro-macro bridge in knowledge diffusion”, Organization Science Winter Conference (OSWC 2012), Steamboat Springs, CO, Feb. 8-12.
- Greenberg, Jason, David Lazer, Maria Christina Binz-Scharf, and Ines Mergel. “Social constraints, agency, and institutions in the formation of interorganizational ties and knowledge diffusion”, 106th Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Las Vegas, NV, August 20-23, 2011.

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Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina and Leslie Paik. "Together in perfect harmony? The collaborative creation of scientific knowledge in virtual organizations", International Social Network Conference (Sunbelt XXXI), St. Pete's Beach, Florida, Feb. 8-13, 2011.

Greenberg, Jason, David Lazer, Maria Christina Binz-Scharf, and Ines Mergel. "Social constraints, agency, and institutions in the formation of interorganizational ties and knowledge diffusion", International Social Network Conference (Sunbelt XXXI), St. Pete's Beach, Florida, Feb. 8-13, 2011.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, Carma Bylund, and Elisa Weiss. "Enhancing primary care physicians' capacity to improve cancer patients' access to therapeutic clinical trials", International Conference on Communication in Healthcare, Verona, Italy, Sept. 2010.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina and Leslie Paik. "Production of scientific knowledge in virtual organizations", 105th Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, Georgia, August 14-17, 2010.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina and Leslie Paik. "Production of scientific knowledge in virtual organizations", 25th EGOS Colloquium, Lisbon, Portugal, June 28-July 3, 2010.

Vaast, Emmanuelle and Maria Christina Binz-Scharf. "Bringing change in government organizations: Evolution toward post-bureaucracy with web-based IT projects", 29th International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS), Paris, France, December 13-17, 2008.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, David Lazer, and Ines Mergel. "Sharing knowledge across boundaries within the public sector", 29th Annual Fall Research Conference of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Washington DC, November 8-10, 2007.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, David Lazer, and Ines Mergel. "How people search: Toward a theory of search process formation", Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management, Philadelphia, PA, August 3-8, 2007.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, David Lazer, and Ines Mergel. "Learning by searching: Individual knowledge sourcing strategies in a network of professionals", 23rd EGOS Colloquium, Vienna, Austria, July 5-7, 2007.

Mergel, Ines, David Lazer, and Maria Christina Binz-Scharf. "Lending a helping hand: Voluntary engagement in knowledge sharing", 23rd EGOS Colloquium, Vienna, Austria, July 5-7, 2007.

Mergel, Ines, Maria Christina Binz-Scharf, Gokce Sargut, and David Lazer. "Thick descriptions of networks: How qualitative data can inform social network analysis", International Social Network Conference (Sunbelt XXVII), Corfu, Greece, May 1-6, 2007.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, David Lazer, and Ines Mergel. "Communities of practice: Diffusion of innovation across organizational boundaries", 28th Annual Fall Research Conference of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Madison, WI, November 2-4, 2006.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina and David Lazer. "Searching for answers: Knowledge sourcing strategies", Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management, Atlanta, GA, August 11-16, 2006.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, David Lazer, and Ines Mergel. "Searching for answers: Tracing the paths of knowledge in a dispersed community", International Social Network Conference (Sunbelt XXV), Redondo Beach, CA, February 16-21, 2005.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina. "Collaboration, communication, and control: The effects of ICT-enabled innovation projects on informal organizational structures", 38th Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS), Big Island, Hawaii, January 3-6, 2005.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina. "Knowledge sharing in IT-enabled government innovation projects", 26th Annual Fall Research Conference of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Atlanta, GA, October 28-30, 2004.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina. "Knowledge sharing in public sector organizations – the case of digital government projects", Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management, New Orleans, LA, August 6-11, 2004.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina. "Collaboration, communication, and control: The effects of ICT-enabled innovation projects on informal organizational structures", 20th EGOS Colloquium, Ljubljana, Slovenia, July 1-3, 2004.

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Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina. "Exploration and exploitation: Knowledge sharing in digital government projects", Digital Government Conference of the National Science Foundation (dg.o2004), Seattle, WA, May 24-26, 2004.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina, David Lazer, and Birgit Rabl. "DNA and the criminal justice system: A web-based community of practice", Digital Government Conference of the National Science Foundation (dg.o2004), Seattle, WA, May 24-26, 2004.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina. "Knowing who knows what: The role of knowledge transfer in implementing digital government projects", 25th Annual Fall Research Conference of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Washington, DC, November 6-8, 2003.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina. "Conception and implementation of digital government projects: The role of knowledge transfer", Digital Government Conference of the National Science Foundation (dg.o2003), Boston, MA, May 18-21, 2003.

Binz-Scharf, Maria Christina. "Knowledge networks in digital government projects", International Social Network Conference (Sunbelt XXIII), Cancun, Mexico, February 11-16, 2003.

Schedler, Kuno and Maria Christina Binz-Scharf. "Exploring the interrelations between e-government and the New Public Management", IFIP Conference on E-Commerce, E-Business, E-Government (I3E 2001), Zurich, October 3-5, 2001.

Professional Service

Review Activities

Associate Editor, OCIS division, Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management, 2007, 2012

Ad-hoc reviewer for *Organization Science*, *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, *Journal of Management Studies*, *Public Administration Review*, *Sloan Management Review*, *Technovation*, *American Review of Public Administration*, *International Public Management Journal*, National Science Foundation, Swiss National Science Foundation, Organization Science Dissertation Competition, Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management (OCIS, PNP, and OMT divisions), Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS), Americas Conference on Information Systems (AMCIS)

Panelist, *National Science Foundation*

Professional Society Service

Representative-At-Large, Organizational Communication and Information Systems Division, Academy of Management, 2015-2018

Discussant, "Strategies for Promoting Innovation & Creativity", Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management, Philadelphia, PA, August 1-5, 2014

Convenor, "Living the Network: Practices of Connecting and Bridging at Work", sub-theme of the 28th EGOS Colloquium, Montreal, Canada, July 4-6, 2013

Discussant, "Knowledge Management", Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management, Boston, MA, August 5-8, 2012

Facilitator, "Information and Environment", OCIS Discussion Paper Session, Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management, Boston, MA, August 5-8, 2012

Member of the Nominations Committee, OCIS division, Academy of Management, 2009, 2012

Session Chair, "Employee Motivation, Wages and Incentives: Cross-sector Comparisons", Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management, San Antonio, TX, August 14-16, 2011

Discussant, "Knowledge Contribution, Use, and Transfer", OCIS division, Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management, Anaheim, CA, August 8-13, 2008

Discussant, "Online Discourse - Competence, Civility, and Collocation", OCIS division, Annual Meeting of the Academy of Management, Philadelphia, PA, August 3-8, 2007

Session Chair, "E-Governance", 27th Annual Fall Research Conference of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Washington, DC, November 3-5, 2005

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Service to the University

Panel Chair, CUNY Nobel Challenge, 2015
Referee, CUNY Nobel Challenge, 2010
CUNY School of Professional Studies, Member of the Curriculum Committee for the Online Baccalaureate Degree in Information Studies, 2009-2012
CUNY School of Professional Studies, Member of the Curriculum Committee for the Online Baccalaureate Degree in Business, 2006-2007
PSC-CUNY Research Award Program, Member of the Interdisciplinary Review Panel, 2004-2007

Service to the College

Member of the Senate Affairs Committee, 2013-2016
Member of the Faculty Senate, 2013-2016
Member of the CLAS Faculty Council Executive Committee, 2013-2014
Member of the CLAS Faculty Council, 2013-2014
Member of the Faculty Senate Elections Committee, 2013
Member of the Search Committee, Search for Dean of the Colin Powell School, 2013
Judge, Service-Learning Faculty Leadership Award, 2011
Member of the Selection Committee, Macaulay Honors College Class of 2015, 2011
Member of the President's Academic Working Group on Strategic Initiatives, 2010-2011
Charles Rangel Center, Member of the Advisory Board, 2007-2010
Faculty Advisor, Entrepreneurship Club, 2008-2010
Member of the Search Committee, Search for Controller, 2007
Referee, "Einstein in the City" Student Poster Competition, 2007
Women's Studies Program, Member of the Executive Committee, 2004-2007
The City College Auxiliary Enterprises Corporation, Member of the Board of Directors, 2004-2007

Service to the Department

Member of the Economics and Business Department Executive Committee, 2009-present
Chair of the Search Committee, Search for one open rank faculty position, 2014/2015
Member of the Search Committee, Search for one open rank faculty position, 2010/2011
Member of the Search Committee, Search for two open rank faculty positions, 2009/2010
Member of the Search Committee, Search for four open rank faculty positions, 2007/2008
Member of the Search Committee, Search for two open rank faculty positions, 2007
Member of the Search Committee, Search for Department Chair, 2006
Redesign of the Management and Administration Major, 2004-2008

Other Service

Moderator, "Corruption and Trust", Global Ethics Day, Carnegie Council on Ethics in International Affairs, City College of New York, October 16, 2014
Moderator, "Sovereign Debt Crisis and Austerity: Policy, Philanthropy, and the Hard Choices Ahead", Conversations with City Breakfast Series, University Club, New York, November 11, 2013
Moderator, "Uncertainty and Global Change - The Role of Science and Innovation", Austrian Science Talk 2011, New York Academy of Science, September 10, 2011
Panelist, "Roundtable Science", Austrian Consulate General, New York, NY, February 25, 2010
Moderator, "Women's Works, Lives, Risks – Still a World Apart?", Austrian Cultural Forum, New York, NY, February 4, 2010
Editor, Complexity and Social Networks Blog of the Institute for Quantitative Social Science and the Program on Networked Governance, Harvard University, 2005-present

Professional Affiliations

Faculty Affiliate, Program on Networked Governance, Harvard University
Member, Academy of Management (OCIS and OMT divisions)
Member, European Group for Organization Studies
Member, INFORMS
Member, International Network for Social Network Analysis

Teaching Experience

City College of New York

Graduate level

Social Innovation
Organizational Behavior
Information and Technology Management
Government Regulation
Thesis Research

Undergraduate level

Principles of Management
Information and Technology Management
Organizational Leadership
Business and Society
Organizational Behavior
The Manager's World (FIQWS)

University of Applied Sciences (SUPSI), Lugano, Switzerland

Instructor. *1999-2000*

Introduction to Business Administration

University of St. Gallen

Teaching fellow. *1998-2001*

Public Management Field Seminar (for Kuno Schedler)
Introduction to Operations Research (for Paul Stähly)

Industry Experience

Gruppo CLAS, Milan, Italy

Research Associate. *1997-1998.*

Collaborated on various EU projects in the field of intermodal road freight transport.

International Road Transport Union, Brussels, Belgium

Project Manager. *1997.*

Conducted a study financed by the European Commission on the situation of own account road transport in the EU.

European Commission, Brussels, Belgium

Research Assistant. *1996-1997.*

Assisted in evaluating the economic impacts of a tax ("ecopoint system") on traffic emissions for road freight transport.

Siemens AG, Munich and Vienna

Summer Intern. *1990, 1992-94*

Assisted in the preparation of bids for telecommunication plants in Latin America.

Selected Press Coverage

Research covered in Wall Street Journal, Future Magazin (Wiener Zeitung), inc.com, dgOnline News
Service-Learning mentioned in Hispanic Outlook

Language Skills

German, Italian, English – Trilingual
French – Fluent
Spanish, Dutch – Basic