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Academic Appointments

University of Utah, Department of Communication

Associate Professor (2012-present)

Assistant Professor (2004-2012)

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, School of Journalism and Mass Communication

Park Doctoral Fellow (2001-2004)

University of Nevada, Reno, Reynolds School of Journalism

Associate Instructor (1999-2001)

Education

Doctor of Philosophy in Mass Communication, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Dissertation: *Conscience of the Calling: How Journalists Used Three National Commissions to Blend a New Professional Ethic, 1963-1975.*

Advisor: Professor Donald L. Shaw. (August 2004)

Master of Arts in Journalism, Indiana University.

Advisor: Professor David Paul Nord. (May 1986)

Bachelor of Arts in History cum laude, DePauw University. (December 1983)

Refereed Publications

Glen Feighery, “‘Now We Are One’: How Japanese American Internment Camp Newspapers Helped Create Communities, 1942-1943,” In press with *American Journalism*; scheduled for vol. 42, no. 1 (Winter 2025).

Glen Feighery, “Wear the Blue Star: Frontier Values vs. Environmentalism in News Coverage of Colorado River Dams, 1954-1956,” *Journalism History* 49, no. 1 (2023), <https://doi.org/10.1080/00947679.2022.2161787>.

Glen Feighery, “A ‘Moral Challenge’: Journalists, Joe McCarthy, and the Struggle for Truth, 1950-1955,” *American Journalism* 38, no. 2 (2021): 127-149, <https://doi.org/10.1080/08821127.2021.1912989>.

Glen Feighery and David J. Vergobbi, “Press Roles and Functions: Community Building in the West,” in *The Western Press in the Crucible of the Civil War*, ed. Mary M. Cronin and Debra Reddin Van Tuyl (New York: Peter Lang, 2021), 89-119.

Glen Feighery, “Contacting the Family of a Killer: The Case of the Sensitive Reporter,” in *Media Ethics at Work*, ed. Lee Anne Peck and Guy S. Reel (Washington, D.C.: Sage Publications, 2013), 205-214.

Glen Feighery, “Media Self-Criticism,” in *Media Issues: Point/Counterpoint*, ed. Jennifer D. Greer and Wm. David Sloan (Northport, Ala.: Vision Press, 2013), 5-22.

Glen Feighery, “‘A Light Out of This World’: Awe, Anxiety, and Routinization in Early Nuclear Test Coverage, 1951-1953,” *American Journalism* 28, no. 3 (2011): 9-34, <https://doi.org/10.1080/08821127.2011.10677786>.

- Glen Feighery, "Conversation and Credibility: Expanding and Improving Journalists' Discussions of Ethics," *Journal of Mass Media Ethics* 26, no. 2 (2011): 158-75, <https://doi.org/10.1080/08900523.2011.559806>.
- Glen Feighery, Marouf Hasian Jr., and Richard Rieke, "The Search for Social Justice and the Presumption of Innocence in the Duke University Lacrosse Case of 2006-07," in *Handbook of Communication Ethics*, ed. George Cheney, Steve May, and Debashish Munshi (New York: Routledge, 2010), 258-72.
- Glen Feighery, "Two Visions of Responsibility: How National Commissions Contributed to Journalism Ethics, 1963-1975," *Journalism & Communication Monographs* 11, no. 2 (Summer 2009): 167-210, <https://doi.org/10.1177/152263790901100203>.
- David J. Vergobbi and Glen Feighery, "The Pioneer Press: 1800-1900" in Wm. David Sloan, ed., *The Age of Mass Communication*, 2nd ed. (Northport, Ala.: Vision Press, 2008), 177-97.
- Cassandra Imfeld, Glenn W. Scott, and Glen Feighery, "Fraud Talk: An Analysis of Banks' Online Efforts to Warn Against Phishing," in *New Media and Public Relations* (New York: Peter Lang, 2007), 271-83.
- Glen Feighery, "Snowboards and Slippery Slopes: Practicing Ethical Problem-Solving Under Pressure," *The Community College Journalist* 32, nos. 2-3 (2005): 14-16.
- Glen Feighery, "The Warren Report's Forgotten Chapter: Press Response to Criticism of Kennedy Assassination Coverage," *American Journalism* 20, no. 2 (2003): 83-101, <https://doi.org/10.1080/08821127.2003.10677931>.

Invited Essays

- Glen Feighery, "Teaching Essay: Frontier Values vs. Environmentalism in News Coverage of Colorado River Dams," *Journalism History*, June 2023, <https://journalism-history.org/2023/06/26/teaching-essay-frontier-values-vs-environmentalism-in-news-coverage-of-colorado-river-dams/>
- Glen Feighery, "Teaching Our Journal: Journalists, Joe McCarthy, and the Struggle for Truth, 1950-1955," *American Journalism*, August 2021, <http://www.american-journalism.org/teaching-our-journal-glen-feighery/>

In Preparation

- Glen Feighery, research article on news coverage of violence in Japanese American internment camps during World War II.
- Glen Feighery and David J. Vergobbi, research article on White newspapers' portrayals of race in the 1860s West.

Other Publications

- Glen Feighery, "Media crossed the line with photos of Trolley Square victim" (Utah Voices column), *The Salt Lake Tribune*, February 25, 2007, O4.
- Book review of *The Moral Media* by Lee Wilkins and Renita Coleman. *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly* 82 no. 3 (2005): 748-50.

Refereed Presentations

Utah Academy of Science, Arts, and Letters

Glen Feighery, "Trauma Reporting Behind Barbed Wire: Japanese American Internment Camp Newspapers and Violence, 1942-1945." (2024)

Joint Journalism and Communication History Conference of AEJMC and AJHA

Glen Feighery, "Truly Destiny's Children": Japanese American Internment Camp Newspapers and the Building of Communities, 1942-1943." (2023)

Symposium on the 19th Century Press, Civil War, and Free Expression

Glen Feighery and David J. Vergobbi, "Security, Economy, Society, and Complexity: White Newspaper Coverage of Race in the West During the 1860s." (2021) (*Award-winning paper.*)

American Journalism Historians Association

Glen Feighery, "A 'Moral Challenge': Journalists, Joe McCarthy, and the Struggle for Truth, 1950-1955," National Conference (2019).

Glen Feighery, "Questioning the Atom Masters: News Coverage of Above-Ground Nuclear Testing, 1951-1953," National Conference (2016). (*Award-winning paper.*)

Glen Feighery, "Water's for Fighting: Environmental Journalism and the Colorado River Storage Project, 1954-1956," National Conference (2011).

Glen Feighery, "On Nature and Norms: Early Environmental Reporting and Journalistic Objectivity," National Conference (2007).

Glen Feighery, "Two Visions of Responsibility: How National Commissions Contributed to Journalism Ethics, 1970-1975," National Conference (2005).

Glen Feighery, "Talking About Ethics: Media Criticism and the Eisenhower Commission, 1968-70," National Conference (2003).

Glen Feighery, "The Warren Report's Forgotten Chapter: How the Press Responded to Criticism of Kennedy Assassination Coverage," National Conference (2002).

Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication

Glen Feighery, "'A Light Out of This World': Awe, Anxiety, and Routinization in Early Nuclear Test Coverage, 1951-1953," Annual Convention (2010).

Glen Feighery, "Best Practices in Teaching Media Ethics," Annual Convention (2007).

Glen Feighery, "A Failure of Imagination: The 9/11 Commission, Terrorism Coverage, and Media Responsibility," Annual Convention (2005).

Glen Feighery, "Snowboards and Slippery Slopes: Practicing Ethical Problem-Solving Under Pressure," Annual Convention (2005).

Cassandra Imfeld and Glen Feighery, "Protecting Free Expression Online through Participation Theory: A New Articulation of Traditional First Amendment Values," Midwinter Conference (2004).

Glen Feighery, "Music, Politics and Protest: Using Music to Illustrate Themes, Time Periods and Media in Mass Communication History," Annual Convention (2003).

Glen Feighery, “‘The Media Simply Must Exercise a Higher Degree of Care’: The Kerner Commission’s Impact on Journalism Ethics,” Southeast Colloquium (2003).

Glen Feighery, “Protecting the Poisoners: How the Supreme Court Took the Burden of Controlling Pretrial Publicity from the Media and Placed It on the Courts,” Southeast Colloquium (2003).

International Communication Association

Glen Feighery, “Covering the Duke Lacrosse Case: Professional Perspectives on Journalism Ethics,” ICA Annual Conference (2009).

Association for Practical and Professional Ethics

Glen Feighery, “Talking About Katrina: How Journalists Discussed Ethics After the Storm and What They Learned,” Annual Meeting (2009).

Invited Presentations

Symposium on the 19th Century Press, Civil War, and Free Expression

Glen Feighery and David J. Vergobbi, “Press Roles and Functions: Expanding News, Building Communities.” Recorded for C-SPAN’s American History TV. (2020)

Tanner Humanities Center, University of Utah

“Race, Class, and Katrina Coverage: We’ve Been Here Before.” For Hurricane Katrina: A Symposium on Race and Class in Modern America. (2007)

Teaching

University of Utah—Regular Courses

- COMM 1500 Media and Society (also taught as COMM 1500 Introduction to Mass Communication, COMM 3505 Living in a Media World, and COMM 1500 Introduction to Media Business and Ethics)
- COMM 1610 Introduction to News Writing
- COMM 3600 The Editing Process
- COMM 3660 Intermediate News Writing
- COMM 4650 Environmental Reporting
- COMM 4660 Business Reporting
- COMM 5300 Mass Communication Law (advanced undergraduate)
- COMM 5630 Mass Communication History (advanced undergraduate)
- COMM 5660/6660 Media Ethics (advanced undergraduate/graduate)
- COMM 7330 Historical Research Methods (graduate).
- COMM 7620 Mass Communication Research (graduate)

University of Utah—Honors Thesis Advising

- Aynaelyssya Thomas, HBA in Communication and Political Science. Joint thesis exploring student activism and journalism in the context of campus safety. (Spring 2024-present)
- Kristine Weller, HBA in Communication and International Studies. “Incarceration, Art, and Agency: Newspaper Portrayals as an Outlet for Creative Expression Inside Japanese American Relocation Camps.” (Fall 2022-Summer 2023)

- Elise Saarela, HBS in Communication. “‘Negative News’ Isn’t Always Negative: Utah Journalists Reflect on News Values and Audience Engagement in the Digital Age.” (Fall 2018-Fall 2019)
- Shae Barber, HBS in Communication and Political Science. “Voluntourism in Cambodia: Persuasive Strategies of Recruitment and Postcolonial Impacts.” (Summer 2018-Spring 2019)
- Megan Hulse, HBA in Communication. “Watchdogs of the Arts: How Investigative Reporting Benefits Public Arts.” (Fall 2017-Spring 2018)

University of Utah—Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program Faculty Mentor

- Connor Richards, “The Role of Race and Class in Local Media Coverage of Utah’s Opioid Epidemic,” which was presented at WSCA. (Summer 2017- Spring 2018)

University of Utah—Independent Studies and Projects

- COMM 5800 Undergraduate reporting project about local youths volunteering on the Navajo Reservation in southeastern Utah. (Summer 2018)
- COMM 5800 Undergraduate research project: Connections among media law, strategic communication, and sports marketing. (Summer 2018)
- COMM 5800 Undergraduate pedagogical media project. (Summer 2014)
- COMM 5800 Undergraduate professional media project. (Spring 2014)
- COMM 5800 Undergraduate strategic communication project. (Spring 2014)
- COMM 5800 Undergraduate radio documentary project. (Spring 2013)
- COMM 5800 Undergraduate strategic communication project. (Spring 2013)
- COMM 6910 Doctoral readings in journalism studies. (Fall 2012)
- COMM 6910 Doctoral readings in media and political economy. (Fall 2012)
- COMM 3910 Undergraduate professional media project. (Summer 2012)
- COMM 6910 Doctoral readings in mass communication theory. (Spring 2012)
- COMM 5800 Undergraduate participatory media pedagogy project. (Spring 2012)
- COMM 6910 Doctoral readings in feminist theory (with two Ph.D. candidates). (Fall 2011)
- COMM 6910 Master’s readings in applied ethical theory. (Spring 2008)
- COMM 6910 Master’s readings in ethical theory. (Spring 2008)
- COMM 3910 Undergraduate communication ethics projects. (Spring 2008)
- COMM 6910 Master’s readings in journalism studies. (Fall 2007)
- COMM 6910 Master’s readings in community media. (Spring 2007)
- COMM 3910 Undergraduate readings in journalism studies. (Spring 2007)
- COMM 6910 Doctoral readings in environmental history. (Spring 2006)
- COMM 3910 Undergraduate readings in ethical theory. (Spring 2006)
- COMM 6910 Doctoral readings in PR ethical theory. (Fall 2005)
- COMM 6910 Doctoral readings in mass-media history. (Spring 2005)
- COMM 3910 Undergraduate environmental reporting project. (Spring 2005)

University of Utah—Guest Lectures

- COMM 1500 Introduction to Mass Communication (2005,* 2007)
- COMM 1610 Introduction to News Writing (2004, 2005, 2006,* 2007,* 2015*)
- WRTG 2010 Intermediate Writing (University Writing Program) (2006*)
- COMM 2050 Freshman Interest Group (2005, 2007, 2008, 2009)

- ENVST 2100 Introduction to Environmental Studies (2010, 2012)
- COMM 3060 Transfer Interest Group (2005, 2006*)
- COMM 3600 The Editing Process (2005, 2006, 2013)
- COMM 3620 Editorial Conference (2005,* 2006,* 2007, 2008, 2012)
- COMM 4570 Visual Editing (2013)
- COMM 4580 Public Relations Theory and Practice (2007)
- COMM 5300 Mass Communication Law (2017,* 2019)
- COMM 5320 Freedom of Expression (2017*)
- COMM 5510 Advanced Web Design (2012*)
- COMM 5365 Communicating Climate Change (2013)
- COMM 6090 Teaching College Communication (*graduate*) (2009)
- COMM 7001 Foundations of Communication (*graduate*) (2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2011)
- COMM 7320 Historical and Critical Research (*graduate*) (2006)
- Department colloquia (2004, 2005, 2007) * *multiple guest lectures*

University of Utah—Ph.D. Dissertations Directed (Chair)

- Lindsay Kite, 2009-2013, “Healthy Media Literacy: Bridging Critical Media Literacy and Health Literacy to Promote Positive Body Image and Health.”
- Sonya Alemán, 2007-2009, “*Venceremos*: Using a Chicana/o Student Newspaper to Re-Imagine Journalism Education Pedagogy and Practice.”
- Matt Baker, 2006-2008, “Environmental Journalism and Utah’s National Parks, 1919-1971.”
- Amber Hutchins, 2006-2008, “Roles, Responsibilities, and Responses: The Intersection of Journalism and Public Relations Ethics in the Armstrong Williams, McManus and Gallagher, and *El Nuevo Herald* Controversies.”

University of Utah—Master’s Students Directed (Chair)

- Nick Steffens, 2013-2015, “Almost a Boom,” a photo documentary project on North Dakota ghost towns.
- Shane Farver, 2007-2009, “Fact Checking at Warp Speed: How Online News Production is Shaping Concepts of Accuracy and Balance in Journalism.”
- Andrew Kirk, 2005-2007, “Labor, Vice, and Space: Mormon Hegemony and the Utah Chinese, 1869-1896.”
- Santanu Chakraborty, 2006-2007, completed non-thesis option.
- Cara Wieser, 2005-2006, “Taking a Reader-Centric Approach to News Production: The Impact of Letters to the Editor.”
- Steve Luker (co-director), 2005-2006, “Analysis of Mediated Interpersonal Alternative Dispute Resolution Through First Amendment Free-Speech Theory.”

University of Utah—Graduate Student Committees

- Megan Cullinan, Ph.D., 2019-2020.
- Heather Stone, Ph.D., 2018.
- Hank McIntire, Ph.D., 2014-2017.
- Chloe Nguyen, master’s, 2014-2015.
- Rosie Nguyen, master’s, 2013-2016.
- Cecile Paskett, Ph.D., 2013-2018.
- Aaron Phillips, Ph.D., 2013-2015.

- Sarah Bell, Ph.D., 2012-2015.
- Brian Cozen, Ph.D., 2012-2015.
- David Harris, Ph.D., 2012-2014.
- Debra Jenson, Ph.D., 2012-2014.
- Jeremy Chatelain, Ph.D., 2011-2018.
- Lexie Kite, Ph.D., 2011-2013.
- Juliane Mora, Ph.D., 2009-2014.
- Autumn Garrison, Ph.D., 2009-2015.
- Adam Kuban, Ph.D., 2009-2012.
- Geoff Fattah, master's, 2008-2010.
- Keith Massie, Ph.D., 2008-2011.
- Hank McIntire, master's, 2008-2009.
- Patrick Cone, master's, 2008-2009.
- Annie Maxfield Brabham, master's, 2007-2008.
- Roger Tuttle, master's, 2007-2009.
- Carol Qiu, master's, 2006-2007.
- Marie Jackson, Ph.D., 2004-2010.
- Natalie Barfuss, Ph.D., 2004-2006.

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill—Courses Taught 2002-2004

- News Writing (2 sections, 16 students each)
- News Editing (15 students)
- Professional Problems and Ethics in Journalism (50 students)
- Mass Media and U.S. History (35 students)
- Teaching assistant for Censorship

University of Nevada, Reno—Courses Taught 1999-2001

- Critical Analysis of the Mass Media (3 sections, 30-157 students each)
- News Editing (16 students)

Service to the Academy

American Journalism Historians Association

Reviewer, Annual Conference. (2019, 2023, 2024)

Co-Host, Annual Conference. (2018)

Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication

Reviewer, Law Division. (2007-2008)

Discussant, National Convention, Newspaper Division. (2006)

Co-organizer and participant, Midwinter Conference panel. (2004)

Moderator, National Convention and Southeast Colloquium. (2003)

Association for Practical and Professional Ethics

Judge, Intercollegiate Ethics Bowl (an interdisciplinary event including institutions from across the United States). I also chaired panel sessions on journalism ethics. (2003-2010)

Journal and Book Reviewing

Reviewer, David T.Z. Mindich, *The Mediated World: A New Approach to Mass Communication and Culture* (Rowman & Littlefield) (2021).

Ad hoc reviewer, *American Journalism*. (2011-2013)

Ad hoc reviewer, *Journal of Qualitative Sociology*. (2015)

Ad hoc co-reviewer, *Journal of Communication*. (2004)

Reviewer, Brian S. Brooks, James L. Pinson, and Jean Gaddy Wilson, *Working With Words* (Bedford/St. Martin's). (2008)

Reviewer, William W. Neher and Paul J. Sandin, *Communicating Ethically* (Allyn & Bacon). (2007)

Reviewer, John Vivian, *The Media of Mass Communication*, 8th and 9th editions (Allyn & Bacon). (2005, 2007)

University of Utah—Campus

University Publications Council. As chair, I reported to the Board of Trustees. The Council had a \$1.1 million budget and two full-time staff and oversaw operations of *The Daily Utah Chronicle* as well as funding for 18 other student publications. (2005- 2009)

- Chair, 2008-2009. • Vice chair, 2007-2008. • Coauthor of bylaws, 2007-2009.
- Chaired business manager search committee, 2006.

University Student Media Council. I assisted a presidential task force and co-wrote bylaws creating a converged student media council. (2006-2009)

Humanities Area Committee, Office of Undergraduate Studies. (2011-2013)

Mentor, advising an undergraduate University Service Learning Scholar. (2012)

Mentor, Center for Teaching & Learning Excellence, University of Utah. (2010)

Advisor, Society of Professional Journalists campus chapter. (2005-2010)

Co-founder and coach, Intercollegiate Ethics Bowl team. This interdisciplinary initiative was sponsored by the Departments of Philosophy and Communication. (2005-2008)

University of Utah—College of Humanities

Academic Appeals Committee. (2012-2018, 2023-2025)

Member, Working Group on Compensation for Non-Tenure Line Faculty. (2016-2017)

Invited by the Dean to evaluate practices and compensation for non-Tenure Line faculty.

Member, Faculty Awards Committee. (2019-2020)

Member, Curriculum Committee. (2012-2018, 2022-2023) Responsibilities included reviewing course additions, changes, and deactivations, as well as emphases, requirements, and other curricular matters for all departments and programs.

Member, Technology Committee. (2016-2018)

Member, Convocation student speaker selection committee. (2012)

Member, Library Committee. (2011-2012)

University of Utah—Department of Communication

Interim Director of Undergraduate Studies, Department of Communication. I worked with the department's Academic Program Manager as he transitioned into formally assuming those duties. (2022-2023)

Interim Journalism Emphasis Coordinator, Department of Communication. I worked with colleagues to update the emphasis and create new courses. (Fall 2022)

Executive Committee

Member, 2021-2023.

Co-Chair, search committee for an assistant professor of journalism. (Fall 2021-Spring 2022)

Associate Chair and Director of Undergraduate Studies, Department of Communication.

Responsibilities included coordinating curriculum with department faculty and university administration, scheduling classes, developing grants for instructional innovation, hiring associate instructors, assigning graduate teaching fellows and TAs, training instructors, and working with front-office advising staff. The department is one of the largest academic units on campus. I also contributed to the launch of the University's Asia Campus, where Communication was among the first 3 degrees offered. (2012-2018)

Undergraduate Committee

Member, 2007-2008, 2022-present; Chair, 2012-2018.

Scholarship Committee

Member, 2022-present; Chair, 2012-2017.

Member, Duignan Award Selection Committee. (2024)

Member, Annual Awards Banquet Committee. (2012-2017)

Member, Retention, Promotion, and Tenure Committee. (2012-present)

- Chair, Ad Hoc Committee for Jacob Nelson's promotion and tenure, Summer-Fall 2023.
- Member, Ad Hoc Committee for Chris Ingraham's promotion and tenure, Fall 2020.
- Member, Ad Hoc Committee for Avery Holton's promotion and tenure, Fall 2018.
- Reporter, informal review of Assistant Professor Avery Holton, Fall 2017.
- Member, Ad Hoc Committee for Assistant Professor Avery Holton's formal review, Fall 2016.
- Reporter, informal review of Assistant Professor Avery Holton, Fall 2015.
- Member, Ad Hoc Committee for Assistant Professor Robin Jensen's formal review, Fall 2013.
- RPT Secretary, Fall 2013.
- Chair, Ad Hoc Committee for Assistant Professor Robert Gehl's formal review, Fall 2012.

Member, Peer Teaching Committee. (2008-2009, 2011-2012, 2014-2015, 2016-2017, 2018-2019)

Course Supervisor, COMM 1500 Media and Society, COMM 1610 Introduction to News Writing and Reporting COMM 3600 The Editing Process, COMM 4610 Magazine Writing, COMM 4670 Specialty Reporting, COMM 5300 Mass Communication Law.

Member, search committee for career faculty position, Utah Asia Campus. (Spring 2016)

Member, search committee for an assistant professor of journalism innovation. (Summer-Fall 2012)

Member, Graduate Committee. (2005-2007)

Chair, search committee for an assistant professor in journalism and an assistant professor in diversity. (May 2005-February 2006)

Member, Diversity Committee. (2005-2006)

Contributions to curriculum (in addition to work as undergraduate director):

- I redesigned COMM 1500 Media and Society (also taught as COMM 3505) three times since 2010. First, I de-emphasized the survey of mass communication. Second, I adapted the course to fulfill the HF (Intellectual Exploration—Humanities) General Education requirement. Third, in 2021 I completely redesigned COMM 1500 to shift away from media-specific units and focus on surveillance, digital dependency/addiction, information, misinformation, and activism.
- I helped develop online and hybrid versions of various courses and worked with instructors to obtain technology grants. (2012-2017)
- I wrote successful intensive-writing and General Education proposals for numerous courses, including COMM 3600 The Editing Process and COMM 4650 Environmental Reporting.
- I co-wrote a standardized department grammar test.
- I created new courses in Environmental Reporting and Business Reporting.

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill—School of Journalism and Mass Communication

Interviews of doctoral and master's applicants. (2002, 2003, 2004)

Guest lectures: Writing, history, ethics, law, and advertising classes. (2002-2004)

University of Nevada, Reno—Reynolds School of Journalism

Contributor, self-report for reaccreditation. I interviewed students and prepared a section on their attitudes in preparation for the on-site visit. (2001)

Search committee. I assisted a committee interviewing candidates for a full-time faculty position and provided feedback to the committee chair. (2001)

Report on academic honesty. This was part of an effort to adopt uniform standards for plagiarism and similar issues. (2000-2001)

Guest lectures: Media Ethics and Critical Analysis of the Mass Media. (1999-2001)

External Reviewing for Tenure/Promotion Cases

Reviewed cases for Department of Journalism and Communication, Utah State University (2016) and School of Journalism and Telecommunications, University of Kentucky (2013).

Service to the Journalism Profession

Wasatch Public Media Inc. (nonprofit license holder of KCPW, 88.3 FM, Salt Lake Public Radio). Volunteer corporate Secretary and Board Member since 2014. As secretary, I sign and execute legal documents on behalf of the nonprofit corporation. While the station was on the air, I advised the station manager on operations, programming, and regulatory compliance. During the pandemic, I helped obtain two Paycheck Protection Loans and subsequent forgiveness. In 2022, I worked intensively as the lead board member to negotiate loan extensions with secured creditors. In 2023, I coordinated the sale of KCPW's broadcast license to KUER. This entailed retaining a sales broker and attorney to represent Wasatch Public Media; coordinating with Utah public radio managers to discuss sale options; meeting

with a senior NPR executive to facilitate such an agreement; meeting with secured creditors to argue in favor of selling to KUER; and filing Federal Communications Commission paperwork to maintain our good standing while the sale closed.

Utah Headliners (professional) chapter, Society of Professional Journalists

- Member, 2005-present.
- Board member, 2005-2009.
- Ethics Committee member, 2006-2009.
- Membership chair, 2006-2008.
- Judge, SPJ Honors Awards and general news awards, 2006-2009.

Society of Professional Journalists Region 9 conferences. I coordinated the 2007 conference and presented at the 2005 and 2009 conferences. (2005, 2007, 2009)

Society of Professional Journalists workshops. I joined professionals in Ethics Week activities for high school and college students (2006, 2008) and co-conducted a headline-writing seminar for the Miami University chapter in Oxford, Ohio (1992).

Investigative Reporters and Editors workshop. I coordinated with *The Salt Lake Tribune* to provide database training for professional journalists. (May 2009)

Coordinator, *Deseret News* internships. This included legislative interns. (2005-2009)

The Salt Lake Tribune. I participated in a reader panel designed to provide community feedback to two dozen newsroom editors. (September 2004)

Dow Jones Newspaper Fund copy-editing internship “boot camp,” University of North Carolina. I mentored interns and taught sessions. (Summer 2002, 2003, 2004)

Service to the Community

Kiwanis Club of Salt Lake, invited speaker on journalism ethics. (2010)

Counter-Terrorism Executive Directorate, United Nations Security Council.

I contributed a memorandum drawn from my paper “Watchdogs for a New War” for a discussion of a Security Council resolution on terrorism coverage. (2006)

Utah State Historical Society, an annual meeting panel session, “The More Things Change ... Utah Print Journalism from 1890 to 2005.” (2005)

Interviews With News Media

- *Daily Utah Chronicle*, on “Facebook Papers” revelations. (October 2021)
- *Salt Lake City Weekly*, on journalists’ credibility and leaked documents. (June 2018)
- **KSTU-TV**, on new ownership of *The Salt Lake Tribune*. (April 2016)
- *Salt Lake Magazine*, on models of news media ownership. (March 2016)
- **KSL Newsradio**, on the appeal of broadcast radio amid digital choices. (May 2015)
- **KUER-FM**, on the legacy of Utah journalism educator Louise Degn. (May 2015)
- *The Salt Lake Tribune*, on layoffs in journalism. (September 2013)
- *The Salt Lake Tribune*, on community journalism. (February 2013)
- **KCPW-FM**, 40-minute segment on citizen journalism. (December 2011)

- *The Salt Lake Tribune*, on journalism for digital platforms. (September 2011)
- *The Salt Lake Tribune*, on impartiality in newsgathering. (August 2011)
- *The New York Times*, on LDS Church ownership of news media. (August 2010)
- *Deseret News*, on editorial conflicts of interest. (September 2009)
- *Deseret News*, on public-relations responses to phishing attacks. (May 2008)
- *The Salt Lake Tribune*, on the future of newspapers. (April 2008)
- *Salt Lake City Weekly*, on ethical standards for sportscasters. (September 2007)
- *KCPW-FM*, on attempts to revive the Fairness Doctrine. (July 2007)
- *Salt Lake City Weekly*, on independence for college journalists. (May 2007)
- *Deseret Morning News*, on ethical aspects of crime coverage. (January 2007)
- *Deseret Morning News*, on ethical issues in marketing. (February 2006)
- *Deseret Morning News*, on coverage of the film *Brokeback Mountain*. (January 2006)
- *The [BYU] Daily Universe*, on the news coverage of the LDS Church. (October 2005)
- *KUTV News*, on the ethics of political advertising. (September 2004)

Other Activities

Search Committee Training, Office of Equal Opportunity, University of Utah. (2021)

Inclusivity and Microaggression Training, University of Utah. (2018, 2019)

New Administrator Orientation, University of Utah. (2013)

Media Ethics Teaching Workshop, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. (2002, 2007)

Donald W. Reynolds National Center for Business Journalism, American Press Institute, workshops in investigative business journalism. (2005, 2006)

Editing professors' workshop, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. (2002, 2003, 2005, 2006)

Ethics pedagogy workshop, Center for Practical Ethics, University of Montana. (2000)

Pedagogy workshop, University of Nevada, Reno. (2000)

Panelist, *Book Talk*, KNPB-TV (PBS), Reno, Nevada. (2000-2001)

Copy editor, *The Donner Party Chronicles: A Day-by-Day Account of a Doomed Wagon Train, 1846-1847* (Nevada Humanities Committee, 1997), and *Stories of the Sagebrush: Celebrating Northern Nevada at the Millennium* (Nevada Humanities Committee, 1999).

Book reviewer, *The Clarion-Ledger*, Jackson, Mississippi. (1987-1990)

Professional Journalism Experience

Copy Editor, *Reno Gazette-Journal* (daily circulation 66,000; Sunday, 86,000). I edited, designed, and paginated the front page four to five nights a week. I was responsible for all three zoned editions nightly. Working directly with senior editors, I helped determine page 1 story lineup and layout. Other duties included editing and designing wire, local, business, opinion, zoned, and special sections. I trained and coached copy desk newcomers, part-timers

and interns. I helped compile a local stylebook in 2001, install a new front-end system in 1999, and lead conversion to electronic pagination in 1996. (April 1995-July 2001)

Copy Editor, *The Cincinnati Enquirer* (daily circulation 200,000; Sunday, 350,000). Duties included editing and designing the front page and wire, local, zoned, and special sections; slotting; and serving as night editor at our remote production site. As a slot, I supervised a rim of four to seven people per night and was responsible for page flow for all five editions. I trained other editors in layout and Quark XPress; helped conduct a writing workshop with bureau staff; and supervised, mentored, and evaluated interns. (September 1990-April 1995)

Copy Editor, *The Clarion-Ledger, Jackson, Mississippi* (daily circulation 105,000; Sunday, 125,000). Duties included editing and designing the front page, wire, and opinion sections; slotting; and rim. (October 1987-August 1990)

Business Writer, *The Clarion-Ledger*. I covered banking, investing, and the economy of the Southeast. I started a weekly investment column on local stocks. I occasionally assumed the business editor's duties in his absence. (March-October 1987)

Business Writer, *Kingsport (Tennessee) Times-News* (daily circulation 45,000). I was responsible for covering all local business news and budgeting the business page. I also edited and partly wrote a special section on tax reform. (February 1986-March 1987)

Staff Writer, *Cincinnati Suburban Press Inc.*, a weekly newspaper chain. I wrote news, features, editorials, and a column; took photos; and edited. (January-June 1984)

Awards

University of Utah Career and Professional Development Center Faculty Recognition

Award. One of 20 winners from among more than 200 nominees. The citation stated, "Your nominations spoke to your dedication to helping students find resources, figure out their career passions, and realize the possibilities that exist for their futures." (2018)

U.S. Department of Defense, Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve Award. For working with a graduate teaching fellow while he was deployed on active duty. (2013)

University of Utah, Early Career Teaching Award (\$2,500 prize), University Teaching Committee. (2009)

Honorable Mention, Best Practices in Teaching Media Ethics, Teaching Committee of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. (2007)

Tanner Teaching Assistants Award for Undergraduate Teaching (\$1,000 prize), University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. (2004)

William Francis Clingman Jr. Ethics Award (\$8,000 prize), School of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. (2003)

Roy H. Park Fellowship (\$18,500 annual stipend), School of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. (2001-2004)

Best of Gannett, second place, millennium category. I was part of a team that produced a 10-month series in the *Reno Gazette-Journal* about life in northern Nevada. (1999)

Memberships

American Journalism Historians Association

Society of Professional Journalists