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## **EDUCATION**

- Ph.D., Land Resources, Institute for Environmental Studies 1997  
University of Wisconsin, Madison  
*Areas of Concentration:* sociology of agriculture, social movement theory, environmental thought, history of the US environmental movement, feminist epistemologies, and critical perspectives on science and technology.  
*Dissertation:* "Exchanging knowledge, building community: Farmer networks in the sustainable agriculture movement."
- M.S., Environmental Studies Program 1989  
University of Oregon, Eugene  
*Areas of Concentration:* environmental law, physical geography, and ecology.  
*Thesis:* "Enforcement of the federal pesticide law: An assessment of Oregon's program."
- B.A., Environmental Studies and Government 1985  
St. Lawrence University, Canton, New York  
*Honors:* Cum Laude; Departmental Honors in Government.  
*Thesis:* "Agricultural development policy and the structure of agricultural production in Kenya."

## **EXPERIENCE**

- Professor, Environmental Studies, University of Montana 2011- Present
- Associate Professor, Environmental Studies Program, University of Montana 2004-2011
- Assistant Professor, Environmental Studies Program, University of Montana 2000-2004

Courses developed and taught at UM:

- EVST 225 Community and Environment
- EVST 420 The US Environmental Movement(s)
- EVST 480 Food, Agriculture, and the Environment
- EVST 494/594 Women, Environment and Social Change
- EVST 555 Research Methods for Social Change
- ENST 519 Foundations of Change
- EVST 520 Environmental Organizing
- EVST 595 The Inspiring Legacy of Women's Work to Protect the Earth (Jan. Intersession)
- EVST 594 Assessing the Food System (community-based research projects)
- EVST 580 The Politics of Food
- EVST 594 Montana Agriculture and Rural Communities (field course)

- Program Associate, NW Coalition for Alternatives to Pesticides, Eugene, OR 1997-2000  
Conducted policy research; guided development of technical reports; wrote and secured numerous grants; made frequent public presentations to diverse audiences; influenced key policy debates by working with public agencies, legislators, and the governor during the 1999 Oregon Legislative Session; and generated extensive media coverage.
- Research Assistant, Dept. of Rural Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison 1992-1996  
Investigated rotational grazing networks in Wisconsin.
- Groundwater Assoc., NW Coalition for Alternatives to Pesticides, Eugene, OR 1992  
Compiled data on contamination of groundwater in the Pacific Northwest, and served as liaison to a community-based group affected by contamination.
- Community Organizer, Northern Plains Resource Council, Billings, MT 1989-1991  
Staffed two community-based organizations in rural Montana focusing on issues facing family farms and ranches, and lobbied on agricultural and environmental issues in 1991 MT Legislative Session.
- Graduate Teaching Fellow, Dept. of Planning, Public Policy, & Management Fall 1988  
Law and Legal Methods, University of Oregon
- Asst. to Director, Save Our ecoSystems, Eugene, OR 1985-1987  
Conducted policy research on water, wetland, and recycling issues.
- Instructor, Upward Bound, Canton, NY 1985  
Designed and taught summer course on local environment to low-income, high school students from Akwesasna Nation and other areas of rural New York.
- Teaching Assistant, Environmental Studies Program, St. Lawrence University 1985  
Introduction to Environmental Studies.
- Teaching Assistant, Dept. of Government, St. Lawrence University 1984  
Introduction to U.S. Government.

## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT & TRAINING**

Cultural Humility: Community of Practice, Indigenous Vision. <https://www.indigenousvision.org/>  
March 2022 (4-Part Virtual Series).

Facilitation and Training Approaches for Community Change, Certificate, Coady International Institute, St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish, NS, Canada, October 13-31, 2014.

Community-Driven Health Impact Assessment, Coady International Institute, St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish, NS, Canada, November 3-11, 2014.

Social Change and Participatory Research. Fielding Graduate Institute workshop at the Highlander Research and Education Center, New Market, TN, August 21-25, 2002.

Environmental Leadership Institute. The League of Conservation Voters, July 16-20, 2001.

Negotiate to Win. Cooper Management Institute. Two-day training, 2000.

Running Electoral Campaigns. Community Strategic Training Initiative, Western States Center, Portland, OR. Two-day training, 1997.

Focus Group Interviewing. Univ. of Wisconsin, Madison. Two-day training, 1994.

Organizing for Social Change in the 1990s. Si Kahn of Grassroots Leadership, Madison, WI. One-day training, 1994.

Principles of Community Organizing. Western Organization of Resource Councils, Billings, MT, Five-day training, 1990.

### **AWARDS AND HONORS**

Excellence in Public Service Award, Agriculture, Food, & Human Values Society	2019
Faculty Greening UM Award, Sustainable Campus Committee	2019
Don Aldrich Award from Missoula Conservation Roundtable for longtime contributions to the conservation of natural resources & environmental protection	2015
Distinguished Alumni Award, Nelson Institute for Environmental Studies	2015
Residency, Playa, Summer Lake, Oregon	2015
Artsmith Scholar of the Year	2013
Sustainable Agriculture Education Award Alternative Energy Resources Organization, Montana	2005
Helen and Winthrop Cox Award for Excellence in Teaching College of Arts and Sciences, University of Montana.	2005
Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter Award for Campus-Community Partnerships for UM-EVST's Program in Ecological Agriculture and Society (PEAS) and Garden City Harvest, with Josh Slotnick.	2004
Recognition by the UM Division of Student Affairs for support of students	2004, 2005, 2006
Volunteer of the Year, Oregon League of Conservation Voters	2000

## **SCHOLARLY PUBLICATIONS**

- Berglund, Erika, Neva Hassanein, Paul LaChapelle, and Caroline Stephens. 2021. Advancing food democracy: The potential and limits of food policy positions in local government. *Journal of Agriculture, Food Systems, and Community Development*. 11(1), 81–98.  
<https://doi.org/10.5304/jafscd.2021.111.002>
- Plotkin, Samuel Ethan and Neva Hassanein. 2017. Cultivating opportunity: Do land transfer tools improve land access for beginning farmers? *Renewable Agriculture and Food Systems*, 1-9.  
doi:10.1017/S1742170517000539
- Hubbard, Kristina and Neva Hassanein. 2013. Confronting coexistence in the United States: Organic agriculture, genetic engineering, and the case of Roundup Ready® alfalfa. *Agriculture and Human Values* 30(3):325-335. DOI 10.1007/s10460-012-9394-6
- Hassanein, Neva. 2011. Practicing food democracy: A pragmatic politics of transformation. [Anthology reprint.] Williams-Forson, Psyche and Carole Counihan, editors, *Taking Food Public: Redefining Foodways in a Changing World*. New York: Routledge.
- Hassanein, Neva. 2011. Matters of scale and the politics of the Food Safety Modernization Act. AFHVS Presidential Address, presented at the 2011 Annual meeting of the Agriculture Food, and Human Values Society, held at the University of Montana, June 2011. *Agriculture and Human Values* 28:577-581.
- Hassanein, Neva. 2008. Locating food democracy: Theoretical and practical ingredients. *Journal of Hunger and Environmental Nutrition* 3(2-3): 286-308.
- Kloppenburg, Jack and Neva Hassanein. 2006. From old school to reform school? *Agriculture and Human Values* 23(4): 417-421.
- Hassanein, Neva. 2003. Practicing food democracy: A pragmatic politics of transformation. *Journal of Rural Studies* 19(1): 77-86.
- Hassanein, Neva. 2000. Democratizing agricultural knowledge through sustainable farming networks. Chap. 3 in *Science, Technology, and Democracy*. Edited by Daniel Lee Kleinman. Albany: SUNY Press.
- Hassanein, Neva. 1999. *Changing the Way America Farms: Knowledge and Community in the Sustainable Agriculture Movement*. Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press.
- Hassanein, Neva. 1997. Networking knowledge in the sustainable agriculture movement: Some implications of the gender dimension. *Society and Natural Resources* 10(2): 251-257.
- Hassanein, Neva, and Jack Kloppenburg, Jr. 1995. Where the grass grows again: Knowledge exchange in the sustainable agriculture movement. *Rural Sociology* 60(4): 721-740.

## **COMMUNITY-BASED ACTION RESEARCH**

Hassanein, Neva, editor. 2017. *Resetting the Table: A Report on the 2016 Local Food and Agriculture Summit*. Summit convened by Montana Governor Steve Bullock and organized by the Grow Montana Food Policy Coalition and Partners, October 28-29, 2016 Montana State University. Bozeman, Montana.

Hassanein, Neva, Laura Ginsburg, Kim Gilchrist, Caroline Stephens, and Eva Rocke, editors. 2013. *Local is Delicious, But It's Not Always Easy: A Case Study of the Western Montana Growers Cooperative*. Ronan, MT: Mission Mountain Food Enterprise Center. Available at: <http://www.lakecountycdc.org/%20Resources%20%26%20Case%20Studies>

Hubbard, Paul and Neva Hassanein. 2010. *Losing Ground: The Future of Farms and Food in Missoula County*. Missoula, MT: Community Food and Agriculture Coalition.

*Tracing the Chain: An In-depth Look at Farm to College*. 2007. Ten graduate students, under the guidance of Hassanein, conducted a multi-faceted study of the impact of the UM's Farm to College (FTC) program, looking at the social, economic, and transportation-related benefits and challenges. EVST carried out this research in partnership with Grow Montana, a coalition working to enable the state's food producers and processors to meet more of our food needs, and to improve all citizens' access to nutritious local food.

*Missoula County Community Food Assessment*. Hassanein and Dr. Maxine Jacobson facilitated a community food assessment for Missoula County, Montana, during 2003 and 2004, which led to the research reports listed below. In this collaborative effort, a steering committee representing 15 local organizations guided the project. Over 700 County residents participated in interviews, focus groups, and surveys. Some 50 students, both graduate and undergraduate, from the Environmental Studies Program and the Dept. of Social Work, gathered data under faculty supervision. Thirty-two students are authors or co-authors of chapters within the reports. Faculty, students and steering committee members presented the findings at a public event with over 150 attendees, Nov. 2004.

Hassanein, Neva and Maxine Jacobson, editors. 2004. *Our Foodshed in Focus: Missoula County Food and Agriculture by the Numbers*. Missoula: University of Montana.

Hassanein, Neva and Maxine Jacobson, editors. 2004. *Food Matters: Farm Viability and Food Consumption in Missoula County*. Missoula: University of Montana.

Nichols, Sarah, editor. 2004. *Grow, Eat, and Know: A Resource Guide to Food and Farming in Missoula County*. Missoula: University of Montana.

## **OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

- Barlett, Peggy and Neva Hassanein. 2013. Long live the purity of seeds for broccoli. Christian Science Monitor, April 16. <http://www.csmonitor.com/Commentary/Opinion/2013/0416/Long-live-the-purity-of-seeds-for-broccoli>
- Hubbard Kristina and Neva Hassanein. 2013. Discovery of genetically modified wheat in Oregon highlights regulatory failures. Oregonian, June 15. [http://www.oregonlive.com/opinion/index.ssf/2013/06/discovery\\_of\\_genetically\\_modif.html](http://www.oregonlive.com/opinion/index.ssf/2013/06/discovery_of_genetically_modif.html)
- Hassanein, Neva. 2013. Don't delete agriculture from subdivision review. Opinion-editorial in the *Missoulian* and on Montana Public Radio.
- Hassanein, Neva. 2008. Kamut: An ancient grain spurs innovation. *Edible Missoula* 4: 23-25.
- Hassanein, Neva. 2008. Rooted in the soil. *Edible Missoula* 2:26-31.
- Hassanein, Neva. 2007. Local food programs at risk in Farm Bill draft. Opinion-editorial. *Missoulian*. September 9.
- Hassanein, Neva. 2004. Who's minding the store? Pp. 44-49 in *Staying Home: Reflections on Food, Farming and Place*, edited by Kristi Johnson. Missoula, MT: Garden City Harvest.
- Hassanein, Neva. 2003. Review of *Environmentalism Unbound: Exploring New Pathways for Change*, by Robert Gottlieb. *Rural Sociology* 68(1):147-149.
- Hassanein, Neva, and Richarda Ruffle. 2003. Digesting the politics of food. *AERO Sun Times*.
- Hassanein, Neva. 2000. *Keep on Tracking: Movement for Pesticide Use Reporting Advances*. Eugene, OR: National Pesticide Right-to-Know Campaign.
- Hassanein, Neva. 2000. *Let's Get Together: Synergistic Effects of Multi-State Coalitions*. Eugene, OR: National Pesticide Right-to-Know Campaign.
- Hassanein, Neva. 2000. Protecting our watersheds from pesticides. *OPEN Files* 4. Eugene: Oregon Pesticide Education Network.
- Hassanein, Neva. 2000. An idea whose time has come: Pesticide use reporting. *Journal of Pesticide Reform*. 20(1):2-7.
- Hassanein, Neva. 1999. Good meetings don't happen by accident. *Journal of Pesticide Reform* 19(4):20.
- Hassanein, Neva. 1998. Beyond armchair activism in rural sociology. *The Rural Sociologist*. 18(4):28-29.
- Kloppenburger, Jack, Jr., Neva Hassanein, and Beth Burrows. 1997. Biotechnology: A corporate agenda. *Food and Water Journal*. Winter:36-39.

- Hassanein, Neva, Katie Jo Keppinger, and Caroline Cox. 1997. *Altering Oregon's Destiny: Hormone Disrupting Pesticides in The Willamette River*. Eugene, OR: Northwest Coalition for Alternatives to Pesticides.
- Kloppenburger, Jack Jr., Neva Hassanein, and Beth Burrows. 1996. *Does Technology Know Where It's Going? (Twelve Reasons to Stop Expecting Modern Biotechnology to Create a Sustainable Agriculture and What to Do after the Expectation Has Ceased)*. Edmonds, WA: Edmonds Institute.
- Hassanein, Neva. 1993. Grassroots strategies for confronting biotechnology. *Journal of Pesticide Reform* 13(3):12-14.
- Kloppenburger, Jack R., Jr., and Neva Hassanein. 1993. As you know...Farmers' knowledge and sustainable agriculture. *As You Sow...Social Issues in Agriculture* 27(April):1-4.
- Hassanein, Neva. 1993. Are pesticide risks transforming today's alternative practices into tomorrow's conventions? *Journal of Pesticide Reform* 13(1):26-28.
- Hassanein, Neva. 1992. Uncovering the legacy of pesticide use: What we know about ground water contamination in the Northwest. Eugene, OR: Northwest Coalition for Alternatives to Pesticides.
- Hassanein, Neva. 1989. How well is federal pesticide law enforced by your state? *Journal of Pesticide Reform*. 9(3):35-37.
- Hassanein, Neva, and Ivy Cotler. 1989. *Every Drop Matters: A Guide to Preventing Groundwater Contamination*. Eugene, OR: Northwest Coalition for Alternatives to Pesticides.
- Hassanein, Neva, and Peter Sorenson. 1988. Breathing new life into environmental law. *Earth Island Journal* 3(3): 40-41.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

- Keynote presentation, 2020, "Dismantling and Rebuilding the Food System after COVID-19: The 5Ds of Redistribution." Webinar with approximately 250 people. Organized by Centre for Sustainable Food Systems, University of British Columbia. Sept. 18.
- Keynote address, Food Summit 2020. Palouse-Clearwater Food Coalition, Moscow ID, Jan. 31.
- Convener and facilitator, Panel on Pesticide Contamination of Organic Crops. Montana Organic Association, December 2019.
- The Story of Kamut®: A New, Very Different Chapter." Paper presented at the 2019 Annual Meeting of the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society, Anchorage, Alaska, June 28, 2019.
- Keynote Address presented at the "Balancing Profitability and Access in Local Food Systems" conference, University of Idaho Extension, Boise, October 18, 2018.

Keynote Panel on the “History of Organic Agriculture” at Annual Meeting of the Montana Organic Association, Great Falls, December 7, 2018.

“Montana Food Talks and Panel Discussion” at “Cultivating Connections,” the 2018 Montana Farm to School Summit, University of Montana, September 14, 2018.

Panel Chair, “Redefining ‘good food’ in the 20th and 21st centuries,” 2018. Annual conference of the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society, Madison, WI, June.

Convener, “Enhancing biodiversity on farms and in food systems: A Roundtable,” 2018. with Jo Ann Baumgartner, Director, Wild Farm Alliance Shelly Connor, Assistant Director, Wild Farm Alliance Dana Jackson, Author, Sustainability Advocate, and Retired Senior Program Associate, Land Stewardship Project. Annual conference of the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society, Madison, WI, June.

“Teaching to transform: Reflections on pedagogy and activism,” Presentation at the Association for Environmental Studies and Sciences, 2017 Annual Conference, Tucson, AZ.

“Regional food systems on the rise: Implications for democracy in Montana,” 2017 Rough-Cut Series presentation, Montana Institute on Ecosystems, Montana State University, Bozeman, and live streamed, March 1.

“Food and the politics of place: Exploring a civic food network in Montana,” 2017 Presentation to Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society, Occidental College, Los Angeles.

Presentation to the New Western Energy Show Reunion, 2016, Alternative Energy Resources Organization, Helena, MT, September.

“Food democracy and the power of place,” Public Address, Middlebury College, Middlebury, VT, September 24, 2014.

“Food democracy and the power of place,” Public Address, St. Lawrence University, Canton, NY, September 16, 2014.

“Cultivating food democracy.” With Mark LoParco. TEDx UMontana, September 2013.

“Reflections on our regional food movement: Past and present.” Keynote address at the Western Montana Food and Agriculture Regional Food Summit, Arlee, MT, March 1, 2013.

“Local is delicious,” but it’s not always easy: A case study of the Western Montana Growers Cooperative.” With Kim Gilchrist, Laura Ginsburg, and Caroline Stephens. Paper presented at Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society Annual Meeting, East Lansing, Michigan, June 2013.

“Food choice from research to policy,” Invited participant in a Mellon Sawyer Seminar Workshop at University of Indiana, Bloomington, January 24-26, 2013.

<http://www.indiana.edu/~foodsci/Food+Choice+from+Research+to+Policy+Workshop+General+Schedule.pdf>



Invited discussant of featured paper by distinguished scholar, Harriet Friedmann, at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, on “Real Utopian Foodshed Governance,” Denver CO, August 2012.

“Food as a driver for democracy and justice,” UM Alumni Association Community Lecture Series 2012, March 20.

“Food, environment, and health,” Focus session at the Turning the Tide Conference, St. Patrick’s Hospital, February 5, 2012, Missoula, MT.

“Feeding the world,” Panelist at Rocky Mountain Power Shift, February 18, 2012, Missoula, MT.

“Terms and territory: Creating a shared language,” Presentation at the Five Valleys Food and Agriculture Summit, December 2, 2011, Arlee, MT.

“A future in local foods,” Community Matters Conference, Orton Family Foundation, May 12, 2011.

Facilitation of roundtable discussion on Western Montana Food and Farm Economy, at New West Festival, Rise of the Rockies, May 6, 2011, Missoula, MT.

“The big conversation,” AERO’s 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting: Sustainability Begins at Home, October 29, 2011, Lakeside, MT.

“How organic agriculture can feed the world,” Panelist at the Montana Organic Association Annual Meeting, November 6, 2010, Missoula, MT.

“UM’s local food and farming initiatives,” with University Dining Services, presentation and tour for the Society for Environmental Journalists Annual Meeting, Oct. 16, 2010, Missoula, MT.

“Values-based supply chains and the case of Kamut® brand grain.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society, Bloomington, IN. June 2010.

“The power and promise of local food.” Keynote Address, Seventh Annual Northern Rockies Bioneers Conference, Bozeman, MT, November 2009.

“Community-based Research: A workshop focused on documenting and learning from project outcomes.” Panel participant the annual meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, Madison, WI. July 2009.

“Values-based supply chains and the case of Kamut® brand grain.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, Madison, WI. July 2009.

“Farmland and the future of local food systems: A view from western Montana.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society, State College, PA. May 2009.

“Keeping it real: A discussion about action-oriented scholarship.” Panel participant at the annual meeting of the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society, State College, PA. May 2009.

Invited panelist for a roundtable discussion on “From sustainability to restoration: A multi-disciplinary discussion” at the UM Graduate Student and Faculty Research Conference. April 2009.

Invited panelist at the inaugural National Symposium on Food Systems and Sustainability. Agricultural Sustainability Institute, University of California Davis. March 2009.

Presentation at the UM-University of Pecs Joint Conference on the Environment, held at the UM with the theme “Transcontinental perspectives on environmental change.” November 2008.

Invited presentation on “Sustainability and the land that feeds us,” at the Montana Model United Nations, November 2008.

“The Land that Feeds Us.” Invited presentation, Montana Farmers Union Annual Convention, Great Falls. October 2008.

Presentations on how to re-invigorate food processing in Montana to the Montana State Legislature’s Economic Affairs Interim Committee in Miles City, Nov. 2007, and in Missoula, June 2008. Council on Foundations conference, Creating the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Agenda for Philanthropy and Rural America. Missoula and Arlee, MT, August 7-9, 2007.

“Putting the farm into community food security: Integrated strategies for building local food systems.” Co-author with Paul Hubbard. Paper presentation at the annual meeting of the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society, Victoria, BC. May 31, 2007

“From the ground up: Opportunities and challenges for alternative food initiatives.” Panel presentation at the annual meeting of the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society, Victoria, BC. June 1, 2007.

“Teaching food: Pedagogies, practices, and pitfalls.” Panel presentation at the annual meeting of the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society, Victoria, BC. June 2, 2007

“The power and promise of local food: An in-depth look at the UM’s Farm to College Program.” Public lecture series sponsored by Montanans for Corporate Accountability, AERO, and Grow Montana. Helena, MT. November 13, 2006.

Grow Montana. MT Farmers Union Annual Convention, Great Falls, MT. October 28, 2006.

“The Globalocal Food Movement: Act Globally, Eat Locally.” Panel with Michael Pollan and Brian Halweil, at the Bioneers Conference, San Rafael, CA. October 20, 2006.

“Feeding Montana’s future? An in-depth look at the impact of Farm to College” with Ariel Bleth, Jacob Cowgill, Katherine Dayton, Paul Hubbard, Scott Kennedy, Jason Mandala, Beth Neely, Hillary Schwei, Kimberly Spielman, and Sarah Stokes. The UM Farm to College Program: Celebrating Sustainability in Action. May 2006. Missoula, MT.

“The power and promise of local food.” The Eighth Annual 2006 Community Lecture Series of the University of Montana Alumni Association. March 2006. Missoula, MT.

“Teaching about agriculture to non-farmers.” Panel presentation at the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society Annual Meeting, June 2005, Portland, OR.

Presentations to the Missoula City Council and to the Board of Commissioners of Missoula County regarding the findings of the Missoula Co. Community Food Assessment, spring 2005.

“Locating food democracy.” Paper presented at the Rural Sociological Society Annual Meeting, August 2004, Sacramento, CA.

“More than learning to eat kale? Community supported agriculture and food democracy.” Paper presented at the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society Annual Meeting, June 2004, Hyde Park, NY.

“Walking the talk: Communities re-building local food systems.” Presentation to the annual meeting of the Alternative Energy Resources Organization, Nov. 1, 2003, Jackson, MT.

UM farm to College Program: Cultivating partnerships and celebrating the harvest, Panel Participant, May 6, 2004, University of Montana.

“Putting your money where your mouth is.” Convener and presenter for a panel on how colleges can support local farmers by highlighting local/regional foods in their cafeterias. Locally Grown for the Local Good Conference, sponsored by the Healthy Environment Action League and the Alternative Energy Resources Organization, Sun. July 13, 2003, Hamilton, MT.

“Food democracy: How do we know it when we see it?” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society, June 14, 2003, Austin, TX.

“Making the road by walking: Visions and practice for sustainable communities.” Lecture given as part of the Sustainable Communities Lecture Series, September 10, 2002, University of Montana.

“The future of Montana agriculture.” Panelist at the Big Sky, Big Sprawl Conference sponsored by the Alternative Energy Resources Organization and the Montana Smart Growth Coalition, November, 2002, Helena, MT.

“Acting in the public space and redrawing the boundaries of food politics.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society, June 15, 2002, Chicago, IL.

“Fables for tomorrow: Women and food democracy.” Keynote address at the Fall Harvest Women's Gathering, Saturday, Nov. 10, 2001, Minnesota.

“Practicing food democracy: A pragmatic politics of transformation.” Invited Presentation to the workshop on International Perspectives on Alternative Agro-Food Networks: Quality, Embeddedness and Bio-Politics. Institute of Agro-Food Studies and Rural Change, October 12-13, 2001, University of California, Santa Cruz.

“You are what you eat! Genetically modified foods in local and Asian perspectives.” Panel Moderator. 2000 Mansfield Conference, University of Montana, October 2000.

“Knowledge, gender, and community in the sustainable agriculture movement.” Women’s Studies Brown Bag Lunch Forum, University of Montana, November 2000.

“Developing and working in coalitions: How to build, operate and maintain an effective coalition.” Presentation to the Oregon Conservation Network, June 10, 2000. Wilsonville, OR.

“Collecting accurate pesticide use data to protect Oregon's water.” Guest lecture, Winter Seminar Series, Department of Environmental Science and Engineering, Oregon Graduate Institute. February 2000. Portland, OR.

“How environmentalists influence policy: The establishment of pesticide use reporting in Oregon.” Guest lecture, Environmental Health Policy course, Oregon State University. October 1999. Corvallis, OR.

“Evaluating and encouraging the adoption of alternative pest management strategies.” Co-author: Lucy Vinis. Paper presented at conference on Integrated Pest Management in Oregon: Achievements and Future Directions. April 1999. Oregon State University, Corvallis.

“Pollution prevention and the need for pesticide use data.” Paper presented at the Conference on Agriculture and Water Quality in the Pacific Northwest. October 1998. Yakima, WA.

“Pleasure, work and the grass bug.” Co-authors: Douglas Jackson-Smith & Marcia Ostrom. Paper presented at the Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society. August 1998. Portland, OR.

“Pesticide use information and water quality protection in the Clackamas River Basin.” Co-author: Josh Peters. Paper presented to Clackamas River Basin Council. August 1998. Sandy, OR.

“Designing a pesticide use reporting policy.” Paper presented at the Public Interest Environmental Law Conference. March 1998. University of Oregon, School of Law, Eugene.

“Pesticides as non-point source pollutants.” Paper presented at the Chemical Applicators Short Course, Oregon State University Extension. January 1998. Portland, OR.

“Sustainable farming networks as social movement communities: Ideology, identity, and social support.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society. June 1997. University of Wisconsin, Madison.

“Networking knowledge in the sustainable agriculture movement.” Paper presented at a conference on The Politics of Sustainable Agriculture. October 1995. University of Oregon.

“Promoting sustainable agriculture through farmer networks.” Poster presented at the 25th anniversary symposium of the Institute for Environmental Studies, The Search for Environmental Solutions. October 1995. University of Wisconsin, Madison.

“Challenging the terms of environmental debates: Women activists take on the scientific experts.”

Paper presented at the 19th Annual University of Wisconsin System Women's Studies Conference, "Women Shaping Science, the Environment, Society: Images, Activism, Transformation." November 1994. University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point.

“Women, science, and grassroots environmentalism.” Paper presented at Land Resources Forum, October 1994. University of Wisconsin, Madison.

“Rotational grazing: Revolution or evolution?” Workshop convener and presenter at the Upper Midwest Organic Farming Conference. March 1994. Sinsinawa, Wisconsin.

### **RECENT ACADEMIC AND COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Member, Board of Directors, Wild Farm Alliance	2016-2022
Member, Missoula City-County Consolidated Planning Board Mayoral Appointment	2016-2021
Chair of the Community Design focus group, member of Environmental Quality focus group, and member, Steering Committee, for the Our Missoula Growth Policy	2014-2015
Member, Montana Conservation Voters, Missoula Chapter Board	2015-2019
Director, Montana Conservation Voters Education Fund Board	2015-2017
Member, Graduate Council, University of Montana	2012-2014
Member, Site selection committee, Ag, Food, and Human Values Society	2013-2014
Past-President, Member of the Executive Committee, & Chair of Awards Comm. Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society An interdisciplinary, international academic society	2011-2012
President, Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society	2010-2011
Co-chair, Program Committee, 2011 Joint Annual Meetings of the Agriculture, Food and Human Values Society and the Association for the Study of Food and Society, to be held at the UM	2010-2011
Reviewer for Helen and Winston Cox Educational Excellence Award UM College of Arts and Sciences	2010
Reviewer for Western Sustainable Agriculture, Research, and Education A US Dept. of Agriculture competitive grants program	2010

Vice-President (elected), Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society	2009-2010
Chair, Faculty Evaluation Committee, Environmental Studies Program	2009, 2012
Co-facilitator and board member, Community Food & Agriculture Coalition A food policy council for Missoula County.	2005-Present
Board member, Northwest Coalition for Alternatives to Pesticides	2009 – 2010
Steering Committee Member, Grow Montana, a coalition formed to enable Montana food producers to meet more of our state's food needs, funded by the Kellogg Foundation, Stranie Ventures, and MT Dept. of Agriculture.	2004-2008
UM Graduate Council member, appointed to three-year term	2005-2008
Invited participant, Food, Farms and People: A Planning Meeting for Agriculture and Food Security in Montana. March 22-23.	2006
Council Member (elected to three-year term), Agriculture, Food and Human Values Society	2003-2006
Peer reviewer for the following journals/presses: <i>Rural Sociology</i> ; <i>Journal of Rural Studies</i> ; <i>Agriculture and Human Values</i> ; <i>Journal of Planning Education and Research</i> ; <i>The Sociological Quarterly</i> ; Island Press	2000-Present
Reviewed NSF Dissertation Research Proposal	2004
Faculty Senate Representative to Recycling Oversight Committee	2002-2005
Volunteer, Missoula Food Bank	2003
Convener, Environmental Leadership Series, intensive training workshops for graduate students in Environmental Studies, Univ. of Montana	2001-2003
Organizer, Abundant Montana Feast, a meal celebrating local food and farming with 250 people in attendance, Missoula, Montana	June 2002
Member, scientific review panel for the US Department of Agriculture National Research Initiative, Rural Development Program	2001
Board Member, Alternative Energy Resources Organization	2000-2002
Board Member, Cascadia Times Research Fund	2000-2002
Member, Networking Council, Pesticide Action Network--North America	1999-Present
Member, Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society	2000-Present

Member, Rural Sociological Society	1993-Present
Member, Consortium for Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education	1994-Present
Member, Pesticide Use Reporting Work Group, State of Oregon Appointed by then-Governor John Kitzhaber	1999-2000
Co-chair, Lane County Chapter, Oregon League of Conservation Voters	1998-2000

## **GRANTS AND MAJOR DONOR GIFTS**

USDA Organic Agriculture and Research and Extension Initiative (OREI). 2020. “Protecting Against Pesticide Contamination.” Planning grant led by the Organic Center and Washington State University. The project will gather information on crop losses and specific pesticide residues that are the most problematic in contamination of organic crops, and determine the research and education needs for a comprehensive plan to control pesticide contamination in organic crops across the supply chain.

Brainerd Foundation, EVST’s NextGen Ventures Project, 2018, \$30,000.

Brainerd Foundation, EVST’s Passing the Baton Project, 2017, \$55,000.

Yung, L., Wilcox, A., Ballantyne, A., Chaffin, B., Eby, L., Allred, B., Berthelote, T., Cleveland, C., Gardner, P., Hassanein, N., Jencso, K., Layton, B., Maneta, N., Mullan, K., and N. White. 2016. UM BRIDGES: Bridging Divides across the Food, Energy, and Water Nexus. National Science Foundation Research Traineeship (NRT) Program. (NSF DGE 1633831) (9/1/16 – 8/31/21). \$2,999,932.

Brainerd Foundation, EVST’s Connectivity Project, 2015-2016, \$120,000

High Stakes Foundation, Community Agriculture Certificate, 2014-2016, \$25,000.

Brainerd Foundation, Expanding EVST’s Transformative Capacity, 2013-2015, \$95,000.

Lake County Community Development Corporation provided summer research stipends for two graduate students for preliminary research on the Western Montana Growers Cooperative, summer 2012, \$750.

Wiancko Family Fund, annual \$15,000 gifts to support EVST environmental leadership programs, 2006-2014.

Wiancko Family Fund, spring 2007, gift to support EVST environmental leadership programs, \$15,000; and an additional gift of \$50,000 to add to the existing Wiancko Environmental Studies Scholarship Fund created in 2002.

High Stakes Foundation gift of \$281,000 over five years beginning in 2006-2007 AY. Designed to support and educate new leaders in the area of sustainable, community-based farming and food systems

in Montana. Creates Montana Good Works Fellowships and professional internships for two graduate students, for each of the five years. Establishes an opportunity fund to support student projects, training, and other initiatives.

FoodCorps Project, a series of three gifts from 2006 – 2009 totaling about 125,000 from K. Taylor to create farm-to-cafeteria programs at Montana State University – Bozeman, Salish Kootenai College, UM-Western, Missoula County Public Schools, and Gallatin Valley Public Schools. The majority of these funds went to the National Center for Appropriate Technology to run the Project, and \$24,000 of it funded EVST graduate students who held food policy internships with Grow Montana.

Wiancko Family Fund, spring 2006, gift to support EVST programs, \$15,000.

Community Food Projects Competitive Grant Program of the US Dept. of Agriculture for the project titled: “Community Food Solutions: Farm Viability and Food Security in Missoula County.” This coalition partnership was awarded a grant of \$200,000, of which approximately \$23,500 is to EVST for research, a graduate assistant, and Hassanein’s co-facilitation of the Community Food and Agriculture Coalition of Missoula County, Aug. 15, 2005–Aug. 15, 2007.

W. K. Kellogg Foundation, Food Policy Initiative for the “Grow Montana Food Policy Project.” This coalition partnership was awarded a \$200,000 grant, of which \$26,000 is to EVST for a graduate research workshop, two graduate assistants, and Hassanein’s participation in the Grow Montana Steering Committee, May 1, 2005–April 15, 2007.

Member of committee that raised over \$200,000 for the Tom Roy Family Scholarship in Environmental Studies in spring 2005.

Wiancko Family Fund, spring 2005, gift to support EVST programs, \$15,000.

University Grant, “Dimensions of Food Democracy” Research Project, 2003-2004, \$4,000.

Award from the State of Montana Attorney General’s Consumer Protection Office for support of the Program in Ecological Agriculture and Society (PEAS), \$7,360 in 2004.

Wiancko Family Fund, April 2004, to support EVST programs, \$20,000.

Office of Civic Engagement, 2003-2004, “Assessing the Food System through Action Research,” support for community-based research, with Dr. Jacobson, Social Work, \$1,000.

Stranahan gift, to support bringing the PEAS Farm into EVST, \$30,000.

Hyde Family Fund, July 2003, to support bringing the PEAS Farm into EVST, \$15,000.

Wachtel Family, fall 2003, gift to support bringing the PEAS Farm into EVST, \$15,000.

Wiancko Family Fund, April 2003, to support EVST programs, \$20,000.



UM Faculty Development Committee, Visiting Scholar Award, May 2003, to bring Dr. Jack R. Kloppenburg Jr., Professor of Rural Sociology, University of Wisconsin - Madison, to campus in the fall 2003, \$1,500.

Campus Compact Award, Bioregional Mapping Project, 2002-2003, \$800 (student support).

NSF EPSCoR, Visiting Scholar Award, July 2002, to bring Dr. David Orr and Mathis Wackernagel to campus as part of the Sustainable Communities Lecture Series, fall 2002, \$2,000.

UM Faculty Development Committee, Visiting Scholar Award, May 2002, to bring Dr. David Orr, noted author and Professor of Environmental Studies at Oberlin College, to campus in fall of 2002, \$1,500.

Wiancko Family Fund, May 2002, to support the Environmental Leadership Series, spring 2003, and other EVST program activities, \$15,000.

Wiancko Family Fund, to create and endow the Wiancko Environmental Studies Scholarship, January 2002. Provides one or two scholarships for graduate students in EVST. \$200,000.

Wiancko Family Fund, April 2001, to support the creation of an Environmental Leadership Series in 2002 and a donation to the Activist Endowment of EVST, \$20,000.

UM Faculty Development Committee, Visiting Scholar Award, January 2002, to bring Lois Gibbs, Executive Director of the Center for Environmental Health and Justice, to campus, \$1,500.

NSF EPSCoR, Visiting Scholar Award, December 2001, to bring Lois Gibbs, Executive Director of the Center for Environmental Health and Justice, to campus, \$800.

Multiple grants (and major gifts) totaling over \$500,000 for program work at the Northwest Coalition for Alternatives to Pesticides, 1997-2000.