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I. PERSONAL HISTORY AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

A. Educational Background

- Ph.D., 1987 Watershed Management and Forestry, University of Arizona, Tucson.
- M.S., 1984 Watershed Management and Forestry, University of Arizona, Tucson.
- M.B.A., 1979 Concentration in Economics, University of Chicago.
- B.S., 1977 Chemistry, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.

B. List of Academic Positions since Final Degree

- 8/97 - present Professor, Department of Recreation, Sport, and Tourism, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign. Tenure granted 8/00; promoted to Professor 8/05. Director of Graduate Studies 8/00 - 11/03.
- 3/09 – present Director of undergraduate program in Interdisciplinary Health Sciences (i-Health), University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.
- 9/08 – 8/14 Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, College of Applied Health Sciences, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign (50% time for 2012-13). Portfolio includes the following:
- Advancing college educational policy including *ex officio* service on the College Educational Policy Committee
 - Supervision of Assistant Dean for Academic Affairs and eight advising staff members
 - Coordinator of College strategic planning, including providing assistance to departmental units for developing metrics
 - Supervision of annual \$1.8 million program from the state of Illinois for motorcycle rider safety education, 2009-present.
 - Chair AHS Graduate Council comprised of Graduate Studies Directors of college departments with directives to advance graduate academic programs and experience.
- 5/12 – 1/14 Acting Head, Department of Speech and Hearing Sciences, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign (50% time).
- 11/03 – 8/09 Director, Park Planning and Policy Lab, University of Illinois. The Lab directed research at understanding park and protected area development, including community-based decision-making related to park policy and land-use change.
- 5/04 – 7/07 Chair, Human Dimensions of Environmental Systems Program. HDES is an interdisciplinary group of 40 affiliated faculty and 15 graduate students that provides advance training on research connecting individuals and their communities to natural landscapes and built environments. The Chair is an elected position on a 3-year rotation, and provides administrative leadership on HDES Scholar assignment, special events and seminars, and allocation of a \$100,000 budget supported by several different colleges. The Chair reports to the Director of the campus Environmental Council.

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1/88 - 8/97 Associate Professor, Department of Recreation, Park, and Tourism Sciences, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX. Promoted to Associate Professor with tenure 8/93. Associate Head for Undergraduate Studies 1/96-8/97.

C. Invited Presentations and Honors (since 1997)

Stewart, W. (2014). Research methods to build healthy communities. Invited speaker at departmental seminar. Department of Forestry, National Chung Hsing University, Taipei, Taiwan. September 18.

Stewart, W. (2014). Public memory of landscapes: Partnerships for healthy communities. Invited keynote speaker for the International Conference of the Outdoor Recreation Association, Shih Hsin University, Taipei, Taiwan. September 19-20.

Stewart, W. (2014). Place-making for health and well-being. Invited speaker at UIUC-NTU Global Issues Forum: Smart Cities, Healthy Cities. National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan. November 2-4.

Stewart, W. (2014). Community-based research for healthy communities. Invited panelist at departmental seminar. Department of Horticulture and Landscape Architecture. National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan. November 5.

W. Stewart. (2012). "Speaking up, Speaking Out: Public memory for an inclusive society." Invited keynote speaker at the first international conference on Social Justice through Parks, Recreation, Tourism, and Leisure at University of Utah. Salt Lake City, UT. May 17-19.

W. Stewart. (2012). "Finding Center: Land ethics for everyday life." Invited keynote speaker at the annual conference of the Council of Educators in Landscape Architecture. University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign. March 27-30.

W. Stewart. (2011). "Creating public memory of wilderness." Invited participant at the 50th Anniversary of Wilderness Recreation Experience Research Workshop sponsored by the Leopold Institute. Proceedings are peer-reviewed and published in edited volume. Lubrecht Forest, University of Montana, Missoula. April 5-7.

W. Stewart. (2010). "Building excellence in an academic journal." Invited keynote lecture at the 67th Annual Tourism Sciences Society of Korea focused on cultivating prestige within scholarly publication. Gangwon, South Korea. July 5-9, 2010.

W. Stewart. (2009). "Greening brownfields, empowering communities: Creating new public values for land-use redevelopment." Invited speaker at the Sustainable Remediation annual conference – an audience of professional engineers, academics, and NGO staff focused on redevelopment of industrial landscapes and brownfields. Chicago, IL. June 16-17.

W. Stewart. (2008). "Quality of encounters: A neglected, complex, and manageable visitor impact." Invited keynote speaker at the Taiwan Leisure and Recreation Congress, supported by the Taiwan National Science Council. Paper published in proceedings. Taichung, Taiwan. September 18-19.

W. Stewart. (2008). "Sport for all, places for all: A research agenda to build healthy communities." Invited keynote speaker at the 50th Anniversary of the International Health, Physical Education, and Recreation Congress. Paper published in congress proceedings, pp. 25-34. Kanoya, Japan. May 8-11.

W. Stewart. (2007). "Community well-being through park development." Invited speaker to Department of Recreation, Park and Tourism Science, Faculty Seminar Series, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX. Oct. 18-19.

Inducted into the *Academy of Leisure Sciences*, 2006. The Academy was initiated in 1980 and has elected 70 active members on the basis of their "exceptional scholarly and intellectual contribution" to the study of leisure. For more information about the Academy, see <http://www.academyofleisureciences.org/> Serving as Treasurer since 2010, with responsibilities to administer annual membership and dues, and in 2012 the Academy opened-up a general membership

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category to invite scholars, students, and professionals to be involved and contribute to ALS activities. The ALS has grown from 50 to 450 members in the past three years.

Invited Lecture. 2006. "Community well-being through park development." King James McCristal Lecture, College of Applied Health Sciences, Fall Meeting. August 22.

Invited Participant. 2006. "Urban growth and development within a multicultural context." Pragma Conference of the School of Planning, University of Waterloo, ON, Canada. The conference consisted of ~40 professional planners and policy analysts in roundtable format. April 6-7.

Invited lecture. 2006. "Developing healthy communities through park development." Department of Recreation and Leisure Studies, University of Waterloo, ON. January 23.

Invited lecture. 2006. "Community identity as context for recreation and tourism development." Department of Leisure Studies, University of Ottawa. February 10.

Invited to Organize a Panel Discussion. 2005. "Community, Place, and Leisure." Eleventh Canadian Congress on Leisure Research, Nanaimo, B.C., May 17-21.

Invited Keynote Speaker. 2005. "Integrating values in leisure research: Coming to terms with community." Graduate Research Symposium, Department of Recreation and Leisure Studies, University of Waterloo. April 27-28.

Invited Discussant. "Ecological literacy through everyday nature." Opening Session, Leisure Research Symposium, National Recreation and Park Association Congress, Reno, NV. Oct 12-16. Remarks published in booklet for the First Annual George Butler Lecture, State College, PA, Venture Publishing, Inc.

Invited Member of Panel Discussion. 2004. "Integrating Social Science in Forest Management." Tenth International Symposium on Society and Resource Management, Keystone, CO. June 2-6.

Invited Participant and Paper Presenter. 2004. "Sense of Place in Recreation." Workshop sponsored by the USDA Forest Service, World Forestry Center, Portland, OR. April 28-May 2. One of six academics invited to present.

Invited Keynote Speaker. 2003. "Telling tales of community: Leisure, place, and narrative." Graduate Research Symposium, Department of Recreation and Leisure Studies, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. December 8.

Invited Presentation. 2003. "Landscapes that tell the truth: A contemporary prairie as the target for restoration." Sixth Illinois Prairie Conference, Champaign, IL. September 20-21.

Invited Presentation. 2003. "Developing goals for land-use planning with photo-elicitation." National Conference on Changing Social Landscapes: Impacts to National Forests Management, Milwaukee, WI. March 26-28.

Invited Member of Panel Discussion. 2002. Integrating natural resource management within a framework of public norms, expectations, and managerial systems. Ninth International Symposium on Society and Resource Management, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN. June 6-9.

Invited Presentation. 2000. "Landscape change at Midewin Prairie." Presented at USDA Forest Service Workshop on Community Forestry Research, Morton Arboretum, IL. Jan. 29-30.

Invited Presentation. 1999. "Recreation Opportunity Spectrum for the Colorado River ecosystem: A summary of research." Colorado River Ecosystem Science Symposium, Albright Training Center, National Park Service, February 16-17.

Invited Keynote Speaker. 1999. "The truth about the prairie: Or, creation of values for nature." Fifth Illinois Prairie Conference, Champaign, IL. September 18-19.

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Keynote Speaker. 1997. "Tourism impact research: Have we forgotten the community?" Tourism Session, National Recreation and Park Association Congress, Leisure Research Symposium, Salt Lake City, UT. October 29-November 1.

Invited Lecture. 1997. "A tale of two rivers: Stakeholder dynamics in nature-based tourism." College of Forest Resources, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan. April 24.

Invited Lecture. 1997. "Situational effects in outdoor recreation: Evidence from diary-like techniques." Presented at the Department of Landscape Architecture, National Chung Hsing University, Taichung, Taiwan. April 22.

II. GRANTS RECEIVED AND PUBLICATIONS

A. Grants (More than 30 external research grants over \$1.5 million. Grants listed are since 1997.)

Implications for place research to natural resource decision-making. 2006-09. USDA Rocky Mountain Station, \$72,000. W. Stewart. This project coordinates a process to build an edited volume of 18 chapters directed at increasing the relevancy of research on sense of place to the practice of land-use decision-making. The book is under contract with Springer-Verlag press scheduled for publication in January 2013.

Changing landscapes as if community matters: Toward a community-based process for growth management. 2006-08. Funded by the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, \$55,000. Principal Investigator: T. Glover, University of Waterloo. Co-Principal Investigator: W. Stewart.

Visitor Study for Design of the Bright Angel Trailhead. 2006. Funded by the National Park Service, \$28,500. Principal Investigator: W. Stewart.

Canadian Landscapes, Canadian Communities: Empowering citizens within land-use planning processes. 2005. Fulbright Research Chair in Public Policy funded by the Canada-U.S. Fulbright Program. \$28,000.

Backcountry Visitors and Stakeholders at Grand Canyon National Park. 2004. Funded by the National Park Service, \$279,000. Principal Investigator: W. Stewart. Co-Principal Investigators: C. McDonald, Z. Schwartz.

Photo-elicitation as a method to assess lived recreation experiences: A literature review. 2003. Funded by the USDA Forest Service, \$2,500. Principal Investigator: W. Stewart.

Making Sense of Landscape Change: Community Narratives that Facilitate Planning. 2003. Funded by the USDA Forest Service, \$57,000. Principal Investigator: W. Stewart, Co-Principal Investigator: T. Glover (University of Waterloo).

Public Attitudes Toward Open Space Initiatives in Illinois. 2001. Jointly funded by the Illinois Department of Natural Resources and the Illinois Association of Park Districts, \$29,000. Principal Investigators: C. McDonald, C. Miller (INHS), and W. Stewart.

Meanings of Encounters on Grand Canyon River Trips. 2000. Funded by the USGS Grand Canyon Monitoring and Research Center, \$10,000. Principal Investigators: L. Jonas (Northern Arizona University) and W. Stewart.

Landscape Change at Midewin Prairie. 1999. Funded by the USDA Forest Service, \$38,000. Principal Investigator: W. Stewart.

Regional Recreation Opportunity Spectrum for the Colorado River Ecosystem in Grand Canyon. 1998. Funded by the Bureau of Reclamation, \$70,000. Principal Investigators: W. Stewart, R. Manning (University of Vermont), J. Taylor (USGS), and D. Cole (USDA Leopold Institute).

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Tourists' Image of Rural Counties in Northwestern Indiana. 1997. Funded by the Elkhart County Convention and Visitors Bureau, \$15,000. Principal Investigators: W. Stewart and D. Fesenmaier.

Development of an Evaluation Framework for Bicycle and Pedestrian Facilities. 1997. Funded by the U.S. Southwest Universities Transportation Center, \$75,000. Principal Investigators: S. Turner (Civil Engineering), S. Shafer, W. Stewart.

An Evaluation of the Great Texas Birding Classic. 1997. Funded by Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, \$6,000. Principal Investigators: D. Scott, S. Baker, W. Stewart.

B. Edited Book

Stewart, W., Williams, D., & Kruger, L. (Editors, 2013). *Place-Based Conservation: Perspectives from the Social Sciences*. Dordrecht, The Netherlands: Springer Verlag. Abstract: "Place" has become an increasingly prominent topic in natural resource management. The first of four sections in this book examines conceptual issues of place-based conservation. The second section examines the source of the individual relationships that people develop with places and landscapes. The third section explores more deeply the ways in which human relationships with places are represented, become more visible and public, and often are transformed by conservation practices. The fourth section on "mapping place" illustrates techniques that are emerging to connect meanings and sentiments to the material and locational characteristics of places. An aim of this book is to provide a resource for researchers and practitioners to help build the conceptual grounding necessary to understand and practice place-based conservation. Co-authored three peer-reviewed chapters in above book:

Williams, D., Stewart, W., & Kruger, L. The emergence of place-based conservation.

Stewart, W., Barkley, J., & Glover, T. Sharing stories of place to foster social learning.

Stewart, W., Williams, D., & Kruger, L. From describing to prescribing: Transitioning to place-based conservation.

C. Peer-reviewed Articles (* Denotes graduate student)

Stewart, W. (2014). Leisure research to enhance social justice. *Leisure Sciences*, 36(4), 325-339.

Johnson, A., Glover, T., & Stewart, W. (2014). Attracting locals to downtown: Everyday leisure as a place-making initiative. *Journal of Park and Recreation Administration*, 32(2), 28-42.

*Tomiya, K. & Stewart, W. (2014). Psychological attachment to local community and team identity. *Asian Journal of Sport Management* 7(1), 35-60.

Glover, T. & Stewart, W. (2013). Advancing healthy communities policy through tourism, leisure, and events research. *Journal of Policy Research in Tourism, Leisure and Events*, 5(2), 109-122.

Parry, D., Johnson, C. & Stewart, W. (2013). Leisure research and social justice: A response to Henderson's call for post-positivism. *Leisure Sciences*, 35(1), 81-87.

Backlund, E.* & Stewart, W. (2012). Effects of setting-based management on visitor experience outcomes: Differences across a management continuum. *Journal of Leisure Research*, 44(3), 392-415.

Schwartz, Z., Stewart, W., & Backlund, E.* (2012). Visitation at capacity-constrained tourism destinations: Exploring revenue management at a national park. *Tourism Management*, 33(3), 500-508.

Hwang, D.*, Stewart, W., & Ko, D. (2011). Community behavior and sustainable rural tourism development. *Journal of Travel Research*, 51, 328-341.

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Schwartz, Z., Stewart, W., & Backlund, E.* (2010). Monitoring visitor flows in destinations: The case of multiple use hiking trails in Grand Canyon National Park. *Tourism Analysis*, 14 (6), 749-763.

Johnson, A. *, Glover, T., & Stewart, W. (2009). One person's trash is another person's treasure: The public place-making of "Mount Trashmore." *Journal of Park and Recreation Administration*, 27(1), 85-103.

Belhassen, Y. *, Caton, K. *, & Stewart, W. (2008). The search for authenticity in the pilgrim experience. *Annals of Tourism Research*, 35(3), 668-689.

Stewart, W., Parry, D., & Glover, T. (2008). Writing leisure: Values and ideologies of research. *Journal of Leisure Research*, 40(3), 360-384.

Glover, T., Stewart, W., and Gladdys, K.* (2008). Social ethics of landscape change: Toward community-based land-use planning. *Qualitative Inquiry*, 14, 384-401.

Stewart, W. (2008). Place meanings in stories of lived experience. In L. Kruger, T. Hall & M. Stiefel (Eds.) *Understanding Concepts of Place in Recreation Research and Management*, pp. 83-108. Washington, D.C.: USDA PNW-GTR-744.

Stewart, W., Barkley, J. *, Kerins, A. *, Gladdys, K. *, & Glover, T. (2007). Park development on the urban-agricultural fringe. *Journal of Park and Recreation Administration*, 25(4), p. 117-138.

Glover, T. and Stewart, W. (2006). Rethinking leisure and community research: Critical reflections and future agendas. *Leisure/Loisir*, 30, 2.

Stewart, W. (2006). Community-based place meanings for park planning. *Leisure/Loisir*, 30, 2.

Stewart, W. and Floyd, M. (2004). Visualizing leisure. *Journal of Leisure Research*, 36, 4, 445-460.

Backlund, E. *, Stewart, W., McDonald, C., and Miller, C. (2004). Public evaluation of open space in Illinois: Citizen support for natural area acquisition. *Environmental Management*, 34, 5, 634-641.

Stewart, W., Liebert, D. *, and Larkin, K. * (2004). Community identities as visions for landscape change. *Landscape and Urban Planning*, 69 (2-3): 315-334.

Stewart, W., Larkin, K. *, Orland, B., and Anderson, D. (2003). Boater preferences for beach characteristics downstream from Glen Canyon Dam, AZ. *Journal of Environmental Management*, 69 (2): 201-211.

Jonas, L., Stewart, W., and Larkin, K. * (2003). Encountering Heidi: Audiences for a wilderness adventurer identity. *Journal of Contemporary Ethnography*, 32 (4): 403-431.

Stewart, W. and Cole, D. (2003). On the prescriptive utility of visitor survey research: A rejoinder to Manning. *Journal of Leisure Research*, 35 (1): 119-127.

Cole, D.N. and Stewart, W.P. (2002) Variability of user-based evaluative standards for backcountry encounters. *Leisure Sciences*. 24: 313-324.

Ko, D.W. and Stewart, W.P. (2002) Community residents' attitudes for tourism development. *Tourism Management*. 23: 521-530.

Stewart, W.P. and Cole, D.N. (2001) Number of encounters and experience quality in Grand Canyon Backcountry: Consistently negative and weak relationships. *Journal of Leisure Research*. 33(1): 106-120.

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Stewart, W.P. and Cole, D.N. (1999) In search of situational effects in outdoor recreation: Different methods, different results. *Leisure Sciences*. 21(4): 269-286.

Stewart, W.P., Fujimoto, J.*, Harada, M. (1999) Emotional changes during leisure activity: A case of elderly Japanese in a community program. *Society and Leisure*. 22(1): 223-240.

Stewart, W.P. (1999) Myths of leisure research: An uneasy alliance. *Journal of Leisure Research*. 31(2): 185-188.

Stewart, W.P. (1998) Leisure as multiphase experiences: Challenging traditions. *Journal of Leisure Research*. 30(4): 391-400.

Huang*, Y.H. and Stewart, W.P. (1996) Rural tourism development: Shifting basis of community solidarity." *Journal of Travel Research*. 34(4): 26-31.

King, D.A., and Stewart, W.P. (1996) "Ecotourism and commodification: Protecting people and places. *Biodiversity and Conservation*. 5: 293-305.

Stewart, W.P., Harada, M., Nagazumi*, J., Fujimoto*, J. and Chen*, P. (1996) Experiential benefits of Japanese outdoor recreationists. *Society and Leisure*. 19(2): 589-601.

Stewart, W.P. and Hull, R.B. (1996) Capturing the moments: Concerns of *in situ* research. *Journal of Travel and Tourism Marketing*. 5(1/2): 3-20.

Lue*, C.C., Crompton, J.L., and Stewart, W.P. (1996) Evidence of cumulative attraction in multi-destination recreational trip decisions. *Journal of Travel Research*. 35(1): 41-49.

Hull, R.B. and Stewart, W.P. (1995) The landscape encountered and experienced while hiking. *Environment and Behavior*. 27(3): 404-426.

Stewart, W.P. and Sekartjakrarini*, S. (1994) Disentangling ecotourism. *Annals of Tourism Research*. 21(4): 840-842.

Fesenmaier, D.R., Vogt*, C.C., and Stewart, W.P. (1993) Investigating the influence of welcome center information on travel behavior. *Journal of Travel Research*. 31(3): 47-52.

Stewart, W.P., Anderson*, B.S., Fesenmaier, D.R., and Lue*, C.C. (1993) Highway welcome center surveys: Problems with non-response bias. *Journal of Travel Research*. 31(3): 53-57.

Stewart, W.P., Lue*, C.C., Fesenmaier, D.R., and Anderson*, B.S. (1993) A comparison between welcome center visitors and general highway auto travelers. *Journal of Travel Research*. 31(3): 40-46.

Stewart, W.P., Samuelson, C.D., and Brophy*, D.R. (1993) Texans' priorities for river water use. *Journal of Soil and Water Conservation*. 48(3): 219-222.

Christensen*, N.A., Stewart, W.P., and King, D.A. (1993) National forest campgrounds: Users are willing to pay more. *Journal of Forestry*. 91(7): 43-47.

Ivy*, M.I., Stewart, W.P. and Lue*, C.C. (1992) Exploring the role of tolerance in recreation conflict. *Journal of Leisure Research*. 24(4): 348-360.

Hull, R.B., Stewart, W.P. and Yi*, Y. (1992) Experience patterns: Capturing the dynamic nature of a recreation experience. *Journal of Leisure Research*. 24(3): 240-252.

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Stewart, W.P. and Hull, R.B. (1992) Satisfaction of what? Post-hoc vs. real-time construct validity. *Leisure Sciences*. 14(3): 195-209.

Hull, R.B. and Stewart, W.P. (1992) Validity of photo-based scenic beauty judgments. *Journal of Environmental Psychology*. 12(2): 101-114.

Stewart, W.P. (1992) Influence of the onsite experience on recreation experience preference judgments. *Journal of Leisure Research*. 24(2): 185-198.

Bigley*, J.D., Lane, M., Fesenmaier, D.R. and Stewart, W.P. (1991) Meeting members' expectations: A case study. *Curator*. 34(3): 210-221.

Stewart, W. P. (1991) Compliance with fixed itinerary systems in water-based parks. *Environmental Management*. 15(2): 235-240.

Ralston*, L. S. and Stewart, W. P. (1990) Methodological perspectives of festival research studies. *Annals of Tourism Research*. 17(2): 289-292.

Stewart, W. P. (1989) Fixed itinerary systems in backcountry management. *Journal of Environmental Management*. 29(2): 163-171.

Stewart, W. P. and Carpenter, E. H. (1989) Solitude at Grand Canyon: An application of expectancy theory. *Journal of Leisure Research*. 21(1): 4-17.

Daniel, T., Brown, T., King, D., Richards, M. and Stewart, W. (1988) Perceived scenic beauty and contingent valuation of forest campgrounds. *Forest Science*. 35(1): 76-90.

C. Technical Reports, Miscellaneous Publications, and Conference Presentations

Authored or co-authored more than 60 technical reports, book chapters, book reviews, and abstracts.

Presented or co-presented more than 100 presentations at research conferences and symposiums, and organized more than 15 research discussions at national and international conferences.

III. SUMMARY OF INSTRUCTION

A. Courses Taught

IHLT 102. Survey of Topics of Interdisciplinary Health

Description. Students are introduced to topics in interdisciplinary health sciences with particular emphasis on five dimensions of health: physical, emotional, social, intellectual and spiritual. Students will explore their personal health beliefs and patterns and discuss the benefits of studying health within an interdisciplinary curriculum. Core course in the i-Health program. 1 hour. FA14 and SP15.

RST 242 *Nature and American Culture* (cross-listed in HIST, LA, and NRES)

Description. The course develops an appreciation and critique of cultural meanings related to American natural landscapes. Traditional perspectives including colonial American, romantic, and science-based conservation are characterized, as well as revisionist themes that criticize wilderness, and address issues of gender, race, and class. Land ethics for everyday living are developed to reconcile traditional and contemporary perspectives. The implications of diversity in cultural meanings toward nature support concepts related to community-based conservation. This course fulfills a university general education requirement in *Cultural Studies: Western/Comparative Culture(s)*. 3 hours. Last taught Summer 2008.

RST 444 *Social Impact Assessment* (cross-listed in RSOC, ENVS, LA, NRES and UP)

Description. Environmental policy and natural resource developments influence the ways of life of people and their

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communities. This course provides an introduction to distinguish social impacts of development from other types of impacts, to understand the nature of human communities, and to characterize methods that assess social aspects of communities that need protection and monitoring. Rather than depicting communities as victims of urbanization and development, course concepts are directed at improving the community ability to affect change. 3 hours (for undergraduates) or 4 hours (for graduate students). Last taught Spring 2008.

RST 550 Theory and Methods of Leisure Research

Description. Surveys concepts, methods, and problems of leisure research that are common to community recreation, sport, and tourism. Histories of theoretical and methodological development are discussed, appreciated, and critiqued. Examines the development of ideas through literature; discussion is centered on explaining the evolution of literature for a given concept. The literature is framed as discourse to allow students to envision themselves as contributing members. Doctoral students only. 4 hours. Last taught Spring 2008.

RST 551 Contemporary Issues in Leisure Research

Description. Provides students with an understanding and appreciation of various disciplines that inform recreation, sport and tourism. The class examines the potential influence of these disciplines on future research in recreation, sport and tourism. Students identify research articles from various disciplines and lead discussions that connect to understanding issues related to leisure research. Literature is framed as discourse to allow students to envision themselves as contributing members. Doctoral students only. 4 hours. SP15.

B. Supervision of Graduate Students

Supervised 10 doctoral students and 16 M.S. student theses or professional papers, and has been a member of more than 25 doctoral advisory committees.

C. Teaching Awards or Recognition

More than two-thirds of classes taught have appeared on the University of Illinois *List of Instructors Rated as Excellent by Their Students*. This list consists of instructors whose courses average a score of 4.5 or higher (on a 1 to 5 scale) on standardized student course evaluations.

Faculty Advisor for the RSO Students for Sustainable Campus Committee. The SSC meets every two weeks to evaluate project proposals, monitor current projects, and assist with moving campus toward sustainability. SSC has an annual budget of over \$1 million to invest in projects based upon student fees.

IV. SERVICE

A. Selected Public Service

Member of a 20-person panel to evaluate past, present, and future research agenda of the USDA Midewin National Tallgrass Prairie. May 2, 2008. Wilmington, IL.

W. Stewart and E. Backlund. 2006. "Public values and community identity of Midewin's waterways." USDA Research Symposium in Celebration of Midewin's 10th Anniversary, St. Francis University, Joliet, IL. August 24.

Chicago Wilderness (CW) Advisory Board, 2004-2006, sub-committee to develop a social science agenda. The objectives of CW (a consortium of more than 45 organizations, government agencies, museums, and foundations) include landscape change for tri-state region in the direction of restoring ecosystem integrity, building healthy communities, and promoting urban land ethics. Meetings are held monthly in Chicago area or via teleconference calls.

Chair. "Grand Canyon Backcountry Planning Workshop: A dialogue of scientists, managers, and citizens". This workshop aligns with the inception of the backcountry planning process at Grand Canyon National Park. It's directed at reviewing and developing park policy amongst a diverse collection of stakeholders. Jan 31-Feb 1, 2006. Museum of Northern

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Arizona, Flagstaff, AZ.

Invited speaker and review panelist. 2005. River Research Evaluation and Protocol Assessment. USGS sponsored workshop to develop a long-term social science research agenda for the Lower Basin of the Colorado River. Flagstaff, AZ, June 12-18. One of six academics invited.

Invited member of expert panel organized by the National Park Service for development of the river management plan at Grand Canyon National Park. Purpose of panel was to identify state-of-knowledge regarding river management research and to discuss policy alternatives within a public meeting of elected officials, stakeholders, and managers. January 29, 2003. Phoenix, AZ.

B. Selected Service to Profession

Served as reviewer for several national and international conferences, has been on the editorial advisory board of two journals, has been guest editor on four special issues of journals, and invited to speak at several university-based seminars on research and graduate education. In the past three years, reviewed manuscripts for nine different peer-reviewed journals that publish research connecting recreation, communities, and land-use policy. In the past five years, served as an external reviewer for Tenure and Promotion decisions at 15 research institutions, and dissertation external reviewer for two universities (Australia and Canada).

Guest Editor for special issue of *Leisure Sciences* on research to enhance social justice scheduled for publication 2014, 36(4).

Guest co-Editor for special issue of *Journal of Policy Research in Tourism, Leisure and Events* on research to advance healthy communities. 2013, 5(2).

C. Selected Service to University of Illinois

Served on numerous departmental, college, and university committees, including:

University: Campus General Education Board (2 years), Center for Restoration Ecology Advisory (2 years), Search for Department Head of Urban and Regional Planning (Chair), Campus Sustainability Education Task Force (Co-Chair, 2 years), Council of Undergraduate Deans (5 years).

College: Executive (12 years), Promotion and Tenure (1 year), Educational Policy (5 years as member, 3 as Co-Chair), Center for Health, Aging, and Disability Executive (5 year), Search for Department Head of Speech and Hearing Sciences, Search for Department Head of Recreation, Sport and Tourism (Chair), Named Faculty Appointments (Chair, 3 years).

Department: Promotion and Tenure (5 years, 1 as Chair), Search (4 years, 2 as Chair), Graduate (6 years, 3 as Chair), and Faculty Advisory (5 years), Sapora Research Symposium (7 years, 4 as Chair).