

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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**DATE OF FIRST EMPLOYMENT AT UI:** August 17, 2009

**DATE OF TENURE:** (Year or untenured) N/A

**DATE OF PRESENT RANK OR TITLE:** January 14, 2014

## **EDUCATION BEYOND HIGH SCHOOL:**

### **Degrees:**

Ph.D., University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho, 2009, Environmental Science.

Master's, University of Limoges, Limoges, 2001, International Environment Law.

LL.M., Joint International Program - University of Lomé -Togo; University of Abomey-Calavi, Republic of Benin; University of Maastricht - Holland; and University of Liège – Belgium, 2000, Environmental Law and Policy.

Master's, University of Lomé, Lomé, Togo, 1998, Business Law.

Bachelor of Law - University of Lomé, Lomé, Togo, 1997, Private Law.

### **Certificates and Licenses:**

Certificate of Completion, Unlocking the Secrets of Adobe Acrobat, University of Idaho, 02/05/2018.

Certificate of Completion, National Adaption Plans: Building Climate Resilience in Ag., UNITAR, 2017.

Certificate of Completion, Smallholder Agriculture, Environment, and Climate Change, IFAD, 12/2017.

Advanced Certified Development Project Manager, PM4DEV, 12/2016.

Certification of Completion, Effective Project Management in International Devlpt., PM4DEV,12/2016.

Certificate of Completion, P-Card & Record Keeper Training, University of Idaho, Moscow, ID, 12/05/2016.

Certificate of Completion, Diversity and Inclusion, University of Idaho, Moscow, ID, 11/10/2016.

Certificate of Completion, Safety and Security Awareness, University of Idaho, Moscow, ID, 11/08/2016.

Certificate of Completion, Defensive driving Course, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho, 10/31/2016.

Certificate of Completion, 2016 University of Idaho Cultural Literacy & Competence, 05/03/2016.

Certificate of Completion, University of Idaho Mission and Goals, Moscow, ID, 12/10/2015.

Certificate of Completion, the University of Idaho Stewardship of Resources & Ethical Conduct, 2015.

Certificate of Completion, Inclusive Workplace: Discrimination and Sexual Harassment Prevention, 2014.

Certificate of Completion, Project Design, Monitoring and Evaluation Course, PM4DEV, 2013.

Certificate of Completion, Fundamentals of Project Management Course, PM4DEV, 2013.

Certificate of Completion, International Cultural Diplomacy, Institute for Cultural Diplomacy, D.C, 2011.

Certificate in Advanced Course on Copyright and Related, WIPO, Geneva, Switzerland, 2006.

Certificate in Advanced Course on Electronic Commerce and Intellectual Property, WIPO, Geneva, Switzerland, 2006.

Certificate in Intellectual Property Rights, World Intellectual Property Organization, WIPO, Geneva, Switzerland, 2004.

**EXPERIENCE:****Teaching, Extension and Research Appointments:**

Clinical Professor, International Studies, School of Global Studies Studies, University of Idaho, Moscow, ID, 2014 to Present.

Associate Director, Martin Institute, University of Idaho, Moscow, ID, 2009 to Present.

Visiting Professor for USAC – Lüneburg, Germany, summer 2017 and summer 2019.

Visiting Professor, Université de Lomé, Togo, summer June 2016.

Instructor, Environmental Science Program, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho, fall 2012.

Instructor, Environmental Science Program, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho, spring 2011.

Research Assistant - Department of Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho, 08/2005 - 07/2006.

Instructor, Environmental Science Program and College of Law, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho, spring 2005.

Teaching Assistant, Environmental Science Program, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho, spring 2005.

Research Assistant, Environmental Science Program, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho, spring 2005.

**Academic Administrative Appointments:**

Associate Director, Martin Institute and Program in International Studies, University of Idaho, Moscow, ID, Present.

**TEACHING ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**

**Areas of Specialization:** International Environmental Law and Policy, Environmental Science, International Studies, International Development.

**Courses Taught:**

IS 322: International Environmental Governance (Present)

IS 195: Freshmen Seminar (Fall 2011 – Present).

IS 310: The United Nations (fall 2018 and 2022)

IS 323: Global Economic Governance online course (Fall 2021 - Present)

IS 323: International Monetary and Trade Organizations - online course (Fall 2012 - 2020)

IS 325: The Contemporary Muslim World (2013 – Present)

IS 326: African Studies – Africa Today - online course (Spring 2011 – 2022)

IS 410: NGOs in the International System (Fall 2011 – Present)

IS 498: IS Internship in Togo (2012 – ongoing)

AFST 101: Introduction to Africana Studies (Fall 2018 - 2019)

ISEM 101: Contemporary Global Issues (Fall 2019 – Spring 2020)

ISEM 101: Globalization (Fall 2011 – Fall 2020)

IS 200: Freshmen Seminar (Fall 2010)

ENVS 225/IS 225: International Environmental Issues (Spring 2008 - Spring 2011; Spring 2020 to Present)

ENVS 225-02 Online: International Environmental Issues – Summer 2017, 2019 and 2020; Spring 2021

ENVS 225 (Honors Section): International Environmental Issues – (Spring 2022 and 2023)

ENVS 400: Bridge to Graduate School (Fall 2009 to Fall 2012)

IS 404: International Political Economy (Spring 2012 and Summer 2013)

ENVS 404: International Environmental Law and Policy (Spring 2005)

IS 440/POLS 440: International Organizations & International Law (Fall 2012 and Spring 2019)

IS 449-05: DS: IGOs/Environ in W. Africa (Spring 2018)

IS 449-10: DS: DS: Togo, Ag, and Climate Change (Spring 2018)

IS 499-01: DS: Applied International NGOs (Fall 2014 and Spring 2019)

IS 499-01: DS: NGOs and Nutrition in Africa (Fall 2013)

### **Students Advised:**

Undergraduate Students: **25**

Graduate Students:

Advised to completion of degree-major professor (student name, degree, and date)

- Casey Montgomery, MS. Environmental Science, May 2018.
- Celiannie Mary Rivera, MS Environmental Science, major professor, Summer 2021.
- Timothy Martin, MS Environmental Science, December 2021.

Served on graduate committee (student name, degree, and date)

- Gloria Natividad de Conley, Ph., Education (Current)
- Chloe Arthaud, Ph.D., Natural Resources, (2019-2022)
- Jessica Samuels, Ph.D., Political Science, May 2022
- Rebecca Lieberg, MS Natural Resources, 2017.
- Jill Leanness, MS Environmental Science, May 2016.
- Casey Bartrem, Ph.D. Environmental Science, May 2016.

**Courses Developed:** ENVS 225; IS 195, IS 322, IS 323, IS 325, IS 326, IS 410, IS 440, ISEM 101 (Globalization), ISEM 101 (Contemporary Global Issues).

**Non-credit Classes, Workshops, Seminars, Invited Lectures, etc.:**

### **Honors and Awards:**

Alumni Awards for Excellence, University of Idaho. (12/2012, 12/2013, 12/2015, 12/2016, 12/2017, 12/2018, 12/2019, and 12/2020, 12/2022)

### **SCHOLARSHIP ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**

#### **Publications, Exhibitions, Performances, Recitals:**

##### **Other:**

Public Attitudes and Perceptions of Air Quality and Bluegrass Seed Residue Burning in Northern Idaho (with J.D. Wulfhorst, Stephanie L. Kane, Larry W. Van Tassell, Beth Johnson, Katelyn Peterson, and Bernardo Alvarez). Research Bulletin RES 166. University of Idaho Extension Publications, College of Agriculture & Life Science, Moscow, ID. 2006

Civil Liability for Damages Due to Oil Pollution at Sea in International Environmental Law. University of Limoges. 1999

Industrial Pollution in Togo: the personal liability of the Chief Executive Officer (CEO). University of Lomé Law School Libraries. 1998

##### **Presentations and Other Creative Activities:**

“The African Diaspora’s Impact on the US and Investment in Africa,” of KPAC’s Black History Month programming, February 26, 2023.

Panelist: “Community Commons: Impact Makers - session on community engagement,” EarthGives.org, February 23, 2023.

Panelist: “Reussir a Impacter sa Communaute: Quel Investissement de la Jeune pour Relever le Defi,” Université de Lomé, Togo, December 2, 2022.

Panelist: “Impact of Climate Change,” Pocatello, Idaho, March 10, 2022.

Presentation on the International Opportunities at UI, Nez Perce School District, October 2019.

“Fleeing For Your Life: A Humanitarian Refugee Crisis,” Panel Discussion Presented by the Latah County Human Rights Task Force and Palouse Peace and Justice Coalition, Moscow, Idaho. (02/11/2016)

“Human Capital: How to Partner with Local Community Organizations,” Presentation for the Central America Youth Ambassador Program, Moscow, Idaho. (2015 and 2016)

“Indigenous People’s Rights in Modern African Legal Systems.” Symposium – Indigenous Peoples in International Law: Lands, Liberties and Legacies. University of Idaho College of Law, Coeur d’Alene, Idaho. (2006)

“United States’ Foreign aid to Africa and Enforcement of International Environmental Laws In Sub-Saharan African countries.” Symposium – Progress in International Organization, University of Idaho College of Law, Coeur d’Alene, Idaho. (2005)

**Professional Meeting Papers, Workshops, Showings, Recitals:**

“Redressing Partnership with Cross-Border Indigenous Communities in Environmental Problem-Solving”, Workshop Presentation at UC San Diego. (June 2015)

**Grants and Contracts Awarded:**

Inland Northwest Broadcasting Advertising Grant, \$3000 for Borah Symposium, 2019.

Inland Northwest Broadcasting Advertising Grant, \$3000 for Borah Symposium, 2018.

**SERVICE:**

**Major Committee Assignments:**

Member, Environmental Science Core Faculty (Current)

Chair, Curriculum Committee, International Studies (Current)

Member, Scholarship Committee, School of Global Studies (Current)

Member, SEP Implementation Team (2022-2023)

Member, Scholarship Board, UI ROTC (Spring 2021)

Ex-Officio Member, Borah Foundation Committee, University of Idaho (Current)

Member, President’s Council on Diversity and Inclusion, University of Idaho (Current)

Scholarship Committee, School of Global Studies (Current)

Member, Arthur Taylor Faculty Diversity in Excellence Award Review Committee (2019 – Present)

Member, P&T Committee for Dr. Erin Damman, 2022.

Bylaws Committee, UI School of Global Studies, Spring 2021

Member, Third Year Review Committee, International Studies, Fall 2020

Member, Promotion Review Committee, Psychology & Communication Studies, Fall 2019, 2020, and 2021

Member, Environmental Science Curriculum Subcommittee, Spring 2019

Search Committee member, ISSFS Director for IPO, Spring 2019

Committee Chair, Arthur Taylor Faculty Diversity in Excellence Award Review Committee, 2020 & 2021

Member, Boren Scholarship Campus Committee, Spring 2019

Search Committee member, CNR Dean, UI. (2018)

Search Committee member, Coordinator for the UI Volunteer Center. (2018)

Member, International Engagement Council, University of Idaho. (2018)

Member, University Committee on General Education. (2016-2018)

Co-chair, sub-committee on Culture and Climate, UI. (Current)

Member, Fulbright Interviews Committee, University of Idaho (2013 -2022)

Search Committee member, EA Advisor & Marketing Outreach Coordinator for IPO. (2017)

Chair, Search Committee for Environmental Science Director. (2017)

Faculty representative, UI ACADA. (2015 – 2016)

Member, Assessment Committee, College of Letters and Social Sciences. (2014-2016)

Search Committee Member, Dean of the College of Letters, Arts, and Social Sciences CLASS. (2013)

Search Committee Member, Associate Deans for Research and Academic Affairs, CLASS. (Fall 2016)

Search Committee Member, Director of the Martin School - University of Idaho. (2013)  
 Leadership Academy, University of Idaho. (2011-2012)  
 Member, Strategic Goal 4 Team on Organization, Culture, and Climate; the University of Idaho. (01/08 – 06/09)  
 Advisory Board, African Students Association (Current)  
 Advisor, Oxfam America, UI Chapter. (Current)  
 Advisor, Kiva Club, UI Chapter. (Current)  
 Member Human Resources Committee - Graduate Students Association, University of Idaho, Moscow. (08/02 – 05/03)  
 President of African Students Association, University of Idaho. (2003 – 2004)

#### **Professional and Scholarly Organizations**

International Studies Association, 2010 – 2016  
 Project Management for Development, 2016 to present.

#### **Outreach Service:**

Guest Presentation for KIVA UI on the Importance of NGOs in Humanitarianism, February 28, 2022  
 Guest Lecture in ENV5 300 on Native Tree Species Project in Togo, UI, February 23, 2023.  
 Guest Lecturer at Norwich University on the Bamako Convention, March 30, 2021.  
 Faculty Co-Lead, Faculty-led International Field Visit to Togo, College of Arts and Architecture, September 2019.  
 Faculty Advisor and Lead, Faculty-led International Travel to Ghana and Togo for Ten Students. (May 21 to July 22, 2016)  
 Faculty Advisor and Lead, Faculty-led International Travel to Ghana and Togo for Ten Students. (May 23 to August 3, 2016)  
 Faculty Advisor and lead, Alternative Service Break for Thirteen University of Idaho Students, Notsé, Togo. (12/2015-01/2016)  
 Faculty Advisor and Lead, Faculty-led International Travel to Ghana and Togo for Ten Students. (May 27 to August 5, 2014)  
 Participant Faculty Advisor, Model UN, New York City for fifty-four students. (March 2013)  
 Faculty Advisor and Lead, Faculty-led International Travel to Togo for Twelve Students, Kpalimé, Togo. (May 23 to August 10, 2012)  
 Faculty Advisor and lead, Alternative Service Break for Thirteen University of Idaho Students, Sokode, Ghana (12/2009-01/2010/ 1/2016)

#### **Community Service:** (non-academic unrelated to employment)

ELI advisor, Moscow High School, Academic year 2018/2019  
 President of the Board, Institute for Community Partnerships and Sustainable Development, 2012 to present.  
 Board Member, Entreprises Territoires et Développement (Togolese NGO), 2018 to present.  
 Founding vice president: Association Nationale des Consommateurs et l'Environnement, ANCE-Togo, 1998-1999.

#### **Honors and Awards:**

GSSP Faculty Internationalization Award, University of Idaho (4/2020)  
 Certificate of Recognition, African Students Association, University of Idaho. (4/2019)  
 Dr. Arthur Maxwell Taylor Excellence in Diversity Award, UI, 2018.  
 Outstanding Employee 2012, University of Idaho. (5/2012)  
 Global Service Award, United Planet, Washington D.C. (01/2011)  
 Faculty Excellence Award – Naval ROTC, University of Idaho. (05/2010)  
 Excellence Award, African Students Association, University of Idaho. (10/2009)  
 Outstanding Graduate Student, Faculty of Law, University of Benin, Francophone Scholarship. (1999)

#### **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:** (workshops and seminars attended)

Diversity, Equity and Inclusion for the Workplace, UI, December 2022.  
 Groundswell: Harassment, Discrimination Presentation \$ Title IX, UI, December 2022  
 ITS Security Awareness, UI, December 2022  
 Conflict of Interest or Commitment: Identify and Report, UI, December 2022

Fire Safety in Workplace, UI, December 2022

CLASS Equity Institute, August 17-19, 2022.

Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning Workshop Series, Summer 2020.

New Technologies for Teaching and Learning, UI, 09/12/2018

Making Course Content More Assessable & Inclusive with BbLearn Ally, 09/26/2018

Accessibility and Inclusion: New Tools and Strategies to Educate ALL Learners, UI, 10/29/2018.