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Academic Employment

Primary Position

2014 – present *Associate Professor*, Urban Design and Planning, College of Built Environment

2008 - 2014 *Assistant Professor*, Urban Design and Planning, College of Built Environments

2005 - 2008 *Lecturer*, Urban Design and Planning, College of Built Environments

Additional Positions

Adjunct Associate Professor:

Architecture, College of Built Environments

Landscape Architecture, College of Built Environments

Faculty Affiliate:

South Asia Center, Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies

Interdisciplinary Ph.D. program in Urban Design and Planning

Ph.D. in the Built Environment (BE-Ph.D.)

Urban Design Certificate Program

Historic Preservation Planning Certificate Program

Education

2005 PhD, Planning and Design, University of Colorado

2005 Graduate Certificate in Historic Preservation, University of Colorado

1999 MLA, Landscape Architecture, The Pennsylvania State University

1996 MArch, Architectural Conservation, School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi

1993 BArch, Architecture, Mangalore University, India

Areas of Research Interest

Historic Preservation Planning, Urban Design, International Planning and Development, Planning History, Cultural Landscape Studies, Sustainability and Resilience

Select Professional Affiliations

Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP)

National Council for Preservation Education (NCPE)

Global Planning Educators Interest Group (GPEIG)

International Planning History Society (IPHS)

Indian National Trust for Art and Cultural Heritage (INTACH)

Publications

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- “National Parks for New Audiences: Diversifying Interpretation for Enhanced Contemporary Relevance,” (With Coslett). *The Public Historian*, Vol. 38 (4) pp. 101-128
- “Balancing History and Development in Seattle’s Pike/Pine Neighborhood Conservation District,” *Journal of American Planning Association (JAPA)* 2016, Vol. 82 (2) pp. 82-84
- “Centering the Periphery in the Chandigarh Master Plan,” *Journal of Planning History* 2015, Vol. 14 (1), pp. 62-84
- “Whole Community Resilience: An Asset-Based Approach to Enhancing Adaptive Capacity before a Disruption. *Journal of American Planning Association (JAPA)*; with Freitag, Abramson and Dixon) 2014, Vol. 80 (4) pp. 324-335
- “Preservation Preparedness: Integrating Heritage and Hazard Planning for Commercial Unreinforced Masonry (URM) Buildings in Seattle, Washington,” (with Wiser). *APT Bulletin: the Journal of Preservation Technology* 2013, 44(2-3), pp. 41-49
- “Beyond Le Corbusier and the Modernist City: Reframing Chandigarh’s ‘World Heritage’ Legacy” (with Sprague). *Planning Perspectives* 2013, 28(2), pp. 199-222.
- “Of Mills and Malls: The Future of Urban Industrial Heritage in Neo-liberal Mumbai.” *Future Anterior* 2013, 9, pp. 1-15.
- “With Heritage So Wild: Cultural Landscape Inventory in the US National Parks.” *Journal of Preservation Education and Research* 2011, 3, pp. 1-16.
- “Slumdogs vs. Millionaires: Balancing Vernacular Environments and Global Modernity in Mumbai, India.” *Journal of Architectural Education*, 2010, 63(2), pp. 25-37.
- “The Pay Streak Spectacle: Representations of Race and Gender in the Amusement Quarters of the AYP Exposition.” *Pacific Northwest Quarterly* 2009, pp. 23-35.
- “Historic Context and National Register Eligibility for Colorado Irrigation Ditches and Canals.” *CRM: The Journal of Heritage Stewardship*. 2006, 3(2), pp. 88-93. (With Holleran-primary author)

Books

- *Messy Urbanism: Understanding the ‘Other’ Cities of Asia*. Lead Editor with Jeff Hou. Hong Kong University Press, ISBN: 978-98-8209-33-3, 2016
- *Historic Preservation in India: History, Theory and Practice*. Book proposal for John Wiley & Sons under development. First phase of development funded by UW Royalty Research Funds. Fellowship to fund the second phase awarded by the American Institute of Indian Studies (AIIS).

Book Chapters / Published Conference Proceedings (published or forthcoming)

- “*Under-appreciation, Neglect and No Legislation to Protect: The State of Historic Vernacular Environments in India*”, 'State of Built Heritage of India', Indian National Trust for Art and Cultural Heritage: INTACH Press, Forthcoming.
- “*The Future of the Recent Past: Challenges Facing Modern Heritage from the Postcolonial Decades in India*” *Global Perspectives in Heritage Conservation*, ed. Vinayak Bharne, Routledge Press, Forthcoming
- “*All the world going and coming: The Grand Trunk Road in Punjab, India*”, *Cultural Landscapes of South Asia: Studies in Heritage Conservation and Management (Routledge Research in Landscape and Environmental Design)*, eds. Sinha and Silva, Routledge Press, pp 92-110

- “Untangling the ‘Messy’ Asian City”, *Messy Urbanism: The Dynamic Landscape of ‘Other’ Cities*, eds. Chalana and Hou, Hong Kong University Press (With Hou), pp. 1-21
- “The Informal City: Order in Disorder in Delhi’s Kathputli Colony”, *Messy Urbanism: The Dynamic Landscape of ‘Other’ Cities*, eds. Chalana and Hou, Hong Kong University Press (With Rishi), pp. 154-174
- “Epilogue to Messy Urbanism: Sites of Questions, Contestations and Resistance” Hong Kong University Press (With Hou), pp. 238-243
- “Twilight in Delhi: The failure of slum rehabilitation programs in creating a healthier city”, *Transforming Distressed Global Cities into More Healthy and Humane Places*, ed. Fritz Wagner, et al. (Surrey: Ashgate, 2015). (With Rishi), pp. 245-264
- “Preserving Seattle Grunge in Pike/Pine Neighborhood”, *Planning the Pacific Northwest, Seattle*, eds. Sterrett, et al. (Chicago: Planners Press, 2015)
- “Conservation overlay zoning and neighborhood character Pike/Pine, Seattle.” Heritage 2014 Proceedings of the 4th International Conference on Development, eds: Rogério Amoêda, Sérgio Lira & Cristina Pinheiro. Publisher: Green Lines Institute, 2014.
- “Making Way for a Global Metropolis: Mumbai’s Rapidly Transforming Informal Sector”, *The Emerging Asian City: Traditions, Tensions and Transformations*, ed. Vinayak Bharne (London: Routledge Press, 2013), pp. 193-202.
- “The Deliberate Designer: Integrating Research and Design into an Interdisciplinary Design Studio. Conference Proceedings.” *THEORY by DESIGN: Architectural Research Made Explicit in the Design Teaching Studio*, Faculty of Design Sciences/University of Antwerp. 2012 (with Sprague and Yocom). 2012, pp. 397- 402.
- “Global Heritage News: Lessons from India and China.” *Heritage and Development*. ed. Asha Rani (New Delhi: Indian National Trust for Art and Cultural Heritage, 2008). “New Delhi,” in *Encyclopedia of Twentieth Century Architecture* (London: Fitzroy Dearborn Publishers, 2003).
- “Greenbelts and Greenbelt Towns,” in *Encyclopedia of Twentieth Century Architecture*. (London: Fitzroy Dearborn Publishers, 2003).
- “Banaras,” in *Encyclopedia of Urban Cultures* (Danbury, Conn.: Grolier, 2002).
- “Empowerment by Partnerships: Relocation of the Railway Slum Dwellers in Mumbai India,” in *Cities in a Globalizing World: Global Report on Human Settlements 2001*, by United Nations Centre for Human Settlements (London: Earthscan Publications, 2001).
- “Brick Bridges and Historical Transportation Systems,” in *Arch Bridges: History, Analysis, Assessment, Maintenance and Repair*, ed. Anna Sinopolis (Rotterdam: A.A Balkema,, 1998).

Invited Book Chapters (in progress)

- “Slums as Heritage: Appreciating the intersection of urban informality and heritage conservation in Delhi, India,” in *Global Perspectives in Heritage Conservation*, ed. Vinayak Bharne (Routledge Press, 2016)
- “Preservation of Modern Heritage in the age of Globalization—the case of Chandigarh,” in *Global Perspectives in Heritage Conservation*, ed. Vinayak Bharne (Routledge Press, 2016)
- “All the world going and coming: The Grand Trunk Road in Punjab, India,” *Cultural Landscapes and Heritage of South Asia*. eds Sinha and Silva (Routledge Press, 2016)

Professional Journal Articles

- “Redefining Delhi’s Heritage beyond the Monuments and Sites Framework,” *Indian Architect and Builder*, 2009.
- “Preserving a Sense of Place: Heritage Conservation Strategies for Goa, India,” *Parmal: Journal of Goa Heritage Action Group*, 2008.
- Cultural Landscapes of the USA’s National Parks,” *Context*- 92, 2005

Book Reviews

- “Mukhija, Vinit, and Anastasia Loukaitou-Sideris, eds. (2014). *The Informal American City: Beyond Taco Trucks and Day Labor*. Cambridge MA: MIT Press. In: *Journal of Planning Literature*, 1-3
- “The Working Landscape: Founding, Preservation and Politics of Place” by Peter Cannavò, MIT Press, Cambridge, MA, 2007. In: *Journal of the American Planning Association*, 2008, 74(4).
- “Landscapes in India: Forms and Meanings” by Amita Sinha, University of Colorado Press, Boulder, 2006. In: *Landscape Journal*, 2007, 26(2).

Professional Reports/Studio Reports/ Self Published works/Other

- “The Perils of the (Chandigarh’s) Periphery”, Chandigarh Urban Lab, Vol II—The Capitol & its Northern Periphery, ed. Vikram Prakash, 2014. pp. 34-39
- “Integrated Rural Planning & Development in the Upper Himalayas”. 2013. 128 pp.
- “Back to the Future: A History of Transit Planning in the Puget Sound Region”. BE Lab Report. 2013. 206 pp. Published as E Book on Lulu: ISBN 9781304103390
- “Planning for Nangang’s Sustainable Futures: International Collaboration Studio,” 2012. 146 pp.
- “Preservation Preparedness: Mapping and Developing a Typology for Seattle’s Unreinforced Masonry Buildings,” 2012. 77 pp.
- “Rethinking Heritage: Beyond the ‘World Heritage’ Framework in the Era of Globalization,” *Globalization and the Modernistic City: The Chandigarh Experience*. ed. Vikram Prakash, 2011. pp. 366-371.
- “Globalization and the Modernistic City: The Chandigarh Experience. Study Abroad Studio Report.” 2011. 500 pp.
- “1909 Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition Walking Tour Brochure and Webpage,” 2009. <http://depts.washington.edu/aywalk/>
- “Integrated Rural Planning and Development in the Upper Himalayas: Johar Valley/Nanda Devi Bio Sphere Buffer Zone,” 2009. 132 pp.
- “Linking Toxics Cleanup and Redevelopment across the States: Lessons from Washington State”, 2009, 388 pp. Published by Washington State Department of Ecology, Publication Number: 09-09-043.
- “Envisioning a Gateway Park for Bainbridge Island: Pritchard Park Planning Report”, 2008. Published by Bainbridge Island Metro Park and Recreation District.
- “Broadway Beckons: Invigorating the Spine of Capitol Hill”, 2006. University of Washington, Urban Design and Planning Studio Report.
- “Statewide Historic Context Study: Irrigation Ditches and Canals,” 2006. Commissioned by the Colorado Historical Society.
- “Broadway Beckons: Invigorating the Spine of Capitol Hill, Seattle.” 2006. Studio Report.
- “Historic Structures Survey for Rocky Mountain National Park,” 2000. For NPS: Rocky Mountain National Park.
- “Moraine Park Museum Amphitheater: Colorado Cultural Resources Survey,” 2004. For NPS: Rocky Mountain National Park.

Grants

- *History, Theory and Practice of Historic Preservation in India*. American Institute of Indian Studies Fellowship (AIIS). Named 2014-5 Fellow; INR 934,312 + \$1,293 and travel costs; final

award size to be confirmed.

- *URM Community Outreach Pilot Project. IDEA Space.* Seattle's Chinatown International District Preservation & Development Authority (SCIDpda). 4Culture Special Preservation Project. \$7,500 (Advisor).
- *Resilience in Built Environment.* College of Built Environment CBE cluster/lab Grant. \$100,000 (Co-PI with Abramson, Alberti, et al.).
- *Trans-disciplinary Asian Urbanism Lab.* College of Built Environment CBE cluster/lab Grant. \$68,500 (Co-PI with Abramson, Hou and Prakash, Shen et al.).

Completed

- *A Comparative Approach to Understanding Community Resiliency as Balancing and Interdependent Services among Differing Types of Capital.* FEMA. \$ 85,000 (Co-PI with Freitag and Abramson)
- *Back to the Future: A History of Transit Planning in the Puget Sound Region.* College of Built Environments Lab Grant. \$20,000 (Co-PI with Bae, Ochsner).
- *History, Theory and Practice of Historic Preservation in India.* Royalty Research Funds, University of Washington. \$30,928. (PI).
- Dean's Grant for Interdisciplinary Research and Teaching. \$10,000. (Co-PI with Yocom).
- *Parks for the People: A Student Competition to Reimagine America's National Parks: Stage 1.* Van Alen Institute. \$2,000. (Co-PI with Yocom).
- *History, Theory and Practice of Historic Preservation in India.* University of Washington Royalty Research Scholar. Course Release and \$6720. (PI).
- *Preservation Preparedness: Mapping and Developing a Typology for Historic Unreinforced Masonry Buildings in Seattle, WA.* King County's Cultural Service Agency 4 Culture. \$8,000. (PI).
- *Mining the Memory II: Oral History Project for Black Diamond* in association with the Black Diamond Historical Society. Yarrow Bay Holdings. \$7,500. (PI).
- *Chandigarh Unbound: The Rise of the Second-tier Metropolis in India in the Age of Globalization.* College of Built Environments (BE) Lab grant for Interdisciplinary Collaborative Research and Teaching. \$18,000. (Co-PI with Prakash).
- *Reinterpreting the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition on the UW Campus.* 4Culture/King County's Cultural Service Agency Grant. \$5,000, (Co-PI with Way).
- *Digital Reconstruction of the AYPE Fairgrounds on the UW campus,* 4Culture/King County's Cultural Service Agency Grant. In collaboration with HistoryLink.org. \$5,000. (PI).
- *Regional Park Plan for Prichard Park / Japanese-American Memorial.* Bainbridge Island Metro Parks and Recreation District. \$40,000. (PI).
- *Linking Toxics Cleanup and Redevelopment across the States: Lessons from Washington State.* Washington State Department of Ecology, \$400,000. (Co-PI with Blanco).
- U.S. State Department Speaker and Specialist Grant for the Heritage Conservation Program, India. \$4824.
- *Universities Rebuilding America Partnership (URAP).* U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. \$300,000. (Co-PI with Blanco, Wagner).
- *Rocky Mountain National Park, National Register Evaluation of Historic Structures.* National Park Service and Rocky Mountain Corporate Ecosystem Studies Unit. \$7,257. (Co-PI with Holleran).

Select conference talks/posters

- *Preservation Preparedness: Integrating Heritage and Hazard Planning for Unreinforced Masonry (URM) Buildings in Seattle, WA.* Beyond Boundaries: National Preservation Conference, Spokane, WA.

Nov 1, 2012.

- *Resilient Community Planning in the Global Context: The Case of Remote Mountain Communities in India and China*. International Conference on Urban and Rural Development in China and India, Chengdu, China. Institute of South Asian Studies, Sichuan University. Sep 20, 2012.
- *Co-Studio: University of Washington and National Cheng Kung University: Planning for Nangang's Sustainable Future*. Poster presentation. iCities 2012: International Forum on Innovative Planning Education and Studio Exhibition, National Cheng Kung University (NCKU) Tainan, Taiwan. Aug 20-21, 2012.
- *Slumdogs vs. Millionaires: Mumbai's Urban Transitions*. Neoliberal Urbanism; Settling and Unsettling: The City in South Asia. University of Hawai'i, Honolulu. April 19, 2012.
- *Globalization and Preservation in the Context of Rapidly Urbanizing India*. "Alley Session" Talks. India Urban Conference. Evidence & Experience, Mysore, India. Nov 18, 2011.
- *Sustainable Urban Regeneration Practice in Puget Sound, WA*. Korean Research Institute for Human Settlement (KRIHS), Seoul, South Korea. International Seminar on Urban Regeneration Strategy using Regional Key Resources. Nov 19, 2010.
- *Seattle's Attempts at Sustainable Urban Renaissance: Pike-Pine Corridor*. National Cheng Kung University (NCKU); Dept. of Urban Planning, Tainan. Brownfields-Green Design. Aug 9, 2010.
- *Urban Regeneration of the Historic Auto-Row District in Seattle*. Korean Research Institute for Human Settlement (KRIHS), Seoul, South Korea. Aug 4, 2010.
- *Overcoming Conflict in the Indian Himalayas: A Post-Capitalist Paradigm for Rural Planning?* ACSP-AESOP 4th Joint Congress, Chicago, IL. Jul 6-11.
- The US Department of State: Bureau of International Information; Speaker and Specialist Program. India. Dec 7-14, 2007.
- *Heritage and Globalization: Lessons from India and China*. 12th International Conference of National Trusts. New Delhi, India. Dec 3-5, 2007.
- *Participatory Planning: South Asian Immigrants in the Seattle Metropolitan Area*. Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning Conference. Milwaukee, WI. Oct 18-21, 2007.
- *Community Participation and Historic Preservation in Globalizing India*. 6th Pacific Rim Community Design Network and 1st Xiamen-Quanzhou-Zhangzhou-Longyan Cities Alliance Designers Conference, Quanzhou, Fujian, China, Jun 18-19, 2007.

Courses

Lectures/Seminars

- URBDP 479: Urban Form
- URBDP 565: American Urban History
- ARCH 495: Preservation and the Modern City
- URBDP 585: Introduction to Preservation Planning
- URBDP 587: Preservation and the Vernacular Environment

Labs

- URBDP 573: Digital Design Practicum
- URBDP 498: Digital Visualization for Urban Designer and Planners

Studios

- URBDP 508: Pike/Pine Historic Preservation/Urban Design Studio
- URBDP 508: San Juan Island National Historical Park Design/Planning Studio (co-taught with Yocom)
- URBDP 508: Brownfield Redevelopment Studio. Pritchard Park Planning, Bainbridge Island
- URBDP 598: Broadway, Capitol Hill, Seattle. Urban Design Studio
- URBDP 508: Nangang Neighborhood Planning, Taiwan Studio (co-taught with Bae and Shen)
- URBDP 503: Spatial Communications and Analysis

Study Abroad

- URBDP 508: Urban Design and Planning: Village Community Development and Cultural Landscape Preservation in China (co-taught with Abramson)
- ARCH 504: Chandigarh-India Studio (co-taught with Prakash in 2011, 2014)
- URBDP 498/598: Integrated Rural Planning and Development in the Upper Himalayas. Exploration Seminar (solo-taught in 2009, co-taught with Carlson and Reder in 2008)
- URBDP 598/498: Community Planning & Urban Design Field Studio, Quanzhou, China (co-taught with Abramson)
- URBDP 598: Kobe Charrette, Kobe Japan (co-taught with Dan Abramson and Bob Freitag)

Select Awards and Recognitions

Research & design-related

- Parks for People: A Student Competition to Reimagine America's National Parks: Van Alen Institute, New York, NY. Stage I Winner, 2012.
- DaMingGong Palace Wall and Gate Design Competition (with Dan Abramson & team, and Werkhart International, Beijing office). 3rd Place. \$30,000, 2008.
- Graham Foundation's Carter Manny Citation of Special Recognition for dissertation work, 2003.
- Rocky Mountain Research Fellowship, Rocky Mountain Nature Association (RMNA), 2003.
- Award of Merit for Excellence in Study in Landscape Architecture, American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA), 1998.

Teaching-related

- The American Planning Association and the Planning Association of Washington Merit Award in the Student Plan Category, *Back to the Future: A History of Transit Planning in the Puget Sound Region*. BE Lab students, 2013
- Washington ASLA Merit Award for Group Report, *Envisioning a Gateway Park for Bainbridge Island: Pritchard Park Planning Report*, 2008.
- Lionel Pries Distinguished Professor Award, College of Architecture and Urban Planning, University of Washington (awarded by the students of the College), 2007, 2009.
- The American Planning Association and the Planning Association of Washington Merit Award in the Student Plan Category, *Broadway Beckons: Invigorating the Spine of Capitol Hill*, 2006.

Service-Related Awards

- The Pennsylvania State University. University Office of International Programs International Students and Scholars. Certificate of Appreciation "in grateful acknowledgement of exceptional efforts in furthering international understanding at the Pennsylvania State University." 1999.

Select Service

- CBE College Council, CBE: 2014 to present
- CBE Curriculum Committee, CBE: 2014 to present
- Combined Arts & Heritage Facilities application review panel
- Historic Preservation Advisory Committee, 4Culture, Cultural Services Agency for King County, Washington; 2013-15
- 4Culture, Cultural Services Agency for King County, Washington; 2012.
- Master of Urban Planning Admissions Committee: 2012, 2013
- Co-founder/Member, Diversity Committee, CBE: 2008-present
- Committee, South Asia Foreign Language Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowships, Henry M Jackson School of International Studies, 2013
- UW Luce Scholar, Study/Travel in Asia. Henry Luce Foundation, New York, NY. Selection Committee Member. 2010-present
- UW Advisory Faculty, ScanDesign; Study in Denmark. 2009 - 2012.
- Member, UW Campus Fulbright Committee. Review Fulbright applications yearly, conduct campus interviews, and provide written assessments for interviewees. 2009 – 2012
- Member, UW Diversity Council's Campus Climate Committee. 2006-7.
- Humanities Advisor, Friends of Seattle's Olmsted Parks for the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition Centennial Project, funded by Humanities Washington. 2008-09.
- Advisory Board member. Safe Neighborhoods through Community Planning. Washington State. 2005.