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### EDUCATION:

B.A., Syracuse University, 1970 (Political Science)  
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Ph.D., University of Michigan, 1978 (Political Science)  
Dissertation: "Politics, Ideology, and Equality: The Status of Women in Eastern Europe."

### EMPLOYMENT:

Director, MA Program in International Policy and Practice, Elliott School of International Affairs, February 2003–June 2006  
Director, Russian and East European Studies Program, Elliott School of International Affairs, September 1988–June 1994  
Convener, Seminar on Central and Eastern Europe, The George Washington University, January 1988 - December 1994  
Professor of Political Science and International Affairs, The George Washington University, 1992–present  
Associate Professor of Political Science and International Affairs, The George Washington University, 1984–1992  
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### PUBLICATIONS:

#### Books:

*Central and East European Politics: From Communism to Democracy*, with Jane L. Curry, eds. (Rowman and Littlefield, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2018).  
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- Women, State and Party in Eastern Europe*, with Alfred G. Meyer, eds. (Durham: Duke University Press, 1985).
- Domestic and Foreign Policy in Eastern Europe in the 1980s*, with Michael J. Sodaro, eds. (London: Macmillan and New York: St. Martin's Press, 1983).

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- “Iveta Radičová: La primera mujer primera ministra de Eslovaquia,” en Veronca Montecinos, editora, *Presidentas y primeras ministras en democracias postransicionales*. (Buenos Aires: Prometeo editorial, 2024), pp 309-33.
- “Women’s Representation in Parliaments and Parties Across the Post-communist Region,” with Cristina Chiva in *Routledge Handbook on Gender in Central and Eastern Europe*, Katalin Fabian, Janet Eliser Johnson and Mara Lazda, eds. (New York: Routledge, 2022), pp.441-45.
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- “Modes of Popular Mobilizations Against Authoritarian Rulers: A Comparison of 1989, the Color Revolutions, and the MENA Uprisings,” *Demokratizatsiya*, vol. 26, no. 2: 149-171.
- “Thirty Years after 1989, Issues in Postcommunist Politics,” with Jane L. Curry in Sharon L. Wolchik and Jane L. Curry, eds., *Central and East European Politics: The Czech and Slovak Republics: Two Paths to the Same Destination*, in Sharon L. Wolchik and Jane L. Curry, eds. *Central and East European Politics: From Communism to Democracy* (Rowman and Littlefield, 2018).
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- “Social Developments in Slovakia after 20 Years: The Impact of Politics,” in M. Mark Stolarik, ed., *The Czech and Slovak Republics: Twenty Years of Independence, 1993-2013* (Central European University Press, 2016).
- “Twenty-Five Years after 1989: Issues in Postcommunist Europe,” with Jane L. Curry, in Sharon L. Wolchik and Jane L. Curry, eds., *Central and East European Politics: From Communism to Democracy* (Rowman and Littlefield, 3<sup>rd</sup> edition, 2015), pp. 3-42.
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- “Concepts of Democracy Among Donors and Recipients of Democracy Promotion: An Empirical Pilot Study” with Valerie J. Bunce in Christopher Hobson and Milja Kurki, ed., *The Conceptual Politics of Democracy Promotion* (Abingdon: Routledge, 2011).
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#### **SCHOLARLY LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS:**

- Commentator and Chair,” Current Trends in Central and East European Politics,” 2025 Annual Convention of ASEES, Washington, DC, November 2025.
- “Czechoslovakia’s Prague Spring,” guest lecture for IAFF class, GWU, April 2025.
- “Political Developments in Slovakia,” 2022 Annual Convention of ASEES, Chicago, December 2022, virtual.
- “Reflections on IERES and Its Predecessor,” IERES, 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Video Series, Washington, DC, June 2022.
- “Democracy and Its Challenges: What Is to Be Done?” Friends of Slovakia, Third Student Summit, Washington, DC and Slovakia, May 2022, virtual.
- “An Academic and Personal Perspective on the War in Ukraine,” IERES Ukrainiathon, Washington, DC, March 2022, virtual,
- “Civil Society Mobilization in the War in Ukraine,” GW Program, The National Churchill Leadership Center, Washington, DC, February 2022, virtual.
- “New Parties in Central and Eastern Europe” by Tim Haughton and Kevin Keegan-Krause, Comments and moderator, with Valerie Bunce, zoom from Washington, DC, Ithaca, NY, Detroit, and England, October 2021.
- “Democracy and Its Discontents: Introductory Remarks,” Friends of Slovakia

- Student Summit, virtual, October 2021.
- “European Perspectives,” Centra Technology, May 2021, virtual.
- “Current Political Trends in Slovakia and the Czech Republic.” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, February 2020.
- “Communism from Its Establishment to Its Collapse,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, February 2020.
- “The Czech and Slovak Exceptions,” Roundtable, ASEEEES, virtual convention, November 2020.
- “Current Political Developments in Slovakia,” Roundtable, ASEEEES, virtual Convention, November 2020.
- “Slovakia: The Central European Exception?” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, August 2019.
- “Communism and Its Demise in Central Europe,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, August 2019.
- “Central Europe: An Introduction,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, August 2019.
- “Central and Eastern Europe and the EU,” Roundtable, ASEEEES, San Francisco, November 2019.
- “Attacks on the Judiciary in Poland in Comparative Perspective” Washington and Lee School of Law, January 2019.
- “Mass Mobilization in Comparative Perspective,” George Washington University, September 2018.
- “Politics, Parties, and Protests in Central and Eastern Europe,” Annual Convention, Association of Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies, Boston, November 2018.
- “The Communist Era and Its End in East Central Europe,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2016.
- “Electoral Revolutions in the Caucasus,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on the Caucasus, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, August 2016.
- “Communism and the Transition in Poland and Latvia,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Poland and Latvia, US Department of State, Foreign Service Institute, August 2016.
- “Communism and the End of Communism in Georgia, Armenia, and Azerbaijan,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on the Caucasus, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, August 2016.
- “From the Establishment of Communism to the Transition from Communism,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, August 2016.
- “Slovak Politics Today: Consolidation or Backsliding?” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, August 2016.
- “New Developments in Central and East European Politics.” ASEEEES Annual Convention. Philadelphia, PA. November 2015.
- “East Central Europe Under Communism,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Poland and Lithuania, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2015.
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- “The Communist Era in Poland and Latvia,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Poland and Latvia, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2014.
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- “Twenty-Five Years After 1989: Progress and Problems,” Georgetown University, Washington, DC, April 2014.
- “Gender Issues in ECE,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, March 2014.
- “Women’s Roles in Southeastern Europe,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on South Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, February 2014.
- “Revolution and Reform in ECE,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, January 2014.
- “East Central Europe: An Introduction,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, September 2013.
- “Political Regimes of the Former Soviet States,” 2-day course for University of Delaware, US Government Area Studies University program, Elkridge, Maryland, September 2013.
- “Unfinished Tasks in the Transition to Democracy in Central and Eastern Europe,” Institute for European Studies, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Beijing, May 2013.
- “The End of Communism and the Tasks of the Transition,” Advanced Area Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, January 2013.
- “Revolution and Reform: Hungary 1956 and Czechoslovakia 1968,” Advanced Area Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, January 2013.
- “The Establishment of Communism in East Central Europe,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, December 2012.
- “Modes of Population Mobilizations Against Authoritarian Rulers: A Comparison of 1989, the Color Revolutions, and the MENA Uprisings,” with Valerie J. Bunce, paper presented at Workshop on Comparative Mass Mobilization and Protest, the George Washington University, Washington, DC, October 2012.
- ” Ousting Authoritarians: Electoral Revolutions in Postcommunist States,” Institute of International Affairs, Stockholm, Sweden, May 2012.
- “Gender Issues in Southeast Europe,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Southeast Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, May 2012.
- Commentator, “Youth in Ukraine, Azerbaijan, and Russia,” National Endowment for Democracy, Washington, DC, April 2012.
- “Defeating Authoritarian Leaders in Postcommunist Countries,” book panel, Conference on European Politics, Boston, MA, March 2012.

- “Gender Issues in Post-communist ECE,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, February 2012.
- “Nonviolent Youth Movements in Post-Communist Hybrid Regimes,” commentator, Manuscript Development Workshop, Leitner Center for International Law and Justice, Fordham University, February 2012.
- “Revolution, Reform, and Repression,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, January 2012.
- “The End of Communism and the Transition,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, January 2012.
- Commentator, “What Is To Be Done with Pseudo Democracies,” National Endowment for Democracy, Washington, DC, January 2012.
- “The Establishment of Communism and Transformation of Society,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, November 2011.
- “Defeating Authoritarian Leaders in Postcommunist Countries,” book panel, Annual Meeting of the Association for European and Eurasian Studies, Washington, DC, November 2011.
- “Defeating Authoritarian Leaders in Postcommunist Countries,” book launch, IERES, the George Washington University, November 2011.
- “The Diffusion of Popular Challenges to Authoritarian Rule,” with Karrie Koesel and Valerie Bunce, Annual Meeting, American Political Science Association,” Seattle, WA, September 2011.
- “Vigilant Authoritarians and the Diffusion of Democracy,” with Valerie J. Bunce and Karrie Koesel. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Seattle, WA, September 1-4, 2011.
- “Fizzles and Fireworks: The Cross-National Diffusion of Popular Protests against Authoritarian Rule and the Prospects for Democratization in the Middle East and North Africa,” with David Patel and Valerie Bunce. Paper presented at the Project on the Middle East Political Science Conference at George Washington University and at the Conference at the American University of Cairo, May and June 2011.
- “Democratizing Elections in Comparative Perspective,” Department of International Economics, Ivan Franko University, Lviv, Ukraine, May 2011.
- “I Ignored Your Revolution, But You Forgot My Anniversary: Party Competition and the Construction of Recollection of 1989 in Slovakia,” with Carol S. Leff and Kevin Deegan-Krause. Paper presented at the Conference on 20 Years After: 1989 and the Politics of Memory, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida, February 4-6, 2011.
- “Gender Issues in East Central Europe,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, January 2011.
- “Bringing Down Communism and the Tasks of Transition,” East Central Europe Advanced Area Studies Seminar, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, November 2010.
- “Women’s Issues in Southeastern Europe,” Southeast Europe Advanced Area Studies Seminar, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, November 2010.
- “The Transition in Central and Eastern Europe,” IAFF 092, The George Washington University, November 2010.
- “Against the Mold: Revolt in Hungary and Reform in Czechoslovakia,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2010.

- “The Acquisition of Power and the Implementation of the Soviet Model,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East and Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2010.
- “What Exactly is Being Diffused? Diffusion in the ‘Color Revolutions’,” Association for the Study of Nationalities, New York, April 2010.
- “Democratizing Elections in Post-communist Europe and Eurasia,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Ukraine, the Baltic States and Poland, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, April 2010.
- “OK 98 and the Ouster of Vladimir Meciar in Slovakia,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, March 2010.
- “Gender Issues in ECE,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, January 2010.
- “1989: What We Least Expected.” Panel chair and participant, Annual Meeting, American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Boston, November 2009.
- “Democratizing Elections in Central and Eastern Europe and Eurasia: Echoes of 1989?” with Valerie J. Bunce. Paper for Conference on 1989: Twenty Years After, Center for Study of Democracy, the University of California at Irvine, November 5-8, 2009.
- “The Collapse of Communism and the Tasks of the Transition,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, November 2009.
- “Reform and Repression: Hungary 1956 and Czechoslovakia 1968,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2009.
- “The Establishment of Communism and Transformation of Society,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, September 2009.
- “Transnational Networks, Diffusion Dynamics, and Electoral Change in the Postcommunist World,” presented at American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, September 2009.
- “Successful and Unsuccessful Uses of Elections to Democratize,” Johns Hopkins SAIS, Washington, DC, September 2009.
- “Gender Issues in Southeast Europe,” Advanced Area Seminar on Southeast Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, June 2009.
- “Democratizing Elections in Postcommunist Europe and Eurasia,” Advanced Area Seminar on Ukraine, Poland, and the Baltic States, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, May 2009.
- “US-European Relations after Communism,” National Defense University, Washington, DC, March 2009.
- “Social Issues in the Transition,” Advanced Area Studies for East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, February 2009.
- “Democratizing Elections in Post-communist States: The Day After,” National Endowment for Democracy, February 2009.
- “Gender Issues in East Central Europe” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, January 2009.
- “Foreign and Domestic Issues in Electoral Revolutions,” American Association for the

- Advancement of Slavic Studies, 2008 Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, November 2008.
- Chair, "Women in Political Leadership in Postcommunist Europe and Eurasia," American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, 2008 Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, November 2008.
- "Hungary in 1956 and Czechoslovakia in 1968," Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, November 2008.
- "The Demise of Communism and the Transition to Democracy," Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, November 2008.
- "Azerbaijan's 2005 Parliamentary Elections: A Failed Attempt at Transition." with Valerie J. Bunce. Paper prepared for CDDRL Workshop on External Influences on Democratic Transitions. Stanford University, October 2008.
- "The Establishment of Communism and Communist Transformation in ECE," Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2008.
- "The Diffusion of Democratizing Elections in Postcommunist Europe and Eurasia," NYU in Prague, Prague, Czechoslovakia, October 2008.
- "Mixed Regimes in Postcommunist Eurasia: Tipping Democratic and Tipping Authoritarian." with Valerie J. Bunce. Paper presented at the Conference on Democratization in Europe's Post-Soviet Republics: Limits, Obstacles, and Perspectives. Florence, Italy, June 13-15, 2008.
- "Postcommunist Europe and Eurasia: Democratization as a Transnational Process," with Valerie J. Bunce, for presentation at Workshop on Democratization George Washington University, June 2008.
- "Gender Issues in Southeast Europe Under Communism and After," Advanced Area Studies Seminar, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, May 2008.
- "Democratizing Elections in Postcommunist Europe and Eurasia," Advanced Area Seminar on Poland, Lithuania, and Ukraine, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, April 2008.
- "The Diffusion of Electoral Change," with Valerie J. Bunce. Paper presented at the Institute for the Social Sciences, March 25, 2008, the Harvard Academy, April 22, 2008, and the University of Notre Dame, April 24, 2008.
- "Social Issues in the Transition," Advanced Area Studies for East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, February 2008.
- "Gender Issues in East Central Europe Under Communism and After," Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, January 2008.
- "Bringing Down Dictators: Successful Versus Failed Electoral Revolutions in Postcommunist Europe and Eurasia," with Valerie J. Bunce. Paper presented at the Workshop on "The Democratizing Power of Elections," University of Florida, November 30-December 2, 2007.
- "Two Cheers for American Democracy Promotion," with Valerie J. Bunce. Paper presented at the Jefferson Institute, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, November 2007.
- "Transnational Networks in Postcommunist Electoral Revolutions," American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, 2007 Annual Meeting, New Orleans, November 2007.
- "Azerbaijan: A Failed Case," Workshop on the Role of Outside Actors in

- Transitions to Democracy, Stanford University, Palo Alto, October 2007.
- “Reform and Repression in East Central Europe,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe,” Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2007.
- “Legacies of the Communist Era in East Central Europe,” Advanced Area Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, September 2007
- .“Electoral Systems and Democracy,” SAIC, Virginia, September 2007.
- “Bringing Down Dictators: Democracy Promotion and Democratizing Elections in the Postcommunist World,” with Valerie J. Bunce, Villa Serbelloni, Rockefeller Foundation, Bellagio, Italy, August 2007.
- “Bringing Down Dictators: The Diffusion of Democratic Change in Communist and Postcommunist Europe and Eurasia,” with Valerie J. Bunce. Paper presented at the conference on “Why Communism Endured or Collapsed,” Dartmouth, May 24-26, 2007.
- “Elections and Democratic Consolidation,” Center for National and International Studies, Yerevan, Armenia, April 2007.
- “Women and Politics in Postcommunist Countries,” US-Azerbaijan Education Center, Baku, Azerbaijan, April 2007.
- “Electoral Revolutions in Postcommunist Europe: Explaining Successes and Failures,” with Valerie J. Bunce. Paper presented at Georgetown University, November 2006, with revised versions presented at the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, February 2007; and Stetson College, 2007.
- “Electoral Revolutions and Democratization,” University of Baku, Azerbaijan, April 2007.
- “The Role of Women in Politics in the Postcommunist World,” American University of Armenia, Yerevan, Armenia, April 2007.
- “Women and Democratic Politics,” public lecture held under the auspices of the US Embassy in Baku, Azerbaijan, April 2007
- “Comparative Democratization: Lessons from the Postcommunist Experience,” with Valerie J. Bunce. Lecture presented at the Caucasus Media Institute, Yerevan, Armenia, March 2007. A similar lecture was also presented at the Yerevan State Linguistic University, Armenia, March 2007.
- “Institutional Design and Democratization,” with Valerie J. Bunce. Lecture presented at the Institute of Political Research (advisory group to the President of Armenia), Yerevan, Armenia, March 2007.
- “Elections and Democratic Consolidation,” with Valerie J. Bunce. Lecture presented at the Armenian Center for National and International Studies, Yerevan, March 2007.
- “Postcommunist Electoral Revolutions,” College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Va., November 2006.
- “Central and East European Politics After EU Accession,” Inter-American Defense College, November 2006.
- “Democracy Promotion through Electoral Revolutions: The Postcommunist Experience,” Center for Democracy and Civil Society, Georgetown University, November 2006.
- “Women in Academia,” Panel organized by the Association of Women in Slavic Studies, Annual Meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, November 2006.
- “Electoral Systems and Democratic Governance,” SAIC, Virginia, November 2006.

- “ECE Under Communism,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, November 2006.
- “The Diffusion of Electoral Revolutions,” with Valerie J. Bunce. Paper presented at Duke University, October 2006 and the University of Michigan, October 2006.
- “Democracy Promotion, U.S. Foreign Policy, and Electoral Revolutions in Postcommunist Eurasia,” with Valerie J. Bunce. Paper and keynote address presented at the University of Illinois, Annual Colloquium of the Russian and East European Center, September 2005. Versions of this paper were also presented at the Department of Political Science, Central European University, Budapest, February 2006 and the Department of Political Science, the University of Michigan, October 2006.
- “Defining and Domesticating the Electoral Model: A Comparison of Slovakia and Serbia,” with Valerie J. Bunce. Paper presented at the Conference on “Waves and Troughs of Postcommunist Transitions: What Role for External versus Domestic Variables?” Stanford University, April 28-29, 2006.
- “A Regional Tradition: Popular Mobilization Against Dictators under Communism and Postcommunism,” with Valerie J. Bunce. Paper presented at the Conference on “Waves and Troughs of Postcommunist Transitions: What Role for External versus Domestic Variables?” Stanford University, April 28-29, 2006.
- “Gender Issues in Southeast Europe,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Southeast Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, March 2006.
- “Bringing Down Dictators: American Democracy Promotion and Electoral Revolutions in Postcommunist Eurasia,” with Valerie J. Bunce. Paper presented at the Conference on External Actors and State (Re)Construction, Cornell University, November 2005 and at the Workshop on Democratization, Central European University, February 2006.
- “Reform and Repression in ECE,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, January 2006.
- “The End of Communism and the Transition to Democracy,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, January 2006.
- “Central and Eastern Europe in the EU,” Inter-American Defense College, November 2005.
- “The Impact of the EU on Postcommunist Central and Eastern Europe,” Annual Meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Salt Lake City, November 2005.
- “Transnational Democratic Movements in Postcommunist Europe,” with Valerie J. Bunce. Paper presented at the joint conference of the European Studies Program, Cornell University and Syracuse University on Postcommunist States and Societies: Transnational and National Politics, Syracuse University, September 30-October 1, 2005.
- “Gender Issues in East Central Europe,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, Department, January 2005.
- “Social and Economic Inequalities in ECE,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, January 2005.
- “The Tasks of the Transition to Democracy and the Market,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, December 2004.
- “Critical Issues in European Politics,” Inter-American Defense College, November 2004.
- “1989 in Hungary and Czechoslovakia,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, November 2004.

- “Revolution and Reform: Hungary 1958, Czechoslovakia 1968,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2004.
- “East Central Europe Under Communism,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2004.
- “Current Developments in Slovakia and the Czech Republic,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, May 2004.
- “Women Deputies in the Czech Republic,” Conference on Women Deputies in Postcommunist Europe and Eurasia, Co-sponsored by the East European Studies Program and the Kennan Institute, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, the Watson Institute, Brown University, and George Washington University, Washington, DC, April 2004.
- “Post-transition Politics in the Czech Republic and Slovakia?” Seminar, Watson Institute, Brown University, April 2004.
- “Party Systems in ECE,” Seminar, University of Pittsburgh, February 2004.
- “Gender Issues in East Central Europe,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, December 2003.
- “The Negotiated Revolution and the Velvet Revolution,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, November 2003.
- “The Transition from Communist Rule: Democracy, the Market, and Back to Europe,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, November 2003.
- Discussant, Panel on Slovak Politics after Meciar, Annual Meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Toronto, 2003.
- “East Central Europe Under Communism,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2003.
- “Reform and Repression: Hungary 1956,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2003.
- “Reform and Repression: Czechoslovakia, 1968,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2003.
- “The Fall of Communism in Central Europe,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, November 2001.
- “Political Developments in Central and Eastern Europe After the End of Communism,” Inter-American Defense College, November 2001.
- “Culture and National Identity in Central and Eastern Europe in the Period of Empires,” Faculty and Course Development in International Studies, Workshop on Cultural and National Resistance, West Virginia University, November 2001.
- “Culture and Dissent Under Communism,” Faculty and Course Development in International Studies, Workshop on Cultural and National Resistance, West Virginia University, November 2001.
- “Culture and National Identity in Post-1989 Central and Eastern Europe,” Faculty and Course Development in International Studies, Workshop on Cultural and National Resistance, West Virginia University, November 2001.
- “Central Europe: The Legacy of Communism,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2001.
- “Women in Slovakia and the Czech Republic: New Opportunities and Old Problems,” The European Division of the Library of Congress, October 2001.

- “East Central Europe: Central Issues,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, September 2001.
- “Current Issues in Czech Politics,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, December 2000.
- “Issues in the International Relations of Central and Eastern Europe,” Inter-American Defense College, November 2000.
- “Central and Eastern Europe: Ten Years after the Fall of Communism,” Inter-American Defense College, November 2000.
- “East Central Europe: The Communist Legacy,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 2000.
- “Beyond Official Diplomacy: Links Between NGOs, Think Tanks, and Educational/Research Centers in Slovakia and Ukraine,” Conference on Ukraine and Central Europe: Multi-Level Networks and International Relations, sponsored by the Kennan Institute and the East European Program at Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, and the Ukrainian Institute, Harvard University, May 2000.
- “The Czech Republic: Expectations and Realities,” Symposium on Eastern Europe and the Former Soviet Union: Ten Years after the Fall of the Berlin Wall, University of California, Berkeley, March 2000.
- “Political Parties and Party Systems in Central Europe,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, December 1999.
- “Czech and Slovak Politics Ten Years Later,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, November 1999.
- Participant, Conference on the Velvet Revolution in Czechoslovakia, organized by the Cold War International History Project, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, National Security Archives, and the Institute for Contemporary History, Prague, October 1999.
- Chair, Roundtable on Czech Politics, 1999 Annual Meeting, American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, St. Louis, October 1999.
- “Central and Eastern Europe Ten Years Later: Expectations and Realities,” Rosenfield Program in Public Affairs, International Relations and Human Rights, Symposium on Post-Communism After Ten Years,” Grinnell College, Grinnell, Iowa, September 14, 1999.
- “Political Parties and Recent Elections in the Czech and Slovak Republics,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, May 1999.
- “The Revolutions of 1989; Reflections on the Velvet Revolution and its Aftermath,” Seminar organized by the National Security Archives, GWU, March 1999.
- “Lost Illusions: The Czech and Slovak Experiences,” University of Maryland, April 1999.
- “Eastern Europe Entering the 21st Century,” at Seminar on the Revolutions of 1989 and Democratic Transitions in East-Central Europe, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, April 1999.
- “Political Parties in the Czech and Slovak Republics,” Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, April 1999.
- “The Development of Civil and Political Society,” Symposium on Europe’s East Enters the 21st Century, Center for Humanities and Arts and The University of Georgia, February 1999.
- “East-East Assistance and US Policy,” IREX policy forum at the US Department of State, February 1999.
- Chair, panel on Gender Issues in the Transitions in Central Europe and the Former Soviet Union, 1998 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Boston, September 1998.

- “Will There Ever be a ‘Central Europe’?” Roundtable, 1997 Annual Meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Seattle, Washington November 20-23, 1997.
- “The Reemergence of the Left in the Czech Republic,” 1996 Annual Meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Boston, Nov. 14-17, 1996.
- “The Development of the Party System in the Czech Republic,” University of Pittsburgh, January 1997.
- “Identity and Difference: Gender Politics in Central and Eastern Europe,” The University of Wisconsin, April 1997.
- “The Politics of Ethnicity and the Breakup of Czechoslovakia,” Conference on the Breakup of Communist States and Nation/Statebuilding in Post-Communist States, Cornell University, April 21-22, 1995.
- “Political Issues in the Post Communist Czech Republic,” U.S. State Department seminar on the Czech Republic for Ambassador-designate Jenonne Walker, June 1995.
- “Gender Issues in the Transition in Central Europe;” “Czech and Slovak Relations after 1993,” Czech Politics,” “Social Issues in Postcommunist Central Europe, Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State. September 1993-June 1994.
- “Reproductive Issues in the Post-Communist Czech and Slovak Republics,” Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Smithsonian Institution, May 1995.
- “Slovak Politics Since Independence,” Czechoslovak Society of Arts and Sciences in America, Washington, D.C. April 1995.
- Chair, panel on “New Elites in Post-Communist Central Europe,” Annual meeting, American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Philadelphia, November 1994.
- Chair and Discussant, panel sponsored by Women in International Security meeting with Olga Shadrina, visiting fellow at the Bulletin of Atomic Scientists and a reporter for the Russian language Ukrainian newspaper *Kievskie Vedomosti*, Washington, D.C., February 1994.
- “The Break-up of Multiethnic States: The Case of Czechoslovakia,” Annual Meeting, American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Honolulu, Hawaii, November 1993.
- “Women in Transition in Czechoslovakia,” Women in International Security Conference, Prague, September 1992.
- “The Repluralization of Politics in Czechoslovakia,” International Political Science Association Research Committee on Pluralism, Los Angeles, September 1992.
- “The Politicization of Ethnicity in Czechoslovakia,” Smithsonian Institution, Ethnicity and Nationalism in Central and Eastern Europe, May 1992.
- “Women and Politics in Czechoslovakia,” Conference on Women and Politics in Eastern Europe, Prague, June 1992.
- “The Reemergence of the Political Right in Post-Communist Czechoslovakia,” Conference on The Revival of the Political Right in Post-Communist Eastern Europe, Rutgers University, April 1992.
- “Policies Toward Ethnic Issues During the Communist Period,” Smithsonian Institution, Ethnicity and Nationalism in Central and Eastern Europe, April 1992.
- “Changing the Czechoslovak Economy,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, February 1992.
- “Ethnic Issues in Post-Communist Czechoslovakia,” Conference on Nationality and Ethnicity in Eastern Europe, Center for European Studies, Harvard University, Cambridge, December 1991.

“Gender Issues in Central and Eastern Europe,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, December 1991.

“Political and Economic Developments in Central and Eastern Europe,” Lecture for Congressional Fellows, American Political Science Association, November 1991.

Panelist, “The Transition to Democracy in Eastern Europe,” Transition to Democracy Seminar, GWU, November 1991.

“Social Change and Social Issues in Czechoslovakia,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 1991.

“Central and Eastern Europe in the Post-Communist Period,” GW Club, October 1991.

“Women's Issues in the Transitions in Central and Eastern Europe,” Institute for Women's Policy Research, Washington, D.C., October 1991.

Commentator, “Democratic Values and the Revolutions of 1989 and 1991,” 37th General Assembly of the Atlantic Treaty Organization, Washington, D.C. October 1991.

“Ethnic Tensions in Czechoslovakia,” NPR radio interview, October 7, 1991.

“Politics and Economics in Post-Communist Czechoslovakia,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, October 1991.

“National and Gender Issues in Central and Eastern Europe and the USSR,” National Hispana Leadership Institute, October 1991.

“Political and Economic Developments in the Czech and Slovak Federated Republic and the Impact of Recent Changes in the USSR,” Congressional Research Service, October 1991.

“Recent Developments in Czechoslovak Politics,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, September 1991.

“Women and the Politics of Transition,” Conference on Perestroika, Revolution, and Gender Issues, United Nations, WIDER, Helsinki, Finland, September 1991.

“Critical Issues in the Transition to Post-Communist Rule in Central and Eastern Europe,” Chautauqua Institution, August 1991.

“Women's Roles and Women's Issues in Central and Eastern Europe,” Chautauqua Institution, August 1991.

Discussant, “Roundtable on the Lessons of 1989,” Advanced Area Studies Seminar, Foreign Service Institute, U.S. Department of State, June 1991.

“Roundtable Discussion: The Lessons of Eastern Europe's 1989,” Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, May 1991.

“Politics and Economics in the Transition to Post-Communist Rule in Central and Eastern Europe,” American Association of University Women, Erie, Pennsylvania, April 1991.

“Women in the Transition to Democracy in Central and Eastern Europe,” Annual Meeting American Political Science Association, San Francisco, September 1990.

“Central and Eastern European Transitions: Political and Economic Trends,” American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Washington, D.C., September 1990.

“Women's Roles in the Downfall of Communism in Central and Eastern Europe,” IV World Conference of Slavic Studies, Harrogate, England, July 1990.

“Mass-Elite Relations in Czechoslovakia,” Workshop on Mass-Elite Relations in Central and Eastern Europe sponsored by the George Washington University and Radio Free Europe, Harrogate, England, July 1990.

“Central Issues in the Transition to Post-Communist Rule in Central and Eastern Europe,” Lecture, National Governors' Association Meeting, May 1990.

Commentator, "Political and Economic Developments in Czechoslovakia," panel discussion with Alexander Dubcek, The Atlantic Council, May 1990.

Panel Chair, "Central Europe," Conference on National Identities in Central and Eastern Europe co-sponsored by the U.S. Department of State and the Russian and East European Studies Program, the George Washington University, May 1990.

"Changes in Eastern Europe: Historical and Cultural Factors," Motorola University, Chicago, April 1990.

"Domestic Developments in Selected Eastern European Countries," Workshop on Changing Patterns in East-West Relations sponsored by the American Council on Asian and Pacific Affairs and the Institute for Sino-Soviet Studies, the George Washington University, April 1990.

"The Crisis of Socialism in Central and Eastern Europe and its Future," Conference on the Crisis of Socialism, East and West, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, April 1990.

"Democratization in Eastern Europe," Lecture Series on Democratization, Southwestern University, Austin, Texas, March 1990.

"Eastern Europe in Transition," Symposium on Changes in Eastern Europe, American Friends Service Committee, Philadelphia, March 1990.

"Czechoslovakia in Transition," Symposium on Change in Eastern Europe, US Army War College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, March 1990.

"East European Developments: A Western Perspective," Institute of State and Law, Czechoslovak Academy of Sciences, Prague, March 1990.

"Recent Developments in Czechoslovakia," Advanced Area Studies Seminar, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, Washington, DC, March 1990.

"Current Issues in East European Politics," Institute for Sino-Soviet Studies, Faculty Seminar, March 1990.

"Political and Economic Issues in Czechoslovakia," Seminar on Eastern Europe, Johns Hopkins School of Advanced Area Studies, Washington, DC, March 1990.

"Czechoslovak Politics in Transition," Advanced Area Studies Seminar, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, Washington, D.C., February 1990.

Panel Chair, "Challenges Facing Political Leaders," Symposium on Theories to Guide the Reform of Social Societies," School of Business and Public Management, the George Washington University, February 1990.

"Czechoslovakia in the Twentieth Century," Conference on the History of East-Central Europe in the Twentieth Century, Rutgers University, February 1990.

"Eastern Europe -- What Next?" Elliott School of International Affairs Luncheon Series, the George Washington University, February 1990.

"Czechoslovakia from 1968 to 1989," Santa Clara University, January 1990.

"Political Developments in Czechoslovakia," Santa Clara University, January 1990.

"Czechoslovakia in Transition: Prospects for Democracy," Berkeley-Stanford Faculty Seminar on Democratization, January 1990.

"The Roots of Democracy in Czechoslovakia," Hoover Institution, Stanford, January 1990.

"Dissent and Opposition in Czechoslovakia," Advanced Area Studies Seminar, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, Washington, D.C., January 1990.

"Recent Changes in Eastern Europe," National Council on International Visitors, USIA, Washington, D.C., December 1989.

"Political Reform in Eastern Europe," Roundtable discussion, Southern Slavic Conference, Charlottesville, Virginia, October 1989.

"Area Studies Programs," Roundtable discussion, Southern Slavic Conference, Charlottesville, Virginia, October 1989.

"Prospects for Political Change in Czechoslovakia," Midwest Slavic Conference, Chicago, April 1989.

"Political Change, Economic Crisis and Women's Issues in Eastern Europe," Network of Women in Slavic Studies and Kennan Institute, Washington, D.C., October 1988.

Chair, "Emerging Issues: Political Developments in Eastern Europe," Spring Symposium, Washington, D.C. Chapter of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, May 1988.

"Czechoslovakia and the USSR," Colloquium on the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe, The George Washington University, November 1986.

"Knowledge and Power in Communist States," III World Congress of Soviet and East European Studies, Washington, D.C., October 1985.

"Women's Issues and Public Policy in Eastern Europe," Russian and East European Studies Seminar, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, April 1985.

Panelist, "Women and Work in Eastern Europe," Roundtable discussion at the 1984 Annual Meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, New York, November 1984.

Commentator, "A Neo-Marxist Approach to the Sociology of Nationalism: A Quest for Theory," Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington, D.C., July 1984.

Chair, "The Impact of the Andropov Succession in Eastern Europe," Roundtable discussion at the 1983 Annual meeting of the Washington, D.C. Chapter of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies.

"Women's Issues and Political Crises in Eastern Europe," Network of Women in Slavic Studies, Washington, D.C November 1983.

Commentator, "The Public Invades the Private -- Or Does It?" 1983 Annual Meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Kansas City, October 1983.

"Economic and Territorial Imperatives in Regional Investment Decisions in Czechoslovakia," 1983 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 1983.

Chair, "Women in Eastern Europe: Unresolved Theoretical Issues," Roundtable discussion at 1982 Annual Meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Washington, D.C., October 1982.

"Women's Issues and Public Policy in Eastern Europe," Kennan Institute, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington, D.C., March 1982.

Participant, "New Directions in Research on Women in Politics," Roundtable discussion at 1981 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, New York, September 1981.

"Yugoslav Revisionism," Workshop on Marxism, School of Advanced International Studies, Johns Hopkins University, Washington, D.C., May 1981.

"Social Change and Women in Eastern Europe," Soviet-East European lecture series, University of Maryland, College Park, May 1981.

"Demographers and the Making of Population Policy in Czechoslovakia," 1980 Annual Meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Philadelphia, November 1980.

"Specialists and Policymaking in Czechoslovakia," 1980 Annual Meeting of the Northeastern Political Science Association, New Haven, November 1980.

"Czechoslovakia in the 1980s: Economic Problems and Political Repercussions," 1980 Annual Meeting of the Czechoslovak Academy of Arts and Sciences in America, Washington, D.C., October 1980.

Commentator, "Dissent and Opposition in Eastern Europe," Panel at the 1980 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, Washington, D.C., September 1980.

Chair, "The Impact of the Helsinki Accords on Soviet Nationality Policy," Panel at the 1980 Annual Meeting of the Southern Slavic Conference, College Park, Maryland, September 1980.

"The Scientific-Technological Revolution and Specialist Influence on Policymaking in Czechoslovakia," Conference on Eastern Europe in the 1980s, Institute for Sino Soviet Studies and the Department of State, Washington, D.C., April 1980.

"Women and Social Change: The East European Experience," Institute of East Central Europe, Columbia University, February 1980.

"Women and Socialism: Continuity and Change in the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe," Columbian College Women, The George Washington University, February 1980.

"Czechoslovakia 1968: Causes and Impact," Advanced Area Studies Seminar, the Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, Washington, D.C., December 1979.

"Demography, Political Reform, and Women's Issues in Czechoslovakia," 1979 Annual Meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, New Haven, October 1979.

"East European Views of West European Communist Parties," Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Western Europe, the Foreign Services Institute, US Department of State, Washington, D.C., October 1979.

"The PCI and Eastern Europe: Channels of Influence and Impact," 1979 Annual Meeting, Midwest Slavic Conference, Minneapolis, May 1979.

"The PCI and Current Politics in Italy," Inter-University Colloquium on the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe, Institute for Sino-Soviet Studies, the George Washington University, Washington, D.C., April 1979.

"Leninism, The PCI, and Democratic Politics in Italy," Conference on Marxism and the Contemporary West, Institute for Sino-Soviet Studies, the George Washington University, Washington, D.C., April 1979.

"Women and Politics in Eastern Europe," Workshop on Women and Politics, European Consortium for Political Research, Brussels, Belgium, April 1979.

Chair, "The Politics of Women's Employment: Comparative Perspectives," Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, April 1979.

"Socialism and Women in Czechoslovakia: Liberation or Mobilization?" 1978 Annual Meeting, Midwest Slavic Conference, Bloomington, Indiana, April 1978.

Commentator, "Czechoslovakia Ten Years After," Panel at the 1978 Annual Meeting, Midwest Slavic Conference, Bloomington, Indiana, April 1978.

"Women in Eastern Europe," Inter-University Colloquium on the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe, Institute for Sino-Soviet Studies, The George Washington University, Washington, D.C., February 1978.

"Women and the Communist Model of Development," Symposium on Women and Development, The University of Missouri at Columbia, April 1978.

"Ideology and Equality: The Status of Women in Eastern and Western Europe," American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, New York, September 1978.

"Communism in Western Europe," Foreign Affairs Interdepartmental Seminar of the Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, Washington, D.C., February 1978.

Commentator, "Eastern Europe: Old Issues, New Problems," Panel at the 1977 Annual Meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, Washington, D.C., October 1977.

"The Roles and Status of Women in Communist Czechoslovakia," Midwest Slavic Conference, Ann Arbor Michigan, May 1977.

"Communism East and West: The Implications of Eurocommunism for Eastern Europe," Conference on West European Communist Parties in Regional Institutions sponsored by the Department of State, Airlie House, Virginia, May 1977.

Commentator, "The New Europe," Panel at conference on Soviet Foreign Policy, American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, The Kennan Institute, Washington, D.C. February 1977.

#### **HONORS AND AWARDS:**

IERES, Research Assistance Grants, 2000-2023, 2024-2025

IERERS, Petrarch Endowment, Research grant to study high level corruption in Ukraine 2025

Research Initiative Grant, Elliott School of International Affairs, The George Washington University, to organize a workshop on mass protest in communist and Postcommunist Europe and Eurasia, and the Middle East/North Africa, the George Washington University in October 2013.

IERES, Faculty Travel Grant to travel to Stockholm to present a lecture and meet with Colleagues at the Swedish Institute for International Affairs, May 2012.

Summer Research Grant, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Smithsonian Institution, to investigate links between graduates of the color revolutions and popular protest in the Middle East and North Africa, May-June 2011.

IERES, Petrarch Endowment Travel grant to conduct research in Ukraine, May 2010.

Reagan-Fascell Democracy Fellowship, National Endowment for Democracy, September 2008 - January 2009.

Visiting Fellow, National Endowment for Democracy, February 2009.

Senior Residency, Villa Serbelloni, Rockefeller Foundation, Bellagio, Italy, August 2007.

IERES, Petrarch Endowment Travel grant to conduct research on the Orange Revolution in Ukraine, June 2007.

IERES, Hoffman Travel grant to conduct research on democratizing elections in postcommunist Europe and Eurasia, May 2009.

Smith-Richardson Foundation, grant with Valerie J. Bunce of Cornell University to conduct research on Democracy Promotion Through Electoral Revolutions, \$197,000, November 2005- November 2007.

International Center on Non-violent Conflict, grant with Valerie J. Bunce, Cornell University, to conduct research on Democracy Promotion through Electoral Revolutions, June 2004.

National Endowment for Democracy, grant with Zora Butorova and Olga Gyarfasova to conduct follow-up survey of citizen's political attitudes and values, \$25,000, 2003.

German Marshall Fund, grant to bring women activists and leaders to George Washington University, \$75,000, Washington, DC, May 2002.

Public Policy Fellow, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, to conduct research on the development of the party system in the Czech Republic and Slovakia, Washington, DC, January-July 1999.

IREX, Short term travel grant to conduct research on political parties in the Czech Republic and Slovakia, April 1999.

IERES, Hoffman Travel Grant to the Czech Republic and Slovakia, April 1999.

Public Policy Fellow, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, to conduct research on gender issues in the transition, Washington, D.C., January-July 1995.

IREX, Special Projects Grant to conduct a collaborative study of citizen attitudes toward democracy in the Czech and Slovak Republics with colleagues at STEM in Prague and FOCUS in Bratislava, June 1994, \$25,000.

John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation, Individual Research and Writing Grant to research role of women in the transition to post-communist rule in Central and Eastern Europe, 1992, \$60,000.

North-South Center, University of Miami Grant (with Jane S. Jaquette) for conference on women in the transitions in Latin America and Central/Eastern Europe, October 1992, \$46,000.

Everett Scholar-in-Residence, the Chautauqua Institution, August 1991.

Project Director, Foreign Language and Area Studies fellowships awarded by U.S. Department of Education under Title VI, August 1991 (three years), 1991-1992: \$59,678; 1992-1993: \$74,710; 1993-94: \$72,394; 1994-95: \$77,470; renewable for 1995-1996.

Project Co-director, grant to fund Undergraduate Exchange Program between The George Washington University and Charles University, Prague funded by the Samantha Smith Memorial Program of the United States Information Agency, 1991-92: \$30,000; 1992-93: \$50,000; 1993-94: \$64,000; 1994-95: \$70,000 1995-1996: \$65,000.

Guest Scholar, Ministry of Education, Bratislava, Slovakia, June 1990.

Guest Scholar, Institute for State and Law, Czechoslovak Academy of Sciences, Prague, Czechoslovakia, March 1990.

Grant from International Research and Exchanges Board to conduct research on the 1990 elections in Czechoslovakia, \$2,000.

Grant from the US Department of State for a conference on National Identities in Central and Eastern Europe, May 1990, \$5,000.

Research grant to study the impact of the Velvet Revolution on policymaking in Czechoslovakia, The George Washington University Committee on Research, March 1990.

Research grant to study the impact of *perestroika* on policymaking in Czechoslovakia, The George Washington University Committee on Research, March 1989.

Grant from the American Council of Learned Societies/Social Science Research Council Joint Committee on Eastern Europe to establish a position in East European History at The George Washington University, April 1986.

Research grant to study policymaking in Czechoslovakia, The George Washington University Committee on Research, March 1985.

Contract with the National Council for Soviet and East European Research to complete a study of specialist and professional influence on policy making in Czechoslovakia and Poland, with Jane L. Curry, Columbia University and Manhattanville, College; principal investigator, 1981-1983, \$39,430.

International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX), research fellowship to study the impact of specialists on policymaking in Prague, Czechoslovakia, June-August 1981.

Research grant to study specialists and professionals in policymaking in Eastern Europe, Institute for Sino-Soviet Studies, The George Washington University, Summers 1981 through 1984.

Grant from the Ford Foundation to add a comparative dimension to the conference on the Status of Women in Eastern Europe, April 1981, \$16,400.

Supplemental grant from the American Council of Learned Societies/Social Science Research Council for expenses related to the conference on the Status of Women in Eastern Europe, March 1981, \$5,982.

Collaborative grant from the International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX) to bring East European scholars to the conference on the Status of Women in Eastern Europe, February 1981, \$5,000.

Research grant to study relations among West European communists and East European communist parties, Institute for Sino-Soviet Studies, The George Washington University, 1980.

Research grant to study the communist parties of Italy, Spain and France and their relations with the USSR and Eastern Europe, The George Washington University Committee on Research, October 1979, February 1980, May 1980, October 1980.

Research grant to study the linkages between the Italian Communist Party and East European dissidents, Institute for Sino-Soviet Studies, The George Washington University, summer 1978 (Rome), Summer 1979.

Horace A. Rackham Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, The University of Michigan, 1976-77.

International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX), Research Fellowship for Dissertation Research, Czechoslovakia, 1974-75.

National Defense Foreign Languages Fellowship, The University of Michigan, 1972-73; 1973-74.

Phi Beta Kappa, 1970

#### **OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:**

Adjunct Chair (Contractor), Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State; Advanced Area Studies Seminar on the Caucasus, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State; Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Czechoslovakia, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State; Course Coordinator, Two Week Course on Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State: 1980-present in various formations, including Advanced Area Studies Seminar on Central Europe, August 2019

Reviewer, Applications for Senior Residencies, Rockefeller Foundation Bellagio Center for Scholars, December 2016, May 2017, December 2017, May 2018, December 2018; May 2019; December 2019.

Expert reviewer/rapporteur, UEFISCDI, Romanian Executive Agency for Higher Education, Research, Development and Innovation Funding, 2016.

Advisory Council, *Nations in Transit*, rankings review, Freedom House, January 2017.

Advisory Council, *Nations in Transit*, rankings review, Freedom House, February 2016.

Member, Advisory Board, Penn Kemble Fellows Program, National Endowment for Democracy, 2016, 2017

Expert Reviewer/Rapporteur, UEFISCDI, Romanian Research Grant Agency, 2016.

Member, Board of Directors, Friends of Slovakia

Member, Academic Exchanges Committee, Friends of Slovakia, 1998-2020

Chair, Academic Exchanges Committee, Friends of Slovakia, 2025-2020

Organizer, Webinar on Perspectives on Current Developments in Slovakia, Friends of

Slovakia, January 2020.

Co-Chair, Scholarship Committee, Friends of Slovakia, 1998-2019.

Co-Chair, Cultural and Educational Committee, Friends of Slovakia 1998-2019.

Member, Editorial Board, *International Affairs*, journal for the Slovak Foreign Policy Association, 2000-2015

Participant, Rankings Review Panel, *Nations in Transit*, Freedom House, February 2015.

Reviewer, applications for Residential Fellowships, Bellagio, Rockefeller Foundation, 2015

Reviewer, Report and Ratings for the Czech Republic for *Nations in Transit*, Freedom House, February 2014.

Participant, Rankings Review Panel, *Nations in Transit*, Freedom House, March 2014.

Reviewer, applications for Residential Fellowships, Bellagio, Rockefeller Foundation, December 2013.

Reviewer, applications for fellowships, Central and Eastern Europe Program, ACLS, February 2013.

Participant, Workshops on Transitions in Post-communist Europe, and the Arab Spring, National Endowment for Democracy, January, February 2013.

Organizer of Workshop on Mass Protest in Communist and Postcommunist Europe and Eurasia and in the Middle East and North Africa, GWU, October 2012.

Reviewer, applications for fellowship, Central and Eastern Europe Program, ACLS, February 2013.

Reviewer, Report and Ratings for the Czech Republic, for *Nations in Transit*, Freedom House, December 2012.

Reviewer, Applications for Senior Residencies, Rockefeller Foundation, Bellagio Center, December 2010, May 2011, December 2011, May 2012.

Reviewer, Report and Ratings for Slovakia, Czech Republic, Poland, and Hungary for *Nations in Transit*, Freedom House, November 2010.

External Evaluation, Institute of Sociology, Czech Academy of Science, November 2010.

Reviewer, Short Term Travel Grants, International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX), March 2010, March 2012.

Reviewer, Report and Ratings for Ukraine, Slovakia, the Czech Republic, Poland and Hungary, for *Nations in Transit*, Freedom House, March 2010.

Chair, Board of Directors, National Council for Eurasian and East European Research, May 2006 – May 2008.

Vice-Chair, Board of Directors, National Council for Eurasian and East European Research, May 2005- May 2006.

Member, Board of Directors, National Council for Eurasian and East European Research, 2000-2008.

Member, Selection Committee, National Council for Eurasian and East European Research, 2000-2008.

Member, Selection Committee, ACTR.

Member, Program Committee, American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies, 2001 Annual Meeting.

Member, Editorial Board, *Politicky revue*, Journal of the Czech Political Science Association.

Participant, USAID review of US assistance efforts to Central and Eastern Europe and Former Soviet Union.

Member, Center for Strategic and International Studies' Slovak Security and Foreign Policy Roundtable,  
Member, Humphrey Fellowship Selection Committee, 1995.  
Member, Selection Committee, Policy Research Fellowship, National Council for Eurasian and East European Research, March 2000, Feb. 2001, March 2004, March 2005.  
Member, Selection Committee, Fellowships, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, 1982-92, 1994, 2000.

Participant, Conference on the Velvet Revolution in Czechoslovakia, organized by the Cold War International History Project, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, National Security Archives, and the Institute for Contemporary History, Prague, October 1999.

Member, Program Committee, 1998 Meetings, American Political Science Association, 1996-1997.  
Member Committee on the Station of Women in the Profession, AAASS 1997-1999.  
Member, Advisory Committee, Cold War History Project, 1993-present.

Member, Board of Directors, Council for International Exchange of Scholars, and Chair, Committee on Eastern Europe, May 1991-May 1995.  
Member, Board of Directors, Network of East-West Women, March 1993-June 1996.

Member, Advisory Committee for U.S. Congress Joint Economic Committee study on East-Central Europe, June 1993- November 1994.  
Member, IREX Program Committee, September 1993-1996.  
Member, International Committee, Oak Ridge Associated Universities, May 1994-May 1996.  
Member Alumni Committee, IREX, March 1994-March 1997.  
Member, Advisory Committee on Post-Soviet projects, Women in International Security Studies, 1993-1995.  
Member, Editorial Board, *Problems of Post-Communism*, 1993-2008.

Evaluator, ACLS Constitutionalism in Central/Eastern Europe project, Pew Charitable Trusts, 1991-1996.  
Area Expert, Project on Interethnic Relations in Slovakia, CSIS, 1995.

Reviewer of manuscripts for *American Political Science Review*, *World Politics*, *Political Science Quarterly*, *Comparative Politics*, *Slavic Review*, *East European Politics and Society*, *Problems of Post-Communism*, *Comparative Political Studies*, *Perspectives on Politics*, *American Journal of Politics*, *Journal of Politics*, *Journal of Cold War Studies*, *Demokratizatsiya*, *EuropeAsia*, *Journal of Cold War History*, *Perspectives on Politics*, *Communist and Postcommunist Studies*, Stanford University Press, Cornell University Press, Central European University Press, University of Michigan Press, Cambridge University Press, Rowman and Littlefield, Temple University Press.  
Editorial board member, *KOSMAS*, 1995.  
Fellowship reader, CIES, Faculty Fulbright program, 1980-1984.  
Reader, National Science Foundation graduate traineeships, June 1994.  
Reviewer of fellowship applications for the MacArthur Foundation, 1995.  
Reviewer of grant applications, National Science Foundation, 1996.  
Discussant, Carnegie Endowment project on US assistance to Central Europe, April 1995

Briefing on Central Europe for staff of Richard Holbrook, Assistant Secretary of State for European and Canadian Affairs, May 1995.

Instructor, Curriculum Development Workshop, American Professional Schools of International Affairs (APSIA), Warsaw, January 1995.

Co-organizer, Conference on State-Building in Ukraine, IERES, The George Washington University, November 1994.

Consultant, National Geographic Society, article on Prague in the September 1993 issue of *National Geographic*.

Senior Scholar, Junior Scholar workshop, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, August 1993; 1994; 1995; 1996.

Panelist, IREX-Atlantic Council workshop on Communist Parties in Post-Communist States, April 1993.

Course Coordinator (Contractor), Advanced Area Studies Seminar on East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, 1992-93.

Co-organizer, Conference on Women in the Transitions in Latin America and Central/Eastern Europe, University of California, Berkeley, December 1992.

Coordinator, 2-week intensive area studies course on the Former Soviet Union and Central/Eastern Europe, Foreign Service Institute, US Department of State, June 1992.

Co-chair, Task Force on Czechoslovakia, The Atlantic Council, March 1990-March 1991.

Co-organizer, Workshop on Mass-Elite Relations in Central and Eastern Europe co-sponsored by Radio Free Europe and the Russian and East European Studies Program, Harrogate, England, July 1990.

Co-organizer, Conference on National Identities in Central and Eastern Europe co-sponsored by the U.S. Department of State and the Russian and East European Studies Program, the George Washington University, May 1990.

Chair, Search Committee for new Editor, *Women & Politics*, 1984-1985.

Reviewer of applications for funding of Title VI area studies centers, U.S. Department of Education, 1981, 1982, 1985, 1988.

Participant in orientation of exchange scholars, International Research and Exchanges Board, New York, 1979 and 1982.

Director, (Contractor), Czechoslovak Country Seminar, Advanced Area Studies Program for East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, U.S. Department of State, September 1982 to 1988.

Co-organizer of a conference on the Status of Women in Eastern Europe sponsored by the Joint Committee on Eastern Europe of the American Council of Learned Societies/ Social Science Research Council, the Ford Foundation, and the International Research and Exchanges Board, Washington, D.C., December 1981.

Co-organizer of a conference on Eastern Europe in the 1980s sponsored by the Institute for Sino-Soviet Studies and the U.S. Department of State, April 1980.

Member of the Editorial Board, *Women & Politics*, 1980-1988.

Book Review Editor, *Women & Politics, an Interdisciplinary Quarterly Journal of Research and Policy Studies*, 1980-1986.

Adjunct Chair, (Contractor) Advanced Area Studies Program for East Central Europe, Foreign Service Institute, U.S. Department of State, February 1980 to July 1982.

#### **SELECTED MEDIA APPEARANCES:**

Interviewed on NPR Morning Edition, Voice of America, Radio Free Europe, MacNeil-Lehrer News Hour, ABC News, German Public Radio, WNTR radio, CBC Nightwatch, ABC Nightline, C-Span, Voice of America TV.

## MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES:

American Political Science Association

American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies (now the Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies).

American Association of University Professors

Czechoslovak History Conference (now the Czechoslovak Studies Association).

Joint Research Group on Sex Roles and Politics of the European Consortium for Political Research

International Political Science Association

Section on Women and Politics, American Political Science Association

Slovak Studies Association

Association of Women in Slavic Studies

American Political Science Association:

Member, Professional Careers Committee, Women's Caucus for Political Sciences, 1985-1987.

Member, Helen Dwight Reid Award Committee, 1983.

Member, Textbook Evaluation Committee, Women's Caucus for Political Science, 1985-1988.

Member, Nominating Committee, Section for Women and Politics, 1987-1988.

Member, Program Committee, 1998 Annual Meeting. American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies:

Member, Board of Directors, Association of Women in Slavic Studies, 2002-2006

Member, Committee on Fundraising, AWSS, 2002-2004

Member, Committee on Mentoring, AWSS, 2004- 2006

Member, Program Committee, 2001, Annual Meeting.

Member, Nominating Committee, Slovak Studies Association, Spring 2000.

Member, Committee on the Status of Women in the Profession, 1999.

Member, Board of Directors, 1988-1990.

Chair, Committee on Students in the 1990s, 1989-1992.

Organizer, National Student Essay Contest, 1989-1992.

Member, Advisory Committee, American Bibliography of Slavic and East European Studies, 1987-1989.

Member, Distinguished Service Award Committee, 1987-1990.

Representative, Washington, D.C. Chapter, the Council of Regional Affiliates, 1985-1989.

Vice-Chair, Council of Regional Affiliates, 1986-1987.

Chair, Council of Regional Affiliates, 1988-1989.

Member, Committee on Central and Eastern Europe, 1989-1993.

Committee on Research, Women's Caucus, 1991-1995.

Member, Executive Council, Washington, D.C. Chapter, 1984-1995.

Vice President, Executive Council, Washington, D.C. Chapter, 1986-1987.

President, Washington, D.C. Chapter, 1987 to 1995.

Member, Local Arrangements Committee, 1990 Annual Meeting, D.C. Chapter.

Member, Arrangements Committee for the 1985 Annual Meeting

Member, Executive Committee, Czechoslovak History Conference, 1982-1988.