

Professional Record

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Present Appointment:

Professor of Urban Planning
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Rank & Tenure:

Professor of Urban Planning (with Tenure)
Department of Urban Studies and Planning

WSU Appointment History: Chair of the
Department of Geography and Urban Planning,
Sept. 1991 – August 1994; August 2005 – August
2014.

[Note: Department renamed *Urban Studies and
Planning*, August 2009]

Associate Dean of the College of Urban, Labor and
Metropolitan Affairs, August 1994 – Aug. 2005

Date and Place of Birth:

May 12, 1952
Glasgow, Scotland

Education:

University of Reading, Departments of Geography and Economics, 1974
Advisors: Professors Peter Hall and Michael Batty
Award: MSc Urban and Regional Planning Studies
Dissertation Topic: The Decline of the Private Rented Sector of the UK
Housing Market

Glasgow School of Art, Department of Planning, 1973
Award: Diploma in Planning (Iii)

Appointments at Other Institutions:

Visiting Professor, Melbourne School of Design, University of Melbourne,
Australia, Jan. - June 2015.

Visiting Professor, Fakultät Raumplanung, TU-Dortmund, Germany, Oct. –
Dec. 2014.

Head of Department, Center for Planning, University of Strathclyde (Glasgow,
UK), 1989-1991.

Senior Lecturer, Centre for Planning, University of Strathclyde, 1988-1991.

Lecturer, Department of Urban and Regional Planning, University of
Strathclyde (Tenure granted in 1978), 1976-1987.

Visiting Professor, Center for Energy and Urban Policy Research, College of
Urban Affairs and Public Policy, University of Delaware, 1985.

Research Associate, Department of Geography, University of Edinburgh,
1974-1976.

Professional Society Memberships:

American Planning Association
Michigan Planning Association
Urban Land Institute
Royal Town Planning Institute (UK) Member : 1978-2010

Honors and Awards:

AIA Detroit: Charles Blessing Award for Leadership in Civic Issues, Detroit
September, 2013

CLAS Travel Award, Leipzig, Germany May, 2012

CLAS Travel Award, Wuhan, China, October, 2009

WSU Office of the Provost and VP for Academic Affairs, Globalization Travel Award, 2004 (Netherlands and Denmark)

WSU Office of the Provost and VP for Academic Affairs, Globalization Travel Award, 2002 (UK)

WSU Office of the Provost and VP for Academic Affairs, Curriculum Globalization Award, 1999/2000

WSU President's Award for Services to the University, 1998

WSU President's Bonus Award for Services to City of Detroit Empowerment Zone application process, 1995

Chair, Conference Planning Committee, Annual Meeting of the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, Detroit, 1995

Visiting Lecturer: Jiao Tong University, Xi'an and Tong Ji University, Shanghai, Peoples Republic of China, 1989

Visiting Scholarship, University of Delaware, January-September, 1985

Salzburg Fellow, Salzburg Seminar on American Studies, Austria, February, 1984

Nuffield Foundation Award for Research in the Social Sciences, October-November, 1982

Elected, *Member of the Royal Town Planning Institute* (UK), 197

TEACHING

Years at Wayne State:

Since January 1992

Years at Other Colleges/Universities

University of Strathclyde, UK, 16 years

University of Western Ontario, Canada, 1993 – 2000 (p/t)

Courses Taught

1. *Undergraduate*

Planning Theory
Comparative Urban Politics
Local Planning Practice

2. *Graduate (current)*

Resources and Communication in Planning (UP 5010)
Urban Planning Process (UP 5110 -- **MUP core introductory course**)
Historic Preservation and Economic Development (UP 5999)
Art and Local Economic Development (UP 5999)
Contemporary Planning in a Global Context (UP 5999)
International Study Tours (UK, 2002; Holland/Denmark, 2004)
Comparative Planning Policy (US and Europe) (UP 6100)
The Empowerment Zone and other Urban Initiatives (UP 6400)
State, Regional and Urban Economic Development (UP 6550)
Local Economic Development: Implementation and Finance (UP 6570)
Planning and Decision Theory (UP 7010)
Projects in Urban Planning (team-taught capstone course) (UP 7700)
Development Processes (UK)
Urban Policy (UK)
MS and PhD Thesis and Dissertation Supervision

3. *Graduate Professional*

Local Economic Strategy
Privatism and Public Policy

RESEARCH

Funded Research (current and past 10 years)

Taxicab Services and Mobility in SE Michigan (2016, Metropolitan Detroit Convention and Visitors Bureau, \$35,000).

Moving to Opportunity: U-Haul's Local Economic Impact and Contributions to Local and Regional Economies (U-Haul International, 2015-ongoing, with Professor Rayman Mohamed, \$104,000 for 2nd phase)

Adaptive Re-use of Historic Industrial Buildings (U-Haul International, 2012-2014, with Professor Rayman Mohamed, \$17,500 for initial phase)

Study of a Scheduled Passenger Transportation Link: DTW to Downtown Detroit (2012/2013, Metropolitan Detroit Convention and Visitors Bureau, \$25,000).

Detroit's Political Landscape (2010 – 2011)

“From Crisis to Opportunity: An Investigation of Detroit's Public Leadership, Policy, Systems and Engagement Movements”, with University of Detroit Mercy; tasks coordinated through Working Partnerships of California. (\$15, 000)

Transforming Transportation Initiative (2010 - 2011) in collaboration with the WSU Departments of Anthropology and Communications and others from UoM and MSU. Funding for exploratory working meetings from the URC (University Research Corridor).

Aging in Place - Re-Engineering Places for the Elderly: The Metro Detroit Case Study (2007- 2010, Berman Foundations, \$38, 000)

Arts and Economic Development: A Pilot Community Resource Database (2005-08 Van Dusen Endowment, \$12, 000; Berman Foundations, \$25,000).

Development Opportunities Intelligence -- An Assessment (2004-2005, MSU Land Policy Program Pilot Grant, \$8, 000).

PUBLIC SERVICE (HIGHLIGHTS) + KEY WSU ENGAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

Co-Director, (then Faculty Advisor) Detroit Revitalization Fellows Program (2010 -) funded by Kresge, Hudson-Webber, Skillman and Ford Foundations. Funding: 2011-2013: \$3.65 Million; 2013-2015: \$3.25 Million; notification of two further rounds: \$5.5 Million
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Commissioner - *Greening of Detroit* 2012 - (Chair (2012 – 2015 of Green Infrastructure Committee)

Juror, Inaugural *Detroit Free Press* Green Leaders Award, April 2010; repeated in 2011

Member of WSU President's Task Force on Urban Engagement, Research and Education, 2008/9

Co-Director of WSU President's Midtown Initiative, 2008-2012

WSU Representative on CEOs' For Cities, 2008-2012

Co-Chair, *Urban Land Institute* (Detroit Chapter), 2007-2010; continuing Committee member

Member, Board, *Michigan Suburbs Alliance/Metro Matters*, 2007 -

Member, *Golden Spike Committee* (TOD initiative sponsored by Michigan Suburbs Alliance), 2006 – 2008

Member, *City of Birmingham Planning Board*, 2004 – (Chair, 2006 – 2014)

Member of Product Development Team, *Tourism Economic Development Council (Detroit Visitors and Convention Bureau)* , 2005 – 2009

Member, *General Motors Local Economic Conference Planning Committee*, 2004-2005

Co-chair of *Urban Land Institute* (Detroit Chapter) program planning committee 2002 – 2007

Chair, Local Host Committee for annual meeting of the *Urban Affairs Association*, Detroit, April 2001

Member, *Urban Land Institute* (Detroit Chapter) *Governing Board*, and member of program planning committee, 2002 –

PUBLICATIONS

Scholarly Books :

Barnekov, Timothy, Robin Boyle and Daniel Rich, (1989) *Privatism and Urban Policy in Britain and the United States*. Oxford/New York, Oxford University Press. (Japanese language edition published 1994)

Keating, Michael and Robin Boyle, (1986) *Remaking Urban Scotland: Strategies for Local Economic Development*. Edinburgh, Edinburgh University Press.

Chapters (sole author) :

Boyle, Robin (1990) Regeneration in Glasgow: Stability, Collaboration and Inequity, in, Dennis Judd and Michael Parkinson (eds.) *Leadership and Urban Regeneration*. Urban Affairs Annual Reviews. Newbury Park, CA, Sage Publications: 109-132

Boyle, Robin (1989) Whose Responsibility? - Analyzing Contemporary Urban Policy in Scotland, in, Alice Brown and David McCrone (eds.) *Scottish Government Yearbook 1989*. Edinburgh, Unit for the Study of Government in Scotland: 173-190.

Boyle, Robin (1988) Private Sector Urban Regeneration: The Scottish Experience, in, Michael Parkinson, Bernard Foley and Dennis Judd (eds) *Regenerating the Cities: The UK Crisis and the American Experience*. Manchester, Manchester University Press: 74-92.

Boyle, Robin (1988) The Price of Private Planning: A Review of Urban Planning Policy in Scotland, in, David McCrone and Alice Brown (eds.) *Scottish Government Yearbook 1988*. Edinburgh, Unit for the Study of Government in Scotland: 183-199.

Boyle, R.M. (1982) Politics and Planning: the search for a theory of influence, in, P. Healey et al. (eds.) *Planning Theory: Prospects for the 1980s*. Oxford, Pergamon: 120-140.

Chapters (co-authored) :

Boyle, Robin and Robert Mehregan (2016) The Evolution of City-wide Master Plans in the Context of Urban Shrinkage, in Wagner, F., Mahayni, R and Piller, A.G (eds.) *Transforming Distressed Global Communities*. Burlington, VT, Ashgate Publishing: 73-100.

Boyle, Robin and Melanie Piana (2007) Rebuilding Suburban Detroit: Redevelopment Ready Communities, in *Managing Urban Land – Towards More Effective Brownfield Revitalization Policies*. Dessau, Federal Environmental Agency Germany: 413-422.

Reed, Peter and Robin Boyle (1993) Glasgow: City on Water, in Rinio Bruttomesso (ed) *Waterfronts: A New Frontier for Cities on the Water*. Venice, International Centre For Cities on Water: 96 - 105.

Boyle, Robin and Peter Booth (1993) See Glasgow, See Culture, in F. Bianchini and M. Parkinson (eds) *Cultural policy and urban regeneration - The West European experience*. Manchester, Manchester University Press: 21 - 47.

Bennett, Robert T.; Robin Boyle; Michael Keating and John Sellgren (1988) Administrative Agencies for Managing Adaptation to Changes in Economic Structure in the UK, in Gérard Marcou (ed) *L'aménagement du territoire et les pouvoirs locaux et régionaux face aux mutations économiques*. Bruxelles, Institut International des Sciences Administratives: 120-152.

Journal Articles :

Refereed Journals

Boyle, Robin and Marlynne Powell (2008) Aging in Place ; Are Planners Prepared? *Planning and Zoning News*, 26(11): 13-16. (NB: editorial board review process)

Boyle, Robin (2008) Comment on Planning Education Forum. *Town Planning Review*, 79(1): 110 - 113.

Boyle, Robin and Rayman Mohamed (2007) State Growth Management, Smart Growth, and Urban Containment: A Review of the U.S. and a Study of the Heartland. *Journal of Environmental Planning and Management*, 50(5): 677-697.

Boyle, Robin (2003) Comment on RTPI Education Commission's Report on Planning Education). *Town Planning Review*, 74 (4): 354 - 358.

Boyle, Robin (2002) US Reaction to UK Research Assessment Exercise (RSA). *Town Planning Review*, 73 (3): 356 - 358.

Boyle, Robin (1995) Empowerment Zones -- Picking the Winners. *Economic Development Quarterly*, 9 (3): 207 - 211.

Boyle, Robin (1993) Changing Partners: The Experience of Urban Economic Policy in West Central Scotland 1980-1990. *Urban Studies*, 30 (2): 309 - 324.

Boyle, Robin (1993) Comment for Policy Forum on Urban Policy in the 1990s. *Town Planning Review*, 64 (1): 325 - 327.

Boyle, Robin (1993) Viewpoint: The 1992 Presidential Election and the Prospects for Urban America. *Town Planning Review*, 64 (1) iii - vii.

Boyle, Robin and Peter Meyer (1990) Editors of Special Issue: Local Economic Development in the USA. *Local Economy*, 4 (4).

Boyle, Robin (1989) Partnership in Practice: An assessment of public-private collaboration in urban regeneration - a study of Glasgow Action. *Local Government Studies*, 15 (2): 17-28.

Boyle, Robin (1988) "Enterprise Scotland -- the American Connection. Fraser of Allander Institute *Quarterly Economic Commentary*, 14 (2): 64-66.

Boyle, Robin (1987) Urban Initiatives in Scotland: Measuring the Tartan Factor. *The Planner*, 73 (6): 27-30.

Boyle, Robin (1985) The Urban Lottery: the implications of urban economic development in the USA. *Journal of the Town and Country Planning Association*, Dec.: 368-370.

Boyle, Robin (ed.) (1985) Leveraging Urban Development: a comparison of urban policy directions and programme impact in the United States and Britain. *Policy and Politics*, 13 (2): 175-210.

Boyle, Robin (1985) UDAG: The Urban Development Action Grant. *Policy and Politics*, 13 (2): 179-190.

Boyle, Robin and Daniel Rich (1984) Urban Policy and the New Privatism in the United States and Britain. *Public Administration Bulletin*, No. 45: 22-36.

Boyle, Robin (1983) Privatising Urban Problems: A Commentary on Anglo-American Urban Policy. *Studies in Public Policy*, 117.

Boyle, R.M. (1983) Linwood: Government and the Motor Car Industry in Scotland. *Regional Studies*, 17 (1): 49-52.

Boyle, R.M. and U.A. Wannop (1982) Area Initiatives and the SDA: The Rise of the Urban Project. Fraser of Allander Institute, *Quarterly Economic Commentary*, 8 (1): 45-57.

Boyle, R.M. and J.M. Brand (1981) Public Participation: the Spirit and the Practice. *Scottish Planning Law and Practice*, No. 3: 36-37.

Boyle, R.M. (1980) EIP's: Scottish Practice Reviewed. *Journal of the Royal Town Planning Institute*, 66 (3): 73-76.

Non-Refereed Journals

Boyle, Robin (2000) Definitions Collide About New Urbanism – A Response. *Real Estate Journal*, February 14.

Boyle, Robin (1999) Detroit, USA. *Urban Age - The Global City Magazine*, Vol 6 (4): 12/22.

Boyle, Robin (1990) Property and Economic Development - A Critique. *Edinburgh Economic and Employment Review*, 2 (3): 18-19.

Commentary - Print and Electronic Media

Frequent contributor to local newspapers: *Detroit Free Press* and *Detroit News*; quoted in national press: *New York Times*, *Wall Street Journal* and *Washington Post*. Radio/TV commentary: *WDET*, *WJR*, *Channel 4 TV*, *Channel 7 TV* and *Fox TV* (all Detroit), *NPR* (national) and numerous international radio, TV and wire services.

Book Reviews :

1998 - The Origins of the Urban Crisis by Thomas Sugrue, in the *Journal of Urban Affairs*, 20 (3): 355-357, 1998.

1998 - European Union Spatial Policy and Planning by R.H. Williams, in the *Journal of Planning Education and Research*, 17 (3): 279-280, 1998.

1989 - The Uncertain Future of the Urban Core by Christopher Law, in *Town Planning Review*, 1989.

1988 - Managing the City: The Aims and Impacts of Urban Policy edited by Brian Robson, in *Urban Studies*, 25 (6): 543-544, 1988.

1987 - New Roles for Old Cities, edited by Edgar Rose, in *Town Planning Review*, 58 (2), 1987.

1986 - Local Authorities and the Creation of Employment by R. Chandler and P. Lawless, in *Regional Studies*, 20 (3), 1986.

1985 - Rebuilding America's Cities: Roads to Recovery, edited by P.R. Porter and D.C. Sweet, in *Town Planning Review*, 56 (3): 391-392, 1985.

1980 - Orkney Uranium and the Planning Process: a case study, in *Scottish Planning Law and Practice*, No 1, pp. 22-23, 1980.

Other Publications and Reports :

Tangari, Joe; Robin Boyle and Rayman Mohamed (2013) *The Triple Bottom Line Impacts of U-Haul's Adaptive Reuse of Historic Industrial Buildings: Building the Context for a Case Study*. Department of Urban Studies and Planning, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI

Boyle, Robin and Noah Urban (2013) *A Study of a Scheduled Passenger Transportation Link Between the Wayne County International Airport and Downtown Detroit*. Metropolitan Detroit Convention and Visitors Bureau, Detroit, MI.

Working Partnerships [Various Authors] (2011) *Mo(vement) Town: Building Civic Engagement in the Detroit Region*. Detroit Collaborative Design Center, University of Detroit Mercy/Ford Foundation.

Boyle, Robin and Marc Stec (2007) *Improving Land and Property Market Intelligence to Assist Inner-Suburban Revitalization*. People and Land Program, Michigan State University.

Boyle, Robin and Peter Zeiler (1999) *The Detroit Empowerment Zone: Interim Outcomes Assessment – 2nd Field Report*. Report to Abt Associates, Cambridge, Mass.

Boyle, Robin, Michael Montgomery and Angela Zemboj (1998) . *The Detroit Empowerment Zone: Interim Outcomes Assessment - Baseline Conditions Report*. Report to Abt Associates, Cambridge, Mass.

Boyle, Robin, Michael Montgomery and Jeff Horner (1996/97) *Assessment of the EZ/EC Initiative*. 3 Reports to the Rockefeller Institute of Government, SUNY Albany, NY.

Boyle, Robin, Kurt Metzger and Jeff Horner (1995) *Metropolitan Detroit - Working and Middle Class Neighborhoods*. A Report for the Urban Neighborhoods Study Group, Rockefeller Institute of Government, SUNY Albany, NY.

Boyle, Robin, et.al. (1994) *Making Communities Safer : A Design Guide for Reducing Crime in Neighborhoods*. A poster produced for the Urban Safety Program, WSU.

Boyle, Robin; Adrian Healey; and Ivan Turok (1992) *Getting People in Employment: Final Report to Scottish Enterprise*.

Booth, Peter; Robin Boyle; and Jean Forbes (1991) *The Dunvegan Study: Final Report to Macleod Estate and the Highlands and Islands Development Board*.

Boyle, Robin assisted by Peter Booth, Nicky Morrison, Tony Ramsay and Urlan Wannop (1989) *Glasgow Regeneration Project: Reference Cities Research - A Report to the SDA*. Centre for Planning, University of Strathclyde.

Boyle, Robin; Jean Forbes; Tony Martin and Michael Pacione (1989) *Glasgow Regeneration Project: Metropolitan Area Review - A Report to the SDA*. Centre for Planning University of Strathclyde.

McGilvray, James and Robin Boyle (1988) *Evaluation of Regional Policy Instruments within the Framework of EC Monetary Union*. Department of Economics, University of Strathclyde.

Boyle, Robin and Bob Lamb (1988) *The 1988 Glasgow International Jazz Festival. Market Research - A Report of Survey*. University of Strathclyde.

Boyle, Robin (1988) *City Action Teams and Task Forces. LEDIS Overview Series*, Planning Exchange, Glasgow.

Boyle, Robin and Colin Donnelly (1984) *Barrows Development Appraisal: Report to the Barrows Enterprise Trust*. University of Strathclyde.

Boyle, R.M. and J.M. Brand (1982) *Local Plans, Area Management and Public Involvement in GEAR: Report to Professor Wannop*. University of Strathclyde.

Boyle, R.M. (1981) *Planning Policy in Scottish Local Government: the influence of politicians and professionals*. End of Grant Report (No. 5668) to SSRC.

Boyle, R.M. and R.A. O'Leary (1980) *Clydebank 1978*. Glasgow, Urban and Regional Development Unit.

Boyle, R.M. and C.E. Chulvick (1979) *Application of Computer Techniques to Information Systems for Planning*. Edinburgh, Scottish Development Department.

PAPERS PRESENTED (2015-2000)

Invited and/or Refereed Internationally or Nationally

Making Sense of the Metropolis - Three Narratives from Three Continents. *Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning Annual Meeting*, Houston, TX, November, 2015.

The Evolution of City-wide Master Plans in the Context of Urban Shrinkage. 5th *AESOP/ACSP Joint Congress*, Dublin, Ireland, July, 2013

Post Industrial Detroit - what role for a [new] music industry? *Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning Annual Meeting*, Cincinnati, OH, November, 2012.

Urban Philanthropy – Analyzing a New Activist Agenda. *Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning Annual Meeting*, Minneapolis, MN, November, 2010

On the Theme of The Empty City

Based around the Detroit’s “resizing issue” and the scale of vacant land Speaking engagements as follows:

Talking to an Empty City. Media of the Metropolis, *Weimar University, Weimar, Germany*, May 2012
Portland State University, Portland, Oregon, December 2010
OTB, Delft University of Technology, Delft, Netherlands, November 2010
University of Strathclyde, Glasgow, Scotland, November 2010
University of Glasgow, Glasgow, Scotland, November 2010
Utrecht, Netherlands, August 2010

Liveable Communities – Making it Happen. *Michigan Society of Gerontology*, Lansing, Mi., November 2009.

Cities in the USA – The Planning Agenda. *Wuhan Planning and Design Institute (WPDI), International Symposium*, Wuhan, China, October 2009.

The Corporate Region. *Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning*, Washington DC, October 2009.

Community Impact of Aging in Place. *Urban Affairs Association*, Chicago, March 2009

The Challenge of an Aging Society. (with Marlynne Powell) *Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning/AESOP Joint Congress*. Chicago, July 2008.

Making Music, Again: Detroit’s New Music Industry – Fact of Fiction ? *Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning*, Milwaukee, October 2007.

Rebuilding Suburban Detroit: Redevelopment Ready Communities (with Melanie Piana). *Revit & Cabernet 2007 (2nd International Conference on Managing Land)*, Stuttgart, Germany, April 2007.

Learning from New Orleans – The Condition of the American City.
Keynote Address - *Transatlantic Association Annual Meeting*, Dundee
Scotland, June 2006.

When the Chips are Down: Evaluating the Impact of Casinos in Urban
Centers. *Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning*, Kansas City,
October 2005.

Improving Land and Property Market Intelligence to Assist Inner-
Suburban Revitalization. Land Policy Program - 2005 *Michigan Land Use
Summit*, Lansing, Mi, May 2005.

Full of Emptiness: The Impact of Land and Property Vacancy in Detroit,
Michigan. *Urban Affairs Association*, Salt Lake City, Utah, April 2005:

Detroit's Gamble: Lessons Learned . Cleveland State University , *Levin
College Colloquium*, February 2005.

Liveable Communities – What makes them Liveable? *Association of
Collegiate Schools of Planning*, Portland, Oregon, October 2004:

Schools, Planning and Development – a position paper. *Association of
European Schools of Planning (AESOP)*, Volos, Greece, July 2002.

Central City Rebound ? Retail Investment in Metropolitan America.
Geddes Center Conference, University of Dundee, Dundee, Scotland,
April 2002.

Schools, Planning and Community Tension – Dearborn Michigan.
Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, Cleveland, November,
2001.

Planning Models in Comprehensive Economic Development (with Laura
Reese). *Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning*, Cleveland,
November, 2001.

The U.S Empowerment Zone Program – The Evolution of a National
Urban Program and the Failure of Local Implementation in Detroit,
Michigan (co-authored with Peter Eisinger). *European Urban Research
Association*, Copenhagen, Denmark, May 2001.

Grading the Zone – The Impact of the Empowerment Zone on Distressed
Cities – Lessons from Detroit, Michigan (Co-authored with Michael
Montgomery). *Urban Affairs Association*, Detroit, April 2001.

Imagining the Impossible - Planning for Central City Decline. *Association
of Collegiate Schools of Planning*, Atlanta, November, 2000.

The School at the Heart of the Community – A Case Study of Urban Planning and School Size. *Urban Affairs Association*, Los Angeles, May 2000.

TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS (recent)

WSU in Midtown – An Anchor Institution. *Media Issue Group Seminar*, Westin Book Cadillac, Detroit, May 2010.

Separating Space – 50 Years of Urban Policy and Planning in Detroit. *Portland Study Group*, March, 2010.

The State of the Cities. *Annual Address in the city of Troy*. Troy, Mi., March 2010.

Making the 21st Century Suburb. *Metropolitan Detroit Convention and Visitors Bureau Destination District Symposium*. Cranbrook, Mi. March 2009.

Reflections on Dysfunction: A City Full of Emptiness. *MiHelp Symposium on Rescuing Cities*. Detroit, Mi, November 2008. (co-organizer of event)

Industry Opportunities in an Aging Society. *Michigan Economic Development Association (MEDA)*, Annual Meeting, Boyne Falls, Mi, August 2008.

Remaking our Cities: the challenge of the century and the role of professional organizations. *Jackson Citizens for Economic Growth*, Jackson, Mi., July 2008.

Sustainable Cities. *Community Outreach Committee, Detroit Athletic Club*, Detroit, Mi, June, 2008.

“Eds. And Meds.”: The Role of Anchors Institutions in Urban Revitalization. *Brownfields 2008*, Detroit, Mi. May 2008. (Chair of the Transactions Forum).

Sustainability Urban Districts . *Model D Seminar*, Detroit, Mi, March 2008.

Put your Hands Up For Detroit: Music and Economic Development : A Case Study of Detroit. *Annual Meeting of National Heritage Centers*, Detroit, Mi, July 2007.

PAPERS PRESENTED (Earlier: 1999-1994)

Invited and/or Refereed Internationally or Nationally

Urban Education: A Review of Urban Education Issues in Selected Cities. *Competitive Cities Workshop*, Glasgow UK, November 1999.

Schools, Planning and Neighborhood Development -- Finding Bridges Between Policy Communities : A Case Study of School Size. *Association of European Schools of Planning (AESOP)*, Bergen, Norway, July 1999.

Traditional Neighborhood Design and New Urbanism: Theory Meets Real World Markets (with Peter Zeiler) *Urban Affairs Association*, Louisville, Kentucky, April 1999.

Progress with School-to-Work: The Highland Park Study Great Lakes Economic Development Annual Meeting, Cleveland, Ohio, October 1998.

The Circus Comes to Town - A Critical Assessment of Processes Involved in Neotraditional Urban Planning. *Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning*, Fort Lauderdale, November, 1997.

Cities: If They Would Just Go Away! A report card on urban America during the 1993-1996 Clinton Administration. *Association of European Schools of Planning*, (AESOP), Nijmegen, May 1997.

Arts and Entertainment as a Strategy of Urban Revitalization -- A Review of Detroit, MI, Birmingham and Sheffield, England (with Alan DeGaetano and Paul Lawless). *Urban Affairs Association*, Toronto, March 1997.

The Methodology of Neotraditional Urban Planning : Much Ado About Something (with Heidi Hannan). *Urban Affairs Association*, Toronto, March 1997.

The Feminization of Urban Planning and Community Development (with Laura Reese and Colleen Croxhall), *Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning/Association of European Schools of Planning*, Toronto, July 1996.

Planning Theory and Positive Action (with Susan Turner), *Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning/Association of European Schools of Planning*, Toronto, July 1996.

New Urban Institutions: City Governance and the Retreat of Public Policy. (with Paul Lawless), *Urban Affairs Association*, New York, March 1996.

A Special Panel on School-to-Work-Opportunities, Panel Designer and Moderator, *Urban Affairs Association*, New York, March 1996.

Insights from the Empowerment Zone Cities -- Notes from Detroit. *American Political Science Association*, Chicago, Ill, September 1995.

Planning, Policy and U.S. Urban Universities. *9th Congress of Association of European Schools of Planning (AESOP)*, University of Strathclyde, Glasgow, Scotland, August, 1995.

Community Outreach Partnership Centers -- First Steps : Panel Designer and Moderator, *Urban Affairs Association*, Portland, OR, May, 1995.

Community Revitalization : Panel Designer and Moderator, *Third Conference of Metropolitan/Urban Universities*, University of Arkansas at Little Rock, March, 1995.

Violent Cities - Crime and Urban Policy in Detroit, Michigan and Glasgow, Scotland, *Comparative Urban Policy Conference*, School for Advanced Urban Studies, University of Bristol, England, July 1994.

Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design, *Urban Affairs Association*, New Orleans, March, 1994.

Land Use Policies in Europe, University of Maryland at College Park, February, 1994

UNIVERSITY SERVICE (in addition to current appointments)

Recent Activity:

Co-organizer, with WSU Chief of Staff, of "The New Economy: the university as a catalyst for urban development." Joint WSU/ULI Conference, October, 2008.

Member of WSU Mid-Town Cluster Group, Urban Task Force Initiative, President Jay Noren. Fall, 2008.

Member of Planning Accreditation Board, Site Visit Panel: Team Member for review of Virginia Commonwealth University, October 2008.

External Reviewer of the Center for Urban and Regional Affairs (CURA), University of Minnesota, Twin-Cities, September 2008.

Administrative Appointments at Wayne State

Chair: Department of Urban Studies and Planning (in CLAS), August 2005 – 2014

Acting Director, Center for Urban Studies, October–December, 2002

Temporary Interim Chair, Department of Geography and Urban Planning, September, August 1999 - 2001

Associate Dean, College of Urban, Labor and Metropolitan Affairs (CULMA), August 1996 - 2005

Interim Associate Dean, College of Urban, Labor and Metropolitan Affairs (CULMA), September 1994 - July 1996

Chair: Department of Geography and Urban Planning, September, 1991- August 1994

B. Administrative Appointments at Other College/University

Member, Governing Board of Graduate School of Environmental Studies, University of Strathclyde, 1990-91

External Examiner (BA Hons Town and Country Planning), University of Newcastle upon Tyne, 1989-1993

Headship of the Centre for Planning, University of Strathclyde, 1989-1991

External Examiner (Urban Planning Implementation), Polytechnic of Central London, 1989-1992

Member, Faculty Academic Staff Review Panel, University of Strathclyde, 1989-91

Coordinator of EEC ERASMUS Program, Centre for Planning, University of Strathclyde; Preparatory Grant Visits completed in 1987; Student Mobility Grants (6) awarded for 1988-89 concerning environmental planning education in Spain (Madrid) and Portugal (Aveiro)

Member of Faculty Board, University of Strathclyde, 1982-84; 1987-1989; ex officio 1989-1991

Course Director: MSc/Dip in Urban Development, Centre for Planning,
University of Strathclyde, 1985-1989

Committee Assignments at WSU

University (WSU) Committee Membership:

Member of Search Cttee. for the Coleman A. Young Chair of Urban Affairs
2011-2013-2104
Member of College of Engineering Academic Program Review, 2011
Co-Chair of Sustainability Committee, WSU President's Environmental
Initiative, Nov. 2006 – 2013
Member of WSU Provost's CULMA Review Committee, 2004/2005
WSU South Village Review Committee. Completed work, September 2004
Co-chair of CULMA/ISP Transition Taskforce 2001
Member of WSU Master Plan Committee 1999-2001
Member of Deans Council – Global Forum 1999-2003
Member of Graduate School Subcommittee on WSU Research Initiatives
1996-1998
Member of Graduate Council Subcommittee on Interdisciplinary Graduate
Research and Education, 1995

College/Department Committees Chaired:

Chair of CLAS Review of Director of Labor@Wayne, 2014
Chair, Dept. of Philosophy Chair Search, 2011
Chair of CLAS Review of Department of Anthropology, 2006
Co-chair of CULMA Urban Research Seminar Series, 1994-1995 -1996
Chairperson of CULMA Coordinate Faculty Workshop, 1992-1993
Chairperson of Department Search Committee, 1993-1994
Chairperson of Department Search Committee, 1992-1993

College/Department Committee Membership:

GUP/DUSP search Committee 2006-2007, 2009, 2010
CULMA Search Committee, 1996-97
CULMA Search Committee, 1995-96
CULMA Search Committee, 1994-95
CULMA Search Committee, 1993-94
CULMA Search Committee, 1992-93
CULMA Curriculum Committee, 1992-93

Positions Held in Professional Associations in Last Five Years

Elected member of the Governing Board of the US Urban Affairs Association (UAA), 2007 - 2013

Member, Planning Committee, 4th ACSP/AESOP Congress, Chicago, 2008

Elected (Midwest Representative) to Executive Committee of the Association of the Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP), 2002- 2006

Co-Chair for the 3rd AESOP/ACSP Congress, Leuven, Belgium, 2003

Chair of Local Host Committee for Urban Affairs Association Annual Conference, Detroit, 2001

Member, Conference Committee of the [US] Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP)

Site Chair for ACSP Conference, Detroit, 1995

PROFESSIONAL CONSULTATION

Consulting to Public Agencies, Foundations, Professional Associations

The Detroit Model. *Client:* A Report to Abt Associates, Cambridge. MA, 1997.

Glasgow: A Report Card, with Joan Gordon. *Client:* Glasgow Development Agency, 1991

Getting People into Employment, with Ivan Turok and Roger Tym and Partners. *Client:* Scottish Enterprise. 1991-1992.

Alternative Partnership Models, with Dr. Ivan Turok. *Client:* Scottish Development Agency - Forth Valley, 1991

Implementing Scottish Enterprise: the Local Enterprise Companies (LECs), in association with the Keith Hayton, the Fraser of Allander Institute (SU) and Cousins Stephens. *Clients:* Forth Valley LEC, Renfrewshire LEC, and Glasgow Development Agency, 1990

Dunvegan Estate Development Plan, with colleagues from the Centre - preparation of economic strategy for the estate and village. *Clients:* Highlands and Islands Development Board and MacLeod Estate, 1990

European/US Reference Cities Study, with colleagues from the Centre - analyzing urban regeneration policies in selected countries and cities. *Client:* Scottish Development Agency, 1989

Glasgow Metropolitan Area Review, with colleagues from the Centre and University. *Client*: Scottish Development Agency, 1989

International Jazz Festival, with Bob Lamb - market research and economic impact study of the 2nd Glasgow Jazz Festival. *Clients*: Jazz Festival Ltd and Glasgow Action, 1988

Waterfront Renewal: Govan in Glasgow. Economic consultant to a multi-professional team examining the potential for major urban renewal. *Client*: Scottish Development Agency/Developer, 1988.

JOURNAL/EDITORIAL ACTIVITY

Editorial Board Memberships

US Contributing Editor, RTPI Library Series, 2000 - 2004

Editorial Board Member, *Town Planning Review*, 1996 - 2008.

Associate Editor (USA), *Space and Polity*, 1996 - 2009.

Co-editor for Book Reviews, *Government and Policy* (Environment and Planning C), 1995 - 1998

US Advisory Board Member, *Regional Studies* (UK) 1989 - 1998