

Curriculum Vita: Thomas Kerlin Park

Chronology of Education

University of Wisconsin - Madison

Ph.D. Anthropology and History 1983

M.A. Agricultural Economics 1982

M.A. Anthropology 1977

McGill University, Montreal, Canada

B.A. 1st Class Honors in Anthropology and Philosophy 1974

University of Bergen, Norway

Studied Anthropology 1971-2

Thesis: Administration and the Economy: Morocco 1880 to 1980. The case of Essaouira. 592pp.

Ph.D. thesis in

Anthropology and History, (Directed by Aidan W. Southall and Jan Vansina) University of Wisconsin-Madison.

Employment

1992-> Associate Professor of Anthropology, Department of Anthropology and Associate Research

Social Scientist, Bureau of Applied Research in Anthropology; University of Arizona.

1986-1992 Assistant Professor of Anthropology, Department of Anthropology and Assistant Research Social

Scientist, Bureau of Applied Research in Anthropology; University of Arizona.

Summer 1990 Faculty Associate, Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Harvard University.

1990-> Member Core Consulting Faculty, Land Tenure Center, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Spring 1986 Visiting Assistant Professor, Land Tenure Center, University of Wisconsin-Madison

1984 - 1985 Project Coordinator for research on land tenure in Mauritania. Land Tenure Center, University of

Wisconsin-Madison.

Honors, Awards, Scholarships, and Fellowships

1997 June, Center for the Study of Institutions, Population, and Environmental Change. Bloomington, IN

1993 Summer, Fulbright Exchange Scholar Cairo, Egypt.

1981-82 National Resource (HEA) Arabic U of W - Madison

1979-80 Fulbright-Hays Dissertation Morocco

1979-81 Social Science Research Council Dissertation Morocco

1978-79 National Defense Foreign Language Arabic U of W - Madison

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1974 Graduated First Class Joint Honors Anthropology & Philosophy McGill U.

1973-74 James D. McCall Fellowship Philosophy McGill U.

1972-73 University Fellowship Anthropology McGill U.

Research Interests

Flood recession agriculture, the Sahara, the Sahel, North Africa, development, economic history, North African

Arabic archives, bureaucracy in Africa and the Middle East, colonialism & imperialism, anthropology of law, Islam,

land tenure, 18th to 21st C European philosophy, mathematical methodologies in anthropology and history,

economic theory, foragers in arid lands, pastoralism, Pyrrhonic skepticism, political ecology, urbanization in Africa,

complexity theory, the history of credit.

Languages

Arabic, English, French, Norwegian (have also studied Hebrew, Latin, Greek, German, Russian and Tachelhyt)

Publications

Books

Forthcoming. Edited by E. Jen, J. S. Lansing, T. Park, M. C. Stiner. *Case Studies in the Robustness of Coupled Natural and Human Systems*, to be published jointly by the Santa Fe Institute and Oxford University Press.

2005 with Aomar Boum. *Historical Dictionary of Morocco*. Second Edition. Revised and roughly doubled in size

expansion of Park 1996. Scarecrow Press / University Presses of America, Lanham, Md.

1996 *Historical Dictionary of Morocco*. Scarecrow Press / University Presses of America, Lanham, Md.

1993 *Risk and Tenure in Arid Lands: the political ecology of development in the Senegal River Basin*. Edited.

University of Arizona Press, Arid Lands Development Series.

Chapters and Encyclopedia Articles

IN PRESS Concorct, Marquis de. In, H. James Birx, Editor. *Encyclopedia of Anthropology*. Thousand Oaks, CA:

Sage Publications.

IN PRESS Demography. In, H. James Birx, Editor. *Encyclopedia of Anthropology*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage

Publications.

IN PRESS Humboldt, Alexander Von. In, H. James Birx, Editor. *Encyclopedia of Anthropology*. Thousand Oaks,

CA: Sage Publications.

IN PRESS Irrigation. In, H. James Birx, Editor. *Encyclopedia of Anthropology*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage

Publications.

IN PRESS Herskovits, Melville. In, H. James Birx, Editor. *Encyclopedia of Anthropology*. Thousand Oaks, CA:

Sage Publications.

IN PRESS Firth, Raymond. In, H. James Birx, Editor. *Encyclopedia of Anthropology*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage

Publications.

Forthcoming with Mourad Mjahed and Luis Cisneros. Modeling household dynamics in Marrakech, Bamako and

Niamey: perspectives on robustness in urban environments. In *Case Studies in the Robustness of Coupled*

Natural and Human Systems (edited by E. Jen, J.S. Lansing, T. Park, M.C. Stiner), Edited volume to be

published jointly by the Santa Fe Institute and Oxford University Press.

1997 Indirass and the Political Ecology of Flood Recession Agriculture. Chapter 3 in *The Ecology of Practice:*

Studies of Food Crop Production in Sub-Saharan West Africa. Edited by A. Endre Nyerges.

Newark:

Gordon And Breach Publishers, Pp.77-96.

1993 Arid lands and the political economy of flood recession in Fuuta Tooro. Chapter in *Risk and Tenure in Arid Lands*.

1993 Privatization and development: the case of the Dirol Plain. Chapter in *Risk and Tenure in Arid Lands*.

- 1993 Crisis of Nationalism in Mauritania. With Mamadou Baro and Tidiane Ngaido. Chapter in *Risk and Tenure in Arid Lands*.
- 1993 Ecology and Risk Management: The case for common property . Chapter in *Risk and Tenure in Arid Lands*.
- 1992 The Sakalava. A Case for Religious Continuity in Madagascar. Chapter in a Festschrift for Aidan Southall titled *Culture and Contradiction: the Dialectics of Wealth, Symbol and Power*, edited by Minka De Sota Mellen Research University Press, San Francisco. Pp. 258-272.
- 1986 Mauritania: Senegal River Valley. Chapter in *Land Tenure Issues in River Basin Development in Sub-Saharan Africa*. pp.52-73. Edited by Peter C. Bloch, Madison: Land Tenure Center, University of Wisconsin-Madison.
- 1986 Mauritania. Chapter in *Country Profiles of Land Tenure: Africa 1985*. pp.120-127. Edited by James C. Riddell, Madison: Land Tenure Center, University of Wisconsin-Madison.
- 1981 Politics of the periodic market in small towns in Africa. Chapter in *Politics of the Small Community*. pp.343- 358. Edited by Richard W. Crockett, Macomb: Western Illinois University Press.
- 1980 Temporary migration as an index of urban underdevelopment in Northern Morocco. Chapter in *Small Urban Centers in Urban Development in Africa*. Pp.158-74. Edited by Aidan W. Southall, Madison: The University of Wisconsin African Studies Center.
- 1978 The Influence of regional economic networks on the development of small towns in Morocco. Chapter in *The Small City and Regional Community*. Pp.319-326. Edited by R.P. Wolensky and E.J. Miller, Stevens Point: The University of Wisconsin Press.
- Refereed Journal Articles**
- 2003 with Mamadou Baro, The Six Cities Project: developing a methodology of surveying densely populated areas using social science assisted and diachronic remote sensing based classification of habitation. *Journal of Political Ecology* Vol. 10: 1-23.
- 2003 Reflections on criminality and demographic structure: a multi-national examination of the links between youth and national crime statistics. *Arizona Law Review*. vol. 45 Number 3: 595-619.
- 2001 with Hsaï'n Ilahiane. Sources for the socio-economic study of rural Morocco. *International Journal of Middle East Studies* 33 (2001), 271-290..
- 1994 Political Ecology. *Journal of Political Ecology* 1:1-8. Inaugural article for the journal, co-authored with James B. Greenberg, the other co-editor.
- 1992 Moroccan Migration and Mercantile Money. *Human Organization*. Vol.51, No.3 1992:205-213.
- 1992 Early trends toward class stratification. Chaos, Common Property and Flood Recession Agriculture. *American Anthropologist*, March, Pp.90-117.
- 1989 Essaouira: The formation of a New Elite 1940-1980. *African Studies Review*. Vol.31 No.2. Pp.111-132.
- 1988 Rural North East Algeria 1919-1938. *Peasant Studies* vol 15 (2):117-128.

1988 Indigenous Responses to Economic Development in Mauritania. *Urban Anthropology and Studies of Cultural Systems and World Economic Development* Vol.17(1):53-74. Special Issue with an Afterword by Eric Wolf.

1985 Pyrrhonism in anthropological and historical research. *History in Africa*, 12 pp.225-252.

1985 Inflation and Economic Policy in 19th Century Morocco: the compromise solution. *The Maghreb Review*

March-June vol.10, No.2 pp.51-56

1983 A report on the state of Moroccan archives. *History in Africa*, 10(1983), 395-409.

Reviews

2001 With Aomar Boum. Review of Remco Ensel. Saints and Servants in Southern Morocco. Leiden, Boston,

Koln: Brill, 1999 in the *Journal of North African History*.

1999 Review of Mohammed Ennaji. Serving the Master. Slavery and Society in Nineteenth Century Morocco.

Translated by Seth Graebner. New York: st Martin's Press, 1998. for *Middle East Studies Association Bulletin*.

1993 Review of Mohammed Ennaji. Development in Rural Tunisia: the Bourguiba Years. New York: st Martin's

Press, 1998. for *Middle East Journal*. v.47 no.4:723-4.

1992 Review of Donald L. Donham, History, Power, Ideology: Central Issues in Marxism and Anthropology.

Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1990 for *American Political Science Review*. Mar. Pp. 209-210.

1991 Review of B.R.Pridhom, editor. Economy, Society & Culture in Contemporary Yemen. London: Croom

Helm and Centre for Arab Gulf Studies, University of Exeter, 1985 in *Canberra Anthropology*.

1991 Review of Muneera Salem-Murdock and Michael M.Horowitz, Anthropology and Development in North

Africa and the Middle East. *The Middle East Journal*. v45 n3:524-5.

1990 Review of Shlomo Dshen, The Mellah Society Life in Sherifian Morocco. Chicago Aldine 1989. *The*

Jewish Quarterly Review.

1990 Review of Norman Stillman, The Language and Culture of the Jews of Sefrou. *Jewish Quarterly Review*

January.

1990 Review of John P.Entelis, Culture and Counterculture in Moroccan Politics. Westview Press, 1989. *The*

Middle East Journal Vol.44, No.2 Spring: 318-319.

1990 Review of D.Johnson and D.Anderson, The Ecology of Survival. Case Studies from Northeast African

History. London: Lester Cook Academic Publishers, 1988. *American Anthropologist*. Vo. 92 No.1:220-221.

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1989 Review of Donald Brown, Hierarchy, History, & Human Nature. University of Arizona Press. *American*

Anthropologist, September. vol. 91:778.

1987 Review of Ann Elizabeth Mayer (ed.) Property, Social Structure and Law in the Modern Middle East. State

University of New York Press 1985. *Middle East Studies Association Bulletin*, Vol.21, No.1 pp.31-2.

1987 Review of Lawrence Rosen Bargaining for Reality; The Construction of Social Relations in a Muslim

Community. The University of Chicago Press 1984. *Middle East Studies Association Bulletin*, Vol.21, No.1 pp.33-34.

Works in Progress

Books

With Mourad Mjahed. *The Frej Papers: transitions to Protectorate*. This book is an analysis of some 30 personal financial ledgers kept by the head of customs in Casablanca from late in the 19th century through the first three decades of the 20th century.

With Aomar Boom. *Judaeo-Arabic merchants of Safi and Marrakech on the eve of the protectorate*. This book is a translation and introduction to a set of judaeo-arabic letters between Jewish merchants in Safi and Marrakech in the first decade of the 20th century.

Hidden Interests: a History of Credit in the Atlantic and Mediterranean. This book is co-authored with James Greenberg and deals with the credit instruments developed in European and Islamic countries as they were applied from the Ancient world up to the 20th century and in the later chapters focuses on Mexico and Morocco as case studies.

The Maghrib and the West. Orientalism and Bureaucratic reform in Morocco 1822-1912. deals with Moroccan administration and economy in the precolonial period and the way colonial policy and academic discourse misrepresented the precolonial period.

Scholarly Presentations

2003 with Mourad Mjahed and Luis Cisneros. Modeling household dynamics in Marrakech, Bamako and Niamey: perspectives on robustness in urban environments. Presented at the conference on *Robustness of Coupled*

Natural and Human Systems at the Santa Fe Institute April.

2003 with Mourad Mjahed. Mapping household demographics in Marrakech, Bamako, and Niamey. SfAA annual meetings in Portland, Oregon.

2003 Reflections on Resilience, Risk Management, and Flood Recession Agriculture. Social Dimensions of

Hohokam Irrigation: Perspectives Across Cultures and Time. Workshop. Feb. 27-Mar.1, Tempe.

2003 with Mamadou Baro, The Six Cities Project: developing a methodology of surveying densely populated

areas using social science assisted and diachronic remote sensing based classification of habitation. NSF

funded conference on the Six Cities Project held in Dakar, Senegal, January 6-10.

2002 Mapping Urban Space and Place: The Six Cities Project. AAA annual meeting. New Orleans.

2002 Reflections on criminality and demographic structure: a multi-national examination of the links between

youth and national crime statistics. Rogers College of Law, Conference on Youth, Doubletree Inn, Tucson.

1999 Natural and anthropogenic risk: Relationships between environmental risk and urbanization in Africa.

Paper presented in a panel (Political Ecology Perspectives on North and West Africa, that I Chaired at the

Society for Applied Anthropology Meetings in Tucson April, 1999.

1997 Commerce et Politique à Marrakech à la veille du Protectorat (1900-1910). Presented at the Table Ronde of the Centre International pour la Recherche sur les Juifs du Maroc: Les Juifs du Maroc au XIXeme siecle: Continuite et Ruptures. Paris, 22-24 Septembre 1997.

1991 Indirass and the Political Ecology of Flood Recession Agriculture. Paper presented at the 1991 meetings of the American Anthropological Association in Chicago, November.

1990 Common Property and Risk Management in the Senegal River Valley. Paper for the Symposium: Traditional Water Management in Comparative Perspective. April 29, University of Arizona.

1989 Colonial perceptions of precolonial administration: Creating the illusion of failure. Invited paper for the conference on "Reform, Crisis and Everyday Life in Nineteenth Century Morocco". November 25-26, 1989. Funded and Sponsored by the Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Harvard University. Papers to be published by Harvard University Press.

1987 Haratine as majority land owners in the Mabout region of Mauritania. Paper for the Middle East Studies Annual Meetings, Baltimore, November 14-17.

1987 Land Tenure and Political Responses to Agricultural Development in Mauritania. Paper delivered at the 1987 Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology. Oaxaca, Mexico April 10th.

1986 Distribution of Irrigated Holdings in Stratified Societies. contribution to a roundtable on Africa's Emerging Land Tenure Problems. Presented at the 29th Annual Meeting of the African Studies Association, Madison, Wisconsin 30 October.

1986 Essaouira: The Formation of a New Elite 1940-1980. Paper Presented at the 29th Annual Meeting of the African Studies Association, 25th Anniversary Program, Madison, Wisconsin 29 October.

1985 Legal Documents and Land Registers in Morocco and Mauritania. Paper presented at the Middle Eastern Studies Association meetings in New Orleans, November 23rd.

1985 The `Ashura Festival as a celebration of social disorder. Paper delivered at the Sixth Annual Conference of North African Studies; London July 8-9.

1984 Inflation et la politique économique au Maghreb pendant le 19e siècle; la solution de compromis. Paper delivered at The Fifth Annual Conference of North African Studies, Aix-en-Provence: La Baume les-Aix, 25-6 June 1984.

1978 Temporary migration as an index of urban economic underdevelopment in Morocco. The Research Conference on Small Urban Centers in Rural Development in Africa, Madison, Wisconsin. Nov. 9-11.

Professional Association Memberships

African Studies Association
 American Anthropological Association
 American Ethnological Society
 Middle Eastern Studies Association
 National Association for the Practice of Anthropology
 Political Ecology Society

Society for Applied Anthropology

Development Related Reports and Papers

1990 with Mamadou Baro and Tidiane Ngaido. Conflicts over land and the Crisis of Nationalism in Mauritania.

Report for the Land Tenure Center, University of Wisconsin-Madison and USAID. LTC Paper No. 142. 53

pp.

1988 with Juan Sève. Appreciation de la methodologie de l'étude de la consommation de bois de feu à

Casablanca dans le cadre du secteur forestier du Maroc. International Science and Technology Institute,

Inc. and the Ministère de l'Energie et des Mines for USAID, and the Ministère de l'Agriculture, Royaume

du Maroc. 35 pages.

1988 with Juan Sève. Assessment of the methodology of the fuelwood consumption study in Casablanca as

related to the Moroccan Forestry Sector. International Science and Technology Institute, Inc. and the

Ministère de l'Energie et des Mines for USAID, and the Ministère de l'Agriculture, Royaume du Maroc /

Government of Morocco, Rabat. 30 pages.

1987 Land Tenure and development in the Islamic Republic of Mauritania: Fuuta Tooro and the Gorgol Region..

Report distributed to USAID and governments of Mauritania and Senegal in English and French (80+

copies) which synthesizes land tenure in the Senegal River Valley. French version since revised into book

form. 232 pp.

1987 With Robert Varady, Development in the Senegal River Basin: A Bibliography of Holdings at the

University of Arizona 800+ items mostly from Dr. Park's personal collection. Produced for USAID and the

Institute for Development Anthropology, Binghamton, N.Y.

1987 Land Tenure Study of the Dirol Plain. Land Tenure Center, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 125 pp. +

32 pp. appendices.

1987 Etude du Régime Foncier dans la Plaine du Dirol. Land Tenure Center, University of Wisconsin-Madison,

131 pp. + 39 pp. appendices.

1986 Preliminary Land Tenure Study of the Dirol Plain Land Tenure Center, University of Wisconsin-Madison

150p + 34p Appendices

1986 Etude Préliminaire du Régime Foncier dans la Plaine du Dirol Land Tenure Center, University of

Wisconsin- Madison. 161p + 38p Appendices. Translated from English by author and Omar Aw.

Grants

2002-3 with Mary Stiner and Steve Lansing, funding from NSF and the Santa Fe Institute for a conference on

Robustness held May 28, 2003 in Santa Fe.

2001 Received \$12,000 from the Vice President for Research's Office to cover transportation to the NSF funded

conference for my urban grant. Convergence was held in Dakar, Senegal 6-10 January, 2003.

2001 Received \$45,000 from NSF in March 2002 for a conference for the Six Cities Project. Conference was

held in Dakar, Senegal 6-10 January, 2003.

2001 Received \$16,000 from NSF as a supplement to my urban grant.

1999-2003

I have been the PI (Mamadou Baro, Gary Christopherson and Stuart Marsh co-PIs) on a grant funded by

NSF (\$499,735) for a grant to build a broad picture of urbanization in Africa and its impact on the natural

resources of urban hinterlands through the use of remote sensing imagery and, at a later stage, urban

research focussing on the poorer segments of six cities (Marrakech, Dakar, Bamako, Niamey, dodoma and

Gaborone). We are developing a diachronic picture of change in urban features such as garbage dumps,

shanty towns, built up urban areas, market gardens etc that will allow one to hypothesise about the

differential impact on the environment of demographic trends among the rich and poor or business and

government urban sectors. the grant is titled, "Creation of a GIS for six Cities in Arid Environments: in

Morocco, Senegal, Mali, Niger, Tanzania, and Botswana."

1997 Received \$1,306 from the Department of Anthropology to buy software and two images for a future grant

dealing with urbanization in Africa (see in progress above).

1991-3 Core member (with Dr. Helen Henderson, BARA) of the Egypt Fulbright Exchange Program obtained

through the Center for Near East Studies: whose objective is to bring Egyptian hard scientists to consult in

US (at U of A) with US social scientists and to send Park and Henderson to Egypt to consult with Egyptian

scientists. \$35,000.

1991 P.I. for a USAID grant of \$16,000 to Bureau of Applied Research in Anthropology for a study by three

graduate students (Jonathan Mabry, Hsain Ilahiane, and John Welch) of irrigation systems in the Tafilalt

region of Morocco.

1990 Summer: Received \$25,000 from USAID for a paper on Recent events in Mauritania, through the Land

Tenure Center at U.W.-Madison.

1988 Ecological Change in the Senegal River Basin and its Implications for Economic Development. NSF

(Anthropology), 10 person team, T.Park and R.Varady Co-PIs, \$413,656. not funded..

1988 Development of a Comprehensive Conceptual Framework for Improved Design and Management of Small

Scale Supplemental Irrigation Systems (Morocco). Submitted to ISPAN (USAID), 11 person team, T.Park and Don Slack Co-PIs, \$214,000. Grant awarded and then revoked when ISPAN went

broke

through mismanagement.

1988 Judaeo-Arabic speaking merchants of Marrakesh 1890-1910. Received \$1,500 from the Social and

Behavioral Sciences Research Institute, U of A. Received, to facilitate publication of a book on same to

be published by the Ben Zvi Institute, Jerusalem,

1987 Key member of team that wrote a proposal for study of Land Tenure and Irrigated Development in the

Dirol Plain, Mauritania jointly written by members of BARA (Park, Finan, Henderson) and members of O.A.L.S. and International Ag. Programs (several hundred thousand dollar bid); U of A finally lost out in bid to Development Alternatives Inc.
1986 PI for a USAID grant of \$50,000 received by the Land Tenure Center, Madison Wisconsin, for a preliminary study of Land Tenure in the Dirol Plain; part of the Senegal River Basin in Mauritania.
1984-6 Project Coordinator for the Land Tenure Center, University of Wisconsin, for a grant received from USAID: \$500,000 for research on Mauritanian Land Tenure. Grant award conditional on my acceptance of position.

Scholarly Conferences Organized

2003 with Steve Lansing and Mary Stiner, obtained NSF funding and organized a conference in Santa Fe at the Santa Fe Institute on *Robustness of Coupled Human and Natural Systems* bringing together scholars from the US and Europe with a broad range of social science and natural science specialties.
2003 NSF funded conference in Dakar, Senegal to present some of the results of the Six Cities Project with 30 participants from seven countries including support for graduate students from U of A to present papers. I obtained the funding and organized the conference including all logistics from around Africa and the US and lodging in Dakar.

Editorial work and Reviewing

2001-> Reviewer for NSF proposals
1994-> Editor of *Journal of Political Ecology*
1987-> Reviewer for numerous journals domestic and foreign.

Student Mentoring last three years

a. Undergraduate Advised honors thesis
I have not advised any undergraduate honors thesis in the last three years.
Advised independent study
I have advised one undergraduate independent study in the last three years (Christina Megli).
b. Graduate Students: advisor pre-MA
I have advised a small number of new students (1- 2) each of the last three years but this does not involve major work. Currently the only such student I advise is Andrea Sturzen.
c. Graduate Students: Independent Studies
I have provided independent studies to about five graduate students per semester over the last three years: including most regularly, Aomar Boum, Mourad Mjehed, Bayo Ijagbemi, Tara Deubel, Allison Davis, and Michael Coffey.
d. Advisor: MA thesis
I currently am advising Anita Carrasco (co-chair with Marcela Vasquez) and Victoria Phaneuf.
e. Member of MA committee last three years,
Tara Deubel, Allison Davis, Martha Morgan.
f. Member of Prelim committee—Exam (* designates head of committee)
Aomar Boum*, Mourad Mjehed*, Bayo Ijagbemi*, Trent Shipley*, Tara Deubel*, Becky Schulties, Katherine Holmsen, Marie Sardier, Trenna Valado, David Van Sickle, Yi-Shing Chung, Sutee Verawan, Tao Yang, Scott

Denton (Education Department), William Bradley (Education Department), Edward Morgan (Education Department).

g. Advisor Ph.D. dissertation (* = Finished)

Aomar Boum, *Beth Kangas, *Gina Gemignani, Trent Shipley, Bayo Ijagbemi, Mourad Mjahed, Tara Deubel,

h. Member of Ph.D. committee – *dissertation defended – last three years

*Murray Lepkin, *David Van Sickle, *William Bradley (Education Department), *Edward Morgan (Education

Department), Rob Emmanuel, Allison Davis, Becky Schulties, Katherine Holmsen.

Student Support

a. PI/co-PI or advisor of grants received by graduate students (* received this year, ** ongoing)

Miscellaneous departmental and other small grants for Mourad Mjahed, Aomar Boum and Bayo Ijagbemi, Tara Deubel,

b. Personal grants which support RA's at any level

My NSF grant (1999-2003) provided funding for Aomar Boum (1 year full expenses) and Mourad Mjahed (one quarter time RA funding for several years - through the component administered by the Center for Applied Spatial Analysis and co-PI Gary Christopherson), as well as for six graduate students in the Office of Arid Lands Studies (3 years of half time RA funding) and for Allison Davis, Marie Sardier and Aomar Boum plus several graduate students from the Office of Arid Lands Studies to participate in a conference for the project held in Dakar in January 2003.

c. Publications with students

Book

IN PRESS with Aomar Boum. Historical Dictionary of Morocco. Revised and roughly doubled in size expansion of Park 1996. Scarecrow Press / University Presses of America, Lanham, Md.

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Koln: Brill, 1999 in the Journal of North African History.

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annual meetings in Portland, Oregon.

Service last three years

Service to the Department – last three years

Committees: Chaired Bara/Anthro, Admissions, Promotion and Tenure
Committees served on: Faculty Status, Performance Evaluation,

Service to the University last three years

Institutional Review Board (IRB) Human Subjects Social Science Committee. this committee meets every second

Monday for 2-3 hours. I joined the new committee in Fall 2003 after a training session in the summer.

Service to the Community and/or State

My work is international and I have been working in seven countries in Africa with municipalities to improve their

urban information systems since 1999: Morocco, Mauritania, Senegal, Mali, Niger, Tanzania, and Botswana.

Service to Profession last three years

Editor, *Journal of Political Ecology*

Countless letters of recommendation for former graduates of our program on whose committees I have served and

many reviews for professional journals.

Member NSF biocomplexity panel reviewing 56 proposals, 2002.

Discussant, NSF Workshop on Collaboration with Sub Saharan Africa, January 2005.

Discussant, Social Dimensions of Hohokam Irrigation: Perspectives Across Cultures and Time. Workshop. Feb. 27-

Mar. 1, 2003. Tempe.

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