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Education

- Postgraduate Certificate in Advanced Academic Studies, University of Strathclyde, 2012. Major: Teaching & Research
- Ph D, University of Colorado at Boulder, 2005. Major: Organizational Management
- MBA, University of Colorado at Boulder, 2001. Major: Entrepreneurship and Technology Management
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RESEARCH

Research Publications

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- Evans, J. (Panelist), Monsen, E. (Panelist), UVM Legislative Summit Vermont's 21st Century Economy: Building an Entrepreneurial Ecosystem, "The Intersection of Higher Education, Private Sector and Government in Technology and Economic Development," UVM, Burlington, Vermont, United States. (November 17, 2015).
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- Monsen, E. (Author & Presenter), RENT XXV Research in Entrepreneurship and Small Business, "Entrepreneurial Career Choice: Exploring Links Between Motivations, Intention Strength and Strategic Orientation," EIASM - European Institute for Advanced Studies in Management, Bodo, Norway. (November 17, 2011).

Research Currently in Progress

"Entrepreneurial Career Choice: Exploring Links Between Motivations, Intention Strength and Strategic Orientation" (Writing Results).

This project is on hold, until other projects are completed.

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Over six years, from 2008 to 2013, I surveyed approximately 200 participants of a 1-week compact course in entrepreneurship and business startups at the University of Jena in Germany. Using this data, the intent is to study not only what factors motivate them to start a business, but also what factors motivate them to start specific types of businesses, i.e. small businesses versus high-growth business.

"Entrepreneurial Intentions and Commercialization Choices of University Researchers" (Writing Results).

This project is on the back burner. Mark completed his PhD in November2020, and is currently evaluating future options.

Mark is a former PhD student of mine from the University of Strathclyde who I am continuing to mentor to the end of his PhD.

Drawing on theories of regulatory focus, leadership and entrepreneurship, we propose a conceptual model that explains why academic leaders and scientists make differing entrepreneurial choices when exploiting university innovations. By acknowledging that different regulatory foci are elicited by academic leaders via their behaviours, this paper suggests that these leaders influence the motivations of scientists to act entrepreneurially through priming effects. In turn these effects influence the entrepreneurial behaviour of scientists, leading to differing outcomes when viewed across a spectrum of exploitation mechanisms.

This conceptual model is based on 30 qualitative interviews of Scottish university researchers, and is being tested using over 800 quantitative surveys of Scottish university researchers.

"Global Study of Entrepreneurial Corporate Employees: Motivation, Intention and Behavior" (Writing Results).

Both of these projects are moving full-steam ahead, and will be submitted for publication this year.

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Building on earlier survey development work on the framework conditions for employee engagement in corporate entrepreneurship and innovation, we have been conducting a multinational validation study over the past three years. Over the past three years, we have so collected 1115 surveys from MBA students in the University of Strathclyde's Full Time, Part Time, and International MBA programs, which run in Glasgow, Scotland, and in 9 other international centers around the world. Using this unique global dataset, we will evaluate the international validity of the Corporate Entrepreneurship Activity Index (Hornsby, Kuratko, et al). and examine how entrepreneurial and innovative employee behavior around the world is similar and different.

2020/2021 This research was accepted for presentation as a full paper at the 2021 Babson Kauffman Entrepreneurship Research Conference in June 2021.

2019/2020 Update: more recently, we have identified that the "management support" dimension subdivides into an "ideation" and an "experimentation" dimension. Thus, we not only validate the scale internationally, but we theoretically and practically extend it.

In addition, we are leverage findings from this earlier survey data to conduct two additional data collections. The first is with a large multinational firm (Tieto), who is interested in promoting entrepreneurship and innovation among its employees.

The second is a panel study of adults in Finland and Sweden, in order to study individuals entrepreneurial intentions and behaviors, both as independent as well as corporate entrepreneurs.

2019/2020 Update: more recently, we have identified key differences between leaders and followers of corporate entrepreneurship projects, which are now a central contribution we make.

"Self-employment, employment choice and the accounting profession" (Writing Results). While project was made on restarting this project in Autumn 2019, it is now on the back burner, until Max makes progress on completing his PhD.

Max is a former PhD student of mine from the University of Strathclyde who I am continuing to mentor to the end of his PhD.

This study looks at how entrepreneurial self-efficacy, internal locus of control, promotion regulatory focus, regulatory biases and their interactions may influence individual

preferences towards more entrepreneurial employment options. The study looks at final year accounting students, who are believed to be good representative example for the labour capital with consistent educational and professional background, and their personality perceptions with regards to vocational preferences. The study proposes using choice based conjoint based experiment and introduces a novel instrument for clearly distinguishing between greater or lesser entrepreneurial employment factors as applied to the real-market accounting job positions without actually them. By combining the findings of choice based conjoint experiment with the results for personality perceptions, the study proves the hypotheses on the predictive ability of the personality characteristics, and particularly entrepreneurial self-efficacy, internal locus of control, promotion regulatory focus, regulatory biases on the employment preferences, on individual preferences towards more entrepreneurial employments in accounting in terms of career path, work process and job security.

Update Fall 2019: With the aid of a MACC program graduate research assistant, a literature review was conducted and an even more robust experimental design was developed.

"Small Town Entrepreneurial Ecosystems" (On-Going).

This project is the current focus of a sabbatical that i have been granted for Fall 2021, and is a further development of an earlier project described farther below.

As small towns in rural and peripheral regions wrestle with rebuilding their local economies and communities in the wake of the Covid-19 pandemic, research in this area will have critical, practical relevance. Therefore, leveraging a Research Sabbatical in Fall 2021, I propose developing field-research methodologies and that enable the collaborative development of robust insights into the local entrepreneurial ecosystems in small towns in rural regions.

In this project, I explore experience sampling methodologies (Beal, 2015; Gabriel et al, 2019), which have been applied to robustly probe the day-to-day perceptions, cognitive processes, and decision making of individual entrepreneurs (Uy et al, 2010). In particular, when augmented by technologies such as smart phones (Aguinis & Edwards, 2014; Uy et al, 2015, 2017), this approach will allow us to explore ever more challenging and practically relevant questions about small town entrepreneurial ecosystems.

For example, Engel et al (2017) recommends experience-sampling methodology to explore the inter-individual differences in entrepreneurial networking actions – a practical research question that has been posed to me by John Burton and Lori Smith of the Vermont Futures Project. Further, we could study the evolutionary dynamics of these network relationships over time (Alvedalen & Boschma, 2017; Mack & Mayer, 2016; Pitelis, 2012; Scott, Hughes, & Ribeiro-Soriano, forthcoming; Spigel & Harrison, 2018) and more comprehensively understand the interplay of all elements of a local entrepreneurial ecosystem (Spigel, 2017; Stam, 2015; Stam & van de Ven, forthcoming).

Most importantly, by engaging local entrepreneurial leaders earlier in the research design process - such as Evan Douglas of Do North CoWorking in Lyndon Vermont or Trevor Barlow at the Black River Innovation Campus in Springfield Vermont – we will increase the relevance of the research and the likelihood that it will be accessible and interesting to local policy makers (Jolley & Pittaway, 2019) and the builders of rural, small town entrepreneurial ecosystems.

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In an earlier form, this project was titled "Promoting globally competitive technology ventures beyond the "frontiers" of major metropolitan"

Beginning with high technology ventures in Vermont, this project will expand in phases to other regions beyond the "frontiers" of major metropolitan regions, both in the developed and developing world. The goal is to develop networks of university, trade association, and corporate partners in order to better understand and promote the needs of new and growing technology ventures in regions outside of major metropolitan areas. In order to reach this goal, data will be regularly collected both on the high technology firms as well as their employees, including both objective performance as well as subjective survey data. As this database builds over several years, we will be able to uniquely ask mufti-level and longitudinal questions posed by both the high tech business community and policy makers.

Originally (2016), the goal is to conduct this research under the auspices of a Kauffman Foundation Metro Ecosystem grant, which would fund a pilot study here in Burlington, with the potential for follow up studies in other Kauffman sponsored metro ecosystems.

Due to a major restructuring of the Kauffman Foundation in the Summer of 2016, decisions about this grant application have been put on hold until the restructuring is complete. Hopefully a decision will be made soon. (Last Update - April 2017).

Update: after several unsuccessful Kauffman Foundation grant applications, a successful bootstrapping solution to develop a data collection and community engagement app was discovered. In the Fall 2019 semester, three computer science students in an app development class built an Android prototype, and in the Spring 2020 another team of three computer science students (2 from the fall semester) are building a parallel and augmented IOS prototype. Field tests, using the Android and IOS versions, were to be conducted in Summer 2020.

Unfortunately, the student team was not able to produce the working app in both IOS and Android formats. Therefore, the technology for this project is being re-evaluated.

"Why Teaching Academics to Think Like Entrepreneurs is Making a Difference: Lessons Learned from NSF's I-Corps Program" (Writing Results).

This summer, once other projects are under review at journals, this project will be one of my publication goals in Fall 2021.

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August 2020 Update:

A new release of the dataset from our data collection related to the National Science Foundation I-Corps[™] National Course is now available. This release combines pre-course, post-course, and longitudinal survey data and includes data from **51** cohorts between spring 2012 and fall 2017.

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November 2019 Update:

The good news is that with the new augmented dataset from VentureWell, which includes 3 more years of data, we went from a sample size of 384 to 1115, which is great.

In addition, looking just at the pre/post commercialization confidence data, the ratios are remaining about the same. In both cases, about 40% increase in confidence, 40% stay the same, and 20% decrease in confidence.

One challenge with the dataset this time around is that VentureWell has consciously and conscientiously deleted a range of demographic data, such as Node Code, Year, and Census Region, in order to protect individual identities. For example, whereas we statistically controlled for Node Code in the past, we cannot do it this time around. That said, hopefully other variables in the dataset will allow to control for systematic variance in other ways.

Principal Topic: The National Science Foundation (NSF) Innovation Corps (I-Corps) is the premier U.S. government-funded program for technology commercialization, at \$30 million annually. TheI-Corps curriculum leverages lean start-up and experiential approaches, and requires: 3-member teams (entrepreneurial lead, technical lead, and industry mentor) to follow a 7-week customer discovery program in a highly-pressurized environment. We explore I-Corps' success through transactive memory systems (TMS) theory (Wegner, 1985). TMS suggests that individuals who spend time together in teams create an overarching mental model of "who knows what," allowing each individual to uniquely encode, store, and retrieve information based on his/her role identity. Applied to management generally (Argote & Ren, 2012; Ren & Argote, 2011) and entrepreneurship (Zheng, 2012; Zheng & Mai, 2013), TMS suggests individual I-Corps team members will master different areas of material and have differing perceptions (Feldman, 1981; Ng & Feldman, 2007), resulting in varying confidence levels in their technologies' commercial potential.

Method: We use data from 2011-2016 of 900+ I-Corps national teams including 2,900 individuals from 217 universities who created 361 companies through 16 cohorts, based on a self-administered survey of all team members at three stages: pre-training, post-training, and follow-up.We examine: (1) What factors influence pre- to post-course estimations of technology commercialization potential?; (2) What factors influence progression from post-course to actual company formation or licensing deal?; and (3) Do factors differ across technical lead, entrepreneurial lead, and industry mentor roles?

Results and Implications: Overall, 42% of respondents report increased confidence in technology commercialization; only 16% report a decrease. Of 42% who report no change, over half started in highest confidence category, and cannot. Entrepreneurial leads start with the highest level of pre-course commercialization confidence, and technical leads end with the highest level of post-course commercialization confidence. Consistent with TMS, we find significant differences in the three team member types' reactions to program design. Entrepreneurial leads' post-course commercialization confidence is negatively affected by program harshness, and technical leads and industry mentors react negatively to program stressfulness. Post-course evaluations of team-work quality on commercialization confidence vary across roles. Entrepreneurial leads' confidence appears unaffected by teamwork quality, technical leads are positively affected by the team collaboration, and industry mentors by equitable work distribution. Entrepreneurial leads' pre-course orientation towards learning about business-scaling and market validation positively impact post-course commercialization confidence; however, pre-course learning orientation is insignificant for technical leads and industry mentors.

Contracts, Grants and Sponsored Research

Fellowship

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Grant

Monsen, E. (Contributor), Rincon, M. (Principal), Irvin, C. (Co-PI), von Houten, J. (Contributor), Tracy, R. (Contributor), Farewell, C. (Contributor), Parsons, P. (Contributor), "Fostering entrepreneurship in biomedical research," Sponsored by National Institutes of Health, Government and Public Sector, \$2,500,000.00. (March 17, 2016 - 2021).

- Irvin, C. (Principal), Thornton, T. (Contributor), Monsen, E. (Contributor), Farewell, C. (Principal), Huggett, K., "Fostering entrepreneurship in biomedical research - Renewal Grant 2021-2026," Sponsored by National Institutes of Health, Government and Public Sector, \$2,663,411.00.
- Monsen, E. (Co-PI), Kolodinsky, J. (Contributor), Weaver, R. (Co-PI), "BTV Mayor's Prize for Entrepreneurship," Sponsored by Kauffman Foundation / City of Burlington VT, Foundations, \$99,059.00.
- Monsen, E. (Principal), Robbins, M. (Contributor), Silverman, P. (Contributor), Treanor, O. (Contributor), "E-Team Grant Majorwise," Sponsored by VentureWell, Non-Profit Organizations, \$5,000.00.
- Monsen, E. (Contributor), Varhue, W. J. (Principal), Badireddy, R. (Contributor), Tan, T. (Contributor), "INFEWS/T3: Increased Realization of Sustainable Energy, Food and Water made Possible with Nano-materials," Sponsored by National Science Foundation, Government and Public Sector, \$2,084,094.00.
- Monsen, E. (Co-PI), Kolodinsky, J. (Contributor), Weaver, R. (Co-PI), "Uncommon Methods & Metrics: A primary data collection initiative to uncover how entrepreneurial ecosystems affect entrepreneurs," Sponsored by Kauffman Foundation, Foundations, \$450,000.00.
- Monsen, E. (Contributor), Korsunskiy, E. (Principal), Kostell, S. (Contributor), "Advanced Design Thinking: A new course to foster innovation and creative-problem solving," Sponsored by University of Vermont - Engaged Practices Innovation (EPI) Grant Program, College/University, \$10,000.00. (November 1, 2016 - May 5, 2017).
- Monsen, E. (Principal), Robbins, M. (Contributor), Silverman, P. (Contributor), "Simon Family Public Research Fellowship," Sponsored by UVM Undergraduate Research Office, College/University, \$1,965.00.
- Monsen, E. (Co-PI), Kolodinsky, J. (Co-PI), "Developing Metrics To Understand Place Based Entrepreneurial Success," Sponsored by Kauffman Foundation, Foundations, \$186,572.00.
- Monsen, E. (Contributor), Weiss, D. (Co-PI), Spees, J. (Co-PI), "COBRE Proposal: Regenerative Medicine," Sponsored by National Institutes of Health, Government and Public Sector, \$7,500,000.00.
- Monsen, E. (Principal), Williams, T. (Co-PI), Rincon, M. (Contributor), Dubief, Y. (Contributor), Petrick Smith, C. (Co-PI), Farewell, C. (Contributor), Maynard, A. (Contributor), James, T. (Contributor), "Sparking Innovation and Entrepreneurship Skills in STEM Graduate Students," Sponsored by National Science Foundation, Government and Public Sector, \$500,000.00.
- Monsen, E. (Contributor), James, T. A. (Principal), Farewell, C. (Contributor), Trutor, A. (Contributor), Jemison, J. (Contributor), "Clinical Innovation Program: Improving Health Care through Innovation," Sponsored by VentureWell (originally called the National Collegiate Inventors and Innovators Alliance, or NCIIA), Non-Profit Organizations, \$50,000.00.

Awards and Honors

- Journal of Small Business Management Editors Choice Award, USASBE 2016 Annual Conference. (January 11, 2016).
- Secondary Appointment as Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering, UVM College of Engineering and Mathematical Sciences. (January 28, 2015).

Stevens Institute of Technology Wesley J. Howe Award for Excellence in Research on the Topic of Corporate Entrepreneurship, Babson College Entrepreneurship Research Conference. (June 2008).

TEACHING

Teaching Experience

The University of Vermont

BSAD 138, Entrepreneurship: Bus Planning, 4 courses. BSAD 196, Technology, Entrepreneurship and Commercialization, 2 courses. BSAD 230, Tech Entr & Commercialization, 2 courses. BSAD 290, Capstone: Entrepreneurship Theme, 4 courses. BSAD 295, QR Integrated Product Development, 1 course. BSAD 302, Crafting the Entrepreneurial Business Model, 2 courses. BSAD 304, Technology Entrepreneurship and Commercialization, 2 courses. BSAD 338, Int Sustain New Business Model, 1 course. BSAD 395, Technology, Entrepreneurship, and Commercialization, 1 course. BSAD 396. Technology Entrepreneurship and Commercialization, 2 courses. EDLP 296, Creativity & Innovation Leadership, 1 course. HCOL 186, Critical Perspectives on Innovation & Entrepreneurship, 1 course. MBA 302, Crafting the Entrepreneurial Business Model, 4 courses. MBA 304, Sustainable Intrapreneurship, 2 courses. MBA 305, Sustainable Entrepreneurship in Action - Practicum, 3 courses. ME 265, Integrated Product Development, 1 course.

Awards and Honors

"Recognizing Excellent Teaching" Award Nomination, University of Strathclyde. (May 7, 2014).

Professional recognition as Fellow, Higher Education Academy (HEA) - U.K. (August 13, 2013).

SERVICE

Service to Academic Community

Committee Member, GSB Faculty Engagement Committee. (January 2020 - Present).

Committee Member, GSB Faculty Standards Committee. (August 15, 2016 - Present).

Committee Member, Engineering Management Curriculum Committee. (September 1, 2014 - Present).

Faculty Advisor, Entrepreneurship Club. (September 1, 2014 - Present).

Committee Member, FSC Mentoring Sub-Committee - Akshay Mutha. (January 1, 2020 - October 15, 2020).

Committee Member, FSC Sabbatical Review Subcommittee - Chiang & P. Sharma. (September 8, 2020 - September 26, 2020).

Committee Member, Graduate Studies Committee. (August 15, 2017 - August 14, 2020).

Committee Member, AACSB Assurance of Learning (AoL) Committee. (August 25, 2016 - August 14, 2020).

- Committee Member, FSC Reappointment Sub-Committee Senior Lecturer Amy Tomas. (September 16, 2019 November 18, 2019).
- Committee Member, SI-MBA Five Year Review Committee. (January 4, 2019 September 6, 2019).
- Committee Member, FSC Sabbatical Sub-Committee Professor Chun Zhang. (September 1, 2019 September 18, 2018).
- Committee Member, FSC Mentoring Sub-Committee Kenneth De Roeck. (February 1, 2017 May 1, 2019).
- Committee Member, Engineering Management Faculty Search Committee. (January 9, 2018 February 1, 2019).
- Committee Chair, FSC Tenure Sub-Committee Ante Glavas. (August 4, 2017 November 30, 2017).
- Committee Chair, GSB OB/HRM Faculty Search Committee. (August 25, 2016 March 15, 2017).

Summer Research, Summer Research. (June 1, 2016 - August 31, 2016).

Summer Research, Summer Research. (June 1, 2015 - August 31, 2015).

Faculty Advisor, ENACTUS Club. (September 1, 2014 - May 1, 2015).

University Service including GSB

- Faculty Advisor, Accelerating University Commercialization (ARC) Program. (January 1, 2021 Present).
- Committee Chair, UVM Office of Engagement Entrepreneurship Committee. (October 30, 2020 Present).
- Committee Member, UVM Communicates. (January 1, 2020 Present).
- Faculty Advisor, Center for Biomedical Innovation. (August 20, 2019 Present).
- Committee Member, UVM Maker Space Steering Committee. (February 11, 2019 Present).
- Faculty Mentor, Innovation and Entrepreneurship Learning Community. (August 15, 2018 Present).
- Faculty Advisor, Innovation and Entrepreneurship Learning Community Advisory Board. (January 10, 2018 - Present).
- Committee Member, SPARK VT Operations Committee. (October 15, 2016 Present).

Faculty Advisor, Catamount Innovation Fund. (September 1, 2016 - Present).

Committee Member, Entrepreneurship Forum. (November 20, 2015 - Present).

Committee Chair, UVM Business Pitch Competition. (September 2015 - Present).

- Program Organizer, Proposed: Center for Entrepreneurship Making and Design / Institute for Applied Imagination. (August 20, 2015 Present).
- Committee Member, Consultative Group to Work with Art & Science Group. (February 3, 2021 December 31, 2021).
- Committee Member, Curricular Affairs Committee of the Faculty Senate. (September 1, 2015 August 31, 2021).
- Committee Member, Faculty Senate Research, Scholarship & The Creative Arts. (January 1, 2020 December 31, 2020).
- Committee Member, Honors College Council. (January 1, 2020 August 15, 2020).
- Committee Member, OVPR Postdoctoral Associate Program Application Review Committee. (February 24, 2020 - April 30, 2020).
- Committee Member, Vermont Products Pitch. (September 17, 2019 March 17, 2020).
- Grant Proposal Reviewer, Internal, EPSCoR Phase 0 Commercialization Grant Review Committee. (March 8, 2017 February 21, 2018).
- Committee Member, Planning Committee for "Innovation and Entrepreneurship Learning Community". (September 25, 2017 January 10, 2018).

Committee Member, United Academics. (October 1, 2015 - August 31, 2016).

Committee Member, UVM Business Pitch Competition. (September 2014 - August 2015).

Professional Service

Editorial Review Board Member, Journal of Small Business Strategy, Tennessee. (February 19, 2021 - Present).

Editorial Review Board Member, Organizational Research Methods. (January 2018 - Present).

Editorial Review Board Member, Small Business Economics Journal. (January 2018 - Present).

Editorial Review Board Member, Strategic Entrepreneurship Journal. (January 2015 - Present).

Editorial Review Board Member, Journal of Business Venturing. (2013 - Present).

Editorial Review Board Member, Entrepreneurship Theory & Practice. (2011 - Present).

- Reviewer, Journal Article, Academy of Management Learning and Education. (January 1, 2021 December 31, 2021).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Entrepreneurship Theory and Practice. (January 1, 2021 December 31, 2021).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, International Journal of Entrepreneurial Behavior & Research. (January 1, 2021 - December 31, 2021).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Journal of Business Venturing. (January 1, 2021 December 31, 2021).

- Reviewer, Journal Article, Journal of Product Innovation Management. (January 1, 2021 December 31, 2021).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Organizational Research Methods. (January 1, 2021 December 31, 2021).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Entrepreneurship Theory and Practice. (January 1, 2020 December 31, 2020).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Group & Organization Management. (January 1, 2020 December 31, 2020).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, International Journal of Entrepreneurial Behavior & Research. (January 1, 2020 - December 31, 2020).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Journal of Business Venturing. (January 1, 2020 December 31, 2020).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Organization Studies. (January 1, 2020 December 31, 2020).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Organizational Research Methods. (January 1, 2020 December 31, 2020).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Research Policy. (January 1, 2020 December 31, 2020).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Small Business Economics Journal. (January 1, 2020 December 31, 2020).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Strategic Entrepreneurship Journal. (January 1, 2020 December 31, 2020).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Academy of Management Learning and Education. (January 1, 2019 December 31, 2019).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Entrepreneurship Theory and Practice. (January 1, 2019 December 31, 2019).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Group & Organization Management. (January 1, 2019 December 31, 2019).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, International Small Business Journal. (January 1, 2019 December 31, 2019).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Journal of Business Venturing. (January 1, 2019 December 31, 2019).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Journal of Product Innovation Management. (January 1, 2019 December 31, 2019).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Journal of Technology Transfer. (January 1, 2019 December 31, 2019).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Organizational Research Methods. (January 1, 2019 December 31, 2019).

Reviewer, Journal Article, Research Policy. (January 1, 2019 - December 31, 2019).

- Reviewer, Journal Article, Small Business Economics Journal. (January 1, 2019 December 31, 2019).
- Reviewer, Journal Article, Strategic Entrepreneurship Journal. (January 1, 2019 December 31, 2019).
- Research Committee Chair, Academy of Management, Entrepreneurship Divsion. (August 2015 August 2018).
- Editor, Associate Editor, Small Business Economics Journal. (August 2014 December 2017).
- Representative-at-Large, Academy of Management, Entrepreneurship Divsion. (August 2013 August 2016).
- Editor, Special Issue, Entrepreneurship Theory & Practice. (January 1, 2010 January 1, 2013).

Public Service

- Committee Member, New North End Business Association (Burlington VT), Burlington, Vermont. (March 19, 2021 Present).
- Committee Member, Church Street Marketplace Commission, Burlington, Vermont. (July 13, 2020 June 30, 2023).
- Committee Member, Vermont Innovation Collaborative Data Sub-Committee, Burlington, Vermont. (February 9, 2018 - January 31, 2020).
- Committee Member, Collegiate LaunchVT, Vermont. (May 29, 2015 October 18, 2019).
- Committee Member, Collegiate Launch VT 2017 Finals at UVM, Burlington, Vermont. (October 19, 2017 February 15, 2018).
- Judging Panel, 2016 Champlain Maker Faire Adopt a Maker Pitch Session, Shelburne, Vermont. (September 25, 2016).
- Judging Panel, 2015 Champlain Maker Faire Adopt a Maker Pitch Session, Shelburne, Vermont. (September 27, 2015).
- Guest Speaker, Project Management Institute of Chittenden Valley Annual Symposium Panel: Vermontrepreneurship and the Entrepreneurial Project Manager, Burlington, Vermont. (April 10, 2015).

Awards and Honors

Service, Community

Vermont TechJam Ambassador Award - Finalist, Vermont Technology Alliance. (October 19, 2018).

Service, Professional

Best Reviewer Award, Entrepreneurship Division of the Academy of Management. (August 8, 2016).

Certificate of Excellence in Reviewing 2013, Journal of Business Venturing - Elsevier Publishing. (June 19, 2014).

Outstanding Reviewer 2013, Entrepreneurship Theory and Practice - Journal. (August 4, 2013).

Service, University

UVM's inaugural Outstanding Faculty Advising Award - Finalist, UVM. (April 13, 2018).