

Curriculum Vitae

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Education:

Doctor of Philosophy – Rural Sociology (2003)

The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pennsylvania

Dissertation: *Community Agency: A Comparison of Rural Community Action in Ireland and Pennsylvania.*

Master of Science - Rural Sociology (1994)

The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pennsylvania

Thesis: *The Impact of Hazardous Waste Transportation on Rural Communities in Pennsylvania.*

Bachelor of Science – Sociology (1992)

Salisbury University, Salisbury, Maryland

Areas of Emphasis:

- A. Community
- B. Community and Leadership Development
- C. International Development
- D. Research Methods and Statistics
- E. Social Change/Social Movements
- F. Rural Sociology
- G. Environmental/Natural Resource Sociology

Related Professional Work Experience:

The Pennsylvania State University

Department of Agricultural Economics, Sociology, and Education

Position: Associate Professor, Leadership and Community Development (primary)

UNESCO Chair in Rural Community, Leadership, and Youth Development (primary)

Professor, Rural Sociology (affiliate)

Professor, Community and Economic Development (CDEV) (affiliate)

Professor, Human Dimensions of Natural Resources and the Environment (affiliate)

Professor, International Agriculture and Development (INTAD) (affiliate)

Schreyer Honors College Distinguished Honors Fellow

Date of employment: July 1, 2009 to present.

The University of Florida

Department of Family, Youth and Community Sciences

Position: Associate Professor, Community Development (5/2009-7/2009)

Position: Assistant Professor, Community Development (5/2004-5/2009)

Responsibilities: Graduate and undergraduate teaching/advising, Extension and community outreach, community/community development research, and program/curriculum development.

The Pennsylvania State University

Department of Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology

Position: Research Associate, Teaching Assistant, and Lecturer

Date of employment: August 25, 2000 to May 1, 2004.

Responsibilities: International and domestic field research, data analysis, report/article writing, statistical analysis, and grant writing, graduate course teaching assistance, and undergraduate teaching.

Marywood University

Position: Director of Distance Education - October 18, 1999 to August 24, 2000.

Position: Senior Research Associate, Military Family Institute - April 7, 1996 to September 30, 1999.

Responsibilities: Sociological studies of military family issues, grant writing, international field work/data collection and advanced data analysis. Detailed involvement with Department of Defense contracting, program development, research design and implementation. Development, management and delivery of all University level distance education projects.

The Northeast Regional Center for Rural Development

Position: Research Associate

Date of employment: August 20, 1992 to July 1, 1994.

Responsibilities: Socioeconomic research, survey/field study, statistical analysis of data, program/policy development, funding proposal review, budget preparation, and grant writing.

The Scholarship of Teaching and Learning

A. Courses Taught & Guest Lectures in Resident Instruction at the Pennsylvania State University

Course	Title	Credits	Enrollment
Fall 2013			
AEE 460	Foundations of Leadership Development	3	43
AEE/CDEV 505	Leadership Development	3	7
AEE 495D	Leadership Development Minor- Internship	3	9
AEE 596	Individual Studies	3	1
AEE 600	Thesis Research	3	1
Spring 2013			
AEE 465	Leadership Practices: Power, Influences, and Impact	3	30
INTAG 499H	INTAG Honors Course: Vietnam/Cambodia	3	10
AEE 496	Independent Study	3	3
AEE 495D	Leadership Development Minor- Internship	3	4
Fall 2012			
AEE 460	Foundations of Leadership Development	3	42
AEE 496	Independent Study	3	1
AEE 495D	Leadership Development Minor- Internship	3	6
AEE 590	Graduate Colloquium	1	10
AEE/CDEV 505	Leadership Development	3	10
AEE 600	Thesis Research	3	1
Spring 2012			
AEE 360	Leadership Development for Small Groups	3	40
AEE 465	Leadership Practices: Power, Influences, and Impact	3	30
AEE 495D	Leadership Development Minor- Internship	3	3
INTAD 820	INTAD Seminar: Russia	3	10
INTAG 499H	INTAG Honors Course: Vietnam/Cambodia	3	10
INTAG 499A	INTAG Senior Seminar on International Development	3	12
Fall 2011			
AEE 201	Interpersonal Skills for Tomorrow's Leaders	3	35
AEE 460	Foundations of Leadership Development	3	43
AEE 496	Independent Study	3	3
AEE 495D	Leadership Development Minor- Internship	3	6
AEE 596	Individual Studies	3	1
Spring 2011			
AEE 360	Leadership Development for Small Groups	3	39
AEE 465	Leadership Practices: Power, Influences, and Impact	3	29
AEE 495D	Leadership Development Minor- Internship	3	4

AEE 496	Independent Study	3	7
AEE 596	Individual Studies	3	2
AEE 597A	INTAD Seminar: Sub-Saharan Africa	3	7
INTAG 499A	Exploring Agricultural Leadership in Ireland	3	11
Fall 2010			
AEE 330W	Communication in Agriculture and Natural Resource Careers	3	35
AEE 460	Foundations of Leadership Development	3	30
Summer 2010			
AEE 496	Foundations of Leadership Development	3	2
AEE 597A	Leadership Development	3	8
Spring 2010			
AEE 360	Leadership Development for Small Groups	3	40
AEE 465	Leadership Practices: Power, Influences, and Impact	3	30
AEE 495D	Leadership Development Minor - Internship	3	6
INTAG 481	Problem Solving in Tropical Agriculture – Puerto Rico	3	13
Fall 2009			
AEE 330W	Communication in Agriculture and Natural Resource Careers	3	30
AEE 460	Foundations of Leadership Development	3	30

Guest Lectures in Resident Instruction

Course	Title	Credits	Enrollment
Fall 2013			
<i>Global Leadership Initiative</i>			
	Achieving Education for All through the UNESCO Chairs Program. (October 17, 2013)	3	16
Spring 2013			
<i>AEE 530 - Teaching and Learning in Agricultural Science</i>			
	Achieving Teaching Excellence. (March 13, 2013)	3	12
<i>INTAD 820 - International Agriculture and Development</i>			
	Research Methods for International Study. (January 29, 2013)	3	11
<i>Schreyer Honors College Seminar Series,</i>			
	Social Change in Vietnam and Cambodia. (January 21, 2013)	0	16
	Community Development Experiences in Vietnam. (Feb. 11, 2013)	0	16
	Community Development throughout Asia. (November 5, 2012)	0	16
Fall 2012			
<i>National University of Ireland and Trinity College, Dublin</i>			
	Community and Youth Development. (November 19, 2012)	3	30
<i>Schreyer Honors College Seminar Series,</i>			
	Civic Engagement, Community Action, and Social Change in Vietnam and Cambodia (September 10, 2012)	0	25
	Community Development Experiences in Vietnam. (October 8, 2012)	0	10

	Community and Leadership Development throughout Asia: Vietnam, Cambodia, and Japan. (November 5, 2012)	0	15
Spring 2012			
<i>Schreyer Honors College Seminar Series,</i>			
	Community Based Reconciliation in Northern Ireland (Jan. 12, 2012)	0	15
	Community Development from an International Comparative Perspective: America and Ireland. (February 23, 2012)	0	15
	Dimensions of Youth Civic Engagement: UNESCO Directives and Plans for Development. (March 15, 2012)	0	15
<i>CED 499 Economic, Community and Agric. Development in Kenya,</i>			
	Cooperative Development in Rural Communities. (March 1, 2013)	3	12
	Cooperative Development in Rural Communities. (Feb. 24, 2012)	3	8
	Methods for Community Capacity Building (March 16, 2012)	3	8
Fall 2011			
<i>Schreyer Honors College Seminar Series,</i>			
	Civic Engagement, Community Action, and Social Change in Vietnam and Cambodia (September 19, 2011)	0	15
	Community and Leadership Development Experiences in Vietnam. (October 3, 2011)	0	25
	Community and Leadership Development throughout Asia: Vietnam, Cambodia, and Japan. (November 1, 2011)	0	15
Spring 2011			
<i>Schreyer Honors College Seminar Series,</i>			
	Community and Leadership Development Experiences in Vietnam. (January 27, 2011)	0	15
	Exploring International Opportunities For Research and Teaching: Examples from Vietnam, Cambodia, and Japan. (February 2, 2011)	0	10
	International Research, Teaching, and Outreach in Asia. (February 17, 2011)	0	10
	Community and Leadership Development Experiences in Vietnam. (March 24, 2011)	0	12
	Civic Engagement, Community Action, and Social Change in Vietnam and Cambodia: Plans for a Scholar Study Abroad Program. (April 5, 2011)	0	15
	Post Conflict Reconciliation: Potentials for Civic Engagement, Community Action, and Social Change in Vietnam and Cambodia. (April 14, 2011)	0	11
<i>AEE 530 Teaching and Learning in Agricultural Science</i>			
	The Importance of Undergraduate Teaching in the College of Agricultural Sciences. (March 3, 2011)	3	7
Fall 2010			
<i>AEE 501 Foundations of Agricultural and Extension Education</i>			
	Teaching and Extension Experiences in Agriculture. (October 18, 2010)	3	12
Spring 2010			
<i>AEE 530 Teaching and Learning in Agricultural Science</i>			
	The Importance of Undergraduate Teaching in the College of Agricultural Sciences. (March 4, 2010)	3	10

B. Courses & Workshops Taught in Support of Outreach-Based Instruction - Invited
(total: 6)

Agriculture Business Springboard Competition. Team mentor. 2011. Workshop and mentoring for undergraduate student groups developing entrepreneurial business plans/projects for the 2011 Agriculture Business Springboard Competition. Fall 2011. (8 participants).

Brennan, M.A. 2010. *Leading Through Change and Create New Opportunities Through Asset Based Planning.* Presentation at the Penn State Cooperative Extension Annual Conference, Altoona, PA. November 4, 2010. (120 participants).

Brennan, M.A. 2010. *Leading, Not Bossing.* Penn State Cooperative Extension- Potter County, Central Region 4-H Teen Retreat. March 20, 2010. (60 participants).

Brennan, M.A. 2010. Keynote address. *Making a Difference: Imagine, Believe, Achieve.* Penn State Cooperative Extension- Potter County, Central Region 4-H Teen Retreat. March 19, 2010. (60 participants).

Brennan, M.A. 2010. *Organizational Leadership: Developing Organizational Mission Statements and Visions.* Workshop held on March 3, 2010 for the Collegiate Horsemen Association at Penn State. (12 participants).

Brennan, M.A. 2010. *Building Community Leadership Skills.* Pennsylvania State 4-H Leadership Conference, License to Lead. State College, PA. January 29-31, 2010. 4 workshops. (150 participants).

C. List of Academic Advising Responsibilities

As part of his teaching appointment, Dr. Brennan advises both undergraduate and graduate students. To accommodate students, he has an open door policy, where they are welcome to come in at any time for advice and to discuss other needs. Contact via e-mail or phone is encouraged. Email correspondence from students is answered daily throughout the week, during normal business hours, as well as from home in the evening. Advising activities consist of meeting with students to select courses in their area of specialization, finding and approving practical professional development experiences, and discussing career plans (professional work and graduate or post-doctoral programs).

List of Undergraduate and Graduate Advisees

Academic Year	Number of Undergraduate Advisees	Number of Graduate Advisees
2013-2014	25	12
2012-2013	24	6
2011-2012	24	8
2010-2011	20	7
2009-2010	8	4

Undergraduate Student Mentorship

Bachelor of Philosophy Mentor. 2011-2013.

Student: Dani Lichliter (Non-Profit Management with an International Emphasis).
Schreyer Honors College.

Bachelor of Philosophy Mentor. 2011-2014. *Co-mentor with Dr. Ted Alter.

Student: Katherine Ortbal (International Leadership and Community Development).
Schreyer Honors College.

Honors Thesis Mentor.

Student: Sarah Eissler. Schreyer Honors College. Completed 2013.

Student: Dani Lichliter. Schreyer Honors College. Completed 2013.

D. Compilation of Results of Student Evaluation

Student input is collected using the Student Rating of Teaching Effectiveness (SRTE) form measured on a scale of 1 to 7 (1 = lowest rating, 7 = highest rating). The following chart is a summary of ratings related to the quality of both the course and the instructor.

Summary of Student Rating of Teaching Effectiveness (SRTE)*

Course	Semester	Enrollment	Forms Returned	Elective # (%)	Overall Quality Rating	
					Course	Instructor
<i>AEE 201 - Interpersonal Skills for Tomorrow's Leaders***</i>						
	Fall 2011	33	16	8 (80)	5.25	6.44
<i>AEE 330W - Communication in Agricultural and Natural Resource Careers</i>						
	Fall 2010	35	14	0 (0)	6.43	6.64
	Fall 2009	30	22	1 (4.5)	6.05	6.64
<i>AEE 360 - Leadership Development for Small Groups</i>						
	Spring 2012	37	18	2 (22)	5.71	6.12
	Spring 2011	39	21	2 (10.5)	6.10	6.52
	Spring 2010	40	27	3 (10.7)	5.82	6.29
<i>AEE 460 - Foundations of Leadership Development</i>						
	Fall 2013	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Fall 2012	42	16	0 (0)	5.88	6.25
	Fall 2011	41	20	1(6)	5.32	6.11
	Fall 2010	30	20	0 (0)	5.75	6.50
	Fall 2009	30	16	2 (12.5)	5.88	6.13
<i>AEE 465 - Leadership Practices: Power, Influences, and Impact</i>						
	Spring 2013	31	20	3 (30)	5.85	6.20
	Spring 2012	29	15	1 (10)	5.86	6.36
	Spring 2011	29	15	4 (36.4)	6.07	6.53
	Spring 2010	30	21	3 (13.6)	6.09	6.50

<i>AEE 495D – Leadership Development Minor - Internship</i>						
	Fall 2012	6	2	0 (0)	5.50	6.50
	Spring 2012	3	2	0 (0)	7.00	7.00
	Fall 2011	8	4	0 (0)	6.75	7.00
	Spring 2011	4	2	0 (0)	7.00	7.00
	Spring 2010	6	5	0 (0)	6.40	6.80
<i>AEE 597A – Foundations of Leadership</i>						
	Summer 2010	8	6	3 (50)	6.83	6.83
<i>AEE 505 – Leadership Development</i>						
	Fall 2013	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
	Fall 2012	10	3	1(33)	6.67	6.67
<i>AEE 590 – Graduate Colloquium ***</i>						
	Fall 2012	10	3	1 (33)	5.67	6.67
<i>INTAG 481 - Problem Solving in Tropical Agriculture</i>						
	Spring 2010	13	11	0 (0)	5.25	6.33
<i>INTAG 498 – International Agriculture Senior Seminar</i>						
	Spring 2012	12	7	2 (28.6)	6.00	6.14
<i>INTAG 499A - Exploring Agricultural Leadership in Ireland</i>						
	Spring 2011	11	8	5 (72.7)	5.00	6.63
<i>INTAG 499H - International Leadership – Vietnam and Cambodia</i>						
	Spring 2013	11	1	4 (80)	5.71	5.86
	Spring 2012	9	---	---	---	---
<i>AEE 597A/INTAD 820 - Sub-Saharan Africa Seminar**</i>						
	Spring 2011	7	4	2 (50)	6.33	6.75
<i>INTAD 820 – International Agricultural Development - Russia**</i>						
	Spring 2012	12	7	2(28.5)	6.40	6.80
<i>AEE 496 – Independent Studies</i>						
	Spring 2012	1	1	0 (0)	7.00	7.00
	Fall 2011	2	1	0 (0)	7.00	7.00
	Spring 2011	7	4	1 (25)	7.00	7.00

*Only courses taught at University Park, PA beginning Fall 2009; Not included are 20 sections of graduate and undergraduate courses at the University of Florida, FL (Fall 2004 – Spring 2009), 10 sections of undergraduate courses at Penn State's Scranton and University Park campuses (1998 – 2000), 6 sections of undergraduate courses at Marywood University, PA (1998 – 2000); all courses received above average ratings.

Co-taught with Dr. Thomas Bruening. * Co-taught with Dr. Connie Baggett. **** Co-taught with Dr. Rama Radhakrishna. Separate SRTE evaluations were obtained for each faculty member.

E. Supervision of Undergraduate & Graduate Research

Chair/Co-Chair on Doctoral Committees ¹

Chair*/Co-Chair**				
Candidate Name	Dissertation Title	Degree	Department (University)	Completion Date
Luu Dinh Phuc*	Cultural and Locally Based Rural Development in Rural Vietnam	Ph.D.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Spring 2017
Brad Olson*	Under Development	Ph.D.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Spring 2017
Bader Alotaibi*	Under Development	Ph.D.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Spring 2016
Sarah Osmane*	Assessing the Outcomes of Youth Leadership Programs in the North Africa/Middle East Region	Ph.D.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Spring 2015
Karen Vines*	Evaluation and Assessment of Community Based Leadership Programming in the Rural Northeast	Ph.D.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Spring 2015
Daniel Tobin*	Community, Food Security, and Market Integration in Rural Peru	Ph.D.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Spring 2014
Susan Redmond**	Youth Leadership and Civic Engagement in Ireland	Ph.D	Sociology (Nat. University of Ireland, Galway)	Completed Fall 2012
Nikolay Kazakov**	Factors Affecting Local Capacity for Conservation Community Action in Maya Biosphere Reserve, Guatemala	Ph.D	School of Natural Resources and the Environment (University of Florida)	Completed Spring 2011

Chair/Co-Chair on Masters Committees ¹

Chair*/Co-Chair**				
Candidate Name	Thesis Title	Degree	Department (University)	Completion Date
Sarah Eissler*	Under development	M.S.	Rural Sociology (PSU)	Spring 2015
Mya Rushton*	Exploring Program Opportunities for LGBT Youth with Extension and 4-H	M.S.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Spring 2015
Naticia Lavezzo*	Under development	M.P.S.	Community and Economic Dev. (CEDEV)	Spring 2015
Allyson Schonfeld*	Community Aspects of Urban Agricultural Production	M.S.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Spring 2015
Kaitlyn Butterbaugh*	International Dimensions of Youth Leadership	M.S.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Spring 2014
Andrea Lund*	Social Support and Community Development in Rural Florida	M.S.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Fall 2015
Jon Bateman*	Accessibility for the Disabled in Rural Canadian Communities	M.P.S.	Community and Economic Dev. (CEDEV)	Spring 2013
Brad Olson*	Community Based Water Management in Sub-Saharan Africa: Kenya	M.S.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Completed Fall 2012
Christopher Harkins*	Cultural Economic Development in Michigan: An Examination Of State Resources Dedicated To Cultural Development	M.P.S.	Community and Economic Development (CEDEV)	Completed Summer 2012
Kristen Althouse*	Turf Grass Management Curriculum	M.Ed.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Completed Summer 2012
Carmengloria Vargas**	Community Factors Shaping Youth Academic Success	M.S.	Family, Youth, and Comm. Sciences (University of Florida)	Completed Spring 2010

¹ In addition to the above students, while at the University of Florida the Dr. Brennan served as Chair/Co-Chair of 2 Doctoral and 3 Masters committees. He also served as a committee member on 5 Doctoral and 25 Masters committees.

F. Membership on Graduate Committees

Since arriving at The Pennsylvania State University in 2009, Dr. Brennan has continued to serve on several graduate committees from the University of Florida, the National University of Ireland, and elsewhere. At Penn State he has continued his work with graduate candidates, serving as a Chair, Co-Chair, and external or internal committee member.

Membership on Doctoral Committees

Internal Member				
Cecil Sheldon	Topic Under Development	Ph.D.	Agricultural and Extension Ed. (PSU)	Spring 2015
External Member				
Candidate Name	Dissertation Topic	Degree	Department (University)	Completion Date
Shylock Muyengwa	Conflicts and Commercialization Pressures Over Forest Resources in the Post-Fast Track Land Reform Context In Zimbabwe: A Case of Seke Communal Lands	Ph.D	School of the Nat. Resources and Environment (University of Florida)	Completed Summer 2013
Lisa Hightower	Assessing the Impact of Social Capital Factors on the Well-Being of African Immigrants in Beginning Farmer Programs	Ph.D	Agricultural and Extension Education (Virginia Tech)	Completed Fall 2012
Abib Araujo	Sustainable Natural Resource Management in the Chico Mendes Reserve, Brazil	Ph.D	School of the Natural Resources and Environment (University of Florida)	Completed Fall 2010
Natalia Buta	Community Based Natural Resource Management in Rural Romania	Ph.D	Tourism (University of Florida)	Completed Spring 2010
Bumsub Jin	Organizations' Contribution to Communities for Development	Ph.D	Journalism (University of Florida)	Completed Fall 2009

Membership on Masters Committees

Internal Member				
Candidate Name	Thesis Topic	Degree	Department (University)	Completion Date
Heather Pray	Natural Resources Curriculum and Teacher Education	M.Ed.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Summer 2013
Saadiqa Lundy	Civic Engagement Among Young Adults in Post-Apartheid South Africa	M.S.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Completed Summer 2012
Daniel Tobin	Consumer Perceptions of Fresh Produce Safety: A Study of Pennsylvania	M.S.	Agricultural and Extension Education (PSU)	Completed Summer 2011
External Member				
Candidate Name	Thesis Topic	Degree	Department (University)	Completion Date
Padraig O' Sabhainn	A Culturally Based Approach to Sustainable Tourism and Rural Development	M.S.	Sociology (National University of Ireland, Galway)	Spring 2014
Elsi Suarez Zurito	Agricultural Leadership and Cooperatives in Mexico	M.S.	Agricultural Education and Communication (University of Florida)	Spring 2014
Angel Short	Rural Tourism and Community Development	M.S.	Tourism (University of Florida)	Completed Summer 2011
Blair Hayman	South Florida Alligator Management Program Evaluation	M.S.	Wildlife Ecology (University of Florida)	Completed Spring 2011
Sherith Bankston	Community Responses to Coastal Land Use	M.S.	Urban and Regional Planning (University of Florida)	Completed Fall 2009

G. Other Teaching Activities.

1. Affiliate Faculty Appointments

The Pennsylvania State University	Schreyer Honors College Distinguished Honors Faculty	2010-present
The Pennsylvania State University	Affiliate Faculty Professor, Rural Sociology	2010-present
The Pennsylvania State University	Affiliate Faculty Professor, Community and Economic Development (CEDEV)	2010-present
The Pennsylvania State University	Affiliate Faculty Professor, International Agriculture and Development (INTAD)	2010-present
The Pennsylvania State University	Affiliate Faculty Professor, Human Dimensions of Natural Resources and the Environment (HDNRE)	2009-present

The Scholarship of Research and Creative Accomplishments

A. Research and/or Scholarly Publications

Quality of Journals.

Dr. Brennan's research and teaching work has been widely published in leading, highly ranked peer reviewed journals. Manuscripts for published journal articles were blind reviewed by at least three referees. The acceptance rate for first-time submission and Impact Factor for leading journals are as follows: *Journal of Rural Studies* (Impact Factor: 2.446; acceptance rate 20%), *Sociologia Ruralis* (Impact Factor: 2.093; acceptance rate 20%), *Society and Natural Resources* (Impact Factor: 1.626; acceptance rate 32%), *Journal of Community and Applied Social Psychology* (Impact Factor: 1.247; acceptance rate 21%), *Child & Family Social Work* (Impact Factor: 0.933; acceptance rate 18%), *Community Development Journal* (Impact Factor: 0.698; acceptance rate 22%), and *Journal of the Community Development Society* (Impact Factor: 0.532; acceptance rate 30%). His work has also been published in leading specialized peer reviewed journals such as the *Journal of Extension* (acceptance rate 29%), *International Journal of Volunteer Administration* (acceptance rate 68%), and *Journal of International Agricultural and Extension Education* (acceptance rate 20%).

1. Articles Published in Refereed Journals (total: 50)

Buta, N., Brennan, M.A. and Holland, S. 2013. "Citizen Differences in Attitudes Towards the Environment and Pro-Environmental Engagement: Findings from Rural Romania." *Journal of Park and Recreation Administration*. (in press).

Hightower, L., Niewolny, K., and Brennan, M. A. 2013. Immigrant Farming Programs and Social Capital: Evaluating Community and Economic Outcomes through Social Capital Theory. *Journal of the Community Development Society*. (in press).

McGrath, B., Brennan, M.A., Dolan, P., and Barnett, R. 2013. "Adolescents and their Networks of Social Support: Real Connections in Real Lives?" *Child and Family Social Work*. (in press).

Matarrita-Cascante, D. and Brennan, M.A. 2012. "Conceptualizing Community Development in the Twenty-First Century." *Journal of the Community Development Society*. 43(3): 293-305.

Buta, N., Brennan, M.A., and Holland, S. 2012. "A Mixed Method Investigation of Community Attachment in Rural Romania." *Journal of Rural Social Sciences*. 27(1): 24-51.

Radhakrishna, R., Tobin, D., Brennan, M.A., Thomson, J. 2012. "Ensuring Data Quality in Extension Research and Evaluation Studies." *Journal of Extension*. 50(3): June 2012.

Tobin, D., Brennan, M.A., Olsen, B., and Bruening, T. 2012. "Agricultural Extension and Market-Led Agrarian Reform: Findings from an Exploratory Case Study in Limpopo Province, South Africa." *The Journal of the Association for International Agricultural and Extension Education*. 19(2): 39-52.

McGrath, B. and Brennan, M.A. 2011. "Tradition, Cultures and Communities: Exploring the Potentials of Music and the Arts for Community Development in Appalachia." *Journal of the Community Development Society*. 42(3): 332-350.

Matarrita-Cascante, D., Brennan, M.A., and Luloff, A.E. 2011. "Community Agency and Sustainable Tourism Development: The Case of La Fortuna, Costa Rica." *Journal of Sustainable Tourism*. 22(1): 1-22.

Moore, S., Barnett, R. and Brennan, M.A. 2011. "Scoring On and Off The Field: Examining the Sexual Activity of Adolescent/Emerging Adult Athletes and Non-Athletes Using an Ecological Perspective." *Journal of Youth Development*. 6(4): Winter 2011.

Bolton, E., Brennan, M.A., Pracht, D. and Terry, B. 2010. "Action Research Helps Citizens Prepare Madison County, Florida Vision 2020." *Journal of Rural and Community Development*. 5(3): 71-77.

Bates, S.L., Barnett, R.V., Brennan, M.A. and Israel, G.D. 2010. "Understanding the Link Between Gender Role Conflict, Resilience, and Propensity for Suicide in Adolescent and Emerging Adult Males." *International Journal of Men's Health*. 9(3): 201-210.

Kurihara, S., Maruyama, A., Shimoura, S. and Brennan, M. A. 2010. "A Structural Analysis of Environmental Preservation Consciousness and Behavior: Findings from a Survey of the Everglades Region." *Japanese Journal of Farm Management*. 48(2): 113-118.

Bates, S.L., Barnett, R.V., Brennan, M.A. and Israel, G.D. 2010. "Gender Role Conflict and Resiliency in Adolescent/Emerging Adult Males." *Journal of Men's Studies*. 18(1): 3-21.

Kurihara, S., Maruyama, A., Shimoura, S. and Brennan, M. A. 2010. "International Difference in Consumers' Food Safety Concern: Comparison between Japan, the United States, China, and Ireland." *HortResearch*. 64: 67-75.

Flint, C. and Brennan, M.A. 2006. "Community Emergency Response Teams: From Disaster Responders to Community Builders." *Rural Realities*. 1(3): 1-9.

Bolton, E., Brennan, M.A. and Terry, B. 2009. "Students Learn How Nonprofits Utilize Volunteers through Inquiry-Based Learning." *International Journal of Teaching and Learning in Higher Education*. 21(3): 285-294.

Kurihara, S., Shimoura, S., Brennan, M. A., and Maruyama, A. 2009. "Purchasing Behavior of Co-op Members toward Food Safety: Using the Multinomial Logit Analysis which Introduced the Reference Point Concept." *Japanese Journal of Farm Management* 47(1):145-148.

Brennan, M.A., Barnett, R., and McGrath, B. 2009. "The Intersection of Youth & Community Development in Ireland and Florida: Building Stronger Communities through Youth Civic Engagement." *Journal of the Community Development Society*. 44(4): 331-346.

Brennan, M.A. and Barnett, R. 2009. "Bridging Community and Youth Development: Exploring Theory, Research, and Application." *Journal of the Community Development Society*. 44(4): 305-311.

- Kurihara, S., Maruyama, A., Shimoura, S., and Brennan, M. A. 2009. "Consumer Perceptions of Food Safety to Imported Vegetables." *Journal of Food Safety Research*. 16(2): 1-14.
- Barnett, R. and Brennan, M.A. 2009. "Aggressors, Victims and Bystanders: Preventing Bullying in the Middle School Environment." *Journal of Youth Development*. 4(2): 28-45.
- McGrath, B., Brennan, M.A., Dolan, P., and Barnett, R. 2009. "Adolescent Well-Being and Supporting Contexts: A Comparison of Rural Adolescents in Ireland and Florida." *Journal Community and Applied Social Psychology*. 19: 299-320.
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2. Extension Educational Materials (*4 programs developed*)

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Brennan, M.A. (2007). *Community Based Responses to Disaster Preparedness and Recovery*. Developed Extension training materials to help communities adequately prepare for disaster preparedness, response, and recovery. Included are two modules focusing on improved community involvement and civic engagement and increased local community based capacity for disaster response and recovery. Content includes learning objectives, activities, readings, PowerPoint presentations, and handouts/worksheets specific to each module topic.

Bolton, E. and Brennan, M.A. (2007). *Community Development through Nonprofit Organizations, Leadership and Volunteer Development*. Developed Extension training materials to help nonprofit organizations organize, develop leadership competencies, and contribute to effective volunteer development. Included are three modules focusing on improved volunteer development techniques, improved community involvement and civic engagement, and improved procedures and techniques to increase volunteerism. Content includes learning objectives, activities, readings, PowerPoint presentations, and handouts/worksheets specific to each module topic.

Brennan, M.A. and Cullen, G. (2007). *Community and Environmental Education: Land Use*. Developed Extension training materials to help communities and leaders adequately respond to land use demands. Included are four modules focusing on: Citizens ability to understand and engage in environmental problem solving; Participants ability to engage in community environmental issues; Participants ability to gather research-based information on environmental issues; and Participants ability to understand multiple perspectives on environmental issues. Content includes learning objectives, activities, readings, PowerPoint presentations, and handouts/worksheets specific to each module topic.

C. Papers Presented at Technical and Professional Meetings

Manuscripts for papers and poster abstracts presented and published in conference proceedings for national and regional conferences were blind reviewed by at least three referees. The refereeing process is identical to that used for refereed journals, and peer reviewers are selected using the same criteria as used in refereed journals. The acceptance rate is approximately 45-70% for all meetings, depending upon the conference. Where noted, co-contributors indicate that the work was evenly shared.

1. International (total: 16)

Olsen, B., Brennan, M.A., and Bruening, T. 2013. *Agricultural and Rural Development in Russia: Insights from University Educators, Students, and the Government*. Paper to be presented May 20, 2013 at the Association for International Agricultural and Extension Education (AIAEE) annual meetings in Fort Worth, TX. (Co-contributor).

Brennan, M.A., Willits, F., Beierlein, J., Wade, B., Ragan, L., May, J., and Brelsford, J. 2013. *Community of Learning: Revisiting Ernest Boyer in a Time of Uncertainty*. Paper presented on January 10th, 2013 at the Sixth World Universities Forum in Vancouver, BC.

Brelsford, J., Brennan, M.A., Willits, F., Beierlein, J., Wade, B., Ragan, L., and May, J. 2013. *Students' Views of Instructors' Use of Specific Elements of Quality Teaching*. Paper presented on January 10th, 2013 at the Sixth World Universities Forum in Vancouver, BC.

Brelsford, J., Brennan, M.A., Willits, F., Beierlein, J., Wade, B., Ragan, L., and May, J. 2012. *Undergraduate Students' Evaluations of Teaching Quality*. Paper presented on November 12, 2012 at the University Council for Educational Administrators Annual meeting in Denver, CO.

Ragan, L., Willits, F., Brennan, M.A., Beierlein, J., Wade, B., Brelsford, J., and May, J. 2012. *Online Student Views Toward Quality Instruction*. Paper presented on October 11, 2012 and the 18th Annual Sloan Consortium: International Conference on Online Learning in Orlando, Florida. (Co-contributor).

Brennan, M.A., Bruening, T., and Olson, B., and Israel, G. 2011. *Determinants of Agricultural Students Decision to Take Part in Short Term Study Abroad Opportunities*. Paper presented July 4, 2011 at the Association for International Agricultural and Extension Education (AIAEE) annual meetings in Windhoek, Namibia. (Co-contributor).

Lee, J. and Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Demographic and Housing Characteristics of Florida Rural Counties*. Paper presented July 8, 2008 at the International Rural Sociology Association World Congress in Seoul, South Korea. (Co-contributor).

Kurihara, S., Shimoura, S., Maruyama, A. and Brennan, M.A. 2007. *A Second-Order Factor Analysis on Japanese Dairy Farming*. Paper presented September 12, 2007 at the Farm Management Society of Japan Annual Meetings in Sendai City, Japan. (Co-contributor).

Brennan, M.A. and Moon, M. 2007. *Exploring Factors Shaping Citizen Involvement in Natural Resource Management: Examples from the Restoration of the Florida Everglades*. Paper presented August 22, 2007 at the 22nd Congress of the European Society for Rural Sociology in Wageningen, Netherlands. (Co-contributor).

Brennan, M.A., Bankston, S. and Moon, M. 2007. *Citizen Participation in Restoration of the Florida Everglades*. Paper presented August 22, 2007 at the 22nd Congress of the European Society for Rural Sociology in Wageningen, Netherlands. (Co-contributor).

Kurihara, S., Shimoura, S., and Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Japanese Farmers' Concerns about Old Age Life and New Pension System*. Paper presented March 30, 2007 at the annual meeting of the Agricultural Economics Society of Japan in Okinawa, Japan. (Co-contributor).

Kurihara, S., Shimoura, S., and Brennan, M.A. 2006. *To Evaluate the Impact of Japanese Farmers' Pension*. Paper presented October 22, 2006 at the Farm Management Society of Japan annual meetings in Kagoshima City, Japan. (Co-contributor).

Nguyen, T., Alavalapati, J., and Brennan, M.A. 2006. *Household's Social Capital and Attitude Toward Conservation: A Case Study of Cat Tien National Park, Vietnam*. Poster Presentation at the 12th International Symposium on Society and Resource Management (ISSRM) in Vancouver, BC. June 8, 2006. (Co-contributor).

Brennan, M.A. 2005. *Adolescents and the Community: Opportunities for Collaboration and Comparative Research*. Presentation and discussion of research and plans for cooperative research with community and adolescent development faculty and extension agents at National University Ireland, Galway. March 1, 2005. (Presenter).

Luloff, A.E., Finley, J.C., and Brennan, M.A. 2004. *Building Sustainable Communities in Forested Regions*. Paper presented June 8, 2004 at the 10th International Symposium on Society and Resource Management (ISSRM) in Keystone, CO. (Co-contributor).

Brennan, M.A. 2004. *A Comparison of Factors Shaping Volunteer Community Development Efforts in Ireland and America*. Paper presented November 12, 2004 at the International Conferences on Social Science Research annual meetings in New Orleans, Louisiana. (Presenter).

2. National (total: 19)

Hightower, L. and Brennan, M. A. 2013. *Local Food Systems, Ethnic Entrepreneurs, and Social Networks*. Paper presented at the 2013 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting in Washington, DC. (Co-contributor).

Hightower, L., Niewolny, K. L., and Brennan, M. A. 2013. *Social Capital and American Immigrant Farming Programs: Developing Social Networks, Agency, and Trust among Immigrant Farmers and Local Food System Stakeholders*. Paper presented at the 2013 Southern Rural Sociology Association (SRSA) Annual Meeting in Orlando, FL. (Co-contributor).

Hightower, L., Brennan, M. A., and Niewolny, K. 2012. *Working with Village-Style Immigrant Communities to Enhance Entrepreneurial Opportunities in the U.S.* Presented at the 2012 Rural Sociological (RSS) Conference in Chicago, IL. (Co-contributor).

Hightower, L., Brennan, M. A., and Niewolny, K. 2012. *Beginning Farmer Programs as Catalysts For Sustainable Community Development in African Immigrant and Refugee Communities*. Presented at the 2012 Community Development Society (CDS) Annual International Conference in Cincinnati, OH. (Co-contributor).

Tobin, D., Thomson, J., Radhakrishna, and Brennan, M.A. 2011. *Development of a Checklist to Ensure Data Quality in Theses and Dissertations*. Poster presented September 30, 2011 at the North Central Conference of the American Association for Agricultural Education annual meetings in University Park, PA. (Co-contributor).

Tobin, D., Brennan, M.A., and Bridger, J. 2011. *Bridging Participatory Action Theory and Interactional Community Theory: A Theoretical Model for Civic Action*. Paper presented July 30, 2011 at the Rural Sociological Society annual meetings in Boise, ID. (Co-contributor).

Brennan, M.A. and Galindo, S. 2010. *Potential for Community Leadership and Community Based Development in Rural Florida*. Paper presented July 28, 2010 at the Community Development Society Annual Meetings in New Orleans, LA. (Co-contributor).

Brennan, M.A. and McGrath, B. 2010. *Tradition, Cultures and Communities: Exploring the Potentials of Music and the Arts for Community Development in Appalachia*. Paper presented July 27, 2010 at the Community Development Society Annual Meetings in New Orleans, LA. (Co-contributor).

Brennan, M.A. and Nguyen, T. 2010. *Community Based Natural Resource Management in Rural Vietnam*. Poster presented July 25, 2010 at the Community Development Society Annual Meetings in New Orleans, LA. (Co-contributor).

Bolton, E., Brennan, M.A., Pracht, D., and Terry, B. 2008. *Action Research Helps Citizens Prepare Madison County, Florida Vision 2020*. Paper presented September 17, 2008 at the Joint Council of Extension Professionals (JCEP) Galaxy III Conference in Indianapolis, Indiana. (Co-contributor).

Brennan, M.A. and Dodd, A. 2008. *Understanding Citizen Involvement in the Restoration of the Florida Everglades*. Paper presented May 22, 2008 at the Association of Natural Resource Extension Professionals (ANREP) annual meetings in Madison, WI. (Co-contributor).

Raffe, R., Shah, M., Swisher, M.E., and Brennan, M.A. 2007. *An Exploration of the Issues, Opportunities, and Challenges Facing Hispanic and Latino Farmers and Ranchers*. Paper presented July 16, 2007 at the National Association of County Agricultural Agents annual meetings in Grand Rapids, MI. (Co-contributor).

Flint, C. and Brennan, M.A. 2006. *Rural Communities, Disaster, and Community Emergency Response Teams*. Paper presented August 12, 2006 at the Rural Sociological Society annual meetings in Louisville, KY. (Co-contributor).

Brennan, M.A. and Barnett, R. 2006. *An Exploration of Factors Shaping Youth Leadership and Involvement in Community Development: Findings from a Survey of Florida Youth*. Poster presentation May 16, 2006 at the National Children, Youth and Families at Risk (CYFAR) Program annual meetings in Atlanta, GA. (Co-contributor).

Barnett, R. and Brennan, M.A. 2006. *Trends in Teenagers' First Arrests: Implications for Youth and Community Workers*. Poster presentation at the National Children, Youth and Families at Risk (CYFAR) Program annual meetings in Atlanta, GA. May 2006. (Co-contributor).

Dodd, A., Brennan, M.A., Israel, G.D., and Mazzotti, F.J. 2005. *Increasing Citizen Involvement in Everglades Restoration*. Poster Presentation presented September 20, 2005 at the 13th Annual Nonpoint Source Monitoring Workshop in Raleigh, NC. (Co-contributor)

Brennan, M.A., Luloff, A.E., and Ricketts, K. D. 2005. *A Comparison Agency at the Community Level: Findings from Rural Ireland and Pennsylvania*. Paper presented August 11, 2005 at the Rural Sociological Society annual meetings in Tampa, FL. (Co-contributor).

Brennan, M.A. and C. Flint. 2005. *Community Agency, Action, and Local Culture: A Neglected Relationship*. Paper presented August 11, 2005 at the Rural Sociological Society annual meetings in Tampa, FL. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2005. *Volunteerism and Community Development: Findings from Communities in Ireland and Pennsylvania*. Paper presented February 15, 2004 at the National Association of Community Development Extension Professionals (NACDEP) Inaugural Conference in Las Vegas, Nevada. (Presenter).

3. Regional (total: 1)

Dodd, A., Brennan, M.A., Israel, G.D, and Mazzotti, F. J. 2005. *Increasing Citizen Involvement in Everglades Restoration*. Poster Presentation presented October 23-26, 2005 at the Racing to Success: The Southern Regional Water Quality Conference in Lexington, KY. (Co-contributor).

4. State (total: 2)

Dodd, A. and Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Citizen Participation Opportunities in Everglades Restoration Efforts*. Poster Presentation presented February 27, 2008 at the University of Florida Water Institute Symposium: Sustainable Water Resources: Florida Challenges, Global Solutions in Gainesville, FL. (Co-Contributor).

Bolton, E., Brennan, M.A., Bowman, L., Chernesky, M., Moore, M., and Peters, M. 2005. *Nonprofit Organizations and Extension*. Paper presented September 13, 2005 at the Florida Association of Extension Professionals (FAEP) meetings in Sarasota, FL. (Co-contributor).

5. Local (total: 4)

Jaroch, A., Brennan, M.A., Bolton, E., and Carodine, M. K. 2008. *Volunteer Participation among Members of Social Sororities and Fraternities*. Poster presented at the Eighth Annual CALS Graduate Research Symposium. April 14, 2008. (Co-contributor).

Moore, S., Barnett, R.V., and Brennan, M.A. 2007. *The Effects of Athletic Participation on Adolescent Sexual Debut*. Poster presented at the Seventh Annual CALS Graduate Research Symposium. March 21, 2007. (Co-contributor).

Bates, S., Barnett, R.V., Brennan, M.A., and Israel, G. 2007. *Gender Role Conflict (GRC) and Resilience in Adolescent/Emerging Adult Males*. Poster presented at the Seventh Annual CALS Graduate Research Symposium. March 21, 2007. (Co-contributor).

Brennan, M.A., Luloff, A.E., and Finley, J.C. 2004. *Building Sustainable Communities in Forested Regions*. Seminar presentation for the Department of Rural Sociology at the Pennsylvania State University. May 7, 2004. (Presenter).

D. Record of Participation in Seminars and Workshops - Invited

1. International (total: 13)

Brennan, M.A. 2013. "US Engagement with UNESCO and the UNESCO Chairs Program". Panel Discussion at the Annual Meeting of the US National Commission for UNESCO. December 16, 2013 in Washington, DC.

Brennan, M.A. 2013. "Achieving Education for All: Potentials for Global Education and Community Building Through UNESCO". Invited presentation to the Milton Hershey School and Hershey Foundation December 6, 2013 in Hershey, PA.

Brennan, M.A. 2013. "Achieving Education for All, Realizing Engaged Communities, and Creating Global Citizens Through the UNESCO Chairs Program". Inaugural Lecture of the UNESCO Chair program at Penn State. July 18, 2013 in University Park, PA.

Brennan, M.A. 2013. “Addressing the Challenges in Building a Culture of Respect for Children’s Voices”. Presentation at the UNESCO Child and Family Research Centre 6th Biennial International Conference, June 14, 2013 in Galway, Ireland.

Brennan, M.A. 2013. “Building Community and Youth Potentials Through the UNESCO Chairs Program”. Invited University Seminar at Chiba, University. Japan. February 21, 2013.

Brennan, M.A. 2010. *Big Brothers Big Sisters of Ireland: Changing the World Through Youth Mentoring*. Invited keynote and program launch for the Foroige and NUI-Galway Child and Family Research Centre, Big Brothers Big Sisters Program in Ireland. November 11, 2010, Dublin, Ireland.

Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Research and Evaluation Methods for Community Based Programs Focusing on Domestic Violence and Family Conflict*. Lecture/workshop conducted May 30, 2008 to the Mayo Children’s Initiative, a working group of the Mayo Women’s Support Services and NUI-Galway Child and Family Research Centre. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Adolescent Well-Being and Community Resilience: A Comparison of Rural Adolescents in Ireland and Florida*. Invited presentation at the National University of Ireland, Galway 2007 Building Resilience in Children, Families and Communities - Theory and Practice Conference. June 14, 2007. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Community Development: A Comparison of Efforts in America, Ireland, and Japan*. Invited presentation for faculty and graduate students at Chiba University, Japan. January 24, 2007. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2006. *Community Visioning and Strategic Planning*. Invited guest lecture, presentation, and discussion for collaborative research the Killala Community Council, Killala, Ireland. September 28, 2006. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2006. *The Emergence of the ‘Troubles’ in Northern Ireland*. Invited presentation at the Athlone Institute of Technology, Athlone, Ireland as part of a joint University of Florida/AIT summer program for American students. June 21, 2006. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2006. *Emigrants and Exiles: Irish Immigration and Emigration*. Invited presentation at the Athlone Institute of Technology, Athlone, Ireland as part of a joint University of Florida/AIT summer program for American students. June 15, 2006. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2005. *Emigrants and Exiles: Irish Immigration and Emigration*. Invited presentation at the Athlone Institute of Technology, Athlone, Ireland as part of a joint University of Florida/AIT summer program for American students. June 20, 2005. (Presenter).

2. National (total: 2)

Brennan, M.A. and E. Bolton. 2005. *Focus on Community Development Through Nonprofit Organizations, Leadership and Volunteer Development*. Workshop presented February 17, 2005 at the National Association of Community Development Extension Professionals (NACDEP) Inaugural Conference in Las Vegas, Nevada. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A., Luloff, A.E., and Finley, J.C. 2004. *Building Sustainable Communities in Forested Regions*. Seminar for the Department of Rural Sociology at the Pennsylvania State University. May 7, 2004. (Presenter).

3. State (total: 31)

Brennan, M.A. 2013. Achieving Education for All Through the UNESCO Chairs Program. Keynote address for the Epsilon Sigma Phi Extension Association Annual meetings. November 21, 2013 in State College, PA.

Brennan, M.A. 2011. *Community Action and Mapping the Assets of Your Community*. Two invited workshops as part of the Stronger Economies Together (SET) program. March 16 and April 11, 2011. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Developing Community Profiles Using Census and Other Data*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. July 28, 2008. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Community Action and Mapping the Assets of Your Community*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. July 21, 2008. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Understanding Community and Community Development*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. July 14, 2008. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Community Asset Mapping with emphasis on application to your promotion packet*. Workshop for communities as part of the Community Visioning and Capacity Building in Madison County, FL project. April 20, 2008. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Community Action and Civic Engagement*. Workshop for communities as part of the Community Visioning and Capacity Building in Madison County, FL project. April 20, 2008.

Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Identifying Local Power Structure*. Workshop for communities as part of the Community Visioning and Capacity Building in Madison County, FL project. March 28, 2008.

Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Understanding Local Decision Making*. Workshop for communities as part of the Community Visioning and Capacity Building in Madison County, FL project. March 28, 2008.

Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Understanding Community Development*. Workshop for communities as part of the Community Visioning and Capacity Building in Madison County, FL project. March 14, 2008.

- Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Measuring Community Characteristics*. Workshop for communities as part of the Community Visioning and Capacity Building in Madison County, FL project. March 14, 2008.
- Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Understanding Communities and the Rural-Urban Interface*. Workshop for communities as part of the Community Visioning and Capacity Building in Madison County, FL project. February 26, 2008. (Presenter).
- Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Defining and Understanding the Community*. Workshop for communities as part of the Community Visioning and Capacity Building in Madison County, FL project. February 26, 2008. (Presenter).
- Brennan, M.A. 2008. *Community Asset Mapping with emphasis on application to your promotion packet*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. February 12, 2008. (Presenter).
- Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Defining and Understanding the Community*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. November 14, 2007. (Presenter).
- Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Understanding Community Development*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. October 11, 2007. (Presenter).
- Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Measuring Community Characteristics*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. September 23, 2007. (Presenter).
- Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Understanding Communities and the Rural-Urban Interface*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. August 15, 2007. (Presenter).
- Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Understanding Local Decision Making*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. August 15, 2007. (Presenter).
- Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Teaching about Environmental Issues: Land Us*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. July 5-6, 2007. (Presenter).
- Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Community Action and Civic Engagement*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. May 28, 2007. (Presenter).
- Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Identifying Local Power Structures*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. May 15, 2007. (Presenter).
- Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Organizing Local Citizens for Community Development*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. May 8, 2007. (Presenter).
- Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Teaching about Environmental Issues: Land Use*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. April 17-18, 2007. (Presenter).
- Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Sustainable Communities and Organizations: Developing Community through Nonprofit Organizations, Leadership and Volunteers*. Invited presentation at the UF Family and Consumer Science Summit, Kissimmee, Florida. February 22, 2007. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2006. *Organizing Local Citizens for Community Development*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. May 16, 2006. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2005. *Asset Mapping with Youth and Community Groups*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents and 4-H Educators. November 16, 2004. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2005. *Volunteerism and Community Development: The Important Role of Older Residents*. Invited presentation at the Florida Association for Home and Community Education (FAHCE) annual meetings. October 13, 2005. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2004. *Managing and Resolving Conflict*. Workshop as part of the UF/IFAS - Extension Leadership Forum (ELF). November 3, 2004. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2004. *Managing Community Groups for Leadership Results*. Workshop as part of the Jim Walters Partnership/University of South Florida, Leadership Plenty Community Leadership program. September 18, 2004. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2004. *Community Development through Nonprofit Organizations, Leadership and Volunteer Development*. Workshop for UF/IFAS Extension agents. April 24, 2005. (Presenter).

4. Local (total: 10)

Brennan, M.A. 2013. "Youth Leadership in Communities Decimated by Disease and Poverty: Focus on Zambia". Keynote address for the United Nations Association of Centre County UN Day Dinner. October 20, 2013 in State College, PA.

Brennan, M.A. 2012. *It's all About Your Community*. Keynote presentation to the Centre County Affordable Housing Coalition Affordable Housing Summit in State College, PA. October 25, 2012.

Brennan, M.A. 2009. *Extension, Natural Resources and Community Leadership*. Seminar presented to the Department of Agricultural Education and Communications, at the University of Florida. January 15, 2009. (Presenter).

Brennan, M. 2008. *Volunteerism and Community Capacity Building*. Guest lecture and workshop for the GOONIES community group (Giving Others Opportunity through Nurturing, Individuality, Effort and Sportsmanship). October 4, 2008. (Presenter).

Radunovich, H., Baugh, E., Brennan, M.A., Davis, V., Gonzalez, S., and Bueller, A. 2008. *Plagiarism on Campus*. Panel presentation at the 9th Annual CALS Teaching Enhancement Symposium. August 12, 2008. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2007. *Measuring Values and Progress: A Comparison of Rural Community Agency and Action*. Seminar presented to the School of Natural Resources and the Environment, at the University of Florida. April 2, 2007. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2005. *Publishing in an Academic Setting: Suggestions for Successful Publishing*. Invited presentation to African Scholars as part of the Norman E. Borlaug International Fellows Program at the University of Florida. November 18, 2005. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A., Jahn, D. Shaw, K. Beish, M., and Rush, A. 2005. *A Summer of Study in Ireland: An Overview of a Student International Program*. Seminar presented to the Department of Family, Youth, and Community Sciences, at the University of Florida. August 23, 2005. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2004. *Community and Community Development*. Invited guest lecture for Family, Youth, and Community Sciences graduate students. September 26, 2005. (Presenter).

Brennan, M.A. 2004. *Exploring National Differences in Community Agency: A Comparison of Rural Community Action in Ireland and Pennsylvania*. Seminar presented to the School of Natural Resources and the Environment, at the University of Florida. September 28, 2004. (Presenter).

E. Description of Outreach or Other Activities in Which There Was Significant Use of Candidate's Expertise

1. Editor of Scholarly Journals (total: 8)

Managing Editor, Case Studies. *Community Development: Journal of the Community Development Society*. June 2011-present.

Editorial Board Member, *Journal of the Community Development Society, Book Series* (January 2010-present). (7 book proposals reviewed).

Editor of Special Issues. *Community Development: Journal of the Community Development Society*. June 2009-present.

Co-Editor, *Rural Realities*. June 2008-2010.

Editorial Board Member, *Journal of the Community Development Society* (May 2008-present).

Guest Editor. Brennan, M.A. and Barnett, R. 2009. Special issue "Community and Youth Development" *Community Development: Journal of the Community Development Society*. 44(4). Entire Issue.

Guest Editor. Brennan, M.A. and Brown, R. 2008. Special issue "Community Theory: Current Perspectives and Future Directions" *Community Development: Journal of the Community Development Society*. 39(2). Entire Issue. B-39.

Guest Editor. Brennan, M.A. and Flint, C. 2007. Special issue "Rural Communities and Disaster: Research from the US Gulf States and Beyond" *Southern Rural Sociology*. 22(2). Entire Issue.

2. Review of Manuscripts for Refereed Journals (*total: 316*)

A. Editorial Board Reviews (*total: 205*)

Community Development Society. Special Issue on Disaster Response and Recovery. Content Reviewer. (2011). (16 manuscripts reviewed).

North American Colleges and Teachers of Agriculture. Reviewer. (October 2009-present). (25 manuscripts reviewed).

Community Development Society. Juried Sessions/Manuscript Reviewer. (October 2009). (22 manuscripts reviewed).

Rural Sociological Society. Juried Sessions/Manuscript Reviewer. (October 2007-2009). (8 manuscripts reviewed).

Rural Realities. (October 2005-2009). Reviewer. (12 manuscripts reviewed).

Journal of the Community Development Society. Reviewer. (May 2004-present). (87 manuscripts reviewed).

International Journal of Volunteer Administration. Reviewer. (May 2004-present). (36 manuscripts reviewed).

B. Selected Subject Matter Reviews (*total: 110*)

Journal of Rural and Community Development. (January 2013-present). Reviewer. (3 manuscripts reviewed).

Journal of Child and Family Social Work. (September 2011-present). Reviewer. (5 manuscripts reviewed).

Journal of Intergenerational Relationships. (March 2011-present). Reviewer. (2 manuscripts reviewed).

Journal of Adolescence. Reviewer. (November 2010-present). Reviewer. (5 manuscripts reviewed).

Community Development Practice. Reviewer. (August 2010-present). Reviewer. (3 manuscripts reviewed).

Applied Research in Quality of Life. (October 2009-present). Reviewer. (1 manuscripts reviewed).

Journal of Leadership Educators. (June 2009-present). Reviewer. (1 manuscripts reviewed).

Journal of Men's Studies. (June 2009-present). Reviewer. (2 manuscripts reviewed).

Sociologia Ruralis (October 2006-present). Reviewer. (4 manuscripts reviewed).

Journal of Extension. (October 2005-present). Reviewer. (8 manuscripts reviewed).

Agriculture and Human Values. Reviewer. (November 2005-present). (5 manuscripts reviewed).

Rural Sociology. Reviewer. (May 2004-present). (14 manuscripts reviewed).

Journal of International Agricultural and Extension Education. Reviewer. (May 2004-present). (23 manuscripts reviewed).

Journal of Rural Social Sciences (formerly Southern Rural Sociology). (May 2004-present). Reviewer. (10 manuscripts reviewed).

Journal of Rural Studies. (May 2004-present). Reviewer. (15 manuscripts reviewed).

Society and Natural Resources. (May 2004-present). Reviewer. (12 manuscripts reviewed).

3. Review of Grant Funding Proposals (total: 132)

Southern Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education program (SSARE) Southern Sustainable Community Innovations Grant Program. Review Panel Member. (2008). (22 proposals reviewed).

Community Development program committee for the Cooperative Extension Curriculum Program (CECP). National Development Team Member. (2007-2010). (3 curricula reviewed).

Southern Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education program (SSARE) Southern Sustainable Community Innovations Grant Program. Review Panel Member. (Fall 2007). (21 proposals reviewed).

Southern Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education program (SSARE) Southern Sustainable Community Innovations Grant Program. Review Panel Member. (Spring 2007). (26 proposals reviewed).

California Bay-Delta Authority. Funding Proposal Reviewer. (2005). USDA/Rural Sociological Society sponsored conference "Hurricane Katrina Response" Nashville, TN. Panel Member. (2005). (22 proposals reviewed).

Southern Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education program (SSARE) Southern Sustainable Community Innovations Grant Program. Review Panel Member. (2005). (21 proposals reviewed).

California Bay-Delta Authority. Funding Proposal Reviewer. (2004). (17 proposals reviewed).

4. Review of Non-Refereed Materials (total: 38)

Family Album Radio (May 2004-2009). Reviewer. (4 radio scripts reviewed).

University of Florida Electronic Data Information Source (EDIS). Reviewer. (May 2004-2009). (26 manuscripts reviewed)

Red Line Editorial publishers. Content reviewer. Spring 2009.
(5 family, youth, and community books reviewed).

Wadsworth Publishing. Textbook Reviewer. Spring 2008.
(1 Research Methods textbook reviewed).

Oxford University Press. Book Proposal/Chapter Reviewer. Fall 2007.
(2 Research Methods book proposals reviewed).

5. Professional and Scientific Activities: (*total: 125*)

Rapporteur. UNESCO. Engaging Youth in Planning Education for Social Transformation: Opportunities for Civic Engagement Forum. October 18, 2012.

Committee Chair. Undergraduate Awards Body of Ireland. Social Studies Judging Panel - Undergraduate Awards. July-September 2012.
(63 manuscripts reviewed)

Judge. Undergraduate Awards Body of Ireland. Social Studies Judging Panel - Undergraduate Awards. July-September 2011.
(40 manuscripts reviewed)

Session Chair, Working group at *Africa2Ag* week meetings. University Park, PA (August 22-26, 2011).
1. "Building capacity for agricultural development in Africa." .
2. "Engaging students for collaborative partnerships in African agriculture."

2010 Gamma Sigma Delta/ CAS Research Exposition. Judge. March 17, 2009.
(Judged 9 research posters).

Panel Member. Invited panel member for the "What is Extension Sociology?" working group at the Rural Sociological Society annual meetings in Santa Clara, CA. August 5, 2007.

Session Chair, Working group at the *Rural Sociological Society* annual meetings; Santa Clara, CA (Aug. 3-5, 2007)
1. "Community and Action"
2. "Research Methods"
3. "New Direction in Community Theory"

Panel Member. Invited panel member for the "Rural Communities and Disaster: Roundtable Discussion" working group at the Rural Sociological Society annual meetings in Louisville, KY. August 13, 2006.

Session Chair, Working groups at the *Rural Sociological Society* annual meetings; Louisville, KY (Aug. 12-15, 2006)

1. "Community Action"
2. "Rural Disaster Response"
3. "Community and Culture"

Certification, Pew Partnership for Civic Change, LeadershipPlenty Certification Program. 2004.

Session Chair for the "Rural NGOs, civic associations and rural civil society" working group at the European Society for Rural Sociology annual meetings in Sligo, Ireland. August 17, 2003.

6. Service to Schools (*total: 13*)

Tenure and Promotion Packet External Reviewer for the University of Missouri. 2013.
(1 packets reviewed).

Hosted a delegation of Australian administrators from the University of New England at the Pennsylvania State University (February 2013).

Hosted a delegation of Russian graduate students and program administrators from Moscow State Agricultural University at the Pennsylvania State University (October 2012).

Hosted a delegation of UNESCO, National University of Ireland, Galway administrators, and Irish NGO partners at the Pennsylvania State University (August 29-September 6, 2012).

Hosted a delegation of UNESCO and National University of Ireland, Galway administrators at the Pennsylvania State University (October 29-November 5, 2011).

Tenure and Promotion Packet External Reviewer for the University of Florida. 2010.
(3 packets reviewed).

Hosted a delegation of Ukrainian leadership and community development representatives at the Pennsylvania State University (July 2010).

International external examiner, Community Development graduate program for the National University of Ireland, Galway; 52 Masters theses reviewed (2008 – 2011).

Hosted a delegation of Japanese community development and agricultural faculty at the National University of Ireland, Galway (June 5-11, 2007).

Brennan, M.A. 2007. "Beltane: Celtic Traditions and Celebrations of Spring." Invited presentation through the UF Center for European Studies to local high school teachers as an outreach activity for their use in Spring, Halloween, and Winter lectures, festivals, and celebrations. April 25, 2007.

Barnett, R.V. and Brennan, M.A. 2006. Survey Developer, Buchholz High School Academy of Entrepreneurship. Developed survey for data collection on impact of magnet program to alumni as youth and long-term impact as adult entrepreneurs.

Hosted a delegation of Irish community development agents at the University of Florida (March 5-13, 2006).

Hosted a delegation of Irish researchers at the University of Florida (January 3-9, 2006).

F. Funded Projects, Grants, Commissions, and Contracts Completed Projects

1. Completed Projects

Year	Project Title	Investigators	Total Dollar Amount	Role	Sponsor
201-2013	Distinguished Honors Fellow	Brennan, M.	10,000	PI	Penn State, Schreyer Honors College
2013	International Travel Funds for Student Study Abroad: Vietnam and Cambodia.	Brennan, M.	1,500	PI	Associate Dean, Undergraduate Education, College of Ag. Sciences
2013	International Travel Funds for Student Study Abroad: Vietnam and Cambodia.	Brennan, M.	8,000	Co-PI	Schreyer Honors College
2012	Student Tag Along Funding- K. Ortbal	Brennan, M.	1,200	PI	Penn State, College of Ag. Sciences, Int. Programs
2012	Undergraduate Summer Research Funds	Brennan, M.	3,000	PI	Associate Dean, Undergraduate Education, College of Ag. Sciences
2012	International Travel Funds for Student Study Abroad: Vietnam and Cambodia.	Brennan, M.	8,000	PI	Schreyer Honors College
2012	International Travel Funds for Student Study Abroad: Vietnam and Cambodia.	Brennan, M. and Patel-Campillo, A.	2,000	Co-PI	Penn State, College of Ag. Sciences, Int. Programs
2012	International Travel Funds for Student Study Abroad: Vietnam and Cambodia.	Brennan, M.	2,500	PI	PSU Office of Global Programs
2012	Tag Along Funds - Vietnam – A. Patel-Campillo	Brennan, M.	1,250	PI	Penn State, College of Ag. Sciences, Int. Programs
2011	Fulbright Senior Specialist Fellowship	Brennan, M.	25,000	PI	William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board and the US Dept. of State

2011	Determinants of Agricultural Students Decision to Take Part in Short Term Study Abroad Opportunities.	Bruening, T. and Brennan, M.	10,000	Co-PI	PSU, College of Agricultural Sciences, International Prog./INTAD
2011	Agricultural Advocates Study Tour of Ireland	Brennan, M.	4,500	PI	Penn State, College of Agricultural Sciences, International Programs
2011	Agricultural Ambassador Study Tour of Ireland	Brennan, M.,	3,750	PI	Associate Dean, Undergraduate Education, College of Ag. Sciences
2010	Travel Grant- Vietnam and Cambodia	Brennan, M.	3,000	PI	Penn State, College of Agricultural Sciences, International Programs
2010	Travel Grant- Vietnam and Cambodia	Brennan, M.	1,000	PI	Penn State Schreyer Honors College Course Development
2010	Strengthening Citizen-Centered Governance in the Rural South	Beaulieu, L., Welborne, R., Robinson, K., Brennan, M	80,000	Co-PI	Kettering Foundation
2010	Stronger Economies Together: <i>Strategies for Building New Economic Opportunities</i>	Goetz, S. and Brennan, M.	80,000	Co-PI	USDA NIFA
2009	e-Xtension for Multistate Disaster Resilient Communities	Tootle, D., Beaulieu, L., Flint, C., and Brennan, M.	72,456	Co-PI	USDA CSREES
2008	European Union Travel Award	Brennan, M.	1,000	PI	UF, Center for European Studies
2008	UF Richard Jones Outstanding Faculty Research Award	Brennan, M.	5,000	PI	University of Florida
2008	2008 International Travel Grant - Ireland	Brennan, M.	1,000	PI	Univ. of Florida, International Programs
2008	Planning for the Future of Madison County, FL	Bolton, E. and Brennan, M.	5,000	Co-PI	University of Florida

2008	UNESCO Visiting Research Fellowship	Brennan, M.	10,000	PI	UNESCO/ Nat. Univ. of Ireland, Galway
2007	Assessing Community Vulnerability in Disaster Threatened Communities	Beaulieu, L., Brennan, M. , Cothran, H.	30,000	Co-PI	Southern Rural Development Center
2007	Community Development and Planning for Hamilton County, FL	Cato, J., Brennan, M. , Racevskis, L., Carr, M., and Zwick, P.	356,640	Co-PI	Private Donor for University of Florida
2007	NUIG Visiting Research Fellowship	Brennan, M.	10,000	PI	National University of Ireland, Galway
2007	JSPS Visiting Research Fellowship	Brennan, M.	20,000	PI	Japan Society for the Promotion of Science
2007-2008	Development of Asset/Deficit Profiles to Aid Retention of Rural Youth in Agricultural Relevant Communities	Barnet, R. and Brennan, M.	41,525	Co-PI	University of Florida, IFAS Research Innovation Fund
2006-2008	Community Theory: Current Perspectives and Future Directions	Brennan, M.	5,000	PI	University of Florida, IFAS Office of the Research Dean
2006-2007	Teaching About Environmental Issues: Land Use	Brennan, M. and Cullen, J.	5,000	Co-PI	Univ. of Florida, SNRE, Faculty Dev. Grant
2006-2007	Analysis of the Characteristics and Issues Facing Hispanic/Latino Farmers & Ranchers	Swisher, M. and Brennan, M.	19,846	Co-PI	USDA - CSREES: National Research Initiative
2006-2007	Customizing Food Safety Training Programs for Ethnic Food Vendors	Simone, A. and Brennan, M.	599,094	Co-PI	USDA CSREES
2005-2007	Local Support Networks in Meeting the Needs of Rural Youth: A Comparison of Youth in Ireland and America	Brennan, M. and Barnett, R.	10,000	PI	University of Florida
2005-2006	Increasing Citizen Involvement in Everglades Restoration Management	Brennan, M. and Dodd, A.	5,000	Co-PI	University of Florida, SNRE, Early Faculty Development Grant

2005-2006	Online Course Development Funding	Brennan, M.	5,000	PI	UF, Office of the Dean for Teaching
2004-2005	Minigrant Award for the Improvement of Instruction	Brennan, M.	3,000	PI	University of Florida
2004-2005	Growth Management, Sustainability, and Community Well-Being in Rural Florida.	Brennan, M.	5,000	PI	Univ. of Florida, SNRE, Early Faculty Dev. Grant
2004-2005	Enhancing SRDC's Accountability: Developing an Evaluation and Reporting System	Israel, G. and Brennan, M.	30,000	Co-PI	Southern Rural Development Center
2004	International Travel Grant - Ireland	Brennan, M.	1,000	PI	UF, IFAS International Programs Office
2003	Dissertation Research Award: Community Action: A Comparison of Rural Ireland and Rural Pennsylvania	Brennan, M.	6,300	PI	Rural Sociological Society
2003	Kenneth P. Wilkinson Memorial Scholarship in Rural Sociology	Brennan, M.	2,000	PI	Penn State, Rural Sociology
2003	2003 International Research Grant - Ireland	Brennan, M.	4,500	PI	Penn State, College of Agricultural Sciences/ International Programs

Summary of Completed Projects	
Number of Projects	Total Amount
42	\$1,498,061

2. In-Progress Projects

Year	Project Title	Investigators	Total Dollar Amount	Role	Sponsor
2013	Engaging Youth as Leaders: A Transnational Pilot for Youth Leadership in Kenya and Zambia	Brennan, M.	70,000	PI	UNESCO
2012	Building Evidence on How to Support Adolescents through a Comparative Tracking of their Perceived Social Support Outcomes	Forkan, C., Dolan, P. and Brennan, M.	28,566	Co-PI	National University of Ireland
2012	The Role of Social Networks and Supports in Effective Military Youth Responses to Parental Deployment	Perkins, D., Brennan, M. , and Aronson, K.	21,000	PI	Clearinghouse for Military Family Readiness and PSU Children, Youth, and Family Consortium
2011	Preparing Graduate Students to Feed The Future: A New Dual-Title Degree Program in International Agriculture and Development (INTAD)	Brennan, M. , Rajotte, E., Gill, T., Findeis, J.	140,171	Co-PI	USDA-NIFA Higher Education Challenge Grant
2011	Creating an African Specialization in the CED Program with Integrated Service Learning	Larson, J., Duiker, S., Glenna, L., and Brennan, M.	75,000	Co-PI	Penn State Alliance for Education, Science, Engineering, and Development in Africa (AESEDA)
2010	Student and Faculty Perceptions of the Quality of Instruction at Penn State	Willits, F., Beierlein, J., Brennan, M. , and Wade, B.	15,000	Co-PI	Penn State, Internal Funds

Summary of In-Progress Projects	
Number of Projects	Total Amount
6	\$ 349,737

3. Proposed Projects

Submitted Proposals

Year	Project Title	Investigators	Total Dollar Amount	Role	Sponsor	Status
2013	Energy, Environment and Climate Change: An Innovative Pilot Exchange of Scholars from India and the United States Focused on Environmental Sustainability	Brennan, M., Radhakrishna, R., Kelsey, T., Luloff, A.E., Fisher-Vanden, K.	249,598	Co-PI	Obama-Singh 21 st Century Knowledge Initiative	Submitted
2013	Development of Methodological Tools to Assess the UNAIDS Youth Outreach Program	Brennan, M. and Dolan, P.	105,000	PI	United Nations	Submitted
2013	Building Leadership Skills and Engaging Vulnerable Youth in Rural Community Development In Africa	Brennan, M. and Dolan, P.	412,450	PI	UNESCO/ Japanese Government	Submitted
2013	A Pilot Program for the New Generation of Ag. Leaders	M. Brennan and Bennett, N.	150,000	PI	USDA HEC	Submitted
2013	Collaborative Adaptation of Coastal Environments	Sheng, Y., Brown, M., Irani, T., Brennan, M.	2,438,737	Co-PI	NSF	Submitted
2012	Building Capacity through Youth Civic Engagement and Education: Research to Identify Best Practices.	Brennan, M. and Dolan, P.	324,250 (€250,000)	Co-PI	UNESCO	Submitted
2012	Establishing a Global UNESCO Research Response Team	Brennan, M. and Dolan, P.	324,250 (€250,000)	Co-PI	UNESCO	Submitted
2012	The Creation of a Transnational Alliance for Youth Engagement	Brennan, M. and Dolan, P.	324,250 (€250,000)	Co-PI	UNESCO	Submitted
2012	Creating and Engaging Youth Leaders: A Proposal for Sustainable Leadership Development in the Global South	Brennan, M. and Dolan, P.	324,250 (€250,000)	Co-PI	UNESCO	Submitted
2012	Preparing Our Graduate Students to Feed the Future	Behring, D., Gill, T., Brennan, M. , Jensen, L. and Rajotte, E.	50,000	Co-PI	John Deere Foundation	Submitted
2012	Strengthening Citizen-Centered Governance in the Rural South	Beaulieu, L., Welborne, R., Robinson, K., Brennan, M.	120,000	Co-PI	Kettering Foundation	Submitted

Unfunded Proposals

Year	Project Title	Investigators	Total Dollar Amount	Role	Sponsor	Status
2011	Discovering Emerging Leaders in the Agricultural Sciences: A Multistate Undergraduate Leadership Program Pilot	Brennan, M. , Birkenholz, R., Faulkner, P., Ewing, J., and Radhakrishna,	1,071,825	PI	USDA NIFA, Higher Education Challenge Grant	Unfunded
2011	Creating an African Specialization in the Community, Environment, and Development Program	Larson, J., Duiker, S., Glenna, L., and Brennan, M.	150,000	Co-PI	USDA (ISE) Grants Program	Unfunded
2010	Laying the Foundation for Ensuring a Cleaner and Greener Environment-Gardens of Success	Webster, N. and Brennan, M.	242,556	Co-PI	Learn and Serve America	Unfunded
2010	Building Civil Societies through Intergenerational Development	Kaplan, M. and Brennan, M.	458,005	Co-PI	United States Agency for International Development	Unfunded
2010	Global 4-H Network Virtual Knowledge Center Tanzania	Behring, D., Gill, T., Brennan, M. , and Larson, J.	50,000	PI	National 4-H Foundation	Unfunded
2010	Discovering Emerging Leaders in the Agricultural Sciences: A Multistate Undergraduate Leadership Pilot Program	Brennan, M. , Birkenholz, R., Cohen, S., Ewing, J., Radhakrishna, R., and Foster, D.	1,000,000	PI	USDA NIFA, Higher Education Challenge Grant	Unfunded
2010	Intergenerational Strategies for Youth and Community Development	Kaplan, M. and Brennan, M.	400,000	Co-PI	Ford Foundation	Unfunded
2009	International Dimensions of Agricultural Leadership	Brennan, M.	5,000	PI	Penn State, Schreyer Institute	Unfunded
2008	Civic Engagement and Dev. in the Rural South	Brennan, M. and Swisher, M.	489,750	PI	USDA CSREES NRI	Unfunded
2007	Building Local Capacity Through Citizen Based Emergency Response Teams	Brennan, M.	30,000	PI	UF, School of Natural Resources and Environment	Unfunded
2007	Community Leadership and Exchange Iraq	Brennan, M. , Sammons, D., and Barnett, R.	871,596	PI	US Department of State	Unfunded
2006	Rural Enterprise Grant Pre-Proposal	Brennan, M.	50,000	PI	Ford Foundation	Unfunded
2006	Sustainable Development and Civic Engagement	Brennan, M. and Galindo, S.	25,000	Co-PI	US Forest Service	Unfunded

2006	Opportunities for Rural Development through Civic Engagement	Brennan, M. and Swisher, M.	159,219	Co-PI	USDA CSREES NRI	Unfunded
2005	Superfund Community Outreach Research Grant	Wells, J. and Brennan, M.	99,886	Co-PI	Environmental Protection Agency	Unfunded
2005	Everglades Protection, Management, and Restoration Grant	Brennan, M. and Dodd, A.	30,500	PI	Department of Interior	Unfunded
2005	Mentorvention: An Experiential Mentoring Curriculum for Youth Risk Prevention Professionals	Barnett, R. and Brennan, M.	136,213	Co-PI	USDA NIFA, Higher Education Challenge Grant	Unfunded
2005	Community Development, Civic Engagement, and Rural Development in FL	Brennan, M.	71,800	PI	USDA CSREES NRI	Unfunded
2004	Hurricane Charlie Response and Recovery	Brennan, M.	62,000	PI	Federal Emergency Management Agency	Unfunded
2004	Community Based Agricultural Transition in Florida	Brennan, M.	25,000	PI	USDA Southern Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education	Unfunded

Summary of Proposed Projects		
Number of Projects	Total Amount	Status
31	\$4,822,785 Submitted/Pending \$5,428,350 Unfunded	11 Submitted 20 Unfunded

4. Agriculture Experiment Station Research Programs

Dr. Brennan has been part of four Agricultural Experiment Station Research Programs. Currently he is assigned to two programs. For each research program, a cross-reference of scholarly outputs is listed in parentheses:

AES Project 4526 - National and International Community and Leadership Development. (2013-present). (15% assignment).

AES Project 4192 – Leadership Development of Youth and Adults. (2009-present). (15% assignment).

AES Project 4427 – Strategies to Enhance and Strengthen Internationalization of College of Agricultural Sciences. (2010-present). (10% assignment).

AES Project 4129 – Risk and Resiliency in Youth, Families, and Communities and Positive Development Promotional Strategies and Interventions. (2009-2010). (10% assignment).

G. Record of Membership in Professional and Learned Societies (*total: 12*)

Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society. Member, 2006-present.

North American Colleges and Teachers of Agriculture (NACTA). Member, 2006-present.

National Association of Community Development Extension Professionals. Member, 2005-2009.

Community Development Society. Member, 2004-present.

Southern Rural Sociological Association. Member, 2004-2009.

Gamma Sigma Delta. 2003-present.

Association for International Agricultural and Extension Education. Member, 2004-2009.

European Society for Rural Sociology. Member, 2002-present.

Mid-South Sociological Association. Member, 1998-2009.

American Sociological Association. Member, 1998-2007.

American Society for Public Administrators. Member, 1998-2006.

Rural Sociological Society. Member, 1992 to present.

H. Description of New Courses or Programs Developed

1. New Courses at Penn State (total: 6)

AEE 505. Leadership Development. (elective) (3 credits).

This graduate seminar critically examines the intellectual core of community leadership development theory and practice. An understanding of what constitutes these concepts is vital in addressing the issues and problems impacting our communities. The cornerstone of effective leadership and community development is the active involvement of local citizens in planning, decision-making, and efforts to enhance local well-being. Such action serves as a catalyst for transforming routine interaction into purposive efforts that contribute to the emergence of community. This adaptive capacity is reflected in the ability of people to manage, utilize, and enhance those resources available to them in addressing local issues and needs. The ability of local residents to come together to address community issues is vital to the long-term viability and sustainability of communities and cultures. Community-based action, in these and other settings, is seen as essential to the development of community and local well-being. The course clarifies the various ways in which leadership and community have been conceptualized, and explore a variety of methods for enhancing vital local capacities.

Educational Materials Developed to Support Course AEE 505

A course packet of selected research, theory, and practice literature was assembled to provide a basis for understanding various issues. In addition information on a variety of programs and policies shaping community and leadership development was compiled to highlight the application of research and theory in practice.

AEE 201. Interpersonal Skills for Tomorrow's Leaders. (elective) (3 credits)

The purpose of the course is to aid students in becoming competent in conducting interpersonal relationships in their daily life, and to help students acquire skills basic to becoming a leader in their personal and professional lives. Becoming an effective leader addresses: 1) exercising effective leadership in clubs, organizations and the workplace, 2) motivating and helping others to develop and grow through coaching, counseling and teaching, 3) using power and influence for constructive purposes, and 4) translating ethical behaviors into usable skills. Each class meeting focuses on one or more concepts related to leadership and interpersonal skill development. Students are provided a number of experiential activities that help them practice a particular set of skills. In addition, students are required to complete a service learning project applying their leadership and interpersonal skills with individuals in the community who are in need of their help. The course was co-taught and developed with Dr. Connie Baggett.

Educational Materials Developed to Support Course AEE 201

A central text and group of supplementary readings was assembled to provide a basis for exploring interpersonal skill development. Following discussion of literature, in class discussion, activities, individual assessments, and group activities are conducted to enhance student skills and foster the application of these in real world leadership settings.

INTAG 490. Senior Seminar for International Agriculture (INTAG) Minors. (required) (3 credits)

This course was designed to meet the need for a capstone course within the International Agriculture (INTAG) minor. The course provides a range of experiential learning and a synthesis of the international experiences encountered through the INTAG program. Included is course content designed to provide a holistic integration of the four main INTAG study areas (Socioeconomic and Communication Systems, Animal and Plant Sciences, Natural Resources and the Environment, and Food, Health, and Nutrition). These are supported by international guest speakers, student centered learning activities, and individual presentations. The second half of the course involves site visits to major international development agencies in Washington, D.C. (USAID, USDA Foreign Agriculture Service, World Bank, and various NGOs) and the development and presentation of a College wide International Experience symposium. This symposium allows students to present and discuss their international experiences, establish plans for future collaboration, and engage in panel discussions with international experts. All of the above are designed to facilitate the continued international impact of our students. The course was co-taught and developed with Dr. Thomas Gill.

Educational Materials Developed to Support Course INTAG 490

A course packet of selected international readings and research literature was assembled to provide a basis for understanding various issues. A rotating series of guest lecturers also provides reading and reference materials to allow the most recent and relevant literature to be made available to course students. Following discussion of literature, in class discussions and videoconferences with international researchers, practitioners, and subject matter experts are conducted to increase student understanding of discussion issues in a specific international setting.

INTAG 499 - Community, Leadership and Reconciliation: Vietnam and Cambodia.(elective) (3 credits)

A direct need exists for our honors students to be exposed to subject matters experts, methodologies, and programs/policies focusing on leadership and community development, social change, and active efforts designed to resolve conflict and facilitate reconciliation in conflict ridden settings. The nations of Vietnam and Cambodia are particularly appropriate, having witnessed some of the most dramatic conflicts of the last half century. Emerging from the ashes of decades long war, genocide, and ethnic strife, all sites have dealt with the resolution of conflict and the rebuilding of civil societies in variety of unique ways. Effective community level change and grassroots leadership development have been at the core of conflict resolution and post-conflict reconciliation and rebuilding. This course contains a variety of seminar and student led learning activities, direct interaction with Asian and European subject matter experts in advance of study tours (via the PolyCom videoconferencing system, Adobe Connect, Skype Video), and culminates in a study abroad trip. This format engages all students in the learning process, allow students to take responsibility for their own learning experience, and facilitate the development of their international professional networks. The course was co-taught with Dr. Anouk Patel-Campillo.

Educational Materials Developed to Support Course HONS/INTAG 499

A supplemental course packet of PowerPoint presentations, selected readings, literature, films, music, art, historical and culture references was assembled and discussed with students prior to taking part in the program. While in Vietnam and Cambodia, the program was tailored to the interests, research needs, and career goals of participants. This allowed the development of professional networks and a more individualized international experience.

INTAG 499A. Exploring Agricultural Leadership in Europe: Ireland, the Celtic Tiger, and Modern Agriculture. (elective) (3 credits)

Offered as a special topics course in 2011 for Ag Advocate students. This course explores a variety of issues shaping agricultural programs and policy in the context of Ireland, Northern Ireland, and the European Union. The course meets weekly during the semester and concludes with a two-week embedded study tour. The course focuses on international agricultural leadership, European Union and United Kingdom agricultural programs/policy, conflict resolution, and rural development. The embedded international course takes place throughout Ireland and Northern Ireland, and as such provides a detailed overview of Irish culture, history, and development. Through lectures, site visits, discussion and reading, the course introduces participants to Ireland and the Irish, focusing on key aspects of European agriculture, history, migration, culture, economy, and rural community life.

Educational Materials Developed to Support Course INTAG 499A

A supplemental course packet of PowerPoint presentations, selected readings, literature, films, music, art, historical and culture references was assembled and discussed with students prior to taking part in the summer program. While in Ireland, the program was tailored to the interests, research needs, and career goals of participants. This allowed the development of professional networks and a more individualized international experience.

INTAD 820/AEE 597A. International Agricultural Development Seminar Series: Sub-Saharan Africa. (required) (3 credits)

This course provides opportunities for students to explore history, culture, social-economic, and food security issues related to international development in Sub-Saharan Africa. The course is co-taught and developed with Dr. Tom Bruening. Through this course, students will be able to: 1) Appreciate the history, cultures, institutions and economies of Sub-Saharan Africa; 2) Explain in detail several key development issues that plague efforts to increase production and distribution of food in Sub-Saharan Africa; 3) Identify processes and programs that are alleviating poverty and hunger in Sub-Saharan Africa; 4) Identify and explain research strategies that faculty from the College of Agricultural Sciences and elsewhere are working with to help reduce poverty and improve food security in Sub-Saharan Africa; 5) Identify and explain how to effectively work as part of a development team in Sub-Saharan Africa; and 6) Explain the role of natural resource preservation and environmental quality and the methods that are being implemented to protect and enhance these resources in Sub-Saharan Africa.

Educational Materials Developed to Support Course INTAD 820/AEE 597

A course packet of selected international readings and research literature was assembled to provide a basis for understanding various issues. A rotating series of guest lecturers also provides reading and reference materials to allow the most recent and relevant literature to be made available to course students. Following discussion of literature, in class discussions and videoconferences with international researchers, practitioners, and subject matter experts are conducted to increase student understanding of discussion issues in a specific international setting.

2. New Courses at the University of Florida (total: 3)

FYC 6802. Advanced Research Methods for FYCS. (required) (3 credits)

This course critically examines and develops competencies in the area of advanced research design. This course clarifies the various methods and techniques used for data collection, determining their appropriate usage, and exploring methods for assessing reliability and validity. The primary objective of this course is to sharpen student abilities to evaluate social research and to provide a solid methodological basis on which to conduct graduate and professional research. Through this course, students begin to master techniques such as observations, interviews, focus groups, questionnaires, ethnographies, scales and indices, sensory evaluation, testing and content analysis.

Educational Materials Developed to Support Course FYC 6802

A comprehensive series of lectures and PowerPoint presentations were developed to support the course. Included were a detailed syllabus, explicit project directions, substantial reading list, and presentation handouts on 14 lectures that were developed by the instructor to introduce students to learner objectives and main lecture points. Activities (8) were included to enhance comprehension and application of content. These included group exercises, hands on research, and evaluations of a variety of research tools. All course content was made available to students in class, as well as through a WebCT/Blackboard site developed for the course. Dr. Brennan also produced a specially designed version of this course for exclusive delivery online through WebCT.

FYC 4904/6932 Summer Study Program in Ireland. (elective) (3 credits)

At the University of Florida an undergraduate/graduate course, *FYC 4905/6932 Summer Study Program in Ireland* was also developed as an elective course to meet student needs for an applied international experience. An intensive four-credit undergraduate and graduate summer study course focusing on Irish culture, history and community development. Through lectures, site visits, and interaction with various professionals students gain insight in the factors shaping family, youth, and community development in Ireland and America. B-42, B-44.

Educational Materials Developed to Support Course FYC 4904/6932

A supplemental course packet of selected readings, literature, films, music, art, historical and culture references was assembled and discussed with students prior to taking part in the summer program. While in Ireland, the program was tailored to the interests, research needs, and career goals of participants. This allowed the development of professional networks and a more individualized international experience.

FYC 4904/6932 International Dimensions of Family, Youth, and Community Sciences. (elective) (3 credits)

In our increasingly connected and global society, undergraduate students will be expected to successfully address a variety of social issues and needs. Such needs/issues are dealt with differently and with differing levels of success throughout the world. A direct need exists for undergraduate and graduate students to be exposed to such conditions and their treatment. In response to this need, a new course was developed. This course brings together researchers, practitioners, and service providers from Asia, Africa, Europe, South America, and North America with undergraduate students via the PolyCom videoconferencing system to present and discuss research, issues, approaches, and programs related to family, youth, and community development. B-43.

Educational Materials Developed to Support FYC 4904

A course packet of selected international readings and research literature was assembled to provide a basis for understanding various issues. Students then locate additional readings, research reports, videos, and other resources related to the topic under consideration. Following discussion of literature, videoconferences with international researchers, practitioners, and subject matter experts are conducted to increase student understanding of discussion issues in a specific international setting. Students are encouraged to remain in touch with subject matter experts and to contact them via email to establish professional networks and explore opportunities for potential international collaboration. Finally, a website with a message board/blog and other content documenting the program is developed by the students to document their work, the course, and also serve as a basis for their continued work.

3. Program Revisions (total: 5)

Working with Dr. Brad Woods, and Dr. Ann Dodd, Dr. Brennan has designed a Leadership Development Concentration for the Community and Economic Development (CEDEV) Graduate program (2012).

Dr. Brennan has led the redesign of the undergraduate *Leadership Option* with the AEE degree program (2010). He has also designed this option to form a basis for a planned leadership development major within the department.

Dr. Brennan also redesigned the university-wide undergraduate *Leadership Minor* that is housed in the AESE department (2009). The minor continues to grow and draw students from throughout campus.

Dr. Brennan, working with Dr. Jill Findeis and Deanna Behring, redesigned the university-wide undergraduate International Agriculture (INTAG) Minor. The minor continues to grow and draw students from throughout campus.

At the University of Florida, Dr. Brennan established the *Family, Youth, and Community Sciences (FYCS) graduate minor in the area of community development* in 2004. This minor for non-FYCS students attracted students from departments such as Criminology, Food and Resource Economics, Agricultural and Extension Education, Sociology, and Urban and Regional Planning.

J. List of Honors or Awards for Scholarship or Professional Activity (total: 20)

Title of Award	Sponsor/Origin	Year
International		
UNESCO Chair in Rural Community, Leadership, and Youth Development	United Nations/UNESCO	2013
Fulbright Senior Specialist	William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board and the US Department of State	2011
UNESCO Research Fellowship	UNESCO/National University of Ireland, Galway	2008
NUIG Visiting Research Fellowship	National University of Ireland, Galway	2007
Member Induction	Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society	2006
International Extension/Research Fellowship	Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS)	2006
National		
Community of Teaching Excellence Award	Academy of Teaching Excellence	2012
Excellence in Community Development Work – National Team Award. Turning the Tide on Poverty.	National Association of Community Development Extension Professionals (NACDEP)	2011
Current Research Award	Community Development Society	2010
Excellence in Community Development Work – National Team Award. Building Resilient Communities: Strategies for Strengthening Disaster Awareness and Preparedness in Vulnerable Communities.	National Association of Community Development Extension Professionals (NACDEP)	2010
Excellence in Community Development Work – Team Award – Southern Region. Building Resilient Communities: Strategies for Strengthening Disaster Awareness and Preparedness in Vulnerable Communities.	National Association of Community Development Extension Professionals (NACDEP)	2010
Excellence in Community Development Programming Award	National Association of Community Development Extension Professionals (NACDEP)	2009

Distinguished Service Award-Florida	National Association of Community Development Extension Professionals (NACDEP)	2009
Fulbright Scholar Specialists Roster	J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board and the US Department of State	2008
Member Induction	Gamma Sigma Delta Honor Society	2003
Dissertation Grant Recipient	Rural Sociological Society	2002
State		
Distinguished Honors Fellow	Penn State, Schreyer Honors College	2011-2013
2008 Richard Jones Outstanding New Faculty Research Award Recipient	University of Florida/IFAS, Office of the Dean for Research	2008
Undergraduate Teaching Award -Finalist	College of Agricultural and Life Sciences/University of Florida	2007
Kenneth P. Wilkinson Memorial Award in Rural Sociology	The Pennsylvania State University, Department of Rural Sociology	2003

**K. List of Grants and Contracts for Improvement of Instruction (total: 6)
(Quality of Instruction)**

Dr. Brennan was the proposal author, principal investigator, or co-investigator on all grants listed.

The Pennsylvania State University

Brennan, M.A. 2011. *Schreyer Honors College Distinguished Honors Fellowship*. Dr. Brennan will serve in this capacity from 2011-2013. This fellowship includes \$10,000 to support instructional design and improvement. These and additional funds will support student instruction and travel for two study abroad programs focusing on leadership, conflict, and post-conflict reconciliation (one in Vietnam/Cambodia and one in Ireland/Northern Ireland).

Willits, F., Beierlein, J., Wade, B. and Brennan, M.A. 2010. *Student and Faculty Perceptions of the Quality of Instruction at Penn State*. Along with four other faculty from Rural Sociology, Education, and World Campus, Dr. Brennan has played a lead role in the university wide study *Student and Faculty Perceptions of the Quality of Instruction at Penn State*. This research is supported by \$15,000 in university funding. The large scale research provides a variety of data accessible to the university community to assist in understanding and improving the quality of education at Penn State.

Brennan, M.A. 2010. *International Course Development travel grants*. Awarded from the PSU College of Agriculture Office of International Programs (\$3,000) and PSU Office of Global Programs (\$1,000) in 2010 to support course and program development in Vietnam and Cambodia. The funding resulted in a memorandum of understandings with *Nong Lam University* (Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam) and the development of a study abroad course that will take place in 2012.

The University of Florida

Brennan, M.A. 2004 and 2008. *UF IFAS International Travel Grants*. Awarded grants in 2004 and 2008. Each award provided \$1,000 toward travel expenses to Ireland to attend teaching and research meetings at the National University of Ireland/Galway. Also awarded was a \$1,000 *European Union Travel Award* from the UF Center for European Studies in 2008. As a result of these funding opportunities, international agreements were established between National University Ireland-Galway and the University of Florida. These have resulted in collaborative research, teaching, and faculty exchanges.

Brennan, M.A. 2005. *UF Online Course Development Funding*. This award of \$5,000 from the Office of the Dean for CALS was used to further advance the development of online courses in the FYCS community development concentration.

Brennan, M.A. 2003. *UF IFAS Instructional Minigrant*. This award provided \$3,000 used for the development of online components to existing courses. Based on future funding these will serve as the basis for an online community development certificate program. Online components have been developed for FYC 4126 *Rural and Urban Communities in Transition*, FYC 6330 *Theories of Community Development*, FYC 6302 *Sustainable Community Development*, and FYC 6320 *Community Development*.

Service and the Scholarship of Service to the University, Society, and the Profession

A. Service to the University

1. Record of Committee Work*

(total: 34 service activities at the University, College, and Department levels)

University (The Pennsylvania State University) (Total: 8)

Senate Diversity Awareness Task Force. Member. (2013-present).

General Education Planning and Oversight Task Force. Member. (2013-present).

General Education Planning and Oversight Task Force – Faculty Subcommittee.
Member. (2013-present).

General Education Planning and Oversight Task Force – Diversity Subcommittee.
Member. (2013-present).

University Council on Engaged Scholarship. Member. (2013-present).

Graduate Students Fulbright Candidate Interview Committee. Member. (2012-present).

Schreyer Honors College Student Selection Committee. Member. (2010-present).

University Faculty Senate, Athletic Team Mentor (Softball). Mentor. (2012-2013).

College (College of Agricultural Sciences) (Total: 13)

PSU Student Society for Indigenous Knowledge. Club advisor. (2013-present). Gamma Sigma Delta Honors Society, Penn State Chapter. President. (2013-2014).

College Academic Standards Committee. Chair. (2012 – present).

Gamma Sigma Delta Honors Society, Penn State Chapter. Vice President. (2012-2013).

Harbaugh Faculty Scholars Selection Committee. Member. (2012-present).

Gamma Sigma Delta Honors Society, Penn State Chapter. Treasurer/Secretary. (2010-2012).

International Agriculture (INTAG) Minor Advisory Committee. Member. (2010-present).

International Agricultural Development (INTAD) Advisory Board. Member. (2010-present).

Extension Program Advisory Committee. Young Lungs at Play Initiative. Member. (2010-present).

Collegiate FFA Officer Selection Committee. Member. (2010-present).

College Academic Standards Committee. Member. (2009-present).

Graduate Faculty Review Committee. Member. (2009-present).

Undergraduate Leadership Development Minor. Coordinator. (2009-present).

* Not included are 15 University, 17 College, and 10 Departmental level committees at the University of Florida.

Department (Total: 13)

AESE Promotion and Tenure Committee. Member. (2012-present).
AESE Faculty Advisory Committee. Member. (2012-present)
Faculty Development Committee. Member. (2012-present).
Kenneth P. Wilkinson Memorial Scholarship in Rural Sociology Selection Committee. (2011-present).
Honors College. AEE Honors Advisor. (2010-2012).
AEE Executive Committee. Member. (2010-2012).
Teaching Peer Review. Reviewer. (3 reviews: D. Ader, D. Foster, J. Ewing). (2010-present).
AEE Undergraduate Committee. Member. (2009-present).
AEE Scholarship Committee. Member. (2010-2012).
AEE Graduate Committee. Member. (2009-2012).
AEE Research Committee. Chair. (2009-2012).
Website Advisor Committee. Department Liaison. (2009-2010).
AEE Recruitment Committee. Member. (2009-2012).

2. Participation in Campus and/or University-Wide Governance Bodies and Related Activities

(total: 7)

University Faculty Senate, Curricular Affairs Committee. Member. (2012-present).
-United States and International Cultures subcommittee (2012-present)
-Bachelor of Arts Degree subcommittee (2013-present)
University Faculty Senate. Member. (2011-present).
University Faculty Senate, Intercollegiate Athletics Standing Committee. Member. (2011-2012).
Graduate Council. Member. (2009-2012).
Graduate Council, Committee on Programs and Courses. Member. (2009-2012).

3. Record of Administration Support Network *(total: 1)*

2009 College Information and Club Fair. Department Representative. (2009).

B. Service to Society as a Representative of the University

1. Service to Governmental Agencies *(total: 8)*

UNESCO Youth Focus group Convener. (2013). UNESCO 8th Biennial Youth Forum Operational Plan Consultations with PSU students.

Fulbright Specialist Peer Review Committee. (2013). Council for International Exchange of Scholars (CIES) Institute of International Education (IIE).

Program/Final Report reviewer. (2013). Reviewer of the National University of Ireland final report and assessment of the Northern Ireland BELONG Youth Development program.

UNESCO, Social and Human Sciences Sector. Methodology reviewer for “Assessment of the Level of Inclusiveness of Public Policies”. (2013).

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada. Program Reviewer. (2011-present).

National Rural Development Centers and State Program Leaders National Extension Leadership Team. Team Member. (2011-present).

USDA-CSREES/American College of Sports Medicine: Community Action Guide. Content Reviewer. (2009).

State of Florida, Department of Elders Affairs. *Communities for a Lifetime. Awards Committee.* Committee Member. (2009).

2. Service to Public and Private Organizations (total: 2)

Foroige Leadership Development Program Evaluation. External Evaluator. (2010-2012). A-18.

Foroige (Irish Community and Youth Development Association) Best Practice Unit – Advisory Board. Board Member. (2009-present). A-18.

C. Service to the Discipline and Profession

1. Service to Conference Committees (total: 3)

North American Colleges and Teachers of Agriculture (NACTA) Conference Planning Committee. Committee Member. (2009-2010).

Association for International Agricultural and Extension Education (AIAEE) Conference Planning Committee. Committee Member. (2005-2006).

National Association of Community Development Extension Professionals (NACDEP): *Community Decision-Making National Conference Program Area.* Committee Member. (2004-2005).

2. Active Participation in Professional & Learned Societies (total: 7)

Community Development Society

Membership and Marketing Committee. Committee Member. (2011-2013).

International Programs Committee. Committee Member. (2009-2013).

Journal, Communications, and Publications Committee. Committee Co-Chair/Board of Directors Liaison. (2008-2012).

Board of Directors. Member. (2008-2011).

Rural Sociological Society

Awards Committee. Committee Member. (2006-2010).

Standing Committee on Research and Interest Groups. Committee Member. (2006-2007).

National Community Research and Interest Group. Committee Chair. (2005-2007).