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# EDUCATION

**Ph.D.** **in Rhetoric**

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA

**Master of Arts in English**

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA

**Bachelor of Arts in Journalism**

Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA

Major: Reporting; Minor: Spanish

# ACADEMIC POSITIONS

# University of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah, 1994-present

**Inaugural Chair** Department of Writing & Rhetoric Studies 2014- 2015

**Director** University Writing Program 2004-2014

**Carnegie Mellon University**, Pittsburgh, PA

Research Assistant and Teaching Fellow, Department of English, 1988-1993

Adjunct Professor, Graduate School of Industrial Administration, Summer, 1992

# SELECTED GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

**University of Utah**

University of Utah Intramural SEED Grant ($16,400). 2016

Title: *Writing in STEM*

College of Humanities Sabbatical, 2015-2016

# NATIONAL HONORS AND AWARDS

Nominated for College Composition and Communication award for Best Article on Pedagogy or Curriculum in Technical or Scientific Communication, 2015

Promising Researcher Award, Finalist, National Council of Teachers of English, 1994

Charles Phelps Taft Postdoctoral Fellowship, University of Cincinnati, 1993-1994

**PROFESSIONAL PARTICIPATION**

Keeping the Pool Clean: Prevention and Management of [Scientific] Misconduct Related Retractions, The Office for Research Integrity, Washington DC. Colorado State University, 2015.

Alan Alda Center for Communicating Science Communication. University of Utah, 2016

Title: *Letting the Public in on Science and its Mysteries*. (competitive)

Rhetoric Society of America Workshop. Indiana University, Bloomington, 2017.

Title: *Rhetoric of Scientific Objects*. (competitive)

# PUBLICATIONS

Mathison, M. A., Stillman-Webb, N. & Bell, S. (2014) *Framing sustainability: Business students writing about the environment*. Journal of Business and Technical Communication. *Nominated for Best Article on Pedagogy or Curriculum in Technical or Scientific Communication 2015*

Mathison, M. A. (2003). *Making rhetoric explicit: Demystifying disciplinary discourse for transfer students*. In Jeffrey Galin, Carol Peterson Haviland, & J. Paul

Johnson (Eds.) Teaching/Writing in the Late Age of Print (pp.53-63). Creskill, NJ: Hampton Press, Inc.

**SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS**

2018 *Science, a Self-Governing Sphere*. Paper to be presented at the Rhetoric Society of America Conference, Minneapolis, MN, May.

2018 *Visual Rhetoric and the Inscription of Meaning in Science*. Paper to be presented at the Rhetoric Society of America Conference, Minneapolis, MN, May. (with Ivy Chistofferson, UROP student and co-author)

**SERVICE**

**Editorial Board**

*Communication Education*, 2004, special edited volume on communication in the disciplines

*Journal of Literacy Research*, 1999 - 2001

*Academic.Writing* (an on-line journal), 1999 - 2001

**Journal Manuscript Reviewer**

*Communication Theory*, International Communication Association, 1996, 1997; 1999.

*Written Communication*, Sage Publications, 1996, 1998.

**COURSES TAUGHT**

(Asterisks indicate courses developed)

**University of Utah (31 different courses)**

Graduate Courses

Communication 7180: Disciplinary Rhetoric\*

Writing 7000: Dissertation Writing

Undergraduate Courses

### Business 3213: The Business of Popular Culture \*

Communication 3020: Media and Popular Culture

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Association for Writing Across the Curriculum (AWAC)

National Council of Teachers of English/CCCC

Rhetoric Society of America

Society for the Social Studies of Science