

curriculum vitae

Lise Nelson
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Education

- 2000 Ph.D., Geography, University of Washington
Remaking Gender and Citizenship in a Mexican Indigenous Community
Chair: Victoria Lawson
- 1996 M.A., Geography, University of Washington
*Neoliberalism as contested ideological terrain: state practices and
peasant agencies in Michoacán, Mexico*
Chair: Victoria Lawson

Employment

- Sept 2008-
present Associate Professor
Department of Geography, University of Oregon
- Sept 2001-
Sept 2008 Assistant Professor
Department of Geography, University of Oregon
- Sept. 2000-
2001 Visiting Assistant Professor
Department of Geography, University of Oregon

Publications

- Nelson, Lise. (forthcoming) Geographical Perspectives on Development Studies. *The International Studies Encyclopedia*. Volume edited by Colin Flint, series edited by Robert A. Denemark. London: Blackwell. (peer reviewed)
- Nelson, Peter, Ahn Wei Lee, and Lise Nelson. (2009) Linking baby boomer migration and Hispanic migration into rural America: A multi-scaled approach. *Population, Space and Place*, 15: 277-293.

- Nelson, Lise. (2008) Espacio y etnografía en un contexto globalizado. [Space and Ethnography in a Globalized Context] *Sendas de la Globalización. Comprensiones Etnográficas sobre Poderes Y Desigualdades* [Paths of Globalization: Ethnographic Understandings of Powers and Inequalities], edited by Francisco Javier Gómez Carpinteiro. Puebla, Mexico: Instituto de Ciencias Sociales y Humanidades, Benemérita Universidad Autónoma de Puebla, 260 pages. (Internally reviewed by contributors)
- Nelson, Lise and Nancy Hiemstra. (2008) Latino immigrants and the renegotiation of place and belonging in small town America. *Social & Cultural Geography*, 9(3): 319-342.
- Nelson, Lise. (2008) Racialized landscapes in an era of globalization: Whiteness and the struggle over farmworker housing in Woodburn, Oregon. *Cultural Geographies*, 15(1): 41-62.
- Nelson, Lise. (2007) Farmworker housing and spaces of belonging in Woodburn, Oregon. *The Geographical Review*, 97 (4): 520-541.
- Nelson, Lise. (2006) Geographies of state power, protest, and women's political identity formation in Michoacán, Mexico. *Annals of the Association of American Geographers*, 96 (2): 365-88.
- Nelson, Lise. (2006) Artesanía, mobility and the crafting of indigenous identities among Purhépechan women in Mexico. *Journal of Latin American Geography*, 5 (1): 55-71.
- Nelson, Lise and Joni Seager, Eds. (2005) *A Companion to Feminist Geography*. London: Blackwell, 617 pages. (Internally reviewed by contributors)
- Nelson, Lise and Joni Seager. (2005) "Introduction: The poetics of bodies, spaces, place and politics." In *A Companion to Feminist Geography*, edited by Lise Nelson and Joni Seager, 1-11. London: Blackwell.
- Nelson, Lise. (2004) Topographies of citizenship: Purhépechan Mexican women claiming political subjectivities. *Gender, Place and Culture*, 11 (2): 163-87.
- Nelson, Lise. (2003) De-centering the movement: Collective action, place and the 'sedimentation' of radical political discourses. *Environment and Planning D: Society and Space*, 21: 559-81.
- Nelson, Lise. (1999) Bodies (and spaces) do matter: The limits of performativity. *Gender, Place and Culture*, 6(4): 331-54.

Publications in progress

- Nelson, Lise and Peter Nelson. The global rural: Linked migration in the rural U.S. Submitted to *Progress in Human Geography*. (Under review)
- Pera, Lee and Lise Nelson. Political agency without citizenship: U.S. amenity migrants in Costa Rica. Manuscript in Progress for *Political Geography*.
- Kaufman, Emily and Lise Nelson. The Demarcation of 'Dangerous' Bodies in Public Welfare Policy. Manuscript in progress for *Gender, Place, and Culture*.

Book reviews

- Nelson, Lise. (2004) Geopolítica, Identidad y Globalización, by Joan Nogué Font and Joan Vicente Rufí, *Professional Geographer*, 56 (4): 588.
- Nelson, Lise. (2002) Mexico: The Struggle for Democratic Development, by Daniel C. Levy and Kathleen Bruhn, with Emilio Zebadúa, *Progress in Development Studies*, 2 (4): 351-352.
- Nelson, Lise. (2001) Thinking space, edited by Nigel Thrift and Mike Crang, *Gender, Place and Culture*, 8 (2): 208.
- Nelson, Lise. (1995) More Tree Talk: The People, Politics, and Economics of Timber, by Ray Raphael, *Professional Geographer*, 47 (2): 231-2.

Research grants

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| 2009 | National Science Foundation research grant for "Linked migration and shifting labor markets in the rural United States" \$340,000 (3-year). |
| 2008 | Fulbright-García Robles Fellowship for research and teaching in Michoacán, Mexico (2008-2009) |
| 2007 | Junior Professor Development Grant, University of Oregon (\$750) |
| 2005 | Junior Professor Development Grant, University of Oregon (\$750) |
| 2004 | Junior Professor Development Grant, University of Oregon (\$1000) |
| 2002 | Summer Research Award, University of Oregon (\$4000) |
| 2001 | Junior Professor Development Grant, University of Oregon (\$4000) |

- 2001 Center for the Study of Women and Society travel grant (\$500)
- 1998 Inter-American Foundation Dissertation Fieldwork Grant (\$7062)
- 1997 National Science Foundation Dissertation Improvement Grant (\$9894)
- 1995 Fieldwork Grant, Ejido Reform Research Project, Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, University of California San Diego (\$1,100)
- 1995 Master's Level Fieldwork Grant, Inter-American Foundation, (\$2,650)

Awards

- 2006 Ed Price Service Award, Department of Geography
- 2004 & 2006 Rippey Innovative Teaching Award (\$3000)
- 2003 Resident Scholar, Wayne Morse Center for Law and Politics, University of Oregon. (\$10,000)
- 2000 Awarded Ullman Outstanding Doctoral Student Award 1999-2000, Department of Geography, University of Washington
- 2000 Dissertation Writing Fellowship (University of Washington) (\$3600)
- 1995 Awarded Ullman Award for Outstanding Master's Student 1994-1995, Department of Geography, University of Washington
- 1994 Fritz Fellowship, University of Washington, to study at El Colegio de México, Summer Program for Foreigners (\$3,000)
- 1994 National Science Foundation Graduate Fellowship

Presentations at professional meetings, conferences and colloquia

- 2007 Panelist "Qualitative methods: pedagogy and praxis." Association of American Geographers Meeting, April. San Francisco, California.

- 2006 Panelist "Where is the social in social and cultural geography?" Organized by Vincent del Casino and Sallie A. Marston. Association of Pacific Coast Geographers Meeting, September. Eugene, Oregon.
- 2005 *Housing security and claims to social citizenship: Latino/a farmworkers in Oregon.* Association of American Geographers Meeting, April. Denver, Colorado.
- 2005 *Artesanía and the crafting of indigenous identities among Purhépechan women in Mexico.* (Re)examining Race and Gender Conference, March. Seattle University, Seattle, Washington. (Invited)
- 2004 *The politics of transnational citizenship: Mexican immigrants and urban space in Woodburn, Oregon.* Latin American Studies Association, XXV International Congress, October. Las Vegas, Nevada.
- 2004 *Race, place and citizenship: Struggles over farmworker housing in Woodburn, Oregon.* Association of American Geographers Meeting, March. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. (Invited)
- 2004 Panelist on "Geographical Perspectives on Ethnography I: Theorizing Ethnography" Organized by Heather Merrill and Karen Till. Association of American Geographers Meeting, March. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- 2003 *Contested urban landscapes: Race, place and citizenship in Woodburn, Oregon.* Association of Pacific Coast Geographers Meeting, September. Portland, Oregon.
- 2003 *The Shifting spatialities of public and private: Gender, ethnicity and "modernization" in Mexico.* Association of American Geographers Meeting, March. New Orleans, Louisiana. (Co-organized session)
- 2002 *Exploring gender and citizenship through transnational feminist perspectives.* Association of American Geographers Meeting, March. Los Angeles, California. (Co-organized session)
- 2001 *The geo-politics of ethnic and gendered identity formation in the Meseta Purhépecha, Michoacán.* Latin American Studies Association Meeting, September. Washington, D.C.
- 2001 *The spatial 'consolidation' of new gendered political identities and citizenship practices in Cherán, Michoacán.* Association of American Geographers Meeting, March. New York, New York. (Invited)
- 2000 *Re-conceptualizing citizenship from a transnational perspective: Political transitions in Michoacán, Mexico.* Association of American Geographers Meeting, April. Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. (Invited)

- 1999 *Prácticas y discursos emergentes de ciudadanía en Cherán, Michoacán*. El Colegio de Michoacán, April. Zamora, Mexico. (Invited)
1998. *Las que defienden al pueblo: Emerging Practices and Discourses of Citizenship in Michoacán, Mexico*. Latin American Studies Association Meeting, September. Chicago, Illinois.
- 1998 *Theorizing citizenship within ethnographic research*. Association of American Geographers Meeting, March. Boston, Massachusetts. (Invited)
- 1997 *Neoliberalism as contested ideological terrain: State practices and peasant agencies in Michoacán, Mexico*. Latin American Studies Association XX International Congress Guadalajara, April. Mexico.
- 1996 *Re-shaping state power: Exploring landscapes of peasant agency*. Latin American Studies Brown Bag series, April. University of Washington.
- 1996 *Challenging modernization paradigms and clientelistic state practices: Indigenous forestry communities in Michoacán, Mexico*. Association of American Geographers Meeting, March. Charlotte, South Carolina. (Co-organized session)
- 1995 *Latin American social movements confronting neoliberal restructuring: The case of Mexican peasant movements*, Association of American Geographers Meeting, March. Chicago, Illinois.

Conference session organizing

- 2007 Co-organized panel discussion (with Somin Cheong, University of Kansas) "Qualitative methods: Pedagogy and Practice" for Association of American Geographers Meeting, April. San Francisco, California.
- 2006 Co-organized two sessions (with Susan Hardwick) for Association of Pacific Coast Geographers Meeting, September. Eugene, Oregon. Session titles: *Immigrants and Urban Landscapes; Migration, Identity, and Place*.
- 2005 Co-organized two sessions (with Nancy Hiemstra) for Association of American Geographers Meeting, April. Denver, Colorado. Session titles: *Political Geographies of Mobility: Race, Place and Belonging I & II*. Discussants: Richard Wright (Dartmouth) and Patricia Ehrkamp (Miami University of Ohio)

- 2003 Co-organized session (with Thomas Perrault, Syracuse and Pamela Martin, Dartmouth) for Association of American Geographers Meeting, March. New Orleans, Louisiana. Session title: *Geographies of Development and Neoliberalism in Latin America: Gender and Power under Neoliberal Reform*.
- 2002 Co-organized session (with Heather Merrill, Dickinson College) for Association of American Geographers Meeting, March. Los Angeles, California. Session title: *Global and Transnational Feminism in the Context of Neoliberal Globalization*. Discussant: Ruth Gilmore, University of California, Berkeley.
- 1996 Co-organized and chaired session for Association of American Geographers Meeting, May. Charlotte, South Carolina. Session title: *Transforming Political and Gendered Identities: Transitions to Democracy and the 'Free' Market*.

Invited lectures

- 2006 *Contested boundaries of race, place, and belonging: The struggle over farmworker housing in Woodburn, Oregon*. Oregon State University, Department of Philosophy "Ideas Matter: Boundaries, Borders, and Frontiers" lecture series, January 12.
- 2004 *Women defending the plaza: Gender, citizenship and the politics of place*. Geography Department, University of Colorado colloquium, March 9.

Teaching history at University of Oregon

- 2009-2010 *Geography of Latin America* (214), Fall
Gender and Environment (410/510), Fall
Qualitative Methods in Geography (415/515), Winter
 Graduate Seminar: *North-South Geographies* (607) Spring
- 2007-2008 *Geography of Latin America* (214), Fall
Geography of Globalization (342), Winter
Qualitative Methods in Geography (415/515), Winter
 Graduate Seminar: *Space, Place, Power* (607) Spring
- 2006-2007 *Geography of Latin America* (214), Fall
Geography of Globalization (342), Winter
Qualitative Methods in Geography (415/515), Winter
Gender and Environment (410/510), Spring
 Graduate Thesis Writer's Workshop (608), Spring (with Andrew Marcus)

- 2005-2006 *Geography of Latin America* (214), Fall
 Graduate Seminar: *Gender, Geopolitics and Human Security* (607), Fall
Qualitative Methods in Geography (415/515), Winter
 (maternity leave spring quarter)
- 2004-2005 *Political Geography* (441/541), Fall
Geography of Latin America (214), Fall
Geography of Globalization (342), Winter
Qualitative Methods in Geography (415/515), Winter
- 2003-2004 Graduate Seminar: *Globalization, Democratization, Place* (607), Fall
Geography of Latin America (214), Fall
Qualitative Methods in Geography (410/510), Winter
 (course reduction, Resident Scholar, Morse Center for Law and Politics)
- 2002-2003 *Geography of the World Economy* (342), Winter
Qualitative Methodologies in Geography (410 / 510), Winter
Geography of Latin America (214), Spring
Gender and Geography (410/510), Spring
- 2001-2002 *Geography of the World Economy* (342), Winter
 Graduate Seminar: *Gender and Geography* (607), Winter
Geography of Latin America (214), Spring
Environment and Development (465/565), Spring
- 2000-2001 *Geography of the World Economy* (342), Winter
Geography of Development in Latin America (475/575), Spring
 Graduate Seminar: *Gender and Geography* (607), Spring

Theses and Academic Supervision (in geography unless indicated)

Principal Advisor

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| Naylor, Lindsay | Ph.D. | <i>Food Security in Southern Mexico</i> (in progress) |
| Nelson, Ingrid | Ph.D. | <i>Women and Forests: Rural Women's Power and Natural Resource Access in Mozambique</i> (in progress). |
| Isaak, Marissa | M.A. | <i>Memorialized landscape and the politics of war</i> (in progress). |
| Lee, Pera | M.A. | <i>U.S. Amenity Migrants and the Politics of Citizenship in Tamarindo, Costa Rica</i> (2008). |
| Machell, Erin | M.A. | <i>Whose Development?: Agency, Democracy, and Efficacy in Nicaraguan NGO Landscapes.</i> (2007) |

Nancy Hiemstra	M.A.	<i>Latino Immigrants, Spaces of Interaction, and the Politics of "Being Illegal" in Leadville, Colorado.</i> (2005)
Maylian Pak	M.A.	<i>Poverty, Race, and Community Organization: Social and Environmental Justice in Eugene, Oregon.</i> (2005)
Tara Corbitt	M.A.	<i>Breaking Environmental Gridlock?: Stakeholder Involvement in Water Quality Management.</i> (2003)
<u>Committee Member</u>		
Nate Bellinger	M.A.	<i>Free Trade and Tuna Fisheries in Ecuador</i>
Coleman, Amanda	Ph.D.	<i>Dialectics of Region and Nation: The South and the Remaking of US Citizenship during the Great Depression</i> (2008).
Diggles, Michelle	Ph.D.	Political Science Department: <i>Rural Movements and Political Transformation in Yucatán, Mexico</i> (2008).
Dixon, Megan	Ph.D.	<i>The Baltic Pearl in the Window to Europe: St. Petersburg's Chinese Quarter</i> (2008).
Johnson, Corey	Ph.D.	<i>Spatial Strategies for Coping with Globalization: The Case of Eastern Germany</i> (2008).
Vogel, Eve	Ph.D.	<i>The Pacific Northwest's River: The evolution and Consequences of Regional Claims on the Columbia River</i> (2007).
Laudati, Ann	Ph.D.	<i>The Greening of the Fortress: Reclaiming the Politics of Exclusion in a Green Era.</i> (2007)
Cram, Shannon	M.A.	<i>Nuclear Legacies: The Changing Cultural Landscape of the Tri-Cities and Hanford.</i> (2006)
Amato, Jean	Ph.D.	Comparative Literature Program: <i>The Representation of Ancestral Home and Homeland in Chinese American Fiction (1960s-1990s).</i> (2005)
Francese, Justin	M.A.	Journalism & Communication: <i>The United States Cultural Industries and the U.S.-Chile Free Trade Agreement.</i> (2005)
McFarland, Sarah	Ph.D.	English Department: <i>Engendering the Wild: The Construction of Animals in Twentieth Century Nature Writing.</i> (2005)
Mosely, Mose	M.A.	Journalism & Communication: <i>Puerto La Playita: The Story of a Mexican Fishing Village and the Resort that Changed it.</i> (2005)

Hurley, Patrick	Ph.D.	<i>Whose vision?: The Political Ecology of Land-Use Policy in Nevada County, California.</i> (2004)
Medrado, Andrea	M.A.	<i>Journalism & Communication: Community Television : A Case Study from Favela da Rocinha, Brazil.</i> (2004)
Castro, Carlos	Ph.D.	<i>Sociology: Contesting Sustainable Development: Capitalist Underdevelopment and Resistance in the Fishing Communities of Pearl Lagoon, Nicaragua.</i> (2004)
Baldwin, Jeff	Ph.D.	<i>Reconceiving Wealth for Geographic Analysis: Intersections of Environments, Life, and Ethics.</i> (2003)
Plank, Alexandra	M.A.	<i>Conventional Agriculture and the National Organic Standards: Implications for Local Food Production.</i> (2003)
Lizarzaburu, Maria Dolores	M.A.	<i>International Studies Program: The Impact of Alternative Trade Organizations on the Development of Rural Indigenous Artisan Women in Ecuador.</i> (2001)

Departmental service

2007-2008	Graduate Admissions Committee Internship co-coordinator (with Amy Lobben) Grad Scholarships / Fellowships Coordinator, Spring Geography Tea Seminars
2006-2007	Internship co-coordinator (with Amy Lobben) Search Committee, Asianist Geographer Position Supervised graduate students organizing spring Geography Tea Seminars
2005-2006	Internship co-coordinator (with Amy Lobben) Grad Scholarships / Fellowships Search Committee, Biogeography Position Coordinator, Fall Geography Tea Seminars Library Liaison Supervised graduate students organizing spring Geography Tea Seminars
2004-2005	Graduate Admissions Committee Internship co-coordinator (with Amy Lobben) Grad Scholarships / Fellowships Library Liaison

2003-2004	Graduate Admissions Committee Internship co-coordinator (with Hugh Howard) Grad Scholarships / Fellowships Co-coordinator, Winter Geography Tea Seminars (with Alec Murphy) Library Liaison
2002-2003	Library Liaison Coordinator, Spring Geography Tea Seminars
2001-2002	Graduate Admissions Committee Library Liaison

University service

2007	Search committee, Environmental Politics in Latin America position, International Studies Program.
2006	Search committee, Latin Americanist position, Political Science Department
2005-present	Participating faculty, Environmental Studies Program
2005-present	Women's and Gender Studies Program Committee (also 2002-2004)
2005-present	Planning Committee, Wayne Morse Center for Law and Politics
2004-2006	Senator, UO Faculty Senate
2004	Search committee member, Faculty Development Director (UO Grad School)
2002-present	Participating Faculty, International Studies Program
2000-present	Participating Faculty, Women's and Gender Studies Program
2000-present	Participating Faculty, Latin American Studies Program

Community service related activities

2007	Presentation: "Indigenous peoples and globalization in Latin America" Juneau World Affairs Council (May 11th).
2004	Co-organized community forum, sponsored by the Morse Center, "Organizing against the end-game of globalization" by Neil Smith and a panel of speakers. January 22 nd .

2003 "The surprising worlds of Geography." Invited speaker at *The Oregonian* newspaper, Portland, Oregon. February 18th.

Professional affiliations and service

2006-present Editorial Board, *Gender, Place and Culture*.

2006-2007 Chair, Committee on the Status of Women in Geography, Association of American Geographers

2004-2007 Committee on the Status of Women in Geography, Association of American Geographers

2003-present Association of Pacific Coast Geographers

1994-present Association of American Geographers

1994-present Latin American Studies Association

Referee for professional journal or funding agency

Annals of the Association of American Geographers

Environment and Planning A

Environment and Planning D: Society and Space

Journal of Latin American Geography

Journal of Rural Studies

Gender, Place and Culture

National Science Foundation

Political Geography

Professional Geographer

Progress in Human Geography