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1989: Ph.D., [University of Pennsylvania, Annenberg School](#)
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PUBLICATIONS

Books

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Edited Collections

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Guest Editor with Becky Lentz: Special issue on "Social Determinants of Public Policy in the Information Age," *The Information Society* 20, 3 (Summer, 2004)

Guest Editor: Special issue on "Emerging Internet Infrastructures," *Communications of the ACM*, (June 1999).

Guest Editor: Special issue on "Telecommunications and the Integration of China," *Telecommunications Policy* 18, 3 (April 1994).

PREVIOUS POSITIONS

2003 – 2015: Professor, [School of Information Studies](#), Syracuse University, USA.

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1998 – 2003: Associate Professor. Syracuse University School of Information Studies.

1992 – 1997: Assistant Professor. Department of Communication, School of Communication, Information, and Library Studies, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey. Promoted to Associate Professor, July 1997.

1997 – 1997: Visiting Professor. Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Department of Information and Systems Management. Also 7/95 - 12/95.

1991 – 1992: Assistant Director. International Center for Telecommunications Management. College of Business Administration, University of Nebraska at Omaha. Research Associate, 8/89 - 8/91.

AWARDS

2019 5th Annual Vincent and Elinor Ostrom Memorial Lecture on "Sovereignty and Cyberspace: Institutions and Internet governance," University of Indiana, Bloomington, October 3rd.

2015 Best paper award, International Studies Association International Communications section, for “Are we in a digital cold war?”

2014-15 Laura and L. Douglas Meredith Professor of Teaching Excellence award, Syracuse University

2013 Honorable mention, Best research paper, 2013 iConference for “Buying Numbers.”

2010 Best Paper award, Korean Journal of Policy Studies for “ICANN, Inc.: Accountability and Participation in the Governance of Critical Internet Resources.”

2009 International Telecommunications Education and Research Association (ITERA) Outstanding Research Award

Ruling the Root nominated for Donald McGannon award, best book in Communications, 2002