

MICHAEL A. DI GIOVINE

Curriculum Vitae

Education

- 2012 **The University of Chicago, Department of Anthropology** Ph.D., Anthropology
Dissertation: *Making Saints, (Re-)Making Lives: Pilgrimage and Revitalization in the Land of St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina*
- 2005 **The University of Chicago, Division of the Social Sciences** A.M. Social Sciences
Thesis: *The Heritage-scape: Converting Places of Local Interest into Sites of Universal Value*
- 2000 **Georgetown University, School of Foreign Service** B.S. *cum laude* Foreign Service
Concentration: Culture and Politics; Certificate in European Studies

Teaching Experience

West Chester University of Pennsylvania, Department of Anthropology and Sociology

- Assistant Professor of Anthropology 2013-present
- ANT 492 Anthropological Theory spring 2016
- ANT405 Topical Seminar: Italy and Italian-American Culture spring 2015
- ANT375 Ethnographic Field School summer 2016
- ANT 329 Problems in Ethnology: The Anthropology of Religion spring 2015
- ANT 352 Cultural Heritage: Creating and Preserving the Past fall 2014, fall 2016
- ANT329 Problems in Ethnology: Food and Cultural Identity summer, winter 2014
- ANT329 Problems in Ethnology: Tourism and Seductions of the Exotic spring 2014
- ANT280 Museum Techniques I & II fall-spring 2013-2014; fall-spring 2015-2016
- ANT102 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology fall and spring 2013-2017 (5-6 sections/year)

University of Wisconsin-Madison, Department of Anthropology

- Honorary Fellow 2013-present
- ANT343 Anthropology of Religion spring 2013

School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Department of Liberal Arts

- Lecturer, Department of Liberal Arts 2012-2013
- ENG1005-20 First Year Seminar: Early Christian Classics spring 2013
- ENG1005-29 First Year Seminar: Prophets, Movements, Cults spring 2013
- HUM3110 Masterworks: Epics of India (The *Mahabharata* and the *Ramayana*) fall 2012
- SOCSCI3285 Representing Identities through Food: Anth Theories & Methods summer 2012
- SOCSCI 3870 The Anthropology of Museums winter 2012

Service

West Chester University

- Member, Institutional Review Board winter 2016-present
- Steering Committee Member, Ethnic Studies spring 2015-present
- Advisor, Anthropology Club spring 2014-present
- Advisor, MEDLife fall 2016-present
- Coordinator, West Chester University Museums and Special Archives fall 2014-present
- Library Council (Anthropology) fall 2013-present
- Department election committee (anthropology) fall 2016-present
- Mentor, Summer Research Institute (SURI) summer 2014
- Mentee, Faculty Mentor Program fall 2013-spring 2014

American Anthropological Association

- Board member (Nominations Committee –cultural chair), American Anthropological Association 2016-present
- Convenor-elect, Anthropology of Tourism Interest Group 2016-present
- Program Chair and Founding Board Member, Anthropology of Tourism Interest Group 2013-present
- Member, AAA Presidential Task Force on Cultural Heritage 2013-2015

Other research networks

Co-founder and Trustee, Tourism-Contact-Culture Research Network	2009-present
Regional Representative (USA), IUAES-Tourism (International Union of Anthropological and Ethnological Scientists)	2015-present
Member, International Scientific Committee on Cultural Tourism, ICOMOS	2014-present

Book Series

2014 - Series co-editor, *Anthropology of Tourism: Heritage, Mobilities, Society*. Lexington Books

Academic Journals

2012 –	Book Reviews Editor, <i>Journeys: The International Journal of Travel and Travel Writing</i>
2013 –	Editorial Board, <i>International Journal of Religious Tourism and Pilgrimage</i>
2012 –	Editorial Board, <i>Journal of Tourism and Cultural Change</i>
2006 – 2008	Editorial Board, <i>Piccola Impresa / Small Business</i>

Manuscript Reviewing

Journals:	<i>American Ethnologist, Gastronomica, Human Organization, International Journal of Tourism Anthropology, Journal of Heritage Tourism, Journal of Sustainable Tourism, Journal of Tourism and Cultural Change, Tourism: An International, Interdisciplinary Journal; Annals of Tourism Research</i>
Publishers:	<i>University of Toronto Press, Berghahn Books, Lexington Books, Routledge</i>
Funding Agencies:	<i>National Science Foundation</i>

Conferences and Panels Organized (Select)

2017 (planned)	Rethinking Heritage. Conference co-sponsored by the Polytechnic University of Barcelona and The Ironbridge International Institute for Cultural Heritage, (in planning stages).
2016	Tourism in a Time of Terror, parts 1 and 2. Invited sessions, ATIG and APLA. Double session for the American Anthropological Association's Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, November 2016. * Session selected for media-intensive dissemination
2015	Invited session (Society for Humanistic Anthropology), "The Seductions of Pilgrimage". American Anthropological Association's Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, November 2015
2014	Invited session (Anthropology of Tourism Interest Group), "Structuring and Shaping Tourism." American Anthropological Association's Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, December 2014. Invited session (National Association for the Practice of Anthropology), "Producing Anthropology and Tourism: Practicing Anthropologists in the Tourism Sector." American Anthropological Association's Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, December 2014.
2013	Invited session, (Culture and Agriculture/SAFN) "Edible Identities: Food and Foodways as Cultural Heritage, parts I and II" American Anthropological Association's Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, November 2013.
2011	The Seductions of Pilgrimage. Panel for the Society for the Anthropology of Religion's biannual conference, Santa Fe, NM, April 2011.
2010	Tourism and the Seductions of Difference. Tourism-Contact-Culture Research Network's inaugural conference, Lisbon, Portugal, September 2010

Select Honors, Awards, and Fellowships

Grants / Fellowships

2016 (Feb.)	Office of Sponsored Research support for student-faculty research on St. Pio in the Vatican	(\$10,000)
2016 (Spring)	College of Arts and Sciences Support and Development Award for conference travel	(\$4163)
2016 (Jan.)	College of Arts & Science support to attend <i>The Brandywine Project</i> sustainability workshop	(\$1000)
2015-2016	WCU College of Arts and Sciences Student Engagement Grant	(\$8000)

2015-2016	WCU Graduate School and College of Arts and Sciences Graduate Assistantship award for research project, "Wellbeing and Alternative Conceptions of Healing in Pilgrimage to North American Shrines of St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina"	(\$13,082)
2015 (May)	WCU College of Arts and Sciences Student Engagement Grant for travel to Turkey	(\$1100)
2015 (Spring)	College of Arts and Sciences Support and Development Award (CASSDA)	(\$3000)
2015 (Spring)	WCU Department of Anthropology Alternative Work Assignment (AWA)	(\$3000)
2014 (spring)	WCU Department of Anthropology Alternative Work Assignment (AWA)	(\$6000)
2009-2012	Hanna Holborn Gray / Andrew Mellon Foundation Advanced Dissertation Grant for the Humanities and the Humanistic Social Sciences (3 years)	(\$22,500)
2011, 2010	Doolittle-Harrison Fellowship, Division of the Social Sciences, University of Chicago	(\$1000)
2011, 2010	Marion & Adolph Lichtstern Award, Department of Anthropology, University of Chicago	(\$1000)
2010, 2009, 2008	Committee on South and Southeast Asian Studies (COSAS) Travel Grant, University of Chicago	(\$1500)

Honors

2013-present	Honorary Fellow, Department of Anthropology, University of Wisconsin-Madison
2015	American Anthropological Association Presidential award for service (Task Force on Cultural Heritage)
2014	Outstanding Faculty award, WCU honors college

Research

Fieldwork and Research

2016	Food, localism and heritage discourses within disaster relief efforts in Central Italy
2016	Sustainable Foodways as cultural heritage (student engagement with Umbra Institute, Perugia, Italy)
2016 (July)	From Obedience to Mercy: The Cult of Padre Pio in the Vatican – its effects
2016 (Feb)	From Obedience to Mercy: The Cult of Padre Pio in the Vatican
2014-2015	Oral history documentation of anthropologist Ed Bruner (with Naomi Leite)
2014-present	The cult of St. Padre Pio in NE United States (fieldwork at the National Centre for Padre Pio, Barto PA)
2014-2015	Operational definitions of heritage
2012-2015	Barcelona's Born Market and the renewal of the municipal market system during the 20th century
2012	Monastery of Poblet World Heritage site, Spain
2011	Yen Tu complex WH nomination, Quang Ninh Province, Vietnam (for Vietnam National University)
2008-2011	Cult of St. Padre Pio: Italy (particularly Pietrelcina, San Giovanni Rotondo, Vatican City)
2001-2004, 2007-2008	<i>The Heritage-scape: heritage and tourism development in Cambodia, Viet Nam, Thailand, Laos</i>

Consulting

Slover-Linett Strategies, Chicago, IL	2008-present
Research Fellow	
British Broadcasting Company (BBC), London, UK	2013
Consultant on Padre Pio pilgrimage for documentary, <i>Pilgrimage with Simon Reeve</i>	

Publications and Talks

Peer Reviewed Monographs

In prep.	<i>Tourism: Anthropological Insights</i> . Toronto: University of Toronto Press.
2009	<i>The Heritage-scape: UNESCO, World Heritage, and Tourism</i> . Lanham: Lexington Books. 978-0739114353

Special Journal Issues

In prep	Pilgrimage beyond the "officially sacred." Special issue proposed for <i>Tourism Geographies</i> .
2016	Sites of Pilgrimage, Sites of Heritage: Exploring the Interface between Religion and Heritage in Tourist Destinations. Special issue of the <i>International Journal of Tourism Anthropology</i> [co-editor: Josep-Maria Garcia-Fuentes]

- 2011 Pilgrimage: Communitas and Contestation, Unity and Diversity. Special issue of *Tourism: An International, Interdisciplinary Journal*. 59(3): 241-404.

Edited Volumes

- In prep. *Routledge Handbook on Heritage and Tourism*. London and NY: Routledge. [co-editors: Helaine Silverman, Hayley Saul and Mike Robinson].
- 2015 *The Seductions of Pilgrimage: Sacred Journeys Afar and Astray in the Western Religious Tradition*. Surrey: Ashgate. 978-1472440075 [co-editor: David Picard]
- 2014 *Edible Identities: Food as Cultural Heritage*. Surrey: Ashgate 978-1409442639 [co-editor: Ronda Brulotte]
- Tourism and the Power of Otherness: Seductions of Difference*. Tourism and Culture Change series. Bristol: Channel View Press. 978-1845414153 [co-editor: David Picard]

Book Chapters and Encyclopedia Entries

- In prep. Taking Tourism Seriously: A Conversation with Edward Bruner. In Naomi Leite (ed) *Taking Tourism Seriously: Edward Bruner and the Anthropology of Tourism*. Lanham: Lexington Books [with N. Leite].
- In press Victor Turner. In Hilary Callan (ed), *The International Encyclopedia of Anthropology*. Hoboken: Wiley.
- The Anthropology of Tourism. In Linda Lowry (ed). *The SAGE International Encyclopedia of Travel and Tourism*. NY: SAGE.
- World Heritage. In Linda Lowry (ed). *The SAGE International Encyclopedia of Travel and Tourism*. NY: SAGE
- World Heritage as a Revitalization Movement: Managing Local and Global Tourism in UNESCO's Heritage-scape. In Laurent Bourdeau, Maria Gravari-Barbas and Mike Robinson (eds). *World Heritage: Global and Local Relations*. Surrey: Ashgate.
- Pilgrimage. In Jafar Jafari and Honggen Xiao, *The Encyclopedia of Tourism*, 2nd edition. New York: Springer Publications. [co-author: Jas' Elsner]
- World Heritage. In Jafar Jafari and Honggen Xiao, *The Encyclopedia of Tourism*, 2nd edition. New York: Springer Publications.
- Moveable Feasts: Food as Revitalizing Cultural Heritage. In Helaine Silverman, Emma Waterton and Steve Watson (eds). *Heritage in Motion: Making the Past in the Present*. NY: Springer. [co-authored with Terry Majewski and Jonathan Mabry].
- The Ritual (Re-)Construction of Italian-American Identity in the *Vigilia di Natale*. In Elizabeth Messina (ed.), *Italian-American Culture and Behavior*. New York: Springer Publications
- Food, Ethnic Imaginaries, and Italian-American Identity. In Elizabeth Messina (ed.), *Italian-American Culture and Behavior*. New York: Springer Publications
- 2016 Pilgrimage. In Patrick J. Hayes, *Miracles: An Encyclopedia of People, Places and Supernatural Events from Antiquity to the Present*. Santa Barbara: ABC-CLIO
- Stigmata. In Patrick J. Hayes, *Miracles: An Encyclopedia of People, Places and Supernatural Events from Antiquity to the Present*. Santa Barbara: ABC-CLIO
- 2015 The Seductions of Suffering: Stigmata, Salvation and Pilgrimage to the Shrine of St. Padre Pio in San Giovanni Rotondo. In Michael A. Di Giovine and David Picard (eds.) *The Seductions of Pilgrimage: Sacred Journeys Afar and Astray in the Western Religious Tradition*. Surrey: Ashgate, pp. 187-210.
- Introduction: Pilgrimage and Seduction in the Abrahamic Tradition. In Michael A. Di Giovine and David Picard (eds.) *The Seductions of Pilgrimage: Sacred Journeys Afar and Astray in the Western Religious Tradition*. Surrey: Ashgate, pp. 1-51. [co-author: David Picard]

- When Popular Religion becomes Elite Heritage: Tensions and Transformations at the Shrine of St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina. In Helaine Silverman and Mike Robinson (eds.), *Encounters with Popular Pasts: Cultural Heritage and Popular Culture*. NY: Springer Publications, pp. 31-47.
- UNESCO's World Heritage Program: Challenges and Ethics of Community Participation. In N. Adell, R. Bendix, C. Bortolotto, M Tauschek (eds). *Community and Participation: Core Concepts in Heritage Policy and Practice*. Göttingen: Universitätsverlag Göttingen Press, pp. 83-108.
- Un'ostensione controversa. Il culto di Padre Pio come campo di produzione culturale. In Dionigi Albera and Melissa Blanchard (eds). *Pellegrini del Nuovo Millennio: Aspetti Economici e Politici delle Mobilità Religiose*. Messina: Mesogea, pp. 175-202.
- Patrimonial Ethics and the Field of Heritage Production. In C. Gnecco and D. Lippart (eds.). *Ethics and Archaeological Praxis*. NY: Springer, pp. 201-227.
- 2014 The World Heritage List: Criteria, Representations, Problems. In Claire Smith (ed). *Encyclopedia of Global Archaeology*. New York: Springer Publications, pp. 7885-7894.
- World Heritage Objectives and Outcomes. Claire Smith (ed). *Encyclopedia of Global Archaeology*. New York: Springer Publications, pp. 7894-7903.
- The *Imaginaire* Dialectic and the Refashioning of Pietrelcina. In Noel Salazar and Nelson H. H. Graburn (eds.). *Tourism Imaginaries: Through an Anthropological Lens*. Oxford: Berghahn Books, pp. 147-171.
- Introduction. Through Other Worlds. In David Picard and Michael A. Di Giovine (eds), *Tourism and the Power of Otherness: Seductions of Difference*. Bristol: Channel View, pp. 1-28. [co-author: David Picard].
- Introduction. Food and Foodways as Cultural Heritage. In Ronda Brulotte and Michael A. Di Giovine (eds.). *Edible Identities: Food as Cultural Heritage*. Surrey: Ashgate, pp. 1-27 [co-author: Ronda Brulotte]
- The Everyday as Extraordinary: Revitalization, Religion, and the Elevation of Cucina Casareccia to Heritage Cuisine in Pietrelcina, Italy. In Ronda Brulotte and Michael A. Di Giovine (eds.). *Edible Identities: Food as Cultural Heritage*. Surrey: Ashgate, pp. 77-92.
- 2013 Sacred Journeys as Spaces for Peace in Christianity. In Antón Pazos, ed., *Pilgrims and Pilgrimages as Peacemakers in Christianity, Judaism, and Islam*. Surrey: Ashgate, pp. 1-38.
- 2012 Passionate Movements: Emotional and Social Dynamics of Padre Pio Pilgrims. In Mike Robinson and David Picard (eds). *Emotion in Motion: The Passion of Tourism, Travel and Movement*. Surrey: Ashgate, pp. 117-136. [ISBN: 9781409421337]
- 2011 Re-Presenting St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina: Contested Ways of Seeing a Contemporary Saint. In Françoise Meltzer and Jas' Elsner (eds). *Saints: Faith without Borders*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, pp. 309-320. [ISBN: 9780226519920]
- UNESCO's Heritage-scape: A Global Endeavor to Produce 'Peace in the Minds of Men' through Tourism and Preservation." In Rana P.B. Singh (ed). *Heritagescapes and Cultural Landscapes*. Planet Earth and Cultural Understanding Series 6. New Delhi, India: Shubhi Publications, pp. 57-86. [ISBN: 9788182902268]
- 2010 *La Vigilia Italo-Americana*: Transmitting Authenticity Amid Social Change. In Lysaght, Patricia, ed. *Food and Meals at Cultural Crossroads*. Oslo: Novus, pp. 124-136. [ISBN: 9788270995714.]
- 2009 Saints, Citizens, Pilgrims: Religious Tourism and Revitalization in Pietrelcina, Italy. In Anna Trono, ed. *Tourism, Religion and Culture: Regional Development through Meaningful Tourism Experiences*. Galatina (Lecce), Italy: Mario Congedo Publisher, pp. 239-260. [ISBN: 9788880868750]
- 2004 Translator's Note. In Carlo Colona. *Don Elia Bellebono: Apostle of the Sacred Heart for our Time*. Rome: AdP.

Journal Articles

- Forthcoming Serving up Authenticity: Marketing the Culinary Heritage of a Desert City. *Food and Foodways*. Special issue, Food and Cultural Heritage, Raul Matta and Charles-Edouard de Suremain (eds) [co-authored with Jonathan B. Mabry, and Teresita Majewski]
- Sustainable Foodways as Markers of Cultural Heritage in Central Italy: Paradoxes and Opportunities. *Food and Foodways*. Special issue, Food and Cultural Heritage, Raul Matta and Charles-Edouard de Suremain (eds).
- 2016 Sites of Pilgrimage, Sites of Heritage: An Exploratory Introduction. *International Journal of Tourism Anthropology*
- 2014 The Definitional Problem of Patrimony and the Futures of Cultural Heritage. *Anthropology News*, May.
- 2013 Apologia Pro Turismo: Breaking Inter- and Intra-disciplinary Boundaries in the Study of Tourism and Pilgrimage. Special issue, "New Directions in the Anthropology of Tourism." *The Journal of Tourism Challenges and Trends* 6(2): 63-94.
- 2012 Padre Pio for Sale: Souvenirs, Relics or Identity Markers? *International Journal of Tourism Anthropology*. 2(2), pp. 108-127.
- A Tale of Two Cities: Padre Pio and the Reimagining of Pietrelcina and San Giovanni Rotondo. *Textus: English studies in Italy*. 1(1), pp. 155-167.
- 2011 Pilgrimage: Communitas and Contestation, Unity and Difference – An Introduction. *Tourism: An International, Interdisciplinary Journal*. 59(3): 247-269.
- 2010 *La Vigilia Italo-Americana*: Revitalizing the Italian-American Family through the Christmas Eve 'Feast of the Seven Fishes'. *Food and Foodways*. 18(4): 181-208.
- Rethinking Development: Religious Tourism as Material and Cultural Revitalization in Pietrelcina, Italy. *Tourism: An International Interdisciplinary Journal*. Special issue, "Tourism, Religion, Culture." 58(3): pp. 271-288.
- World Heritage Tourism: UNESCO's Vehicle for Peace? *Anthropology News*. 51(8): 8-9.
- 2009 Re-Presenting St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina: Contested Ways of Seeing a Contemporary Saint. *Critical Inquiry*. Special issue, "The Curious Category of the Saint." 35(3): 481-492.
- Revitalization and Counter-Revitalization: Tourism, Heritage and the *Lantern Festival* as Catalysts for Regeneration in Hôi An, Viet Nam. *J. of Policy Research in Tourism, Leisure and Events*. 1(3): 208-230.

Review Essays, Book Reviews, and Non-Peer Reviewed Content

- Forthcoming *Walking Where Jesus Walked: American Christians and Holy Land Pilgrimage*. (Hilary Kaell). *LA Times Review of Books*
- World Heritage on the Ground. Ethnographic Perspectives*. (Brumann/Berliner). *Anthropos*.
- Faith in Heritage: Displacement, Development, and Religious Tourism in Contemporary China* (Robert J. Shepherd). *Journal of Anthropological Research*
- European Products: Making and Unmaking Heritage in Cyprus* (Gisela Welz). *American Ethnologist*.
- In press *Heritage Keywords*. (Kathryn Lafrenz Samuels and Trinidad Rico, eds.). *Museum Anthropology Review*.
- Americans in Tuscany* (Catherine Trundale). *American Anthropologist*.
- 2016 The Amatriciana per Amatrice Campaign: Reflections on Food, Solidarity, and the Earthquake in Central Italy. Society for Food and Nutrition's blog, October 28, 2016. With Elisa Ascione. <https://foodanthro.com/2016/10/28/the-amatriciana-per-amatrice-campaign-reflections-on-food-solidarity-and-the-earthquake-in-central-italy/>

- The Italian-American Table: Food, Family and Community in New York City.* (Simone Cinotto). *Hospitality & Society* 6(1): 83-90.
- 2014 *The Politics of Heritage Management in Mali: From UNESCO to Djenné.* (Charlotte Joy). *Journal of Anthropological Research*. 70(4): 623-624.
- 2013 Discussion: *The Sage Handbook of Tourism Studies* and the Construction of a Unified Field of Tourism Research *Tourism: An International, Interdisciplinary Journal* 61(3).
- 2011 Tourism Research as Global Ethnography. *Anthropologies*. April 2011.
www.anthropologiesproject.org/2011/04/tourism-research-as-global-ethnography.html
- World Heritage Sites: Places of Conflict, or of Peace? *Rowman and Littlefield Blog*.
<http://rowmanblog.typepad.com/rowman/2011/02/world-heritage-sites-places-of-conflict-or-of-peace.html>
- Identities and Nation-Building in Early Modern Travel Accounts. *Journeys: The International Journal of Travel and Travel Writing*, 12(1): 93-105.
- The Heritage Reader* (Fairclough, Harrison, Jameson and Schofield, eds.). *Curator: The Museum Journal* 54(3): 363-369.
- 2010 Conference Review: Emotions in Motion: The Passions of Tourism, Travel and Movement. *Journeys: The International Journal of Travel and Travel Writing*, 11(2): 99-102.
- Review essay: *Return to Alexandria: An Ethnography of Cultural Heritage Revivalism and Museum Memory* (Beverly Butler). *Curator: The Museum Journal*. 52(4): 399-405.
- 2009 Travel, Travel Writing, and the Construct of European Identity. *Journeys: The International Journal of Travel and Travel Writing*, 10(2): 109-118.
- Exhibition Review essay: *Body Worlds* and *Body Worlds 2: Towards the Creation of an Instructive Museum of Man*. *Museum Anthropology Review*, 3(1).
<http://scholarworks.iu.edu/journals/index.php/mar/article/view/104>
- 2008 Review essay: *Cultural Heritage* (Smith, ed.) and *Heritage Interpretation* (Hems and Blockley, eds.). *Curator: The Museum Journal*. 51(3): 329-338.
- 2005 *The Mosaics of Pesaro* website. (English version) www.pesaromosaici.it. Pesaro, Italy: Archdiocese of Pesaro. [co-written by Giampiero Cernuschi]
- 2000 Istituto Italiano di Cultura. *Parl'Italiano*. Washington, DC: Istituto Italiano di Cultura.

Conference Proceedings

- 2014 Humane Values: Heritage Tourism as a Sustainable Revitalization Movement. Heritage and Landscape as Human Values: Proceedings from the 18th General Conference of the International Conference of Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS). Florence, Italy. [co-authored with Jonathan Mabry and Teresita Majewski]
- 2010 The Seductions of Suffering: Stigmata, Salvation and Pilgrimage to the Sanctuary of Padre Pio in San Giovanni Rotondo. Paper presented at the special session, "Rethinking Pilgrimage, Seduction and Difference" in the 1st Tourism-Contact-Culture Research Network Conference, *Tourism and Seductions of Difference*. Lisbon, Portugal, September 2010. [ISBN 9780956750204]
- Introductory Remarks: Rethinking Pilgrimage, Seduction and Difference. Paper presented at the special session, "Rethinking Pilgrimage, Seduction and Difference" in the 1st Tourism-Contact-Culture Research Network Conference, *Tourism and Seductions of Difference*. Lisbon, Portugal, September 2010. [ISBN 9780956750204]
- World Heritage as a Revitalization Movement: Managing Local and Global Tourism in UNESCO's Heritage-scape. In Laurent Bourdeau and Sonia Chassé, *International Conference of World Heritage*

and Tourism: Managing for the Global and the Local. Quebec City, Canada, June 2-4, 2010. [ISBN: 9782763794389]

Defining Angkor, Producing the Heritage-Scape: The importance of Narratives in the Global and Local Management of World Heritage Sites. In Laurent Bourdeau and Sonia Chassé, *International Conference of World Heritage and Tourism: Managing for the Global and the Local*. Quebec City, Canada, June 2-4, 2010. [ISBN: 9782763794389]

- 2009 The Passions of Pilgrimage: Promoting and Practicing Religious Tourism in Pietrelcina." In *Emotion in Motion: The Passion of Tourism, Travel and Movement Conference Proceedings*. Leeds, UK: Centre for Tourism and Cultural Change - Leeds Metropolitan University. [ISBN: 9781907240089]
- 2008 Reconceptualizing Tourism and Development through a Revitalization Paradigm: Preliminary Results from Pietrelcina (BN), Italy. In *Attractions and Events as Catalysts for Regeneration and Social Change Conference Proceedings*. Nottingham, UK: Christel DeHaan Tourism & Travel Research Institute, University of Nottingham, pp. 306-328. [ISSN 14711427]
- Revitalization and Counter-Revitalization: Tourism, Heritage and the Lantern Festival as Catalysts for Regeneration in Hoi An, Viet Nam. In *Attractions and Events as Catalysts for Regeneration and Social Change Conference Proceedings*. Nottingham, UK: Christel DeHaan Tourism & Travel Research Institute, University of Nottingham, pp. 285-305. [ISSN 14711427]
- 2007 Monuments that Move: Tourism and the Diffusion of UNESCO's Global Heritage-scape." In *Things That Move: The Material World of Tourism and Travel Conference Proceedings*. Leeds, UK: Centre for Tourism and Cultural Change - Leeds Metropolitan University. [ISBN: 9780955501760.]

Other Conference Presentations

- 2016 Humane Values: Heritage Tourism as a Sustainable Revitalization Movement. Paper presented at "Urban Sustainability: Inspiration and Solutions," the *Twelfth International Conference on Environmental, Cultural, Economic and Social Sustainability*. Portland State University, January 21-23, 2016. [co-authored with Jonathan Mabry and Teresita Majewski].
- Serving up Authenticity: Marketing the Cultural Heritage of a Desert City. Paper presented at the second annual Association of Critical Heritage Studies conference in Montreal, Canada, June 2-8. 2-16. [co-authors: Jonathan Mabry and Teresita Majewski]
- Revitalizing Feasts: Gastronomic Heritage as a Global Agent of Change. Paper presented at the second annual Association of Critical Heritage Studies conference in Montreal, Canada, June 2-8. 2-16. [co-authors: Teresita Majewski and Jonathan Mabry]
- Sustainable Foodways as Markers of Cultural Heritage. Paper presented at the Food and Sustainability Studies Biennial Conference, Umbra Institute, Perugia, Italy June 2016.
- Slow Food/Slow Travel: Interrogating the Intersections between Short-term Travel and Rapid Ethnographic Research in Slow Food Experiences. Paper presented at the European Association of Social Anthropologists' biennial meeting, Milan, Italy, July 20, 2016.
- 2015 From Pilgrimage to Heritage: Sensory Mechanisms of Religious and Secular Affect at the Italian Shrines to St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina. Paper presented at the conference, *Affect Theory: Worldlings / Tensions/ Futures*, Millersville University, October 15-17, 2015.
- Discussant for roundtable on cultural heritage preservation, Society for Applied Anthropology's invited session at the American Anthropological Association's annual meeting, Denver, CO, November 2015.
- Pilgrimage and Seduction. Paper as part of the Society for Humanistic Anthropology's invited session, The Seductions of Pilgrimage, at the American Anthropological Association's annual meeting, Denver, CO, November 2015.

- 2014 Ethnic Imaginaries and the Italian-American Experience. Paper presented at West Chester University's Ethnic Studies Seminar, October 15, 2014.
- Beyond Hosts and Guests: Sensing the Field of Touristic Production at the Shrine of Saint Padre Pio of Pietrelcina. AAA Executive Board Sponsored Paper presented as part of the AAA Executive-Board sponsored panel, "Producing and Envisioning the Anthropology of Tourism (Part 2): On Present and Future Travel of Hosts, Guests, and Anthropologists of Tourism", at the American Anthropological Association's Annual Meeting, December 5, 2014.
- Concluding remarks on Applied Anthropology in the Tourism Sector. Paper presented in the session (sponsored by the National Association of Practicing Anthropologists), "Producing Anthropology and Tourism: Practicing Anthropologists in the Tourism Sector", December 4, 2015.
- 2013 From Local Tradition to Universal Heritage: "Edible Identities" and the Multiple Scales of Value in World Heritage Foodways. Paper presented at the American Anthropological Association's Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, November 2013.
- 2012 Reimagining Poblet: Interrogating the Authenticity and Integrity of a Catalan Monastery from Anthropological and Architectural Perspectives. *ICAHM (ICOMOS' International Committee on Archaeological Heritage Management) 2012 Annual Conference*, Cuzco, Peru, 27-30 November 2012. [co-author: Josep-Maria Garcia-Fuentes]
- Crossing Borders, Creating Value: The Multiple Scales of Cuisine as Intangible Heritage. Paper to be presented in the session, "Boundaries and Borders: Transformation of Local Foods, Food Commodities, and Community Identities in Response to Global Policies and Economies," at the *American Anthropological Association Annual Conference*, San Francisco, 15 November 2012.
- 2011 Apologia Pro Turismo. Paper presented at the session, "Papers in Honor of Nelson H. H. Graburn" *American Anthropological Association Annual Conference*, Montreal, November 2011.
- The Heritage-scape as a Supra-State Construction. Paper presented at the conference, *Perspectives on Transnational, Immaterial Cultural Heritage*, 2nd annual Trinational Research Group on Heritage, Villa Vigoni, Italy, June 2011.
- The Seductions of Suffering. Paper presented at the session, "The Seductions of Pilgrimage," at the *Society for the Anthropology of Religion* biennial conference, Santa Fe, NM, April 2011.
- The *Imaginaire Dialectic* and the Refashioning of Pietrelcina. Paper presented at *Imaginaires Touristiques / Tourist Imaginaries: A Joint Conference between the UC Berkeley TSWG (Tourism Studies Working Group) and the University of Paris 1 Pantheon-Sorbonne IRESTE (Institute of Advanced Studies and Research on Tourism)*. Berkeley, UC Berkeley: 18-20 February 2011.
- 2010 The Everyday as Extraordinary: Revitalization, Heritage, and the Elevation of *Cucina Casareccia* to Craft Cuisine in Pietrelcina, Italy." Paper presented in the panel, "Crafting Senses: Circulating the Knowledge and Experience of Taste" at the American Anthropological Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA, USA, November 2010.
- Sacred Journeys as Spaces for Peace. Invited lecture / paper presented at the *IV Colloquium Compostela: "Pilgrims as Peacemakers."* Instituto de Estudios Gallegos Padre Sarmiento / Spanish National Research Council. Santiago de Compostela, Spain, October 2010.
- Apologia Pro Turismo: Breaking Inter- and Intra-Disciplinary Boundaries in Contemporary Tourism Studies. Paper presented at the conference, *Tourism Belongs to Whom? Exploring Tourism in Theory and Practice*. Università di Palermo (Italy), June 17-18, 2010.
- 2009 Saints, Citizens, Pilgrims: Religious Tourism and Revitalization in Pietrelcina, Italy. Paper presented at the conference, *Tourism, Religion and Culture: Regional Development through Meaningful Tourism Experiences*. Lecce: Università del Salento, October 28, 2009.
- St. Padre Pio's 'Jubilee Year' 2009: Exhumation, Veneration, Peregrination. Paper presented at the *Anthropology of Europe Workshop*, University of Chicago, October 20, 2009.

- Encountering Angkor, Producing the Heritage-scape: Colonial Archaeology as a Vehicle for Preservation and Tourism at UNESCO's Angkor Archaeological Park. Paper presented at the conference, *Encounters: Conversations on Society, Materiality, and the Politics of the Past and Present*. Interdisciplinary Archaeology Workshop, University of Chicago, May 2009.
- Embracing a Saint, Regenerating a Town: Padre Pio, Pilgrimage and the Revitalization of Pietrelcina. Paper presented at the Anthropology of Europe Workshop, University of Chicago, January 15, 2009.
- 2008 Reconceptualizing Tourism and Development through a Revitalization Paradigm: Preliminary Results from Pietrelcina (BN), Italy. Paper presented at the conference, *Attractions and Events as Catalysts for Regeneration and Social Change*, Christel DeHaan Tourism & Travel Research Institute, University of Nottingham, September 24-25, 2008.
- Revitalization and Counter-Revitalization: Tourism, Heritage and the *Lantern Festival* as Catalysts for Regeneration in Hôì An, Viet Nam. Paper presented at the conference, *Attractions and Events as Catalysts for Regeneration and Social Change*, Christel DeHaan Tourism & Travel Research Institute, University of Nottingham, September 24-25, 2008.
- La Vigilia Italo-Americana*: Transmitting Authenticity amid Social Change. Paper presented at The Societ  Internationale d'Ethnologie et de Folklore's 17th International Ethnological Food Research Conference, *Cultural Crossroads: Food and Meals at Cultural Crossroads*, Oslo, Norway: September.
- The Heritage-scape: Creating 'Peace in the Minds of Men' at Angkor Archaeological Park. Paper accepted for presentation at the *Central States Anthropological Society 85th Annual Convention*, Indianapolis, IN, March 2008.
- 2007 The Heritage-scape in Cambodia: UNESCO's (Anti-)Political Placemaking Endeavor at the Angkor Archaeological Park World Heritage Site. Paper presented in the "(Anti-)Politics of Culture" panel at the *AAA Conference* (American Anthropological Association Annual Conference, Washington, DC, USA, October-November 2007).
- The Heritage-scape: UNESCO's Globalizing Endeavor to Create 'Unity in Diversity'." Paper presented at the Conference, *Multiculturalism, Pluralism and Globalization*, University of Wisconsin-LA Crosse, USA, October 2007.
- Monuments that Move: Tourism and the Diffusion of UNESCO's Global Heritage-scape. Paper presented at the Conference, *Things That Move: The Material World of Tourism and Travel*, Centre for Tourism and Cultural Change - Leeds Metropolitan University, UK, July 2007.
- 2005 Unity in Diversity: European Capitals of Culture and the Construction of a European Heritage-scape. Paper Presented at the *Reinventing Europe Conference* (Chicago, IL: Franke Institute for the Humanities, University of Chicago, April 23, 2005).
- 2004 Moderator: *Educational Travel Conference*, Washington, DC: ETC.
- 2003 Moderator: *Educational Travel Conference*, Washington, DC: ETC.

Invited Lectures and Public Talks

- 2016 Invited lecture. "We're All Family': Kinship, Devotion and Ethnographic Proximity in Researching Pilgrimage to St. Pio of Pietrelcina." Office of Sponsored Research, West Chester University, April 7, 2016.
- Public lecture, "St. Padre Pio as an Icon of Mercy." Saints Peter and Paul R.C. Church, West Chester, PA., September 28, 2016.
- Faculty lecture, "Pasta and Panic: Food and Localism as Vehicles for Mobilizing Earthquake Recovery in Central Italy." Department of Anthropology and Sociology, West Chester University, October 13, 2016.

- 2015 Invited lecture, “Ethnography outside Academia.” Interdisciplinary Ethnography Workshop, Princeton University, October 13, 2015.
- 2014 Invited lecture, “Ethnic Imaginaries and the Italian-American Culinary Experience.” Ethnic Studies Seminar, West Chester University, October 15, 2014
- Keynote speaker, “Value in Heritage, Value of Heritage: Contemporary Significances of Cultural Heritage.” International Symposium, Horizons of Cultural Heritage, closing of the conference series, Atelier de Réflexion Prospective” (ARP) (New Stakes for Cultural Heritage). Université Paris 1, Sorbonne, February 6-7, 2014.
- 2013 Keynote speaker, “Above and Beyond: Religion, Heritage and Communitas as Mechanisms of Coexistence in Tourism” *International Conference on Religious Tourism and Tolerance*, Konya University, Dedeman Konya, Turkey, May 9-12, 2013.
- Invited speaker, “When Popular Religion becomes Authorized Heritage.” Encounters with Popular Pasts: Meanings and Myths at the Interface between Heritage and Popular Culture. University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana and Ironbridge Institute, University of Birmingham (UK). May 23-24, 2013.

Press Interviews

- 2016 Interview on WBEZ Chicago Public Radio’s “Worldview” with Jerome MacDonnell on why Israel Drops Ties With UNESCO After New Jerusalem Holy Sites Resolution.
- <https://www.wbez.org/shows/worldview/israel-drops-ties-with-unesco-after-new-jerusalem-holy-sites-resolution/a73b5b36-4fae-4a2b-8f46-4305d5af1d67>
- Quoted in Wangsness, Lisa (2016). “A Matter of Heart and Soul: Reliquary of Italian saint visits Boston”. *The Boston Globe*, Metro Section, Thursday, September 22, pages B2, B4.
- http://www.bostonglobe.com/metro/2016/09/21/hundreds-flock-lowell-church-venerate-heart-saint/0nyVrhfrBuWkm0OhBl2k7H/story.html?s_campaign=8315
- 2015 Quoted in Laskow, Sarah (2015). “Miracle Towns: Where Plastic Junk Becomes Holy Relics”. *Atlas Obscura*, September 23. <http://www.atlasobscura.com/articles/miracle-towns-where-plastic-junk-becomes-holy-relics>
- 2014 Interview, “Passing Time with Dr. Rob,” with Chester County Historical Society President Rob Lukens, WCHE 1520 a.m., October 29.
- 2013 Interview on politics and logistics of a World Heritage designation. “Worldview” with Jerome MacDonnell WBEZ Chicago Public Radio. <https://soundcloud.com/wbez-worldview/update-on-syria-world-heritage>
- Dean MacCannell, one of the “fathers” of the social scientific study of tourism, lists Michael Di Giovine as one of the top emerging scholars in an interview with *The Vacationer*.
- 2010 Interview on Padre Pio pilgrimage and the revitalization of Pietrelcina. NTR24 TV, Benevento, Italy.
- 2008 Quoted in Ramsden, Simon (2008). “Angkor Wat: Perspectives and Reflections” *Adrenaline*, October 8.
- Quoted in Wilson, David (2008). “Tracking the Heartbeat of Vietnam: Top 10 Attractions Near the Historic Town of Hoi An. *Travelroads*. August 12.
- Quoted Bay in Wilson, David (2008). Through the Misty, Mountainous Maze. *The Star*. August 12.