

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

Ph. D., The Pennsylvania State University at Harrisburg, 2008 (public administration)

M.A., St. Johns College, Annapolis, 1994 (liberal arts)

B.A., The Johns Hopkins University, 1992 (humanities)

EXPERIENCE

University of Baltimore

Assistant Professor 2014-
Fellow, Schaefer Center for Public Policy

Penn State Harrisburg

MPA Coordinator 2013-2014
Lecturer 2009-2014
Adjunct Faculty 2005-2009

Lebanon Valley College

Adjunct Instructor 2007

EDITORIAL EXPERIENCE

Editor, *Public Administration Quarterly*, 2007-

Managing Editor, 2006-2007

Assistant Editor, 2004-2006

Editor, *Journal of Health and Human Services Administration*, 2007-2016

Managing Editor, 2006-2007

Assistant Editor, 2004-2006

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-reviewed

Wachhaus, A., Neaves, T. & Royer, G. (forthcoming). "The Social Construction of Disasters". *Journal of Emergency Management*.

Wachhaus, A. (forthcoming). "Bootstrapping Disaster: The Challenge of Growing and Maintaining a Cross-Sector Collaborative Network". *Journal of Emergency Management*.

Wachhaus, A. (2016) "What is Newark?". *International Journal of Organizational Theory & Behavior*. 19:1, 8-15.

Wachhaus, A. (2015). "Breaking the teacup: Imagining a perfect lonely world in Shakespeare's *The Tempest*." *Public Voices*, 14(2), 30-41.

Wachhaus, T. Aaron. (2015). "Governance myths." In *Encyclopedia of Public Administration and Public Policy, 3rd Ed.*; Bearfield, D.; Dubnick, M., Eds.; Taylor & Francis: New York; Vol. 3, pp. 1580-1584.

Wachhaus, A. (2014). "The ties that bind: community, *topos* and municipal dissolution." *Administration & Society*. 46(9), 1109-1129. doi: 10.1177/0095399714554682

Wachhaus, A. (2014). "Governance beyond government". *Administration & Society*, 46(5), 573-593. doi:10.1177/0095399713513140

Wachhaus, A. (2013). "The *Akedah* as governance myth: The removal of sacrifice from civic society". *Administration & Society*. 45(8) 1003-1029. doi:10.1177/0095399712451889

Wachhaus, A. (2012). "Anarchy as a model for network governance". *Public Administration Review*, 72(1), 33-42.

Wachhaus, A. (2011). "Platform governance as a framework to support informatics". *The Innovation Journal*, 16(1), article 5.

Morcol, G. & Wachhaus, A. (2009). "Networks and complexity theories: A synthesis for a better public policy analysis and administration". *Administrative Theory & Praxis*, 31(1), 44-58.

Wachhaus, A. (2009). "Networks in contemporary public administration: A discourse analysis". *Administrative Theory & Praxis*, 31(1), 59-77.

Wachhaus, A. (2008). "Herbert Simon". In J. Rabin (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Public Administration and Public Policy*. New York: Taylor & Francis.

Other publications

Wachhaus, A. (2016). Symposium on David Farmer's Public Administration Theory; editors' introduction. *International Journal of Organization Theory and Behavior*. 19(1), 2-7.

Wachhaus, A. (2015). "Symposium introduction: Bureaucracy and the Bard." *Public Voices*, 14(2), 5-7.

Wachhaus, A. (2015). *Social network analysis: Partnerships for healthy communities*. Final report to the Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. Schaefer Center for Public Policy, University of Baltimore – College of Public Affairs.

Czech, D. (1994). "The Auschwitz prisoner administration" (A. Wachhaus, Trans.), in Y. Gutman and M. Berenbaum, (Eds.). *Anatomy of the Auschwitz Death Camp*. Indianapolis: Indiana University Press.

Langbein, H. (1994). "The Auschwitz underground" (A. Wachhaus, Trans.) in Y. Gutman and M. Berenbaum, (Eds.). *Anatomy of the Auschwitz Death Camp*. Indianapolis: Indiana University Press.

Work in progress

Wachhaus, A. (under contract). *Collaborative Healthcare Networks*. Taylor & Francis, to be delivered by August 1, 2018.

Wachhaus, A. (under revision). "Governance platforms as a means of brightening dark times".

Wachhaus, A. (under revision). "Network governance as a mechanism for responding to internet violence".

Wachhaus, A. (in preparation). "Organizing governance myths"

Wachhaus, A. (in preparation). "Building partnerships for healthy communities: A social network analysis of healthcare networks"

SPONSORED RESEARCH

Principal Investigator. 2016. Social Network Analysis of Local Health Departments, Self Assessment. Sponsored by Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. \$39,004.00.

Principal Investigator. 2016. Social Network Analysis of Local Health Departments, 7 Additional Networks. Sponsored by Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. \$38,869.00.

Principal Investigator. 2015. Social Network Analysis of Local Health Departments. Sponsored by Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. \$80,485.

Grants and Awards

University of Baltimore, Center for Excellence in Learning and Teaching Technologies (CELTT). Faculty Fellow, summer/fall 2016. Charged to provide professional development and peer support to UB faculty; tasked with revising and delivering new faculty orientation. \$3000.00; course release.

CPA Dean's summer research stipend. Stipend to support research into Abenteurspielplätze (adventure playgrounds) in Berlin, with the goals of investigating unstructured, non-directed emergent social organization; and of assessing how free play systems are incorporated into formal governance structures. \$4000.00

University of Baltimore, Center for Entrepreneurship and Innovation (CEI) and CELTT. Faculty Entrepreneurship Cohort member, CEI Fellow. AY 2015-2016. Charged with infusing entrepreneurship principles across the curriculum; tasked with revising and delivering a course incorporating entrepreneurship principles and practices. \$1500.00

DISSERTATION SUPERVISION

Stephanie Dolamore (chair). University of Baltimore, School of Public & International Affairs.

Diane Flint (chair). University of Baltimore, School of Public & International Affairs.

Meghan Norris (chair). University of Baltimore, School of Public & International Affairs.

Yinglee Tseng. University of Baltimore, School of Public & International Affairs.

Joseph Gryder. University of Baltimore, School of Public & International Affairs.

Chase Gordon. Arizona State University, School of Public Affairs.

Ashley Waters (chair). "Cohabitation to Collaboration: The Impact of Shared Space in University Center Collaboration". University of Baltimore, School of Public & International Affairs. Defended May 2, 2016.

Andrew Koricich. "Many Peas, No Pods: Community, Diversity, and College Access in Rural America". Penn State University, Department of Higher Education Policy. Defended June 18, 2013.

Rachel Cardelle. "Financial Aid and Community Colleges". Penn State University, Department of Higher Education Policy. Defended February 26, 2013.

Claire Gilbert. "Crossing the Rubicon: Collaboration in Higher Education IT within the Committee for Institutional Cooperation". Penn State University, Department of Higher Education Policy. Defended December 7, 2012.

CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES

Presenter, "Mapping Local Health Care Networks to Build Healthy Communities" at the Northeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Harrisburg, PA, November 2016.

Presenter, "Management Strategies for Collaborative Networks: Successes and Failures in Managing Collaborative Partnerships" at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Raleigh, NC, October, 2016.

Presenter, "How Could They Burn Their Own Neighborhood Down? Sports Celebrations vs. Social Unrest" at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Raleigh, NC, October, 2016.

Presenter, "Mapping Local Health Care Networks to Build Partnerships for Healthy Communities" at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, Seattle, March 2016.

Presenter, "Network Governance and Transparency" at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, Seattle, March 2016.

Invited participant, "Learning from Journal Editors" at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, Seattle, March 2016.

Panel chair & presenter, "Building Partnerships for Healthy Communities: Social Network Analysis of 5 Healthcare Networks" at the Northeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Arlington, VA, November 2015

Panel chair & presenter, "Building Partnerships for Healthy Communities: A Comparison of Local Health Networks" at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Charleston, SC, September 2015.

Panel chair & presenter, "Navigating the job market: Practical advice for Ph.D. students" at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Charleston, SC, September 2015.

Invited participant, "Learning from Journal Editors" at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, Chicago, March 2015.

Invited participant, “Preparing Future Faculty” at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, Chicago, March 2015.

Presenter, “Seeing like a state: Visualizing queerness.” at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, Chicago, March 2015.

Panel chair, “Navigating the academic job market: practical advice for PhD students applying to university positions” at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Atlanta, GA, September 2014.

Panel co-chair, “Farmer in the Field: Practical Theory for Managers” at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Atlanta, GA, September 2014.

Presenter, “Old Wine, No Bottles: Restructuring Universities for the Digital Age” at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Atlanta, GA, September 2014.

Panel co-chair, “David Farmer – Methodologist?” at the Public Administration Theory Network annual conference, Miami, May 2014.

Presenter, “Installing dictators in a democracy: Anchoring government with a strong post” at the Public Administration Theory Network annual conference, Miami, May 2014.

Invited participant, “Learning from Journal Editors” at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, Washington, D.C. March 2014.

Presenter, “Through a glass darkly: Policy process and borderline personality disorder” at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Charlotte, NC, September 2013.

Presenter, “Breaking the teacup: Imagining a perfect lonely world in Shakespeare’s *The Tempest*” at the Public Administration Theory Network annual conference, San Francisco, May 2013

Presenter, “Dissolving into Happiness: The Creation of No-Places through Municipal Dissolution” at the Public Administration Theory Network annual conference, San Francisco, May 2013

Invited participant, “Learning from Journal Editors” at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, New Orleans, March 2013.

Panel member, “The Importance of Critical and Reflective Theory in Sustaining Public Administration as an Intellectual Field: A Meet the Editors Panel”, at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, New Orleans, March 2013.

Presenter, "Integrating Platforms into the Polis: The Challenges of Incorporating Cross-sector Networks into Government Policy-making Structures" at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, New Orleans, March 2013.

Presenter, "Mapping the Reconstruction: Long-Term Disaster Recovery in Central Pennsylvania" at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Coral Springs, FL October 2012.

Moderator, "Professional Development Workshop: Serving as a Journal Manuscript Reviewer or Symposium" at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Coral Springs, FL October 2012.

Invited participant, "Doctoral Student Workshop" at the Public Administration Theory Network annual conference, Brownsville, TX May 2012.

Presenter, "Leaky government" at the Public Administration Theory Network annual conference, Brownsville, TX May 2012.

Discussant, "Democracy of Solidarity" at the Public Administration Theory Network annual conference, Brownsville, TX May 2012.

Invited participant, "Learning from Journal Editors" at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, Las Vegas, NV March 2012

Presenter, "Understanding Participation Development in Governance Challenge Platforms" at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, Las Vegas, NV March 2012

Presenter, "Towards iGov: Applications of Platform Governance" at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, New Orleans, LA September 2011.

Presenter, "The Social Construction of Disasters in the United States: Cultural and Historical Perspectives" at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, New Orleans, LA September 2011.

Presenter, "The Akedah as Governance Myth: The Removal of Sacrifice from the Public Sector" at the Public Administration Theory Network annual conference, Norfolk, VA May 2011.

Presenter, "The Implications of Collective Anarchism and Self-Organization on Governance" at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, Baltimore, MD March 2011.

Presenter, "Crowdsourcing Government: Applications of Emergent Self-Organizing Governance" at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Wilmington, NC October 2010.

Presenter, "The Implications of Collective Anarchism and Self-Organization on Governance" at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, San Jose, CA, April 2010.

Panel chair, "Learning from Editorial Board Members" at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Louisville, KY, September 2009.

Presenter, "Anarchy as a Model for Network Governance" at the Public Administration Theory Network annual conference, Frankfort, KY, May 2009.

Moderator, "Images, Metaphors, and Ante-narratives" at the Public Administration Theory Network annual conference, Frankfort, KY, May 2009.

Invited participant, "Learning from Journal Editors" at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Orlando, FL, September 2008.

Presenter, "Discourse Analysis of Public Administration Networks" at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, Dallas, TX, March 2007.

Panel chair, "Participatory Governance" at the Public Administration Theory Network Conference, Harrisburg, PA, May 2007.

Panel chair, "Network Governance" at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Athens, GA, September 2006.

Presenter, "Accountability in Networks" at the American Society for Public Administration National Conference, Denver, CO, April 2006.

Presenter, "Hermeneutic Features in Bounded Rationality" at the 2004 Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Charlottesville, NC. September 2004.

Discussant, "The Rational Actor" panel at the Southeast Regional Conference for Public Administration, Savannah, GA, October 2003.

COURSES TAUGHT

- GVPP 348 State and Local Government
- P ADM 500 Public Organization and Management
- P ADM 507 Introduction to Public Policy Analysis
- P ADM 591 Directed Readings
- P ADM 594 Research Topics
- P ADM 595 MPA Internship
- PL SC 001 American National Government
- PL SC 007 Contemporary Political Ideologies
- PL SC 017W Introduction to Political Theory

- PL SC 110 Rights in America
- PL SC 405 The Presidency
- PUAD 620 Public Policy
- PUAD 623 Foundations: Bureaucracy and the Political Process
- PUAD 764 Public Policy Implementation
- PUAD 814 Seminar in Policy Making and Implementation
- PUAD 898 & PUAD 899 Dissertation Research
- PUBPL 304W Introduction to Policy Analysis
- PUBPL 400/PL SC 489 Introduction to Public Administration
- CRIMJ 490W Seminar: Concepts of Justice

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

University of Baltimore:

- Member, UB Scholarship committee, 2016-2017
- Member, search committee, associate director of learning services, 2016
- Chair, Academic Policy Committee, 2016-2017
- Member, Academic Policy Committee, 2015-2017
- Member, Research Engagement Day committee, 2015-2016
- Member, CEI faculty cross-campus entrepreneurship cohort, 2015-2016
- CELTT faculty fellow, summer & fall 2016
- Presenter, Career Conversations, sponsored by the Office of the Provost and the Career Center, January 25, 2017

College & Departmental Service:

- Chair, Dean's committee on civic engagement, 2015
- Pilot program developer, MPA writing assessment pilot, 2016
- Faculty advisor, MPA student association, 2015-
- CPA foreign student orientation, 2015; developed and delivered program
- Member, CPA faculty search committee, 2015
- Member, CPA faculty awards committee, 2015
- Member, Linda Jenkins-Brown award committee, 2015

Penn State Harrisburg:

- MPA coordinator 2013-2014
- Lead faculty, NASPAA re-accreditation 2013-2014
- Standing committee membership
 - Strategic planning 2010-2014
 - Information systems, technology and library 2010 - 2013
 - Web compliance committee 2009
 - Campuswide internship coordination 2009-2010
 - Academic integrity 2008-2010
 - School of Public Affairs web committee 2008 – 2010
- Ad hoc committee membership
 - Healthcare administration search committees spring 2012; fall 2011

Public administration search committees fall 2012; spring 2011; fall 2010
Political science search committee fall 2012

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Track Chair, 'Public Administration Theory'. American Society of Public Administration (ASPA) national conference, 2016-2017
- Member, ASPA Section on Networks and Complexity Sciences publications committee, 2010-2011
- Member, ASPA Nonprofit Forum executive committee, 2009-2013
- Member, ex-officio, Board of the Section on Health and Human Services Administration (ASPA)
- Member, ex officio, Board of the Section on Professional and Organizational Development (ASPA)

Manuscript Reviewer

Administrative Theory & Praxis
American Review of Public Administration
Critical Policy Studies
Journal of Environmental Policy & Planning
Journal of Public Administration Research & Theory
Journal of Policy Analysis & Management
Innovation Journal
International Journal of Public Administration
Performance Management Review
Policy Sciences Journal
Public Management Review
State and Local Government Review

Book Manuscript Reviewer

CQ Press
Lexington Books
Oxford University Press
Routledge

Consultant: external reviewer to the MPA and MS-HC programs at the University of New Haven. Summer, 2010

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- President, Southern Public Administration Education Foundation, 2006-
Grew endowment to ensure financial stability for the foundation; updated organizational documents to reflect the growth of the foundation; dispersed funds to support the foundation's mission.
- The Baltimore Project: University Partnership for Baltimore's Future, 2016

- With Betsy Nix, UB representative on a multi-University consortium (Johns Hopkins, Morgan State, UB). Aims include 1) developing a concise historical narrative of social justice in Baltimore in honor of the upcoming 50th anniversary of the Kerner Commission Report; 2) bring academic expertise to Baltimore's incoming mayor to build strategic partnerships between city hall and city universities and to assist with her transition and 100 day planning.
- Advisor, Greater Baltimore Health Initiative, 2015-
 - Advisor, Baltimore Health Collaborative, 2015-2016
 - Keynote speaker, Maryland Chronic Disease Conference, September 8, 2015
 - Majority election inspector, Elizabethtown, PA, 2012-2014
 - Rabbi search committee, Temple Beth El (Lancaster, PA), 2013-2014
8 month process. Tasks included assisting with development of synagogue profile, development & analysis of membership questionnaire, coordination with USCJ, 3 rounds of distance and 2 rounds of in-person interviews.
 - President, Elizabethtown Ice Hockey Club, 2012-2015
Revived organization. Led thorough board and organization re-structuring. Developed and recruited board. Developed policies and budget. Wrote By-laws. Wrote Articles of Incorporation. Incorporated organization with the state of Pennsylvania. Successfully applied for 501(c)3 status.