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Curriculum Vitae

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Positions

2017-present	Professor, Department of Communication, University of Utah
2023-present	Associate Chair, Department of Communication, University of Utah
2014-17	Associate Professor, Department of Communication, University of Utah
2011-14	Assistant Professor, Department of Communication, University of Utah
2007-11	Assistant Professor, Department of Communication, Purdue University

Education

Ph.D. (2007)	Communication; University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
M.A. (2003)	Communication; University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
B.A. (2001)	Communication, Philosophy; Concordia College, Moorhead, MN <i>summa cum laude</i>

Grants, Fellowships, and Awards—National

2023	Golden Anniversary Monograph Award, National Communication Association
2020	National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) Faculty Fellowship
2020	Article of the Year Award, Association for the Rhetoric of Science, Tech., & Med. (ARSTM), National Communication Association (NCA)
2019	National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) Summer Stipend
2019	Top Paper in the Association for the Rhetoric of Science, Tech., & Medicine (ARSTM), National Communication Association (NCA)
2019	Top Paper in the American Studies Division, NCA
2018	Science History Institute Library Travel Grant
2017	Winans-Wichelns Memorial Award for Distinguished Scholarship in Rhetoric and Public Address, NCA
2017	Outstanding Book Award, Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender (OSCLG)
2015	Karl R. Wallace Memorial Award, NCA
2015	New Investigator Award, Rhetoric and Communication Theory Division of NCA
2015	Health Communication Distinguished Book Award, Health Communication Division of NCA
2015	Top Paper in ARSTM, NCA
2011	Top Paper in the Public Address Division, NCA
2008	Cheris Kramarae Outstanding Dissertation Award, OSCLG
2007	Wrage-Baskerville Award, Public Address Division, NCA
2006	Doctoral Honors Seminar Participant, NCA
2005	Clarke Chambers Travel Grant, Social Welfare History Archives
2005	Summer Institute Fellowship, Center for Global Culture and Communication
2003	Top Paper in the Visual Communication Division, NCA

2001 Undergraduate Fellowship, NCA

Grants, Fellowships, and Awards—Institutional

2025 Publication Accelerator Grant, College of Humanities, U of Utah
 2024 Dept. of Obstetrics and Gynecology Research Seed Grant
 2023 Distinguished Scholar Award, College of Humanities, U of Utah
 2023 1U4U Innovation Grant, Office of the VPAA, U of Utah
 2019 University Research Committee Faculty Scholarly Grant Program, U of Utah
 2017 College of Humanities Kickstarter Grant, University of Utah
 2017 Faculty Service Award, Department of Communication, University of Utah
 2015 Aldrich Faculty Fellowship, Tanner Humanities Center, University of Utah
 2015 Professor Recognition Award, Mortar Board Senior Honors Society, U of Utah
 2014 University Research Committee Faculty Fellowship, University of Utah
 2010 Enhancing Research in the Humanities and the Arts Grant, Purdue University
 2007 Research Incentive Grant, Purdue University
 2007 Karl R. Wallace Award for Distinguished Scholarship, University of Illinois
 2006 Research Completion Grant, Department of Communication, U of Illinois
 2006 Outstanding Article Award, Department of Communication, U of Illinois
 2005 Illinois Program for Research in the Humanities Fellowship, U of Illinois
 2005 Marianne A. Ferber Scholarship, Gender and Women's Studies Program, U of I
 2004 Elizabeth Winter Young Summer Fellowship, University of Illinois
 2004 Unit for Criticism Travel Grant, University of Illinois

Publications—Books

1. **Jensen, R. E.** (2016). *Infertility: Tracing the history of a transformative term*. University Park: The Pennsylvania State University Press.
 - Winner of the Winans-Wichelns Memorial Award for Distinguished Scholarship in Rhetoric and Public Address, National Communication Association, 2017.
 - Winner of the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language, and Gender's Outstanding Book Award, 2017.
 - Reviewed in *Bulletin of the History of Medicine* (2017); *College English* (2021); *Discourse & Society* (2019); *Historical Studies in the Natural Sciences* (2018); *Isis* (2018); *Rhetoric of Health and Medicine* (2021); *Rhetoric and Public Affairs* (2019); *Rhetoric Society Quarterly* (2019).
2. **Jensen, R. E.** (2010). *Dirty words: The rhetoric of public sex education, 1870-1924*. Urbana: University of Illinois Press.
 - Winner of the Health Communication Distinguished Book Award, National Communication Association, 2015.
 - Reviewed in *Indiana Magazine of History* (2011); *Journal of American History* (2012); *Journal of the Gilded Age Progressive Era* (2012); *Journal of the History of Sexuality* (2013); *Journal of Sex & Marital Therapy* (2012); *Peitho* (2016); *Quarterly Journal of Speech* (2013); *Rhetoric & Public Affairs* (2012); *Women's Studies in Communication* (2012).

Publications—Journal Articles

(*indicates the coauthor was a graduate student when the study was conducted)

1. Carter, G., **Jensen, R. E.**, Baayd, J., Quade, C., & Sanders, J. (2025). Defining abortion beyond the clinic: Lay perspectives of abortion from a multi-state cross-sectional survey. *Social Science & Medicine*. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.socscimed.2025.118323>.
2. **Jensen, R. E.**, Krall, M. A., Cullinan, M. E., & Almuaili, G.* (2025). Indirect audiences and conflicting narratives about oral contraception: Emergent coverage of ‘the pill’ in *The New York Times*, 1951-1965. *Public Understanding of Science*. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1177/09636625251336650>.
3. **Jensen, R. E.**, Krall, M. A.,* Garza, G. Y.,* Lopez, J. A.,* & Jordan, M.* (2025). Talking about fertility in sex-education class: STIs, substance use, and reproductive technology as grounds for discussion. *American Journal of Sexuality Education*. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1080/15546128.2024.2431511>.
4. Lillie, H., **Jensen, R. E.**, & *Gorissen, S. H. (2024). Connecting infertility beliefs with viewership of teen pregnancy media: The role of morality in understandings of fertility. *Feminist Media Studies*, 24(7), 1548-1566. <https://doi.org/10.1080/14680777.2023.2245574>.
5. **Jensen, R. E.**, & *Krall, M. A. (2023). Targeted invitations to tailor: Establishing fertility as relevant in U.S. sex education. *Health Communication*, 39(9), 1750-1759. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10410236.2023.2234591>.
6. **Jensen, R. E.** (2023). The first publication on contraception in a U.S. medical journal, 1928: Dr. Hannah Mayer Stone’s case for contraceptive care before the pill. *American Journal of Public Health*, 113(4), 390-396. <https://doi.org/10.2105/AJPH.2022.307215>.
7. Cullinan, M. E., *Maison, K., *Parks, M. M., *Krall, M. A., *Krebs, E., *Mann, B. W., & **Jensen, R. E.** (2023). Seedlings in the corporate forest: Communicating benevolent sexism in Dow Chemical’s first internal affirmative-action campaign. *Management Communication Quarterly*, 37(1), 171-196. <https://doi.org/10.1177/>.
8. **Jensen, R. E.** (2022). Re-envisioning fertility science: From J. Marion Sims’s invasive gynecology to Sophia Kleegman’s “conservative surgery” hermeneutic. *Quarterly Journal of Speech*, 108(2), 125-147. <https://doi.org/10.1080/00335630.2022.2053565>.
9. *Krall, M. A., *Parks, M. M., *Krebs, E., *Mann, B. W., *Maison, K., & **Jensen, R. E.** (2022). Chemistry in the mail: Stamps from around the globe and public science communication in the twentieth-century. *Public Understanding of Science*, 31(2), 136-151. <https://doi.org/10.1177/09636625211032465>.

10. **Jensen, R. E.** (2021). Theorizing chemical rhetoric: Toward an articulation of chemistry as a public vocabulary. *Journal of Communication*, 71(3), 431-453. <https://doi.org/10.1093/joc/jqab011>.
11. *Mann, B. W., *Krall, M. A., *Parks, M. M., *Krebs, E., *Maison, K., & **Jensen, R. E.** (2021). Strategic place-making and public scientific outreach in the American Chemical Society's National Historic Chemical Landmarks Program. *Science Communication*, 43(3), 336-357. <https://doi.org/10.1177/10755470211006685>.
12. **Jensen, R. E.**, *Maison, K., *Mann, B. W., *Krall, M. A., & *Parks, M. M. (2021). Medicalization's communicative infrastructure: Seventy years of "brain chemistry" in the *New York Times*. *Health Communication*, 36(3), 272-279. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10410236.2019.1673951>.
13. **Jensen, R. E.**, *Parks, M. M., *Mann, B. W., *Maison, K., & *Krall, M. A. (2019). Mapping *Nature's* scientist: The posthumous demarcation of Rosalind Franklin and her crystallographic data. *Quarterly Journal of Speech*, 105(3), 297-318. <https://doi.org/10.1080/00335630.2019.1629000>.
14. **Jensen, R. E.**, Martins, N., & *Parks, M. M. (2018). Public perception of female fertility: Initial fertility, peak fertility, and age-related infertility among U.S. adults. *Archives of Sexual Behavior*, 47(5), 1507-1516. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10508-018-1197-4>.
15. **Jensen, R. E.**, & *Blumling, A. N. (2018). Justifying an ideal first pregnancy age: Vernacular science knowledge and the facilitation of lay argument. *Public Understanding of Science*, 27(3), 325-337. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0963662517727673>.
16. *King, A. S., **Jensen, R. E.**, *Jones, C., & *McCarthy, M. J. (2018). Occupational stigma communication: The anticipatory socialization of sex educators. *Health Communication*, 33(12), 1401-1409. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10410236.2017.1353867>.
17. *Williams, E. A., & **Jensen, R. E.** (2016). Conflicted identification in the sex education classroom: Balancing professional values with organizational mandates. *Qualitative Health Research*, 26(11), 1574-1586. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1049732315599955>.
18. **Jensen, R. E.** (2015). Improving upon nature: The rhetorical ecology of chemical language, reproductive endocrinology, and the medicalization of infertility. *Quarterly Journal of Speech*, 101(2), 329-353. <https://doi.org/10.1080/00335630.2015.1025098>.
19. **Jensen, R. E.** (2015). From barren to sterile: The evolution of a mixed metaphor. *Rhetoric Society Quarterly*, 45(1), 25-46. <https://doi.org/10.1080/02773945.2014.957413>.
20. **Jensen, R. E.** (2015). An ecological turn in rhetoric of health scholarship: Attending to the historical flow and percolation of ideas, assumptions, and arguments. *Communication Quarterly*, 63(5), 522-526. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01463373.2015.1103600>.

21. *Jones, C., **Jensen, R. E.**, and *King, A. S. (2014). Future sex educator perceptions of rural versus urban instruction: A case for community-centered sexual health education. *American Journal of Sexuality Education*, 9(4), 464-484. <https://doi.org/10.1080/15546128.2014.976299>.
22. Martins, N., & **Jensen, R. E.** (2014). The relationship between ‘Teen Mom’ reality programming and teenagers’ beliefs about teen parenthood. *Mass Communication and Society*, 17(6), 830-852. <https://doi.org/10.1080/15205436.2013.851701>.
23. *Carrion, M., & **Jensen, R. E.** (2014). Curricular decision-making among public school sex educators. *Sex Education*, 14(6), 623-634. <https://doi.org/10.1080/14681811.2014.919444>.
24. **Jensen, R. E.**, & *King, A. S. (2013). The authoritative metaphor and social change: Surgeon General C. Everett Koop’s direct mailer, “Understanding AIDS.” *Health Communication*, 28(6), 592-602. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10410236.2012.704545>.
25. *Doss, E. F., & **Jensen, R. E.** (2013). Balancing mystery and identification: Dolores Huerta’s shifting transcendent persona. *Quarterly Journal of Speech*, 99(4), 481-506. <https://doi.org/10.1080/00335630.2013.833667>.
26. **Jensen, R. E.**, *Christy, K., *Gettings, P., & *Lareau, L. (2013). Interview and focus group research: A content analysis of scholarship published in ranked journals. *Communication Methods and Measures*, 7(2), 126-133. <https://doi.org/10.1080/19312458.2013.789838>.
27. **Jensen, R. E.** (2012). Sex education and self-efficacy: Toward a taxonomy of enactive mastery experiences. *Health Education & Behavior*, 39(3), 259-267. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1090198111399756>.
28. **Jensen, R. E.**, *Williams, E. A., *Holyoak, I. C., & *Shorter, S. (2012). HIV/AIDS in Botswana: President Festus G. Mogae’s narrative of secular conversion. *Health Communication*, 27(1), 19-29. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10410236.2011.567448>.
29. **Jensen, R. E.**, *Doss, E. F., & *Ivic, R. (2011). Metaphorical invention in early photojournalism: *New York Times* coverage of the 1876 Brooklyn Theater fire and the 1911 Shirtwaist Factory fire. *Critical Studies in Media Communication*, 28(4), 334-352. <https://doi.org/10.1080/15295036.2010.515233>.
30. Bute, J. J., & **Jensen, R. E.** (2011). Narrative sense-making and time lapse: Interviews with low-income women about sex education. *Communication Monographs*, 78(2), 212-232. <https://doi.org/10.1080/03637751.2011.564639>.
31. **Jensen, R. E.** (2010). A content analysis of youth sexualized language and imagery in adult film packaging, 1995-2007. *Journal of Children and Media*, 4(4), 371-386. <https://doi.org/10.1080/17482798.2010.510005>.

32. **Jensen, R. E., & Bute, J. J.** (2010). Fertility-related perceptions and behaviors among low-income women: Injunctive norms, sanctions, and the assumption of choice. *Qualitative Health Research*, 20(11), 1573-1584. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1049732310375619>.
33. Bute, J. J., & **Jensen, R. E.** (2010). Low-income women describe fertility-related expectations: Descriptive norms, injunctive norms, and behavior. *Health Communication*, 25(8), 681-691. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10410236.2010.521909>.
34. **Jensen, R. E., *Doss, E. F., *Janssen, C. I., & *Bower, S. A.** (2010). Theorizing the transcendent persona: Amelia Earhart's vision in *The Fun of It*. *Communication Theory*, 20(1), 1-20. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1468-2885.2009.01353.x>.
35. **Jensen, R. E.** (2008). Sexual polysemy: The discursive ground of talk about sex and education in U.S. history. *Communication, Culture & Critique*, 1(4), 396-415. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1753-9137.2008.00032.x>.
36. **Jensen, R. E.** (2007). Using science to argue for sexual education in U.S. public schools: Ella Flagg Young and the 1913 "Chicago Experiment." *Science Communication*, 29(2), 217-241. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1075547007309101>.
37. Rintamaki, L. S., Kosenko, K. A., Scott, A. M., & **Jensen, R. E.** (2007). Male patient perceptions of HIV stigma in healthcare contexts. *AIDS Patient Care & STDs*, 21(12), 956-969. <https://doi.org/10.1089/apc.2006.0154>.
38. **Jensen, R. E., & Jensen, J. D.** (2007). Entertainment media and sexual health: A content analysis of sexual talk, behavior, and risks in a popular television series. *Sex Roles*, 56(5), 275-284. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11199-006-9167-z>.
39. **Jensen, R. E.** (2005). The eating disordered lifestyle: Imagetexts and the performance of similitude. *Argumentation and Advocacy*, 42(1), 1-18. <https://doi.org/10.1080/00028533.2005.11821634>.

Publications—Book Chapters

1. Singer, S., Bloom-Pojar, R., Dubriwny, T., Kinney, T., McFarlane, M. Murawski, C., Stockwell, J., & **Jensen R. E.** (2018). Reevaluating our commitments: Intersectionality, interdisciplinarity, and the future of feminist rhetoric. In J. Rice, & C. Graham (Eds.), *Rhetoric's Change*. Anderson, SC: Parlor Press.
2. **Jensen, R. E.** (2015). Rhetoric of risk. In H. Cho, T. Reimer, & K. A. McComas (Eds.), *The SAGE Handbook of Risk Communication* (pp. 86-98). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Publications—Invited Essays

1. **Jensen, R. E., & *Almuaili, G.** (2023). Abortion and miscarriage are synonyms: Substandard gynecological care in the wake of abortion's criminalization. *Women & Language*, 46(1), 267-273. <https://doi.org/10.34036/WL.2023.0XX>.
2. **Jensen, R. E.** (2020). Nonlinear histories. *Journal for the History of Rhetoric*, 23(1), 110-111. <https://doi.org/10.1080/26878003.2020.1721817>.
3. **Jensen, R. E.** (2008). Women's rhetoric in history: A process-oriented turn and continued recovery. *Quarterly Journal of Speech*, 94(1), 100-112. <https://doi.org/10.1080/00335630701790834>.

Publications—Book Reviews

1. **Jensen, R. E., & *Garza, G. Y.** (2024). [Review of the book *Health Communication for Social Justice: A Whole Person Approach*]. *Health Communication*, 40(9), 1866-1867. doi:10.1080/10410236.2024.2418022.
2. **Jensen, R. E., & *Almuaili, G.** (2024). [Review of the book *Rethinking Culture in Health Communication: Social Interactions as Intercultural Encounters*]. *Health Communication*, 39(8), 1669-1671. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10410236.2023.2222466>.
3. **Jensen, R. E.** (2019). [Review of the book *Reimagining Advocacy: Rhetorical Education in the Legal Clinic*]. *Quarterly Journal of Speech*, 105(2), 235-239. <https://doi.org/10.1080/00335630.2019.1582173>.
4. **Jensen, R. E.** (2016). [Review of the book *A Question of Sex: Feminism, Rhetoric, and Differences That Matter*]. *Quarterly Journal of Speech*, 102(3), 307-332. <https://doi.org/10.1080/00335630.2016.1192247>
5. **Jensen, R. E.** (2014). [Review of the book *Women and Rhetoric between the Wars*]. *Rhetoric Society Quarterly*, 44(1), 103-106. <https://doi.org/10.1080/02773945.2013.861738>.
6. **Jensen, R. E.** (2013). [Review of the book *Evolutionary Rhetoric: Sex, Science, and Free Love in Nineteenth-Century Feminism*]. *International Journal of Communication*, 7(3), 1511-1513.
7. **Jensen, R. E.** (2013). Literacy as preventative: Targeting adolescents via Progressive Era sexual-health texts. [Review of the book *What adolescents ought to know: Sexual health texts in early twentieth-century America*]. *Journal of the Gilded Age and Progressive Era*, 12(3), 428-430.
8. **Jensen, R. E.** (2005). [Review of the book *The politics of American religious identity: The seating of Senator Reed Smoot*]. *Rhetoric and Public Affairs*, 8(3), 501-504. <https://doi.org/10.1353/rap.2005.0062>.

9. **Jensen, R. E.** (2004). [Review of the book *FDR and fear itself: The first inaugural address*]. *Argumentation and Advocacy*, 40(3), 200-202.

Selected Conference Presentations

*Author was a student during preparation of the manuscript.

1. **Jensen, R. E.** (2026). Bringing the dignity of informed consent to gynecology: Dr. Helen Rodríguez-Trias' voicing of reproductive contradiction. Competitively selected paper to be presented at the Rhetoric Society of America Conference, Portland, OR.
2. **Jensen, R. E.** (2025). Driving Gynecology into the Community: Dr. Helen Octavia Dickens' Community Based Appeals to Place, Experience, and Relationships. Competitively selected paper presented at the National Communication Association Conference, Denver, CO.
3. **Jensen, R. E.**, Krall, M. A.,* Garza, G. Y.,* Lopez, J. A.,* & Jordan, M.* (2025). Talking about fertility in sex education class: STIs, substance use, and reproductive technology as grounds for discussion. Competitively selected paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Denver, CO.
4. **Jensen, R. E.**, Krall, M. A., Cullinan, M. E., & Almuaili, G.* (2024) Indirect audiences and early reproductive-health news: Emergent coverage of "the pill" in *The New York Times*, 1951-1965. Competitively selected paper presented at the National Communication Association Conference, New Orleans, LA.
5. **Jensen, R. E.**, (2024). Sims, Anarcha, Betsey, and Lucy: The rhetorical trajectory of early modern gynecology. Competitively selected paper presented at the Rhetoric Society of America Conference, Denver, CO.
6. Krall, M. A., **Jensen, R. E.**, Cullinan, M. E., & Almuaili, G.* (2024). Appeals to science, context, and the future: Early *New York Times* coverage of the pill in the light of Catholicism. Competitively selected paper presented at the Rhetoric Society of America Conference, Denver, CO.
7. **Jensen, R. E.**, & Krall, M. A.* (2023). Targeted invitations to tailor: Establishing fertility as relevant in U.S. sex education. Competitively selected paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Toronto, Ontario.
8. Lillie, H., **Jensen, R. E.**, & Gorissen, S. H.* (2022). Infertility beliefs and teen pregnancy programming: Linking a fertility morality subculture with media viewership. Competitively selected paper presented at the National Communication Association Conference, New Orleans, LA.
9. Maison, K.,* Cullinan, M. E.,* Parks, M. M.,* Krebs, E.,* Krall, M. A.,* Mann, B. W.,* & **Jensen, R. E.** (2022). Seedlings in the corporate forest: Communicating benevolent sexism in Dow Chemical's "Know More in '74" affirmative-action campaign.

Competitively selected paper presented at the National Communication Association Conference, New Orleans, LA.

10. **Jensen, R. E.** (2022). Tipped, incompetent, and inhospitable: Interventions and innovations in the language of gynecological diagnoses. Paper presented at the National Communication Association Conference, New Orleans, LA.
11. **Jensen, R. E.** (2021). Re-envisioning the reproductive body in fertility science: From invasive gynecology to a ‘conservative surgery’ hermeneutic. Competitively selected paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Denver, CO.
12. **Jensen, R. E.** (2020). Theorizing chemical rhetoric: Toward an articulation of chemistry as a public vocabulary. Competitively selected paper presented at the National Communication Association Conference, Indianapolis, IN.
13. **Jensen, R. E., & Pokharel, M.*** (2020). Public perception of the female fertility timeline: A survey of U.S. adults 40-65. Competitively selected paper presented at the National Communication Association Conference, Indianapolis, IN.
14. **Jensen, R. E.** (2020). Qualitative research: Current & future directions. Invited panel presentation at the Health Communication Preconference for the National Communication Association Conference, Indianapolis, IN.
15. Krall, M. A.,* Parks, M. M.,* Krebs, E.,* Mann, B. W.,* Maison, K. M.,* & **Jensen, R. E.** (2019). The rhetoric of scientific postage stamps: The Witco Stamp Collection as reflecting and contributing to a public understanding of science. Competitively selected paper presented at the National Communication Association Conference, Baltimore, MD. ***Top Paper in the Association for Rhetoric, Science, Technology, and Medicine Division.**
16. Krebs, E.,* Parks, M. M.,* Krall, M. A.,* **Jensen, R. E.**, Mann, B. W.,* & Maison, K. M.* (2019). Capitalizing on a kairos of American chaos: Dow Chemical ads from the 1930s and 1940s as constituting a public vocabulary of science. Competitively selected paper presented at the National Communication Association Conference, Baltimore, MD. ***Top Paper in the American Studies Division.**
17. Mann, B. W.,* Krall, M. A.,* Krebs, E.,* Maison, K. M.,* Parks, M. M.,* & **Jensen, R. E.** (2019). Making science a public matter: Place-making as rhetorical strategy in the National Historic Chemical Landmarks Program. Competitively selected paper presented at the National Communication Association Conference, Baltimore, MD.
18. **Jensen, R. E.**, Maison, K.,* Mann, B. W.,* Krall, M. A.,* & Parks, M. M.* (2019). Medicalization’s communicative infrastructure: Seventy years of ‘brain chemistry’ in the *New York Times*. Competitively selected paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, Washington, D.C.

19. **Jensen, R. E.**, Parks, M. M.,* Mann, B. W.,* Maison, K.,* & Krall, M. A.* (2018). Mapping *Nature's* scientist: The posthumous demarcation of Rosalind Franklin and her crystallographic data. Competitively selected paper presented at the National Communication Association Conference, Salt Lake City, UT.
20. **Jensen, R. E.** (2018). A conversation about reproductive health and social justice. Invited conversation to be presented at the Rhetoric of Health and Medicine Preconference Symposium for the 2018 Public Address Conference, Boulder, CO.
21. **Jensen, R. E.**, & Blumling, A.* (2017). Justifying an ideal first pregnancy age: Vernacular communicative knowledge concerning hormones, risk, and eggs. Competitively selected paper presented at the National Communication Association Conference, Dallas, TX.
22. **Jensen, R. E.**, & Martins, N. (2017). Public perception of female fertility: Initial fertility, peak fertility, and infertility. Competitively selected paper presented at the International Communication Association Conference, San Diego, CA.
23. **Jensen, R. E.** (2016). Psychogenic infertility: The unconscious defense against motherhood in mid-century reproductive rhetoric. Competitively selected paper presented at the Rhetoric Society of American Conference, Atlanta, GA.
24. **Jensen, R. E.** (2015). Fertility in clinical time: The integration of scientific specialties as infertility studies. Competitively selected paper presented in the Association for the Study of Rhetoric, Science, and Technology at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Las Vegas, NV.
***Top Paper in the Association for Rhetoric, Science, Technology, and Medicine Division.**
25. Rintamaki, L., Kosenko, K. A., Hogan, T., **Jensen, R. E.**, Scott, A. M., Reynolds-Tylus, T., & O'Mally, A. (2015). The role of stigma management in HIV treatment adherence. Competitively selected paper presented in the Health Communication Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Las Vegas, NV.
26. **Jensen, R. E.** (2014). Improving upon nature: The rise of reproductive endocrinology and chemical theories of fertility. Competitively selected paper presented in the Public Address Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
27. Jones, C.,* **Jensen, R. E.**, & King, A. S.* (2014). Future sex educator perceptions of rural verses urban instruction: A case for community-centered sexual health education. Competitively selected paper presented in the Health Communication Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

28. **Jensen, R. E.** (2014). Discursive transgressions in the name of “plain sexual talk.” Paper presented at the Rhetoric Society of American Conference, San Antonio, TX.
29. **Jensen, R. E.** (2013). From barren to sterile: Metaphorical shifts in fertility discourse and women’s rhetorical agency before the twentieth century. Competitively selected paper presented in the Feminist and Women Studies Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Washington, DC.
30. Martins, N., & **Jensen, R. E.** (2013). The relationship between “teen mom” reality programming and teenagers’ beliefs about teen parenthood. Paper presented in the Mass Communication Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Washington, D.C.
31. **Jensen, R. E.** (2013). Vital forces conserved: Early twentieth-century arguments about women’s reproductive health. Paper presented at the Alta Conference on Argumentation.
32. Rintamaki, L. S., Kosenko, K. A., Hogan, T. P., **Jensen, R. E.**, Scott, A. M., & Reynolds-Tylus, T. (2013). The role of stigma management in HIV treatment adherence. Presented at the DC Health Communication Conference, Washington D.C.
33. **Jensen, R. E.**, & King, A. S.* (2012). The authoritative metaphor and social change: Surgeon General C. Everett Koop’s direct mailer, “Understanding AIDS.” Competitively selected paper presented in the Public Address Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Orlando, FL.
34. Williams, E. A.,* & **Jensen, R. E.** (2012). Conflicted identification: Ideological struggles faced by sexual educators. Competitively selected paper presented in the Organizational Communication Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Orlando, FL.
35. King, A. S.,* **Jensen, R. E.**, & Jones, C. L.* (2012). Stigma management communication strategies learned during anticipatory socialization: Interviews with future sexual health educators about occupational expectations. Competitively selected paper presented in the Organizational Communication Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Orlando, FL.
36. Bute, J. J., & **Jensen, R. E.** (2012). Women’s understandings of sexuality and fertility: Evidence from interviews with low-income women. Presented at the Kentucky Conference on Health Communication, Lexington, KY.
37. Doss, E. F.,* & **Jensen R. E.** (2011). Balancing mystery and identification: Dolores Huerta’s shifting transcendent persona. Competitively selected paper presented in the Public Address Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, New Orleans, LA.
***Top Paper in the Public Address Division.**

38. Carrion, M.,* & **Jensen, R. E.** (2011). Arguments about sex education: A case study in intertextual controversy. Competitively selected paper presented in the Health Communication Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, New Orleans, LA.
39. **Jensen, R. E.**, Williams, E. A.,* Holyoak, I.,* & Shorter, S.* (2011). HIV/AIDS in Botswana: President Festus G. Mogae's Narrative of Secular Conversion. Competitively selected paper presented in the Health Communication Division at the annual convention of the International Communication Association, Boston, MA.
40. **Jensen, R. E.** (2011). Sex education and self-efficacy: Toward a taxonomy of enactive mastery experiences. Competitively selected paper presented in the Instructional and Developmental Communication Division at the annual convention of the International Communication Association, Boston, MA.
41. **Jensen, R. E.**, & Bute, J. J. (2010). Narrative sense-making and time lapse: Interviews with low-income women about sex education. Competitively selected paper presented in the Health Communication Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, San Francisco, CA.
42. **Jensen, R. E.**, Doss, E. F.,* & Ivic, R.* (2010). Metaphorical invention in early photojournalism: *New York Times* coverage of the 1873 Brooklyn Theater fire and the 1911 Shirtwaist Factory fire. Presented at the Rhetoric Society of America Conference, Minneapolis, MN.
43. **Jensen, R. E.**, & Bute, J. J. (2009). Fertility and sexuality-related perceptions and behaviors among low-income women: Injunctive norms, sanctions, and the assumption of choice. Competitively selected paper presented in the Health Communication Division at the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
44. Bute, J. J., & **Jensen, R. E.** (2009). Underserved women describe fertility-related expectations: Descriptive norms, injunctive norms, and behavior. Competitively selected paper presented in the Health Communication Division at the International Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
45. **Jensen, R. E.**, Doss, E.,* Janssen, C. I.,* & Bower, S.* (2008). The transcendent persona: Amelia Earhart's rhetoric of inevitable progress. Competitively selected paper presented at the annual convention of the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language and Gender, Nashville, TN.
46. Rintamaki, L. S., Kosenko, K. A. Scott, A. M., **Jensen, R. E.**, & LaVail, K. H. (2008). The facework of stereotype threat: HIV-positive men managing the gay stereotype. Competitively selected paper presented in the Rhetorical and Communication Theory Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, San Diego, CA.

47. **Jensen, R. E.** (2008). A content analysis of youth sexualized language and imagery in adult film, 1995-2007. Competitively selected paper presented in the Mass Communication Division of the International Communication Association, Montreal, Canada.
48. **Jensen, R. E.** (2007). "For while my mother knows a lot, she won't tell me a thing": Ella Flagg Young's fragmented rhetoric in support of the Chicago Experiment. Competitively selected paper presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
***Wrage-Baskerville Award for best contributed paper in the Public Address Division.**
49. **Jensen, R. E.** (2007). Seeing sexual education through new eyes: Rachelle Yarros's representation of rhetoric, other, and self. Competitively selected paper presented in the Feminist Scholarship Division at the annual convention of the International Communication Association, San Francisco, CA.
50. Rintamaki, L. S., Kosenko, K. A., Scott, A. M., **Jensen, R. E.**, & Jordan, C. (2007). Male patient perceptions of HIV stigma in healthcare contexts. Competitively selected paper presented in the Health Communication Division at the annual convention of the International Communication Association, San Francisco, CA, May.
51. **Jensen, R. E.** (2006). Early, modern discourses of public sexual education: Strategic ambiguity from Comstock to social hygiene. Competitively selected paper presented in the Public Address Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, San Antonio, TX.
52. **Jensen, R. E.** (2006). Reading sex: Progressive Era image vernaculars and sexual education campaigns. Presented at the biennial conference of the Rhetoric Society of America, Memphis, TN.
53. **Jensen, R. E.**, & Jensen, J. D. (2005). Entertainment media and sexual health: A content analysis of sexual talk, behavior, and risks in a popular television series. Competitively selected paper presented in the Health Communication Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Boston, MA.
54. **Jensen, R. E.** (2005). Separated by sex: Two progressive era sexual education campaigns." Presented in the Feminist and Women's Studies Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Boston, MA.
55. **Jensen, R. E.** (2005). What every girl should know: Margaret Sanger's oxymoronic rhetoric concerning sexual education. Presented at the 5th Biennial International Feminism(s) and Rhetoric(s) Conference, Houghton, MI.
56. Rintamaki, L. S., Kosenko, K. A., Scott, A. M., **Jensen, R. E.**, & Jordan, C. (2005). HIV status disclosure to past, present, and prospective sexual partners. Presented at the

National HIV Prevention Conference, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, GA.

57. **Jensen, R. E.** (2004). The rhetoric of eating disorders: A transtheoretical perspective. Competitively selected paper in the Health Communication Division presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
58. **Jensen, R. E.** (2004). Making room for the visual in argumentation theory: Moving forward, looking back. Competitively selected paper in the Visual Communication Division presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
59. **Jensen, R. E.** (2004). The rhetoric surrounding top freedom. Presented at the Biennial Conference of the Rhetoric Society of America, Houston, TX.
60. **Jensen, R. E.** (2003). King of the world: The visual and textual rhetoric of pro-eating disorder websites. Competitively selected paper presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Miami, FL.
***Top Paper in Visual Communication Division.**
61. Jensen, J. D., & **Jensen, R. E.** (2003). In the censor's wake: Living online with the embattled pro-anorexic community. Competitively selected paper presented in the Freedom of Speech Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Miami, FL.
62. **Jensen, R. E.** (2003). Topfreedom: A rhetorical analysis of the debate with a bust. Presented at the annual convention of the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language and Gender, Ft. Mitchell, KY.

Other Conference Activities

1. **Jensen, R. E.** (2026). Publishing challenges in the rhetoric of science, technology, and medicine: A roundtable discussion with editors. Roundtable participant for panel to be presented at the Rhetoric Society of American Conference, Portland, OR.
2. **Jensen, R. E.** (2026). Doing reproductive justice rhetorics. Roundtable participant for panel to be presented at the Rhetoric Society of America Conference, Portland, OR.
3. **Jensen, R. E.** (2025). Intersections of mental health communication and social justice: Envisioning transformative pathways. Roundtable participant for panel presented at the National Communication Association Conference, Denver, CO.
4. **Jensen, R. E.** (2022). Writing academic books in health communication: Spotlight Panel. Chair to panel presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, New Orleans, LA.

5. **Jensen, R. E.** (2020). New titles in the rhetoric of health and medicine. Respondent to panel presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Indianapolis, IN.
6. **Jensen, R. E.** (2020). Making it medical: At the crossroads of medicalization and culture. Respondent to panel presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Indianapolis, IN.
7. **Jensen, R. E.** (2019). Embodied arguments evoked by space and place: Performances of racial, sexual, and nationalist identities. Chair for panel presented at the Alta Argumentation Conference, Alta, UT.
8. **Jensen, R. E.** (2018). When psychology goes rogue: What happens when lay publics use DSM disorders to diagnose themselves and others. Respondent to panel presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Salt Lake City, UT.
9. **Jensen, R. E.** (2018). Conforming reproductive and bleeding bodies and rhetorics of resistance. Respondent to panel presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Salt Lake City, UT.
10. **Jensen, R. E.** (2017). ARSTM@NCA new book discussion panel. Respondent to panel presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Dallas, TX.
11. **Jensen, R. E.** (2017). Challenging traditional paradigms of reproductive health care: Feminist inquiries into reproductive health technologies and products. Respondent to panel presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Dallas, TX.
12. **Jensen, R. E.** (2017). Health communication and HIV Prevention. Chair for panel presented at the International Communication Association Conference, San Diego, CA.
13. **Jensen, R. E.** (2016). Academic publishing. Co-leader for panel presented at the Rocky Mountain Rhetoric Symposium, Salt Lake City, UT.
14. **Jensen, R. E.** (2016). Writing workshop on gender and rhetoric. Leader and respondent at the Rocky Mountain Rhetoric Symposium, Salt Lake City, UT.
15. **Jensen, R. E.** (2016). Intersectionality, interdisciplinarity, and the future of feminist rhetoric: A roundtable. Respondent to panel presented at the Rhetoric Society of America Conference, Atlanta, GA.
16. **Jensen, R. E.** (2015). Recovering argument in the (dismal) sciences. Chair for panel presented at the Alta Argumentation Conference, Alta, Utah.

17. **Jensen, R. E.** (2014). Children, mothers, and workers: A Progressive Era rhetoric of moral reform. Respondent to panel presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
18. **Jensen, R. E.** (2014). What can it mean to lean in? Roundtable participant for panel presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
19. **Jensen, R. E.** (2014). Scholars' office hours. Invited discussant at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
20. **Jensen, R. E.** (2014). Rhetoric of the body. Roundtable participant for panel presented at the Rhetoric Society of America Conference, San Antonio, TX.
21. **Jensen, R. E.** (2013). Rhetorical studies of health, science, and medicine. Roundtable participant for panel presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Washington, D.C.
22. **Jensen, R. E.** (2012). Children and mothers: The interaction of science and public health in twentieth century public policy reforms. Respondent to panel presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Orlando, FL.
23. **Jensen, R. E.** (2012). New takes on old genres: Presidential public speech. Chair and respondent to panel presented at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Orlando, FL.
24. **Jensen, R. E.** (2012). A dialogue on recently published books in the history of rhetoric. Respondent for panel presented at the biennial conference of the Rhetoric Society of America, Philadelphia, PA.
25. **Jensen, R. E.** (2010). Bridging women's sexual health. Respondent for panel presented in the Feminist and Women's Studies Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, San Francisco, CA.
26. **Jensen, R. E.** (2010). Bridging rhetoric's multiple personae. Roundtable participant for panel presented in the Public Address Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, San Francisco, CA.
27. **Jensen, R. E.** (2009). Communication about sexual health. Chair for panel presented in the Health Communication Division at the annual convention of the International Communication Association, Chicago, IL.
28. **Jensen, R. E.** (2009). Culture-centered health communication. Chair for panel presented in the Health Communication Division at the annual convention of the International Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

29. **Jensen, R. E.** (2008). Top papers in the Public Address Division. Respondent for panel presented in the Public Address Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, San Diego, CA.
30. **Jensen, R. E.** (2008). Spitzack & Carter 20 years out: Has “woman” become conventional? Respondent for panel presented in the Women’s Caucus at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, San Diego, CA.
31. **Jensen, R. E.** (2008). Risk and crisis communication. Chair for panel presented in the Health Communication Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, San Diego, CA.
32. **Jensen, R. E.** (2005). Under-represented and under-valued: Content analysis of representations of women in mass media. Chair for panel presented in the Feminist and Women’s Studies Division at the annual convention of the National Communication Association, Boston, MA.

Keynotes, Invited Presentations, and Workshops

1. **Jensen, R. E.** (2025). Sharing a voice: The promises and challenges of co-authoring in rhetoric. Invited panelist for the American Society for the History of Rhetoric (ASHR) First Friday Forum.
2. **Jensen, R. E.** (2023). Changes in gynecological science and medicine: 20th century efforts to incorporate women’s health and care into a grim discipline. Invited keynote speaker for the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign’s Communities of Communication Symposium.
3. **Jensen, R. E.** (2022). Problematic STEM jargon. Invited workshop participant and panelist for the ADVANCE Resource and Coordination (ARC) Network and the National Science Foundation.
4. **Jensen, R. E.** (2020). Rosalind Franklin and *Nature*’s scientist. Invited keynote speaker for the 5th Annual Women in Science and Healthcare (WiSH) Symposium at Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science, North Chicago, IL.
5. **Jensen, R. E., & Thompson, T.** (2018). Mastering publishing: Tips and tricks for journal articles and books. Invited lecture presented at the National Communication Association’s Health Communication Doctoral and Early Career Preconference, Salt Lake City, UT.
6. **Jensen, R. E.** (2017). Accounting for scientific attribution. Invited keynote speaker for the Rhetoric of Health and Medicine Symposium at the University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH.

7. **Jensen, R. E.** (2017). Infertility: Tracing the history of a transformative term. Invited colloquium speaker for the College of Communication at Northwestern University, Evanston, IL.
8. **Jensen, R. E.** (2017). The rhetoric of reproductive endocrinology. Invited colloquium speaker for the Chelona Rhetoric Society of America reading group at the University of Maryland, College Park.
9. **Jensen, R. E.** (2015). Timing and fertility: The transdisciplinary field of infertility studies. Invited colloquium speaker for the Center for Writing Studies at the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.
10. **Jensen, R. E.** (2015). Fertility in clinical time: The integration of scientific specialties as infertility studies. Invited colloquium speaker for the University of Utah's Tanner Humanities Center.
11. **Jensen, R. E.** (2012). The authoritative metaphor and social change: Surgeon General C. Everett Koop's direct mailer, "Understanding AIDS." Invited colloquium speaker for the University of Utah's Department of Communication Colloquium Series.
12. **Jensen, R. E.** (2012). Arguments for and against sex education during the Progressive Era. Invited colloquium speaker for the 2012 Conversation Series on Freedom and Responsibility in Public Life, Willamette University.
13. **Jensen, R. E.** (2010). Dirty words: The rhetoric of public sex education, 1870-1924. Invited colloquium speaker for the Rhetoric Reading Group, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.
14. **Jensen, R. E.** (2009). Fertility norms and expectations among low-income women. Invited colloquium speaker for the Regenstrief Center for Healthcare Engineering Brown Bag Lecture Series.
15. **Jensen, R. E.** (2009). Amelia Earhart's legacy. Invited colloquium speaker for the R.B. Stewart Society, Purdue University.
16. **Jensen, R. E.** (2008). Amelia Earhart's rhetoric before Purdue. Invited colloquium speaker at the Bi-annual David Hutton Interdisciplinary Lecture Series, Department of English, Purdue University.

Teaching—Courses Taught

Graduate Courses

COM 7410	Foundations of Rhetorical Theory—University of Utah
COM 7405	Rhetoric of Science—University of Utah
COM 7405	Feminist Rhetoric—University of Utah
COM 7360	Qualitative Methods—University of Utah

COM 7000	Rhetorical Methods: Archives—University of Utah
COM 684	Rhetorical History: Three Waves of Feminism—Purdue University
COM 632	Mixed Methods Research—Purdue University
COM 610	Rhetoric and Public Welfare—Purdue University
COM 585	Qualitative Methods—Purdue University
COM 584	Rhetorical Criticism—Purdue University
COM 521	Theories of Rhetoric—Purdue University

Undergraduate Courses

COM 5950	Strategic Feminist Communication, Capstone—University of Utah
COM 5815	Communication and Reproductive Health—University of Utah
COM 5000	Feminist Communication—University of Utah
COM 3690	Making Brands Stick—University of Utah
COM 3670	The Future of Advertising—University of Utah
COM 3589	Brand Disruption—University of Utah
COM 3580	Strategic Communication and Pandemics—University of Utah
COM 3580	Strategic Health Communication—University of Utah
COM 3490	Feminist Communication—University of Utah
COM 3115	Communicating Science, Health, and the Environment—University of Utah
COM 2580	Strat Com Theory and Practice—University of Utah
COM 495	Argumentation, Deliberation, & Democracy—Purdue University
COM 495	Health Policy Rhetoric—Purdue University
COM 381	Gender and Feminist Studies in Communication—Purdue University
COM 204	Critical Perspectives on Communication—Purdue University
COM 496	Rhetoric of Health—University of Illinois
COM 323	Argumentation—University of Illinois
COM 231	Persuasion—University of Illinois
COM 101	Effective Principles of Public Speaking—University of Illinois

Independent Studies

COM 6910	Archival Methods—University of Utah
COM 6910	Reproductive Health and Rhetorical History—University of Utah
COM 6910	Critical Health Communication—University of Utah
COM 6910	Rhetorical History—University of Utah
COM 6910	Feminist Rhetoric in U.S. History—University of Utah
COM 6910	Readings in Feminist Theory—University of Utah
COM 6910	Communication Theory—University of Utah
COM 590	Visual Rhetoric—Purdue University
COM 590	Women's Health in Communication Research—Purdue University
COM 590	Advanced Readings in Rhetorical Theory—Purdue University
COM 3910	Advanced Strategic Health Communication—University of Utah

Teaching—Guest Lectures and Panels

1. Guest Speaker. (2025). The Publishing Process: Inside and Out. COMM 7001: Foundations of Communication.

2. Guest Speaker. (2025). CommSHER Emphasis. COMM 2050: UAC Kickstart to Communication.
3. Panelist. (2024). Pennsylvania State University Series in Transdisciplinary Rhetoric. Rhetoric Society of America Remote.
4. Panelist. (2024). Professional Development Session: CVs/Job Search. Doctoral Honors Seminar. National Communication Association.
5. Guest Speaker. (2024). CommSHER Emphasis. COMM 2050: UAC Kickstart to Communication.
6. Guest Speaker. (2023). The Science, Health, Environmental, and Risk Communication Emphasis. COMM 3060 Bridge to Communication.
7. Panelist. (2022). The Strategic Communication and SHER Emphases. COMM 3060: Bridge to Communication.
8. Panelist. (2022). Teaching college communication. COMM 6090: Teaching the College Communication Curricula.
9. Guest Lecturer. (2022). Rhetoric and qualitative research methods. Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis.
10. Panelist. (2021). Critical cultural studies and rhetoric in the graduate program. COMM 7001: Foundations of Communication.
11. Panelist. (2021). Teaching college communication. COMM 6090: Teaching the College Communication Curricula.
12. Panelist. (2021). Addressing public crises and conflicts within rhetorics of science, health, & medicine. Dissoi Logoi: Rhetoric Society of America University of Utah Student Chapter.
13. Guest Lecturer. (2021). Medicalization and rhetorical history. Ohio University.
14. Panelist. (2021). The Science, Health, Environmental, and Risk Communication Emphasis. COMM 3060: Bridge to Communication.
15. Panelist. (2020). Strategic communication, and communicating about science, health, the environment, and risk. COMM 2050: Kickstart to Communication.
16. Panelist. (2020). Grant writing. Graduate Student Association in Communication Workshop.

17. Panelist. (2019). Teaching undergraduates as a graduate student. COM 6090: Teaching the College Communication Curricula.
18. Guest Lecturer. (2019). Infertility: Tracing the history of a transformative term. University of Kansas.
19. Panelist. (2018). Undergraduate instruction. COM 6090: Teaching the College Communication Curricula.
20. Guest Lecturer. (2017). Rhetorics of women's health, infertility, and the archives. University of Georgia.
21. Guest Lecturer. (2015). Health communication and qualitative methodology. Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis.
22. Guest Lecturer. (2015). Rhetorical historiography. University of Wisconsin-Madison.
23. Guest Lecturer. (2014). Submitting research for publication. Maud May Babcock Doctoral Writing Society. University of Utah.
24. Panelist. (2014). Conference participation and writing panel proposals. Graduate Student Association in Communication Workshop
25. Panelist. (2013). Preparing for the academic job market. Graduate Student Association in Communication Colloquium Series
26. Guest Lecturer. (2012). Research on education, sexual health, and fertility. COM 7001: Foundations of Communication Research
27. Guest Lecturer. (2011). Rhetorical history and health communication. COM 601: Foundations of Human Communication Inquiry
28. Colloquium Speaker. (2010). Strategies for the academic job interview. Communication Graduate Student Association Colloquium Series
29. Guest Lecturer. (2010). Rhetoric, health, and gender. COM 601: Foundations of Human Communication Inquiry
30. Guest Lecturer. (2009). Making the case for public sex education. COM 576: Introduction to Health Communication
31. Guest Lecturer. (2009). Campaigning for sex education. Graduate Student Rhetoric Reading Club
32. Colloquium Speaker. (2009). Teaching strategies and philosophy. Communication Graduate Student Association Colloquium Series

33. Guest Lecturer. (2009). Musings on rhetorical texts and history. COM 601: Foundations of Human Communication Inquiry
34. Guest Lecturer. (2008). Intersections of rhetoric, health, and gender. COM 601: Foundations of Human Communication Inquiry
35. Guest Lecturer. (2007). The Chicago schools and sex ed. COM 590G: Gender in Applied Communication Contexts

Teaching—Supervisory

Program Coordinator	Health Communication Certificate	2017-2025
Emphasis Coordinator	Science, Health, Environment, and Risk	2015-2025
Course Supervisor	COMM 3070: Comm and Gender	2014-present
Thesis Chair	Undergraduate Honors Program Student: Maya Kobe-Rundio* *Winner of the College of Humanities 2019 Outstanding Undergraduate Research Award and *Winner of a 2018-2019 Tanner Humanities Center Undergraduate Research Fellowship	2018-2019
Mentor	Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program	2018-2019
Thesis Chair	Undergraduate Honors Program Student: Logan Gaykowski	2016-2017
Thesis Chair	Undergraduate Honors Program Student: Rachel Jackson	2013-2014
Acting Course Supervisor	COMM 1020: Public Speaking	Fall 2013
Faculty Mentor	Innovation Scholars Program	2012-2013
Acting Course Supervisor	COMM 3070: Comm and Gender	Fall 2012
Co-Faculty Advisor	Rhetoric Society of America Student Division	2009-2011

Teaching—Graduate Advising and Committee Membership

Current Advisees

Ghanima Almuaili, doctoral student—Department of Communication
 Gabrielle Yvonne Garza, doctoral student—Department of Communication
 Emma Murdock, doctoral student—Department of Communication

Current Graduate Student Committees

Damon Darling, doctoral student—Department of Communication

Aly Hill, doctoral student—Department of Communication

Yiqing Ran, doctoral student—Department of Communication

Past Advisees

Kourtney Maison (Ph.D., 2024)—Assistant Professor at Kansas Wesleyan University

Madison A. Krall (Ph.D., 2022)—Assistant Professor at Seton Hall University

Melissa M. Parks (Ph.D., 2019)—Associate Director, Taft-Nicholson Center for En. Humanities

Benjamin W. Mann (Ph.D., 2019)—Visiting Assistant Professor at Lewis & Clark College

Erin F. Doss (Ph.D., 2014)—Associate Professor at Indiana University, Kokomo

Melissa Carrion (Ph.D., 2014)—Assistant Professor at University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Olivia Webster (M.A., 2024)

Ashleigh McDonald (M.A., 2022)

Alexandria Agee (M.A., 2017)

Elliott Sawyer (M.A., 2014)

Past Graduate Student Committees

Daniel Chavez-Yenter (Ph.D., 2024)—Postdoctoral Research Fellow, University of Pennsylvania

Helene Thompson (Ph.D., 2024)

Allison Blumling, (M.Phil., 2023)

Emily Krebs (PhD, 2022)—Assistant Professor at Fordham University

Alison Yeh Cheung (PhD, 2021)—Assistant Professor at CA Poly State Univ., San Luis Obispo

Taylor Johnson (Ph.D., 2021)—Director of Debate at James Madison University

Kris May (Ph.D., 2021)—Executive Director, Boston University's Questrom School of Business

Amanda Fritz (Ph.D., 2020, Univ. of Wisconsin)—Assistant Professor at Univ. of WA

Megan Cullinan (Ph.D., 2020)—Assistant Professor at the University of Montana

Ammar Hussein (Ph.D., 2019)—Associate Instructor at University of Utah

Maurianna Shelbourn (Ph.D., 2019)

Diana Zulli (Ph.D., 2018)—Associate Professor at Purdue University

Robert Layne (Ph.D., 2018)—Communication Coordinator for the City of Portland

Heather Stone (Ph.D., 2018)—Founder, Getting the Right Hand Right Training Program

Jessica Houf (Ph.D., 2018)—Assistant Professor at Louisiana Tech University

José Ángel Maldonado (Ph.D., 2017)—Assistant Professor at University of South Florida

Joshua Trey Barnett (Ph.D., 2017)—Associate Professor at Penn State University

Tiffany Kinney (Ph.D., 2017)—Associate Professor at Colorado Mesa University

Julie Snyder-Yuly (Ph.D., 2017)—Associate Professor at Marshall University

Sumiko Martinez (Ph.D., 2017)—Associate Director of Editorial & Media Strategy, U of Utah

Jessica Zurcher (Ph.D., 2016)—Associate Professor at Brigham Young University

Matthew Richards (Ph.D., 2016)—Associate Professor at Appalachian State University

Brian Rogers (Ph.D., 2016)—Senior Design Strategist, Elevance Health

Megan McFarlane (Ph.D., 2015)—Lead Health Communication Scientist, MITRE

Julie Taylor (Ph.D., 2014)—Associate Professor at California State University, San Bernardino

Abigail Selzer King, (Ph.D., 2013)—Product Design Lead at Palladyne AI

Claudia I. Janssen Danyi (Ph.D., 2011)—Associate Professor at Eastern Illinois University

Elizabeth Williams (Ph.D., 2011)—Department Chair and Professor at Colorado State University

Emily Haas (Ph.D., 2011)—Associate Director for Science, CDC/NIOSH
 Alicia Bergman (Ph.D., 2009)—Health Services Researcher at Veterans Affairs, Los Angeles
 Rebekah Fox (Ph.D., 2008)—Professor at Texas State University – San Marcos
 Rachael Katz, M.A.
 Kari Lindsey, M.A.
 Dakota Park-Ozee, M.A.
 Samantha Edwards, M.A.
 Debora D. Pérez, M.A.
 Patricia North, M.A.
 Louise Lareau, M.A.
 Benjamin Tillman Russell, M.A.
 Karen DeGan, M.A.
 Rachel Rose Ravellette, M.A.
 Shavonne Shorter, M.A.
 Isaac C. Holyoak, M.A.
 Corinne R. Corbett, M.A.
 Erin Doss, M.A.
 Rebecca Ivic, M.A.
 Amy P. Neubert, M.A.
 A.C. Stokes, M.A.
 Felicia Trembath, M.P.H.

Service—Editing and Reviewing

Book Series Editor	Health Communication Series Johns Hopkins University Press	2020-present
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Books published in the series include:

- Emily Winderman, *Back-Alley Abortion: A Rhetorical History* (2025).
- Shui-Yin Sharon Yam and Natalie Fixmer-Oraiz, *Doing Gender Justice: Queering, Reproduction, Kin and Care* (2025).
- Christa Teston, *Doing Dignity: Ethical Praxis and the Politics of Care* (2024).
- Colleen Derkatch, *Why Wellness Sells: Natural Health in a Pharmaceutical Culture* (2022).

Associate Editor for Special Issues	<i>Rhetoric Society Quarterly</i>	2017-2022
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Edited the following special issues in this role:

- “Global Black Rhetorics: A New Framework for Engaging African and Afro-Diasporic Rhetorical Traditions” (2022); editors Ronisha Browdy & Esther Milu
- “Resisting Temporal Regimes, Imagining Just Temporalities” (2021); editors Collin Bjork & Frida Buhre
- “Disability, In/Visibility, and Risk” (2020); editors Jenell Johnson & Krista Kennedy
- “Rhetoric’s Demagogue/Demagoguery’s Rhetoric” (2019); editors Ryan Skinnell & Jillian Murphy

Editorial Board Member	<i>Rhetoric Society Quarterly</i>	2023-present
Editorial Board Member	<i>Women & Language</i>	2022-present

Editorial Board Member	<i>Rhetoric of Health and Medicine</i>	2017-present
Editorial Board Member	<i>Quarterly Journal of Speech</i>	2016-present
Editorial Board Member	<i>Women's Studies in Communication</i>	2015-present
Editorial Board Member	<i>Health Communication</i>	2010-present

Journal and Book Reviewer (*indicates editorship or membership on the editorial board)

2025	<i>American Journal of Sexuality Education; Critical Studies in Media Communication; Feminist Media Studies; *Health Communication; Journal of International & Intercultural Communication; Journal of Medical Humanities; Journal of Science Communication; Notes and Records; Ohio State University Press; *Quarterly Journal of Speech; *Rhetoric of Health and Medicine; *Rhetoric Society Quarterly; Science Communication; Rutgers University Press; Sexuality & Culture</i>
2024	<i>American Journal of Sexuality Education; Feminist Media Studies; *Health Communication; Intercultural Communication Research; International and Intercultural Communication; Journal for the History of Rhetoric; Journal of Education Policy; Management Communication Quarterly; Perspectives on Science; *Rhetoric of Health and Medicine; *Rhetoric Society Quarterly</i>
2023	<i>American Journal of Sexuality Education; *Health Communication; Journal of Sex Research; Management Communication Quarterly; *Rhetoric of Health and Medicine; *Rhetoric Society Quarterly; Science Communication; Women's Studies International Forum</i>
2022	<i>American Journal of Sexuality Education; Feminist Media Studies; *Health Communication; *Quarterly Journal of Speech; *Rhetoric of Health and Medicine; Social History of Medicine; *Women & Language; *Women's Studies in Communication</i>
2021	<i>American Journal of Sexuality Education; *Health Communication; Journal of Sex Research; Management Communication Quarterly; Public Understanding of Science; Qualitative Health Research; *Rhetoric of Health and Medicine; *Rhetoric Society Quarterly; Science Communication; Social History of Medicine; Southern Communication Journal; *Women's Studies in Communication</i>
2020	<i>Communication and Critical/Cultural Studies; *Health Communication; Management Communication Quarterly; Journal for the History of Rhetoric; Journalism & Communication Monographs; Qualitative Health Research; *Rhetoric of Health and Medicine; *Rhetoric Society Quarterly; Science Communication; Women's Health Issues; *Women's Studies in Communication; Journal of Sex Research</i>

- 2019 *American Journal of Sexuality Education; Configurations; Critical Studies in Media Communication; *Health Communication; Journal of Health Communication; Qualitative Health Research; *Quarterly Journal of Speech; *Rhetoric of Health and Medicine; *Women's Studies in Communication*
- 2018 *Communication & Critical/Cultural Studies; *Health Communication; Journal of Health Communication; Journal of Sex Research; Public Understanding of Science; Qualitative Health Research; *Quarterly Journal of Speech; *Rhetoric of Health and Medicine; Rutgers University Press; Science Communication; Women and Language; Written Communication*
- 2017 *American Journal of Sexuality Education; Archives of Sexual Behavior; Communication and Critical/Cultural Studies; Contemporary British History; Critical Studies in Media Communication; *Health Communication; Journal of Sex Research; New York University Press; Peitho; Public Understanding of Science; Qualitative Health Research; *Quarterly Journal of Speech; Rhetoric & Public Affairs; Science Communication; Sociological Forum; Technical Communication Quarterly; *Women's Studies in Communication*
- 2016 *Communication & Critical/Cultural Studies; *Health Communication; Journal of Sex Research; Men and Masculinities; Qualitative Health Research; *Quarterly Journal of Speech; Rhetoric & Public Affairs; Rutgers University Press; *Southern Communication Journal; *Women's Studies in Communication*
- 2015 *Communication & Critical/Cultural Studies; Cultural Studies_Critical Methodologies; *Health Communication; Journal of Sex Research; Qualitative Health Research; Rhetoric Society Quarterly; Southern Communication Journal*
- 2014 *Communication & Critical/Cultural Studies; Communication Methods & Measures; Journal of Health Communication; Journal of Sex Research; *Health Communication; Qualitative Health Research; Quarterly Journal of Speech; Southern Communication Journal*
- 2013 *American Journal of Evaluation; Communication & Critical/Cultural Studies; Communication Methods & Measures; *Health Communication; Human Communication Research; Journal of Health Communication; Journal of Sex Research; Qualitative Health Research; Rhetoric & Public Affairs*
- 2012 *Asian Journal of Communication; Communication Monographs; Critical Studies in Media Communication; *Health Communication; Qualitative Health Research; Quarterly Journal of Speech; Journal of Applied Communication Research; Rhetoric Society Quarterly*
- 2008-2011 *Communication and Critical/Cultural Studies; Communication, Culture & Critique; Communication Monographs; Communication Review; Critical Studies in Media Communication; *Health Communication; Human Communication*

*Research; Journal of Communication; Journal of Health Communication;
Oregon Historical Quarterly; Qualitative Health Research; Quarterly Journal of
Speech*

Conference Reviewer	Asso. for Ed. in Journalism and Mass Com	2025
	Rhetoric Society of America	2015-present
	International Communication Association	2008-present
	National Communication Association	2006-present
	American Society for the History of Rhet.	2015
Grant and Fellowship Reviewer	American Council of Learned Societies	2023
	Freiburg Institute for Advanced Study	2023
	Irish Research Council	2023
	Social Sci. and Humanities Res. Council	2017-2021
	National Endowment for the Humanities	2020
	Research Foundation Flanders	2018
	URC Research and Creative Grants	2017-2018

Service--Professional

Committee Member	Golden Monograph Award Committee (NCA)	2026
External Program Reviewer	Colorado State University Department of Communication Studies	2026
External Reviewer	Three Promotion Reviews	2025
External Reviewer	Two Promotion Reviews	2024
External Reviewer	Five Promotion Reviews	2023
External Reviewer	Three Promotion Reviews	2022
Chair	ARSTM Article of the Year Award	2022
External Reviewer	Three Promotion Reviews	2021
Committee Member	ARSTM Article of the Year Award	2022
Chair	External Review Committee IUPUI Department of Comm Studies	2021
Chair	Benson-Campbell Dissertation Award Public Address Division, NCA	2021
Committee Member	Benson-Campbell Dissertation Award	2019-2020

	Public Address Division, NCA	
External Reviewer	Three Promotion Reviews	2020
Faculty Leader	Medical Rhetoric in the Archives Seminar University of Maryland, RSA Institutes	2019
External Reviewer	Three Promotion and Tenure Reviews	2019
Committee Member	ARSTM Book Prize Award Committee Asso. for the Rhetoric of Science, Tech., and Med.	2018-present
External Reviewer	Three Promotion and Tenure Reviews	2018
External Reviewer	Promotion and Tenure Review	2017
Local Host	ALTA Argumentation Conference	2016-2019
External Reviewer	Promotion and Tenure Review	2016
Member	Winans-Wichelns Award Committee Public Address Division, NCA	2014-2016
Faculty Leader	Doctoral Honors Seminar University of Missouri, NCA	2015
Member	Marie Hochmuth Nichols Award Committee Public Address Division, NCA	2013-2014
Member	Public Address Division Nomination Committee National Communication Association	2012-2013
Member	Hauser Research Award Selection Committee Rhetoric Society of America	2012
Invited Author	<i>Vibrant Voices of Public Address</i> http://blog.umd.edu/ncapublicaddress/vibrant-voices-of-public-address/	Sept. 2012
Invited Author	<i>Communication Currents</i> , vol. 6 http://www.natcom.org/CommCurrentsArticle.aspx?id=2147484627	Dec. 2011
Invited Author	<i>Communication Currents</i> , vol. 6 http://www.natcom.org/CommCurrentsArticle.aspx?id=2147484338	June 2011

Service—University and College

Member	Dean's Advisory Committee College of Humanities	2025-present
Member	University P&T Advisory Committee (UPTAC) University of Utah	2025
Panelist	NEH Mock Review Panel College of Humanities	2023
Member	Promotion Committee Gender Studies Program	2022
Member	Tanner Humanities Center Advisory Board University of Utah	2016-2023
Discussant	Humanities Radio Podcast https://soundcloud.com/u-of-u-humanities/dr-sophia-kleegman	2021
Member	College of Humanities Library Committee University of Utah	2012-2020
Faculty Presenter	Red, White & U Admissions Event College of Humanities	2019
Co-Chair	Dean's Search Committee College of Humanities	2017-2018
Member	Gender Studies Division Review Committee	2016
Member	Dean for Academic Affairs Search Committee College of Humanities, University of Utah	2015
Member	Executive Committee College of Humanities, University of Utah	2014-2015
Member	Dean's Search Committee College of Humanities, University of Utah	2014-2015
Discussant	Humanities House Faculty Fireside Tea College of Humanities, University of Utah	Oct. 2013
Panelist	"Love in the Humanities" Panel College of Humanities, University of Utah	Sept. 2013
Member	Global Citizenship Faculty Steering Committee University of Utah	2012-2013

Member	Kendall Excellence in Teaching Selection Comm. Purdue University	2010
Member	PRF Grant Selection Committee Purdue University	2008-2009
Member	Kinley Trust Grant Selection Committee Purdue University	2008-2009
Member	Research Incentive Grant Committee	2008

Service--Departmental

Associate Chair	Department of Communication	2023-present
Member	Executive Committee	2023-present
Chair	Informal Career-Line Annual Review Committee	2026
Secretary	Retention, Promotion, and Tenure Committee	2025
Reviewer	Three Career-Line and Adj. Faculty Reviews	2025
Chair	Search Committee Strategic Communication Position	2024-2025
Member	Promotion Committee For Faculty Member	2024
Chair	Peer Teaching Review For Faculty Member	2024
Chair	Peer Teach Review For Post-doctoral Faculty Member	2024
Reviewer	Four Career-Line and Adj. Faculty Reviews	2024
Member	Search Committee Journalism Position	2023-2024
Member	Promotion Committee For Faculty Member	2022
Chair	Promotion and Tenure Committee For Faculty Member	2022

Chair	Peer Teaching Review For Faculty Member	2022
Member	Graduate Committee	2021-present
Member	Search Committee Science Communication Position	2021-2022
Member	Retention, Promotion, and Tenure Committee For Faculty Member	2021
Chair	Promotion and Tenure Committee For Faculty Member	2020
Member	Peer Teaching Review	2020
Member	Executive Committee	2019-2020
Member	Promotion Committee For Faculty Member	2019
Member	Promotion and Tenure Committee For Two Junior Faculty Members	2019
Member	Undergraduate Studies Committee	2018-2019
Chair	Search Committee Science and Environmental Comm. Position	2018-2019
Chair	Promotion and Tenure Committee For Junior Faculty Member	2018-2019
Chair	RPT Committee Department of Communication, Univ. of Utah	2017-2018
Member	Executive Committee Department of Communication, Univ. of Utah	2016-2018
Member	Graduate Studies Committee Department of Communication, Univ. of Utah	2016-2018
Member	Two Promotion and Tenure Committees For Junior Faculty Members	2014-2015
Chair	B. Aubrey Fisher Lecture Committee	2013-2014

	Department of Communication, Univ. of Utah	
Member	Graduate Studies Committee Department of Communication, Univ. of Utah	2012-2014
Member	RPT Guidelines Committee Department of Communication, Univ. of Utah	2012-2013
Member	Graduate Studies Committee Department of Communication, Purdue	2010-2011
Unit Head	Rhetoric Unit Committee Department of Communication, Purdue	2010-2011
Member	Rhetoric Hiring Committee Department of Communication, Purdue	2010-2011
Member	Strategic Planning Committee Department of Communication, Purdue	2009-2010

Service--Public

Panelist	The Art of Infertility Installation and Screening Utah Humanities Council and the Utah Infertility Resource Center	Feb. 2018
Moderator	“Whose choice?” The debate over women’s health The John R. Park Debate Society	Nov. 2012
Keynote Speaker	Amelia Earhart Tour Visitor Information Center	March 2010
Keynote Speaker	Earhart on Campus Lecture Attica-Williamsport Rotary Club, Attica, IN.	October 2009
Keynote Speaker	Earhart’s Contemporaries Lecture Attica-Williamsport Tri Kappa Associates, Attica, IN.	Sept. 2009

Professional Memberships

Association for the Rhetoric of Science, Technology, and Medicine
 International Communication Association
 National Communication Association
 Rhetoric Society of America