

## Curriculum Vitae

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**EDUCATION**

- Ph.D., 2013           University of Denver, Communication Studies  
Area of emphasis: Emergent Digital Practices  
Dissertation: Sound Reason: *Radiolab* and the Micropolitics of Podcasting  
Advisor: Dr. Darrin Hicks
- M.A., 2009           University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Communication Studies  
Thesis: The Curious Case of Jim McGreevy  
Advisor:        Dr. Donovan Conley
- B.A., 2007           University of Denver, International Studies  
Honors Thesis: The Globe Without Organs: International Relations and  
the Nomad War Machine

**Certification**

- 2017           Pacific Lutheran University Teaching Online certification

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

- 2016-present       Assistant Professor, Pacific Lutheran University, Department of  
Communication
- 2013-present       Director of Forensics, Pacific Lutheran University, Department of  
Communication
- 2013-2016       Clinical Assistant Professor, Pacific Lutheran University, Department of  
Communication & Theatre
- 2012           Term Faculty, Regis University, Department of Communication
- 2009-2012       Graduate Assistant/Director of Debate, University of Denver, Department  
of Communication Studies
- 2007-2009       Graduate Assistant/Assistant Debate Coach, University of Nevada, Las  
Vegas, Department of Communication Studies

## AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

### Research Awards

- 2017 Daniel Rohrer Memorial Outstanding Research Award, American Forensics Association, "Sound Reason," *Argumentation and Advocacy*
- 2013 Top paper: Argumentation and Forensics Division of NC  
Yellow rain: *Radiolab* and the acoustics of strategic maneuvering
- 2009 Top four paper, Interpersonal Communication Interest Group, Western States Communication Association  
First date sexual expectations, sexual- and gender related attitudes

## PUBLICATIONS

### Edited Books

- Conley, D. & Eckstein, J. (eds.) *Cookery: On food and rhetorical production*, Birmingham: University of Alabama Press, *In press*

### Edited Journal Issues

- Sound and Argumentation, *Argumentation and Advocacy* 54 (2018)  
BP Debate, *Contemporary Argumentation and Debate* 45 (2016).

### Journal Articles

- Eckstein, J. & Young, A. (2018). WastED rhetoric. *Communication and Critical/Cultural Studies*, 15, 274-91. **LEAD ARTICLE**
- Eckstein, J. (2018). The acoustics of argumentation and advocacy, *Argumentation & Advocacy*, 54, 261-269
- Eckstein, J. (2018). Designing soundscapes for argumentation. *Philosophy & Rhetoric* 51 (3), 269-292.
- Eckstein, J. (2018). Reply to Groarke: Figuring sound. *Informal Logic* 38: 340–344
- Eckstein, J. (2017). Radiolab's sound strategic maneuvers. *Argumentation*, 31, 663-680.  
doi:10.1007/s10503-016-9416-4
- Eckstein, J. (2017). Sound reason. *Argumentation & Advocacy*, 53, 163-180. **LEAD ARTICLE**  
**\*2017 Daniel Rohrer Outstanding Research Award\***
- Eckstein, J. & Partlow, S. (2017). Opening stage strategic maneuvering in the Sandy Hook critical discussion. *Western Journal of Communication*, 81, 225-242.

- Eckstein, J.** & Llano, S.M. (2016). The other British invasion: British parliamentary debate and argumentation theory. *Contemporary Argumentation and Debate*, 45.  
<http://www.cedadebate.org/CAD/index.php/CAD/issue/view/45>
- Eckstein, J.** & Bartanen, M. (2015). British parliamentary debate and the 21<sup>st</sup> century student. *Communication Studies*, 66, 458-473
- Young, A., **Eckstein, J.** & Conley, D. (2015). Rhetoric and foodways. *Communication and Critical/Cultural Studies*, 12, 198-199
- Eckstein, J.** & Young, A. (2015). Cooking, celebrity chefs, and public chef intellectuals. *Communication and Critical/Cultural Studies*, 12, 205-208.
- Eckstein, J.** (2014). Yellow rain: *Radiolab* and the acoustics of strategic maneuvering. *Journal of Argumentation in Context*, 3, 35-56.
- Eckstein, J.** (2012). Client 9: Spitzer and hypocrisy. *Relevant Rhetoric*, 3. Retrieved from <http://relevantrhetoric.com/>
- Emerson-Sommer, T. Farrell, J, Gentry, A, Stevens, S, **Eckstein, J.**, Battocletic, J, & Gardener, C. (2010). First date sexual expectations, sexual and gender related attitudes. *Communication Studies*, 61, 339-355.

## **PUBLICATIONS – (cont.)**

### **Book Chapters**

- Conley, D. & **Eckstein, J.** (2019). Soiled. *Rhetorical cookery* (in Press)
- Young, A & **Eckstein, J.** (2019). A. The terroir and topoi of the low country. *Rhetorical cookery* (in Press)
- Eckstein, J.** & Mitchell, G. (2017). Designing Public Debates to Facilitate Dynamic Updating in a Network Society. (In press), edited selections from the 2017 Alta Conference.
- Eckstein, J.** & Hanan, J. (2014). American debt crisis (Twitter) In H. Kerric and G.J. Golson (Eds.) *Encyclopedia of Social Media and Politics*. (46-50) Los Angeles: Sage Publications.
- Hicks, D, & **Eckstein, J.** (2012). Higher-order strategic maneuvering by shifting standards of reasonableness in Cold-War editorial argumentation. In F.H van Emeren and B. Grassen (Eds.) *Exploring Argumentation in Context* (321-342). Amsterdam: John Benjamins Press.
- Eckstein J.** & Conley D. (2012). Spatial affects and rhetorical relations: Cherry Creek farmers market. In J. Frye and M. Bruner (Eds.) *The Rhetoric of Food* (171-189). New York: Routledge Press

### **Refereed Conference Proceedings**

**Eckstein, J.** (2018). “Dished: Food as Argumentative Strategy,” In F.H. van Eemeren and B. Garseen (Eds). *Proceedings of the 9<sup>th</sup> Conference of the International Society for the Study of Argumentation* (pp.302-307). Amsterdam: John Benjamins Press.

**Eckstein, J.**, and Partlow, S. (2014). Politicizing tragedy: Third order strategic maneuvering in the response to mass shootings. In F.H. van Eemeren and B. Garseen (Eds). *Proceedings of the 8<sup>th</sup> Conference of the International Society for the Study of Argumentation* (345-355). Amsterdam: John Benjamins Press.

**Eckstein, J.** & Partlow, S. (2012). Mythic fragments & environmental activists: Rhetorical and mythic justifications for the locavore movement. In S. Sowards (Eds.) *Proceedings of the Eleventh Biennale Conference on Communication and the Environment* (205-217). Cincinnati: International Environmental Communication Association.

Hicks, D. & **Eckstein, J.** (2010) Reasonableness and strategic maneuvering in Cold-War editorial argumentation. In F.H. van Eemeren, B. Garsen, D. Godden and G. Mitchell (Eds.), *Proceedings of the 7th Conference of the International Society for the Study of Argumentation* (775-787). Amsterdam: University of Amsterdam Press.

### **Book Reviews**

**Eckstein, J.** (2017). Book review of *Networked Media, Networked Rhetoric*, by Damien Pfister. *Rhetoric Society of America*, 43. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/02773945.2017.1302737>

**Eckstein, J.** (2013). Book review of *Sonic Persuasion: Reading Sound in the Recorded Age*, by Greg Goodale. *Quarterly Journal of Speech*, 99, 390-393.

**Eckstein, J.** (2011). Book review of *The Climate Change Controversy: A Technical Debate in the Public Sphere*, by William Mosley-Jensen. *Argumentation and Advocacy*, 48, 55-57

### **Peer Reviewed Blogs**

**Eckstein, J.** (2012, November 19). The Sound of the Matter: A Sonorous Objection to Radiolab’s “Yellow Rain”. *Sounding Out! The Sound Studies Blog*. Retrieved from <http://soundstudiesblog.com/2012/11/19/the-sound-of-the-matter-a-sonorous-objection-to-radiolabs-yellow-rain/>

**Eckstein, J.** (2012, September 17). Easy listening: Spreading and the role of the ear in debating. *Sounding Out! The Sound Studies Blog*. Retrieved from <http://soundstudiesblog.com/2012/09/17/easy-listening-spreading-and-the-role-of-the-ear-in-debating/> (most viewed post, 2013)

### **SCHOLARLY WORK IN PROGRESS**

**Eckstein, J.** Sound Tactics and the Acoustics of the Public (Book Manuscript)

### **Grants & Fellowships**

- 2018            The Benson-Starkovich Faculty Development Award, Pacific Lutheran University, 4,800
- 2017            Wang Center Site Development Award, Pacific Lutheran University, \$1,900
- 2016            Karen Hille Philips Regency Advancement Awards, Pacific Lutheran University, \$4,000
- 2012            Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences Fourth Year Fellowship, University of Denver, \$18,000
- 2011            The Humanities Institute Summer Grant, University of Denver, \$1,500
- 2008            Graduate Scholar, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, \$475.00
- 2006            Partners in Undergraduate Research, University of Denver, \$2,000

### **Invited Talks**

- 2019            The (Parkland) Kids are Alright, A/Dressing Civic Wounds, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Las Vegas, NV March 14-16.
- 2018            Advocate Chefs, Ars Rhetorica Speaker Series , University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS February 13.
- 2018            Sound Arguments, Southern States Communication Association, Nashville, TN, April, 4.
- 2017            Advocate Chefs, Fall Colloquium Series, California State University, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA October 19.
- 2017            Debating Alaska's Fiscal Future. University of Alaska, Anchorage, April 1.
- 2014            Yellow rain: *Radiolab* and the acoustics of strategic maneuvering. American University, Paris, July 7.

### **Other Awards**

- 2012            Distinction, Comprehensive Exams, University of Denver
- 2008            Most Improved Instructor, Greenspun College of Urban Affairs
- 2007            Departmental Honors, Cherrington School of International Studies

### **CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION (ABRIDGED) – COMPETITIVELY SELECTED PAPERS**

- Eckstein, J. (2018). "Food as Argumentative Strategy," The 9th Conference of the International Society for the Study of Argumentation, University of Amsterdam from 3-6 July, 2018

- Eckstein, J. & Mitchell, G. (2017). Designing Public Debates to Facilitate Dynamic Updating in a Network Society. The 20th NCA/AFA Summer Conference on Argumentation, Alta, Utah July 20-23.
- Eckstein, J. & Hall, K. (2016). #RAPD15: Theorizing Augmented Public Debate. The 5th conference of the Tokyo Conference on Argumentation, Tokyo, Japan August 6-8.
- Eckstein J, & Partlow S. (2014). Politicizing tragedy: Third order strategic maneuvering in the response to mass shootings. The 8th Conference of the International Society for the Study of Argumentation, Amsterdam, Netherlands, July 2-5.
- Eckstein, J (2013). Yellow rain: Radiolab and the acoustics of strategic maneuvering. The Argumentation and Forensics Division of the National Communication Association Conference, Washington, D.C., November 21-24. {Top Paper Award}
- Eckstein, J. (2012). Digital apologia: Sarah Palin's response to the Tucson shootings. The Media Studies Interest Group of Western States Communication Association, Albuquerque, NM, Feb 17-21.
- Eckstein J. & Partlow S., (2011). Mythic fragments & environmental activists: Rhetorical and mythic justifications for the locavore movement. The Conference on Communication and the Environment, El Paso Texas, June 25-28.
- Eckstein, J. (2011). What's for lunch? A rhetorical criticism of a menu. The Conference on Communication and the Environment, El Paso Texas, June 25-28.
- Eckstein, J (2011). Locavores and the farmers market: A micropolitical investigation into affective politics. The Communication Theory Interest Group of the Western States Communication Association Conference, Monterey, CA, February 18-22.
- Eckstein, J (2011.) Spitzer, scandal, and surfaces. The Rhetoric and Public Address Interest Group of the Western States Communication Association Conference, Monterey, CA, February 18-22, 2011.
- Eckstein, J (2010). The locavore, the yeoman, and the liberated cook: Mythic criticism and counter-cuisine. The Environmental Communication Division of the National Communication Association Conference, San Francisco, California, November 14-17.
- Eckstein, J (2010). Toward a Platonic view of rhetoric. The Rocky Mountain Communication Association, Conference, Loveland, CO, April 17, 2010.
- Eckstein, J. (2009). Battling the internal insurgents: The neo-conservative response to the 2007 national intelligence estimate. The Rhetoric and Public Address Interest Group of the Western States Communication Association Conference, Phoenix, AZ, February 14-19.

Emerson-Sommer, T. Farrell, J, Gentry, A, Stevens, S, Eckstein, J, Battocletic, J, & Gardener, C. (2009). First date sexual expectations, sexual- and gender related attitudes. The Interpersonal Interest Group of the Western States Communication Association Conference, Phoenix, AZ, February 14-19. {Top Four Paper in Interpersonal Communication}

Eckstein, J (2007). Global warming discourse: A change of climate. The Rhetoric and Public Address Interest Group of the Western States Communication Association Conference, Seattle, WA, February 16-20.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE – COURSES TAUGHT**

**Pacific Lutheran University – Department of Communication & Theatre**

- **Argumentation & Advocacy**
- **Applied Research**
- **Career Exploration (Online)**
- **Communication in Professional Settings**
- **Cultivating Civic Engagement**
- **Debate**
- **Communicating Food**
- **Gender Communication**
- **Introduction to Communication**
- **Internship**

**Regis University – Department of Communication**

- **Public Speaking**

**University of Denver – Department of Communication Studies**

- **Innovations in Mass Media (Blended Course)**
- **Critical Approaches to Digital Media (MA-level course)**
  - Co-taught with Trace Reddell
- **Communication and Pop Culture**
- **Small Group Communication**
- **Fundamentals of Argumentation**
- **Rhetorical Criticism**
  - Teaching Assistant

**University of Nevada, Las Vegas –**

- **Public Speaking**
- **Introduction to College Debate**

**Public Events**

- 2018 Washington State Debate Coalition Presents: US Senatorial Debate
- 2013-Present Climb the Mountain Argument Workshop
- 2013-Present Forensic-Scholar Public Lecture Series
- 2013-Present Ruth Anderson Public Debate

**SERVICE****Professional Service: Discipline Specific**

- 2015-Present Editorial Board Member, *Argumentation & Advocacy*  
 Editorial Board Member, *Contemporary Argumentation & Debate*  
 Ethics Committee Member, Northwest Forensics Association
- 2018-2019 Guest editor, *Argumentation & Advocacy*  
 Ad Hoc Reviewer, *Communication & Critical/Cultural Studies*  
 Member of the Publication Committee, American Forensics Association  
 Editorial Committee, 2019 Alta Argumentation Conference
- 2017-2018 Ad Hoc Reviewer, *Informal Logic*  
 Ad Hoc Reviewer, Rhetoric Society of America
- 2016-2017 Member of Nominating Committee, American Forensics Association  
 Ad Hoc Reviewer, *Communication and Critical/Cultural Studies*
- 2015-2016 Ad Hoc Reviewer, *Critical Studies in Media Communication*  
 Ad Hoc Reviewer, *Communication, Culture & Critique*  
 Ad Hoc Reviewer, *Communication & Critical/Cultural Studies*  
 Ad Hoc Reviewer, Reviewer, Rhetoric Society of America

**University Service**

- 2018 Host, US Senatorial Midterm Debate, Pacific Lutheran University
- 2016-Present Reviewer, Human Participants Review Board, School of Arts and Communication, Pacific Lutheran University



Member, Ad Hoc Committee on Interdisciplinary study, School of Arts and Communication, Pacific Lutheran University

2015-Present Interviewer/Recruiter, Artistic Achievement Awards, School of Arts and Communication, Pacific Lutheran University

2015 Member, Ad Hoc Committee on contingent Faculty Rights

### **University Service**

2018—Present Major meet up Coordinator, Department of Communication, Pacific Lutheran University

2018 Member, search committee, Assistant Professor of Rhetoric, Department of Communication, Pacific Lutheran University

2018 Member, search committee, Assistant Professor of Media, Department of Communication, Pacific Lutheran University

2018 Member, search committee, Assistant Professor of Visiting Assistant Professor of Rhetoric, Department of Communication, Pacific Lutheran University

2016-Present Adviser to all fall semester incoming freshmen, Department of Communication & Theater, Pacific Lutheran University

### **Community Engagement**

2016-Present Board Member, The Washington State Debate Coalition

2013-2016 Associate Board Member, Young Woman's Christian Association

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

American Forensics Association

Cross Examination Debate Association

National Communication Association

Northwest Forensics Conference

Pi Kappa Delta

Rhetoric Society of America

Washington States Forensics Association

Western States Communication Association

**REFERENCES**

More Available Upon Request

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