

**Professional and Public Service Activities  
2013-2018**

**John Affleck**

Faculty Adviser, Association for Women in Sports Media, 2014-Present.

Faculty Partner, Penn State Track and Field, 2015-Present.

**Lee Ahern**

Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of Public Relations Research*.

Member, Editorial Board, *Science Communication*.

Chair, International Environmental Communication Association (IECA),  
2013-2015.

Head, Communicating Science, Health, Environment and Risk (ComSHER) Division,  
AEJMC, 2012-2013.

**John Beale**

Co-director, Keystone Multimedia Workshop, 2008-Present.

Judge, National Press Photographers Association National Clip Contest, 2018.

Judge, Pennsylvania NewsMedia Professional Keystone Press Awards, 2018.

**Denise Bortree**

Editor, State of World's Volunteerism Report, United Nations Volunteer, International.  
Germany, 2015.

External Evaluator for Promotion and/or Tenure: DePaul University (2017); University of  
North Carolina, Charlotte (2017); Louisiana State University, Reviewer (2016).

Head, Professional Freedom & Responsibility, AEJMC, 2017-Present.

Member, AEJMC, Professional Freedoms and Responsibilities, Committee Member,  
Elected, 2016 - 2017.

**Curt Chandler**

Coach, Lens Collective Workshop, Oxford, Mississippi, 2018.

Trainer, Kent Multimedia Workshop, Kent, Ohio, 2012-2016.

Coach, National Press Photographers Association, Multimedia Immersion Workshop,  
National, 2010-Present.

**Colleen Connolly-Ahern**

Co-Editor, *American Behavioral Scientist Special Issue: Refugee Communications in the Digital Age*, 2016 - 2018.

Editorial Board, *Journal of Public Relations Research*, 2010-Present.

Reviewer, UADE Public Relations Program Accreditation, Buenos Aires Argentina, 2017.

Site visit review, la Universidad Argentina de la Empresa, 2017

**Frank Dardis**

Reviewer, AEJMC, 2007-Present.

Reviewer, American Academy of Advertising, 2006-Present.

Reviewer, International Communication Association, 2005-Present.

Committee Member, American Academy of Advertising, Membership Committee, 2015.

Committee Member, American Academy of Advertising, Research Committee, 2015.

**Russell Eshleman**

Panelist, "Trust, Transparency and the News," Pennsylvania NewsMedia Association/Centre Daily Times/Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications, 2017.

Panelist, "The Real Problem of Fake News," Pennsylvania Press Conference, Pennsylvania NewsMedia Association, 2017

**Alex Fattal**

Member, Editorial Board, *Boletín de Antropología*, 2015-Present.

Member, Editorial Board, *Anthropological Quarterly*, 2015 - Present.

**Russell Frank**

Speaker, "The Truth About Fake News," Penn State Center for Spiritual and Ethical Development, 2018.

Leader, Writing Workshops, Pennsylvania NewsMedia Association, 2015-Present.

**Marie Hardin**

President, AEJMC

Editorial Board Member, *International Journal of Sport Communication*, 2007-Present.

Editorial Board Member, *Newspaper Research Journal*, 2007-Present.

Editorial Board Member, *Mass Communication & Society*, 2005-Present.

Committee member, ACEJMC, 2012-Present.

Committee member, AEJMC, Professional Freedom & Responsibility, 2012-2015.

**Anne Hoag**

Judge, AEJMC, Participatory Journalism Interest Group, 1995-Present.

Research Chair, AEJMC, Participatory Journalism Interest Group, 2014-2015.

Teaching Committee Co-Chair, AEJMC, Participatory Journalism Interest Group, 2013-2014.

Editorial Board Member, *Journalism and Mass Communication Quarterly*, 2014-Present.

**Matthew Jackson**

Respondent, Whose information is it anyway? In search of a new balance, Institute for Information Policy Workshop, 2014.

**Krishna Jayakar**

Member, Board of Editors, *Journal of Information Policy*, 2010-2013.

Associate Editor, *The Information Society*, 2007-Present.

Academic Member, Pacific Telecommunications Council.

**Ann Major**

Judge, Central Pennsylvania Chapter of the Public Relations Society of America, Annual Public Relations Awards for the Kentucky Thoroughbred Chapter, Harrisburg, PA, 2018.

Adviser, Traumatic Brain Injury Advisory Board, Pennsylvania Department of Health, Harrisburg, PA, 2011-2013

**Marea Mannion**

Coordinator, Warren Camichael Police and Media Conference, 2016-Present.

Board Member, Pennsylvania Associated Press Broadcasters' Association.

**Steve Manuel**

Photographer, USO

**Matthew McAllister**

Editorial Board Member, *Communication Theory*, Spring 2009-Present.

Editorial Board Member, *Critical Studies in Media Communication*, Spring 2008-Present.

Faculty Judge and Head, Faculty-Graduate Student Nominating Committee, Public-Service Entries, The George Foster Peabody Awards, Spring 2015-2017.

**Sascha Meinrath**

President, Fourth Amendment Advisory Committee Steering Board, 2016-Present.

Member, American Indian Policy Institute Advisory Board of Directors, 2015-Present.

Chairman of Board, Bill of Rights Defense Committee, 2015-Present.

**Scott Myrick**

RTDNAC awards judge, Radio-Television News Directors Association of the Carolinas, Judge, State. North Carolina, 2017.

**Jessica Myrick**

Editorial Board Member, *Health Communication*, 2017

Vice-chair for Research, Mass Communication Division, NCA, 2017-2018.

**Renea Nichols**

Advisory Board, Centre County Children and Youth Services Advisory Board, 2016-Present.

Board Member, Interfaith Human Services, 2014-Present.

**Mary Beth Oliver**

Associate Editor, *Journal of Media Psychology*, 2013-2016.

Editorial Board Member, *Communication Yearbook*, 2011-Present.

Editorial Board Member, *Communication Methods and Measures*, 2010-Present.

Member, Steven Chaffee Career Achievement Award, 2014-2015.

**Katie O'Toole**

President, Centre County Historical Society.

**Anthony Olorunnisola**

Member, Curriculum Committee, International Institute for Education of Students (IIES), 2017-2020.

Member, Board of Directors of the Penn State, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology and University for Development Studies Collaborative Research Consortium, 2017-Present.

Peer Reviewer, Academy of Science of South Africa, Scholarly Publishing Unit, 2016-Present.

Peer Reviewer, South Africa National Research Foundation, 2015-Present.

Member, Editorial Board, Journal of MEDIA and Communication Review, 2015-Present.

### **Patrick Plaisance**

Editor, *Journal of Mass Media Ethics*, 2014-Present.

Invited Panel Member, *Who Tells Your Story? Journalists, Citizens and Media Literacy*, Association for Practical & Professional Ethics, 2018.

Keynote Speaker, *Stepping In: Have Mass Casualty Incidents Altered the Ethics of On-Scene Involvement?* New England Newspaper & Press Association, 2018.

### **Robert Richards**

Amicus Curiae, *State of New Jersey v. Burkert*, Superior Court of New Jersey, 2014.

Amicus Curiae, *Lindell v. Bocook*, Washington Supreme Court, 2014.

Amicus Curiae, *Elonis v. United States*, United States Supreme Court, 2014.

Vice President, Pennsylvania Freedom of Information Council Board of Directors, 2006-Present.

### **Ford Risley**

Editor, *American Journalism*, 2014-Present.

Editorial Board Member, *American Journalism*, 2008-2014.

Chair, Education Committee, American Journalism Historians Association, 2011-2014.

Site Team Chair, ACEJMC, Murray State University (2015); University of South Dakota, (2014); University of Tennessee, Chattanooga (2013).

### **Michelle Rodino-Colocino**

Legislative Assembly Representative, Critical Cultural Studies Division, National Communication Association, 2013-2017.

Chair and Legislative Assembly Representative, Critical Cultural Studies Division, National Communication Association, 2016: November 2012 elected, Second Vice Chair 2013; Awards Chair, 2014; Program Planner 2015; Chair, 2016.

Steering Committee Chair, Union for Democratic Communications, 2011-2014.

**John Sanchez**

Consultant, State College Area School District on American Indian Education, 2002-2014.

Consultant, Penn Center for Native American Studies, 2011-2013.

**Michael Schmierbach**

Editor, Special Issue on 2016 Elections, *Mass Communication & Society*, 2017-2018.

Associate Editor, *Mass Communication & Society*, 2016-2017.

Co-head, Communication Theory and Methodology Division, AEJMC, 2014-2015.

Co-vice head and Programing Chair, Communication Theory and Methodology Division, AEJMC, 2013-2014.

Barrow Scholarship Chair, Communication Theory and Methodology Division, AEJMC, 2010-2012, 2013-2014.

**Fuyuan Shen**

Editor, *Mass Communication and Society*, 2017-Present.

Editorial Board Member, *Mass Communication and Society*, 2015-2015.

Associate Editor, *Asian Journal of Communication*, 2012-2015.

**Cynthia Simmons**

Co-host, "The State of the Story" Moth-style live storytelling show.

**Ronald Smith**

Ad Hoc National Committee Member, American Academy of Advertising (AAA), 2013.

Executive Board Member, i-99 Ad Club: Central PA Creative Professionals [CP]2, 2013.

**S. Shyam Sundar**

Fellow, International Communication Association, 2017.

Editor, *Journal of Computer-Mediated Communication*, 2013-2017.

Member, Editorial Board, Annals of the International Communication Association, 2016-Present.

Paper Reviewer for the annual conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems (CHI), Association for Computing Machinery, 2012, 2103, 2015-2018.

**Yael Warshel**

Chairperson, Children, Youth, and Media in Middle Eastern Conflict Zones Panel, Middle East Studies Association, 2017.

Chairperson, Overcoming Borders: Reimagining Concepts of Immigrants, Migrant Youth Curricula, and Educational Frameworks Panel, California Association of Freirean Educators, 2015.

Conference Committee Member, American Institute for Maghrib Studies (AIMS), 2017-Present.

Board Member, American Institute for Maghrib Studies, 2017-2018.

**Ken Yednock**

Member, I-99 Ad Club, State College, PA, 2010-Present.

Member, Philadelphia Ad Club, Philadelphia, PA, 2011-2016.

**Will Yurman**

Co-director, Keystone Multimedia Workshop.

Coach, National Press Photographers Association, Multimedia Immersion Workshop, National.

**Bu Zhong**

President, Chinese Communication Association, International. 2015-2017.

Editorial Board, *Mass Communication and Society*, 2010-Present.