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### **Education**

Undergraduate: North Park College, Chicago, Illinois, 1973-78, B.A. International Affairs/African Studies; Junior Year Abroad: University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, Scotland, 1975-76.

Associate Degree in Nursing: Piedmont Virginia Community College, Charlottesville, Virginia, 1980-1982, Registered Nurse Licensure, Sept. 1982

Graduate: Indiana University, Bloomington, IN, 1988-1992, Masters in Public Affairs;

Graduate: Indiana University, Bloomington, IN 1993-2001, Ph.D. in Public Policy.

### **Honors**

Indiana University, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Outstanding Teaching Award, April 2, 2006

Recipient of a curriculum development grant from the Center for the Study of Global Change to develop a course on international NGO management, 2004

Award for Best Book Published 2002 – 2004. Public and Nonprofit Division, Academy of Management, August 2004, New Orleans, Louisiana

2002 NASPAA Annual Dissertation Award. 2002 National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration, Annual Conference, Los Angeles, California, October 17 – 19, 2002

Indiana University Center on Philanthropy Dissertation Fellowship. 2000 - 2001

National Service Fellowship. Corporation for National and Community Service. 1998 – 1999.

Research (member of a national research team) funded by The Pew Charitable Trusts for the *Do Something* Community Connections Campaign, Summer 1998.

Full tuition (MPA) scholarship, Indiana University, 1988-1992.

SPEA Academic Award for high GPA, 1992.

Induction into Pi Alpha Alpha, 1991.

Summa cum laude, 1982, Honors at Piedmont Virginia Community College, Charlottesville, VA

## **Academic Appointments**

Appointment to the Philanthropic Studies International Committee, Feb 2009 – current position

Adjunct Assistant Professor / Visiting Scholar, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University, Fall 2001 - current position.

Appointment to the Dean's SPEA International Affairs Committee, 2007 – 2008.

Associate Faculty, Center on Philanthropy, Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis.

Member of Ph.D. Committee (current):

- Megan Hershey, College of Arts and Sciences, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.
- Brooke Treadwell, School of Education, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.
- Juliana Koksarova, Center on Philanthropy, Indiana University Purdue University, Indianapolis, IN

Member of Ph.D. Committee (past):

- Phoebe Khasiala Wakhungu, School of Education (2010), Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- Leila Bradaschia (2008), School of Education, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.
- Ginger L. Elliott (2007). School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.
- Danielle Vogenbeck (2004). The Graduate School University of Colorado at Denver, CO.

Member of MA Thesis Committee (current)

- Beatrice Willie, African Studies Program, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.
- Susan Mendenhall, Center on Philanthropy, Indiana University Purdue University, Indianapolis, IN
- Julia Sorcinelli, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Center for Latin American Studies, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN

Member of MA Thesis Committee (past)

- Tara Sullivan-Boivin (2008), College of Arts and Sciences, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- Richard Fitzmaurice (2006), College of Arts and Sciences, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN

Advisor, Independent Study Readings Courses (current):

- Lana Knox, MPA second year student, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN (Fall 2010)

Advisor, Independent Study Readings Course (past):

- Susan Kigamwa, MA student, Center on Philanthropy, Indiana University-Purdue University, Indianapolis, IN (Spring 2010)
- Vince Stange (Spring 2010), School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.

- Dani Walker (Spring 2010), College of Arts and Sciences, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- Julianna Koksarova, Ph.D. student, Center on Philanthropy, Indiana University-Purdue University, Indianapolis, IN (Fall 2009)
- Alison Lucas (2009), College of Arts and Sciences, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- Liz Wepler (2006), School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- Asma Kishta (2005), School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- Kathleen Claussen (2005), College of Arts and Sciences, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- Beth Hannon (2003), College of Arts and Sciences, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.

Consultant USAID Linkage program grant in Azerbaijan completed August 2002.

Post-doctoral Fellow, Center for Urban Policy and the Environment, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University Purdue University, 2001.

Research Assistantship to Professor James L. Perry, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University. Spring Semester, 1996.

Research Assistantship, Michigan Community Service Commission, Fall 1995 - April 1997.

Associate Instructor, Graduate Assistantship, Indiana University, 1993-1995.

### **Selected Papers / Publications / Research**

Thomson, Ann Marie, Antoinette Smith-Tolken, Anthony Naidoo, and Robert Bringle (2011) Service Learning and Community Engagement: A Comparison of Three Contexts, *Voluntas*.22 (2): 214 – 237.

Perry, James L., Wolfgang Bielefeld, Ann Marie Thomson (forthcoming). Reluctant Partners: Nonprofit Collaboration, Social Entrepreneurship, and Leveraged Volunteers. Robert Durant. *Oxford Handbook of American Bureaucracy*.

Thomson, Ann Marie, James Perry, and Theodore Miller. 2008. Linking Collaboration Processes and Outcomes: Foundations for Advancing Empirical Theory in Lisa Blomgren Bingham and Rosemary O'Leary, eds. *Big Ideas in Collaborative Public Management*. Armonk, NY: ME Sharpe Publishers.

Thomson, Ann Marie, Antoinette Smith-Tolken, Anthony Naidoo, and Robert Bringle. (2008). Service Learning and Community Engagement: A Cross-Cultural Perspective. *International Society for Third Sector Research Conference Working Paper Series Volume VI*, Barcelona Conference, 2008

Perry, James.L. and Ann Marie Thomson. 2007. The Effects of National Service in the United States: A Research Synthesis. In *Civic Service Worldwide: Impacts and Inquiry*, edited by Amanda Moore McBride and Micahel Sherraden, 74 – 93. Armonk, NY: M.E. Sharpe

- Thomson, Ann Marie, James L. Perry, Theodore K. Miller. 2007. Conceptualizing and Measuring Collaboration. *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*. Advance Access published on December 1, 2007; doi: doi:10.1093/jopart/mum036
- Thomson, Ann Marie and James L. Perry. 2006. Collaboration Processes: Inside the Black Box. *Public Administration Review (Supplement)* 66: 20-32.
- Perry, James L. and Ann Marie Thomson. 2003 *Civic Service: What Difference Does it Make?* (Armonk, New York: M.E. Sharpe, Inc.
- Thomson, Ann Marie and Theodore K. Miller. 2002. Knowledge for Practice: The Meaning and Measurement of collaboration, Paper presented at the 31<sup>st</sup> ARNOVA Annual Conference, Montreal, Quebec, November 14-16.
- Thomson, Ann Marie, 2002. Measuring Collaboration. In *Understanding collaboration*, edited by Derrick Purdue and Murray Stewart, 143 – 149. Bristol, UK: Faculty of the Built Environment, University of the West of England, Bristol.
- Thomson, Ann Marie. 2002. The Meaning and Measurement of Collaboration: Implications for Leadership, Management, and Decision Making in a Shared Power World. Paper presented at the Sixth International Research Symposium on Public Management, University of Edinburgh, Scotland, April 8 – 10.
- Thomson, Ann Marie 2001. *Collaboration: Meaning and Measurement*. Unpublished Doctoral Dissertation. Indiana University, Bloomington.
- Thomson, Ann Marie 2001. Collaboration: Meaning and Measurement. In *Collaborative Strategies and Multi-organizational Partnerships*, edited by Tharsi Taillieu, 267 – 275. .Leuven, Belgium: Garant Publishers.
- Thomson, Ann Marie. 1999. *AmeriCorps Organizational Networks on the Ground: Six Case Studies of Indiana AmeriCorps Programs*. National Service Fellows Program. Washington, D.C.: Corporation for National Service.
- Thomson, Ann Marie, James L. Perry, and Mary Tschirhart. 1999. Community Farm Alliance: Preserving the Vitality of Rural Communities. *Community Connections Campaign: Do Something*. [www.dosomething.org](http://www.dosomething.org). Funded by The Pew Charitable Trusts. New York, New York: Do Something.
- Thomson, Ann Marie, Mary Tschirhart, and James L. Perry. 1999. San Antonio METRO: A Young Singles Get Together Sort of Thing. *Community Connections Campaign: Do Something*. [www.dosomething.org](http://www.dosomething.org). Funded by The Pew Charitable Trusts. New York, New York: Do Something
- Perry, James L., Ann Marie Thomson, Mary Tschirhart, Debra Mesch, and Gunjoo Lee. 1999. Inside a Swiss Army Knife: An Assessment of AmeriCorps.” *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*. 9 (2): 225 – 250.

Thomson, Ann Marie and James L. Perry. 1998. Can AmeriCorps Build Communities? *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly* 27 (4): 399 – 420.

Perry, James L. and Ann Marie Thomson. 1996. *Building Communities Through AmeriCorps: Models, Lessons and Community Building Practices: Interim Report.* Lansing, MI: Michigan Commission on Community Service.

Perry, James L. and Ann Marie Thomson. 1996. *Building Communities Through AmeriCorps: Final Report.* Lansing, MI: Michigan Commission on Community Service.

## **Service**

Giving Back to Africa, Inc. co-founder and program chair, a nonprofit organization dedicated to youth empowerment education and training in the Dem Rep of Congo.

FACET Leadership Institute; member of Indiana University Bloomington team; 3 year initiative to foster civic engagement and internationalization across the IU system

Faculty Advisor, International Service Learning Initiative, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN

The Global Citizenship Project (ad hoc committee to assess the state of civic engagement at on the Indiana University Bloomington Campus)

Indiana Commission on Community Service Commission, Board Member, Appointed by Governor Frank O'Bannon, April 2001 – April 2004; reappointed for a second term but have decided to serve only in an advisory capacity at this time.

Community Council Member, American Humanics, local chapter of the national organization, an alliance of colleges and universities preparing undergraduates for careers with youth and human service agencies

CUBAmistad, a Sister City Project between Bloomington, IN and Santa Clara, Cuba that seeks to create people-to-people linkages of goodwill across cultures and nations: active member