

Short Curriculum Vitae

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Education

Post-Doctoral Fellowship, Environmental Risk Assessment, University of Alberta, 1994-1997.
Ph.D., Philosophy, University of California, Riverside, 1996.
Graduate Work in Political Theory, Political Science Department, UCLA, 1993.
M. A., Philosophy, University of California, Riverside, 1992.
B. A., History, Political Science, and Philosophy, Mercer University, 1989.

Recent Employment

Present Positions Distinguished Senior Fellow, Climate Change Program
World Resources Institute, Washington, D.C.

University Professor of Philosophy, Public Policy, and Atmospheric Sciences
George Mason University, Fairfax, VA.

2013-2016 Senior Advisor and India Counselor to the U.S. Special Envoy on Climate Change &
Climate Change Staff Advisor, Secretary of State's Office of Policy Planning
U.S. Department of State, Washington, D.C.

Policy Reports: 16, including:

Ramping up Governance of the Global Environmental Commons, with Dan Morrow.
(Washington, D.C.: World Resources Institute, February 2019), 32 pages.

Climate Change Impacts, Risks and Adaptation in the U.S.: Fourth National Climate Assessment
(NCA 4), Volume II. (Washington, D.C.: U.S. Global Change Research Program, November 2018).
Review Editor for Chapter 29, "Mitigation: Avoiding and Reducing Long-Term Risks."

Strengthening Actions to Reduce Short-Lived Climate Pollutants in Nationally Determined Contributions,
with Katie Ross and others. (Washington, D.C.: World Resources Institute, October 2018), 52 pages.

Books and Edited Books: 19, including:

Environmental Values, with John O'Neill and Alan Holland.
(London: Routledge Press, 2008), 233 pages.

Moral and Political Reasoning in Environmental Practice, edited with Avner de-Shalit.
(Cambridge, MA: The MIT Press, 2003), 357 pages.

Articles and Book Chapters: 95, including:

"A Responsible Path: Enhancing Action on Short-Lived Climate Pollutants," with Gwynne Taraska,

in Climate Justice in a Non-Ideal World, eds. C. Heyward, and D. Roser (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2016), pp. 169-188.

"Climate Change, Adaptation, and Climate-Ready Development Assistance," with Gwynne Taraska, Environmental Values, Vol. 23, No. 2, 2014, pp. 129-147.

"An Equity Hurdle in International Climate Negotiations," Philosophy and Public Policy Quarterly, Vol. 31, No. 1, 2013, pp. 27-34.