Alexandra Lesnikowski, PhD

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Research	Climate change adaptation governance and policy; comparative policy analysis; envicy; urban and regional planning; multilevel governance; systematic evidence synthest text analysis; content analysis.	_
EDUCATION	McGill University, Montreal, Canada Ph.D. in Geography	2015 - 2019
	The University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada M.A. (Planning) in Community and Regional Planning	2012 - 2014
	McGill University, Montreal, Canada B.A. (Honours) in Political Science	2006 - 2010
Employment	Concordia University, Montreal, Canada Assistant Professor Department of Geography, Planning and Environment Principal Investigator: Concordia Climate Change Adaptation Lab	2020 - Current
	 University of Waterloo, Waterloo, Canada Postdoctoral Research Fellow and Instructor Interdisciplinary Centre on Climate Change and Department of Geography and Management 	2019 - 2020 Environmental
	Adaptation Tracking Collaborative, Montreal, Canada Project Manager	2016 - 2018
	TRAC3, Montreal, Canada Project Lead	2014 - 2019
	Housing Justice Project, The University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada $\it Research~Assistant$	2014
	Planning Evaluation Lab, The University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada ${\it Research~Assistant}$	2012 - 2014
	Climate Change Adaptation Research Group, McGill University, Montreal, Canada $Research\ Assistant$	2010 - 2012
	Institute of Health and Social Policy, McGill University, Montreal, Canada $Policy\ Fellow$	2009
	Institute of Health and Social Policy, McGill University, Montreal, QC, Canada $Research\ Intern$	2008 - 2009

PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES (H-INDEX: 21, TOTAL CITATIONS > 2,500)

- 24. Ulibarri, Nicola, Idowu Ajibade, Eranga K Galappaththi, Elphin Tom Joe, Alexandra Lesnikowski, Katharine J Mach, Justice Issah Musah-Surugu, Gabriela Nagle Alverio, Alcade C Segnon, AR Siders, Garry Sotnik, Donovan Campbell, Vasiliki I Chalastani, Kripa Jagannathan, Vhalinavho Khavhagali, Diana Reckien, Yuanyuan Shang, Chandni Singh, Zinta Zommers, Global Adaptation Mapping Initiative Team. 2021. A global assessment of policy tools to support climate adaptation. Climate Policy. 22(1): 77-96.
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- 22. Thomas, Adella, Emily Theokritoff, Alexandra Lesnikowski, Diana Reckien, Kripa Jagannathan, Roger Cremades, Donovan Campbell, Elphin Tom Joe, Asha Sitati, Chandni Singh, Alcade C Segnon, Brian Pentz, Justice Issah Musah-Surugu, Cristina A Mullin, Katharine J Mach, Leah Gichuki, Eranga Galappaththi, Vasiliki I Chalastani, Idowu Ajibade, Raquel Ruiz-Diaz, Caitlin Grady, Matthias Garschagen, James Ford, Kathryn Bowen. 2021. Global evidence of constraints and limits to human adaptation. Regional Environmental Change. 21(3): 1-15.
- 21. Araos, Malcolm, Kripa Jagannathan, Roopam Shukla, Idowu Ajibade, Erin Coughlan de Perez, Katy Davis, James D Ford, Eranga K Galappaththi, Caitlin Grady, AJ Hudson, Elphin Tom Joe, Christine J Kirchhoff, Alexandra Lesnikowski, Gabriela Nagle Alverio, Miriam Nielsen, Ben Orlove, Brian Pentz, Diana Reckien, AR Siders, Nicola Ulibarri, Maarten van Aalst, Thelma Zulfawu Abu, Tanvi Agrawal, Lea Berrang-Ford, Rachel Bezner Kerr, Shaugn Coggins, Matthias Garschagen, Alexandra Harden, Katharine J Mach, Abraham Marshall Nunbogu, Pandey Spandan, Sienna Templeman, Lynée L Turek-Hankins, GAMI Team. 2021. Equity in human adaptation-related responses: A systematic global review. One Earth. 4(10): 1454-1467.
- McDowell, Graham, Madison Stevens, Alexandra Lesnikowski, Christian Huggel, Alexandra Harden, Jose DiBella, Michael Morecroft, Praveen Kumar, Elphin Tom Joe, Indra D Bhatt. 2021. Closing the Adaptation Gap in Mountains. Mountain Research and Development. 41(3): A1-A10.
- 19. **Lesnikowski, Alexandra,** Robbert Biesbroek, James D. Ford, Lea Berrang-Ford. 2021. Policy implementation styles and local governments: The case of climate change adaptation. Environmental Politics. 30(5): 753-790.
- 18. **Lesnikowski, Alexandra,** James D. Ford, Robbert Biesbroek, Lea Berrang-Ford. 2019. Characterizing climate change adaptation policy portfolios: Comparative measurement through policy instrument mixes. Climatic Change. 156(4): 447-469.
- 17. Conevska, Aleksandra, James D. Ford, **Alexandra Lesnikowski**. 2019. Assessing the Adaptation Fund's responsiveness to developing country's needs. Climate and Development. 12(5): 436-447.
- 16. Berrang-Ford, Lea, Robbert Biesbroek, James D. Ford, Alexandra Lesnikowski, Andrew Tanabe, Frances M. Wang, Chen Chen, Angel Hsu, Jessica J. Hellmann, Patrick Pringle, Martina Grecequet, J.-C. Amado, Saleemul Huq, Shuaib Lwasa, S. Jody Heymann. 2019. "Tracking global climate change adaptation among governments." Nature Climate Change 9: 440-449.

- 15. Lesnikowski, Alexandra, Ella Belfer, Emma Rodman, Julie Smith, Robbert Biesbroek, John D. Wilkerson, James D. Ford, Lea Berrang-Ford. 2019. "Frontiers in data analytics for adaptation research: Topic modeling." WIREs Climate Change 10(3): e573.
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- Biesbroek, Robbert, Alexandra Lesnikowski, Lea Berrang-Ford, Martinus Vink, and James Ford. 2018. "Do Administrative Traditions Matter for Climate Change Adaptation Policy? A Comparative Analysis of 32 High Income Countries." Review of Policy Research 35 (6): 881-906.
- 11. **Lesnikowski, Alexandra,** James D. Ford, Robbert Biesbroek, Lea Berrang-Ford, Michelle Maillet, Malcolm Araos, and Stephanie E. Austin. 2017. "What Does the Paris Agreement Mean for Adaptation?" Climate Policy 17 (7): 825-831.
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- Ford, James D., Simon E. Tilleard, Lea Berrang-Ford, Malcolm Araos, Robbert Biesbroek, Alexandra Lesnikowski, Graham K. MacDonald, Angel Hsu, Chen Chen, and Livia Bizikova. 2016. "Opinion: Big Data Has Big Potential for Applications to Climate Change Adaptation." Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences 113 (39): 10729–32.
- 8. Araos, Malcolm, Lea Berrang-Ford, James D Ford, Stephanie E Austin, Robbert Biesbroek, and **Alexandra Lesnikowski**. 2016. "Climate Change Adaptation Planning in Large Cities: A Systematic Global Assessment." Environmental Science and Policy. 66: 375-382.
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- 6. Lesnikowski, Alexandra, James D Ford, Lea Berrang-Ford, Magda Barrera, and Jody Heymann. 2015. "How Are We Adapting to Climate Change? A Global Assessment." Mitigation and Adaptation Strategies for Global Change 20 (2): 277–93.
- 5. Berrang-Ford, Lea, James D. Ford, **Alexandra Lesnikowski**, Carolyn Poutiainen, Magda Barrera, and S. Jody Heymann. 2014. "What Drives National Adaptation? A Global Assessment." Climatic Change 124 (1–2): 441–50.
- 4. Lesnikowski, Alexandra, James D. Ford, Lea Berrang-Ford, Magda Barrera, Peter Berry, Jim Henderson, and S. Jody Heymann. 2013. "National-Level Factors Affecting Planned, Public Adaptation to Health Impacts of Climate Change." Global Environmental Change 23 (5): 1153–63.
- 3. Ford, James D., Lea Berrang-ford, **Alexandra Lesnikowski**, Magda Barrera, and S Jody Heymann. 2013. "How to Track Adaptation to Climate Change: A Typology of Approaches for National-Level Application." Ecology and Society 18 (3): 40-54.

- 2. Paterson, Jaclyn A., James D. Ford, Lea Berrang-Ford, **Alexandra Lesnikowski**, Peter Berry, Jim Henderson, and Jody Heymann. 2012. "Adaptation to Climate Change in the Ontario Public Health Sector." BMC Public Health 12 (1): 452.
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- 4. Lesnikowski, Alexandra, James D. Ford, Lea Berrang-Ford, and Robbert Biesbroek. 2017. "Assessing Adaptation Progress at the Global Level: Conceptual and Methodological Issues." In Adaptation Gap Report 2017: Towards Global Assessment, edited by Anne Olhoff. Copenhagen, Denmark: UNEP-DTU Partnership.
- 3. Wang, Frances M., James D. Ford, **Alexandra Lesnikowski**, Chen Chen, Lea Berrang-Ford, and Robbert Biesbroek. 2017. "Assessing Stakeholder Needs for Adaptation Tracking." In Adaptation Metrics. UNEP-DTU Partnership.
- 2. Senbel, Maged, and **Alexandra Lesnikowski.** 2015. "Climate Change Planning and Neighbourhood Design for Low-Carbon, Resilient and Health Communities." In Canadian Cities in Transition, edited by Pierre Filion, Tara Vinodrai, Ryan Walker, and Markus Moos. Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press.
- 1. **Lesnikowski, Alexandra.** 2012. Guaranteeing Legal Rights for Sexual and Gender Minorities in Nepal. Edited by Jody Heymann and A Cassola. Making Equal Rights Real: Taking Effective Action to Overcome Global Challenges. Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press.

In Review

- 2. **Lesnikowski, Alexandra**, Sebastien Jodoin, Jean-Philippe Lemay, Verity Thomas, Kasia Johnson. Human rights in climate change adaptation policies. Climate Policy.
- 1. Carriere, Zacharie and Lesnikowski, Alexandra. Climate change adaptation readiness and the transformative potential of co-operative housing in Nova Scotia, Canada. Regional Environmental Change.

PREPARING FOR SUBMISSION

- 2. Yue, Alice and **Lesnikowski**, **Alexandra**. Climate change adaptation and housing in Canada: A policy integration analysis at multiple levels. For Environmental Governance and Policy.
- 1. **Lesnikowski, Alexandra,** James D. Ford, Robbert Biesbroek, Lea Berrang-Ford. Emerging differences across countries in framing local adaptation governance. For Local Government Studies.

WORK IN PROGRESS

- 3. Lesnikowski, Alexandra, Dylan Clark, and Becket Osterland. Understanding the nexus between climate change adaptation and housing: a systematic review. For WIRES Climate Change.
- 2. **Lesnikowski, Alexandra.** A longitudinal study on the evolution of Parliamentary discourse on climate adaptation in Canada. For Climate Policy.

1. **Lesnikowski, Alexandra,** and Dylan Clark. Household debt and climate change vulnerability in Canada. For Regional Environmental Change.

SCIENTIFIC ASSESSMENTS

- 3. O'Neill, Brian, Maarten van Aalst, Zelina Zaiton Ibrahim, et al. Chapter 16: Key Risks Across Sectors and Regions. Sixth Assessment Report. Working Group II: Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change. 2022. [Contributing Author]
- Harper, Sherilee L., Rebekka Schmitter, Aamir Fazil, Manon Fleury, James D. Ford, Alexandra Lesnikowski, Deborah McGregor, Jaclyn Paterson, Ben Smith, Hannah Tait Neufeld. Chapter 8: Climate Change, Food Security, Food Safety, and Health. Climate Change and Health Assessment. Health Canada. Government of Canada. 2022. [Contributing Author]
- 1. IANAS. Taking action against climate change will benefit health and advance health equity in the Americas. (S.L. Harper J.N. McNeil, Eds.) Inter-American Network of Academies of Sciences (IANAS) and InterAcademy Partnership (IAP). 2022. [Lead Author]

Non-Peer Reviewed Publications

1. **Lesnikowski, Alexandra** and Timo Leiter. Assessing progress on climate adaptation in Canada: Building blocks and best practices for a robust monitoring and evaluation system. A scoping paper for the Canadian Climate Institute. 2022. [Co-author]

OPINION

1. Toussain, Jean-Patrick and **Alexandra Lesnikowski**. Latest IPCC report is a wake-up call to adapt to climate change. iPolitics. 2022. [Co-author]

Presentations

- 18. A national study of housing security and flood risk exposure in Canada Annual Meeting of the American Association of Geographers. 2023. (Montreal, QC)
- 17. Understanding the nexus between climate change adaptation and housing: a systematic review. Global Environmental Governance. 2022. (Toronto, ON)
- 16. Human rights in climate change adaptation policies. Global Environmental Governance. 2022. (Toronto, ON)
- 15. Climate change adaptation and housing in Canada: A policy integration analysis at multiple levels. With Alice Yue. International Workshop on Public Policy, International Public Policy Association 2022. (Delivered remotely.)
- 14. Including Persons with Disabilities in Climate Governance: Examining Disability Rights and Climate Resilience in Urban Environments. The Ten Most Pressing Gaps in Research on Environmental Policy, Yale University School of Forestry and Environmental Studies. 2019. (New Haven, USA)
- 13. A cross-national study of local climate change adaptation policy implementation styles in multilevel governance environments. Beyond Typologies: Innovation in the Study of Environmental Policy Instruments, International Conference on Public Policy. 2019. (Montréal, QC)
- 12. Climate change adaptation policy framing among local governments. Public Policy for Emerging and Disruptive Technologies: Governing Big Data, Artificial Intelligence, Robotics, and More, International Conference on Public Policy. 2019. (Montréal, QC)
- 11. Measuring policy coherence: A topic modelling approach. Climate Change Governance: Treaty Implementation, Polycentricity, National-Local Linkages, Earth Systems Governance Symposium. 018. (Utrecht, Netherlands)

- 10. Comparative measurement of climate change adaptation policies: A policy instruments approach. Governance Modes, Policy Styles and Policy Mixes: Next Generation Policy Instrument Studies, International Public Policy Association. 2018. (Pittsburgh, USA)
- 9. Tracking adaptation in local governments: A policy instruments approach. Tracking Adaptation to Climate Change at Multiple Levels, European Climate Change Adaptation Conference. 2017. (Glasgow, UK)
- 8. Assessing Progress on Adaptation Across Countries. Tracking Adaptation to Climate Change for MRE, Adaptation Futures. 2016. (Rotterdam, Netherlands)
- 7. Multi-level governance in urban climate change adaptation. Administrative Traditions and Climate Change Adaptation Workshop, INOGOV. 2016. (Amsterdam, Netherlands)
- 6. Tracking Canadian Progress on Adaptation. Adaptation Tracking at Global to Local Scales, Adaptation Canada. 2016. (Ottawa, Canada)
- 5. Assessing Progress on Adaptation Across Countries. Tracking Adaptation and Enabling Readiness, 21st Conference of the Parties to the UNFCCC. 2015. (Paris, France)
- 4. Applications in adaptation tracking: A longitudinal assessment of adaptation progress among high-income countries. Tracking Adaptation to Climate Change, European Climate Change Adaptation Conference. 2015. (Copenhagen, Denmark)
- 3. Are we adapting to climate change? International Symposium on the Governance of Adaptation. 2012. (Amsterdam, Netherlands)
- 2. Health Impacts of Climate Change: A Collaborative Initiative. Climate Change and Clean Energy, Annual Research to Policy Conference: Environmental Health and Equity. 2011. (Montreal, Canada)
- 1. Raising Awareness about Sexual Health and Human Rights through Civic Engagement and Community Empowerment. Universal Policies, Health Equity and the Social Determinants of Health, Canadian Public Health Association Annual Conference. 2010. (Toronto, Canada)

INVITED TALKS

- 5. Canada's Changing Climate. The Walrus Talks. 2023. (Ottawa, Canada)
- 4. Climate Change 101. Climate change training workshop for THEMUSEUM. 2020. (Kitchener, Canada)
- 3. Tracking adaptation in local governments: A policy instruments approach. Public Administration and Policy Group, Wageningen University. 2018. (Wageningen, Netherlands)
- 2. Tracking adaptation across scales. Priestley International Centre for Climate, Leeds University. 2017. (Leeds, UK)
- 1. Generation Y: Changing values, preferences, and choices? Youth Engagement Panel. Federation of Canadian Municipalities Annual Conference and Trade Show. 2013. (Vancouver, Canada)

Grants Awarded	Total Funding	\$875,444
	Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada Connection Grant Co-Investigator: "Connecting international conference participants with local realiti learning journeys through the climate crisis"	2023-2024 \$24,552 es: 'Glocal'
	Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada Insight Grant Principal Investigator: "Adapting Canada's housing system to a changing climate: change adaptation-housing nexus"	2022-2027 \$379,650 The climate
	Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada Insight Development Grant Principal Investigator: "Housing tenure and climate change vulnerability in Canada" (R	2020-2022 \$73,164 tanked 2/29)
	Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada Insight Grant Co-Investigator: "Disability Rights and Climate Adaptation in Low and Middle Incom Lessons Learned from India"	2020-2025 \$353,078 te Countries:
	Concordia University Faculty Research Development Program	2020-2022 \$45,000

Unsuccessful Grants

Total Funding \$313,120

Fonds de Recherche du Québec - Société et Culture 2023-2026 Soutien a la recherche pour la releve professorale \$43,120 Principal Investigator: "Effective climate change adaptation in the face of limits: Planning for

tipping points and thresholds in a changing climate"

2022-2025

\$90,000

Soutien a la recherche pour la releve professorale \$43,120 Principal Investigator: "Effective climate change adaptation in the face of limits: Planning for

tipping points and thresholds in a changing climate"

Reseau inondatations InterSectoriel du Quebec 2022-2024

RIISQ-Ouranos Project Call \$180,000 Co-Investigator: "Cartographie des risques d'inondation à long terme dans la vallée de la rivière Ottawa"

Fonds de Recherche du Québec - Société et Culture

Soutien a la recherche pour la releve professorale

Principal Investigator: "L'imits to climate change adaptation in the Canadian bousing system"

Principal Investigator: "Limits to climate change adaptation in the Canadian housing system"

Awards & Scholarships	Total Funding	\$458,887
	Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada	2019-2021

Fonds de Recherche du Québec - Société et Culture

Post-Doctoral Fellowship - Proposal ranked 3/123

Fonds de Recherche du Québec - Société et Culture

Bourse postdoctorale - Proposal ranked 2/8 (Declined)

2019-2021
\$90,000

Fonds de Recherche du Québec - Société et Culture	2019-2021
Bourse postdoctorale supplément annuel	\$20,000
Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada Joseph-Armand Bombardier CGS Doctoral Scholarship - Score $19.3/20$	2016-2019 \$105,000
Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada	2018
Canada Graduate Scholarship Michael Smith Foreign Supplement Award	\$6,000
McGill University	2018
Graduate Mobility Award	\$6,000
McGill University	2018
Graduate Excellence Award	\$5,831
McGill University GREAT Award	2016 \$207
McGill University	2015-2019
Doctoral Funding	\$91,075
McGill University	2015
Graduate Excellence Award	\$7,000
McGill University	2015
Geography Graduate Award	\$663
American Institute of Certified Planners	2014
American Institute of Certified Planners Prize	\$1,200
Planning Institute of British Columbia	2013
Planning Institute of British Columbia Graduate Scholarship in Planning	\$3,000
The University of British Columbia	2013
School of Community and Regional Planning Scholarship	\$1,000
The University of British Columbia	2012
Faculty of Applied Science Graduate Award	\$2,778
The University of British Columbia	2012
International Tuition Award	\$2,133
University of Toronto	2012
Arts & Science Fellowship (Declined)	\$10,000
Fulbright Foundation Fulbright U.S. Student Program (Declined)	2010 \$17,000

TEACHING Concordia University

Year	Code	Name	Level	Students	Credits
Winter 2023	URBS 230	Urbanization: Global and Historical Perspectives	Undergrad	189	3.0
Winter 2023	GEOG 478	Climate Change: Science, Impacts and Policy	Undergrad	23	3.0
Fall 2022	URBS 498	Planning Cities for Climate Change	Undergrad	24	3.0
Winter 2021	URBS 230	Urbanization: Global and Historical Perspectives	Undergrad	195	3.0
Winter 2021	GEOG 478	Climate Change: Science, Impacts and Policy	Undergrad	21	3.0
Fall 2020	URBS 480	Impact Assessment	Undergrad	30	3.0

Additional Teaching Experience

University of Waterloo, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada Instructor

- GEOG 207 Fundamentals of Climate Change (3 credits, Winter 2020)
- GEMCC 600 Fundamentals of Climate Change (3 credits, Fall 2019)

McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada

Teaching Assistant

- GEOG 302 Environmental Management I (Fall 2017, Fall 2018)
- GEOG 408 Geography of Development (Fall 2015)

McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada

 $Guest\ Lecturer$

• GEOG 514 Climate Change Vulnerability and Adaptation (Winter 2017)

STUDENT SUPERVISION

Master's thesis supervision

20-2022
20-2022
21-2023
2

Master's committees

Justine Bonczek (In progress), Concordia University, Montreal, Canada	2021-2023
Committee member	
Student Degree Expected Date: August 2023	
Thesis title: Analysis of "Bikelash" and recommendations for mitigation	

Undergraduate thesis advisor

Juliette Lebold (Complete), Concordia University, Montreal, Canada	2022-2023
Principal Advisor	
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Expected Completion Date: April 2023

Thesis title: $Policies\ to\ preserve\ biodiversity\ in\ agriculture$

Research assistant supervision

- Zacharie Carriere (2023)
- Violet Massie-Vereker (2022-2023)
- Juliette Lebold (2022)
- Isabella Pomeroy (2022)
- Becket Osterland (2021)
- Verity Thomson (2019-2021)
- Jean-Philippe Lemay (2019-2021)
- Maesha Elahi (2020)
- Claire Schaffter (2019-2020)
- Janoah Willsie (2019-2020)
- Malcolm Araos (2017-2018)
- Geneva List (2017-2018)
- Florian Dorner (2017-2018)
- Mathijs Veenkant (2017-2018)
- Andrew Tanabe (2017-2018)
- Frances Wang (2017-2018)
- Aleksandra Conevska (2016)
- Akiva Blander (2016)

Service Departmental Service: Geography, Planning and Environment

Department Hiring Committee

2022-2023

- Served on DHC with Pierre Gauthier, Norma Rantisi, Bengi Akbulut, and Silvano De La Llata.
- Review applications for position of Assistant Professor in Urban Planning/Urban Studies in the Department of Geography, Planning Environment.

Departmental Seminar Series, Co-organizer with Bengi Akbulut

2022-2023

• Organize annual department seminar series, including invitation of speakers, event advertisement, and chairing each talk.

GPE CUSRA Award Ranking Committee, with Craig Townsend and Alan Nash

2023

- Review applications from GPE students to Concordia Undergraduate Student Research Awards program.
- Provide recommendations to Faculty of Arts and Science.

Departmental Seminar Series, Co-organizer with Youjung Kim

2021-2022

• Organize annual department seminar series, including invitation of speakers, event advertisement, and chairing each talk.

GPE CUSRA Award Ranking Committee, with Craig Townsend and Alan Nash

2022

- Review applications from GPE students to Concordia Undergraduate Student Research Awards program.
- Provide recommendations to Faculty of Arts and Science.

Departmental Seminar Series, Co-organizer with Angela Kross

2020-2021

• Organize annual department seminar series, including invitation of speakers, event advertisement, and chairing each talk.

GPE CUSRA Award Ranking Committee, with Craig Townsend and Alan Nash

2021

- Review applications from GPE students to Concordia Undergraduate Student Research Awards program.
- Provide recommendations to Faculty of Arts and Science.

Faculty Service: Faculty of Arts and Science

Interdisciplinary Working Group on Advancing Climate Policy

2022-2023

 Co-organizer of a discussion group on climate action funded by the Centre for Interdisciplinary Studies in Society and Culture, Concordia University.

SSHRC Master's University Selection Committee

2022-2023

- Review applications from Faculty of Arts and Science Master's students to the SSHRC Master's funding competition.
- Provided recommendations to Faculty of Arts and Science.

Other Academic Service

Doctoral thesis reviewer

2023

- Candidate: Emily Theokritoff
- Title: "Constrained and limited: understanding what makes adaptation challenging"
- Institution: Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, Humboldt-Universitat zu Berlin

Doctoral thesis reviewer

2023

- Candidate: Lucy Wanjiku Njuguna
- Title: "Designing climate change adaptation trackign in the livestock sectors of eastern Africa: a case for creating cross-scalar linkages"
- Institution: Public Administration and Policy, Wageningen University and Research

Co-organizer: North America Network of the Earth Systems Governance Association 2023 - TBD

• Co-manage communication and events across the network.

IDRC-FCDO Climate Adaptation and Resilience (CLARE) Initiative

2022

• External reviewer for research project selection under the CLARE Initiative

Lancet Countdown: Tracking Progress on Health and Climate Change

2022

• External reviewer on indicators for tracking public and political engagement on health and climate change

International Workshop on Public Policy

2022

• Workshop co-organizer: Climate Change Policy Integration

Earth Systems Governance Annual Meeting

2022

• Panel organizer: Housing systems in the Anthropocene: Implications of housing governance, policy, and outcomes for a just climate transition

Global Adaptation Mapping Initiative

2019-2021

• Coordinating and administrative team: Coding team lead

International Conference on Public Policy, Montreal

2019

 Panel Co-chair: Policy Integration for Boundary-Spanning Policy Problems: Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation Policy

Machine learning opportunities in adaptation research, Singapore

2017

• Co-organizer, Adaptation Tracking Collaborative Workshop

21st Conference of the Parties to UN Framework Convention on Climate Change, Paris • Co-organizer, Official Side Event	2015
Advancing adaptation tracking, Montreal • Organizer and facilitator, Adaptation Tracking Collaborative Workshop	2016
Advancing adaptation tracking, Montreal • Organizer and facilitator, Adaptation Tracking Collaborative Workshop	2015

Professional Service

Canadian Climate Institute

2021-2024

Member of the Expert Panel on Adaptation: Review and make recommendations to CCI staff on research scope, methodologies, outputs, and recommendations; support efforts to communicate findings and recommendations to the public and other stakeholders.

Canadian Climate Institute

2022-2023

Chair of the Project Advisory Group for "Learning from the 2021 BC Heatwave to Enhance Resilience": Provide scientific guidance on research scope and methods, technical review of publications and policy recommendations, and advice to support CCI's engagement and communication initiatives.

Canadian Climate Institute

2022-2023

Member of the Project Advisory Group for a study on heat pump affordability in Canada: Review and make recommendations to CCI staff on research scope, methodologies, outputs, and recommendations; support efforts to communicate findings and recommendations to the public and other stakeholders.

Journal review activities

• Environmental Management	2022
• WIREs Climate Change	2022
• Climatic Change	2022
• Nature Communications	2022
• Climate Policy	2022
• Policy Sciences	2021
• Climatic Change	2021
• Regional Environmental Change	2021
• Cities	2021
• Environmental Policy and Governance	2021
• Climate and Development (2 reviews)	2020
• Climate Policy	2020
• Global Environmental Change	2020
• BMC Public Health	2020
• One Earth	2019
• Sustainability	2019
• Nature Communications	2019
• Climatic Change	2019
• Regional Environmental Change (2 reviews)	2019
• Environmental Science and Policy	2018
• Global Environmental Change	2018
• Climate Policy	2018

	 Environmental Policy and Governance Climate and Development	2018 2018
	Regional Environmental Change	2018
	• Climate Change Letters	2014
	• Regional Environmental change	2013
	Community Service	
	THEMUSEUM (Kitchener, Ontario) Expert advisor on special exhibit about climate change: "ALARM"	2019-2020
	McGill University Geography Graduate Society $VP\ Communications$	2017-2018
	McGill University Geography Graduate Society $President$	2016-2017
	SCARP Student Symposium: Embracing ComplexCity $Coordinator$	2013-2014
	UBC School of Community and Regional Planning $Admissions\ Committee$	2013
Media	CBC News Ottawa CBC Ottawa	August 10, 2023
	The ELias Makos Show $CJAD~800$	August 10, 2023
	CBC Daybreak Montreal with Ainslie MacLellan $\it CBC\ Radio\ Montreal$	July 17, 2023
	CBC News Montreal at 6 with Debra Arbec $CBC\ News\ Montreal$	July 14, 2023
	CBC Daybreak Montreal with Rebecca Ugolini $\it CBC\ Radio\ Montreal$	May 22, 2023
	CTV Morning Live Ottawa with Rosey Edeh $CTV\ News$	May 11, 2023
	Quebec AM with Julia Caron CBC Radio Quebec	November 21, 2022
	CBC Montreal News at 11 with Sudha Krishnan $CBC\ Montreal$	November 4, 2022
	CBC Daybreak Montreal with Sean Henry $CBC\ Radio\ Montreal$	November 21, 2022
	CBC Montreal News at 11 Sudha Krishnan CBC Montreal	November 4, 2022

CTV Montreal News at 6 with Amanda Kline CTV Montreal	September 18, 2022
CBC Montreal Let's Go with Sabrina Maranola CBC Radio Montreal	September 14, 2022
CTV Montreal News at 5 with Maya Johnson $CTV\ Montreal$	September 14, 2022
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