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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Political Science, Stanford University, 1994
M.A. International Development Education, Stanford University, 1989
M.A. International Policy Studies, Stanford University, 1985
B.A. Political Science (Honors) and African and Afro-American
Studies (Distinction), Stanford University, 1985

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2/2009 – present **Distinguished Service Professor**
Department of Social & Decision Sciences and
John Heinz College of Public Policy and Management
Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA

7/1995 – 1/2002 **Assistant Professor of Public Policy**
Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
(On leave 1998-1999 and 2001-2002 in government service)

1/1993 – 1/1996 **Editor, *Africa Today Journal***
Graduate School of International Studies, University of Denver, Denver, CO.

1/1993 – 6/1995 **Assistant Professor**
Graduate School of International Studies, University of Denver, Denver, CO.

10/1991 – 12/1993 **Visiting Fellow**
Center for International Security and Arms Control, Stanford University, CA.

12/1989 – 9/1990 **Research Associate and Lecturer**
Institute for Development Studies, University of Nairobi, Nairobi, Kenya.

GOVERNMENT SERVICE

8/2005 – 1/2009 **Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs**
Department of State, Washington, D.C.
(Awarded the Secretary's Distinguished Service Medal, the highest
honor bestowed by the Secretary of State)

- 8/2005 – 1/2009 **Board Member**
Africa Development Foundation, Washington, D.C.
- 8/2004 – 8/2005 **United States Ambassador to South Africa**
U.S. Embassy, Pretoria, South Africa
(First woman to serve as U.S. Ambassador to South Africa)
- 1/2001 – 7/2005 **Special Assistant to the President and Senior Director for African Affairs**
National Security Council, Washington, D.C.
- 3/1999 – 12/1999 **Director of African Affairs**
National Security Council, Washington, D.C.
(Council on Foreign Relations, International Affairs Fellow)
- 8/1998 – 3/1999 **Political-Military Planner, Joint Chiefs of Staff**
Department of Defense, Washington, D.C.
(Council on Foreign Affairs, International Affairs Fellow)

PUBLICATIONS

- “The Bush Administration’s Africa Policy: A Record of Delivering on Africa’s Promise,”
The Africa’s Journal, (Washington, D.C., Corporate Council on Africa, 2003).
- “The United States and Southern Africa Development Community,” From Cape To Congo: Southern Africa’s Evolving Security Challenge (Boulder: Lynne Rienner Publisher, 2003).
- “U.S. Investment in Security Operations in Africa,” Africa Policy in the Clinton Years: Critical Choices for the Bush Administration (Washington, D.C.: Center for Strategic and International Studies, 2001).
- “Sub-Saharan Africa: Progress or Drift?” Strategic Assessment 1999: Priorities For a Turbulent World (Washington, D.C.: National Defense University, 1999).
- “The African Crisis Response Initiative: Self-Interested Humanitarianism,” Brown Journal of World Affairs (Summer/Fall 1997): 103-188.
- “Conceptualizing Civil-Military Relations During Democratic Transition,” Africa Today Volume 42 (1995): 39-48.
- “Interview with Cyril Ramaphosa, ANC Secretary General,” Africa Today, Volume 41, number 1 (1994): 7-10.
- “Advancing African Health Care Through Space Technology: An Interview with Dr. Mae C. Jemison,” Africa Today, volume 40, number 3 (1993): 70-74.