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Current Position

Assistant Professor, Department of Women's Studies, University at Albany, SUNY (2004 --)
Affiliate Faculty Member, Department of Public Policy and Administration
Affiliate Faculty Member, Department of Informatics

Education (Highest Degree Attained)

2004 **Ph.D., Science and Technology Studies, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute**
Dissertation: "Popular Technology: Citizenship and Inequality in the Information Economy"

Selected Publications

Books

Digital Dead End: Fighting for Social Justice in the Information Age (MIT Press, March 2011)

Peer-Reviewed Articles

Eubanks, Virginia (2009) "Double-Bound: Putting the Power Back in Participatory Research." *Frontiers: A Journal of Women's Studies* 30 (1): 107-137. Special issue entitled "Knowledge That Matters: Feminist Epistemology, Methodology, and Science Studies."

Eubanks, Virginia (2007) "Trapped in the Digital Divide: The Distributive Paradigm in Community Informatics." *The Journal of Community Informatics* 3 (2). Available online at <http://ci-journal.net/index.php/ciej/article/view/293/353>.

Book Chapters, Essays and Encyclopedia Entries

Eubanks, Virginia (2011). "Feminist Phronesis and Technologies of Citizenship," In Bent Flyvbjerg, Todd Landsman, and Sanford Schram (Eds.), *Real Social Science: Applied Phronesis*. New York: Cambridge University Press.

Eubanks, Virginia (2008). "Participatory Policy Analysis." In E. Berman and J. Rabin (Eds), *Encyclopedia of Public Administration and Public Policy* (pp. 1413-1417). New York: Taylor & Francis Group.

Eubanks, Virginia (2006). "Technologies of Citizenship: Surveillance and Political Learning in the Welfare System." In T. Monahan (Ed), *Surveillance and Security: Technology and Politics in Everyday Life* (pp. 89-108), New York: Routledge.

Work in Progress

Barbara Smith: Interviews and Conversations (with Barbara Smith and Alethia Jones) (SUNY Press, Under Contract, Tentative publication date: Spring 2012).

Disconnect: How Computerization is Changing Welfare (and Why You Should Care) (In Progress, Tentative completion date of manuscript: Fall 2012)

Grants, Awards, and Academic Honors

External Grants Received

2009 – Present “Documenting Economic Human Rights Abuses in the Capital Region,” Holding Our Own Foundation, Principal Recipient, \$3000.

2007 – Present “The Citizenship Effects of Welfare Administration Technologies,” National Science Foundation (NSF), Principal Investigator, \$105,000.

2005-2006 “Saturday Schools,” Holding Our Own Foundation, Principal Recipient, \$4000.

Conferences, Invited Lectures and Media

Keynote Speeches

“Digital Dead End?” Chicago Humanities Festival, Chicago, Il., November 6, 2011.

“Beyond Freedom & Privacy: Fighting for Social Justice in the Information Age” Computers, Freedom and Privacy (EPIC) Conference, Washington, DC, June 15, 2011.

“The New Punitiveness: Technology, Violence and Women’s Citizenship” National Network to End Domestic Violence (NNEDV) Training of Trainers, Pittsburgh, PA, August 11, 2008.

Plenary Appearances

“Technologies of Citizenship: The Micropolitics of Knowledge-Making,” Feminist Epistemology, Methodology, Metaphysics and Science Studies (FEMMSS) Conference, Columbia, SC, March 19-21 2009.

Selected Media and Government

Appearances and Interviews include: “Digital Dead End” on *Word of Mouth*, New Hampshire Public Radio (April 15, 2011); “Digital Dead End” on *Tuesday Morning After*, CKUT Montreal; *The Schenectady Daily Gazette*; *Albany Times Union*; and *Metroland* newspapers. Oral Testimony, New York State Assembly Standing Committee on Social Services Hearing, “The Effect of Welfare Reform Policy in New York State,” September 2005; Oral Testimony, “New York State Assembly Roundtable on Women and Technology,” April 15, 2003.

University, Community and Professional Service

Service Activities include: Co-Director, Certificate Program on Women and Public Policy (Spring 2007-Present); Advisory Board member, Center for Women in Government and Civil Society (2005-Present); Advisory Board Member, Community and Public Service Program (Fall 2008-Present); Representative, College of Arts and Sciences Council (Spr 2005-Spr 2007, Fall 2011); Chair, Women’s Studies Development Committee (Spring 2010-Present); Director, Women’s Studies Internship Program (Spring 2010-Present); Governing Board Member, *Holding Our Own: A Fund for Women* (Fall 2006-Present); Coordinator and Co-Founder, *Popular Technology Workshops* (July 2005-Present); Coordinator and Co-Founder, *Our Knowledge, Our Power: Surviving Welfare* (Summer 2005-Present); Reviewer, National Science Foundation, Law and Social Science Program (October 2010-Present); Co-Chair, Science and Technology Task Force, National Women’s Studies Association (Fall 2008 – Fall 2010)