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Employment

- 2011-present Associate Professor, Department of Geography, California State University, Long Beach (CSULB)
2010-present Affiliated Faculty, Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, CSULB
2006-2011 Assistant Professor, Department of Geography, CSULB
2005-2006 Instructor, University of Northern British Columbia, Prince George, Canada
2001-2003 Teaching Assistant, University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, UK

Education

- 2001-2005 Ph.D. Human Geography, The University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, UK
Thesis: *Intimate Distances: Geographies of Gender and Emotion in Shetland*
Supervisors: Dr. Liz Bondi and Dr. Jane Jacobs
Examiners: Dr. Gillian Rose (external) and Dr. Lynn Jamieson (internal)
1998-2000 M.A. Gender Studies, University of Northern British Columbia (UNBC), Prince George, Canada
Thesis: *Across the Street: An Intimate Feminist Geography in Aotearoa/New Zealand*
Supervisors: Dr. Barbara Herringer, Dr. Jo-Anne Fiske, Dr. Gail Fondahl
1999 International Exchange Scholar, Massey University, Palmerston North, New Zealand
1991-1995 B.A. English, Women's Studies (with Distinction)
University of Victoria, Victoria, Canada
1989-1990 University Transfer, Malaspina University-College, Nanaimo, Canada

Select academic awards and honours

- 2009 Nominee, CSULB President's Commission on the Status of Women, 2010 Advancement of Women Awards, California State University, Long Beach, USA
2008 & 2009 Nominee, Early Career Academic Excellence Award, California State University, Long Beach, USA
2006 Postdoctoral Fellowship, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, University of Northern British Columbia (UNBC), *Birth, Death & Bingo: The Emotional Geographies of the Royal Canadian Legion* (SSHRC: 756-2006-0406), \$75,056
2001-2004 Commonwealth Scholar, The University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, UK (CACR-2001-85, \$100,000)

Editorial Experience

- 2014 (Jan) Editor, *Emotion, Space & Society*, Elsevier.
- 2010-present Section Editor, Cultural Geographies in Practice, *cultural geographies*, Sage
- 2005-present Book Review Editor, *Emotion, Space & Society*, Elsevier
- 2009 **Thien, D** & J Davidson, Co-Editors *Gender Interventions in Research, Teaching & Practice* for *Journal of Geography in Higher Education*
- 2009 **Thien, D** & N Hanlon, Co-Editors *Feminist Perspectives on Gender and Care* for *Gender, Place and Culture*
- 2008 **Thien, D**, Editor *A Post-capitalist Politics: Special Book Review Forum*, *Emotion, Space & Society*, (1) 2: 144-158.
- 2004 Sharp, J, K Browne & **D Thien**, Co-Editors *Women and Geography Study Group: Gender and Geography Reconsidered* CD-ROM (ISBN 0-902447-26-2)

Publications

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- Dallman, S, M Ngo, P Laris & **D Thien** (2013). Political Ecology of Emotion and Sacred Space: The Winnemem Wintu struggles with California water policy, *Emotion, Space and Society*, 6 (1): 33-43.
- Thien, D.**, and V. J. Del Casino. (2012). (Un)Healthy Men, Masculinities, and the Geographies of Health. *Annals of the Association of American Geographers* 102 (5):1146-1156.
- Thien, D** (2009) An Exercise encouraging Gender Analysis in Research Practice, *Journal of Geography in Higher Education* (33) 3: 351-367.
- Thien, D** & J Davidson (2009) Introduction: Gender Interventions in Research, Teaching, and Practice, *Journal of Geography in Higher Education* (33) 3: 299-301.
- Thien, D** & N Hanlon (2009) Unfolding dialogues about gender, care and 'the north': an introduction, *Gender, Place & Culture* 16 (2): 155-162.
- Pugh, J, **Thien, D**, Marres, N, et al. (2009) What are the consequences of the 'spatial turn' for how we understand politics today? A proposed research agenda *Progress in Human Geography* (33) 5: 579-586
- Thien, D** & J Pugh (2009) Long Beach Gets Radical: Stretching the Spaces of Radical Politics, *Yearbook of the Association of Pacific Coast Geographers* (71): 252-261.
- Ngo, M & **D Thien** (2009) Interconnecting Spaces: Truck Drivers, Diesel Pollution, and Networking in the Ports of Long Beach and Los Angeles, *Yearbook of the Association of Pacific Coast Geographers* (71): 67-95.
- Ryser, L, G Halseth & **D Thien** (2009) Strategies and Intervening Factors Influencing Student Social Interaction and Experiential Learning in an Interdisciplinary Research Team, *Research in Higher Education* (50) 3: 248-267.
- Pugh, J, **Thien, D**, Marres, N, et al. (2009) The *Spaces of Democracy* and the *Democracy of Space*: a new network exploring the disciplinary effects of the spatial turn *Space and Polity* (13) 2: 159-164
- Dolan, H & **D Thien** (2008) Relations of Care: A Framework for Placing Women and Health in Rural Communities, *Canadian Journal of Public Health* (99) 2: s38-s42.
- Thien, D** (2005) After or beyond feeling?: a consideration of affect and emotion in geography *Area* 37(4): 450-456

Book Chapters

- Thien, D** (in press): “Welcome home our Military Sisters”: Sexual Difference and Female Veterans with PTSD, in *Psychoanalytic Geographies*. S Pile & P Kingsbury, Eds, Ashgate.
- Thien, D** (2012) Well Beings: Placing Emotion in Rural, Gender & Health Research, in *Rural Women’s Health: Gendered Connections*, pp. 423-440. B Leipert & B. Leach Eds, University of Toronto Press.
- Thien, D** (2011) Emotional Life, in M Thomas, R Panelli, P Cloke, V Del Casino (eds.), *A Companion to Social Geography*, pp. 309-325, Malden, MA: Blackwell.
- Thien, D & H Dolan** (2011) Emplacing Care: Understanding Care Work across Social & Spatial Contexts, in Benoit & Hallgrimsdottir (eds), *Valuing Care Work: Comparative Perspectives on Canada, Finland, and Iceland*, pp. 23-42, U of Toronto Press.
- Thien, D** (2009) Encouraging Gender Analysis in Research Practice, in A-S Lada, (ed) *Teaching Gender, Diversity and Urban space: An Intersectional Approach between Gender Studies and Spatial Disciplines*, pp. 93-120. Utrecht; Stockholm: ATHENA, the Advanced Thematic Network of Women’s Studies in Europe.
- Thien, D** (2009) Death and Bingo? The Royal Canadian Legion's unexpected spaces of emotion, *Emotion, Place and Culture*, Editors, M Smith, J Davidson, L Cameron and L Bondi, pp. 207-226. Farnham: Ashgate.
- Thien, D** (2005) Intimate Distances, or How to answer the question of ‘us’ in J. Davidson, L. Bondi & M. Smith (eds.) *Emotional Geographies*, pp. 191-204. Aldershot: Ashgate
- Thien, D** (2005) Recasting the Pattern: Critical Relations in Gender and Rurality in J. Little & C. Morris (eds.) *Critical Studies in Rural Gender Issues*, pp. 75-89. Aldershot: Ashgate
- Thien, D** (2004) Love’s Travels and Traces: The Impossible Politics of Luce Irigaray in J. Sharp, K. Browne & D. Thien (eds.) *Women and Geography Study Group: Gender and Geography Reconsidered*, pp. 43-48. CD-ROM
- Sharp, J, K Browne & **D Thien** (2004) “Introduction: Why Study Feminist Geography? Do We Still Need to Bother?” in J Sharp, K Browne & D Thien (eds.) *Women and Geography Study Group: Gender and Geography Reconsidered*, pp. 1-4. CD-ROM

Encyclopedia Entries

- Thien, D** (in press) Geographies of Gender and Health *The Wiley-Blackwell Encyclopedia of Health, Illness, Behavior, and Society*, Managing Editor, J. Michael Ryan.
- Thien, D** (2009) Feminist Methodologies *International Encyclopedia of Human Geography*, Eds-in-Chief, Rob Kitchin & Nigel Thrift, Vol. 1, pp. 71-78. Oxford: Elsevier.
- Del Casino, V & **D Thien** (2009) Symbolic Interaction *International Encyclopedia of Human Geography*, Eds-in-Chief, Rob Kitchin & Nigel Thrift, Vol 11, pp. 132–137. Oxford: Elsevier.

Book Reviews

- Hernandez, A, J Kentala, M Ngo, C Schantz & **D Thien** (2009) Review of *Feminisms in Geography: Rethinking Space, Place, and Knowledges*, Pamela Moss and Karen Falconer Al-Hindi (eds) *Social & Cultural Geography* (10) 5: 615-624.

Research Grants & Awards (last 5 years)

- 2012-2013 Selected Scholar, *Catalyzing Research on Geographies of Broadening Participation*, Association of American Geographers, National Science Foundation.
- 2011-2013 Co-Investigator, *Translating History/Shaping Practice: Community-informed Teaching Resources on Mental Health*, Meetings, Planning and Dissemination Grant: Knowledge Translation Supplement, Canadian Institutes of Health Research Grant (\$99,080)
- 2007-2012 Co-Investigator, *Open Doors / Closed Ranks: Locating Mental Health after the Asylum*, Canadian Institutes of Health Research Grant, York University, Toronto (\$125,000)
- 2011 Research, Scholarly and Creative Activities Award (Summer Stipend), California State University, Long Beach
- 2010 One-time Block Grant Award (Summer Stipend), California State University, Long Beach
- 2009-2010 Co-Investigator, *The Fine Arts of Medical Care*, 2009 Northern Medical Program Research Seed Grant, University of Northern British Columbia, Prince George (\$11, 250)
- 2008 Scholarly and Creative Activities Committee, Summer Stipend California State University, Long Beach, \$4650

Conference Presentations (last 5 years)

- 2013 *Trauma and Her (Military) Sisters: A select geography of Post-traumatic Stress Disorder*, Association of Pacific Coast Geographers Annual Meeting, Lake Tahoe (Sept)
- 2013 *Trauma, Militarized: a select geography of PTSD*, Emotional Geographies International Conference, Groningen, The Netherlands (July)
- 2012 *The Militarization of Trauma: a feminist analysis of Post-traumatic Stress Disorder*, American Geographers (AAG) Annual Conference, Washington, DC (April)
- 2011 *Undergraduate Majors in Geography: Where are the Women Students?* Panelist, Association of Pacific Coast Geographers Annual Meeting (Sept/Oct)
- 2011 *"Welcome home our Military Sisters": (Post) Traumatic Spaces for Female Veterans with PTSD, and the place of sexual difference*, American Geographers (AAG) Annual Conference, Seattle, WA (April)
- 2010 *The militarization of trauma: a feminist analysis of Post-traumatic Stress Disorder* AAG Annual Conference, Washington, DC (April)
- 2010 *Medicine and Visual Thinking: The Art of Observation and Communication* American Comparative Literature Association, Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA (April)
- 2009 *Pathways for PTSD: Locating mental health for veterans with PTSD* Open Doors/Closed Ranks, Canadian Institutes of Health Research Team Grant Research Meeting, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada (August)
- 2009 *Touch as resonance: examining the substance and shadows of place-based feeling* AAG Annual Conference, Las Vegas, NV (March)

- 2008 *'Soldiering On': Thinking through the Royal Canadian Legion's Spaces of Care* Royal Geographical Society-Institute of British Geographers Annual Conference, London, UK (August)
- 2008 *Ontology, Space & Radical Politics: Symposium* [organizer/chair] CSULB, (August)
- 2008 *On the political and territoriality* [panelist] Association of American Geographers (AAG) Annual Conference, Boston, MA (April)
- 2008 *A Postcapitalist Politics, J. K. Gibson-Graham, Authors meet Critics* [organizer & chair] AAG Annual Conference, Boston, MA (April)
- 2008 *Graduate Perspectives in Feminist Geography: I & II* [invited chair] AAG Annual Conference, Boston, MA (April)
- 2008 *Disclosing emotional well-being* European Social Science History Conference, Lisbon, Portugal (Feb-March)

Invited Lectures (last 5 years)

- 2013 *Emotional Geographies*, Los Angeles Geographical Society (LAGS), LA City College (October)
- 2012 *A Feminist & Geographic Analysis of Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder*, Geography, University of California, Los Angeles (January)
- 2010 *What's emotion got to do with it?* Women's Research Colloquium, CSULB, Long Beach, USA (April)
- 2009 *(Place) Resonance: the shadows & substance of place-based feeling* Geography, University of Washington, Seattle, USA (April)
- 2008 *Dis-affecting Geographies: considering the spaces of emotion* Faculty of Spatial Sciences, University of Groningen, The Netherlands (March)
- 2008 *Dis-affecting Geographies: considering the spaces of emotion* Geography & Regional Development Speaker Series Spring 2008, Geography and Regional Development, University of Arizona, Tucson (February)

Scholarly Community Service (last 5 years)

- 2011-2012 Past-Chair, *Geographic Perspectives on Women*, Association of American Geographers (AAG)
- 2009-12 Member, *Ex-Officio*, Committee on the Status of Women in Geography, AAG
- 2005-11 Member, Geographic Perspectives on Women Specialty Group, AAG
- 2006-11 Peer Review of Scholarly Manuscripts
- 2006-11 Member, Association of American Geographers (AAG)
- 2010-11 Chair, *Geographic Perspectives on Women*, Association of American Geographers (AAG)
- 2009-10 Vice-Chair, *Geographic Perspectives on Women*, AAG
- 2009 Co-Organizer, *Spaces of Democracy, Democracy of Space: Making it Happen: Women and Public Leadership*, CSULB, June 25-27
- 2006-08 AAG & International Liaison *Geographic Perspectives on Women*, AAG
- 2008 Organizer, *Spaces of Democracy and the Democracy of Space: Ontology, Space & Radical Politics: Symposium*, CSULB, August 5
- 2008 Organizer, *Spaces of Democracy and the Democracy of Space: Radical Politics Today: A Community Forum*, Long Beach Public Library, August 4