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Abbreviated Curriculum vitae  
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**Education**

1983 Ph.D., Anthropology, University of California, Los Angeles  
1975 M.A., Anthropology, University of California, Los Angeles  
1973 B.A., Anthropology, Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr, PA, with Departmental Honors

**Professional experience**

2001- Associate Director, ISBER, UC Santa Barbara  
1994- Director, Social Science Research Development, UC Santa Barbara; Co-Director, Center for Global Studies, ISBER; and Assistant Research Anthropologist, ISBER  
1989-1994 Associate Director, Interdisciplinary Humanities Center, UC Santa Barbara  
1984-1987 Postdoctoral Researcher and Project Director, Department of Psychology, UC Santa Barbara  
1982-1986 Assistant Research Anthropologist (1984-86); Staff Research Associate III (1982-84); Socio-Behavioral Group, Department of Psychiatry, School of Medicine, Neuropsychiatric Institute, University of California at Los Angeles

**Academic Interests**

Medical anthropology, transcultural psychiatry, gender and health, health inequality, transnational and global processes, environmental health and justice, political ecology, research development; USA, Pacific Islands (Polynesia, Melanesia), Sub-Saharan Africa

**Selected Awards and Grants**

1998-2004 Center for Chicano Studies, UCSB, faculty research grants on farmworker health, risk perception, gender, and factors that produce social inequality (PI, approx. \$4,000/yr)  
1999-2002 Research across Disciplines, Office of Research, UC Santa Barbara, Faculty Research Grant, "Community Conflict and Public Participation GIS on the Agricultural Urban Interface," co-PI, with Susan Stonich,(\$20,000)  
1999-2001 UC MEXUS, Faculty Research Grant, "The Production of Health Inequality: California Public Health, Mexican Immigrants, and Infectious Disease," PI (\$15,000)  
1998-2000 NCGIA, UC Santa Barbara, Research seed grants (3), "GIS and Health and Toxicity on the Ag-Urban Interface," PI (with S. Stonich), (\$15,000)  
1995-97 UC MEXUS Research Grant, "Farmworker Health and Environmental Justice in Central California," PI (with S. Stonich), (\$10,000 )  
1984-87 National Institute of Mental Health, Postdoctoral Researcher, Department of Psychology, UC Santa Barbara  
1979-81 National Institute of Mental Health, National Research Service Award, Individual Predoctoral Fellowship and Cross-Cultural Research Grant, co-P.I. (with R. Edgerton), Socio-Behavioral Research Group, Neuropsychiatric Institute, School of Medicine, UCLA  
1974-76 National Institute of Child Health and Development, Research Traineeship, School of

1969-1973      Medicine, UCLA  
National Merit Sponsor Scholar, Bryn Mawr College

### **Selected recent publications**

Herr Harthorn, B. Under review "The Ethnography of Health Inequality: Global Risk Society and Local Suffering," chapter for book co-edited by William Robinson and Richard P. Applebaum to be published by Routledge on *Critical Globalization Studies*.

Herr Harthorn, B. and L. Oaks, eds. 2003. *Risk, Culture, and Health Inequality: Shifting Perceptions of Danger and Blame*. Westport, CT: Praeger.

Herr Harthorn, B. 2003. "Safe exposure? Perceptions of risks from agricultural chemicals among California farmworkers," in *Risk, Culture, and Health Inequality: Shifting Perceptions of Danger and Blame*, B. Herr Harthorn and L. Oaks, eds., pp. 143-163 Westport, CT: Praeger.

Oaks, L, and B. Herr Harthorn. 2003. "Health and the Social and Cultural Construction of Risk," introductory chapter in *Risk, Culture, and Health Inequality: Shifting Perceptions of Danger and Blame*, B. Herr Harthorn and L. Oaks, eds., pp.3-11. Westport, CT: Praeger.

Guendelman, S., C. Malin, B. Herr-Harthorn, & P. Vargas. 2001. "Orientations to motherhood among pregnant Mexican and Mexican-origin women: A bi-national study," *Social Science and Medicine* 52:1805-1813.

M. Goodchild, L. Anselin, R. Appelbaum, & B. Herr Harthorn. 2000. "Toward a spatially integrated social science," *International Regional Science Review* 23(2):139-159.

Herr Harthorn, B. 1998. "California Farmworkers: Dilemmas in Developing Interventions for Health and Medical Care Concerns," *Human Organization* 57 (3):369-378.

### **Related activities**

Executive Committee Member, Center for Spatially Integrated Social Sciences, 1999-      ;

- organizer, Health Risk Perception and Spatial Analysis specialist meeting, Oct. 2003
- participant, Introduction to Spatial Pattern Analysis in a GIS Environment workshop (July 2003);
- organizer, workshop and conference session at the American Anthropological Association annual meeting, 2002;
- participant, Spatial Equity specialist meeting (2000)

### **Co-authors, co-editors, and collaborators in past 5 years**

Luc Anselin, Agricultural and Consumer Economics, Univ. of Illinois-Urbana/Champaign

Richard Appelbaum, Sociology and ISBER, Univ. of California, Santa Barbara

Michael Goodchild, Geography and NCGIA, Univ. of California, Santa Barbara

Sylvia Guendelman, Public Health, University of California at Berkeley

Emilio Moran, Anthropology, Univ. of Indiana

Laury Oaks, Women's Studies, University of California at Santa Barbara

Juan-Vicente Palerm, Director, UC MEXUS program, UC Riverside

Susan Stonich, Anthropology and Environmental Studies, University of California at Santa Barbara