

- ACC Academic Leaders Network. Nominated by Provost and Dean of Faculties David Quigley, MCAS Dean Kalscheur, S.J., and Vice-Provost for Faculties Soo, Boston College, 2018-2019
- Ignatian Colleagues Program, Association of Jesuit Colleges and Universities. Invited by President William P. Leahy, S.J., Boston College, 2015-2017

Administrative Responsibilities

Senior Associate Dean for Faculty Affairs and Academic Planning, Boston College

Responsible for assisting the Dean with all areas of the faculty lifecycle in the Humanities and Social Science departments of the Morrissey College of Arts & Sciences (MCAS). The Senior Associate Dean serves as the point-of-contact for department chairs on faculty personnel issues, works with the Dean and Associate Dean for Finance and Administration to review departmental faculty search requests, submit MCAS requests to the Provost's Office, and review department advertising of approved positions. The Senior Associate Dean is responsible for conducting new faculty interviews with finalists and works with department chairs to draft offer letters. The Senior Associate Dean assists the Dean in the faculty evaluation and merit review process, serves ex officio on the Non-Tenure-Track Promotion Committee, chairs the MCAS Education Policy Committee, and works with the Vice Provost for Faculty in planning for departmental academic reviews and preparing for and responding to the visiting committees' reports. The Senior Associate Dean also works with the Dean to develop mission formation programming, new MCAS faculty orientation events, and a broader range of ways to connect faculty with the University's mission.

Acting Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Morrissey Graduate School of Arts and Sciences

Responsible for reviewing grade changes, leaves of absence, conference travel, and addressing concerns related to academic progress with graduate students and relevant faculty, financial aid, grade and degree changes, and other matters related to graduate student affairs.

Associate Dean for the University Core Curriculum, Boston College

Responsible for overseeing the University Core Curriculum, reporting to the Dean of the Morrissey College of Arts & Sciences and the Provost of Boston College. The University Core Curriculum comprises fifteen requirements fulfilled by all 9,445 undergraduate students at Boston College. Requirements span the social and natural sciences and the humanities. The Associate Dean for the Core c

- Worked with faculty university-wide to develop and implement [a new Cultural Diversity initiative](#) in the Core, leading to over 120 new courses that encourage student engagement with difference and justice
- Developed direct assessment of student work from EQ and CP courses, and oversaw indirect assessments for entire Core Curriculum
- Expanded "Core Renewal" to all areas of the Core Curriculum by involving faculty in Arts & Sciences, the professional schools, and the School of Theology and Ministry
- Enhanced collaborations and outreach with various university constituencies
- Worked with the Dean of [Messina College](#)

Articles

In Progress

Gareau, Brian J., with Sandra DiDonato †, Tara Pisani Gareau, Lijing Gao, and Kaley McCarty†. " 'I Gotta Tell You, It's Not About the Money, It's About the Lifestyle': Identity, Community, and Hybrid Landscapes in the Massachusetts Cranberry Natureculture"

Gareau, Brian J., with Sandra DiDonato† and Kaley McCarty. † " 'My Thin Trailing Vines Have Vanished': A Socio-Historical Analysis of Massachusetts Cranberry Landscapes and Contested Futures"

Gareau, Brian J., with Russell C. Powell, Giovanna Eichner†, and Moira Garry†. " 'Making Radical Decisions to Reverse the Trend of Global Warming': Engagement with Pope Francis' Laudato Si' in Environmental Sociology"

Gareau, Brian J. and Mary Thomas Crane. " Formative Teaching: How Collaborative Interdisciplinary Teaching Yields Community, Meaning, and Impact." Book chapter for a volume on formative education in higher education. David Quigley, Jack Butler, S.J., Stanton Wortham, and Margaret Laurence (Eds)

Special Issues

Gareau, Brian J. and Tara Pisani Gareau (Guest Editors). Special Issue on " Agricultural Production and Global Climate Change." *Sustainability*, 2018-2021

Gareau, Brian J., with Penelope Canan, Stephen O. Andersen, and Nancy Reichman (Guest Editors) Special Issue on " Ozone Layer Protection and Climate Change." *Journal of Environmental Studies and Sciences* 5(2): 111-121, 2015

Gareau, Brian J., and Alan Rudy (Guest Editors.) " A Symposium on Actor-Network Theory, Marxist Economics, and Marxist Political Ecology." *Capitalism, Nature, Socialism*. 16(4): 85-90, 2005

Peer-Reviewed

1. Pisani Gareau, Tara L., Lijing Gao, and Brian J. Gareau. " The enduring nature of cranberry production in a changing climate: The interplay of extreme weather, knowledge networks, and adaptation." [PLOS Climate](#), 3(5): e0000350, 2024
2. CoatarPeter, Patrick† and Brian J. Gareau. " Combining World-System and World Polity Approaches

5. Gareau, Brian J., Xiaorui Huang†, Tara Pisani Gareau, and Sandra DiDonato†. "The Strength of Green Ties: Massachusetts Cranberry Grower Social Networks and Effects on Climate Change Attitudes and Action." [*Climatic Change* 162\(3\): 1613-1636, 2020](#)
 6. Gareau, Brian J., Xiaorui Huang†, and Tara Pisani Gareau. "Social and Ecological Conditions of Cranberry Production and Climate Change Attitudes in New England." [*PLoS One* 13\(12\): e0207237, 2018](#)
 7. Gareau, Brian J., and Cristina A. Lucier†. "Neoliberal Restructuring of the World Polity: The Weakening of the Montreal Protocol and Basel Convention in Historical Perspective." [*Environmental Sociology* 4\(3\): 325-342, 2018](#)
 8. Olson, Katherine A.†, and Brian J. Gareau. "Hydro/Power? Politics, Discourse and Neoliberalization in Laos's Hydroelectric Development." [*Sociology of Development* 14\(1\): 94-118, 2018](#)
 9. Al-Awad, Tareq K., Motasem N. Saidan, and Brian J. Gareau. "Halon Management and Ozone-Depleting Substances Control in Jordan." [*International Environmental Agreements: Politics, Law, and Economics* 18: 391-408, 2018](#)
 10. Gareau, Brian J. "Sociology in Global Environmental Governance? Neoliberalism, Protectionism and the Methyl Bromide Controversy in the Montreal Protocol." [*Environments* 4\(4\): 73-86, 2017](#)
 11. White, Damian F., Brian J. Gareau, and Alan P. Rudy. "Ecosocialisms, Past, Present and Future: From the Metabolic Rift to a Reconstructive, Dynamic and Hybrid Ecosocialism." [*Capitalism, Nature, Socialism* 28\(2\): 22-40, 2017](#)
 12. Cristina A. Lucier† and Brian J. Gareau. "Obstacles to Precaution and Equity in Global Hazardous Waste Regulation: An Analysis of Contested Knowledge in the Basel Convention." [*International Environmental Agreements: Politics, Law, and Economics* 16\(4\), 493-508, 2016](#)
 13. Cristina A. Lucier† and Brian J. Gareau. "From Waste to Resources? Interrogating 'Race to the Bottom' in the Global Environmental Governance of the Hazardous Waste Trade." [*Journal of World-Systems Research* 21\(2\): 495-520, 2015](#)
- 1st Place Winner of the Section on Environmental Sociology's Marvin E. Olsen Award, American Sociological Association
14. Gareau, Brian J. "Lessons from the Montreal Protocol Delay in Phasing Out Methyl Bromide." [*Journal of Environmental Studies and Sciences*. 5\(2\): 163-168, 2015](#)
 15. Gareau, Brian J., with Penelope Canan, Stephen O. Andersen, and Nancy Reichman. nti

1st Place Winner, SSSP Global Division/Critical Sociology Graduate Student Paper Competition Global Division of the Society for the Study of Social Problems (SSSP) in cooperation with the Journal of Critical Sociology, "The Limited Influence of Global Civil Society in the Montreal Protocol," 2008

UC- Santa Cruz Campus-wide Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award (commendation), 2005; 2007

UC- Santa Cruz Academic Senate Excellence in Teaching Award (unable to accept award due to non-tenure track status), 2006

Fourth Worldwide Writing Competition for Junior Sociologists, International Sociological Association (ISA) (commendation), "Global Concerns, Local Interests: Natural Resource Conservation and Human Survival in Honduras," 2005

Outstanding Teaching Award, Department of Sociology, UC- Santa Cruz, 2004; 2005; 2007

Alexander A. Smick Scholarship in Rural Community Service and Development, Department of Rural Sociology, Washington State University, 2000

Selected Presentations

With Lijing Gao, [Sandra DiDonato](#)[†], and Tara Pisani Gareau, "Entangled with cranberry vines: Cranberry naturecultures in contemporary Massachusetts." ASFS/AFHVS Annual Conference, Syracuse, NY, 5-8 June, 2024

With Lijing Gao and Tara Pisani Gareau, "Interplay of Climate Change, Extension Communication, and Massachusetts Cranberry Grower Experiences," 85th Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, University of Vermont, Burlington, VT, 2-6 August, 2023

With Lijing Gao and Tara Pisani Gareau, "Climate Change Attitudes of Massachusetts Cranberry Growers: The Interplay of Experience, Information and Adaptation Strategies," Session on Vulnerability, Resilience and Adaptation: Surviving Climate Change. ASFS/AFHVS Annual Conference, Boston, MA, Boston University, 1 June, 2023

With Tara Pisani Gareau and Lijing Gao, "Interplay of Climate Change, Extension Communication, and Cranberry Grower Experiences

Chancellor's Dissertation Fellowship, University of California, Santa Cruz, 2007- 2008

UC Institute on Global Conflict & Cooperation (IGCC) Faculty Research Grant. Title: "The Local, Regional, and International Impacts of Global Strawberry Production." John Borrego (PI, UC- Santa Cruz); Michael Watts (collaborator, UC- Berkeley); Brian J. Gareau and Marcos Lopez (Graduate Student Researchers, UC- Santa Cruz), 2006

Doctoral Student Sabbatical Fellowship, University of California, Santa Cruz, 2005

STEPS Institute Grant for Graduate Environmental Research, The STEPS Institute for Innovation in Environmental Research, UC- Santa Cruz, 2004; 2005

Center for Agroecology and Sustainable Food Systems (CASFS) Graduate Research Grant, University of California, Santa Cruz, 2003; 2004

UC Regents Fellowship, Division of Social Sciences, UC- Santa Cruz, 2002

Boeing Environmental Endowed Graduate Fellowship, Program in Environmental Science & Regional Planning, Washington State University, 2000; 2001

Peace Corps Partnership Program, Peace Corps Washington, D.C., 1998-1999

Selected University Presentations and Notable Administrative Service

Faculty Advisor, BC Companions Program, Invited by David Quigley, Provost and Dean of Faculties, Frank Herrmann, S.J., and Margaret Laurence, Director of BC Companions & Initiatives for Formative Education, Boston College, 2024-

Messina College Education Policy Committee Inaugural Member, Invited by Erick B92 5trtners 0bW*nza, S.J., Dean of Messina College, Boston College, 2024-

Organized the "Dean's Colloquium on Teaching, Research, and Learning in the Age of AI," on behalf of MCAS Dean Kalscheur, S.J. Participants: Michael

Core;

Among speakers were Cardinal Peter Turkson, Senator Edward Markey and Dr. John Holdren (see www.bc.edu/commonhome). Given its success, the Working Group now seeks to sponsor a variety of events and programs to raise university consciousness about the issues of Our Common Home, 2015-present

Selected University Service

Search Committee Member for the Inaugural Hale Family Director of Women's and Gender Studies Program

Journal Article Reviews

American Journal of Sociology (2013[1]; 2024[1]); *Asian Journal of Advances in Agricultural Research* (2020[1]); *Asian Journal of Agricultural Extension, Economics & Sociology* (2022[1]); *Global Environmental Change* (2017[3]); *Asian Journal of Geographical Research* (2023[1]); *International Studies Quarterly*, flagship journal of the International Studies Association (2018[2]; 2021[1]); *Journal of World-Systems Research*, the official journal of the Political Economy of the World-System Section of the American Sociological Association (2010[2], 2013[1], 2014[1], 2019[1], 2020 [1]); *Critical Sociology* (2014[2], 2016 [2], 2017[3]); *Journal of Political Ecology* (2013[1], 2014[1], 2022[1]); *Agriculture and Human Values* (Reviewer for special issue, "Charting Fault Lines in US Agrifood Systems" (2008[1], 2022[3]); *Nature & Culture* (2011[1]); *Journal of Environmental Management*