

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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## **Education**

### ***Undergraduate***

- 1994: Bachelor of Arts (Licenciatura). Department of Social and Political Sciences, Universidad Nacional de Cuyo, Mendoza, Argentina. Major: Communication.

### ***Graduate***

- 2003: Ph.D., Department of Anthropology, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada. Area: Social and Cultural Anthropology.

### ***Postgraduate:***

2003-2005 : Postdoctoral Fellow, Centre Interuniversitaire d'Études et de Recherches Autochtones (CIÉRA), Université Laval. Project title: "Igloolik Multimedia Project: The development of educational material for use in Nunavut."

## **Employment**

### **a) Academic employment**

2005-2013: Associate Professor, Department of Sociology & Anthropology, Carleton University.

2004-2005: Adjunct Professor, Department of Anthropology, Université Laval.

2000-2002: Seasonal Lecturer, Department of Anthropology, University of Alberta.

**b) Other employment**

2002-present: Consultant in social and cultural anthropology, cartography, and Geographic Information Systems (GIS).

1993-1996: Free-lance journalist and photographer for television, newspapers and magazines (Mendoza, Argentina)

**Current Research Interests**

- . Arctic social and environmental issues
- . Coastal communities
- . Indigenous environmental knowledge
- . Geomatics
- . Marine Spatial Planning
- . Anthropology of technology
- . Anthropology of place and space

**Professional Honours**

2012-: Claire Hall Life Member, University of Cambridge, UK.

2011-2012: Canada-U.S. Fulbright Visiting Research Chair in Canadian Studies (University of Washington, Seattle)

2011: CRASSH Visiting Fellowship, Centre for Research in the Arts, Social Sciences and Humanities, University of Cambridge, UK.

2011: Claire Hall Visiting Scholar Fellowship, University of Cambridge, UK.

2011: Research Achievement Award 2011-12, Carleton University

2003: SSHRC Postdoctoral Fellowship

2002: Dissertation Fellowship, University of Alberta.

2002: Andrew Stewart Memorial Graduate Prize, Government of Alberta.

2000: Izaak Walton Killam Memorial Scholarship.

1998: Chia Scholarship, University of Alberta.

## Research Grants (as principal investigator)

### a) Government or extra-university

<u>Year</u>	<u>Source</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Type</u>	Amount (in Canadian dollars)
2019-2022	Department of Fisheries and Oceans	Research	Federal	\$680,00
2017-2021	Ocean Frontier Institute (*)	Research		\$620,690
2017	World Wide Fund	Research	NGO	\$68,000
2016-2017	World Wide Fund	Research	NGO	\$75,000
2016-2021	Canadian Foundation for Innovation	Infrastructure	Granting Agency	\$163,264
2015-2017	Kitikmeot Inuit Association			\$180,000
2015-2018	Levrhulme Trust Award			\$30,000
2010-2014	SSHRC Standard	Research	Granting council	\$186,816
2008-2009	Government of Nunavut	Research	Government	\$15,000
2008	Government of Nunavut	Research	Government	\$20,000
2007-2010	IPY Canada / NSERC	Research	Granting council	\$1,1 million
2007	Government of Nunavut	Research	Government	\$15,000
2006	Government of Nunavut	Research	Government	\$10,000
2005	National Geographic Society	Research	Foundation	\$18,000
2004	Government of Nunavut	Research	Government	\$15,000
2004-2005	SSHRC	Research	Granting council	\$20,000
2001	Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research	Research	Foundation	\$8,500

(\*) Co-PI

### b) Internal, Carleton University

2011	Research Achievement Award	Research	Carleton University	\$15,000
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## Publications

### Books edited

2010: Krupnik, I., Aporta, C., Gearheard, S., Laidler, G. J. and Kielsen-Holm, L. *Siku: Knowing Our Ice, Documenting Inuit Sea Ice Knowledge and Use*, Netherlands, Springer (501 pages)

### Journals edited

2011: Aporta, C., Taylor, F., Laidler, G. *Inuit Geographies of Sea Ice*. Special issue of *The Canadian Geographer*, 55(1).

### Chapters in edited books

2016: "Markers in space and time: Reflections on the nature of place names as events in the Inuit approach to the territory," in Whallon, Robert, and Lovis, William (eds) *Marking the Land: Hunter-Gatherer Creation of Meaning within their Surroundings* (Routledge), pp. 67-88.

2016: "The Power of Maps: ILUOP (1976) as a Landmark in Inuit Land Use Studies," in Krupnik, I. (editor) *Early Inuit Studies: Themes and Transitions, 1850s-1980s* (Smithsonian Institution Scholarly Press), pp. 354-373.

. Aporta, C., Kritsch, I., Andre, A., Benson, K., Snowshoe, S., Firth, W., Carry, D., (2014): "The Gwich'in Atlas: Place Names, Maps, and Narratives," in: Taylor, D.R.F., Lauriault, T.P. (Eds.), *Developments in the Theory and Practice of Cybercartography*. Elsevier Science, 229-244.

2013: "From Inuit wayfinding to the Google World: Living within an ecology of technologies," in Miggelbrink, J., Habeck, J., Mazzullo, N., and Koch, P. (eds) *Nomadic and Indigenous Spaces: Productions and Cognitions*. Ashgate, Farnham.

2010: "The sea, the land, the coast and the winds: Understanding Inuit sea ice use in Context", in Krupnik, I., Aporta, C., Gearheard, S., Laidler, G. J., and Kielsen-Holm, L. *Siku: Knowing Our Ice, Documenting Inuit Sea Ice Knowledge and Use*, Netherlands, Springer (pp. 165-182).

2010: "Life on the ice". In: Main Johnson, Leslie, and Hunn, E. (ed.) *Landscape Ethnoecology: Concepts of Biotic and Physical Space*, Berghahn Books, New York, pp. 175-199.

2010: Krupnik, I., Aporta, C. and Laidler, G. J. (2010) "SIKU: International Polar Year, #166 (An Overview)", in Krupnik, I., Aporta, C., Gearheard, S., Laidler, G. and Kielsen-Holm, L. *Siku: Knowing Our Ice, Documenting Inuit Sea Ice Knowledge and Use, Netherlands, Springer (pp1-29).*

2010: Laidler, G. J., Elee, P., Ikummaq, T. Joamie, E. and Aporta, C. (2010) "Mapping Inuit Sea Ice Knowledge, Use, and Change in Nunavut, Canada (Cape Dorset, Igloolik, Pangnirtung)", in Krupnik, I., Aporta, C., Gearheard, S., Laidler, G., and Kielsen-Holm, L. *Siku: Knowing Our Ice, Documenting Inuit Sea Ice Knowledge and Use, Netherlands, Springer (pp. 47-82)*

*In press*, chapter accepted. *Inuit Oral Geography: Mapping the Land with Words*, in Daniel G. Cole and Imre Sutton (Editors) "Victims of a Map?: Cartography in Native American Affairs" (University Press of Colorado, date of publication not defined yet)

### Articles in refereed journals

2018: With Stephanie Kane and Aldo Chircop, "Shipping corridors through the Inuit homeland," *Limn Journal*, 2018: 50-65.

2011: "Shifting perspectives on shifting ice: Documenting and representing Inuit use of the sea ice," *The Canadian Geographer*, 55(1): 6-19

2011: with John MacDonald. "An elder on sea ice: an interview with Aipilik Inuksuk of Igloolik, Nunavut". *Canadian Geographer / Le Géographe Canadien*. 55 (1): 32-35.

2011: with D.R. Fraser Taylor and Gita Laidler, "Geographies of Inuit sea ice use: introduction," *The Canadian Geographer*, 55(1): 1-5

2011: Gearheard, S., Aporta, C., Aipellee, G., and O'Keefe, K. 'The Igliniit Project: Inuit hunters document life on the trail to map and monitor Arctic change' *The Canadian Geographer*, 55(1): 42-55

2009. "The Trail as Home: Inuit and Their Pan-Arctic Network of Routes," *Human Ecology* April 2009: Volume 37: 131–146; DOI 10.1007/s10745-009-9213-x.

2005: "From map to horizons; from trail to journey: The challenges of documenting Inuit geographic knowledge," *Études Inuit Studies*, Volume 29 nos 1-2 (2005): 221-231

2005: With Eric Higgs, "Satellite Culture: Global Positioning Systems, Inuit Wayfinding, and the Need for a New Account of Technology," *Current Anthropology*, Volume 46, Number 5, December 2005: 729-754

2004: "Routes, trails and tracks: trail-breaking among the Inuit of Igloolik," *Études Inuit Studies* (vol. 28(2), December 2004): 9-38