

Curriculum Vitae

Ron Eyerman

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Docent (Second Thesis) in Sociology, University of Lund, 1985

Fil. dr. Sociology, University of Lund, 1981.

M.S. Industrial and Labor Relations, University of Oregon, 1973

B.A. Social Science: The New School for Social Research, 1969

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Co-Director, Center for Cultural Sociology, Yale University 2003 -

Professor of Sociology, Yale University 2003-

Professor of Sociology, University of Copenhagen 2001-2003

Professor and Chair, Dept of Sociology, Uppsala University 1997-2001

Professor, Center for Cultural Research, University College, Växjö, 1995-1997

Forskarassistent in Sociology, University of Lund 1982-86

Senior lecturer in Sociology 1986

Research Assistant, University of Lund, 1981-82

Instructor in Sociology, University of Oregon, Spring, 1975, Fall, 1975, Spring, 1976

Research and Teaching Assistant in Sociology, University of Oregon, 1974-76

Instructor in Sociology, Lane Community College, 1972-73

Research and Teaching Assistant in Labor Relations, University of Oregon, 1971-73

VISITING APPOINTMENTS

Visiting Professor Amsterdam School of Social Research 2006

Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford, 1998-9

Fellow, Corpus Christi College, Cambridge, England, 1990

Visiting Professor in Sociology, University of California, Los Angeles, 1985

Visiting Professor in Sociology, University of Lancaster, 1984

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Forthcoming *Broken Covenant, Katrina as Cultural Trauma* University of Texas Press,
Katrina Shelf series

2011 *The Cultural Sociology of Political Assassination* Palgrave MacMillan

2011 *Narrating Trauma: On the Impact of Collective Suffering* (edited with Jeffrey C.
Alexander and Elizabeth Butler Breese) Boulder: Paradigm Publishers.

2008 *The Assassination of Theo van Gogh Social Drama and Cultural Trauma* Duke
University Press

2006 *Myth, Meaning and Performance* (edited with Lisa McCormick) Boulder: Paradigm
Publishers

2005 Swedish translation of *Music and Social Movements, The Mobilization of Tradition*

2004 *Cultural Trauma and Collective Identity* (multi- authored) University of California
Press

2002 *Cultural Trauma: Slavery and the Making of African American Identity* Cambridge
University Press

1998 *Music and Social Movements, The Mobilization of Tradition*. Cambridge University Press

1995 *Between Culture and Politics*. Polity Press (Indonesian Translation also published)

1994 *Seeds of the Sixties* University of California Press

1992 *Studying Collective Action* (co-editor) Sage

1991 *Social Movements A Cognitive Approach* Polity Press (Won Honorable Mention for the Amalfi Prize)

1990 *The Making of the New Environmental Consciousness* Edinburgh University Press.

1987 *Intellectuals, Universities and the State* (co-editor) University of California Press

1984 *Habermas: Den Rationella Övertygelsen (Habermas: The Commitment to Rationality* (co-editor.) Akademilitteratur

1981 *False Consciousness and Ideology in Marxist Theory*, Almqvist and Wiksell and Humanities Press

1977 *Arbejdet eller livet (Your Work or Your Life)*, Ejlers' Forlag Copenhagen

Articles

Forthcoming Cultural Trauma *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*.

Forthcoming, June 2012 Harvey Milk and the Trauma of Assassination *Cultural Sociology*.

2012 Cultural Trauma: Emotion and Narration in Jeffrey Alexander, et al, eds. *The Oxford Handbook of Cultural Sociology*.

2011 Intellectuals and Cultural Trauma *European Journal of Social Theory* 14:453.

- 2006 Towards a Meaningful Sociology of the Arts in Eyerman and McCormick eds.
Myth, Meaning and Performance.
- 2006 Performing Opposition in Jeffrey Alexander et al, eds. *Social Performance*
Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. (Swedish version also published).
- 2005 How Movements Move: Emotions and Social Movements in *Emotions and Social*
Movements Helena flam and Debra Kings, eds. London: Rutledge.
- 2004 The Past in the Present: Culture and the Transmission of Memory *Acta Sociologica*
- 2003 Intellectuals and the Construction of an African American Identity: Outline to a
Generational Approach in B. Turner (ed.) *Intellectuals and Generations* Rowan
and Littlefield
- 2002 Music in Movement: Cultural Politics in Old and New Social Movements
Qualitative Sociology
- 1998 Towards a New Sociology of Art Worlds (with Magnus Ring) *Acta Sociologica*
- 1998 Outline for a Theory of Generations (with Bryan Turner) *European Journal of*
Social Theory
- 1996 Sociala rörelsers kulturella praxis *Sociologisk Forskning*
- 1996 Intellectuals in Historical and Cultural Context in L. O'Dowd (ed) *On Intellectuals*
and Intellectual Life in Ireland The Royal Irish Academy
- 1996 From the 30s to the 60s. The Folk Music Revival in the United States (with Scott
Barretta) *Theory and Society*
- 1995 Social Movements and Popular Culture (with Andrew Jamison) *Media, Culture and*
Society

- 1995 Romancing the Road: Road Movies and Images of Mobility (with Orvar Löfgren)
Theory, Culture and Society.
- 1992 Which Side Are You On? Reflections on Methodological Issues in the Study of
Distasteful Social Movements (with Johanna Esseveld) in Diani and Eyerman
(eds.) *Studying Collective Action*.
- 1992 On the Transatlantic Migration of Knowledge. Aspects of Intellectual Exchange
between the United States and Sweden 1930-1970. (with Andrew Jamison)
CERUM Working Paper.
- 1992 Intellectuals and the State (revised version) *Acta Sociologica*
- 1991 De intellektuella och staten: en *analytisk modell*. Vest 1
- 1990 Where do intellectuals come from? On the formation of intellectuals in the
environmental movement. (with Andrew Jamison and J. Cramer), in A. Elzinga et
al (eds.) *In Science we trust?* Lund: Lund University Press.
- 1990 Social Movements and Modernity in N. Smelser (ed.) *Modernity and Social
Change*, U of California Press.
- 1990 Intellectuals and Progress in J. Alexander and P. Sztopka (eds.) *After Progress*,
London:Unwin-Hyman
- 1989 Social Movements: Contemporary Debates (with A. Jamison), Department of
Sociology Research Reports, University of Lund.
- 1989 Environmental knowledge as an organizational weapon: the case of Greenpeace
(with Andrew Jamison), *Social Science Information*, 28, 1.
- 1988 Social Movements: Between History and Biography, *Sociologisk Forskning* 2/88
and Theory and Society, Vol. 18, 1989.

- 1988 Intellectualen en milieubeweging (Intellectuals in the Environmental Movement)
Kennis en methode, 4/88.
- 1987 Social Movement Research and Political Culture in Sweden in D. Rucht, ed. *The New Social Movements*
- 1987 Miljökunskap som organisatorisk vapen:Fallet Greenpeace, *Sociologisk Forskning* 2/87.
- 1987 'Introduction' (with L. Svensson and T. Söderqvist) *Intellectuals, Universities and the State*.
- 1987 Det moderna:sociala rörelser in U. Bergryd (red) *Den Sociologiska Fantasin*
- 1986 The Knowledge Interests of the Environmental Movement (with J. Cramer and A. Jamison) *The Sociology of the Sciences Yearbook*.
- 1985 Work: a Contested Concept in B.O. Gustavsson et al. *Work in the 80's*, Gower Press.
- 1985 Rationalizing Intellectuals *Theory and Society*
- 1984 Social Theory and Social Movements *Sociology*
- 1983 Stat och civilt samhälle hos Antonio Gramsci *Tekla*
- 1983 Intellectuals and Popular Movements *Praxis International*
- 1982 Recent Studies in Class Consciousness *Theory and Society*
- 1982 Consciousness and Action *Thesis Eleven*
- 1982 Arbejde *Journal of the Free Colleges*
- 1981 Habermas on Work and Culture (with D. Shipway) *Theory and Society*.
- 1981 False Consciousness and Ideology *Acta Sociologica*

1979 Interest as a Problematic Concept in Social Science (with M. Bertilsson) *Acta Sociologica*

Book Reviews

1998 New Developments in the Sociology of Art *Acta Sociologica*

1997 Pierre Bourdieu The Rules of Art *Acta Sociologica*

1997 Essays in Honour of Zygmunt Bauman *Acta Sociologica*

1997 Barney Hoskins Waiting for the Sun *Sydsvenska*

1996 Craig Calhoun (ed) The Politics of Identity *Acta Sociologica*

1996 Bell Hooks Killing Rage *Dagens Nyheter*

1995 Review Essay on Norbert Elias (Several of his books) *Acta Sociologica*

1995 Peter Guralnick Elvis Presley *Sydsvenska*

1995 David L. Lewis W.E.B. Dubois *Dagens Nyheter*

1995 Anthony Giddens Beyond Left and Right *Acta Sociologica*

1994 Radical Environmentalism *Contemporary Sociology*

1994 Anthony Giddens Beyond Left and Right *Sydsvenska Dagbladet*

1993 Alan Lomax The Land Where the Blues Began *Dagens Nyheter*

1992 Studs Terkel on Race *Dagens Nyheter*

1992 Gunnar Myrdal and The American Dilemma *Dagens Nyheter*

1992 Andrew Hacker Two Nations *Dagens Nyheter*

1991 The Promised Land *Sydsvenska dagbladet*

1991 The Harlem Renaissance *Dagens Nyheter*

1991 Ideology and the New Social Movements *Sociology*.

- 1990 Nomads of the Present: Social Movements and Individual Needs in Contemporary Society. *Contemporary Sociology*.
- 1990 Marxism Today? *Dagens Nyheter*
- 1989 The Last Intellectuals *The American Journal of Higher Education*
- 1989 Reshaping the U.S. Left. *Contemporary Sociology*.
- 1988 The Sixties. Democracy is in the Streets. *Dagens Nyheter*.
- 1988 The Last Intellectuals *Sydsvenska Dagbladet*
- 1988 Technology and Culture, *Bokbox*
- 1988 Martin Luther King, Jr. and the American Civil Rights Movement, *Bokbox*.
- 1988 Canarsie, *Acta Sociologica*.
- 1987 The Ecologists, *European Association for the Study of Science and Technology Newsletter*.
- 1987 Methodological Individualism *Dagens Nyheter*
- 1987 Klasskamrater *Dagens Nyheter*
- 1987 Herbert Marcuse and the Crisis of Marxism *Sydsvenska Dagbladet*
- 1987 Cities on a Hill *Sydsvenska Dagbladet*
- 1987 Canarsie *Dagens Nyheter*
- 1987 Alvin Gouldner: The Last Works, *Acta Sociologica*
- 1986 The Intellectual Development of Karl Mannheim *Contemporary Sociology*.
- 1985 The Green Movement in Germany *Acta Sociologica*
- 1985 Ett surt regn kommer att falla *Tidskrift för Rättssociologi*
- 1985 A Theory of History *Dagens Nyheter*
- 1984 The Working Class in Weimar Germany *Dagens Nyheter*

1984 The Production of Desire *Acta Sociologica*
1984 Borgerlig offentlighet *Zenit*
1983 Theoretical Logic in Sociology *Acta Sociologica*
1983 The Life of the Mind *Bokbox*
1983 L'élite rose *Dagens Nyheter*
1983 For Love of the World *Dagens Nyheter*
1983 Class, Structure and Knowledge *Acta Sociologica*
1982 Dialektik och Språk *Sociologisk forskning*
1979 Class, Crisis and the State *Theory and Society*
1978 Marxism and Literature *Theory and Society*

Conference Papers and Public Lectures

2001 Oppositional Music Cultures, Javäsklyä, Finland
2000 Oppositional Music Sub-Cultures Youth and Social Science Conference, Marburg,
Germany
2000 Anthony Giddens and the Third Way International Youth Congress, Malmo,
Sweden
1997 Public Workshop on Music and Social Movements, University of California, Santa
Barbara
1996 Public Workshop and Lecture Aesthetics and Politics, Rovaniemi, Finland
1996 Public Lecture and Workshop on Social Movements, Rovaniemi, Finland
1995 Social Movements and Intellectuals, University of Milan and Pavia University, Italy
1994 Social Movements and Popular Culture. International Sociological Association's
World Congress, Bielefeld, Germany.

- 1991 Social Movements. University of Gothenburg.
- 1991 Social Movements. A Cognitive Approach. European University Center, Florence, Italy.
- 1991 Contextual Tensions: American Intellectuals in the 1950s. Harvard University.
- 1990 Social Movements as Cognitive Praxis. International Sociological Association Meetings, Madrid.
- 1990 Methodological Issues in the study of 'distasteful' social movements. European Consortium for Political Research Meetings, Bochum, West Germany.
- 1990 Intellectuals and the State: a Framework for Analysis with special reference to the United States and Sweden. American Sociological Association Meetings, Washington, D.C. and the University of Helsinki.
- 1989 The self-perception of the intellectual in Marxism and Liberalism. American Sociological Association Meetings, San Francisco.
- 1989 Intellectual Labor and the New Social Movements, European Consortium for Political Research Meetings, Paris.
- 1988 Social Movements and Popular Movements, Center for the Study of Popular Movements, Stockholm.
- 1988 Modern Intellectuals, Theory Section of the International Sociological Association, Cracow, Poland.
- 1988 Knowledge and Action, The Swedish Environmental Protection Agency (Statens Naturvårdsverket), Stockholm.
- 1987 Intellectuals and the Environmental Movement, Dutch-Hungarian Sociological Association Meetings, Amsterdam.

1986 The Swedish Environmental Movement, University of Oslo

1986 Modernity and Social Movements Conference on Social Change and Modernity,
Berkeley, California.

1985 Theory and Data-Again? Swedish Sociological Association Meetings, Lund.

1985 Knowledge and Interest in the Environmental Movement, Sociology of Science
Meetings, Amsterdam.

1985 Environmentalist Movements in Europe, University of California, Los Angeles

1984 Notes on the Study of Intellectuals, Conference on Intellectuals, Universities and
the State, Fiskebäckskill.

1984 New and Old Social Movements, University of Lancaster

1984 New and Old Social Movements, University of Kent

1984 New and Old Social Movements, University of Edinburgh

1983 The Impact of American Sociology on Sweden American Studies Lecture Series,
Lund.

1983 Swedish Intellectuals and the Building of a New Political Culture, European
Consortium for Political Research Meetings, Trento.

1983 Social Movements and Modernity Swedish Sociological Association Meetings,
Stockholm.

1983 Intellectuals and Popular Movements, European Consortium for Political Research
Meetings, Freiburg.

1981 Science, Intellectuals and the Mobilization of Discontent, Nordic Sociological
Association Meetings, Iceland

1981 Marx, Critical Theory and Modern Social Movements Conference on the Contemporary Relevance of Weber and Marx, Duisburg.

1980 Models of Reality in Marxist Thought Inter-University Center, Dubrovnik.

1978 Parsons and Habermas (with B. Johnson) Inter-University Center, Dubrovnik.

1978 False Consciousness and Ideology 9th World Congress of Sociology, Uppsala.

1977 Is Habermas Converging with Parsons? Pacific Sociological Association Meetings, Sacramento.

RESEARCH GRANTS

Research Grant (2) Co-applicant with Professor S. Deutsch. National Endowment for the Humanities, USA: 'Labor Education', 'Labor and the Environment'. Resulted in the establishment of a Labor Education/Research Center at the University of Oregon.

Research Grant, Humanities and Social Science Research Council (HSFR) Sweden: 'Environmentalism and Knowledge' Project leader, with three researchers employed for a three-year period. Resulted in a book and several published articles

Research Grant, (HSFR). 'Intellectuals and the Scientific-Technological State'. Research leader, with one researcher employed for a three-year period. Resulted in two books and several articles

Research Grant (HSFR), "Social Movements and Cultural Transformation". Research leader with two researchers employed for three years. Resulted in a book and several articles.

Research Grant, Royal Swedish Academy of Science (VR), "Swedish Contemporary Counter Cultures". Research leader, with four researchers employed. Ongoing research, one article published and a doctoral thesis in progress.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Chair, Course of Study Committee, Yale University, 2009

Member, Course of Study Committee, Yale University, 2004 - 2008

Member, Term Appointments Committee, 2005 - 2008

Director of Graduate Studies, Yale University, Department of Sociology, 2004 - 2008

Director of Graduate Studies, University of Copenhagen, Department of Sociology, 2002
- 2003

Session Chair, American Sociological Association, Atlanta, 2003

Member, Danish Social Science Research Council 2001-2003

Chair, Applications Committee for Sociology, Social work, Anthropology and
Ethnography, Swedish Research Council for the Humanities and Social Sciences
1999-2001

Swedish Scientific Representative to UNESCO 1999-2001

Member, Governing board, Swedish Research Council for the Humanities and Social
Sciences 1999-2001

Session Chair, ISA World Congress of Sociology, Montreal, 1998

Sessions Chair (3), ISA World Congress of Sociology, Bielefeld, 1994

Session Chair International Sociological Association World Congress of Sociology,
Madrid 1990

Secretary-Treasurer of the Research Committee on Social Theory, International
Sociological Association

Co-Chair of the Research Committee on Social Theory, International Sociological
Association

Manuscript Review Editor

Theory and Society

Acta Sociologica

International Sociology

Theory, Culture and Society

International Youth Journal

European Journal of Social Theory

Mobilization

Cambridge University Press

Routledge

Princeton University Press

Harvard University Press

Editor

Natur och Samhälle (Nature and Society) 1983-1987

Praxis International 1986 (Guest Editor)

*Newsletter of the Research Committee on Social Theory, International Sociological
Association*

Sociological Theory

HONORARY LECTURES

2002 Cultural Trauma, Memory and Collective Identity Plenary Address to the National

Conference on Memory and Identity, Växjö University, Sweden

2001 Performing Opposition Plenary Address at the ISA Sociology of the Arts

conference, Exeter, England

1997 Intellectuals and the Mass Media, Public Lecture sponsored by the Swedish

Cultural Attache Athens, Greece

1996 Aesthetics and Politics, The Arctic Center, Rovaniemi, Finland

1993 Intellectuals: A Comparative Perspective. Read before the Royal Irish Academy,

Dublin (published in their "Proceedings").

1990 Intellectuals in Sweden and the United States, Celebration of the 350th Anniversary

of the University, Helsinki, Finland

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Undergraduate Courses Taught

Introductory Sociology

Sociology of Work and Organizations

Industrial Relations

Social Theory

Social Change

Sociology of the Arts

Cultural Sociology

Social Movements

The Arts and Popular Culture

Graduate Courses and Seminars

Classical Sociology

Current Issues in Social Theory

Social Movements (Including intensive workshops)

Cultural Theory

Sociology of Intellectuals

Sociology of the Arts

Cultural Studies

Social Theory, Memory and Trauma

ELECTED POSITIONS

Director Graduate Studies, Yale University Department of Sociology, 2004-2008

Director of Graduate Studies at the Sociology Department, University of Copenhagen,
2002-2003

Member, Governing Board of the Department of Sociology Uppsala University

Co-Chair, International Sociological Association's Research Committee on Social Theory

Member, Governing Board of the Department of Sociology Lund University

Member, Governing Board, Center for Cultural Research, Væxjø University