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EDUCATION

- Ph.D.** University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2000
Department of Speech Communication
- A.M.** University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1998
Department of Speech Communication
- M.A.** Western Seminary, Portland, Oregon, 1991
Division of Intercultural Studies
- B.A.** Williams College, Williamstown, Massachusetts, 1986
Double Major: English & Classics

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2001 – present Assistant Professor, Department of Communication
The University of Oklahoma, Norman, Oklahoma
- 2000 – 2001 Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Communication
The University of Oklahoma, Norman, Oklahoma
- 1998 – 2000 Research Assistant to Prof. Peggy Miller, Dept. of Speech Communication
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- 1996 – 2000 Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Speech Communication
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- 1991 – 1996 Lecturer, Department of English
Fu Jen Catholic University, Taipei, Taiwan

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Journal Articles:

- Sandel, T. L., Cho, G. E., Miller, P. J., & Wang, S. H. (2006). What it means to be a grandmother: A cross-cultural study of Taiwanese and Euro-American grandmothers' beliefs. *Journal of Family Communication*, 6, 255-278.
- Sandel, T. L., Liang, C. H., & Chao, W. Y. (2006) Language shift and language accommodation across family generations in Taiwan. *Journal of Multilingual and Multicultural Development* 27, 126-147.
- Cho, G. E., Sandel, T. L., Miller, P. J., Wang, S. (2005). What do grandmothers think about self-esteem? American and Taiwanese folk theories revisited. *Social Development*, 14, 701-721.

- Sandel, T. L. (2004). Narrated relationships: Mothers-in-law and daughters-in-law justifying conflicts in Taiwan's Chhan-chng. *Research on Language and Social Interaction*, 37, 365-398.
- Sandel, T. L. (2003). Linguistic capital in Taiwan: The KMT's Mandarin language policy and its perceived impact upon the language practices of bilingual Mandarin and Tai-gi speakers. *Language in Society*, 32 (4), 523-551.
- Sandel, T. L. (2002) Kinship address: Socializing young children in Taiwan. *Western Journal of Communication*, 66, 257-280.
- Miller, P. J., Wang, S. H., Sandel, T. L., & Cho, G. E. (2002). Self-esteem as folk theory: A comparison of European-American and Taiwanese mothers' beliefs. Special Issue: "Parental ethnotheories: Cultural practice and normative development" in *Parenting: Science and Practice*, 2, 209-239.
- Miller, P. J., Sandel, T. L., Liang, C. H., & Fung, H. (2001). Narrating transgressions in Longwood: The discourses, meanings, and paradoxes of an American socializing practice. *Ethos*, 29, 159-186.
- Sandel, T. L. (1995). Changes in English Department student attitudes towards their role as learners. *Fu Jen Studies: Literature and Linguistics*, 28, 88-108.
- Sandel, T. L., Wong Lowe, A., Chao, W. Y., Meng, C. H., Chang, H. W. (under review). An oscillating identity: A multi-generational study of assimilating Chinese immigrants in America. *Journal of Communication*.

Invited Publications:

- Sandel, T. L. (to appear 2007). Intimate talk: Family and friends. *The International Encyclopedia of Communication*.

CONFERENCE PAPERS

- Sandel, T. L., Wong Lowe, A., Chao, W. Y., Meng, C. H., & Chang, H. W. (2006, November). *Oscillating identity: A multi-generational study of acculturating Chinese Americans*. Paper to be presented at the International and Intercultural Communication Division of the 92nd Convention of the National Communication Association, San Antonio, Texas.
- Chao, W. Y., Sandel, T. L., & Liang, C. H. (2006, November). *Mother tongue education in Taiwan: Exploring language attitudes and ideologies*. Paper to be presented at the Association for Chinese Communication Studies Division of the 92nd Convention of the National Communication Association, San Antonio, Texas.
- Sandel, T. L., Liang, C. H., Chao, W. Y., Chang, H. W. (2005, December). *Storytelling as a Medium of Socialization in Mother Tongue Education: A Comparison of Classrooms in Taiwan and the United States*. Paper presented at the Joint Conference in Xiamen, China: Chinese Communication Studies, Xiamen, Fujian Province, China.
- Sandel, T. L., Cho, G. E., Miller, P. J., & Wang, S. H. (2005, May). *A cross-cultural study of grandmothers and their role among families in Taiwan and the United States*. Paper presented at the Language and Social Interaction Division of the 55th Annual Convention of the International Communication Association, New York, New York.
- Sandel, T. L., Wong Lowe, A., Croucher, S. M., Chao, W. Y. (2004, November). *Language and identity: Exploring constructions of language and identity in Montréal, Taiwan, and Central Oklahoma*. Paper presented at the Language and Social Interaction Division of the 90th Annual Convention of the National Communication Association,

- Chicago, Illinois.
- Sandel, T. L. (2004, May). *Speaking Chinese: Exploring parental and grandparental beliefs about Chinese language education in the United States*. Paper presented at the Intercultural and Developmental Division of the 54th Annual Convention of the International Communication Association, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Sandel, T. L. (2004, May). *Can Children Speak Tai-gi?: Exploring Language Shift and Language Accommodation among Three Family Generations in Rural and Urban Sites in Taiwan*. Paper presented at the Third Biennial International Conference on Intercultural Research, Taipei, Taiwan.
- Sandel, T. L. (2003, November). *Narrated Relationships: Problem Stories Told by Mothers-in-law and Daughters-in-law in Taiwan's Chhan-chng*. Paper presented at the Language and Social Interaction Division of the 89th Annual Convention of the National Communication Association, Miami, Florida.
- Sandel, T. L. (2003, November). *When Grandma Talks to you, Do you Understand?: Exploring Parental Beliefs about Mother Tongue Education in Taiwan*. Paper presented at the Association for Chinese Communication Studies Division of the 89th Annual Convention of the National Communication Association, Miami, Florida.
- Sandel, T. L. (2003, May). *Mother Tongue Education in Taiwan: Exploring Language Shift and Parental Language Ideologies*. Paper presented at the Language and Social Interaction Division of the 53rd Annual Convention of the International Communication Association, San Diego, California.
- Sandel, T. L. (2002, July). *Narrative and the construction of personal and shared identity in Taiwan*. Paper presented at the Language and Social Interaction Division of the 52nd Annual Convention of the International Communication Association, Seoul, Korea.
- Sandel, T. L. (2001, November). *Linguistic capital in Taiwan: The impact of the KMT's Mandarin Language Policy on speaking practices and associated beliefs*. Paper presented at the Association for Chinese Communication Scholars Division of the 87th Annual Convention of the National Communication Association, Atlanta, Georgia.
- Miller, P. J., Wang, S. H., Sandel, T. L., Cho, G. E. (2001, November). *Self-esteem as folk theory: A comparison of ethnographic interviews*. Paper presented at the Language and Social Interaction Division of the 87th Annual Convention of the National Communication Association, Atlanta, Georgia.
- Miller, P. J., Wang, S. H., Sandel, T. L., Cho, G. E. (2001, April). *The meanings and discourses of self-esteem: Parental folk theories of childrearing in Taiwan and the US*. Paper presented at the 2001 Biennial Meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Minneapolis, Minnesota.
- Sandel, T. L. (2000, November). *Kinship address: Constructing a family identity in Taiwan*. Paper presented at the 86th Annual Convention of the National Communication Association, Seattle, Washington.
- Sandel, T. L. (1999, November). *Exploring a Chinese rhetoric in Liu Xie's Wen Xin Diao Long*. Paper presented at the 85th Annual Convention of the National Communication Association, Chicago, Illinois.
- Miller, P. J., Sandel, T. L., Liang, C. H., & Fung, H. (1999, November) *Narrating American transgressions: The meanings and discourses of one American socializing practice*. Paper presented at the 85th Annual Convention of the National Communication Association, Chicago, Illinois.

Sandel, T. L., Liang, C. H., Fung, H., & Miller, P. J. (1997, August). *Storytelling across generations: Continuity and change in Taiwanese families*. Paper presented at the second annual Conference on the History and Culture of Taiwan, Columbia University, New York, New York.

Sandel, T. L. (1995). *From passive learner to active researcher: How far does the student have to go?* Paper presented at the 12th Annual R.O.C. TEFL Conference, Tunghai University, Taichung, Taiwan.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

National Communication Association

Association for Chinese Communication Studies, Research Chair 2003-04,
Vice President 2005-06, President 2006-07.

International Communication Association

COURSES TAUGHT

The University of Oklahoma

Communication in Nonwestern Cultures

Communication in Society (Communication Theories)

Intercultural Communication

International Communication

Language Perspectives

Qualitative Research Methods

RESEARCH GRANTS AND AWARDS

Research Grants

University of Oklahoma, College of Arts and Sciences, Information Technology Grant (2,000 USD). Grant for equipment to enhance instruction of COMM 3513, Intercultural Communication, 2005.

University of Oklahoma, College of Arts and Sciences, Information Technology Grant (17,860 USD). Grant for equipment to enhance instruction of COMM 2613, Public Speaking, 2003.

Chiang Ching-Kuo Foundation (50,000 USD), "Mother Tongue Preservation: Exploring Language, Identity, and Cultural Consciousness in Taiwan and the United States." Two-year grant to study mother tongue education in Taiwan and the United States, 2002-2004.

University of Oklahoma Junior Faculty Research Grant (6,000 USD), "Mother Tongue Preservation: Exploring Language, Identity, and Cultural Consciousness in Taiwan." Two-month grant to study the meanings parents and educators attach to Mother Tongue Education in Taiwan, Summer, 2002.

Taiwan-Illinois Consortium Exchange (2,000 USD plus airfare), Two-month grant for language study and research in Taiwan, summer of 1998.

Fu Jen University, S.V.D. Section (NT 40,000, USD=1,500), "Assessing changes in stereotypical attitudes of students studying Western Civilization and World Cultures." Awarded 8/95.

Fu Jen University, S.V.D. Section, (NT 30,000, USD=1,154), "Studying cultural factors which hinder the EFL student's ability to write the research paper." Awarded 8/93.

Professional Awards

International Communication Association, Language and Social Interaction Division, Award for Top Three Paper, May, 2005.
 National Communication Association, Language and Social Interaction Division, Award for Top Four Paper, November, 2001 & 2003.
 National Communication Association, Language and Social Interaction Division, Award for Top Paper and Top Student Paper, November, 2000.
 Fu Jen University, S.V.D. Section, (NT 10,000, USD=363), Recipient of the English Department's Outstanding Teacher Award, 1995-96.

SERVICE

University of Oklahoma

Qualitative Research Curriculum Committee, 2002-2003, 2005-2006
 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, 2001-2002, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, 2006-2007
 Technology Committee, 2003-2005
 Faculty Adviser to Tau Kappa Omega, 2002 to present
 Jon R. Withrow Scholarship Committee Member, 2004, 2005
 Fulbright Scholarship Reviewer, 2003
 Affiliate Faculty Member, School of International and Area Studies, 2003 to present
 Affiliate Faculty Member, US-China Institute, 2006 to present

Academic Activities

Association for Chinese Communication Studies

Research Chair for NCA 2003, 2002-2003
 Reviewer for NCA Convention, 2004, 2005, 2006
 Vice President 2005-2006
 President 2006-2007

Language and Social Interaction Division of ICA

Reviewer for ICA Convention, 2004, 2005

Language and Social Interaction Division of NCA

Reviewer for NCA Convention, 2005, 2006

Reviewer for Refereed Journals:

Research on Language and Social Interaction

Reviewer for papers, 2004, 2005

Language in Society

Reviewer for papers, 2005

Western Journal of Communication

Reviewer for papers, 2004

International Journal of Intercultural Relations

Reviewer for papers, 2006

Journal of Pragmatics

Reviewer for papers, 2006