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EXPERTISE

Anthropology; interdisciplinary and international research on international development; resource extraction (mining and hydrocarbons); corporate social responsibility; development policy; socioeconomic security; sustainability; ethics and rapid social change. Area expertise: Asia-Pacific, sub-Saharan Africa.

QUALIFICATIONS

- 2009, Cert.** Ethnographic Film Making. Granada Centre for Visual Anthropology, **University of Manchester**, UK.
- 2004, PhD** Social Anthropology. School of Anthropology, Sociology and Archaeology, **University of Queensland**, Australia.
- 1997, MA** Anthropology of Art. Department of Anthropology, **University College London**, UK.
- 1996, BA Hons** Visual Culture. School of Art and Design, **University of Derby**, UK.

EMPLOYMENT

University of East Anglia, School of International Development:

- 2010-present
Lecturer in International Development
: Director of BA International Development with Social Anthropology and Politics
: Co-Director of MA Globalisation, Business and Sustainable Development
: Director of MRes Social Science Research Methods (2010-12)

Durham University, Department of Anthropology:

- 2005-2009
Lecturer in Social Anthropology
: Deputy Director of MSc Development Anthropology
- 2004-2005
Royal Anthropological Institute Fellow in Urgent Anthropology

University of Queensland, School of Anthropology, Sociology and Archaeology:

- 2001-2002
Tutor

OUTSTANDING AWARDS

- 2009 **Fellow of the Higher Education Academy** for recognition of innovation and excellence in teaching and learning. (ongoing)
- 2004-5 **Royal Anthropological Institute Urgent Anthropology Fellowship** for urgent anthropological research.
- 2000-4 **Doctoral Scholarship** awarded by industry for anthropological research.

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RESEARCH GRANTS/SCHOLARSHIPS

Completed:

- 2008-10 *Anthropology and Development: Engaging Processes and Practices at Postgraduate, Undergraduate and Pre-University Levels.*
This project aimed to enhance the postgraduate learning and teaching experience by providing training in leadership, team working, teaching and organisation. It involved one-day workshops on global issues at local high schools and Academies. **(PI)**
Project website: <http://anthropologyinschools.com/>
- C-SAP-funded
- 2007-8 *The Long-Term Impact of Post-Colonial Phases of Extractive Industry on Indigenous Livelihoods*
This project drew Papua New Guinea research into wider debates on resource extraction to identify patterns of industrial impingement. It included a one-day interdisciplinary conference, which I organised and chaired. **(PI)**
- British Academy-funded
- 2005-8 *From the Horse's Mouth: Integrating Video and Teaching in Higher Education in Anthropology.* With Dr S. Lyon (Durham) and Professor M. Fischer (Kent).
This project developed a range of e-learning tools (meta descriptions and video exercises) to assist students working on development related problems in the social sciences. **(Co- PI)**
Project website: <http://anthromethods.net/am/bin/view/HorsesMouth/>
- C-SAP-funded
- 2004-5 *Knowledge Transfer: Experiments in Methodology*
This project investigated the value of combining ethnographic and visual media to facilitate knowledge transfer in development contexts. **(PI)**
- Royal Anthropological Institute-funded
- 2005 Overseas Conference Grant
- British Academy-funded
- 2004 *Anthropology and Employment*
I assisted on a large C-SAP-funded project that examined anthropology graduates' career paths. My role included interviewing past university students and transcribing data. **(Research Assistant** to Dr Bob Simpson and Dr Simon Coleman, Durham)
- C-SAP-funded
- 2003 *Mediation and Mining*
I assisted on a large Nuffield-funded project in Papua New Guinea's Ok Tedi region. I compiled structured questionnaires, collected data and constructed a database of mining royalty acquisition to measure levels of inequality in mining contexts. **(Research Assistant** to Professor Paul Silltjie and Dr Robin Wilson, Durham)
- Nuffield Foundation-funded

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Pending:

2012 *Corporate Social Responsibility in the Ok Tedi Mine – Papua New Guinea (PI)*

- Leverhulme Trust Research Fellowship - £22,738.

2013 *Corporate Social Responsibility in the Mining Sector – Guinea (PI)*

- Leverhulme Trust Research Project Grant - £250,000 (PhD studentship, post-doc researcher).

2013 *Youth Activity and Agency around Mining in Sub-Saharan Africa (PI)*

- British Academy/Leverhulme Small Research Grants - £10,000. April-July 2013.

CONSULTANCY

2012 *Anthropological Social Impact Assessment – Kagen Emerald Mine, Zambia (PI)*

- World Lands Trust - £19,945

2011 *Social and Economic Impact Assessment – Kisidugo Uranium Mine, Guinea (PI)*

- Forte Energy - £7,980

PUBLICATIONS

Books:

Gilberthorpe, E.

Forthcoming. *The Anthropology of Resource Development: Ethnographic Explorations of Rural Resource Extraction*. Oxford: Berghahn: Studies in Public and Applied Anthropology Series.

Gilberthorpe, E. & G. Hilson (eds)

2013 *Natural Resource Extraction and Indigenous Livelihoods: Development Challenges in an Era of Globalization*. London: Ashgate. In Press.

Gilberthorpe, E.

2009 *Development and Industry: A Papua New Guinea Case Study*. Canterbury: CSAC.

Fischer, M., **E. Gilberthorpe** & S. Lyon (eds)

2009 *From the Horse's Mouth: A Resource for Teaching Development in Anthropology*. Canterbury: CSAC.

Articles:

Gilberthorpe, E.

2013. In the Shadow of Industry: A Study of *Culturization* in Papua New Guinea. *Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute* 19(2): 261-278.

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Gilberthorpe, E.

2013. Community Development and Mining in Papua New Guinea: the role of anthropology in the extractive industries. *Journal of Community Development*. In Press.

Gilberthorpe, E. & G. Banks

2012. Development on Whose Terms?: CSR Discourse and Social Realities in Papua New Guinea's Extractive Industries Sector. *Resources Policy* 37(2): 185-193 (published online December 2011).

Gilberthorpe, E. & P. Sillitoe

2009 The Construction of Social Capital in the Current Economic Crisis: Lessons from Papua New Guinea. *Anthropology News* 50 (7): 15-16.

Gilberthorpe, E.

2007 Fasu Solidarity: A Case Study of Kin Networks, Land Tenure and Oil Extraction in Kutubu, Papua New Guinea. *American Anthropologist* 109 (1): 109-119.

Gilberthorpe, E.

2006 'It's Raining Money': Anthropology, Film and Resource Extraction in Papua New Guinea. *Anthropology in Action* 13 (3): 13-21.

Gilberthorpe, E.

2003 Twin Towns of Tabubil: Measuring Development in the Star Mountains. *PRIME* [PNG Resources, Industry, Mining & Energy] 14 (2): 61-63.

Gilberthorpe, E.

2000 Going with the Flow: Coping with Change in Kutubu. *PRIME* 3 (4): 58-60.

Gilberthorpe, E.

2000 Theatre of Life and Death: Bringing Health Education to Kutubu. *PRIME* 4 (1): 14-16.

Reports:

Gilberthorpe, E., D. Agol & T. Gegg

2012. *Socio-economic Impact Assessment of the Kagem Emerald Mine, Zambia*. Report for the World Land Trust.

Gilberthorpe, E.

2011. *Social Impact and Areas of High Risk in Guinea's Kisidugo Uranium Mine*. Report for Forte Energy and the Mining Ministry, Guinea.

Book Contributions:

Gilberthorpe, E.

2013. Displacing Culture: Intervention and Social Change in Papua New Guinea's Extractive Industries. In R.H. Layton (ed.) *The Anthropology of Displaced Communities*. Oxford: Berghahn. In Press.

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Gilberthorpe, E., S. Clarke & P. Sillitoe.

2013. Two Oil Economies and the Resource Curse. In P Sillitoe (ed.) *Sustainable Development: An Introduction Focusing on the Gulf Region*. Oxford: Berghahn. In Press.

Gilberthorpe, E.

2013. Urgent Anthropology and the Value of Kinship. In R. Puri (ed.) *New Directions for Urgent Anthropology Research*. In Press.

Gilberthorpe, E. & G. Hilson

2013. Introduction. In *Natural Resource Extraction and Indigenous Livelihoods: Development Challenges in an Era of Globalization*. London: Ashgate. In Press.

Gilberthorpe, E.

2013. The Money Rain Phenomenon: Papua New Guinea Oil and the Resource Curse. In *Natural Resource Extraction and Indigenous Livelihoods: Development Challenges in an Era of Globalization*. London: Ashgate. In Press.

Gilberthorpe, E.

2010 Burmese manuscript chest. In C. Barclay, R. Grocke and H. Armstrong (eds) *Treasures of the Oriental Museum, Durham University*. London: Third Millennium Publishing Ltd: 101.

Gilberthorpe, E.

2009 Pathways to *development*: Identity, Landscape and Industry in Papua New Guinea. In S. Heckler (ed.) *Landscape, Power and Process: Re-Evaluating Traditional Environmental Knowledge*. New York: Berghahn: 202-231.

Ethnographic Films:

Gilberthorpe, E. & N. Peduzzi

2009 *The Allotment*. 20 minutes. Manchester: Granada Centre for Visual Anthropology.

Gilberthorpe, E.

2009 *From the Horse's Mouth: Perceptions of Development from Papua New Guinea*. Re-edited film. 40 minutes. Canterbury: CSAC.

Gilberthorpe, E.

2005 *From the Horse's Mouth: Perceptions of Development from Papua New Guinea*. Documentary Film. 55 minutes. Australia: Darkwood Films.

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CONFERENCE PAPERS AND SEMINARS

Invited Speaker:

- 2012 “Oil Insecurities: Degradation and Conflict in Papua New Guinea’s Oil Fields”. *Engaging Resources: New anthropological perspectives on natural resource environments*. Balsillie School of International Affairs, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada. 12-14 April.
- 2011 “From the Horse’s Mouth: Perceptions of Development from Papua New Guinea,” *Royal Anthropological Institute Urgent Anthropology Programme Conference*, hosted by The British Museum, 9 May.
- 2010 “Visual Media and Development in Papua New Guinea”, British Academy & RAI funded conference organised by Dr Raj Puri, *New Directions for Urgent Anthropology Research*, hosted by the University of Kent at Canterbury, 24-26 September.
- 2009 “The Political Issues of Sustainable Development” with Dr Wesam Ahmad, Shell Oil funded symposium, *Issues and Challenges in Sustainable Development*, hosted by Qatar University, Doha, Qatar, 3-5 November.
- 2009 Discussant, “Extractive Industry in Indigenous Territory,” ESRC funded conference, *Territory, Conflicts and Development in the Andes*, hosted by Newcastle University, 20 March. I was the discussant for three papers at this conference.
- 2006 “Integrating the Social into Development Projects,” *Law and Social Anthropology Workshop* organised by Dr Tony Crook, hosted by the Faculty of Law, University of Dundee, 3 July.
- 2005 “From the Horse’s Mouth: Perceptions of Development from Papua New Guinea,” Visual Anthropology of Oceania Conference, National Centre for Scientific Research, Paris, 5-9 December.

Conference Organiser:

- 2008 British Academy funded conference, *Extractive Industry and Indigenous Livelihoods*, hosted by Durham University, Durham, 5 March. Organiser and Chair: (paper: “*Mani Ren: The Usefulness of Remittances in Papua New Guinea’s Oil Fields*”).

Panel Organiser:

- 2012 Applying Anthropology in the Extractive Industries: Making the Discipline Work for Indigenous Communities affected by Multinational Resource Extraction. *Anthropology in the World Conference*. British Museum, London. 8-10 June. Panel Organiser : (paper: “Society and culture under the shadow of industry”).

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Panellist:

- 2012 “Erroneous Interventions: Socio-economic security in Papua New Guinea’s oil extraction sector,” *Association of American Geographers Annual Conference*. New York, USA. 24-28 February.
- 2011 Discussant, Informal Session: “Engagement with Capitalism,” *Association for the Study of Anthropology in Oceania Annual Conference*, Honolulu, USA, 9-12 February.
- 2010 “Social and Economic Security amongst Communities Hosting the Kutubu Oil Project,” *Resources, Individualism and Neoliberalism in Melanesia*, European Society for Oceanists, St Andrews University, 5-9 July.
- 2009 “The Rhetoric of Sustainable Development in Rural Papua New Guinea: A Legacy of Mineral Extraction,” *International Conference on Environmental, Cultural, Economic and Social Sustainability*, Mauritius, 5-7 January.
- 2008 “The ‘Clan’ as Legal Entity: Problems and Pitfalls in Kutubu, Papua New Guinea,” *Association for Social Anthropologists Annual Conference*, University of Auckland, New Zealand, 8-12 December.
- 2008 “Sustainable Development Rhetoric and Engagement: Papua New Guinea Resource Development,” *American Anthropological Association Annual Conference*, San Francisco, USA, 19-23 November.
- 2008 “Re-Forming the Land: Kinship, Sustainability and Oil Extraction,” *European Society for Oceanists Conference*, University of Verona, Italy, 10-12 July.
- 2007 “Culture Interrupted: The Fasu of Papua New Guinea,” *Association for the Study of Anthropology in Oceania Annual Conference*, Virginia, USA, 19-24 February.
- 2006 “Fasu Futures: The Case for the Crude Oil Sector of Extraction, Papua New Guinea,” *Association for the Study of Anthropology in Oceania Annual Conference*, San Diego, USA, 7-11 February.
- 2005 “Integrating Video and Teaching in Higher Education in Anthropology,” *Higher Education Academy Centre for Sociology, Anthropology and Politics Conference*, Birmingham University, 23-25 November.
- 2005 “Interactivity, Experimentation and Digital Video,” with Professor Michael Fischer and Dr Stephen Lyon, *Royal Anthropological Institute Film Festival*, Oxford University, Oxford, 18-21 September.
- 2005 “Cultural Displacement in Ok Tedi and Kutubu, Papua New Guinea,” *European Society for Oceanists Conference*, University of Provence, Marseille, France, 3-7 July.

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- 2004 “Local Assessments of Environmental Change in Rural Papua New Guinea,” *International Conference of Ethnobiology*, University of Kent, Canterbury, 6-10 July.
- 2001 “Living with Oil: An Ethnographic Account of the Kutubu Oil Project,” *Problems and Perspectives on Customary Land Tenure, Australia and Papua New Guinea*, hosted by the University of Queensland, Queensland, Australia, 15-17 September.

Invited Lectures:

- 2011, 2012 “Corporate Social Responsibility and Business” *UEA London*, 3-day short course. March.
- 2011 “Corporate Social Responsibility and Resource Extraction,” *School of Agriculture, Development and Policy, Reading University*. Guest Lecturer, 3 March.
- 2008 “Should We Care about Third-World Poverty?” Lecture given to Grade 10 high-school students at *Macmillan Academy*, Middlesbrough, 12 March.

Invited Seminars:

- 2010 “From the Horse’s Mouth: perceptions of development from Papua New Guinea,” *Oxford Ethnographic Film Society*, Oxford University, 28 April.
- 2010 “Sustainable Development, Resource Extraction and the Resource Curse,” *School of International Development, University of East Anglia*, 16 April.
- 2009 “Vocational Anthropology: Taking Anthropology into Schools,” *Anthropology in Development* group, *Durham University*, 18 February.
- 2008 “Transferring Sustainable Economies into Sustainable Development,” *University of Papua New Guinea*, Port Moresby, Papua New Guinea, 17 July.
- 2008 “Strategies for Sustainable Development in Papua New Guinea: Resource Wealth, Capacity and Capital,” *Australian National University*, Canberra, Australia, 12 August.
- 2008 “Extractive Industry and Indigenous Livelihoods in Papua New Guinea,” *University of Kent*, Canterbury, 5 February.
- 2006 “Development and Industry: A Papua New Guinea Case Study,” inaugural seminar of the Melanesian Research Seminar group series, *British Museum*, London, 12 December.
- 2005 “From the Horse’s Mouth: Perceptions of Development from Papua New Guinea,” premier of the ethnographic film I produced, filmed and edited, hosted by the Anthropology in Development research group, *Durham University*, 15 March.

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CURRENT TEACHING:

- Social Anthropology and International Development (undergraduate)
- Research Methods in Social Anthropology (undergraduate)
- Globalisation, Business and Sustainable Development (graduate)
- Political Ecology of Environment and Development (graduate)
- Corporate Social Responsibility (graduate)

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

- **Director** of MRes Development Practice
- **Director** of MRes Social Science Research Methods
- **Director** MA Cultural Heritage and International Development
- **Deputy Director** of MSc in Development Anthropology
- **Chair** of Durham Undergraduate Ethics Committee
- **Member** of Postgraduate Ethics Committee
- **Member** of DEV ethics committee
- **Faculty Representative** on Museums Committee
- Dissertation **Coordinator**
- PGR **external examiner** – Queensland University, Manchester University, Reading University, Surrey University

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Higher Education Academy (Fellow)
- Royal Anthropological Institute (Fellow)
- Association for Social Anthropologists (Fellow)
- European Society for Oceanists (Fellow)
- Association for the Study of Anthropology in Oceania (Fellow)
- American Anthropological Association (Member)
- Association of American Geographers (Member)
- Melanesian Interest Group (Member)
- Melanesian Research Group (Member)
- American Society for Visual Anthropology (Member)
- International Arctic Social Sciences Association (Extractive Industries Working Group Member)

SERVED AS PEER REVIEWER

Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute; History and Anthropology; Land Use Policy; Journal of Development Studies; Canadian Journal of Development Studies; Durham Anthropology Journal; Resources Policy; AlterNative: An International Journal of Indigenous Peoples and Development and Change.

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GRANT REFEREE

ESRC; Leverhulme Trust; The Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research
Innovational Research Incentives Scheme.

EDITORIAL BOARDS

Association for Social Anthropologists monograph series; Engaging Resources: new
anthropological perspectives on natural resource environments project.

VISITING FELLOWSHIPS

- 2013 Queensland University
- 2008 Australian National University
- 2003 Australian National University (invited but declined)

FIELDWORK

Kagem, Zambia, Africa	Aug. 2012: project manager
Kisidugo, Guinea, Africa	June 2011
Doha, Qatar	Sept. 2009
Port Moresby, Papua New Guinea	June-July 2008
Ok Tedi & Kutubu Papua New Guinea	Nov.-Jan. 2004/5
Ok Tedi, Papua New Guinea	June-Sept. 2003
Kutubu, Papua New Guinea	Jan. 2000-Feb. 2001

MEDIA

- News article in the **Times Higher Education**, 25th September 2008
- Live telephone interview on **CNN**, 17th April 2008
- *Anthropology in the World Conference* **showcase film**:
<https://www.youtube.com/royalanthro>

LANGUAGES

English	(mother tongue)	
French	spoken (basic)	written (basic)
Melanesian Pidgin	spoken (fluent)	written (advanced)
Namo Me (Fasu)	spoken (basic)	written (intermediate)