



UNIVERSITY OF GUAM
UNIBETSEDÂT GUÅHAN
Board of Regents

Resolution No. 23-12

**RELATIVE TO AWARDING PROFESSOR EMERITA OF JAPANESE LANGUAGE
STATUS TO DR. TOYOKO KANG**

WHEREAS, the University of Guam (UOG) is the primary U.S. Land Grant institution accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges Senior College and University Commission serving the post-secondary needs of the people of Guam and the Western Pacific region;

WHEREAS, the authority to bestow the title of Professor Emeritus(a) is vested in the Board of Regents (BOR) resolution 1987 and the criteria and procedures were revised by BOR resolutions in 1999, 2001, and 2019;

WHEREAS, Dean James D. Sellmann of the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences has nominated Dr. Toyoko Kang for the title of Professor Emerita;

WHEREAS, the *Rules, Regulations, and Procedures Manual*, Article V, Chapter A. Faculty Input, Section 13. Emeritus(a) Professor provides the criteria for Professors Emeritus, to include 15 years of service as a faculty member, attainment of tenure at the Associate Professor or Professor rank; and significant contributions to the University of Guam;

WHEREAS, Dr. Kang has over 29 years of service as a faculty member at UOG;

WHEREAS, Dr. Kang attained the rank of tenured Professor;

WHEREAS, Dr. Kang has distinguished herself through instruction, research, publication and service, especially working with the Japanese Consulate, and the JET (Japanese Exchange and Teaching) program. She distinguished herself as a staunch advocate for UOG students, language study, and intercultural communication that opened horizons for student experience, added value to UOG international relationships, and served the larger island community need for Japanese language instructors by revamping the Japanese Language program as a Minor for Education under the School of Education and establishing UOG's Overseas Exchange Committee that aligned students with study abroad opportunities for Japanese, Korean, and Chinese, with potential funding sources;

WHEREAS, the enclosed nomination was reviewed and recommended for approval by the Senior Vice President & Provost and the President; and

WHEREAS, the Academic, Personnel and Tenure Committee has reviewed the enclosed nomination and recommends to the BOR to award the title of Professor Emerita of Japanese Language to Dr. Kang.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the BOR hereby bestows the title of Professor Emerita of Japanese Language to Dr. Toyoko Kang, effective the date of this resolution.

Adopted this 27th day of April, 2023.



Liza J. Prevido, Chairperson

ATTESTED:



Thomas W. Krise, Ph.D., Executive Secretary



Emeritus Professor Nomination Form

Please refer to the University of Guam (UOG) Board of Regent's Bylaws Booklet of Appendices for full criteria, deadlines, and processes. A current curriculum vitae describing nominee's endeavors in research, teaching, and/or community service **must** be submitted with this form.

Nominee Information

Name of Nominee: Toyoko Kang Title (at

Retirement): Full Professor Unit: CLASS Faculty Start

date: 8/15/1993 Date of Retirement: 12/30/2022

Mailing Address: [REDACTED] Email

address: [REDACTED] Contact Number(s): [REDACTED]

Emergency Contact or Next of Kin Information

Name: Hiroko Kurimoto

Mailing Address: [REDACTED]

Email address: none Contact Number(s): [REDACTED]

Nominator Information

(Complete this section only if you are not the nominee.)

In addition to self-nominations, a nomination must originate from any full-time faculty member, the Dean or Director of the Unit, or a member of the Society of Emeritus Professors and Retired Scholars (SEPRS).

Name of Nominator: Christopher Rasmussen

Relationship to the Nominee: Colleague

Email address: rasmussenc@triton.uog.edu Contact Number(s): [REDACTED]

Criteria for Emeritus(a) Professor

(Nominee *must* meet all three (3) criteria for eligibility)

1. Tenured faculty at the minimum rank of Associate Professor/Extension Agent IV or Professor/Extension Specialist at UOG at the time of retirement.
2. Has at least fifteen (15) years of service as a full-time faculty member or a combination of said years of service as a full-time faculty and academic administrator at UOG.
3. Has been reviewed using the following procedures to confirm that he/she has made significant contributions to UOG

Nomination Procedures for Emeritus(a) Professor

1. The faculty nomination process for the status of Emeritus(a) Professor may begin during the last year of employment prior to retirement from UOG, provided that said status, if granted before retirement, shall only become effective the day after the date of official retirement from the University.
2. Nominations for Emeritus(a) Professor status may originate from any full-time faculty member, the individual being nominated, the Dean or Director of the Unit, or a member of the Society of Emeritus Professors and Retired Scholars (SEPRS)
3. Nominations for the titled status of Professor Emeritus(a) shall begin with the submission of the nomination form, with a current curriculum vitae (CV) attached, to the Dean or Director of the Unit from which the nominee is serving or has retired.
4. Dean or Director Review. Upon receipt of the nomination form and the current CV, the Dean or Director may notify and solicit remarks from the college or unit concerning the nominee. The recommendation of the Dean or Director and all the documents pertaining thereto, shall be forwarded within ten (10) business days from receipt of the nomination package to the Senior Vice President of Academic & Student Affairs (SVP-ASA). In the event that a Dean or Director does not take action by the specified deadline for review, the nomination shall proceed forward to the next stage of review with the nominator or nominee providing the SVP-ASA with a copy of the nomination package.
5. SVP-ASA Review. The SVP-ASA shall have fifteen (15) business days to review the nomination package. Upon receipt of the nomination package, the SVP-ASA will notify the President of SEPRS of an application under review. During this review period, the SVP-ASA may notify and solicit remarks from the university community concerning the nominee. The recommendation of the SVP-ASA and all documents pertaining thereto, shall be forwarded to the President. In the event that the SVP-ASA does not take action by the specified deadline for review, the nomination shall proceed forward to the next stage of review with the nominator or nominee providing the President a copy of the nomination package.
6. UOG President Review. The President shall have up to ten (10) business days from the recommendation receipt date to review and submit a recommendation for approval, if applicable, to the appropriate BOR committee before submission to the BOR for action.

7. The BOR shall have the final determination concerning the granting of the Emeritus(a) status. It is the responsibility of the Executive Secretary of the BOR to notify both the newly granted Emeritus(a) Professor and the President of the SEPRS of the conferred status. The newly granted Emeritus(a) Professor shall be presented with a certificate of recognition of status by the UOG President.
8. Emeritus(a) Professor status is permanent. Emeritus Professors who are deceased shall have their name in the Catalog and Bulletin in perpetuity. However, the BOR shall have the authority to withdraw the Emeritus(a) Professors status with just cause.
9. It is the responsibility of the Emeritus(a) Professor to maintain contact on at least a yearly basis with SEPRS. The President of SEPRS will submit an annual report of activities to the SVP-ASA. This annual report will be distributed to the UOG President, BOR, deans, directors, and university community.

Nomination Letter

01/07/2023

TO: Whom it may concern

FROM: Christopher Rasmussen

RE: Professor Emeritus(a) Nomination for Toyoko Kang

It is my pleasure to nominate Professor Toyoko Kang for a Professor Emerita. I have known Dr. Kang for four years, beginning when I arrived to the University of Guam in January 2019. In that time, she has been my office neighbor, Humanities (HUMA) divisional colleague, and a member of two committees on which we both served. Personally, Dr. Kang is a helpful colleague and friend. For the University, Dr. Kang is a staunch advocate for UOG students, language study, and intercultural communication. Her professional activities continue to open horizons for students, add value to the University, and serve the larger island community.

Dr. Kang obtained her Ph.D. From University of Texas at Austin in Applied Linguistics and joined the UOG faculty in 1993 as an Assistant Professor of Japanese Language. In 1997 she was promoted to Tenured Associate Professor, and in 2011 she became Full Professor. She retired from UOG at the end of 2022.

Dr. Kang's accomplishments over nearly thirty years at UOG are commendable. I would like to touch on just a few; ones that characterize who Dr. Kang is and what she, as a successful and excellent faculty member, has meant to UOG and to our island community.

Being next door and in the same division, I have had the pleasure of meeting many of Dr. Kang's students. All note her dedication and accessibility, and I believe that Dr. Kang's sincere work teaching UOG students is perhaps her greatest accomplishment. This was officially recognized at the end of 2020, when Dr. Kang earned Japan's Foreign Minister's Commendation. This commendation expressed the Minister's appreciation of Dr. Kang's tireless and effective efforts to raise UOG students as intercultural communicators. A related accomplishment that illustrates Dr. Kang's commitment to not only UOG students but language learners in Guam is her successful effort to protect the study of modern languages at UOG and foreign language study in Guam secondary schools. Dr. Kang was rightly concerned about a potential shortage of Japanese language teachers in local secondary schools. This problem had become acute in 2016 when UOG discontinued Japanese Studies as a major program. In response, Dr. Kang proposed, in conjunction with a faculty member from the School of Education (SOE), a Japanese Language minor program for Education. Dr. Kang worked hard for UOG language students and for the island's secondary school students and future language learners. Thankfully, the work paid off, and the Japanese language Minor for Education under SOE was accepted by UOG in spring 2020. Dr. Kang deserves credit for ensuring that there will be teachers of Japanese in Guam's secondary schools and that the Humanities Division continues to meet its objectives to UOG students.

Dr. Kang's commitment to service was remarkable and one that I had the honor of observing up close. She made singular efforts to establish, from scratch, UOG's Overseas Exchange Committee. As a member of this committee, I have seen and benefitted from Dr. Kang's critical role in creating, maintaining, and expanding the committee, which now includes faculty from colleges and schools across UOG. Dr. Kang understands that for most UOG students, English is their first language. She also knows that students must learn their target language's – Japanese's, Korean's, or Chinese's -- processing mechanisms operating in a real time by exposing themselves to native speakers' speech. Only daily immersion in the target language's culture allows students to grow toward becoming independent intercultural communicators. More than just knowing these things, Dr. Kang put in the work to make available the opportunity for UOG to study abroad in semester exchanges by working with the committee to identify potential funding and match students with the most appropriate partner institutions. Dr. Kang's deep knowledge language, study abroad combined with her hard work and dedication to help UOG students to successfully advance their personal and professional goals. Beyond her service to the division, college and university, Dr. Kang is a warm and friendly colleague and a genuinely kind person. I compelled to mention that Dr. Kang is a three-time winner of the CLASS' Collegiality Awards, in 2009, 2011, and 2022.

I strongly hope that you will see that Dr. Kang's devotion should be recognized with the position of Professor Emeritus. She has been an asset to the university in its mission: *Ina, Deskubre, Setbe*, to enlighten, discover, and serve. As Emeritus Faculty, Dr. Kang will continue to be an indispensable resource and advocate for students seeking to discover their intellectual and professional potential. I warmly recommend Dr. Kang's appointment to Professor Emeritus.

Sincerely,

Christopher Rasmussen
Assistant Professor

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CURRICULUM VITA

Toyoko Poong-Ja KANG

EDUCATION

- 1993 Ph. D. in Applied Linguistics, University of Texas at Austin
1980 M. A. in Russian Linguistics, Kobe City University of Foreign Language Studies,
Japan
1977 B. A. in Russian, Kobe City University of Foreign Language Studies, Japan

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Theoretical Linguistics, Applied Linguistics including Psycholinguistics, pragmatics,
Language Acquisition (First and Second Languages) and Teaching a Foreign Language as a
Second Language, Natural Language Processing (specially Human Sentence Processing)

PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE

- Mar. 2011-Dec. 2022. Full Professor of Japanese, at University of Guam, Guam, Courses Taught:
all levels.
- Aug. 1997-Mar. 2011 Tenured Associate Professor of Japanese, at University of Guam, Guam,
Courses Taught: all levels.
- Aug. 1993-Aug. 1997 Assistant Professor of Japanese, at University of Guam, Guam, Courses
Taught: all levels.
- Sept. 1990-June 1992 Full-time Instructor of Japanese (w/ABD) at the Weber State University,
Ogden, Utah, Courses Taught: all levels including "Introduction to Modern
Japanese Literature."
- Sept. 1988-June 1990 Full-time Instructor of Japanese (w/ABD), at the University of Utah, Courses
Taught: Advanced Japanese courses.
- Sept. 1986-May 1987 Research Assistant, Did research on Japanese syntax in Linguistics Research
Center, the Univ. of Texas at Austin, as a Researching Assistant for the
project "Japanese-English Machine Translation."
- Sept. 1985-May 1986 Part-time Associate Instructor, the Dept. of Oriental & African Languages &
Literatures, at the Univ. of Texas at Austin, Course Taught: an elementary
Japanese course.
- Sept. 1984-Aug. 1985 Research Consultant, Did research on Japanese morphology, as a member of
the "Natural Language Processing" team in the Dept. of Artificial Intelligence,
Microelectronics & Computer Technology Co., Austin, Texas.

HONORS & AWARDS

- *Foreign Minister's Commendation*. Given by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan, 2020.
- *Collegiality Award*. Given three times by College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, University of Guam,
 - ❖ In 2022 as a member of Philosophy Search Committee
 - ❖ In 2011 as a member of Linguistic Search Committee, and
 - ❖ In 2009 as a member of the Curriculum Committee
- *Research Award*. Given by College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, University of Guam, 2009.

PUBLICATION (*= refereed)

Book Chapters:

- *2010 Teaching online: What does blended learning require?" in Yukiko Inoue (Ed.) *Cases on blended and online learning technologies: Concepts and practices*. Hershey, PA: Information Science Publishing.
- *2009 "Outcomes Assessment in Japanese Language Instruction" a co-authored, in Christopher Schreiner (Ed.) *Handbook of Research on Assessment technologies, Methods, and Applications in Higher Education*, IGI Global publisher
- *2007 Technology and Foreign Language Instruction facilitating lifelong learning. In Yukiko Inoue (Ed.) *Online Education for Lifelong learning*. Hershey, PA: Information Science Publishing.

Articles

- In progress "Surface X-bar Theory and Second Position Clitics in Chamorro (tentative title)"
- 2015 "Second Position Clitics in Tagalog" in *the Proceedings of Cognitive Science Conference/Russia*.
- *2009 「頭ごなし解釈法」とその上達度査定の一方法 "First Come, First Interpreted" and a Method for Assessment for Advanced L2 (Japanese) Parser Development' in the *Proceedings of the 20th Annual Conference of the Central Association of Teachers of Japanese (CATJ 20) "Toward Advanced Japanese Language Proficiency,"*
- 2007 歌で文法を教えませんか? "Shall we teach grammar with songs?" a co-authored paper, in the *Proceedings of the international conference, Computer Assisted Teaching Language-Japanese (CASTEL/J)*, Hawaii.
http://castelj.kshinagawa.com/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=45&Itemid=69

- 2006 Implementation of Technologies in a Foreign Language Classroom Under Memory Efficient Approach, in the *Proceedings of the conference, Digital Stream*, in <http://php.csumb.edu/wlc/ojs/index.php/ds/issue/view/2/showToc>
- 2004/2006 "Digital Classroom for a Foreign language Course," in the *Libraries and Archives--Where Information and Language Literacy Begin [and] Engaged Readers and Writers in Multicultural Island Communities. Selected Papers from the 10th Pacific Islands Association of Libraries and Archives (PIALA 2000) Conference Joint with the 13th Annual Regional Language Arts Conference (Tumon, Guam, November 9-11, 2000).*
- PAILA 2000 is currently included in ERC collection on the following site:
http://eric.ed.gov:80/ERICWebPortal/custom/portlets/recordDetails/detailmini.jsp?_nfpb=true&_ERICExtSearch_SearchValue_0=ED498250&ERICExtSearch_SearchType_0=no&accno=ED498250
- A summarized version of this paper in PIALA 2000 was cited in by Yukiko Inoue & Suzanne Bell. *Teaching with Educational Technology in the 21st Century: The Case of the Asia Pacific Region*. IGI Global publisher (2006).
- *2003/2005 "Japanese offensive operations immediately after the Outbreak of war: the cooperative operation of the Army and Navy to occupy Guam." *Micronesian journal of the humanities and social sciences* 2.1-2 (December 2003): pp 41-49. It is cited on the web "Digital Micronesia-Guam WWII-An Electric Library: http://marshall.csu.edu.au/Guam/Guam_WWII.html - 20k - 5 Nov 2005
- 2002 "Cyber Map Exercise III: Implementation" in the *Proceedings of CASTEL/ J (Computer Assisted Language Education/Japanese) 2002*.
- 2002 "A Garden Path Sentence Fails an Automatic, Default Parsing for a Language, in the *Proceedings of the International Symposium of Natural Language Processing (SNLP)*

CONFERENCES

Presentation

- 2021 Poster-presented a paper "Second Place Clitics in Chamorro: Syntactically Constrained Prosody," at 13th International Conference of Austronesian and Papuan Language and Literature, held at University of Edinburgh (online), Scotland, on JUNE 10-12 2021.
- 2020 Presented a paper "Prosodic Phrases and Comprehension Units" at the CLASS Research Conference, held at UOG, Spring 2020.
- 2019 Presented a talk about "Introduction to Working Memory Related to Language Learning," at the CLASS Research Conference, held at UOG, Spring 2019.

- 2018 Presented a talk about “Mystery of unstressed pronouns” at CLASS Research Conference, held at UOG, Spring 2018.
- 2017 Presented a talk about “Mystery of unstressed pronouns” at the Language Arts Conference, Guam, Fall 2017.
- 2017 presented two papers—“Bilingualism and Working Memory” and “Task-Completion Activities for Beginners learning a foreign language”—at CLASS Research Conference, UOG, Spring 2017.
- 2015 Accepted a paper “Second Position Clitics in Tagalog” by Cognitive Science Conference/Russia, held on June 25-26 2015, Tombov, Russia, but not attended for the presentation due to short of funds.
- 2015 Presented two papers---(1) the organization of the textbook and speech acts in the on-going Elementary Tagalog Textbook coauthored with Dr. Quan, and (2) Second-Position clitics in Tagalog---at CLASS Annual Research Conference, University of Guam, March 2015.
- 2014 Presented a paper “Magical Number Seven, *Haiku* and Prosody,” at the Annual Language Arts Conference of University of Guam, Hyatte Regency Hotel, November 2014.
- 2014 Presented a paper on Memory Efficient Aspects of an Elementary Tagalog Textbook co-authored with Dr. Quan at CLASS Annual Research Conference, University of Guam, March 2014.
- 2011 Presented a paper on Garden Path and Ungrammaticality as a poster presentation by Free Linguistics Conference, held in Sydney, Australia, on October 8-9, 2011.
- 2011 Presented a paper in progress “Appropriate Interpretation of Japanese in Terms of Politeness when Translating English Speech into Japanese: A case study of simultaneous interpretation” as a poster presentation at the conference of the 6th International Symposium on Politeness: Corpus Approaches, Ankara, Turkey, July 11-13, 2011.
- 2010 Accepted a paper, “Contrasting discourse functions between Japanese adversity passives and supporting verbs of ‘give,’” as a paper presentation by the 24th International Conference, May, 20 – 22, 2010, Osijek (Croatia), but not attend for the presentation.
- 2009 Accepted a paper on “Japanese Cases as Head Detectors and Their Ambiguousness” as paper presentation by the conference Cases In and Across Languages, held Aug. 27-29, 2009, Helsinki, Finland. Not attended for the presentation.
- 2008 Presented a paper “‘First come, first interpreted’ and a performance-based assessment for advanced L2 (Japanese) parser development” at the conference, the 20th Annual Conference of the Central Association of Teachers of Japanese (CATJ 20) “*Toward Advanced Japanese Language Proficiency*,” held at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, May 31-June 1, 2008.

- 2007 Presented as a poster a paper “Left Association for a head-final phrase” at the International Conference on Processing Head-Fianl Structure, held at Rochester Institute Technology, Rochester, New York on September 21-22, 2007.
- 2007 Presented a co-authored paper “歌で文法を教えませんか? Shall we teach grammar with songs?” in the *Proceedings of the international conference, Computer Assisted Teaching Language-Japanese (CASTEL/J)*, Hawaii.
- 2006 Presented a paper “Implementation of Technologies in a Foreign Language Classroom Under Memory Efficient Approach” at a national conference Digital Stream Conference, held at California State University Monterey Bay, March 23-25, 2006,
- 2005 Presented a paper, “Technologies for Literacy Teaching,” at the 18th Annual Regional Language Arts Conference, held on November 18-19 at the Univ. of Guam and Holiday Resort Guam
- 2003 Presented a paper, “Surface X-bar Theory, Prosodic Structure and First Language Acquisition,” at the conference; UG Principles and Input: How do we get Plato’s Heaven into Skinner’s Box? held at the LSA Linguistic Summer Institute, Michigan State University.
- 2003 Presented a paper, “Translation and Culture” at the CAS (College of Arts and Sciences) conference, University of Guam
- 2002 Opened the workshop, Power point Workshop for Foreign Language Teachers, at the 15th Annual Regional Language Arts conference, University of Guam.
- 2002 Presented a paper “Cyber Map Exercise III: Implementation” at the international conference CASTEL/ J (Computer Assisted Language Education/Japanese) held at University of California, San Diego.
- 2002 Presented a paper: “A Garden Path Sentence Fails an Automatic, Default Parsing for a Language” at the international Symposium of Natural Language Processing (SNLP) held in Hua Hin, Thailand
- 2002 Presented a paper about “Cross-linguistic Garden Path Phenomena” with two of my colleagues (Dr. Quan & Prof. Sttefens) At Annual CAS (College of Arts and Sciences) Conference at UOG.
- 2001 Presented a paper "Teaching an Innovative Strategy for Reading Comprehension: first (intonation/prosodic phrase) comes, first interpreted/comprehended" At the conference of ATJ (Association of teachers of Japanese) Seminar 2001, Chicago.
- 2000 Presented a paper “Digital Classroom for a Foreign language Course, At the joint conference of 10th Pacific Island Association of Libraries and Archives Conference and 13th Annual Regional Language Arts Conference, Guam

- 2000 Presented a paper, "Japanese Simultaneous Interpretation & Memory Efficient Approach" at CAS (College of Arts and Sciences) conference, University of Guam.
- 1997 Presented a paper: "Tourism for Novice High" at Asian Business Language Conference held at Park City, Utah.
- 1996 Presented a paper: "Games as application drills in the beginner's class" at the Language Arts Conference, Guam.
- 1995 Presented a paper, "A Surface X-Bar Theory and its Implication for Language Acquisition" at the College of Arts and Sciences Research Conference held at University of Guam.
- 1994 Presented the following 2 papers: "Memory Efficient Approach to Teaching Japanese" and "Mental Parser Model as an Inductive Language Acquisition Model," at annual conference of Asian Studies on the Pacific Coast held in Guam

COMMUNITY SERVICE (outside of the university community)

- 2009-2014 An invited speaker to promote Japanese Language program of University of Guam at Annual Career day at George Washington High School.
- 2008-2009 One time consultant for a local newspaper (Pacific Daily News)'s journalist regarding becoming the multilingual.
- Speaker at the meeting with local Japanese teachers of secondary schools sponsored by Japanese Teachers Association of Guam at GCC
- 2007-2008 Assistant for Japan Foundation in updating their web page about Guam's Japanese language Education
- 2006-2007 Developed "internship for UOG students learning Japanese" relation with Louis Vuitton of Guam
- 2005-2006 Assistant for Japan Foundation in updating their web page about Guam's Japanese language Education
- Developed "internship for UOG students learning Japanese" relation with Westin Resort of Guam
- 2004-2005 Assistant for Japan Foundation in updating their web page about Guam's Japanese language Education
- 2000-2001 Friendship and Cultural Exchange with Nippon University, Tokyo
- Friendship and Cultural Exchange with Northan Mariana high schools
- 1999-2000 The 8th All-Guam Secondary School Language Competition (a fund-raiser: I raised \$1600.)

- 1998-1999 The 7th All-Guam Secondary School Language Competition (a fund-raiser: I raised \$1600.)
- 1997-1998 The 6th All-Guam Secondary School Language Competition (The Coordinator of Japanese Language Competition and a fund raiser; I raised \$1,600.)
- 1996-1997 The 5th All-Guam Secondary School Language Competition (Co-chair); As the co-chair I raised prizes for the winners which no chair of the Competition did before.
- Translated "Stone Shaper's Daughter" by TK Cassidy, from English to Japanese, which was published on Guam
- Served for the award for the workshops for Japanese secondary school teachers, native and non-native speakers of Japanese, sponsored by Japan Foundation; Two high school teachers on Guam won the award and attended the workshops.
- 1994-1995 The 3rd All-Guam High School Invitational Competition in Modern languages
- Translated "Japan Occupation of Guam" into English with Dr. T. Guile
- The 4th All-Guam Secondary School Language Competition (Co-chair)
- 1993-1994 The 2nd All-Guam High School Invitational Competition in Modern languages

UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY SERVICE

- 2021-2022 Philosophy Search Committee
- 2018-2022 Overseas Exchange Committee
- 2019 Subcommittee of University Curriculum Review Committee
- 2019-2020 Three New faculty members' Reappointment Review Committee
- 2012-2019 Ad Hoc Union Election Committee
- Coordinator of Modern language (digital) Lab
- Chamorro language Search Committee (only 2013-4)
- 2009-2011 Ad Hoc Union Election Committee

Coordinator of Modern language (digital) Lab
Linguistic Search Committee (only 2010-11)

2008-2009 Ad Hoc Union Election Committee
Acting chair of Modern Language Committee (Tagalog adjuncts pool)
WASC Poster Presentation of the Japanese Studies Program
Advisor of the student organization, *Nihon Bunka Kai* 'Japanese Culture Club'
CLASS Curriculum Committee
Coordinator of Modern language (digital) Lab

2007-2008 Found an external reviewer for Japanese Studies Program Review, as a member of a faculty of the Japanese Studies
The chair of Ad Hoc UOG Faculty Union Election Committee
Joined Major Affair as the Japanese Studies faculty member
Vice Chair of Japanese Scholarship Committee
Chamorro Search Committee
Coordinator of Modern language (digital) Lab
Advisor of the student organization, *Nihon Bunka Kai* 'Japanese Culture Club'

2006-2007 An Instructor of one time Japanese class offered on CLASS Staff Development Day
Ad Hoc UOG Faculty Union Election Committee
Acting Coordinator of the Japanese Studies Program
Coordinator of Modern language (digital) Lab
Advisor of the student organization, *Nihon Bunka Kai* 'Japanese Culture Club'
Continuing Employment Committee

2005-2006 Ad Hoc UOG Faculty Union Election Committee

Writer of the two major sections “Mission” and “Student” of the Self-Study Report for Japanese Studies Program Review
 Coordinator of Modern language (digital) Lab
 Advisor of the student organization, *Nihon Bunka Kai* ‘Japanese Culture Club’

2004-2005 Coordinator of Modern language (digital) Lab
 Coordinator of Japanese Studies Program
 Tagalog Search Committee

2003-2004 Coordinator of Modern language (digital) Lab
 Coordinator of Japanese Studies Program

2002-2003 Coordinator of Modern language (digital) Lab
 Coordinator of Japanese Studies Program

2000-2001 Modern Language Executive Committee
 Coordinator of Modern language (digital) Lab
 Coordinator of Japanese Studies Program
 Assistant for a new faculty to locate in Guam
 Continuing Employment Committee

1999-2000 CAS (College of Arts and Science) Curriculum Committee
 Faculty Council Committee
 Modern Language Executive Committee
 Coordinator of Modern language (digital) Lab
 Coordinator of Japanese Studies Program

1998-1999 Charter day Committee (Academic Challenge Bowl)
 Curriculum Committee (College of Arts and Sciences)
 Promotion and Tenure Committee
 Faculty Council Committee

- Japanese search Committee
- Chamorro Search Committee
- Won the donation of Japanese language teaching material which worth about \$1500 as a Japan Foundation's grant, Teaching Material Donation Program
- 1997-1998 Fund raiser for Language Lab at HSS building
- CAS Conference
- Charterday Committee (Academic Challenge Bowl)
- Curriculum Committee
- Cooperated a Japanese scholar with her survey on Japanese Language courses in Guam funded by Sasagawa Foundation in Japan
- Administration of Japanese SAT test by Educational Testing Center (ETC) (fall, 1997)
- Served for Tour Award for Outstanding Students by Japan Foundation
- 1996-1997 Charter day Committee (Academic Challenge Bowl)
- Administration of Japanese SAT test by Educational Testing Center (ETC) (spring, 1997)
- Served for Tour Award for Outstanding Students by Japan Foundation
- 1995-1996 Conference course (Business Japanese II)
- 1994-1995 CAS Research Conference
- 1993-1994 Japanese Search Committee

PERSONAL DATA

Citizenship: [REDACTED]
 Marital status: [REDACTED]
 Address in Japan: [REDACTED]