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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2016- Assistant Professor, Department of Geography, Rutgers University
Affiliate member, Rutgers Advance Institute for Critical Caribbean Studies
Affiliate member, Rutgers Climate Institute
Affiliate member, Rutgers Institute for Earth, Oceanic and Atmospheric Sciences
- 2017- Visiting Lecturer, Department of Geography & Geology, UWI

Past Appointments/Fellowships

- 2015-2016 Head of Section (Geography), Department of Geography & Geology, UWI
- 2013 Tenured, UWI
- 2012-2013 Visiting Fellow, Kellogg College, Oxford University UK
- 2010-2016 Lecturer, Department of Geography & Geology, UWI
- 2007-2010 Assistant Lecturer, Department of Geography & Geology, University of the West Indies (UWI)

EDUCATION

- 2010 Ph.D. in Geography, University of the West Indies, Mona Campus
Dissertation: “Tourism-agriculture linkages in Jamaica: Prospects and challenges”
Committee: David Barker (Chair), David Dodman, Susan Mains and Janet Momsen (External)
- 2003 B.A. in Geography (Hons.), University of the West Indies, Mona Campus

OTHER PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS AND ELECTED POSITIONS

- 2018 Vice-President, Global Water Partnership – Caribbean
- 2018 Expert Reviewer for Government of Jamaica, IPCC Special Report on 1.5C
- 2017-2018 Contributing Author to IPCC Special Report on 1.5C
- 2018- Editor, Geography Compass (Development Section)
- 2016- Editorial Board member for the RGS-IBG Book Series
- 2014- Appointed member of the Jamaica Civil Society Consulting Group (ConSOC), The Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)
- 2014 - Steering Committee member, Global Water Partnership - Caribbean
- 2014- Editorial Committee member, Caribbean Geography Journal
- 2010-2015 President, Jamaican Geographical Society (JGS)
- 2007-2010 Vice President, Jamaican Geographical Society (JGS)

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2012-2013 British Commonwealth Postdoctoral Fellowship
- 2013 Faculty Award for Outstanding Achievement in Teaching Assessment, Faculty of Science & Technology, UWI
- 2012 Principal's Research Award for 'Project with the Greatest Business/Economic/Development Impact' in the Faculty of Social Sciences, UWI
- 2007 Prime Minister's National Youth Award for Excellence in the field of Academics (Postgraduate Category), Government of Jamaica.

FUNDED RESEARCH

- 2018-2019 Co-Principal Investigator (w/ Carter Mathes), "Global Climate Change and the Caribbean: Climate, History and Responsibility" Project funded under a Rutgers Global Grant, totaling \$8,000
- 2015-2016 Co-Investigator (w/t Z. Guido, C. Vaughan, M. Madajewicz, T. Buizer, J. Finan, D. Liverman et al.), "Integrating Climate Information and Decision Processes for Regional Climate Resilience" Project funded under a Sub-award Agreement with Columbia University NY, totaling US\$83,985.
- 2013-2015 Co-Principal Investigator (w/t A. Farrell), "Climate Impacts and Resilience in Caribbean Agriculture (CIRCA): Assessing the consequences of climate change on cocoa and tomato production in Trinidad & Tobago and Jamaica". Funded by the CARIBSAVE Partnership and the Climate and Development Knowledge Network (CDKN), totaling US\$145,000.
- 2013-2015 Principal Investigator, "Building Climate Resilient Urban Communities in the Caribbean: Prospects and Challenges". Project funded under Principal's New Initiatives Grant, UWI Mona, grant totaling US\$15,000.
- 2013-2014 Principal Investigator (w/t A. Baptiste, D. Webber and M. Webber), "A Socioeconomic Census and Carrying Capacity Study of the Pedro Cays: Northeast and Middle Cays, Jamaica". Funded by the Fisheries Division, Ministry of Agriculture & Fisheries, Government of Jamaica, funds totaling US\$46,023.72.
- 2012-2013 Principal Investigator (w/t D. Barker and D. Campbell), "Promoting Market Competitiveness and Adaptation to Climate Change among Smallholder Farmers in Jamaica". Funded by the USAID under a USAID Fixed Obligation Development Grant, funds totaling US\$97,851.59.
- 2011 Co-Principal Investigator (C. Ostertag), "Feasibility Study for the Establishment of a Jamaica Market Access Initiative (JAMAI) Program", Funded by Oxfam LAC, funds totaling US\$18,000.00.
- 2011 Principal Investigator, "Adaptation by agricultural communities to climate change through participatory & supply chain inclusive management". Funded by the International Centre for Tropical Agriculture (CIAT), funds totaling US\$9,000.00.

REFEREED SCHOLARLY PUBLICATIONS

Books and Edited Collections

- 2018 Rhiney, K. & Popke, J. (forthcoming, special themed issue) The Caribbean after Irma and Maria: Climate, Development and the Post-Hurricane Context. *Journal of Extreme Events.*
- 2016 Barker, D., McGregor, D., **Rhiney, K.** & T. Edwards. *Global Change and the Caribbean: Adaptation and Resilience.* Kingston: The University of the West Indies Press

- 2016 Beckford, C. & **Rhiney**, K. *Globalization, Agriculture and Food in the Caribbean: Climate Change, Gender and Geography*. London: Palgrave-Macmillan.
- 2016 Baptiste, A. & **Rhiney**, K. Special Issue: Climate Justice and the Caribbean, *Geoforum*, 73 (July 2016).

Journal Articles and Book Chapters

- 2018 **Rhiney**, K. Climate change and the future of agriculture in the Caribbean: Prospects for South-South cooperation. In E. Fiddian-Qasmiyeh and P. Daley (Eds.), *Handbook on South-South Relations*. London: Routledge.
- 2018 **Rhiney**, K. & Cruse, R. Placing the music: Kingston, reggae music and the rise of popular culture. In L. Brett, K. Spracklen, S. Wagg and M-S Yavuz (eds.) *Sounds and the City: Volume 2*. London: Palgrave-Macmillan.
- 2018 **Rhiney**, K., Eitzinger, A., Farrell, A. & Praeger, S. Assessing the biophysical and socio-economic consequences of a 1.5C world on Jamaica's agriculture sector, *Regional Environmental Change*. doi:10.1007/s10113-018-1409-4
- 2018 **Rhiney**, K. Beyond the binary trap: global change, vulnerability and the co-production of resilience among Caribbean farmers, *Small Axe* 57: 68-80. doi: 10.1215/07990537-7249150
- 2018 Farrell, A., **Rhiney**, K. & Eitzinger, A. Climate adaptation in minor crop species: Is the cocoa breeding network prepared for climate change? *Agroecology and Sustainable Food Systems* 42(7): 812-833. doi: 10.1080/21683565.2018.1448924.
- 2018 Lester, S. & **Rhiney**, K. Going beyond basic access to improved water sources: Towards deriving a water accessibility index, *Habitat International* 73, 129–140. doi:10.1016/j.habitatint.2018.02.001
- 2018 Tomlinson, J. & **Rhiney**, K. Experiential learning as a tool for farmer engagement and empowerment in a changing regional climate, *Caribbean Quarterly*, 64(1): 114-135. doi: 10.1080/00086495.2018.1435342
- 2018 Tomlinson, J. & **Rhiney**, K. Assessing the Role of Farmer Field Schools in Promoting Pro-Adaptive Behavior and Attitude Toward Climate Change in Jamaica, *Journal of Environmental Studies and Sciences*, 8(1): 86-98. doi: 10.1007/s13412-017-0461-6
- 2018 Guido, Z., Finan, T., **Rhiney**, K., Roundtree, V., Johnson, E. & McCook, G. The stresses and dynamics of smallholder coffee systems in Jamaica's Blue Mountains: A case for the potential role of climate services, *Climatic Change* 147(1): 253-266. doi: 10.1007/s10584-017-2125-7
- 2017 **Rhiney**, K., Eitzinger, A., Farrell, A.D. & Taylor, M.A. Assessing the vulnerability of Caribbean farmers to climate change impacts: a comparative study of cocoa farmers in Jamaica and Trinidad. In E. Thomas-Hope (Ed.) *Climate Change and Food Security: Africa and the Caribbean*. London and New York: Routledge, pp. 59-69.
- 2016 **Rhiney**, K., Campbell, D. & Barker, D. Geographies of Vulnerability and Resilience of Rural Farming Communities in Jamaica to Climate Variability and Change: A Comparative Analysis. In D. Barker, D. McGregor, K. Rhiney & T. Edwards (Eds.), *Global Change and the Caribbean: Adaptation and Resilience*. Kingston: The University of the West Indies Press, pp. 89-114.
- 2016 Baptiste, A.K. & **Rhiney**, K. Climate justice and the Caribbean: An introduction, *Geoforum* 73 (1), pp. 17-21. doi:10.1016/j.geoforum.2016.04.008
- 2016 **Rhiney**, K. From Plantations to Services: A Historical and Theoretical Assessment of the Transition from Agrarian to Service-based Industries in the Caribbean. In C. Beckford and K. Rhiney (Eds.) *Globalization, Agriculture and Food in the Caribbean: Climate Change, Gender and Geography*. London: Palgrave-Macmillan, pp. 23-50 (Chapter 2). doi: 10.1057/978-1-137-53837-6_2

- 2016 Beckford, C & **Rhiney**, K. Geographies of Globalization, Climate Change, Food and Agriculture in the Caribbean. In C. Beckford and K. Rhiney (Eds.) *Globalization, Agriculture and Food in the Caribbean: Climate Change, Gender and Geography*. London: Palgrave-Macmillan (Chapter 1), pp. 3-22. doi: [10.1057/978-1-137-53837-6_1](https://doi.org/10.1057/978-1-137-53837-6_1)
- 2016 Beckford, C & **Rhiney**, K. Future of Food and Agriculture in the Caribbean in the Context of Climate Change and Globalization: Where Do We Go from Here? In C. Beckford and K. Rhiney (Eds.) *Globalization, Agriculture and Food in the Caribbean: Climate Change, Gender and Geography*. London: Palgrave-Macmillan, pp. 267-295 (Chapter 11). doi: [10.1057/978-1-137-53837-6_11](https://doi.org/10.1057/978-1-137-53837-6_11)
- 2015 Smith, R. & **Rhiney**, K. Climate Change, Vulnerability, Land and Livelihoods: The case of the Black Caribs in Northeastern St. Vincent, *Geoforum* 73 (1), pp. 22-31. doi:[10.1016/j.geoforum.2015.11.008](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.geoforum.2015.11.008)
- 2015 **Rhiney**, K. Geographies of Caribbean Vulnerability in a Changing Climate: Issues and Trends, *Geography Compass*, 9(3), pp. 97-114. doi:[10.1111/gec3.12199](https://doi.org/10.1111/gec3.12199)
- 2013 Abdulkadri, A., **Rhiney**, K. & Waller, L.G. A Comparative Economic Analysis of National Economies Under the CARICOM Single Market and Economy: Towards a New Economic Geography (NEG) Model, *Global Development Studies*, Vol. 7, Nos 1-2, Winter-Spring 2013-2014.
- 2012 **Rhiney**, K. & Cruse, R. Trench Town Rock: Reggae music, landscape inscription and the making of place in Kingston, Jamaica, *Urban Studies* 2012 (12). doi:[10.1155/2012/585160](https://doi.org/10.1155/2012/585160)
- 2012 Jaffe, R., **Rhiney**, K. & Francis, C. Throw word: Graffiti, Space and Power in Kingston Jamaica, *Caribbean Quarterly* 58(1): pp. 1-20.
- 2012 **Rhiney**, K. The Negril Tourism Industry: growth, challenges and future prospects, *Caribbean Journal of Earth Sciences*, 43(1): pp. 25-34
- 2011 **Rhiney**, K. Agri-tourism Linkages in Jamaica: Case Study of the Negril All-inclusive Hotel Sub-sector. In R. Torres & J. Momsen (eds.) *Tourism and Agriculture: New Geographies of Consumption, Production and Rural Restructuring*. London and New York: Routledge, pp. 117-138.
- 2011 Cruse, R. & **Rhiney**, K. Reggae identité et paysage urbain dans un bidonville de Kingston-ouest, *L'Espace Politique*. Available online at: <http://espacepolitique.revues.org/index1997.html>
- 2010 **Rhiney**, K. Text and Textuality. In Wharf, B. (ed.) *Encyclopedia of Human Geography*. London: SAGE, pp. 482-484.
- 2009 **Rhiney**, K. Forging New Linkages in a Changing Global Economy? The Case of Cooperatives and their Link with the Negril Tourism Industry, Jamaica, *Caribbean Geography*, 15(2): pp. 142-159.
- 2009 **Rhiney**, K. (Re)Defining the Link? Globalisation, Tourism and the Jamaican Food Network. In D. McGregor, D. Barker and D. Dodman (eds.) *Global Change and Caribbean Vulnerability: Environment, Economy and Society at Risk?* Kingston: The University of the West Indies Press, pp 237-258.
- 2008 Dodman, D. & **Rhiney**, K. We Nyammin? Food Supply, Authenticity and the Tourist Experience in Negril, Jamaica. In M. Daye, D. Chambers & S. Roberts (eds.) *New Perspectives in Caribbean Tourism*. London and New York: Routledge, pp. 115-132.

Submitted or Under Review

- (w/ Ajayi, O). Prospects and challenges for developing sustainable agriculture-based value chains in the Caribbean in the face of climate change, *Climate and Development*

- (w/ Baptiste, A). The Caribbean and the Global Climate Problem: A Possible Developmental Crossroads? *Caribbean Studies*
- Re-thinking resilience and its ethico-political possibilities. Book forum in *Dialogues in Human Geography* (accepted).
- Rhiney, K. Recipe for resilience? Tracing the biopolitics of Sint Maarten's recovery efforts after Maria, *Journal of Extreme Events*.

In Preparation

- (w/ Guido, Z., Knudson, C., Madajewicz, M & Finnan, T.). Shocks and cherries: vulnerability among Jamaican Blue Mountain coffee farmers
- (w/ Walker, T). Challenges and opportunities for coastal adaptation planning in Negril, Jamaica
- (w/ Noxolo, P., Featherstone, D., Mains, S., Cummings, R., Jaffe, R. & Anim-Addo, A). *In/securities in the Caribbean* – jointly authored monograph. *Routledge*.
- Contours of resistance: a genealogy of radical black intellectual thought in the Anglophone Caribbean

Encyclopedia Entries and Other Outputs

- 2016 Rhiney, K. Jamaican Geographical Society. In Douglas Richardson (ed.) *The International Encyclopedia of Geography: People, the Earth, Environment, and Technology*. Wiley-Blackwell.
- 2013 “Post-colonial futures: The Caribbean in dialogue”, Interview w/David Howard, Oxford University, 12 June, 2013 (Podcast) <https://podcasts.ox.ac.uk/postcolonial-futures-caribbean-dialogue>
- 2010 Rhiney, K. Agri-tourism Linkages in Jamaica: Prospects and Challenges”, *CaribXplorer Magazine*

TECHNICAL REPORTS

- 2018 Rhiney, K. & Ajayi, O. Economic impacts of climate change on priority value chains in the Caribbean: Implications for private-sector investment and scaling-up of climate smart agriculture in the region. Netherlands: The Technical Centre for Agricultural and Rural Cooperation. ISBN: 978-92-9081-632-4 [Available online]
- 2015 Eitzinger, A., Rhiney, K., Farrell, A., Carmona, S., van Loosen, I., & Taylor, M. “Jamaica: Assessing the Impact of Climate Change on Cocoa and Tomato”, CIAT Policy Brief No. 28. Centro Internacional de Agricultura Tropical (CIAT), Cali, Colombia, 6 pp. [Available online]
- 2015 Eitzinger, A., Farrell, A. Rhiney, K., Carmona, S., van Loosen, I., & Taylor, M. “Trinidad: Assessing the Impact of Climate Change on Cocoa and Tomato”, CIAT Policy Brief No. 27. Centro Internacional de Agricultura Tropical (CIAT), Cali, Colombia, 6 pp. [Available online]
- 2015 Rhiney, K., Taylor, M., Stephenson, T., Mandal, A., Waller, L., Tomlinson, & J. Campbell, J. “Towards the Development of a Climate Change Agricultural Sector Strategy and Action Plan – Jamaica: Situational Analysis”. Technical report submitted to the ACDI VOCA and the United States Agency for International Development (USAID), 80 pp.
- 2015 Rhiney, K. “The Potential for Agrotourism Development in the Caribbean”, Technical report prepared for the Technical Centre for Cooperation on Agriculture (CTA) and the Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture (IICA), 128 pp.

- 2015 Rhiney, K. “The State of Climate Smart Agriculture in the Caribbean: Final Country Report – Jamaica”, Technical report prepared for the Inter-American Institute for Corporation on Agriculture (IICA), 35 pp.
- 2015 Rhiney, K., Shalkowski, A., Webber, D., Webber, M., Meggs, L., Allen, R. & Baptiste, A. “Socioeconomic Census and Carrying Capacity Study of the Pedro Cays: Northeast Cay and Middle Cay”. Technical report prepared for the Fisheries Division, Ministry of Agriculture, 179 pp.
- 2014 Jones, E., McCalla, W., Pounder, C., Rhiney, K., Taylor, M., Campbell, J. & Barnett, A. “National Adaptation Strategy and Action Plan to Address Climate Change in the Water Sector in St. Kitts and Nevis”. Technical report submitted to the Caribbean Community Climate Change Center, 50 pp.
- 2013 Rhiney, K., Abdulkadri, A., Waller, L., Walcott A. & Hill, S. “Report on Consultancy for the Development of a Set of Tools to Facilitate Comparative Analysis between Less Developing Countries and More Developed Countries within the CARICOM Single Market & Economy: Predictions of Agglomeration”. Technical report prepared for the Caribbean Development Fund (CDF), 114 pp.
- 2013 Rhiney, K., Barker, D. & Campbell, D. “Promoting Marketing Competitiveness and Adaptation to Climate Change among Smallholder Farmers Programme”. Technical report prepared for the USAID Jamaica Office and ACIDI VOCA, 86 pp.
- 2012 Taylor, M., Kirton, C., Rhiney, K., Rankine, D. & Sutherland, R. “Climate Change, Agriculture and Food Security Study of the Caribbean”, prepared for the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), 118 pp.
- 2012 Rhiney, K. “Country Report on Status of Agriculture and Fisheries in Jamaica in Preparation for the Rio+20 United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development (UNCSD)”, prepared for the Ministry of Water, Land, Environment and Climate Change (GoJ) and the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), 31 pp.
- 2012 Waller, L., Anglin, P., Rhiney, K., Daley, G., Hill, S. Johnson, S. & Walcott, A. “Electronic Youth Programmatic Inventory and Gap Analysis”, prepared for the National Centre for Youth and Development (NCYD) & Ministry of Youth and Culture (GoJ), 93 pp.
- 2011 Rhiney, K. & Gatchair, S. “Jamaica National Youth Mainstreaming Strategy and Manual Documents”, prepared for the National Centre for Youth and Development (NCYD) and the Ministry of Youth and Culture, Government of Jamaica, 58 pp. and 35 pp.
- 2011 Rhiney, K. & Ostertag, C. “Review of current Jamaican agricultural intermediaries relative to business model and goods and services offered to local farmers and buyers”, prepared for Oxfam LAC, 65 pp.
- 2010 Clarke, J., Michel C. & Rhiney, K. “Feasibility Study on both Existing and New Sustainable Livelihood Initiatives for Communities around the Central Forest Reserve National Park, St. Kitts”, prepared for the Department of Environment, Government of St. Kitts and Nevis, 87 pp.
- 2010 Rhiney, K. & Thomas, D. “Analytical Study on Industry within Jamaica in preparation of a National Spatial Plan”, prepared for the National Environment and Planning Agency (NEPA) and the Office of the Prime Minister, Government of Jamaica, 55 pp.
- 2008 Rhiney, K. & Guyah, T. “Country Report to the CARICOM Commission on Youth Development (CCYD) on the Situation of Youth in the Jamaica”, prepared for the National Centre for Youth Development (NCYD), Ministry of Information, Culture, Youth and Sports, Government of Jamaica and the CARICOM Secretariat, 77 pp.

PAPERS PRESENTED

Academic Conferences and Seminars

- 2018 “The Caribbean after Irma and Maria: climate, history, responsibility”, *Annual Meeting of the American Association of Geographers (AAG)*, New Orleans, Louisiana, April 11.
- 2018 “Climate vulnerability and adaptation: new directions in identifying users and needs for climate information services”, *Annual Meeting of the American Association of Geographers (AAG)*, New Orleans, Louisiana, April 11.
- 2017 “Reading in/security beyond human geographies”, *Second Caribbean In/securities and Creativity Conference (CARISCC)*, University of Leeds, UK, March 8.
- 2017 “Livelihood Insecurities of Caribbean Farmers to Global Change”, *Caribbean Studies Association Conference*, Nassau, Bahamas, June 7.
- 2017 “Assessing the Potential Impacts of Projected Climate-induced Stresses on the Cocoa and Tomato Subsectors in Jamaica”, *Annual Meeting of the American Association of Geographers (AAG)*, Boston, Massachusetts, April 9.
- 2016 Rhiney, K. & J. Tomlinson. “Using Farmer Field Schools to Build Climate Resilience in Jamaica”, *Annual Meeting of the American Association of Geographers (AAG)*, San Francisco, California, April 2.
- 2015 Rhiney, K., Taylor, M., Mandal, A., Stephenson, T., Campbell, J., Tomlinson, J. & L. Waller. “Towards Developing a Climate Change Strategy and Action Plan for Jamaica’s Agriculture Sector: Overview and Insights”, *Climate-Smart Agriculture Symposium*, Kingston, Jamaica, July 16.
- 2015 “Climate Impacts and Resilience in Caribbean Agriculture”, *IV Congreso sobre Cambio Climático*, Havana, Cuba, July 7.
- 2015 “Agritourism Potential in the Caribbean: Lessons for the Pacific”, *Inaugural Pacific Week of Agriculture and Agribusiness Forum*, Nadi, Fiji, July 2.
- 2015 “Vulnerability and Resilience Among Caribbean Farmers to Climatic Variability and Change: Case Study of Cocoa Farmers”, *Commonwealth Geographical Bureau (CGB) Meeting*, Kingston, Jamaica, April 14
- 2015 Tomlinson, J. & K. Rhiney “Experiential Learning, Resilience Building and Climate Change: A case study of rural smallholder farmers in Northern Clarendon, Jamaica”, *Commonwealth Geographical Bureau (CGB) Meeting*, Kingston, Jamaica, April 15.
- 2015 Rhiney, K., Lopez-Marrero, T. & T. Walker. “Building Climate Resilient Urban Communities in the Caribbean: Insights from Jamaica”, *Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers (AAG)*, Chicago, Illinois, April 21.
- 2015 “The Caribbean in the throes of a Changing Climate?” *Integrated Management of Water Resources and Adaptation of Family Farming to Climate Change Workshop* hosted by the Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture (IICA), Georgetown, Guyana, September 14.
- 2015 “Adapting Family Farms to a Changing Caribbean Climate: Some Perspectives on Managing Climate Risks”. *Integrated Management of Water Resources and Adaptation of Family Farming to Climate Change Workshop* hosted by the Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture (IICA), Georgetown, Guyana, September 15.
- 2015 “Climate Impacts and Resilience in the Caribbean: Report on Work Package 3”. *The UWI/CARIBSAVE/CDKN Stakeholder Consultation Workshop*, Kingston, Jamaica, January 22.

- 2014 “Overview of socio-economic drivers of vulnerability in the Caribbean Region”. *The International Research Applications Program (IRAP) Climate Workshop: Integrating Climate Information and Decision Processes for Regional Climate Resilience*, Kingston Jamaica, May 29.
- 2014 “Small Rural producers and Climate-Smart Agriculture in the Caribbean Project: Jamaica Country Report”. *The IFAD-IICA Regional Workshop*, Gros Islet, Saint Lucia, September 2-3.
- 2014 “Geographies of Caribbean Vulnerability to Climate Variability and Change”. *69th Meeting of the South-Eastern Division of the Association of American Geographers (SEDAAG)*, Athens, Georgia, November 24.
- 2014 Rhiney, K., Farrell, A. & C. Francis. “Building crop resilience to climate change in the insular Caribbean”. *Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers (AAG)*, Tampa, Florida, April 11.
- 2014 “Small Farmer Vulnerability to Climate Change: Case Studies of Selected Farming Communities in Jamaica”. *The 7th MaGrann Conference – The Caribbean at Risk: From Hazard Adaptation to Societal Transformation*, New Brunswick, New Jersey. May 2.
- 2014 K. Rhiney, K., Campbell, D. & D. Barker. “Geographies of Vulnerability and Resilience of Rural Farming Communities in Jamaica to Climate Variability and Change: A Comparative Analysis”. *The 6th British-Caribbean Geographers Conference*, Kingston Jamaica, June 23-27.
- 2013 “Opportunities for Climate proofing Jamaica’s Agriculture Sector”. *The Climate Departure Seminar*, hosted by the UWI’s Institute of Sustainable Development and Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung, Kingston, Jamaica, December 9.
- 2013 Rhiney, K., Hines, C. & D. Campbell. “Effects of socio-environmental triggers on asthma-related hospital admissions in Kingston, Jamaica”. *Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers (AAG)*, Los Angeles, California, April 12.
- 2012 Waller, L., Rhiney, K. & A. Symmonds. “Measuring Caribbean Integration: Towards developing a model that measures disparities and cohesion among CARICOM member states”, *The 5th CARICOM Regional Statistical Research Seminar*, St. Georges, Grenada, November 1.
- 2012 Rhiney K. & T. Chambers, “Improving Market Access among Smallholder Farmers through the Adoption of Alternative Business Models: Oxfam’s experience in the Caribbean”. *SALISES 50/50 Global Climate Change and Rural Resilience Conference*, Kingston, Jamaica, May 10.
- 2012 Northover, P. & K. Rhiney. “Vision 50/50 – Tackling Constraints and Promoting Pathways to Rural Resilience”. *SALISES 50/50 Global Climate Change and Rural Resilience Conference*, Kingston, Jamaica, May 10.
- 2012 Rhiney, K. & D. Barker. “Arriving at an Appropriate Theoretical Framework to Assessing Small Farmers’ Vulnerability to Global Economic and Environmental Change: Examples from Jamaica”. *The First International Workshop on the Making of the Caribbean Region*, Université des Antilles et de la Guyane (UAG), Fort de France, Martinique, April 23.
- 2012 “Enhancing Market Access for Smallholder Farmers using Alternative Business Models: Case Study of the JAMAI”. *Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers (AAG)*, New York, February 25.
- 2012 Rhiney, K. & A. Farrell. “Climate Proof Crops for the Caribbean: Assessing Spatial and Cost Implications of Climate Change on Cocoa and Tomato Production in Trinidad & Tobago and Jamaica”. *CARIBSAVE Partnership Caribbean Climate and Development Research Call Proposal Development Workshop*, St. Michaels, Barbados, June 26.

- 2012 Rhiney, K., Campbell, D. and D. Barker, "Impacts of Climate Change on Coffee Production in Jamaica: Preliminary insights [Poster]. *Annual Meeting of the South-Eastern Division of the Association of American Geographers (SEDAAG)*, Asheville, North Carolina, November 18-20.
- 2011 "Enhancing markets, preserving livelihoods: Making the case for stronger agri-tourism linkages in Jamaica". *The Université des Antilles et de la Guyane's Graduate Seminar*, Fort de France, Martinique, December 7.
- 2011 Rhiney, K. & R. Kinlocke, "Urban Livelihood Responses to New Trade Regulations for the Jamaican Scrap Metal Industry". *Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers (AAG)*, Seattle, Washington, April 15.
- 2010 "Citizens Associations and Participatory Urban Governance: The Case of the Portmore Municipality, Jamaica". *Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers (AAG)*, Washington DC, April 15.
- 2009 K. Rhiney & D. Campbell. "Boosting local capacity and strengthening linkages: farmers' groups and their supply links with the Jamaican tourism industry". *Meeting on Food Security and Agricultural Development in the Americas*, Kingston, Jamaica, July 28.
- 2009 "Trench Town Rock: Reggae Music, Identity and Place Contestations in Trench Town, Kingston". *Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers (AAG)*, Las Vegas, Nevada, March 24.
- 2008 Rhiney, K., Jaffe, R. & C. Francis "Contested Spaces, Contesting Identities? Graffiti, Space and Power in Kingston Jamaica". *Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers (AAG)*, Boston, Massachusetts, April 17.
- 2007 "Forging New Linkages in a Changing Global Economy? The Case of Farmers' Cooperatives and their link with the Negril Tourism Industry, Jamaica". *Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographer (AAG)*, San Francisco, California, April 18.
- 2006 "(Re)Defining the Link? Globalization, Tourism and the Jamaican Food Network". *5th British-Caribbean Geographers Conference, "Global Change and Caribbean Vulnerability: Environment, Economy and Society at Risk?"* Kingston, Jamaica, July 26.
- 2006 "Food Supply, Authenticity and the Tourist Experience in Negril". *The 31st Annual Conference of the Caribbean Studies Association*, Port of Spain, Trinidad & Tobago, May 29.
- 2005 "Tourism and its Linkage with the Local Food-Supply Network: A Case Study of Negril, Jamaica". *Annual Meeting of the South-Eastern Division of the Association of American Geographers (SEDAAG)*, West Palm Beach, Florida, November 22.

Invited Lectures, Presentations and Plenaries

- 2018 "Land and resource geographies". 8th Nature-Society Workshop: Engaging the Intersections of Nature-Society Geography. Pennsylvania State University, State College, September 21-22.
- 2018 "Dangerous grounds: Climate change and the future of agriculture in the Caribbean" 19th Annual SALISES Conference, Montego Bay, Jamaica, April 2018
- 2018 "Assessing the coupled human-environmental impacts of global change on smallholder coffee farmers in Jamaica", Dartmouth College, Hanover NH, May 7.
- 2018 "Climate change, global imperialism and the Caribbean: existential threats or developmental crossroads?" University of Western Ontario, Canada, March 8.
- 2017 "Assessing the coupled human-environmental impacts of global change on smallholder coffee farmers in Jamaica", *Human Ecology Speaker Series, Rutgers University*, October 11.

- 2017 “Agroecology and Environmental Futures”. 7th Nature-Society Workshop. Clark University, Worcester, September 15-16.
- 2016 “Vulnerability, resilience and livelihood in/securities to global change in Jamaica’s agriculture sector”, *Postgraduate conference on Caribbean In/Securities and Creativity*, University of Birmingham UK, May 23.
- 2013 “Climate change, agriculture and food insecurity in the Caribbean: Insights from Jamaica”, Globe Lecture Series, Amsterdam Institute for Social Science Research (AISSR), University of Amsterdam, February 28.
- 2013 “Farming Against the Odds: Global change and small-scale farmer vulnerability in the Caribbean”, *Kellogg Sustainability Seminar Series*, Oxford University, UK, March 8.
- 2012 “Promoting Climate-smart Agriculture in the Caribbean using Crop-prediction Models: Examples from Jamaica”, *Colgate University*, Hamilton New York, March 8.
- 2011 “Agri-tourism Linkages in Jamaica: Case Study of the Negril Tourism Industry”. *The International Centre for Tropical Agriculture Guest Speaker Series*, Cali, Colombia, May 31.

Workshops and Paper Sessions Organized

- 2018 Panel session co-organizer (with Jeff Popke), “The Caribbean after Irma and Maria: climate, history, responsibility”, Annual Meeting of the American Association of Geographers (AAG), New Orleans (LA), April 11.
- 2015 Paper session co-organizer and chair (with April Baptiste), “Political Ecology, Water (In)Security and Natural Resources Management”, *Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers*, Chicago (IL), April 21-25.
- 2015 Paper session co-organizer (with April Baptiste), “The Caribbean at the Crossroads of Global Change 1: Exploring the Human-Environment Nexus”, *Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers*, Chicago (IL), April 21-25.
- 2015 Organized stakeholder policy workshop on “Climate Impacts and Resilience in Caribbean Agriculture (CIRCA)” as part of reporting of results activities for the CARIBSAVE-CDKN project. Kingston, Jamaica, on January 22.
- 2014 Paper session co-organizer (with Tania Lopez-Marrero and April Baptiste), “Climate Justice and Hazards Adaptation in the Caribbean (1 & 2)”, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Tampa FL, April 9-12.
- 2014 Organized workshop on “Climate Services in the Agriculture Sector” as part of a summer internship project spearheaded by the UWI, Mona Campus in collaboration with the University of Arizona and Columbia University. Kingston, Jamaica, July.
- 2011 Paper session chair and co-organizer (with David Barker, David Miller and Benjamin Timms) “Caribbean Responses to Global Change (1 and 2)”, *Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers*, Seattle, Washington, April 12-16.
- 2009 Paper session co-organiser (with Terri Moreau), “Landscape inscriptions and place identities.” *Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers*, Las Vegas, Nevada, March 22-27.
- 2008 Session chair, “Panel Session 9: Directions in Postgraduate Research”, *Foundations and Directions: Celebrating Geography and Geology at The University of the West Indies*, Kingston, Jamaica, July 11.

GRADUATE SUPERVISION

Rutgers University

Primary Advisor

- 2017- Tashanna Walker (Geography, PhD. program)
2017- Zoe Alexander (Geography, MA program), co-advisor with Rick Schroeder

University of the West Indies

- 2012- Shaneica Lester (Geography, PhD. program) Thesis: Assessing the interplay between water accessibility and urban vulnerability in Kingston, Jamaica.
2012-2016 Amal Sealy (Geography, PhD. program) Thesis: Balancing land use change and its potential impacts on groundwater resources in the Caribbean: case study of Barbados.
2014-2016 Tashanna Walker (Geography, MPhil. program) Thesis: Exploring the interconnections between disaster risk reduction and urban adaptation to climate change in Negril, Jamaica.
2013-2016 Jhannel Tomlinson (Geography, PhD. program) Thesis: Prospects and challenges for promoting climate smart agriculture in Jamaica: an appraisal of the farmer field school approach.
2013 Marsha-Gaye Mason (Environmental Resource Management, MSc.) Thesis: Environmental awareness and agricultural sustainability among farmers in Cascade, Hanover, Jamaica.

University of Amsterdam

External Advisor

- 2014 Yke Ntoane (International Development Studies, MSc.) Thesis: Security and citizenship: citizenship agendas and practices that emerge in the contemporary security context in Kingston, Jamaica
2013 Christian Reni (International Development Studies, MSc.) Thesis: Understanding and creating direct supply linkages between agricultural cooperatives and the domestic market in Jamaica: A potential source of development and food security?

UNDERGRADUATE HONORS THESIS SUPERVISION

- 2018 Paige Tetens (Gardner Fellow) Thesis: Not-so-natural disasters: gender and its intersectionality with vulnerability. Department of Political Science, Rutgers University.

THESIS EXAMINATION

Rutgers University

PhD Dissertation Defense, General Examiner

- 2018 Ali Horton Schaeffing (PhD., Geography). A conditional cash transfer education program in Bangladesh: is it truly pro-poor? Department of Geography, Rutgers University.

PhD Qualifying Examination, General Examiner

- 2018 Jonah Walters (ABD) Governmentality, diverse livelihoods and the Ministry of the Household Economy in Nicaragua. Department of Geography, Rutgers University.

- 2016 Ana Mahecha Groot (ABD). Adaptive challenges to climate change and alternative economic agri-food futures in the Capital-Region of Bogota. Department of Geography, Rutgers University.

University of the West Indies

Theses Examined as Internal Independent Examiner

- 2015 Rose-Ann Smith (PhD., Geography). Rural livelihoods and vulnerability to global change among Carib communities in northeastern St. Vincent. Department of Geography & Geology, UWI Mona, Jamaica.
- 2014 Chanelle Fingal (PhD., Geography). 'Fig Fini san fairtrade?' Globalization, fair trade and the St Lucian banana industry. Department of Geography & Geology, UWI Mona, Jamaica.
- 2014 Kara Margaret Roopsingh (MPhil., Geography). Think not how Arima is insignificant to the world, but how the world is insignificant to Arima: The role of cultural heritage in upporting community and sense of place in the borough of Arima, Trinidad. Department of eography, UWI St. Augustine, Trinidad & Tobago.
- 2013 Joyelle Clarke (PhD., Geography). Sugar, Land Sustainability and Livelihood in St. Kitts: Global Change and Local Vulnerability. Department of Geography & Geology, UWI Mona, Jamaica.

Theses Examined as External Examiner

- 2015 Jermaine Young (MSc. Public Policy) From JOS to JUTC: A case of public transportation in the Kingston Metropolitan Transport Region (KMTR) and the application of a rights-based approach to development. Department of Government, UWI Mona Jamaica.
- 2013 Christian Reni (MA, Anthropology). Understanding and creating direct supply linkages between agricultural cooperatives and the domestic market in Jamaica: a potential source of development and food security? Department of Geography, Planning and International Development Studies, University of Amsterdam, Netherlands.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Courses Taught

Rutgers University (2016 – present)

- Caribbean Borderlands (Geog405:335)
- Introduction to Environmental Studies (Geog381:101)
- Natural Hazards (Geog450:335)
- Research Design (Geog450:602), Graduate seminar

University of the West Indies (2007 – 2016)

- Population, Migration & Human Settlement (Geog1131)
- Introduction to Economic Geography (Geog1101)
- Introduction to Agro-environmental Management (Agbu1002), Graduate seminar
- Research Methods in Geography (Geog2331)
- Urban Geographies (Geog2131)
- Urban and Regional Planning (Geog3333)
- Geographies of Tourism (Geog3106)

SERVICE TO RUTGERS

- 2018 Faculty Search Committee, Department of Geography (Race, Ethnicity, Gender & Sexuality position)
2017- Member of Graduate Selection Committee, Department of Geography
2017- Co-organizer of Geography Speaker Series, Department of Geography

REFeree ACTIVITIES

Singapore Journal of Tropical Geography; Caribbean Journal of Earth Sciences; Journal of Eastern Caribbean Studies; Caribbean Geography (2); Journal of Urban Cultural Studies; Bulletin for Latin American Research (2); Urban Climates; Geoforum (3); Sustainable Cities and Society; Sustainability (2); Climate; Climate and Development (2); Climatic Change (2); Environmental Sociology; Third World Quarterly; Island Studies Journal; Journal of Planning Education and Research; Planning Theory and Practice; Ocean and Marine Sciences

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

- 2014- Global Water Partnership – Caribbean region
2013-2017 Caribbean In/Securities and Creativity Research Network (CARISCC)
2007- American Association of Geographers (AAG)
2005- Jamaican Geographical Society (JGS)
2005-2015 South-Eastern Division of the American Association of Geographers (SEDAAG)