

## Vita

### Christopher Airriess

#### Rank

Professor

#### Education

Degree	Date	University
Ph.D	1989	University of Kentucky
M.A.	1984	Louisiana State University
B.A	1979	Louisiana State University

#### Grants and Awards

National Science Foundation SGER Research Grant, 2005. Surviving Katrina and its Aftermath: A Comparative Analysis of Community Mobilization and Access to Emergency Relief by Vietnamese and African Americans in an Eastern New Orleans Suburb, \$25,761.

Association of American Geographers Travel Grant, 2001, \$1,000.

Fulbright Teaching Award, Hong Kong Baptist University, 1999-2000, \$54,000.

Outstanding Member of Geography Faculty, GTU, Ball State University, 1991, \$600.

Data Acquisition Grant, Office of Research, Ball State University, 1989, \$180.

Fulbright Research Grant, 1986-1987, \$8,114.

National Science Foundation Dissertation Support Grant, 1986, \$4,810.

#### Research Interests

Development, Cultural Landscapes, Ethnicity, Ports and Maritime Transport, East and Southeast Asia.

#### Classes Regularly Taught

(GEOG 121) Geography of the Cultural Environment

(GEOG 150) Global Geography

(GEOG 320) Ethnic Geography

(GEOG 354) Geography of Asia

(GEOG 610) History of Geographic Thought

(GEOG 620) Seminar in Advanced Human Geography

#### Research Publications

##### *Journal Articles*

**Airriess, C.A.**, Hawkins, M. and Vaughan, E. (2012). Situating banal nationalism, the culture wars, and civil religion: governing localized geographies of national identity in Indiana. *Social and Cultural Geography*, forthcoming.

Li, W, **Airriess, C.A.**, Chen, A.C.C., Leong, K., and Keith, V. (2010). "Katrina and Migration: Evacuation and Return by African Americans and Vietnamese Americans in an Eastern New Orleans Suburb." *The Professional Geographer* 62(1): 1-16.

Henderson, T.L., Sirois, M., Chen, A.C.C., **Airriess, C.A.**, Swanson, D.A. and Banks, D. (2009). "After a Disaster: Lessons in Survey Methodology from Hurricane Katrina." *Population Research and Policy Review* 28(1): 67-92.

- Li, W., **Airriess, C.A.**, Chia-Chen, A., Leong K., Keith, V.M. and Adams, K.L. (2008). "Surviving Katrina and its Aftermath: Evacuation and Community Mobilization by Vietnamese American and African Americans." *Journal of Cultural Geography* 25(3): 263-286.
- Airriess, C.A. (2008). "The Geographies of Secondary City Growth in a Globalized China: Comparing Dongguan and Suzhou." *Journal of Urban History* 35(1): 134-149.
- Airriess, C.A.**, Li, W., Leong, K.J., Chia-Chen, A., Keith, V.M. (2008). "Church-Based Social Capital, Networks and Geographical Scale: Katrina Evacuation, Relocation, and Recovery in a New Orleans Vietnamese American Community." *Geoforum* 39 (3): 1333-1346.
- Angela Chia-Chen Chen, Verna M. Keith, **Christopher Airriess**, Wei Li and Karen J. Leong. (2007). "Economic Vulnerability, Discrimination, and Hurricane Katrina: Health Among Black Katrina Survivors in Eastern New Orleans." *Journal of the American Psychiatric Nurses Association* 13 (5): 257-266.
- Chen, A.C.-C., Keith, V.M., Leong, K.J., **Airriess, C.A.**, Li, W., Chung, K.-Y. and Lee, C.-C. (2007). "Hurricane Katrina: Prior Trauma, Poverty and Health Among Vietnamese-American Survivors." *International Nursing Review* 54: 324-331.
- Karen J. Leong, **Christopher A. Airriess**, Wei Li, Angela Chia-Chen Chen, and Verna Keith (2007). "Resilient History and the Rebuilding of a Community: The Vietnamese American Community in New Orleans East." *Journal of American History* 94 (3): 79-88.
- Airriess, C.A. (2005) "Governmentality and Power in Politically Contested Space: Refugee Farming in Hong Kong's New Territories, 1945-1970." *Journal of Historical Geography* 31 (4): 763-783.
- Airriess, C.A. (2003) "The Ecologies of *Kuala* and *Muara* Settlements in the Pre-Modern Malay Culture World." *Journal of the Malaysian Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society* 76 (1): 81-98.
- Airriess, C.A. (2001) "Regional Production, Information-Communication Technology, and the Developmental State: The Rise of Singapore as a Global Container Hub." *Geoforum* 32 (2): 235-254.
- Airriess, C.A. (2001) "The Regionalization of Hutchison Port Holdings in Mainland China." *Journal of Transport Geography* 9: 267-278.
- Airriess, C.A. (1995) "Port-Centered Transport Development in Colonial North Sumatra." *Indonesia* 59: 65-91.
- Airriess, C.A. and Clawson, D.L. (1994) "Vietnamese Market Gardens in New Orleans, Louisiana." *Geographical Review* 84(1): 16-31.
- Airriess, C.A. and Kohno, T. (1993) "Interdependent Industrialization: Japan, Indonesia and the Asahan Project." *Tijdschrift voor Economische en Sociale Geografie* 84(3): 207-219.
- Airriess, C.A. (1993) "Export-Oriented Manufacturing and Container Transport in ASEAN." *Geography* 78(1): 31-42.
- Airriess, C.A. and Clawson, D.L. (1991) "Versailles: A Vietnamese Enclave in New Orleans, Louisiana." *Journal of Cultural Geography* 12 (1): 1-13.
- Airriess, C.A. (1991) "Global Economy and Port Morphology in Belawan, Indonesia." *Geographical Review* 81(2): 183-196.
- Airriess, C.A. (1989) "The Spatial Spread of Container Transport in a Developing Regional Economy: North Sumatra, Indonesia." *Transportation Research A* 23(6): 453-461.

### ***Edited Books***

Miyares, I.M. and Airriess, C.A. (2007). *Contemporary Ethnic Geographies in America*. Rowman Littlefield: Lanham, MD.

### ***Book Chapters***

Li, W., **Airriess, C.A.**, Leong, K., Chen, A. and Keith, V. (2010). "Vietnamese Americans in New Orleans East: From Vietnamese Village to Asian Quarter?" In *How Ethnically Marginalized Americans Cope with Catastrophic Disasters*, Riveria, J.D. and Miller, D.S. (eds.), Pp. 109-128. Edwin Mellon Press: Lewiston, N.Y.

Airriess, C.A. (2008). "Vietnam." In *Nations and Nationalism: A Global Historical Overview*, Vol. 3, Herb, G.H. and Kaplan D.H. (eds.), pp. 1261-1272. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO.

Airriess, C.A. (2007). "Spaces and Places of Adaptation in an Ethnic Vietnamese Cluster of New Orleans, Louisiana." In *Immigrants Outside Megalopolis: Ethnic Transformation in the Heartland*, Jones, R.S., (ed.), 165-190. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books.

Karen J. Leong, **Christopher A. Airriess**, Angela Chia-Chia Chen, Verna Keith, Wei Li, Ying Wang, and Karen Adams (2007). "From Invisibility to Hyperinvisibility: The Complexity of Race, Survival, and Resiliency for the Vietnamese-American Community in Eastern New Orleans." In *Through the Eyes of Katrina: Social Justice in the United States*, Bates, K.A. and Swan, R.S. (eds), pp. 169-185. Durham, NC.: Carolina Academic Press.

Airriess, C.A. and Miyares, I.M. (2007). "Exploring Contemporary Ethnic Geographies," In *Contemporary Ethnic Geographies in America*, Miyares, I.M. and Airriess, C.A. (eds), pp. 1-26. Lanham, MD.: Rowman Littlefield.

Miyares, I.M. and Airriess, C.A. (2007). "Creating Contemporary Ethnic Geographies-A Review of Immigration Law," In *Contemporary Ethnic Geographies in America*, Miyares, I.M. and Airriess, C.A. (eds), pp. 27-50. Lanham, MD.: Rowman Littlefield.

Airriess, C.A. (2007). "Conflict Migrants from Mainland Southeast Asia," In *Contemporary Ethnic Geographies in America*, Miyares, I.M. and Airriess, C.A. (eds), pp. 291-312. Lanham, MD.: Rowman Littlefield.

Airriess, C.A. (2006). "Scaling Central Place of an Ethnic-Vietnamese Commercial Enclave in New Orleans, Louisiana." In *Landscapes of the Ethnic Economy*. Kaplan, David and Li, Wei eds., pp. 17-33. Lanham, MD: Rowman and Littlefield.

Airriess, C.A. (2002) "Creating Landscape and Place in a Vietnamese Community in New Orleans, Louisiana." In *Geographical Identities of Ethnic America: Race, Place and Space*. Berry, K. and Henderson, M. eds., pp. 228-254. Reno, NV.: University of Nevada Press.

Airriess, C.A. and Clawson, D.L. (2000) "Mainland Southeast Asians: Migration, Settlement and Adaptation." In *Ethnicity in Contemporary America: A Geographical Appraisal*. McKee, J., ed., pp. 311-346. Lanham, MD: Rowman Littlefield.

Airriess, C.A. (2000) "Malaysia and Brunei: An Emerging Industrialized Country and an Oil-Rich Sultanate." In *Southeast Asia: Development and Diversity*. Leinbach, T.R. and Ulack, T., eds., pp.341-378. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall.

Leinbach, T.R., **Airriess, C.A.** and Bowen, J.T. (2000) "Transport: Land, Sea and Air." In *Southeast Asia: Development and Diversity*, Leinbach, T.R. and Ulack, R. eds., pp.212-243. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall.

### ***Publications (Textbooks)***

Hawkins, M. J. and Airriess, C.A. "Folk and Popular Culture." In *Human Geography: Landscapes of Human Activities*, 9<sup>th</sup> ed., Fellman, J.D., Getis, A. and Getis, J. eds. Boston: McGraw Hill, Chapter Seven, Pp. 214-249, 2006.

Airriess, C.A. "Asia, East by South: A Physical and Human Overview." In *World Regional Geography: A Development Approach*, 7<sup>th</sup> ed. Clawson, D.L., ed., pp. 286-301. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall, 2004.\*

Airriess, C.A. "China and its Pacific Rim Neighbors." In *World Regional Geography: A Development Approach*, 7<sup>th</sup> ed., Clawson, D.L. ed., pp. 326-359. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall, 2004.\*

Airriess, C.A. "Southeast Asia: Unity in Diversity." In *World Regional Geography: A Development Approach*, 7<sup>th</sup> ed., Clawson, D.L. ed., pp. 360-381. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall, 2004.\*

Airriess, C.A. "South Asia: The Past in the Present." In *World Regional Geography: A Development Approach*, 7<sup>th</sup> ed., Clawson, D.L., ed., pp. 382-419. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall, 2004.

\* I was also the author for these same chapters for the 6<sup>th</sup> (2002), 5<sup>th</sup> (2000) and 4<sup>th</sup> (1998) editions.

### ***Papers Presented***

Airriess, C.A. "Socio-Demographic Geographies of the Nationalist-Themed License Plate in Indiana, USA." Geography Research Seminar Series, Geography Section, Universiti Sains Malaysia, Penang, May 16, 2011.

Airriess, C.A. "Hong Kong's Fishing Population Comes Ashore: Governing a Spatially Marginalized and Socio-Occupational Minority." Race, Ethnicity, and Place Conference, Binghamton, NY, October 2010.

**Airriess, C.A.** and Hawkins, M.J. "In God We Trust License Plates in Indiana: National Identity, Governing Culture, and Automobility. Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., April, 2010.

Hawkins, M. and **Airriess, C.A.** "God and Country: Indiana License Plates and Banal Nationalism." Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, April, 2008.

**Airriess, C.A.**, Li, W., Leong, K., Chen, A.C., Keith, V. "Scaling Discourse and Contesting a Post Katrina Landfill in a New Orleans Vietnamese Community." Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, April 2008.

Airriess, C.A. "Geographies of AIDS in Asia: Social, Economic and Political Contexts." Geography and History of the World Summer Institute, IUPUI, Indianapolis, June 22, 2007.

Airriess, C.A. "In the Shadow of Giants: The Geographies of Secondary City Growth in a Globalized China." Small Cities Conference: The Small City in Global Context, Ball State University, Muncie, IN, April 12-14, 2007.

Chia-Chen Chen, A., **Airriess, C.A.**, Keith, V., Li, W., Leong, K. "Collective Efficacy and the Role of Community Networks in a New Orleans East Neighborhood Before and After Katrina." Katrina Research Symposium: Social Science Research of the Katrina Aftermath, New Orleans, LA, November 3-4, 2006.

**Airriess, C.A.**, Keith, V., Li, W., Chia-Chen Chen, A., Leong, K. "Evacuation and Return in a New Orleans East Community: Comparisons of African Americans and Vietnamese." National Science Foundation Conference HSD NSGER Awards Related to Hurricane Katrina: Methods For The Study of Social Networks During Disasters, Arlington, VA, August 15-16, 2006.

Li, W., **Airriess, C.A.**, Chia-Chen Chen, A., Leong, K. "Evacuation Process and Community Rebuilding by Vietnamese Americans in an Eastern New Orleans Suburb." International Geographical Union Commission on Population and Vulnerability Conference, Brisbane, Australia, July 5, 2006.

Airriess, C.A. "Modalities of Power and Refugee Farming in the Politically Contested Space of Cold War Hong Kong: A Foucauldian Perspective." Departmental Colloquium, Department of Geography, Northern Illinois University, April 7, 2006.

Airriess, C.A. "Imagining the Geographies of Agricultural Land Tenure: Governmentality and the Modalities of Power in Cold War Hong Kong." Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, March, 2006.

Airriess, C.A. "Governmentality and the A Pastoral Model of Power in Politically Contested Space: Cold War Refugee Vegetable Farming and the Vegetable Marketing Organization in Hong Kong's New Territories." International Conference on Colonial Governmentality and Production of Space in Hong Kong, Hong Kong, June, 2005.

Airriess, C.A. "Geographical Scale and Exchange in an Ethnic Vietnamese Commercial Enclave in New Orleans, Louisiana." Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, April, 2005.

Airriess, C.A. "Reproducing Sense of Place Among Elderly Vietnamese American Refugee Vegetable Gardeners." Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, CA, March, 2002.

Airriess, C.A. "Time-Space Governance and the Regionalization of Hutchison Port Holdings in China." Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, New York, NY, February, 2001.

Airriess, C.A. "Information Technology and the Maritime Transport Service Economy of Singapore." Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, 1998.

Airriess, C.A. "Creating Spiritual Landscapes and Places in a Vietnamese Refugee Community." Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Charlotte, NC, 1995.

Airriess, C.A. "Vietnamese Market Gardens in New Orleans, Louisiana." Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, 1993.

Airriess, C.A. "An Ethnic Vietnamese Enclave Landscape in New Orleans, Louisiana." National Council for Geographic Education Annual Meeting, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, 1992.

Airriess, C.A. "Container Transport in ASEAN." Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Miami, FL, 1991.

Airriess, C.A. "Resource-Based Industrialization Strategies: The Case of INALUM in North Sumatra, Indonesia." Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Toronto, Canada, 1990.

Airriess, C.A. "Economic Crisis, Transport Policy and the Spread of Container Transport in a Developing Regional Economy: North Sumatra, Indonesia." Indiana Academy of Social Sciences Annual Meeting, Greencastle, IN, 1989.

Airriess, C.A. "Technological Change, Port Labor and Occupational Adaption in a Developing Region." Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD, 1989.