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Professor, Department of Communication, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Prior Affiliations

Fulbright Senior Scholar, Södertörn University, Stockholm, Sweden (Fall 2010)
Visiting Professor and FIRST Scholar, Department of Communication, University of Colorado-Boulder (Summer 2009); School of Journalism & Mass Communication (Summer 2011)
Visiting Professor, Institute of Information Science and Technology, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro/Government of Brazil, Brazil (Spring 2009)
Freedom of Expression Professor, Department of Information Science & Media Studies, University of Bergen, Norway (Spring 2008)
Reese Phifer Professor of Telecommunications, University of Alabama (1997-2002)
Director and Visiting Professor, Post-graduate Programme in Telecommunications and Information Policy, University of South Africa (1997-1998)
Research Assistant Professor, Institute of Communications Research, University of Illinois-Champaign/Urbana (1989-1997)
Henry E. Rutgers Research Fellow and Assistant Professor of Journalism, Rutgers University (1987-1989)
Silha Center Fellow, Silha Center for the Study of Media, Ethics and Law, University of Minnesota (1986-1987)
Research Associate and Instructor, Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs, University of Minnesota (1984-1986)

Research Agenda

The macro-level effects of digital and other informational meta-technologies; the co-construction of society, technology, and the law.

Books and Monographs

Braman, Sandra. (2007). Change of state: Information, policy, and power. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press.
Republished in paperback in 2009.

Braman, Sandra. (2005). Information technology, national identity, and social cohesion. Washington, DC: Center for Strategic and International Security.

Edited Collections

Braman, Sandra. (Forthcoming). Information and epistemology, guest edited special issue of the Journal of the American Society for Information Science and Technology.

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Braman, Sandra & Malaby, Thomas (Eds.). (2006). Command lines: The emergence of governance in global cyberspace, guest edited special issue of First Monday, 11(9).

Braman, Sandra (Ed.). (2004). Biotechnology and communication: The meta-technologies of information. Mahwah, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum Associates.

Braman, Sandra (Ed.). (2004). The emergent global information policy regime. Houndsmills, UK: Palgrave Macmillan.

Braman, Sandra (Ed.). (2003). Communication researchers and policy-making. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press.

Braman, Sandra & Sreberny-Mohammadi, Annabelle (Eds.). (1996). Globalization, communication, and transnational civil society. Greenskill, NJ: Hampton Press.

Braman, Sandra (Ed.). (1995). Horizons of the state: Communication policy and power, guest edited special issue of Journal of Communication, 45(4).

Braman, Sandra (Ed.). (1994). Books on books on books, special issue of Journal of Communication, 44(1).

Braman, Sandra (Ed.). (1993). Hypocritic days and other tales by Douglas Woolf. Santa Barbara, CA: Black Sparrow Press, 1993.

External Grants

National Science Foundation, Internet RFCs as Social Policy: Network Design from a Regulatory Perspective, 2008-2012.

Rockefeller Foundation, Art and Policy: Mapping the Field, 2004-2006.

Ford Foundation, Media Policy Education: The Gap between Curriculum and Need, 2003.

Ford Foundation, Mapping the Field: Media Policy and Technology in the 21st Century, 2002.

Ford Foundation, Communication Researchers and Policy-Making: A Workshop, 2002.

First Amendment Fund, New Information Technologies and the News, Minneapolis, MN, 1984.

Refereed Journal Articles

Braman, Sandra. (In press). The framing years: Policy fundamentals in the Internet design process, 1969-1979, The Information Society.

Braman, Sandra. (In press). Internationalization of the Internet by design: The first decade, Global Media and Communication.

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Braman, Sandra. (2011). Defining information policy, Journal of Information Policy, 1(1), 1-5.

Braman, Sandra. (2010). The interpenetration of technical and legal decision-making for the Internet, Information, Communication, & Society, 13(3), 309-324.

Braman, Sandra. (2008). International treaties and art, International Journal of Cultural Policy, 14(3), 315-333.

Braman, Sandra. (2008). Policy research in an evidence-averse environment, International Journal of Communication, 2, 433-449.

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Braman, Sandra. (2007). The ideal vs. the real in media localism: Regulatory implications. Communication, Law, and Policy, 12(3), 231-278.

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Republished in R. Capurro, J. J. Britz, T. J. D. Bothma, & B. C. Bester (Eds.). (2009). Africa reader on information ethics, pp. 245-252. Pretoria, South Africa: Department of Communication of South Africa.

Braman, Sandra & Thomas Malaby. (2006). Preface to Command lines: The emergence of governance in cyberspace, First Monday, 11(9), http://www.firstmonday.org/issues/special11_9/preface/index.html.

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Braman, Sandra. (2005). The micro- and macroeconomics of information, Annual Review of Information Science and Technology (ARIST), 40, 3-52.

Braman, Sandra. (2004). The global information policy regime: China and the processes of emergence, Xinwen Yu Chuanboxue Pinglun, 3, 63-76 (Journalism and Communication Review, peer reviewed scholarly journal, China).

Braman, Sandra. (2004). Where has media policy gone? Defining the field in the twenty-first century, Communication Law and Policy, 9(2), 153-82.

Braman, Sandra & Lynch, Stephanie. (2003). Advantage ISP: Terms of service as media law, New Media & Society, 5(3), 422-48.

Republished in Lorrie Faith Cranor & Steven S. Wildman (Eds.), Rethinking rights and regulations: Institutional responses to new communications technologies, pp. 249-78. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press, 2003.

Braman, Sandra. (2002). Posthuman law: Information policy and the machinic world, First Monday, http://www.firstmonday.org/issues/issue7_12/braman/index.html.
Republished in Tasha Oren & Patrice Petro (Eds.), Global currents: Media and technology now, pp. 136-156. New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press, 2004.

Braman, Sandra, Shah, Hemant & Fair, Joanne. (2000). "We are all natives now": An overview of international and development communication research. In William Gudykunst (Ed.), Communication Yearbook, 24, pp. 160-86. Thousand Hills, CA: Sage.

Braman, Sandra. (2000). The constitutional context: Universities, new information technologies, and the US Supreme Court, Information, Communication & Society, 3(4), 526-45.

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Book Chapters

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Republished as A economia representacional e o regime global da política da informação, in Maria Lucia Maciel & Sarita Albagli (eds.), Informação, conhecimento e poder: Mudança tecnológica e inovação social, pp. 41-66. Rio de Janeiro: Editora Garamond, 2011.

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Braman, Sandra. (2004). In Biotechnology and communication: The meta-technologies of information. Mahwah, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum Associates.

Introduction, pp. ix-xii.

The meta-technologies of information, pp. 3-36.

"Are facts not flowers"? Facticity and genetic information, pp. 97-115

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Introduction, pp. 1-9

The long view, pp. 11-32

Policy as a research context, pp. 35-58

Facing out: Researchers and policy-makers, pp. 221-242

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Enduring tensions and lessons learned, pp. 575-592

Braman, Sandra. (2002). New information technologies and the restructuring of higher education: The constitutional view. In Brian Loader & William Dutton (Eds.), The digital academe: New media in higher education and learning, pp. 268-89. NY: Routledge.

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Republished as The information economy: An evolution of approaches, in S. Macdonald & J. Nightingale (Eds.), Information and organisation, pp. 109-125. Amsterdam: Elsevier Science B. V., 1999.

Braman, Sandra. (1996). The filiere electronique: Contributions of public networks to private networks. In Eli Noam & Aine Nishuilleabhain (Eds.), Public networks and private objectives, pp. 95-104. Amsterdam: Elsevier.

Braman, Sandra. (1996). Interpenetrated globalization: Scaling, power, and the public sphere. In Sandra Braman & Annabelle Sreberny-Mohammadi (Eds.), Globalization, communication, and transnational civil society, pp. 21-37. Greenskill, NJ: Hampton Press.

Nerone, John (Ed.), with Berry, William E., Braman, Sandra, Christians, Clifford, Guback, Thomas G., Helle, Steven J., Liebovich, Louis W. & Rotzoll, Kim B. (1995). Last rights: Revisiting four theories of the press, pp. 153-180. Champaign, IL: University of Illinois Press. Contributed most of the material for Chapter 5 and collaborated on rest of book. Republished in Chinese by Shantou University Press, 2008.

Braman, Sandra. (1995). Trigger: Law, labeling, and the hyperreal. In Robert Jensen & David Allen (Eds.), Freeing the First Amendment, pp. 169-192. New York: New York University Press.

Braman, Sandra. (1994). Entering chaos: Designing the state in the information age. In Slavko Splichal, Andrew Calabrese, & Colin Sparks (Eds.), Civil society and information society, pp. 157-184. West Lafayette, IN: Purdue University Press.

Braman, Sandra. (1994). Commodities as sign systems: Commentary. In Robert E. Babe (Ed.), Information and communication in economics, pp. 92-103. Dordrecht: Kluwer Academic Publishers.

Braman, Sandra. (1993). In Sandra Braman (Ed.), Hypocritic days and other tales by Douglas Woolf, pp. 393-399. Santa Barbara, CA: Black Sparrow Press.
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Used as source text on Norton teaching anthology website.

Braman, Sandra. (1991). The impact of confidence-building measures on information policy. In Kaarle Nordenstreng & Wolfgang Kleinwachter (Eds.), Confidence-building in the non-military field, pp. 47-58. Tampere, Finland: University of Tampere.

Braman, Sandra. (1990). The unique characteristics of information policy and their US consequences. In Virgil Blake & Renee Tjoumas (Eds.), Information literacies for the twenty-first century, pp. 47-77. Boston, MA: G. K. Hall.

Selected Other Publications

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Braman, Sandra. (2008). General report: Anti-terrorism legislation in Europe since 2001 and its impact on freedom of expression and information. Strasbourg, France: Council of Europe.

Hobbs, Renee, Donnelly, Katie, & Braman, Sandra. (2008). Teaching about copyright and fair use for media literacy education [Multimedia curriculum.] Available online: <http://mediaeducationlab.com/index.php?page=287>.

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Elahi, Hasan & Braman, Sandra. (2007). Live tracking, Frakcija (Performing Arts Journal, Croatia), 43/44, 58-69. Distributed by the Documenta Biennale.

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Braman, Sandra. (2006). Transformations of the research enterprise. EDUCAUSE Review, 41(4), 27-36.

Blustain, Harvey, Sandra Braman, Richard Katz, & Gail Salaway. (2006). IT engagement in research. Boulder, CO: Educause Center for Applied Research, Research Study Vol. 5.

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Braman, Sandra. (2002). Global television and the developing world. In Proceedings of an international symposium at the United Nations, Dynamic development or aerial assault:

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Braman, Sandra. (1991). Behind the face of television and war, Swords & Ploughshares: A chronicle of international affairs, 4, summer, 1991.

Braman, Sandra. (1984). Sunshine laws from the 50 states: A spectrum. Minneapolis, MN: Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs, University of Minnesota. Foreword by Harlan Cleveland.

Editorial Activities

Book Series Editor

MIT Press: Information Policy book series, with Paul Jaeger, 2011-.

Wiley-Blackwell: Communication in the Public Interest book series, in collaboration with the International Communication Association, 2011-

Book Review Editor, Journal of Communication, 1991-1995

Book Publisher Editorial Boards

Communication and the Public Interest series, Wiley/Blackwell (former)

Communication book series, University of Illinois Press (former)

Journal Editorial Boards

Current

Canadian Journal of Communication

Communication Law and Policy (founding member)

Global Media and Communication (founding member)

Journal of the American Society of Information Science and Technology

Millennium: Journal of International Studies

RECIIS: Electronic Journal of Communication, Information & Innovation

in Health (founding member of bilingual journal published in Brazil)

Review of Policy Research

Telematics and Informatics

Television and New Media

Former

Communication

Journal of Broadcasting & Electronic Media

Journal of Media Economics (founding member)

New Media and Society (founding member)

South African Journal of Information and Communication (founding member)

Women's Studies in Communication

Numerous book reviews provided for Communication Quarterly, Journalism History, Choice, Journal of Communication, and the Journal of the American Society for Information Science and Technology.

Manuscript Reviewer

Book Publishers: Regularly review manuscripts for over 20 scholarly book publishers, including Cambridge University Press, MIT Press, the University of Illinois Press, Cornell University Press, New York University Press, Temple University Press, and the University of Toronto Press.

Journals: Regularly review manuscripts for over two dozen scholarly journals based in several countries that publish in the fields of communication, information science, media studies, political science, sociology, and electrical engineering.

Review of Research and Research Proposals

Within the US

National Science Foundation
Florida State University
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Outside the US

Belgian Research Foundation
European Commission Research Programme, European Commission
Human Sciences Research Council, South Africa
Israel Research Foundation, Israel
National Research Foundation, South Africa
Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Canada
University of Botswana, Botswana

Endowed Lectures

Lazerow Memorial Lecture, Dominican University, 2006.

Josephine Jones Lecture, University of Colorado-Boulder, 2004.

Ted Samore Lecture (member of panel), University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 2004.

Lazerow Memorial Lecture, University of North Texas, 2000.

Keynote Addresses

Information, Power and Politics: New Technological and Institutional Mediations (Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, April, 2009)

Participation in the Broadband Society COST298 Training School (Udine, Italy, April, 2009)

New York State Higher Education CIOs, Charting the Course of Innovation: Collaboration, Communication, Information (2008)

Converging in Parallel: Linking Communication Research & Policy in Emerging Canadian Scholarship (Montreal, 2006)

FM10: Code, Science, and Content (2006)

Organized and chaired keynote plenary session of the International Communication Association (2004, 1996)

Governor's Conference on the Arts (California) (1998)

Governor's Conference on the Arts (California) (1997)

South African Communications Association (1997)

National Alliance for Media Arts and Culture (1996)

Convergences: Art Policy for the Net, MIT (1994)

The Association of American Cultures (1994)

Association of College and University Governing Boards (1985)

Association of College and University Governing Boards (1984)

Conferences and Workshops Organized

Anti-Terrorism Laws and Freedom of Expression: Comparative and Transnational Perspectives, 2008. A two-day colloquium and workshop for citizens, journalists, and members of the academic community with speakers drawn from around the world, sponsored by the Norwegian Freedom of Expression Foundation and by the Department of Information and Media Studies, University of Bergen.

Command Lines: The Emergence of Governance in Global Cyberspace, 2005. Co-organizer of a 3-day international conference sponsored by the Center for International Education (CIE), University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

Information Technology, National Identity, and Social Cohesion, 2004. A day-long workshop for the national security community sponsored by the Center for Strategic and International Security (CSIS), Washington, DC, on contract from the US National Intelligence Council.

Communication Researchers and Policy-Making, 2002. A day-long pre-conference workshop for members of the International Communication Association, sponsored by the Ford Foundation.

Who Needs the First Amendment? A day-long colloquium for legal practitioners and journalists, citizens, and the academic community in Minneapolis, MN, 1985, sponsored by the First Amendment Fund.

Invited Talks

Universities: Guest lectures, and lecture series, have been delivered at about 50 universities in Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, Ireland, Israel, the Netherlands, Norway, South Africa, Sweden, the United Kingdom, and the United States.

Organizations: Numerous invited talks have been delivered to associations in diverse fields, including:

- American Association of University Presses
- Carnegie Endowment for International Peace
- Council of Europe
- Center for Strategic and International Studies
- Pacific Basin Economic Council
- Pan-American Health Organization
- World Council of Churches

Corporations: Several talks have been delivered to corporations in the information industries.

Invited Talks at Specialized Conferences

- MiT7 - Media in Transition at MIT 7 (US, 2011)
- Cultures of Technology, Technologies of Culture (Sweden, 2009)
- Participation in the Broadband Society (Italy, 2009)
- Television and the Digital Public Sphere (France, 2008)
- New Media Worlds (US, 2008)
- Mapping Global Media Policy (Italy, 2008)
- Media Literacy (Italy, 2008)
- African Information Ethics (South Africa, 2007)
- Wizards of OS (Open Source) 4 (Germany, 2006)
- Internationalizing Media Studies (United Kingdom, 2006)
- Community Informatics Research Network (Italy, 2006)
- Transnational Media Corporations and National Media Systems (Italy, 2005)
- Information Technology National Qualifications Forum (South Africa, 1997)
- Media Economics (Sweden, 1994)
- 4th International Conference on Cyberspace (4CyberConf) (Canada, 1994)
- Public Networks and Private Networks (US, 1993)
- Telecommunications in a Common European House (USSR, 1990)

Invited Participation in Colloquia and Workshops

- American Political Science Association, Cultural Industries, Technologies, and Policies, 8/06
- Federal Communications Commission (FCC), Current Research Trends, 2006
- Rockefeller Foundation/Aspen Institute Roundtable: Interpreting Culture and Communications Technology, 7/2003
- Conference on Non-military Uses of Confidence-building Measures, Leipzig, 12/90
- Consortium for Research in Telecommunication Policy, Evanston, IL, 5/96
- Digital Media and the Public Sphere, Center for Social Media, Washington, DC, 1/2006
- Expert Seminar on the International Right to Communicate in the Post-Cold War Era, Bratislava, Slovakia, 6/93
- Ford Foundation, Transnational Media Policy Advocacy Movements, New York, 8/03
- Ford Foundation, Current Issues in Communication Policy, New York, 1/06
- Middle Tennessee State University, The Good Citizen: A History of American Civic Life, 11/99
- National Science Foundation, Workshop on Connecting Research and Policy, Washington, DC, 1/2003

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National Science Foundation/OECD/EC, Workshop on Networks and Knowledge, Brussels, Belgium, 6/2004

New York University, Tactical Media: The Impact of New Media on Political Engagement and Cultural Activism, 4/01

Oxford Internet Institute, Ethnography and Communication Policy, Oxford Internet Institute, Oxford, UK, 3/02

Rockefeller Foundation/Urban Institute, Small Networks, Communities, and Creativity, New York, 2/03

Social Science Research Council, Media and Democracy, Washington, DC, 10/03

Advisory Boards

American University, Center for Social Media, Digital Media and the Public Sphere Project, Washington, DC, 2006-.

Florida State University, School of Information Studies, Tallahassee, FL, 1998-2000.

University of London, School of Oriental and Asian Studies (SOAS), Global Communication Program, London, UK, 2005-.

Institute of Library and Museum Services project, "Sense-making: The information confluence," Columbus, OH, 2005-2007.

Competitive Conference Contributions

Over 65 competitive conference papers and panels have been presented to associations in the fields of political science, information science, cultural policy, communication, journalism, internet research, business management, legal studies, English, and science, technology, and society. Competitive papers have also been presented to numerous specialized conferences run by universities and colloquia in North America and Europe.

Selected National and International Service

Chair, Law Section, International Association for Media and Communication Research, 2010-.

Chair, Task Force on Political Engagement, International Communication Association, 2010-2011.

Rapporteur, Council of Europe, "Anti-Terrorism Laws since 2001, Freedom of Expression, and Access to Information," 2008.

Fellow, EDUCAUSE Center for Applied Research, Boulder, CO, 2005-2007.

Chair, Communication Law & Policy Division, International Communication Association, 2002-2004.

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Vice Chair, Communication Law & Policy Division, International Communication Association, 2000-2002.

Liaison, the International Communication Association (ICA) and the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), 2003-2005.

McGannon Communication Policy Book Award Judge, Fordham University, 2000-2006.

Task Force on the Future of the Association, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, 2001-2003.

Steering Committee, National Communication Association (NCA) Task Force on the Digital Divide, 2001-2002.

Representative to the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) of the International Association for Mass Communication Research (IAMCR), 1994-1997.

National Task Force on Arts and Humanities Policy for the Net, 1994-1995.

Policy Analysis and Related Activities

Provided policy analysis to the US Federal Communications Commission, several units of the Government of South Africa, the Council of Europe, and the State of Minnesota.

Provided policy analysis to a number of non-profit organizations committed to the public interest in information and communication policy.

Served as consultant on information and communication policy issues for the Ford Foundation and the Soros Foundation.

Contributor and reviewer for reports on matters dealing with information and communication policy for the National Academy of Sciences, the Social Science Research Council, and the Office of Technology Assessment.

Honors

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Research Foundation Senior Faculty Research Award, 2011.

Top 1 Paper Award, Communication and Technology Division, International Communication Association, 2011.

Fulbright Senior Scholar, Södertörn University, Stockholm, Sweden, 2010.

Visiting Professor and FIRST Scholar, University of Colorado-Boulder, 2009, 2011.

Visiting Professor, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 2009.

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Freedom of Expression Professor, University of Bergen, Norway, 2008.

Book Award nominations, Change of State: Information, Policy, and Power (MIT Press, 2007/2009).

Association of Information Science and Technology Book Award, 2007.

International Communication Association Book Award, 2007.

McGannon Center Communication Policy Book Award, 2006, 2007.

Fellow, EDUCAUSE Center for Applied Research, 2005-2007.

Lazerow Memorial Lecture, Dominican University, 2006.

Josephine Jones Lecture, University of Colorado-Boulder, 2004.

Top Three Paper Award, Communication Law and Policy Division, International Communication Association, 2004.

Soros Foundation Teaching Fellow Mentor, 2004-2006.

Reese Phifer Professor, University of Alabama, 1997-2002.

Lazerow Memorial Lecture, University of North Texas, 2000.

University of Illinois Teaching Scholar, 1989-1990.

Fellow, Annenberg Washington Summer Program on Communication Policy, 1989.

Henry E. Rutgers Research Fellow, Rutgers University, 1987-1989.

Fellow, Silha Center for the Study of Media, Ethics and Law, University of Minnesota School of Journalism and Mass Communication, 1986-1987.

Curtis Erickson Graduate School Fellowship, University of Minnesota, 1985-1986.

Student Paper Award, Qualitative Studies Division, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, 1984.

Education

PhD, 1988, School of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of Minnesota.
Dissertation: Information Policy and the United States Supreme Court, 1980-1986.

MA, 1984, School of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of Minnesota. Thesis:
The Location of the Lockean Consciousness in News Reports from El Salvador: The Public Locus of The New York Times vs. the Individual Locus of Joan Didion.

BA, 1974, Department of Philosophy, University of Minnesota. Emphasis: Medieval philosophy.