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Best Contribution to the Planning Profession, awarded to AARP, APA International Division, Arup Consulting and Cornell University for the collaborative research project, "Livable Communities for All Ages: International Planner Engagement and Best Practices," selected by the APA Divisions Council, American Planning Association, April 2019. https://www.aarpinternational.org/the-journal/planning-age-friendly-cities-across-the-globe

Outstanding Student Project Award, New York Upstate Chapter of the American Planning Association, for Economic and Community Development Workshop: Addressing Fiscal Austerity (CRP 5074), Cornell University, May 2018.

Faculty-in-Residence Fellowship for Social Sciences, Humanities, and the Arts, Fall 2016. Atkinson Center for a Sustainable Future, Cornell University.

Winner, Ralph Brown Faculty Paper Competition, Family, Community and Health Research Group, Rural Sociological Society, August 2016. For paper: Pratt, Eleanor E. and Warner, Mildred E. (2016). Imagining the "Good Place": Public Services and Family Strategies in Rural Ecuador.

"Planning through a Gender Lens: Inclusive Planning for Aging and Livable Communities," *APA Divisions Council Award* to Planning and Women Division for collaborative project with Cornell University for "Contribution to the Planning Profession," American Planning Association, April 2016.

Economic Development Workshop, State Austerity and Creative Local Response, CRP 5074, Spring 2014), won Upstate NY Chapter of the American Institute of Certified Planners

Outstanding Student Project Award, Spring 2015. Placed third in NE APA conference poster competition, June 2015 in Saratoga Springs, NY.

David J. Allee and Paul R. Eberts Community and Economic Vitality Award, 2012/13. Awarded by Community and Regional Development Institute, Cornell University, February 2013.

Best Journal Article Award 2010, Academy of Management (Public and Nonprofit Division) for Bel, G., Fageda, X. and Warner, M.E. 2010. "Is Private Production of Public Services Cheaper than Public Production? A meta-regression analysis of solid waste and water services," *Journal of Policy Analysis and Management,* 29(3): 553-577.

Selected as one of 30 exemplary articles in first 20 years of the journal, 2011. http://www.oxfordjournals.org/our_journals/jopart/collectionspage.html Hefetz, Amir and M. Warner, 2004. "Privatization and Its Reverse: Explaining the Dynamics of the Government Contracting Process" *Journal of Public Administration, Research and Theory*. 14(2):171-190.

Economic Development Workshop "Planning for Family Friendly Communities," (CRP 5074, Spring 2009), won Upstate NY Chapter of the American Institute of Certified Planners *Outstanding Student Project Award 2009*.

Planning for Social Inclusion, Finalist, American Planning Assoc. Oct. 2006.

Outstanding Program Award, Community Development Society, 2006, for Linking Economic Development and Child Care Project.

Excellence in Leadership Award, NYS Child Care Coordinating Council 2004.

Distinguished Professor, Cornell Institute of Public Affairs, 2003.

Government Policy Workshop "Women Work and Welfare," (CRP 418/618, Spring 2000), won Upstate NY Chapter of the American Institute of Certified Planners *Outstanding Student Project Award 2001*.

Fellow, Kellogg National Leadership Program, 1997-2000.

Community Development Innovator Award, 1994. "Teleconferences for Newly Elected Officials." Award from CaRDI shared with New York State Dept. of State, NYS Assoc. of Counties, County Legislators and Supervisors Assoc. of NYS, NYS Office of Rural Affairs, NYS Assoc. of Towns, Cornell Media Services and Cornell Cooperative Extension.

George F. Warren Award for outstanding graduate publication (for departmental research paper from MS thesis), Cornell University, 1986.

Jerome Davis Social Science Paper Competition (for unpublished research paper on public housing in Britain), Oberlin College, 1979.