Nancy Niemi from Yale University, USA – Semester 1 2018.

Where you have come from and what do you teach?

I am from New Haven, Connecticut, USA. At Yale University, I direct the Faculty Teaching Initiatives Program and the Center for Teaching and Learning. I teach Education Theory and Practice across all disciplines. I also teach Sociology, particularly about different kinds of social stratification.

What interested you in the Erskine Programme/Why did you want to come to UC?

The Erskine Programme fascinated me because it was so different – its focus on teaching is rare for an international program, and I appreciate the dedication to excellent pedagogy and to the fruits that come from mixing scholars and instructors from all parts of the world.

What have you been doing at UC?

I have been teaching Gender & Leadership as part of Management 304: Management Skills for a Diverse Workforce. I also have been contributing to and will teach one session of the Management Department's Doctoral Workshops on Teaching and Learning. I am also in the middle of