

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION:

- 9/94-8/01 Temple University Phila, PA
Ph.D. in Sociology (8/01)
Dissertation Title:
*A New Racial Ideology For The New Christian Right:
The Meaning(s) Of Racial Reconciliation Within
The Promise Keepers Movement*
- M.A. in Sociology (5/96)
- 9/85-5/89 Marist College Poughkeepsie, NY
B.A. in Communication Arts/Journalism
Dean's List; Weekly Newspaper Columnist.

PRIMARY FIELDS OF INTEREST:

Teaching: Intergroup Dialogue, Racial and Ethnic Stratification; Social Construction of Race & Ethnicity; History and Significance of Race; Social Movements & Conflict and Introduction to Sociology

Research: Racial Ideology; Racial Politics; Racial Empathy; Racial Emotions; Social Movements; Political Attitudes; Social Stratification; Teaching Sociology

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

- Fall 2018- Professor (Instructional)--Temple University, Sociology Dept.
Introduction to Sociology; Historical Significance of Race; Racial and Ethnic Stratification; Social Construction of Race & Ethnicity; Social Movements and Conflict; Senior Capstone; Social Statistics; Urban Violence; Intergroup Race Dialogue
- Fall 2008- Associate Professor (Instructional)--Temple University, Sociology Dept.
Introduction to Sociology; Historical Significance of Race; Racial and Ethnic Stratification; Social Construction of Race & Ethnicity; Social Movements and Conflict; Senior Capstone; Social Statistics; Urban Violence
- Fall 2001-
2007 Dean's Appointment/Lecturer-- Temple University, Sociology Dept.
Introduction to Sociology; American Ethnicity; Sociology of Race & Racism; Sociological Research Method and Design; Development of Sociological Thought; Intellectual Heritage; (Honors) Social Statistics; Racial and Ethnic Stratification
- Spring 2001 Instructor – Community College of Philadelphia Phila, PA

*Introduction to Sociology; Soc. Of Ethnic and Racial
Group Relations*

- Fall 2000 Instructor -- Westchester University Westchester, PA
Introduction to Sociology
- Lab Instructor -- Temple University Phila, PA
Secondary Data Analysis
- 1996-1999 Instructor/Lab Instructor -- Temple University
Instructor for *Sociology of Race & Racism; American Ethnicity; Introduction to Sociology*; Lab
instructor for both undergraduate and graduate courses in *Data Analysis* which required training
students to use SPSS software at both beginning and advanced levels.
- 1994-1996 Teaching Assistant – Temple University
Assisted in teaching numerous Sociology courses including: *Sociology of Organizations and Men
and Women in American Society*.

OTHER EXPERIENCE:

- 5/19- Intergroup Dialogue Facilitator – Blue Door Group
Facilitate intergroup understanding and collaboration across race, gender, sexual
orientation, class, ability and religious differences. Foster community building, problem
solving and social justice through dialogue.
- 8/10- Intergroup Dialogue Facilitator – Temple University
Facilitate intergroup understanding and collaboration across race, gender, sexual
orientation, class, ability and religious differences. Foster community building, problem
solving and social justice through dialogue.
- 8/15-8/17 Primary Researcher – Temple University
Designed, conducted, transcribed, and analyzed interviews about attitudes towards same
sex marriage.
- 8/04-5/13 Sociology Undergraduate Advisor – Temple University
Advised Soc. Majors/Minors About Soc. Curriculum and Univ. Requirements
Advised and Organized Events for Soc. Undergrad Majors and Minors Association
- 2/ 99- Primary Researcher – Temple University
8/00 Designed, conducted, transcribed, and analyzed interviews with Christian evangelical
men for my dissertation.
- 4/98- Research Assistant --Thomas Jefferson Substance Abuse Clinic Phila, PA
3/99 Tracked and interviewed program clients for a study about effects of interview method on
“self-reporting”. Maintained client database using SPSS.
- 5/ 98- Research Assistant – Temple University
8/98 Conducted in-depth interviews with low-income women about children’s activities for a
book published by a Temple Professor. Created new database to prepare for coding
process.

PAPER PRESENTATIONS/PANEL PRESIDING:

American Sociological Association Meeting, Summer 2018; *Feeling Race While Teaching Race: The
Emotional Lives of Faculty Who Teach Race Classes* (Organizer, Presider, Discussant).

PA National Association of Multicultural Educators (NAME) Conference, Spring 2018; *Another World was Always Possible: Teaching Resistance in College Race and Diversity Courses*. (Presenter)

Eastern Sociological Society Meeting, Spring 2017; *The Evolution of Public Opinion on Marriage Equality: A Qualitative Analysis*. (Presenter)

American Sociological Association Meeting, Summer 2000; “*The Christian Right: Shedding its Racist Reputation? The Meaning of Racial Reconciliation in the Promise Keepers Movement*”. (Presenter)

American Sociological Association Meeting, Summer 1998; “*Searching for a Few Kinder, Gentler Men: How The Promise Keepers are Belatedly Responding to the Feminist and Civil Rights Movements*”. (Presenter)

Eastern Sociological Society Meeting, Spring 1995; “*Racial Attitudes Matter*”. (Presenter)

AWARDS RECEIVED:

Certificate of Merit in Teaching (1994,1995,1996)
Departmental Research Grant (1997; \$2,000)
Doctoral Dissertation Completion Grant (2000; \$16,000)
ATTIC Distinguished Teaching Award (2007; \$1500)

COMMITTEES SERVED:

T/I Promotions Committee: CLA
T/I Merit Committee: Temple Sociology Dept.
Undergraduate Committee: Temple Sociology Dept.
Executive Committee; Temple Sociology Dept.
Graduate Committee; Temple Sociology Dept.
Steering Committee; Temple Graduate Students' Association
Teaching Awards Committee: Temple CLA
TAUP Constituency Council

REFERENCES:

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