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EDUCATION

- Doctor of Philosophy in Sociology, Concentration in Women's Studies** **2013**
University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida
Dissertation: "We Are Different, But We Want the Same Rights:
An Intersectional Analysis of Black Lesbians who are Parenting in North Florida"
- Master of Arts in Women's Studies** **2007**
University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida
Thesis: "Narratives of Lesbian Transformation: Coming-Out Stories of Women
Who Transition from Heterosexual Marriage to Lesbian Identity"
- Master of Science in Education, Science Curriculum & Instruction** **1990**
University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas
Thesis: "Teacher Attitudes Toward Dissection in Kansas High Schools"
- Bachelor of Science in Forest Resources & Conservation, Wildlife Ecology** **1982**
University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida

RESEARCH & TEACHING INTERESTS

- Sexualities
- Gender
- Family
- Race & Ethnicity
- Feminist Pedagogy
- Qualitative & Feminist Methods

DISTINGUISHED QUALIFICATIONS

- Consistently recognized for teaching excellence
- Strong ability to create a positive classroom experience for students
- Earned Rainbow Award for research contribution
- Committed to professional development

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Lecturer, Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, Georgia **Fall 2015-present**

As Lecturer: Perform teaching duties for undergraduate and graduate courses in sociology averaging 45 students in a small section, 60 in a medium section, and over 100 students in a large section; advise undergraduate and graduate students in their studies and research; participate in departmental activities; develop and implement research agenda. (Small section, if no note of section size.)

- Instructor—Introduction to Sociology
 - Fall 2017 (2 medium sections), 2016 (1 large, 1 small section), 2015 (1 large, 1 small section)
 - Spring 2018 (large section), Spring 2017 (large section), 2016 (3 small sections)
- Instructor—Sociology of Sexuality
 - Fall 2017, 2016, 2015
 - Summer 2018, (online), 2017 (online), 2016 (online)

- Instructor—Introduction to LGBT Studies
 - *Spring 2018, 2017, 2016*
 - *Summer 2017* (online)
- Instructor—Senior Seminar in Sociology
 - *Spring 2018, 2017*
- Instructor—Introduction to Women’s Studies
 - *Spring 2018, Fall 2017, Fall 2016*

Visiting Assistant Professor, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas

2013-2015

As Assistant Professor: Performed teaching duties for undergraduate and graduate courses in sociology averaging 130 students; advised undergraduate and graduate students in their studies and research; participated in departmental activities; continued to develop and implement research agenda.

- Instructor—Graduate Seminar in Family Change
 - Spring 2015
- Instructor—Introduction to Sociology
 - Fall 2014, 2013 (2 sections); Spring 2015, 2014 (2 sections)
- Instructor—Senior Seminar in Sociology
 - Fall 2014 with service learning component; Spring 2015 with service learning component, Spring 2014
- Instructor—Race and Ethnicity
 - Fall 2014
- Instructor—Sociology of Deviance
 - Fall 2013

Graduate Assistant, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida

2007- 2013

As Instructor: Performed teaching duties for undergraduate courses; prepared courses; designated “instructor of record” for courses averaging 55 students. As Teaching Assistant: assisted instructor with teaching duties.

- Instructor—Sociology of Human Sexuality
 - Fall 2012, 2011, 2008; Spring 2012, 2010, 2009; Summer 2010, 2009
- Instructor—Sociology of Gender
 - Fall 2010, 2009; Summer 2008
- Instructor—Sociology of Women
 - Spring 2011
- Instructor—Principles of Sociology
 - Spring 2008
- Graduate Teaching Assistant—Marriage and Family
 - Fall 2007

Graduate Assistant, University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida

2005-2007

As Instructor: Performed teaching duties for undergraduate courses; prepared courses; designated “instructor of record” for courses averaging 45 students. As Teaching Assistant: assisted instructor with teaching duties.

- Instructor—Introduction to Women’s Studies
 - Spring 2007; Fall 2006, 2005
- Graduate Teaching Assistant—Introduction to Women’s Studies (online)
 - Summer 2006, 2005
- Graduate Teaching Assistant—Women and Social Action (online)
 - Fall 2006
- Graduate Teaching Assistant—Human Sexual Behavior
 - Spring 2007, 2006

**Secondary Math & Science Teacher with Coaching Duties & Club Sponsorships, 1990-2004
Wright Junior/Senior High School, Wright, Wyoming**

Planned and implemented programs of study and athletic practice activities; monitored and assessed student progress; provided feedback to students, parents, and administration; created educational experiences to provide students with opportunities to develop self-esteem, personal social adjustment, decision-making and other life skills; assumed legal responsibility for the supervision of students on school property or on school-sponsored activities; assumed individual responsibilities assigned by the principal which related to committee work, student activities and other professional assignments; strived to maintain and improve professional competence for class sizes averaging 20 students.

- 7th Grade Science, 8th Grade Science, Earth Science, Anatomy & Physiology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Ecology, Math 7, Math 8, Geometry, Algebra II

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed

- **Walsh, Clare F.** 2015. “‘It Really Is Not Just Gay, But African American Gay’: The Impact of Community and Church on the Experiences of Black Lesbians Living in North-Central Florida.” *Journal of Homosexuality*. 63(9):1236-1252.
- Ryan, Maura, K. L. Broad, **Clare F. Walsh**, Kathryn L. Nutter. 2013. “Professional Allies: The Storying of Allies to LGBTQ Students on a College Campus.” *Journal of Homosexuality* 60(1):83-104.
- Crawley, Sara L., Rebecca K. Willman, Leisa Clark, and **Clare Walsh**. 2009. "Making Women the Subjects of the Abortion Debate." *Feminist Teacher* 19(3):227-240.
- Dunsmoor (**Walsh**), **Clare F.** 1991. “Teacher Attitudes toward Dissection in Kansas High Schools.” *Kansas Biology Teacher* 1:6-10.

Book Chapter

- **Walsh, Clare F.** 2015. “‘Sure There’s Racism, But Homophobia—That’s Different’: Experiences of Black Lesbians Who are Parenting in North-Central Florida at the Intersection of Race and Sexuality.” *Ashgate Research Companion to Black Sociology*, edited by E. Wright. Burlington, VT: Ashgate Publishing Company.

Encyclopedia Article

- **Walsh, Clare F.** 2015. “Marriage Equality.” In *The Encyclopedia of Family Studies*, edited by C. Shehan. Hoboken, NJ: Wiley-Blackwell.

Book Review

- **Walsh, Clare F.** 2009. “Review of *Feminist Pedagogy: Looking Back to Move Forward*.” *Teacher’s College Record*. Retrieved September 28, 2009 (<http://www.tcrecord.org/content.asp?contentid=15777>).

AWARDS, HONORS, & CERTIFICATIONS

- Teaching and Developing Online Courses, Centers for Teaching and Technology 2015
Georgia Southern University
- Course Design Institute, Centers for Teaching and Technology 2015
Georgia Southern University
- Graduate Faculty, Jack N. Averitt College of Graduate Studies, 2015
Georgia Southern University

- Inaugural Recipient of the Lifetime Achievement Award for Continued Dedication and Leadership from 2007-2013, The Florida Society of the Social Sciences, University of Florida 2013
- Dissertation Scholarship (\$10,000), The Graduate School, University of Florida 2013
- Rainbow Alliance Award for Outstanding Research for the LGBT Community (\$500), LGBT Concerns Committee, University of Florida Spring 2011
- Graduate Student Council Travel Grant (\$250), University of Florida Spring 2011
- Graduate Student Teaching Award Nominee, Department of Sociology and Criminology & Law, The Graduate School, University of Florida 2010 - 2011
- Graduate Student Teaching Award Nominee, Department of Sociology and Criminology & Law, The Graduate School, University of Florida 2009 - 2010
- Graduate Student Council Travel Grant (\$250), University of Florida Fall 2009
- J.S. Vandiver Sociology Teacher Assistant of the Year (\$250), Department of Sociology and Criminology & Law, University of Florida Spring 2009
- Certificates in Graduate Teaching Assistant Development Program & Graduate Assistant Teaching with Technology Program, The Graduate School and Office of Academic Technology, University of Florida Spring 2007
- Enhancement Assistantship Award (\$3,000 annually), Department of Sociology and Criminology and Law, University of Florida 2007 - 2009
- Seventh-Ninth Grade Teacher of the Year, Campbell County School District, Wright Junior Senior High School Spring 2000

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, Georgia.

- Zachary Payne, **Mentor**. Project Title: *Impact Zone LGBT: LGBT Centers and their Impact on College Students* Fall 2017-present
- **LGBT+ Initiative Task Force**, Member. Project Title: *Campus Climate Toward the LGBT Community at Georgia Southern University*. Fall 2017-present
- **Eagle QuaRC Speed Networking**, Member Organizing Committee. Fall 2017
Co-leaders: Nikki DiGregorio and Pam Wells
- **Department of Sociology Theory Assessment Committee**, Member. Summer 2017-present
Chair: Pidi Zhang
- **Department of Sociology Methods Assessment Committee**, Member. Summer 2016-present
Chair: Pidi Zhang
- **Women's and Gender Studies Program Assessment Committee**, Member. Chair: Lisa Costello Spring 2017-present
- **Women's and Gender Studies Awards Committee**, Member. Chair: Lisa Costello Spring 2017-present
- **Advisor, Student Organization: Gay Straight Alliance at Georgia Southern**. Fall 2015-present
President: Andrew Wiggins (2017), Elmo Winters (2016), Latane' Brackett (2015).

- **Library Committee, Representative** Fall 2015-present
Department of Sociology and Anthropology
Library Liaison: Ruth Baker
- **Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas.**
- **Master Thesis Committee, Member** Spring 2015-Spring 2017
Tobin Brannan. Thesis Title: *Reflecting the Past: The Impacts of Socioeconomic Status, Race, Religion, Age, and Gender on Parental Acceptance of Their Transgender Children, 1990-2015.*
Committee Chair: Emily Skidmore, PhD
- **Search for Assistant Professor of Practice in Social Work, Committee Member** Spring 2015
Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Social Work
Committee Chair: Helen Morrow, PhD
- **Cristina Maria Riegos Student Paper Award, Committee Member** Spring 2015
The Latina/o Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association
- Committee Chair: Nadia Flores, PhD
- **Reviewer, Journal of Homosexuality, Impact Factor 1.364** Fall 2015
Editor: John Elia, PhD

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT/CONTINUING EDUCATION

Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, Georgia.

Fall 2017

- *QEP Spring Kickoff Meeting.* Writing Enrichment Faculty.
- *Harassment in the Workplace.* Human Resource Department. Jeff Thompson, Legal Counsel to the Georgia Employer's Association.
- *Women and Girls in Georgia: Justice and Resistance.* Institute for Women's Studies at the University of Georgia.
- *Demonstrating Teaching Effectiveness: Course Reflections.* Terry Flateby, Brad Sturz, and Greg Harwood, Writing Enrichment Faculty. Center for Teaching and Learning Career Toolbox Workshop.
- *Designing Effective Writing Assignments.* Michael Pemberton, Department of Writing and Linguistics. QEP Workshop.
- *Eagle QuaRC: Speed Networking Meetup.* Nikki DiGregorio and Pam Wells, co-leaders.
- *Women's Leadership Series: "Building Bridges."* Monique Bos, Claudia Cornejo Happel, America Minc, Pam Wells, Amanda Hedrick.
- *Planetary Consciousness, Local Economies.* Vandana Shiva, 2017 Sustainability Seminar Series.
- *An Astronaut's View of Choices, Influences, Contributions, and Other Stuff Later Discovered.* Frederick D. Gregory, Colonel, USAF, Retired, former NASA Astronaut. Fries Lecture Series.
- *Sharing and Applying Changes to Enrich Your Writing Assignments.* Brad Sturz and Terry Flateby, Writing Enrichment Faculty. QEP Workshop.
- *QEP Fall 2017 Kickoff Meeting.* Writing Enrichment Faculty.

Summer 2017

- *QEP Summer Retreat: Write!!!* Writing Enrichment Faculty.

Spring 2017

- *Responding to Writing—Providing Effective Feedback*. Michael Pemberton, Department of Writing and Linguistics. QEP Workshop Centers for Teaching and Technology.
- *The Coaches Guide for Women Professors: Chapter 7: Authority, Voice, and Influence*. Lisa Costello and Debbie Walker. Critical Conversations: Women in Academia. Centers for Teaching & Learning.
- *Wanton Wenches and Nasty Women: Vindicating Women's Rights from 1792-2016*. Anastasia Sims, Department of History, Georgia Southern University.
- *Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI)*. Human Subjects-Social & Behavioral Research-Basic/Refresher-Basic Course.
- *Married Today, Fired Tomorrow? Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity, and State Nondiscrimination Laws*. Melinda Kane, Department of Sociology, East Carolina University.
- *QEP Workshop for First Year Programs*. Marcella Ruiz-Funes, QEP Writing Leader.
- *Coaching Students: Effective Peer Review*. Krista Petrosino, Department of Writing and Linguistics. Workshop for Centers for Teaching and Technology.
- *The Right to Dream, MLK Celebration*. Nikki Giovanni, Department of English, Virginia Tech University.
- *QEP: Open Discussion—Accomplishments & Challenges*. Marcela Ruiz-Funes, QEP Writing Leader.
- *Working With Student Writing Fellows: Options and Opportunities*. Michael Pemberton, Department of Writing and Linguistics. QEP Workshop.

Fall 2016

- *Women's Leadership Series*. Networking Mixer, Women's and Gender Studies Program.
- *Assessment Toolkit: Exams*. Delena Bell Gatch. Director of Assessment, Centers for Teaching and Learning.
- *Making Online Courses Accessible*. Peter Berryman, Quality Matters Program Coordinator, Center for Teaching and Technology.
- *Title IX: How it Affects You and the Organization You Advise*. Julie Ogburn. Title IX Investigator for Equal Opportunity & Title IX Office.
- *You See That?! Using Visuals to Achieve Learning Goals*. Catherine Nussbaum, Instructional Services Coordinator Candidate, Centers for Teaching and Technology.
- *Great Things Take Time: How to Motivate Millennials*. Leah Grubb, Instructional Services Coordinator Candidate, Centers for Teaching and Technology.
- *Are We Smart Enough to Know How Smart Animals Are?* Frans De Waal, Department of Psychology, Emory University. Fries Lecture Series.
- *Developing and Teaching Online Courses: Introduction to LGBT Studies*. Stacy Kluge. Centers for Teaching and Technology.

Summer 2016

- *Active Shooter Awareness*. Investigator Dan Garrigus, Office of Public Safety.

Spring 2016

- *Whistling Vivaldi and Other Clues to How Stereotypes Affect Us*. Reading Discussion Group, Ania Kowalik, PhD, Center for Teaching & Learning.
- *MLK Celebration Speaker*. Steven Perry, Educator, Capital Preparatory Magnet School.

Fall 2015

- *Avoiding Pitfalls and Risks within Student Organizations.* Maura Copeland, Associate VP for Legal Affairs.
- *Folio Workshops: A/V Workshop, Gradebook and Grading, Building a Learning Module, Quick Start.* Louise Fetcher, Centers for Teaching & Technology.
- *Safe Space Training.* Amanda Rickert, PhD, Counseling Center.
- *Ally Consortium.* Amanda Rickert, PhD, Counseling Center.
- *Course Design Institute: Introduction to LGBT Studies.* C. Cornejo-Happel, PhD, A. Kowalik, and D. Walker, Center for Teaching & Learning.
- *Developing and Teaching Online Courses: Sociology of Sexuality.* Stacy Kluge. Centers for Teaching and Technology.
- *Teaching and Learning in Higher Education Essentials: Intro to College Teaching.* C. Cornejo-Happel, PhD and D. Walker, Center for Teaching & Learning.
- *Creating a Positive Climate for Learning: Addressing Incivility & Conflict In the Classroom.* Debbie Walker, Center for Teaching & Technology & Kerry Greenstein, Dean of Students.
- *Skull Racks, Decapitation Rituals, and Human Trophies in Ancient Mesoamerica and Peru.* Ruben Mendoza, California State University, Monterey Bay.
- *CT2 Symposium: Flipping Out?: Introduction to Teaching an Effective Flipped Classroom.* C. Cornejo-Happel and D. Walker, Centers for Teaching & Technology.

Spring 2015

- *Allies: GLBT Allies Training.* Kim Burdine, PhD, Student Counseling Center.
- *TEACH Talk Discussion Series: Active Learning Strategies.* Micah Logan, Teaching, Learning, & Professional Development Center.
- *Title IX Outreach Series—Frontline Responses: How to Handle Sexual Assault Disclosures from Students.* M. Kvande, PhD, E. Sharp, PhD, A. Murphy, PhD, Ty Stafford, PhD.

Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas.

Fall 2015

- *TEACH Talk: Teaching Large Classes.* Jenny Stovas, Teaching, Learning, & Professional Development Center.

Spring 2014

- *Blackboard Learn 9.1—Basic Training: Tests.* Karissa Greathouse. Teaching, Learning, & Professional Development Center.
- *Politics of Pedagogy: The Complexities of Teaching Beyond Race.* Jobi Martinez, Cross-Cultural Academic Advancement Center.
- *The Art of Listening: Five Things You Can Learn from Your Students.* Brandi Schreiber, TECHniques Program.
- *Diversity Matters: The Ethics of Educating the Many.* Aliza Wong, Senate Faculty President.
- *Active Learners and Engaged Students.* Erin Justyna, Center for Active Learning & Undergraduate Engagement.

Fall 2013

- *Using Rubrics to Create Dialogue, Collaboration, & Meaningful Assessment* Ashley Finley, Senior Director of Assessment & Research at the Association of American Colleges & Universities.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- “Promises of The American Dream and the Realities of Race: Black College Students Views of Social Mobility in the Age of Trump.” *Paper presentation* with Ted Brimeyer (primary author) and Baker Rogers at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA, April 4-7, 2018.
- “Impact Zone LGBT: LGBT Centers and their Impact on the Student Populations.” *Paper presentation* with Zachary Payne (primary author) at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA, April 4-7, 2018.
- Author-Meets-Critics: “Queering Families: The Postmodern Partnerships of Cisgender Women and Transgender Men,” Carla Pfeffer, book author. *Invited Panel Member*. 2017 Southern Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Greenville, SC, March 29, 2017.
- “‘Sure There’s Racism, But Homophobia—That’s Different’: Experiences of Black Lesbians Who are Parenting in North-Central Florida at the Intersection of Race and Sexuality.” *Invited Presentation*. Symposium: *The State of Blacks in America* at the University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH, October 1, 2014.
- “‘Sure There’s Racism, But Homophobia—That’s Different’: Experiences of Black Lesbians Who are Parenting in North-Central Florida at the Intersection of Race and Sexuality.” *Invited Presentation*. Association of Black Sociologists Symposium: *Sexuality Matters: Race, Gender, & Class Intersections in the 21st Century*, at American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, August 15, 2014.
- “We’re the Same, But We’re Different: Experiences of Black Lesbian Singles and Couples who are Parenting.” *Paper presentation* at the Contemporary Couples Conference, Austin, TX, May 17, 2014.
- “We’re the Same, but Different: An Intersectional Analysis of Black Lesbians Who are Parenting.” *Paper presentation* at the Annual Meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, Baltimore, MD, February 20-23, 2014.
- “An Intersectional Analysis of Families Headed by Black Lesbians.” *Paper presentation* at Bridging Gaps: An Interdisciplinary Conference on LGBT Issues, Gainesville, FL, April 12, 2013.
- “The Complexities of Race and Sexuality in Perspectives on Family: Challenges Faced by Households Headed by Lesbians and Gay Men with at Least One Black Partner.” *Paper presentation* in The Research Incubator at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA, March 21-24, 2011.
- “Gender and Sexuality.” *Moderator* at the Annual Conference of the Social Sciences, Gainesville, FL, October 23, 2010.
- “The Influence of Popular Culture and Political & Religious Views on Attitudes to Homosexuality.” *Poster presentation* at the Annual Conference of the Social Sciences, Gainesville, FL, October 23, 2010.
- “Gender Representations and Identity.” *Moderator* at the Annual Conference of the Social Sciences, Gainesville, FL, October 23, 2010.
- “Gender and Sexuality 101.” *Lecture presentation* at the Annual Psychology Synergy Conference, Venice, FL, November 6-7, 2009.
- “Introduction of Michael Kimmel and *Guyland: The Perilous World Where Boys Become Men.*” Address at the Annual Conference of the Social Sciences, Gainesville, FL, October 3, 2009.

- “Guiding Childhood Development.” *Moderator* at the Annual Conference of the Social Sciences, Gainesville, FL, October 3, 2009.
- “Narratives of Lesbian Transformation: Coming-Out Stories of Women who Transition from Heterosexual Marriage to Lesbian Identity.” *Paper presentation* at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA, April 1-4, 2009.
- “Ethnicity, Identity, & Embodiment.” *Moderator* at the Annual Conference of the Social Sciences, Gainesville, FL, October 18, 2008.
- “Narratives of Lesbian Transformation: Coming-Out Stories of Women who Transition from Heterosexual Marriage to Lesbian Identity.” *Paper presentation* at the Annual Conference of the Social Sciences, Gainesville, FL, October 20, 2007.

INVITED LECTURES

- “Sexualities”, ANTH 3091: Medical Anthropology, Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, GA. October 2017
- “Sexualities”, ANTH 3091: Medical Anthropology, Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, GA. March 2016
- “Sexualities,” WGST 2530: Introduction to Women’s Studies, Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, GA. March 2016
- “Teaching GLBT Awareness in School,” Gender and Identity Colloquium, Division of Institutional Diversity, Equity & Community Engagement, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX. October 2013
- “Intersectional Analysis of Families Headed by Black Lesbians,” Sexualities Studies, Department of Women’s Studies, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL. February 2013
- “Families,” Introduction to Sociology, Department of Sociology, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL. October 2012
- “Introduction to Intersectional Analysis of Families Headed by Black Lesbians and Gay Male Couples,” PFLAG of Jacksonville, Jacksonville, FL. July 2012
- “Human Sexuality,” Sociology of Women, Department of Sociology, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL. July 2012
- “LGBT Families,” University of Florida Pride Student Union University of Florida, Gainesville, FL. March 2010
- “Families and Non-Heterosexuality,” Marriage and Family, Department of Sociology, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL. April 2009
- “Gender and Sexuality,” Principles of Sociology, Department of Sociology, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL. November 2008
- “Narratives of Lesbian Transformation,” Marriage and Family, Department of Sociology, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL. October 2007
- “Pregnancy and Childbirth,” Human Sexual Behavior, Department of Women’s Studies, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL. March 2006

- Promoting USF's graduate student production of *The Vagina Monologues* & discussing Intimate Partner Violence, Interview on Public Radio "The Women's Show," WMNF 88.5, Tampa FL. February 2006
- "Physiology of Common Birth Control Methods," Human Sexual Behavior, Department of Women's Studies, University of South Florida, Tampa, FL. November 2004

CONFERENCES ATTENDED

- Southern Sociological Society
 - "Racial Theory, Analysis, and Politics in TrumpAmerica," New Orleans, LA, April 4-7, 2018.
 - "Diversities: Inclusion, Equality, and Resistance," Greenville, SC, March 29-April 1, 2017.
 - "The Politics of Marriage: From Intimacy to Public Policy," Atlanta, GA, April 13-16, 2016.
 - "Shifting Social Contracts," New Orleans, LA, March 21-24, 2012.
 - "Power Revisited," Jacksonville, FL, April 6-9, 2011.
 - "Inequalities across the Life Course," New Orleans, LA, April 1-4, 2009.
- Women and Girls in Georgia, "Justice and Resistance," University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia, November 11, 2017.
- Groves Conference on Marriage and Family, "Gender, Sexual Identity, and Families: The Personal is Political," Denver, CO, August 4-7, 2016.
- Conference of the Social Sciences, Florida Society of the Social Sciences, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
 - "Pushing Boundaries: Expanding Reach and Amplifying Voice in Social Science Research," March 19, 2016.
 - "Crossing Boundaries," October 22, 2011.
 - "Intersections of Social Life," October 23, 2010.
 - "Exploring Diversity in the Social Sciences," October 3, 2009.
 - No theme, October 18, 2008; October 20, 2007.
- Annual Conference on the Advancement of Women, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX
 - "Framing a New Narrative: Intersecting Gender & Sexuality," April 17-18, 2015.
 - "Women's Studies on the Edge," April 17-19, 2014.
- Association of Black Sociologists @ American Sociological Association, "Sexuality Matters: Race, Gender, & Class Intersections in the 21st Century," San Francisco, CA, August 15, 2014.
- Contemporary Couples Conference: Innovations on Love, Dating, and Relationships in the LGBT Community, Austin, TX, May 17, 2014.
- Eastern Sociological Society, "Invisible Work," Baltimore, MD, February 20-23, 2014.
- American Sociological Association
 - "Hard Times: The Impact of Economic Inequality on Individuals and Families," San Francisco, CA, August 16-18, 2014.
 - "Real Utopias: Emancipatory Projects, Institutional Designs, Possible Futures," Denver, CO, August 17-20, 2012.
- Bridging Gaps: An Interdisciplinary Conference on LGBT Issues, Gainesville, FL, April 12, 2013.

- Sociologists for Women in Society
 - Summer Meeting, Denver, CO, August 17-20, 2012.
 - “Toward a Feminist Institution: Transforming the Academy,” St. Petersburg, FL, February 2-5, 2012.
 - “Reflecting and Reimagining,” San Antonio, TX, February 2011.
- National Council on Family Relations, “Families and the Shifting Economy,” Orlando, FL, November 16-19, 2011.
- Psychology Synergy Conference, State College of Florida, Manatee/Sarasota, Venice, FL, November 6-9, 2009.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Eagle QuaRC 2016-present
- National Council on Family Relations 2011-present
- Southern Sociological Society 2009-present
- American Sociological Association 2008-present
- Sociologists for Women in Society 2008-present
- National Women’s Studies Association 2004-present
- Florida Society of the Social Sciences 2007-2013
 - President 2009 & Co-President 2008, Member of Organizing Committee for the Conference of the Social Sciences 2012-13, 2011, 2010, 2009, 2008, 2007.
- The University of South Florida Women’s Studies Graduate Student Organization 2004-2007

Co-President 2006, President, 2005; Producer and Sponsor of the University of South Florida Campus Production of “The Vagina Monologues” 2005, 2006.

RESEARCH EMPLOYMENT

Graduate Research Assistant with Ms. Benétta Standly, Director Northeast Region of the ACLU **Summer 2010**

American Civil Liberties Union of Florida, Northeast Region
Jacksonville, Florida

Part of the ACLU’s campaign to “End Florida’s Ban on Adoption by Lesbians and Gay Men.” Conducted interviews with leaders in African American communities of Jacksonville and Gainesville Florida regarding Florida’s adoption ban to identify common ground and shared interests; wrote a formal report of results; organized a forum to inform attendees about the ban and to urge them to speak out in community discussions with friends and family members.

Graduate Research Assistant with Kendal Broad, Associate Professor, Sociology and Women’s Studies & Gender Research, University of Florida **Summer 2009**

Human Sexuality Collection, Division of Rare and Manuscript Collections, Kroch Library, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York

Conducted archival research and photographed documents for research on National Gay and Lesbian Task Force and Human Rights Campaign—national organizations advocating for the rights of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender individuals.

OTHER EMPLOYMENT

Graduate Certification Coordinator

2006-2007

Department of Women's Studies, University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida

Promoted advantages of Women's Studies Graduate Certificate and recruited students to participate in the program.

Science Department Head

1995-2004

Wright Junior Senior High School, Wright, Wyoming

Supervised the operation of a three member science department; provided professional leadership; coordinated, developed, and administered budget; supervised inventory; planned and conducted department meetings; coordinated textbook and other classroom material evaluation; liaison between school administration and members of the science department.