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AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Digital Media and Technology	Sociological Theory
Research Methods	Gender and Sexuality
Family and Childhood	Social Inequality and Stratification (RCG)
Culture and Social Movements	Sociology of Education

EDUCATION

- 2012 Ph.D. Sociology, Syracuse University
Dissertation: “The Real Virtual World: Techno-mediated Relationships in the Lives of College Age Adults”
Committee: Dr. Jackie Orr (Chair), Dr. Marjorie DeVault, Dr. Prema Kurien, Dr. Margaret Usdansky, Dr. Murali Venkatesh
- 2008 M.A. Sociology, Syracuse University
- 2006 M.A. Women’s Studies, University of Cincinnati
Thesis: “Re-Centering Class in the Feminist Classroom: Informing Feminist Pedagogy Through An Examination of Students’ Social Class Narratives”
Committee: Dr. Michelle Gibson, Dr. Olga Sanmiguel-Valderrama, Dr. Sharon Dean
- 2002 B.A. Public Communication, University of Idaho
Minor: Women’s Studies

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Concord University, Athens WV
Assistant Professor of Sociology (Tenure-Track), 2012 - Present

SUNY Empire State College, Saratoga Springs NY
Online Course Development Specialist, 2012 - Present
Online Part-Time Adjunct Instructor, 2010 - 2012

Ohlinger Publishing Services, Columbus OH
Subject Matter Specialist, 2012 - Present
Textbook Supplementary Material Contributor, 2011 - 2012

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PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed

Standlee, Alecea. Forthcoming 2017. "Digital Ethnography and Youth Culture: Methodological Techniques and Ethical Dilemmas." *Researching Kids and Teens: Methodological Issues, Strategies, and Innovations*. Vol. 22, *Sociological Studies of Children and Youth*. Edited by Ingrid Castro, Melissa Swauger and Brent Harger. Boston, MA. Emerald Group Publishing Ltd.

Standlee, Alecea. 2016. "Technology and Making Meaning in College Relationships: Understanding Hyper-Connectivity." *Qualitative Sociological Review*. 12:2 pp. 6-21.

Standlee, Alecea. 2010. "Shifting Spheres: Gender, Labor and the Construction of National Identity." *Minerva Journal of Women and War*. 4:1 pp. 43-62.

Garcia, Angela, Alecea Standlee, Jennifer Bechkoff, Yan Cui. 2009. "Ethnographic Approaches to the Internet and Computer-Mediated Communication." *Journal of Contemporary Ethnography*. 8:1 pp. 52-84.

Reprints

Garcia, Angela, Alecea Standlee, Jennifer Bechkoff, Yan Cui. 2012. "Ethnographic Approaches to the Internet and Computer-Mediated Communication." *Sage Internet Research Methods*, Vol. 3, *Taking Research Online - Qualitative Approaches*. Reprint. Edited by Jason Huges. London. Sage Publications.

Garcia, Angela, Alecea Standlee, Jennifer Bechkoff, Yan Cui. 2011. "Ethnographic Approaches to the Internet and Computer-Mediated Communication." *Sage Benchmarks in Social Research Methods Series*. Vol. 3, *Data Collection*. Reprint. Edited by W. Paul Vogt. Thousand Oaks, CA. Sage Publications.

Book Under Contract

Standlee, Alecea, ed. Forthcoming 2017. *On the Borders of the Academy: Challenges and Strategies for First Generation Graduate Students and Faculty*. Syracuse University Graduate Press.

Option to Resubmit

"Friends and Romance Online: Understanding 'Presence' in College Students Relationships"
Symbolic Interaction

In Progress

"Its Not Polite!: Intergenerational Tension and Emerging Social Expectations Around Appropriate Use of Communication Technologies"
"Discourse by Design: The Architectures of Technology and the Corporatization of Intimacy"
"Cultural Understandings of Fire in Pennsylvania Anthracite Coal Country: A Case Study"

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

“Digital Ethnography and Youth Culture: Methodological Techniques and Ethical Dilemmas.” Digital Sociology Mini-Conference, Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. March 18, 2016.

"Friends and Romance Online: Techno-Interaction and Relationships Among College Students." Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. New York, NY. February 27, 2015.

"Technology and Making Meaning in College Relationships: Reconsidering Presence." Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Baltimore, MD. February 23, 2014.

“Context and Hyper-Connection: Being Present in College Relationships.” Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. March 23, 2013.

“Monsters, Ghosts and Cyborgs: Techno-organic Systems and Cybercommunications.” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Las Vegas, NV. August 22, 2011.

“Technologies of Relationships: Meaning Making and Interconnection in the Techno-Social World.” Theorizing the Web 2011. College Park, MD. April 9, 2011.

“The (ICT) Revolution continues... (& is still not televised).” With Dr. Julia Loughlin and Dr. Arthur Paris. Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. March 19, 2010.

“Living a Techno-organic Life: Interpersonal Relationships and Social Networking Technology Among College Students.” Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. March 19, 2010.

“Real Research in the Undergraduate Classroom: Team Ethnography as an Introduction to Qualitative Methods.” With Dr. Marjorie DeVault. Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Baltimore, MD. March 20, 2009.

“The Value of Hard Work: Low Wage Labor and the Construction of Work as a Moral Virtue.” Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Conference. Boston, MA. August 2, 2008.

“Shifting Spheres: Gender, Labor and the Construction of National Identity.” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. August 1, 2008.

“Imperial Images: Gender, Panoptic Time and the Construction of the Nation State through World War II Propaganda.” Binghamton Graduate Student Conference in Historical Sociology. Binghamton, NY. April 29, 2007.

“Worship of Work: The Discourse of Labor in America and Work as a Site of Vulnerability.” North Central Sociological Association. Indianapolis, IN. March 28, 2006.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Concord University - Assistant Professor, 2012 - Present

Introduction to Sociology (SOC 101)
Social Problems (SOC 201)
Sociology of Gender (SOC 220)
Sociology of Law (SOC 230)
Sociology of Families (SOC 301)
Social Psychology (SOC 307)
Popular Culture & Social Movements (SOC 320)
Digital Culture & Social Behavior (SOC 350 Special Topic)
Gender, Space and Place (SOC 350 Special Topic)
Inequality and Society: Race and Ethnicity (SOC 350 Special Topic)
Professional Issues in Sociology (SOC 350 Special Topic)
Qualitative Methods in Sociological Research (SOC 398)
Sociological Theory (SOC 406)
Independent Study (SOC 470)
McNair Scholar Research (SOC 497-499)
Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies (WGST 285)
Women's & Gender Studies Capstone (WGST 499)

Syracuse University - Graduate Instructor, 2008 - 2012

Introduction to Sociology (SOC 101)
Social Problems (SOC 102)
Sociology of the Family (SOC 281)
Sociology of Sex and Gender (SOC 305)
Qualitative Research Methods (SOC 319)

SUNY Empire State College - Online Instructor, 2010 - 2012

Family and Society (HDV 283304)
Exploring Society (SOC 282124)

Syracuse University - Teaching Assistant, 2006 - 2008

Introduction to Sociology, Dr. Lorraine Herbst (SOC 101)
Sociology of the Family, Dr. Margaret Usdansky (SOC 281)
Qualitative Research Methods, Dr. Marjorie DeVault (SOC 319)

University of Cincinnati - Graduate Instructor, 2005 - 2006

Introduction to Women's Studies (WMST 241)

University of Cincinnati - Teaching Assistant, 2004

American Childhoods in Literature, Dr. Michelle Gibson (ENGL 262)
Introduction to Women's Studies, Dr. Anne Sisson Runyan (WMST 241)

HONORS AND AWARDS

Finalist, Presidential Excellence Award, Concord University, 2016
Research Fellowship/Innovation Grant (\$4,238), Concord University, 2014
Research Fellowship/Innovation Grant (\$4,238), Concord University, 2013
Certificate in University Teaching, Syracuse University, 2011
Department of Sociology Summer Award (\$1,750), Syracuse University, 2011
Graduate Student Organization Travel Award (\$300), Syracuse University, 2011
Graduate Teaching Assistantship, Syracuse University, 2004 - 2011
Outstanding TA Award, Syracuse University, 2010
Roscoe Martin Foundation Dissertation Fellowship Award (\$820), 2010
Future Professoriate Program Teaching Associateship (\$15,000), Syracuse University, 2009
Maxwell School Summer Fellowship (\$700), Syracuse University, 2009
Maxwell School Summer Fellowship (\$1,500), Syracuse University, 2007
Women's Studies Graduate Student of the Year, University of Cincinnati, 2006
Graduate Teaching Assistantship, University of Cincinnati, 2004 - 2006
University Honors Program Certificate, University of Idaho, 2002
National Merit Scholar, University of Idaho, 1997 – 2001

INVITED SPEAKER

Cyborg Feminism: Situated Knowledge and the Theories of Donna Haraway, Women & Gender Studies Speaker Series, Concord University, 2016
Quantitative and Qualitative Methods in Human Subjects Research: An Ethical Approach, McNair Program, Concord University, 2016
Gender Inequality in East Asia, Gender, Space and Place, Concord University, 2016
Ethics of Human Subjects Research, Philosophies of Bioethics, Concord University, 2015
Lessons Learned, Certificate in University Teaching Ceremony, Syracuse University, 2013
The Future of Sociology, Alpha Kappa Delta Honors Society Initiation Ceremony, Syracuse University, 2012
The Importance of Mentorship in Graduate Education, Excellence in Graduate Education Faculty Award, Syracuse University, 2012
Conference Presentations as a Graduate Student, Graduate School, Syracuse University, 2011
Graduate Student Teaching, Career Development Series, Syracuse University, 2009
Publishing While in Grad School, Career Development Series, Syracuse University, 2009

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Policy and Research Workshop: Navigating IRB Approval for Studies of Vulnerable Populations - The Case of Children and Youth, ASA Annual Meeting, 2015
West Virginia Higher Education Assessment Council Workshop, 2015
Quality Matters Certification, Online Course Design Evaluation, 2015
Faculty and Course Development in International Studies, 2013

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Service to the Profession

Peer Reviewer, Oxford University Press
Peer Reviewer, *Emotion, Space and Society*
Peer Reviewer, *Journal of Contemporary Ethnography*
Peer Reviewer, *Ethnography & Education*
Peer Reviewer, *New Media and Society*
Peer Reviewer, *Social Currents*
Peer Reviewer, Polity Books
Project Reviewer, NYU Sociology Project
Contributor, Association of Internet Researchers
Member, Consortium for Faculty and Course Development in International Studies
Conference Submission Reviewer, Association of Internet Researchers Annual Meeting
Session Presider, Thinking Social Media, Eastern Sociological Society 2014 Annual Meeting

University Service

Integrity and Ethics Subcommittee, Higher Learning Commission Reaccreditation Committee, Concord University, 2015 - Present
Faculty Advisor, Undergraduate Discovery Days, Concord University, 2014 - Present
Executive Committee, Women & Gender's Studies Program, Concord University, 2013 - Present
Research Methods Specialist, McNair Program, Concord University, 2013 - Present
Faculty Representative, Disciplinary Hearing Board, Concord University, 2013 - Present
Faculty Advocate, Black Student Union, Concord University, 2012 - Present
Faculty Advisor, LGBTQ Safe Zone Program, Concord University, 2012 - Present
Chair, Human Subjects Review Board (IRB), Concord University, 2014 - 2016
Executive Committee, University Committee on Research, Concord University, 2014 - 2016
Faculty Representative, Fiscal Transformation Task Force, Concord University, 2016
Faculty Representative, Qualtrics Policy Committee, Concord University, 2014 - 2015
Chair, Women Studies Minor Development Committee, Concord University, 2013 - 2014
Research Specialist, Strategic Planning Committee (SWAT), Concord University, 2013 - 2014
Executive Planning Committee, TA Orientation Program, Syracuse University, 2010 - 2012
Executive Planning Committee, Future Professoriate Program, Syracuse University, 2010 - 2012
Graduate Student Representative, Academic Integrity, Syracuse University, 2009 - 2012

Department Service

Assessment Director, Department of Sociology, Concord University, 2013 - Present
Academic Advisor, Department of Sociology, Concord University, 2013 - Present
Faculty Advisor, Sociology Club, Concord University, 2013 - Present
Assistant Professor of Sociology Search Committee, Concord University, 2014 - 2015
Curriculum Redesign Committee, Department of Sociology, Concord University, 2012 - 2013
Graduate Representative, Future Professoriate Program, Syracuse University, 2008 - 2010
Department Chair Reappointment Committee, Women's Studies, University of Cincinnati, 2006
Curriculum Review Committee, Women's Studies, University of Cincinnati, 2006

REFERENCES

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