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Education

- 1989 Ph.D., Sociology
 Harvard University
- Dissertation: “Moral Education in America, 1830-1990”
 Nathan Glazer (chair); Daniel Bell; David Riesman; Theda Skocpol
- 1985 M.A., Sociology
 Harvard University
- 1980 B.A., Psychology (with minors in English and History)
 University of California at Davis

Employment

- 1999- University of Wisconsin at Madison
 Assistant, Associate, and Full Professor (2006-), Department of Sociology
- 1997 Princeton University
 Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology (Spring Semester)
- 1991-99 New School for Social Research
 Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology; Historical Studies Program
- 1990-91 University of California at Berkeley
 Spencer Post-Doctoral Fellow, Department of Sociology
- 1989-90 Harvard University
 Lecturer, Committee on Degrees in Social Studies

Honors and Awards

- 2018 Kellett Mid-Career Award
 University of Wisconsin-Madison

- 2016 Theory Prize (*The Racial Order*)
Theory Section, American Sociological Association
- 2016 Leon Epstein Fellowship
University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2014 Conway-Bascon Professorship
University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2009 Lewis A. Coser Award for Theoretical Agenda-Setting in Sociology
Theory Section, American Sociological Association
- 2008 Departmental Award for Excellence in Teaching
Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin at Madison
- 1994 Best Article Award (“Network Analysis, Culture, and Agency”)
Culture Section, American Sociological Association

Research Support and Fellowships

- 2015 Graduate School Summer Research Support
University of Wisconsin at Madison
- 2010 Graduate School Summer Research Support
University of Wisconsin at Madison
- 2003 Faculty Development Grant
University of Wisconsin at Madison
- 1990-91 Spencer Post-Doctoral Fellowship
National Academy of Education
- 1987-88 Spencer Dissertation Fellowship
National Academy of Education
- 1987-88 Claude R. Lambe Award
Institute for Humane Studies
- 1981-83 Isadora Westerman Fellowship
Department of Sociology, Harvard University

Books

- 2019 *Race in America* (with Matthew Desmond). W.W. Norton. Third edition. Originally published as *Racial Domination, Racial Progress: The Sociology of Race in America* (with Matthew Desmond), McGraw-Hill,

2009. Second edition appeared with W.W. Norton in 2015. This text is meant as a companion volume to *The Racial Order*.

2015 *The Racial Order* (with Matthew Desmond). University of Chicago Press. A companion volume to *Race in America* (with Matthew Desmond).

Winner of the Theory Prize, Theory Section, American Sociological Association.

2003 *Emile Durkheim: Sociologist of Modernity* (editor). Malden, MA: Blackwell.

Articles

2019 “Practices of Self-Negation.” In *Questions of Practice in Philosophy and Social Theory*, coedited by Theodore Schatzki and Anders Busch (London: Routledge).

2016 “Field and Ecology” (with Sida Liu). *Sociological Theory* 16: 62-79.

2016 “Beneath Rationalization: Elias, Foucault, and the Body” (with Bowen Paille). *European Journal of Social Theory* 19: 39-56.

2014 “The Relational Turn: Past, Present, and Future.” Preface to *Relational Sociology: Against the Dichotomies Weakening Sociological Theory*, coedited by Guney Cegin and Emrah Goker. (Translated into Turkish.) My essays, “Manifesto for a Relational Sociology” and “What is Agency?” (coauthored with Ann Mische) also are reprinted here.

2013 “The Peculiar Convergence of Jeffrey Alexander and Erik Olin Wright” (with Molly Noble). *Theory and Society* 42: 617-45.

2013 “Relational Sociology as Fighting Words.” Postscript (pp. 209-12) in *Conceptualizing Relational Sociology: Ontological and Theoretical Issues*, coedited by Christopher Powell and Francois Depelteau (New York: Palgrave Macmillan).

2013 “Dewey and Bourdieu on Democracy” (with Erik Schneiderhan). Pp. 131-57 in *Bourdieu and Historical Analysis*, edited by Philip S. Gorski (Durham, NC: Duke University Press).

2012 “Race and Reflexivity” (with Matthew Desmond). *Ethnic and Racial Studies* 35: 574-99 (lead article in symposium, with commentaries by Howard Winant; Stephen Steinberg; Wendy Leo Moore; Mary Patttillo; Kimberly McClain DaCosta; Sudhir Venkatesh; and John L. Jackson, Jr.).

This essay also was the topic of an exchange with Raewyn Connell in *Perspectives: Newsletter of the Theory Section of the ASA*, May 2012: “10 Questions,” by Raewyn Connell, and “Replies to 10 Questions,” by Mustafa Emirbayer and Matthew Desmond.

- 2012 “Elias and Bourdieu” (with Bowen Paulle and Bart van Heerikhuizen). *Journal of Classical Sociology* 12: 69-93. Reprinted in *The Legacy of Pierre Bourdieu: Critical Essays*, coedited by Simon Susen and Bryan S. Turner (London: Anthem), 145-72.
- 2012 “To Imagine and Pursue Racial Justice” (with Matthew Desmond). *Race, Ethnicity, and Education* 15: 259-89.
- 2011 “Pragmatism and Ethnomethodology” (with Douglas W. Maynard). *Qualitative Sociology* 34: 221-61 (lead article in symposium, with commentaries by John Heritage; Christopher Winship and Christopher Muller; Anne Warfield Rawls; and Louis Quere and Cedric Terzi).
- 2010 “Tilly and Bourdieu.” *The American Sociologist* 41: 400-22 (part of a special tribute issue on Charles Tilly, with contributions by Rogers Brubaker, Jack Goldstone, Neil Gross, Kim Voss, and Viviana Zelizer).
- 2009 “What is Racial Domination?” (with Matthew Desmond). *The Du Bois Review* 6: 335-55.
- 2008 “Bourdieu and Organizational Analysis” (with Victoria Johnson). *Theory and Society* 37: 1-44 (lead article in symposium, with commentaries by David L. Swartz; Frank Dobbin; and Diane Vaughan).
- 2005 “Pragmatism, Bourdieu, and Collective Emotions in Contentious Politics” (with Chad Goldberg). *Theory and Society* 34: 469-518 (lead article).
- 2005 “Bourdieu and Social Work” (with Eva Williams). *Social Service Review* 79: 689-724.
- 2005 “Beyond Weberian Action Theory.” Pp. 185-203 in *Max Weber's Economy and Society: A Critical Companion*, edited by Charles Camic, Philip S. Gorski, and David M. Trubeck (Stanford: Stanford University Press).
- 2004 “The Alexander School of Cultural Sociology,” *Thesis Eleven* 79: 5-15 (lead article).
- 2003 “Emile Durkheim: Sociologist of Modernity.” Pp. 1-28 in *Emile Durkheim: Sociologist of Modernity*, edited by Mustafa Emirbayer (Malden, MA: Blackwell).

- 1999 “Publics in History” (with Mimi Sheller), *Theory and Society* 28: 145-97 (lead article).
- 1998 “What is Agency?” (with Ann Mische), *American Journal of Sociology* 103: 962-1023.
Translated into German, Spanish, Turkish
- 1997 “Manifesto for a Relational Sociology,” *American Journal of Sociology* 103: 281-317 (lead article). Reprinted in *Social Networks: Critical Concepts in Sociology*, edited by John Scott (New York: Routledge, 2002).
Translated into German, Spanish, Turkish, Finnish, Persian, Chinese (I believe—but can’t find it)
- 1996 “Symbols, Positions, Objects: Toward a New Theory of Revolutions and Collective Action” (with Jeff Goodwin), *History and Theory* 35: 358-74.
- 1996 “Useful Durkheim,” *Sociological Theory* 14: 109-30.
- 1996 “Durkheim's Contribution to the Sociological Analysis of History,” *Sociological Forum* 11: 263-84.
- 1994 “Network Analysis, Culture, and the Problem of Agency” (with Jeff Goodwin), *American Journal of Sociology* 99: 1411-53 (lead article).
Winner of Best Article Award, Culture Section, American Sociological Association.
Translated into German, Turkish, Spanish
- 1992 “Beyond Structuralism and Voluntarism: The Politics and Discourse of Progressive School Reform, 1890-1930,” *Theory and Society* 21: 621-64 (lead article).
- 1992 “The Shaping of a Virtuous Citizenry: Educational Reform in Massachusetts, 1830-1860,” *Studies in American Political Development* 6: 391-419 (lead article in symposium on education).

Short Essays and Reviews

- 2016 “Rejoinder” (with Matthew Desmond). *Ethnic and Racial Studies* 39: 2309-14—a response to critics in a symposium on *The Racial Order*, with contributions by Howard Winant, Winddance Twine, Miri Song, and Michael Banton.

- 2012 “On Swedberg’s Account of Theorizing.” *Sociologica* 2: 1-5—part of a symposium on recent work by Richard Swedberg, along with contributions by Andrew Abbott, Isaac Reed, and Claudio Paolucci.
- 2012 “De Top 5.” (Dutch translation of “My Top Five Books of Sociology.”) *Sociologie Magazine*, published in The Netherlands, March issue, p. 23.
- 2012 “A Sociological Breakthrough, Not a Sociological Guilt Trip,” *Political Power and Social Theory* 25: 131-36—lead article of a symposium (edited by Julian Go) on Raewyn Connell’s *Northern Theory*, along with contributions by Patricia Hill Collins, Raka Ray, and Isaac Reed.
- 2009 “Review of *Sketch for a Self-Analysis*, by Pierre Bourdieu, *American Journal of Sociology* 115: 898-901.
- 2008 “Review of *The Civil Sphere*, by Jeffrey Alexander,” *American Journal of Sociology* 113: 1464-68.
- 2007 “Otis Dudley Duncan (1921-2004): A Comprehensive Bibliography.” *Research in Social Stratification and Mobility* 25: 159-67.
- 1998-99 “Studying Publics in History” (with Mimi Sheller), *Comparative Historical Sociology Newsletter*—part of a symposium on “New Directions in Comparative Historical Sociology.”
- 1996 “Review of *Childerley*, by Michael Mayerfeld Bell,” *Sociological Inquiry* 66: 104-07.
- 1995 “Symbols, Positions, and Objects: Toward a New Relational Strategy of Historical Analysis,” *Comparative Historical Sociology Newsletter*—part of a symposium on “New Directions in Comparative Historical Sociology” (with essays by Jeff Goodwin and Charles Tilly).
- 1995 “Featured Review Essay on *The Semiotic Self*, by Norbert Wiley,” *Contemporary Sociology* 24: 733-36.
- 1995 “Review of *Social Action and Power*, by Franco Crespi,” *Contemporary Sociology* 24: 428-29.
- 1993-94 “Networks, Culture, and Agency” (with Jeff Goodwin), *Comparative Historical Sociology Newsletter*.

Invited Lectures and Presentations

- 2019 “Self-Negation.” NYU-Abu Dhabi.

- 2018 “Self-Negation.” University of Helsinki.
- 2018 “Adventures in Object Construction.” University of Helsinki.
- 2017 “Self-Negation.” University of Haifa, Israel.
- 2017 “Self-Negation.” University of Tel Aviv, Israel.
- 2017 “Self-Negation.” Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel.
- 2014 “Ambiguity in Social Science.” Plenary Address in Conference on Ambiguity. University of Helsinki. Helsinki, Finland.
- 2014 “What is Symbolic Violence?” Plenary Address in Conference on Advancing Cultural Sociology. Yale University. New Haven.
- 2014 “Tilly and Bourdieu.” Plenary Address in Conference on the Sociology and History: On the Work of Charles Tilly.” Colegio de Mexico. Mexico City, Mexico.
- 2013 “Race and Relational Sociology.” Keynote Address in Conference on Relational Sociology. University of Helsinki. Helsinki, Finland.
- 2010 “Relational Sociology.” University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands.
- 2010 “The Coming Freud Revival in American Sociology.” Lewis A. Coser Award Lecture. American Sociological Association. Atlanta.
- 2007 “Jeffrey Alexander’s *The Civil Sphere*.” Author Meets Critics Session, American Sociological Association. New York City.
- 2006 “John Dewey and Pierre Bourdieu.” Department of Sociology. UC Santa Barbara.
- 2005 “Dewey and Bourdieu.” University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands.
- 2004 “Bourdieu and Organizational Analysis.” Management and Organization Studies (Business School) ICOS Series. University of Michigan.
- 2003 “Relational Pragmatics.” School of Public Policy. American University. Washington, D.C.
- 2001 “Collective Emotions in Political Life.” University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

- 2001 “Reflections on the Alexander School of Cultural Sociology and its Achievements.” Conference on New Approaches to Culture. Leroy Nieman Center for the Study of American Society and Culture. University of California at Los Angeles.
- 2001 “Culture as Dialogic Semiosis.” Panel on Relational Approaches to Culture. Eastern Sociological Society. Philadelphia.
- 2001 “Collective Emotions in Political Life.” Department of Sociology Colloquium Series, University of Pennsylvania.
- 2001 “Collective Emotions in Political Life.” Department of Sociology Colloquium Series, Northwestern University.
- 2000 “Beyond Weberian Action Theory.” International Conference on Max Weber’s *Economy and Society*. University of Wisconsin at Madison.
- 2000 “Mechanisms of Fantasy, Mechanisms of Passion: The Role of Emotions in Political Life.” Department of Sociology Colloquium Series, University of California at Santa Barbara.
- 2000 “Mechanisms of Fantasy, Mechanisms of Passion: The Role of Emotions in Political Life.” Department of Sociology Colloquium Series, University of California at Los Angeles.
- 2000 “Mechanisms of Fantasy, Mechanisms of Passion: The Role of Emotions in Political Life.” Department of Sociology Colloquium Series, University of Michigan.
- 2000 “Social-Network Analysis, Culture, and Agency: An Alternative Research Agenda.” MacArthur Network on Inequality and Social Interactions. Los Angeles.
- 2000 “Three Lectures on Social Movements, Civil Society, and the Public Sphere.” Department of Philosophy and Social Science. University of Pristina, Kosovo.
- 1998 “What is Agency?” International Conference on Structures and Events. Bielefeld, Germany.
- 1998 “Three Lectures on Recent American Sociology.” Humanities University. Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan.
- 1998 “Three Lectures on Recent American Sociology.” Kazakh State University. Almaty, Kazakhstan.

- 1997 “What is Agency?” Department of Sociology Colloquium Series. University of Arizona.
- 1996 “Publics in History” (with Mimi Sheller). Culture and Inequality Workshop. Princeton University.
- 1995 “Three Lectures on Recent American Sociology.” Soros Foundation Conference on “Transformation of the Humanities.” Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan.
- 1993 “Durkheim and the Historical Sociology of Education.” Center for the Social Sciences. Columbia University.

Conference Presentations

- 2017 “Delineating Self-Negation.” Conference on “Practice, Practices, and Pragmatism.” Copenhagen, Denmark.
- 2017 “Post-Bourdieuian Perspectives.” Guest commentator in Special Session on “Post-Bourdieuian Theoretical Agendas.” American Sociological Association. Montreal, Canada.
- 2012 “Addams and Follette on Creativity and Power” (with Erik Schneiderhan). International Sociological Association Annual Conference. Trento, Italy.
- 2009 “What is Racial Domination?” (with Matthew Desmond). American Sociological Association. San Francisco.
- 2005 “Dewey, Bourdieu, and Historical Sociology” (with Erik Schneiderhan). Conference on Bourdieu and History. Yale University.
- 2005 “Pragmatism and Ethnomethodology” (with Douglas Maynard). Midwest Sociological Association. Minneapolis.
- 2004 “Bourdieu and Organizational Analysis” (with Victoria Johnson). American Sociological Association. San Francisco.
- 2004 “The Limits of Empire: Becker and Bourdieu” (with Philip Gorski). American Sociological Association. San Francisco.
- 2002 “Dingxin Zhao’s *The Power of Tiananmen*.” American Sociological Association. Chicago.
- 2000 “Social Movements and Relational Pragmatics.” Conference on Network Analysis and Social Movements. Loch Lomond, Scotland.
- 2000 “What is Culture? A Roundtable with John Delamater and Paul

- Lichterman.” Workshop on Social Psychology. University of Wisconsin.
- 2000 “Publics in History.” Workshop on Politics, Culture, and Society. University of Wisconsin.
- 1998 “Social Movements and Emotions” (with Chad Goldberg). American Sociological Association. San Francisco.
- 1998 “Institutions, Social Movements, Democracy.” Workshop on Social Movements and Society. University of California at Davis.
- 1997 “Manifesto for a Relational Sociology.” American Sociological Association. Toronto.
- 1996 “Publics in History: A Programmatic Statement” (with Mimi Sheller). Social Science History Association. New Orleans.
- 1996 “Communication Across Publics” (with Mimi Sheller). American Sociological Association. New York.
- 1996 “Culture, Structure, and Beyond: A Relational Perspective on Social Movements.” American Sociological Association. New York.
- 1995 “Symbols, Positions, Objects” (with Jeff Goodwin). International Tillyfest. Toronto.
- 1995 “The Future(s) of Comparative Historical Sociology” (with Charles Tilly and Jeff Goodwin). Center for the Study of Social Change. New School for Social Research.
- 1995 “Symbols, Positions, Objects: Rethinking Network Analysis” (with Jeff Goodwin). International Conference on Network Analysis. London.
- 1995 “What is Agency?” (with Ann Mische). Faculty/Student Colloquium on Culture and Politics. New School for Social Research.
- 1995 “What is Agency?” (with Ann Mische). Sociology Department Workshop on Politics, Power, and Protest. New York University.
- 1995 “What is Agency?” (with Ann Mische). Workshop on Linguistics and Social Process. Center for the Social Sciences. Columbia University.
- 1994 “Networks, Culture, and Agency.” Panel on Network Analysis in Historical Research. Social Science History Association. Atlanta..
- 1994 “Cultural Studies: An Introduction.” Conference on “Practicing Theory.”

San Diego.

- 1994 “What is Agency?” (with Ann Mische). American Sociological Association. Los Angeles.
- 1994 “Publics in History” (with Mimi Sheller). American Sociological Association. Los Angeles.
- 1994 “Publics in History” (with Mimi Sheller). Sociology Department Workshop on Politics, Power, and Protest. New York University.
- 1994 “Networks and Historical Analysis.” Social Networks Sunbelt Conference. New Orleans.
- 1993 “Useful Durkheim.” American Sociological Association. Miami.
- 1993 “What is Agency?” (with Ann Mische). American Sociological Association. Miami.
- 1993 “Useful Durkheim.” Sociology Department Workshop on Politics, Power, and Protest. New York University.
- 1992 “Useful Durkheim.” Sociology Department Staff Seminar. New School for Social Research.
- 1992 “Network Analysis and Historical Sociology” (with Jeff Goodwin). Department of Sociology Methodology Workshop. New York University.
- 1992 “Network Analysis and Historical Sociology” (with Jeff Goodwin). American Sociological Association. Pittsburgh.
- 1992 “Network Analysis and Historical Sociology” (with Jeff Goodwin). Sociology Department Staff Seminar. New School for Social Research.
- 1991 “Democratic Education in America: Theoretical and Historical Perspectives.” National Academy of Education. Boston.
- 1990 “Ethics and Sociology.” American Sociological Association. Washington, D.C.
- 1988 “The Evolution of Moral Education in U.S. Public Schools: The Common School Movement.” American Sociological Association. Atlanta.
- 1988 “Network Analysis” (with Jeff Goodwin). American Sociological Association. Atlanta.
- 1987 “Moral Education in U.S. Public Schools: A Contribution to the Sociology

of Moral Culture.” American Sociological Association. Chicago.

Conference or Workshop Participation

- 2013 Conference on “Relational Sociology.” University of Helsinki. Helsinki, Finland.
- 2005 Short Intensive Course on “Dewey, Durkheim, and Bourdieu.” University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands.
- 2002 Conference on “Race/Ethnicity, Self/Culture, and Inequality” (Organizer: Michele Lamont). Princeton University.
- 1996 Mini-Workshop/Conference on “Network Analysis, Language, Social Psychology, and Cultural Theory.” Center for the Social Sciences. Columbia University.
- 1995-97 Theory and Culture Study Group at the New School for Social Research (founder and coordinator); participants included faculty and students from across the New York City area.
- 1995 Symbolic Boundaries Working Group Mini-Conference (Organizer: Michele Lamont). George Mason University. Washington, D.C.
- 1994-95 Faculty Workshop: “Culture, Language, and Social Networks” (Organizer: Harrison White). Center for the Social Sciences. Columbia University.
- 1991-99 Workshop on “Culture and the Arts” (Organizer: Vera Zolberg). Western Europe Program. Casa Italiana. New York City.
- 1991-99 Workshop on “Politics, Power, and Protest.” Department of Sociology. New York University.
- 1991 “How We Americans Educate Our Children, *Outside* Our Schools” (Organizer: Wayne Booth). American Academy of Arts and Sciences.
- 1990-91 Leo Lowenthal's “Evening Discussion Group on Literature and Society.” University of California at Berkeley.
- 1986-90 Workshop of the Center for Research on Political and Social Organization (Director: Theda Skocpol). Harvard University.

Departmental Service

- 2016-2019 Colloquium Committee

2016-18	Assistant Professor Review Committee
2014-16	Curriculum Committee (chair)
2013-14	Associate Professor Review Committee
2013	Undergraduate Program Planning Committee
2011-13	Departmental Workshop on Race and Ethnicity (coordinator and co-coordinator)
2011-12	Assistant Professor Review Committee (chair)
2009-10	Exploratory Committee on Teaching Leave for Student Mentoring
2009-10	Faculty/Student Lounge Committee (chair)
2006-08	Budget Committee
2006	Faculty Diversity Liaison
2005-06	Graduate Admissions Committee
2004-05	Junior Faculty Review Committee (chair)
2004, 2007	Committee on Teaching and Instruction, Reschke Award Committee
2004	Acting Associate Chair (Spring Semester)
2003-12	Minority Recruitment and Retention Committee (acting chair in 2006)
2003-04	Junior Faculty Recruitment Committee
2001-05	Social Committee (chair and co-chair)
2000, 2005	Committee on Small Grants
1999-2008	Departmental “theory@madison” series (co-founder and coordinator)
1995-97	Theory and Culture Study Group at the New School for Social Research (founder and coordinator); participants included faculty and students from across the New York City area
1992-94	Workshop for Student Work-In-Progress at the New School for Social Research (founder and coordinator)

University Service

- 2018-20 Advisory Committee, Center for the Humanities
- 2005-12 Student Academic and Non-Academic Misconduct Hearing Panel
- 2007 External Department Review (Anthropology, University of Wisconsin at Madison)
- 2005-06 Faculty Professional Development Grant Review Committee
- 2000- Havens Center Steering Committee (University of Wisconsin at Madison)
- 1999-2004 University Faculty Senate (University of Wisconsin at Madison)
- 2000 Coordinator of Havens Center Series on “Civil Society and the Public Sphere” (University of Wisconsin at Madison)
- 1997-98 Diversity Search Committee (New School for Social Research)
- 1994-95 Grievance Committee (New School for Social Research)
- 1992 Committee for the Reorganization of the Social Sciences Curriculum at Eugene Lang College (New School for Social Research)

Professional Service

- 2017-18 Committee on Nominations. American Sociological Association.
- 2015-20 Editor, *Sociological Theory*.
- 2013-15 Council Member, History of Sociology Section, American Sociological Association.
- 2013-15 Consulting Editor, *Theory and Society*.
- 2010-11 Chair, Theory Section, American Sociological Association.
- 2006-15 Consulting Editor, *International Journal of Theory, Culture, and Society*.
- 2006 External Department Review, Sociology, Colorado College.
- 2005 Invited Organizer, Session on “Culture and Pragmatics: Theoretical Debates about Social Performance,” Culture Section, American Sociological Association, Philadelphia.
- 2004-2008 Consulting Editor, *Sociological Theory*.

- 1999-2000 Invited Organizer, Regular Sessions, Theory Section, American Sociological Association, Washington, D.C.
- 1998-2000 Consulting Editor, *American Journal of Sociology*.
- 1998-2000 Council Member, Theory Section, American Sociological Association.
- 1998 Awards Committee, "Best Student Article of 1997," Theory Section, American Sociological Association.
- 1997 Invited Facilitator/Coordinator, "Meaning and Measurement Workshop," Conference on Cultural Sociology, U.C. Santa Barbara.
- 1996 Awards Committee, "Best Article of 1995," Culture Section, American Sociological Association.
- 1994 Invited Section Organizer, Panel on "History of Education," Social Science History Association, Atlanta.
- 1994 Invited Section Organizer, Panel on "Cultural Theory," Conference on Social Theory: "Practicing Theory," San Diego.
- Referee *American Journal of Sociology; American Sociological Review; Theory and Society; Sociology of Education; Mobilization; Sociological Forum; Sociological Theory; Theory, Culture, and Society; Social Service Review; Organization Studies; Administrative Science Quarterly; The Du Bois Review*
- Referee Cambridge University Press; University of Chicago Press; Blackwell; Temple University Press.
- Member American Sociological Association.

Teaching Experience: Undergraduate Level

Classical Sociological Theory
 Contemporary Sociological Theory
 Problems of American Racial and Ethnic Minorities
 Social Movements

Teaching Experience: Graduate Level

Classical Theory
 Contemporary Theory
 Comparative Historical Sociology

Cultural Sociology
 Political Sociology
 Race Theory
 Democracy and Education
 Social Network Analysis
 Pragmatism and Social Theory
 Civil Society and the Public Sphere
 Ethnography and Theory, Ethnography as Theory
 The Sociology of Karl Marx
 The Sociology of W.E.B. Du Bois
 The Sociology of the Chicago School
 The Sociology of Erving Goffman
 The Sociology of Pierre Bourdieu

Dissertation Chaired: New School for Social Research

Completed Chad Goldberg (2001): Sociology, University of Wisconsin at Madison

Dissertations Chaired: University of Wisconsin at Madison

Completed Rebecca Krantz (2003): Non-Academic Career, Madison, Wisconsin
 Black Hawk Hancock (2004): Sociology, De Paul University
 Ben Kadel (2007): Non-Academic Career, Vancouver, Canada
 Insoo Kim (2008): Korea Military Academy
 Shamus Khan (2008): Sociology, Columbia University
 Erik Schneiderhan (2009): Sociology, University of Toronto
 Andrea Voyer (2009): Pace University
 Matthew Desmond (2010): Harvard University
 Chelsea Schelly (2013): Michigan Technical College
 Daniel Steward (2013): University of Illinois
 Geoff Bakken (2014): Non-Academic Consulting Position
 Adam Jacobs (2014): Non-Academic Consulting Position
 Torsheika Maddox (2015): Non-Academic Administrative Position
 Joseph Ewoodzie (2015): Davidson College
 Wes Markofski (2016): Claremont College
 Casey Stockstill (2018): University of Denver
 Lily Liang (2020): SUNY-Van Cortland
 June Jeon (2020): Post-Doc, Tufts Center for Civic Science
 Active Adam Talkington; Esther HsuBorger; Taylor Laemml; Ruo-Fan Liu

Master's Theses Chaired: University of Wisconsin at Madison

Completed Matthew Desmond (2004)
 Joseph Ewoodzie (2010)
 Wes Markofski (2010)
 Ruo-Fan Liu (2018)

Nathan Shelton (2019)
Ellen Bruno (2019)
Benny Witkowsky (2019)
Sadie Dempsey (2019)

Dissertation Committees: New School for Social Research

Dissertation William Picard (1993), Josue Da Silva (1994), Leonardo Avritzer (1995), Mimi Sheller (1997), Margarita Palacios (1998), Joseph Lowndes (1999), Jacques Berlinerblau (1999), Catherine Celebrezze (2001)

Dissertation and Master's Thesis Committees: University of Wisconsin at Madison

Dissertation Naewon Kang (2000), Paul Lachalier (2001), Jorge Cadena-Roa (2001), Dana Fisher (2001), Akosue Darkwah (2002), Angel Adams (2003), Liba Brent (2003), Diane Soles (2005), Aaron Pitluck (2005), Christine Overdevest (2005), Spencer Wood (2006), Kristen Velyvis (2007), Martin Santos (2008), Maria Cormier (2009), Elizabeth Weathersbee (2010), Peter Brinson (2010), Wendy Christensen (2010), Kaelyn Stiles (2010), Larisa Puslenghea (Mass Communications and Journalism, 2013), Jenn Simms (2014), Jason Orne (2015), Marsha Modeste (Educational Policy, 2015), Windy Li (active)

Master's Charles Ditzler (2001), Clifford Westfall (2001), Shauna Morimoto (2002), Hui-Jung Kim (2004), Charles Brady Potts (2004), Rebekah Ravenscroft-Scott (2004), David Wright (2004), Joseph Harris (2008), Carly Schall (2008), Torsheika Maddox (2009), Heather O'Connell (2009), Michelle Robinson (2010)