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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2024 — Assistant Professor of Sociology, Coastal Carolina University,
Department of Sociology
- 2023 — 2024 Visiting Assistant Professor of Sociology, Coastal Carolina University,
Department of Sociology
- 2019 — 2023 Visiting Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of North Carolina at
Greensboro, Department of Sociology

EDUCATION

- 2019 Ph.D. Yale University, Sociology
- 2002 M.A. San Francisco State University, English
- 1995 B.A. San Jose State University, Philosophy (major), History (minor)

PUBLICATIONS

- 2023 "Inverted Totems: On the Significance of 'Woke' in the Culture Wars." *Religions*.
14(11). 1-16.
- 2023 *Vietnam: A War, Not a Country* (with Ron Eyerman and Magnus Ring). Amsterdam:
Amsterdam University Press.
- 2023 "Farewell to Genre: Plot, Meaning, and the Syntax of Eudaemonic Paths." *Current
Sociology*. 72(2): 330-348.

- 2023 "Western tourism at Cu Chi and the memory of war in Vietnam" (with Brad West). *Thesis Eleven* 174(1): 118-134.
- 2023 "Cultural Syntax and the Rules of Meaning Making: A New Paradigm for The Interpretation of Culture." Pp. 118-139 in Andrea Cossu and Jorge Fontdevila (eds.) *Interpretive Sociology and the Semiotic Imagination*. Bristol: Bristol University Press.
- 2021 "Epimilitary Culture: Vietnamese-American Literature and the Alternative to Paramilitary Culture." Pp. 169-191 in Brad West and Thomas Crosbie (eds.) *Militarization and the Global Rise of Paramilitary Culture: Post-Heroic Reimaginings of the Warrior*. Singapore: Springer.
- 2020 "Theories of Cultural Trauma." Pp. 55-66 in Colin David and Hanna Meretoja (eds.) *The Routledge Companion to Literature and Trauma*. New York: Routledge.
- 2017 "Cultural Trauma, Collective Memory and the Vietnam War" (with Ron Eyerman and Magnus Ring). *Croatian Political Science Review* 54(1-2): 11-31.

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2019 — Yale University Faculty Fellow, Center for Cultural Sociology
- 2018 Fudan University Cultural Sociology Visiting Fellow, Shanghai, China
- 2017 MacMillan International Dissertation Research Fellowship, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam
- 2013 Konstanz *Meisterklasse* Grant, Konstanz, Germany

SELECTED INVITED TALKS

- 2018 International Conference on China in Transition, Fudan University, China: "Iconic Anchoring"
- 2017 Sociology Seminar Series, Lund University, Sweden: "Vietnam: A War, Not a Country"
- 2014 Global Conference on Trauma, Prague, Czech Republic: "Vietnam: A War, Not a Country"
- 2013 *Meisterklasse*, Konstanz, Germany: "Perfect Fools"

CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

Conferences Organized

2017 - 2018 ASA Interpretive Sociology Conference Program Committee Member

Panels Organized

2018 Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting: *Thinking Iconically*

2015 Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, New York, *Trauma and Narrative*

Papers Given

2018 ASA Annual Meeting: Interpretive Sociology Conference, Philadelphia, "Iconographic Anchoring"

2018 Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Baltimore, "Iconographic Anchoring"

2017 ASA Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada "Farewell to Genre"

2015 Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, New York, "Unfinished Odyssey"

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Visiting Assistant Professor of Sociology

2023 - Coastal Carolina University

Visiting Assistant Professor of Sociology

2019 - 2023 University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Instructor

2019 Yale Prison Education Initiative: *Foundations of Modern Social Theory*

2019 Gateway Community College: *Introduction to Sociology*

2017 Yale University: *Foundations of Modern Social Theory*

2008 San Jose State University: *Community Action and Service*

Teaching Fellow

2018 Professor Rene Almeling, Yale University: *Senior Essay & Colloquium*

2017 Professor Jeffrey Alexander, Yale University: *Cultural Sociology*

2015 Professor Vida Maralani, Yale University: *Inequality in America*

2014 Professor Ronald Eyeran, Yale University: *Sociology of Social Movements*

Teaching Certificate

2018 *Certificate for College Teaching*, Yale University

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Book Manuscript Editor

2017 - 2021 Editorial Assistant for Ronald Eyerman, Yale University
2017 - 2019 Editorial Assistant for Jeffrey Alexander, Yale University

Journal Manuscript Reviewer

2016 — *Cultural Sociology*
2016 — *American Journal of Cultural Sociology*

COURSES TAUGHT

Graduate Seminars

Cultural Sociology

Undergraduate Courses

Social Justice
Social Inequality
Collective Action and Social Movements
Individual and Society
Social Movements
Classical Social Theory
Social Problems
Political Sociology
The Community
Introduction to Cultural Sociology
Introduction to Sociology
Introduction to Research and Methods

MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS

Women's and Gender Studies Program, Coastal Carolina University, Affiliated Faculty
American Sociological Association
Center for Cultural Sociology, Yale University, Faculty Fellow