

Curriculum Vitae 2008

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EDUCATION

Ph.D., 1987, Sociology, University of Akron, Ohio.
Specializations: Theory, Criminology, Delinquency, and Urban Sociology
Dissertation Title: "Crime News Reporting in the *New York Times*, 1900 to 1950: A Quantitative Content Analysis."

M.A., 1976, Urban Studies, University of Akron, Ohio
Master's Thesis Title: "Theory and Practice in the Field of Juvenile Justice: A Match or a Mismatch?"

B.A., 1967, History, Columbia University, New York, New York

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

2007 –present, Senior Instructor, Co-Director of Undergraduate Study, and Undergraduate Advisor, Department of Sociology, Case Western Reserve University

2004 – 2007, Instructor, Co-Director of Undergraduate Study, and Undergraduate Advisor, Department of Sociology, Case Western Reserve University

2003, Instructor and Undergraduate Advisor, Department of Sociology, Case Western Reserve University.

2000 – 2002, Lecturer and Undergraduate Advisor, Department of Sociology, Case Western Reserve University

(Due to spouse relocation, left full time tenured position at Ohio Northern University)

1989 – 1999, Tenured Associate Professor of Sociology and Criminology, Ohio Northern University, Ada, Ohio.

1987 – 1988, Visiting Assistant Professor of Sociology and Criminology, College of Wooster, Wooster, Ohio.

1981 – 1986, Instructor, University of Akron, Ohio.

COURSES TAUGHT AT CASE

Introduction to Sociology, Critical Problems, Criminology, Self and Society, Delinquency and Juvenile Justice, Seminar/Practicum School-Based Peer Restorative Justice, Deviance, Sociological Theory, Urban Sociology, Sages Capstone Experience, Sages University Seminar, Internships, Senior Honors Theses, and Independent Studies

ADDITIONAL COURSES TAUGHT AT OHIO NORTHERN UNIVERSITY

The Family , Work and Organizations, Cultural Anthropology, World Criminal Justice Systems, Urban Life, Gender Studies , Senior Seminar Capstone Experience, Independent Studies, Internship Supervisor

AWARDS, HONORS, AND GRANTS

For Teaching At Case Western University

2003, Recipient “TOP PROF AWARD,” Mortar Board National Honor Society

2006, 2005, 2004, 2003, Nominated for the Wittke Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching at Case Western Reserve University

2005, 2004, 2003, Nominated for the Jackson Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Mentoring at Case Western Reserve University

For Teaching at Ohio Northern University

1997, Spring sabbatical leave, Ohio Northern University

1997, 1996, 1995, 1994, One of six faculty members nominated for the “Outstanding Teaching Award” at Ohio Northern University

1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, Recipient “TOP PROF AWARD,” Mortar Board National Honor Society

1992, Recipient of the “Outstanding Teaching Faculty Award” at Ohio Northern University

For Other:

1985, Member, Alpha Kappa Delta (AKD) Honor Society

1984, Outstanding paper award in Graduate Student Paper Competition, sponsored by the North Central Sociological Association.

For Research:

- 2003-2004, Recipient of Case Western Reserve University National Science Foundation Academic Careers in Engineering and Science (NSF-ACES) program. Funded in the amount of \$12,950 for project titled "Healthcare Professionals' Attitudes and Beliefs about Pregnant Substance Abusing Women."
- 2006-2007 Recipient of \$5,500 from the NSF-ACES to continue above research
1992, Faculty Development Grant, Ohio Northern University for research at the Center for Criminology, University of Toronto, Canada. Funded in the amount of \$5,000.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Case Western Reserve University, University, College, and Departmental Service

- 2007 - Chair, Committee on Student Life, Service and Environment
2007 - Member of the Retention Taskforce Committee
2007 - Outside Reader for a Psychology and an MSAS Dissertation
2007 - Added SOCI305A Seminar/Practicum, Peer Justice: School-Based
2006 - Added two courses to the Undergraduate Sociology Curriculum: SOCI 392- Sages Senior Capstone Experience, and SOCI 282, Sages University Seminar
2004 - present, Co-Director of Undergraduate Program, Department of Sociology
2004 - present, Initiated and designed a proposal of adding to the sociology curriculum four concentrations: Crime and Delinquency; Health and Aging; Social Inequality; and Gender, Work, and Family. Concentrations are intended to guide students in the selection of courses relevant to their interests and future goals, as well as to provide them with a solid grounding in sociology as one of the liberal arts sciences. This proposal was unanimously approved by my colleagues in the department of sociology, and I am currently submitting the forms to the university curriculum committee.
2002 and 2004, I introduced TWO new courses to the Undergraduate Sociology Curriculum. Delinquency and Juvenile justice, (320) and Urban Sociology, (328)
2001 - present, Undergraduate Advisor, Department of Sociology, On average I have 30 advisees each semester.
2001- present , founder and Advisor to the Sociology Club
*Annually, I supervise several Senior Honors Theses and independent studies
* Annually, I am a member of several scholarship committees interview teams: The NSEP David Boren Scholarships; The Marshall and Rhodes Scholarships; The Fullbright Scholarships; The Adelbert Squire Full tuition Scholarships Committee.
* I am regularly representing the department at undergraduate students' events: The Choices Fair; The Saturday Sampler; Meeting the Faculty Freshman Forum; Participant in the Graduating Seniors' Academic Honors Assembly.
*Together with colleagues, organizer and moderator of the Alpha Kappa Delta Honor Society's Induction/Banquet ceremony

Supervised student internships, with the Shaker Heights Probation

Department and with the Environmental Protection Agency in Washington, D.C..
Ohio Northern University

*1991 - 1998, Member, College of Arts and Sciences, Committee on the Curriculum

*1991 - 1998, Member, University's Faculty Judiciary Board

*1995 - 1996, Member, College of Arts and Sciences, Committee on Constitutional Revision

*Invited by the Moot Court Executive Board of the College of Law to participate as a judge in the American Bar Association's Regional Client Counseling Competition.*Member, College of Arts and Sciences, Dean's Search Committee

*Departmental representative at Freshman Summer Orientation Weekends, Junior Visitation Days, and Parents' Days, Judge at Greek Week Events, and Presidential Scholarship Days,

*1993 - 1998, Founder and adviser to the Sociology Club.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association

American Society of Criminology

International Criminal Justice Association

Midwestern Criminal Justice Association

Eastern Sociological Association

PARTICIPATION IN SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS

* "Oral History Workshop," Norwich University of Vermont. * "Creating a Dynamic Global Vision of Human Rights Education in a Multicultural Society", workshop at University of Cincinnati.

* Undergraduate Students' International Conference, Ball State University

* Workshop on "International Elements in the Curriculum" Indiana Consortium of International Programs, Ball State University, Indiana * Seminar on "Reaffirming Rehabilitation", National Discussion on Institutions and Alternatives, Alexandria, Virginia. * Workshop on "Social Interactionist Approaches to Aggression and Violence," Washington D.C. * Building a Safe Society, Institute of Law and Justice, Washington, D.C.

CONSULTING

Consultant and reader for W.W. Norton and Company's Textbook, *Introduction to Sociology* by Anthony Giddens.

1996, Consultant to ABC Television in connection with the special program, "The Community and Fear of Crime," broadcasted in 1996.