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Curriculum Vitae

Assistant Professor of Sociology
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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Eastern Oregon University

Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology/Sociology (2016-present)

Indiana University

Instructor, Department of Sociology, Indiana University (2008-2012; 2014-2016)

Instructor, Student Academic Center, Indiana University (2014-2015)

Instructor, School of Continuing Studies, Indiana University (2011-2013)

Butler University

Instructor, Department of Sociology and Criminology (2013-2014)

EDUCATION

2016

Doctor of Philosophy, Sociology

Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana

Minor: Gender Studies

Dissertation: The Deferential Kitchen: (Re)Production of Gender and Class in Culinary Arts School

Committee: Timothy Hallett (chair), Donna Eder, Brian Powell, Cate Taylor

2009

Master of Arts, Sociology

Indiana University, Bloomington

2006

BA in Sociology, Department of Anthropology and Sociology

Indiana University Northwest, Summa Cum Laude

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Gender, Race, Class

Gender and Sexualities

Sociology of Family

Sociology of Food

Research Methods

Social Psychology

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Eastern Oregon University

- Social Theory
- Gender & Power
- Sociology of Families
- General Sociology
- Inequality & Diversity

- Social Psychology
- Practice of Social Research
- McDonaldization and Food Systems
- Sociology of Food: Access, Inequalities, and Culture
- Stigma: Culture and Identity
- Senior Seminar

Indiana University

- Gender Roles
- Race and Ethnic Relations
- The Family
- Introduction to Sociology
- Field Experience in Sociology
- Introduction to ATLAS.ti (Day-long, intensive seminar for graduate students)
- Critical Reading and Reasoning for the New College Student

Butler University

- Families and Gender Roles
- Gender and Society
- Understanding Society

ADDITIONAL TEACHING AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES

2017	Participant, Grant Writing USA Workshop, Kennewick, Washington
2016	Participant, Teaching Talks III, Statewide Faculty Workshop Focused on Assignment Design and Knowledge Transfer in Portland, Oregon
2016	Participant, Summer Institute for Faculty Development at Eastern Oregon University
2016	Participant, Canvas: A First Look (webinar) through Center for Innovative Teaching and Learning at Indiana University
2016	Participant, Canvas: Modules (webinar) through Innovative Teaching and Learning at Indiana University
2016	Participant, Canvas: Assignments and Grading (webinar) through Innovative Teaching and Learning at Indiana University
2016	Participant, Canvas: Communication Strategies (webinar) through Innovative Teaching and Learning at Indiana University
2016	Participant, Alpha Kappa Delta Workshop on Teaching and Learning at Midwestern Sociological Society & North Central Sociological Association Joint Annual Meeting
2010	Preparing Future Faculty Certificate, Indiana University
2009-2010	Preparing Future Faculty Shadowing Fellow at DePauw University
2009	Future Faculty Development Certificate, Midwest Sociological Society Annual Meeting

PUBLICATIONS

Puentes, Jennifer. (forthcoming). "Delineating Cultural Boundaries and Debunking the Myth of the "Classless" Kitchen." *Humanity and Society*

Puentes, Jennifer. (forthcoming). Review: *Invisible Labor: Hidden Work in the Contemporary World*, edited by Marion G. Crain, Winifred R. Poster, and Miriam A. Cherry. *Contemporary Sociology*.

Puentes, Jennifer and Matthew Gougherty. 2013. "Intersections of Gender, Race, and Class in Introductory Textbooks." *Teaching Sociology* 41:159-171.

Backstrom, Laura, Elizabeth Armstrong and Jennifer Puentes. 2012. "Women's Negotiations of Cunnilingus." *Journal of Sex Research* 49:1-12.

Puentes, Jennifer, David Knox, and Marty Zusman. 2008 "Participants in 'Friends with Benefits' Relationships" *College Student Journal* 42:176-180.

PAPERS IN PROGRESS

"Gender, Class, and Race in Etiquette Books: How to Dress Like a (White Middle Class) 'Lady' or 'Gentleman'" (with Matt Gougherty)

"Online Education: Strategies, Challenges and Innovations." (with Matt Gougherty)

"Examining Food Deserts in the Classroom" (with Dana Prewitt)

HONORS AND AWARDS

2013, 2014	Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction Student Travel Award
2013	Ford Foundation Diversity Fellowship, Honorable Mention for Dissertation Completion Award
2006-2012	IU Graduate Tuition Fellowship, Department of Sociology, Indiana University
2010	Nominated for the Sutherland Teaching Award, Department of Sociology's Highest Teaching Distinction Award
2009, 2010	Midwest Sociological Society, Graduate Student Travel Award
2006-2008	IU Graduate Summer Fellowship, Department of Sociology, Indiana University
2005, 2006	Academic Achievement Award in Sociology and Anthropology, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Indiana University Northwest.
2005, 2006	Outstanding Academic Achievement Award in College of Arts and Sciences, Indiana University Northwest.
2002-2005	IUN High Academic Scholarship, Indiana University Northwest.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2017 "Gendered and Sexualized Discourses in Culinary Arts School: If You Can't Stand the Heat, Get Out of the Kitchen." Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Portland, OR.
- 2017 "Online Education: Strategies, Challenges and Innovations." Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Portland, OR. (with Matthew Gougherty)
- 2015 "Sexualized Discourses in Culinary Arts School: A qualitative analysis of interactional challenges in kitchen classrooms" Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- 2014 "Constructing Gender, Class, and Race: Symbolic Messages in Etiquette Books." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA. (with Matthew Gougherty)
- 2014 "Learning Culinary Culture: Gendered Negotiations of Kitchen Talk in Culinary Arts School." Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.
- 2013 "Crafting Gendered and Classed Demeanors in Etiquette Books." Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction Annual Meeting, New York, NY. (with Matthew Gougherty)
- 2011 "Revisiting Gender, Race, and Class Stratification in Introductory Textbooks." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV. (with Matthew Gougherty)
- 2010 "Incorporating Media into the Classroom: Teaching Sociology of Gender through Film." Midwest Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- 2009 "Examining Negative and Positive Family-to-Work Spillover through Quantitative and Qualitative Methods." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.
- "Positive and Negative Family-to-Work Spillover: The Pros and Cons of Family." Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA.
- "Perceptions of Family Responsibility on Career: Examining Negative and Positive Family-to-Work Spillover." Midwest Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Des Moines, IA.

- 2008 “Perceptions of Family Conflict on Work.” North Central Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Cincinnati, OH.
- 2006 “Exotic Dancing: Empowerment or Subordination?” North Central Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Indianapolis, IN.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2012 Research Assistant, Social Research Practicum on Social Status, Consumption, and Happiness, directed by Art Alderson; Conducted telephone interviews with randomly dialed respondents.
- 2007-09 Research Assistant, College Social Life Longitudinal Ethnographic and Interview Study, directed by Elizabeth Armstrong. During 2007, I arranged interviews with research participants, took field notes, and conducted face-to-face interviews with college age women regarding sensitive topics, including sexual histories. In 2008-2009, I transcribed interviews from this project. Collaboration with faculty and another graduate student from the project led to a publication in *Journal of Sex Research* in 2012.
- 2007 Research Assistant, Social Research Practicum on Political Attitudes, Clem Brooks; Conducted telephone interviews with randomly dialed respondents.

CONSULTING EXPERIENCE

- 2013 External Consultant for Serve IT Clinic, School of Informatics, Indiana University
Conducted, transcribed, and analyzed qualitative interviews with non-profit organization leaders regarding their experiences collaborating with the Serve IT Clinic. Prepared a report and presented results to the board of directors.

SERVICE

University

- 2017 Personnel Committee for Department of Psychology, Eastern Oregon University
- 2016-present Safe Space Advocate, Eastern Oregon University
- 2012, 13, 15 Preparing Future Faculty Conference Planning Committee, Indiana University
- 2010-11 Guest speaker in undergraduate classes at Indiana University: Culture and Society (topics: Gender and Sports); The Family (topics: Macro-level Gender Inequality and the Division of Household Labor); Introduction to Sociology (topics: Gender, Sexuality and Sexual Orientation)
- 2010 Executive Committee, Graduate Student Association, Indiana University
- 2009-11 Recruitment Committee, Graduate Student Association, Indiana University
- 2009-10 Graduate Student Mentor, Department of Sociology, Indiana University
- 2009 Guest speaker/panelist in graduate class: Professional Development Seminar (topic: Experiences with attending and presenting at conferences)

2007-08 Secretary, Graduate Student Association, Indiana University
 2007 Qualitative Lab Assistant at Indiana University

Professional

2017 Pacific Sociological Association Session Presider; *Gendered Discourses and "Doing Gender"*
 2013 Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction Session Presider; *Innovating Methods*
 2013 North Central Sociological Association Session Organizer and Facilitator; *Intersecting Systems of Oppression and Privilege: Race, Class, and Gender*
 2011 American Sociological Association Teaching and Learning Roundtable Presider; *Teaching Diversity*
 2010 Midwest Sociological Society Annual Meeting Session Organizer and Presider; *Bringing Media into the Classroom*

Community

2017-present Planning Committee, Cooking Matters in La Grande, Oregon
 2017 Planning Committee, Union County FEAST (Food, Education, Agriculture, Solutions, Together) with Oregon Food Bank
 2017 Planning Committee, Walk for Warmth, La Grande, Oregon
 2017-present Member, Leadership Team Racial Justice in Eastern Oregon, La Grande, Oregon
 2016-present Member, Racial Justice in Eastern Oregon, La Grande, Oregon
 2016-present Member, Oregon Rural Action, La Grande, Oregon
 2014-2016 Food Pantry Volunteer, Mother Hubbard's Cupboard, Bloomington, Indiana
 2015 Volunteer, Open Streets, Bloomington, Indiana
 2008-10 Volunteer, Indiana Youth Group, Indianapolis, Indiana

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association

Section Memberships: Family, Latina/Latino Sociology, Race/Class/Gender, Race and Ethnic Minorities, Sex and Gender, Sexualities, Sociology of Education, Teaching and Learning

Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction

Society for the Study of Social Problems

Sociologists for Women in Society

Midwest Sociological Society

Pacific Sociological Association