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## EMPLOYMENT & OFFICES

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- 2024 – present      Professor, Department of Sociology, Hunter College and the Graduate Center, City University of New York
- 2016 - 2024      Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, Hunter College and the Graduate Center, City University of New York
- 2017-2018      President, Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction (service as President-Elect, 2016-2017, Past-President, 2018-2019)
- 2016-2019      Secretary, Eastern Sociological Society
- 2016 - 2019      Chair, Hunter College Senate\*  
\* Chief administrative and presiding officer of a college senate with one hundred voting members, nineteen standing committees, and several ad hoc committees. The Senate convenes approximately every two weeks and operates on a shared governance model with faculty, students, and administrators serving as voting members. The Senate has full authority over undergraduate and graduate curriculum, academic requirements, and general education requirements and makes policy regarding computing and technology, academic freedom, library and research, assessment, governance, the college master plan, institutional learning outcomes, and several other matters central to the college mission and operations.
- 2013 - 2016      Deputy Chair, Department of Sociology, Hunter College, City University of New York\*\*  
\*\* Duties and responsibilities included scheduling classes for a department with nearly six hundred majors, advising the department Chair and standing in for the Chair when needed, serving on the department's Personnel & Budget Committee, serving on search committees for tenure track faculty, curriculum development, and assistance organizing departmental events including research workshops and organizational retreats.
- 2009 - 2016      Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Hunter College and the Graduate Center, City University of New York

## EDUCATION

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- Ph.D. Department of Sociology, Rutgers University, 2009
- M.A. Department of Sociology, Rutgers University, 2004
- B.A. Rutgers College, Rutgers University, 1997, *with Honors* (history major, philosophy minor)

## RESEARCH AREAS

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Cultural sociology, cognition, memory, theory, pragmatism/symbolic interactionism, performance studies, social movements, knowledge, emotion, trauma, comparative & historical cultural analysis, social conflict, new media and digital sociology

## PUBLICATIONS

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### ***Solo-authored books & edited volumes:***

DeGloma, Thomas. 2023. *Anonymous: The Performance of Hidden Identities*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press.

\* The Theory Prize (for outstanding contribution to sociological theory), American Sociological Association, Theory Section, 2024

\* Charles Horton Cooley Award for Best Book, Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction, 2024

\* Author Meets Critics panel, 94th annual meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, Washington, DC, 2024

\* Featured (interview and discussion), *Thinking Allowed*, BBC Radio. Air date: February 14, 2024

\* Podcast interviews: New Books Network; The Annex Sociology Podcast

DeGloma, Thomas and Janet Jacobs (eds.). 2023. *Interpreting Contentious Memory: Countermemories and Social Conflicts over the Past*. Bristol, UK: Bristol University Press.

Brekhus, Wayne H., Thomas DeGloma, and William Ryan Force (eds.). 2023. *The Oxford Handbook of Symbolic Interactionism*. New York: Oxford University Press.

DeGloma, Thomas and Julie B. Wiest (Series Editors). In process (multiple volumes). *Interpretive Lenses in Sociology* (a twelve volume book series). Bristol, UK: Bristol University Press. (<https://bristoluniversitypress.co.uk/interpretive-lenses-in-sociology>).

DeGloma, Thomas. 2014. *Seeing the Light: The Social Logic of Personal Discovery*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press.

\*Charles Horton Cooley Award for Best Book, Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction, 2015

\* Reviewed in the *American Journal of Sociology*, *Contemporary Sociology*, *Social Forces*, *Qualitative Sociology*, *Sociological Forum*, *Symbolic Interaction*, and *Qualitative Sociology Review*

\*Excerpts featured in *The Production of Reality: Essays and Readings on Social Interaction*, Sixth Edition. Edited by Jodi A. O'Brien. Sage Publications

\* Author Meets Critics panel, 85th annual meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, New York, NY, 2015

### **Articles and Book Chapters:**

DeGloma, Thomas. 2024. "Theme-Driven Social Analysis: Three Approaches." *Symbolic Interaction* 47, 2: 278-297.

DeGloma, Thomas and Janet Jacobs. 2023. "Interpreting Contentious Memories and Conflicts Over the Past." In *Interpreting Contentious Memory: Countermemories and Social Conflicts over the Past*. Bristol, UK: Bristol University Press.

DeGloma, Thomas, Wayne H. Brekhus, and William Ryan Force. 2022. "On the Wonderful Complexities and Varied Directions of Symbolic Interactionism in the Twenty-first Century." *Oxford Handbook of Symbolic Interaction*. Oxford and New York: Oxford University Press.

Jacobs, Janet and Thomas DeGloma. 2023. "Memory and the Social Dynamics of Conflict and Contention: Interpretive Lenses for New Cases and Controversies." In *Interpreting Contentious Memory: Countermemories and Social Conflicts over the Past*. Bristol, UK: Bristol University Press.

DeGloma, Thomas and Julie B. Wiest. 2022. "On the Multidimensional Foundations of Meaning in Social Life: An Invitation to the Series Interpretive Lenses in Sociology." Open access (<https://bristoluniversitypress.co.uk/interpretive-lenses-in-sociology>). Bristol, UK: Bristol University Press.

\*Shorter versions of this paper appear in print in the following books: *Interpreting Religion: Making Sense of Religious Lives*, edited by Erin F. Johnston and Vikash

Singh; *Interpretive Sociology and the Semiotic Imagination*, edited by Andrea Cossu and Jorge Fontdevila; *Interpreting the Body: Between Meaning and Materiality*, edited by Anne Marie Champagne and Asia Friedman; and *Interpreting Subcultures: Approaching, Contextualizing, and Embodying Sense-Making Practices in Alternative Cultures*, edited by J. Patrick Williams. Bristol, UK: Bristol University Press.

DeGloma, Thomas and Max Papadantonakis. 2020. "The Thematic Lens: A Formal and Cultural Framework for Comparative Ethnographic Analysis." Pp. 84-106 in *Beyond the Case: Competing Logics and Approaches to Comparative Ethnography*. Edited by Corey M. Abramson and Neil Gong. New York: Oxford University Press.

DeGloma, Thomas and Erin F. Johnston. 2019. "Cognitive Migrations: A Cultural and Cognitive Sociology of Personal Transformation." Pp. 623-644 in *The Oxford Handbook of Cognitive Sociology*. Edited by Wayne H. Brekhus and Gabe Ignatow. Oxford and New York: Oxford University Press.

DeGloma, Thomas. 2015. "The Strategies of Mnemonic Battle: On the Alignment of Autobiographical and Collective Memories in Conflicts over the Past." *American Journal of Cultural Sociology* 3, 1: 156-190.

DeGloma, Thomas. 2014. "The Unconscious in Cultural Dispute: On the Ethics of Psychosocial Discovery." Pp. 77-98 in *The Unhappy Divorce of Psychoanalysis and Sociology: Diverse Perspectives on the Psychosocial*. Edited by Lynn Chancer and John Andrews. London: Palgrave Macmillan.

DeGloma, Thomas. 2011. "Defining Social Illness in a Diagnostic World: Trauma and the Cultural Logic of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder." Pp. 59-82 in *Advances in Medical Sociology, Vol. 12: Sociology of Diagnosis*. Edited by PJ McGann and David J. Hutson. Emerald Publishing Group: Wales, UK.

DeGloma, Thomas. 2010. "Awakenings: Autobiography, Memory, and the Social Logic of Personal Discovery." *Sociological Forum* 25, 3: 519-540.

DeGloma, Thomas. 2010. "Waking Up in a Contentious World." *The Hedgehog Review* 12, 2: 74-84. Journal of the Institute for Advanced Studies in Culture, University of Virginia.

DeGloma, Thomas. 2009. "Expanding Trauma through Space and Time: Mapping the Rhetorical Strategies of Trauma Carrier Groups." *Social Psychology Quarterly* 72, 2: 105-122.

DeGloma, Thomas. 2007. "The Social Logic of 'False Memories': Symbolic Awakenings and Symbolic Worlds in Survivor and Retractor Narratives." *Symbolic Interaction* 30, 4: 543-565.

***Book Reviews, Essays, and Critical Commentary:***

DeGloma, Thomas. 2019. Review of *Reign of Appearances: The Misery and Splendor of the*

*Public Sphere*, by Ari Adut. 2018, New York: Cambridge University Press. *Sociological Forum* 34, 4: 1009-1013.

DeGloma, Thomas. 2019. "The Expanding Interactionist Community: On the Remarkable Breadth and Depth of Symbolic Interactionism." *Italian Sociological Review* 9, 2: 165-169.

DeGloma, Thomas. 2017. "President's Statement." *SSSI Notes* 46, 2.

DeGloma, Thomas. 2012. "Suffering as a Vocabulary of Motive: A Comment on Harvey." *Sociological Forum* 27, 3: 778-779.

Dingwall, Robert, Thomas DeGloma, and Staci Newmahr. 2012. "Editors' Introduction: Symbolic Interaction – Serving the Whole Interactionist Family." *Symbolic Interaction* 35, 1: 1-5.

\*Republished in translation in R. Dingwall. 2015. *L'Interazionismo Simbolico: Caratteristiche e Prospettive* (translated by R. Rauty), Edizione Kurumuny, Martignano, pp. 45-54.

DeGloma, Thomas. 2011. Comment on "Therapeutic Politics: An Oxymoron?" by Arlene Stein. *Sociological Forum* 26, 2: 414-415.

DeGloma, Thomas. 2010. Review of *Changing Theories: New Directions in Sociology*, by Black Hawk Hancock and Roberta Garner. *Teaching Sociology* 38, 4: 383-385.

## **WORK IN PROGRESS**

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DeGloma, Thomas and Erin F. Johnston. *Our Songs of Our Selves: The Social Performance of Personal Reflexivity*. Journal article and book manuscript in progress.

DeGloma, Thomas. *Where do Monsters Come From? A Historical and Cultural Sociology of Fearsome Creatures*. Journal article and book project in progress.

DeGloma, Thomas. "Carrying the War in Mind, Body, and Heart: Activist Veterans and the Cognitive, Corporeal, and Emotional Character of Life after War." Journal article in progress.

## **EDITORIAL & EXECUTIVE POSITIONS**

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2024-Present      Editorial Board member, *Sociological Forum*

2019-Present      Associate Editor, *American Journal of Cultural Sociology*

2020-Present      Editor, *Interpretive Lenses in Sociology*. Book series with Bristol University Press

2017-2018	President, Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction
2016-2019	Secretary, Eastern Sociological Society
2011-2016	Associate Editor, <i>Symbolic Interaction</i>
2010-2015	Editorial Board Member, <i>Sociological Forum</i>

#### **AWARDS, HONORS, GRANTS, & FELLOWSHIPS**

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2024	The Theory Prize (for outstanding contribution to sociological theory), American Sociological Association, Theory Section. For <i>Anonymous: The Performance of Hidden Identities</i> . University of Chicago Press.
2024	Charles Horton Cooley Award for Best Book, Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction, 2024. For <i>Anonymous: The Performance of Hidden Identities</i> . University of Chicago Press.
2014-present	Faculty Fellow, Center for Cultural Sociology, Yale University
2020-2021	CUNY Book Completion Award. Project title: <i>Anonymous: The Performance and Impact of Hidden Identities</i> . (\$6,400.00)
2020	Invited Keynote Address, Yale University Center for Cultural Sociology Annual Conference. New Haven, Connecticut. "Anonymous: On the Performance and Impact of Hidden Identities." [Canceled due to COVID-19 pandemic]
2016	Invited Keynote Address, European Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. Topola, Bulgaria, July 4-8, 2016. "Bridging Cultural Sociology and Symbolic Interaction: A Comparative and Interactionist Sociology of Anonymity."
2015	Charles Horton Cooley Award for Best Book, Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. For <i>Seeing the Light: The Social Logic of Personal Discovery</i> . University of Chicago Press.
2015-2017	Project Collaborator (with Erin F. Johnston), "Travel as Transformative Experience." The Experience Project, University of Notre Dame and the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. (\$50,000)
2012-2013	Professional Staff Congress/CUNY Research Grant (\$3,499.64)

2010-2011 Professional Staff Congress/CUNY Research Grant (\$3,078.00)

**ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS (most recent 10 years only)**

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- 2024 “The Anonymity of Types and Categories: Typification and the Social Phenomenology of Power.” American Sociological Association, Pre-conference: “Culture, Interaction, and the Psychosocial: Exploring the Intersections.” Montreal, QC.
- 2024 Discussant for Panel: “Classic Symbolic Interactionist Theorizing in Contemporary Sociology. American Sociological Association, Montreal, QC.
- Feb 2024 “Anonymous: The Performance of Hidden Identities.” Book presentation and methodological workshop. **Invited** presentation and discussion. University of Virginia.
- 2023 “A Cultural and Interactionist Sociology of Anonymity: On the Social Performance of Hidden Identities.” **Invited** lecture. University of Stavanger, Norway.
- 2023 “On the Social Performance of Impersonal Agencies: Someone, Anyone, Everyone, and No One.” Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. Philadelphia, PA.
- 2023 “Interpreting Contentious Memories, Countermemories, and Social Conflicts Over the Past.” Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. Philadelphia, PA.
- 2023 “The Center for Cultural Sociology as Basecamp for a Transcendent Global Paradigm.” **Invited** presentation. Yale Center for Cultural Sociology, 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference.
- 2023 “Thinking with a Thematic Lens: A Formal, Cultural, and Comparative Framework for Interpretive Social Analysis.” Israeli Sociological Society.
- 2022 “Performing Anonymity and Pseudonymity in Art and Literature.” Sociology of Culture Section of the American Sociological Association meeting. Los Angeles, California.
- 2022 “Anonymous Acts.” **Invited** presentation and discussion. Yale University Center for Cultural Sociology. New Haven, Connecticut.

- 2022 “Academic Reviewers, the Zapatistas, Drone Warfare, and ‘All Cops Are Bastards:’ On the Formal Dimensions of Anonymous Acts.” **Invited** presentation. Toward a Concept-Driven Sociology: A Symposium in Honor of Eviatar Zerubavel. Rutgers University.
- 2020 “The Thematic Lens: A Formal and Cultural Framework for Comparative Ethnographic Analysis.” (with Max Papadantonakis). **Invited** presentation. Beyond the Case: Comparative Ethnography During COVID-19 and Beyond. Webinar hosted by the Center for Ethnographic Research, University of California, Berkeley.
- 2020 “Movements, Masks, and their Meanings: Identity Covers and the Subversive Performances of Anonymity.” American Sociological Association Virtual Engagement Event. Panel: Mind and Matter: Synthesizing Cognition and Materiality.”
- 2020 “Our Songs of Our Selves: The Social Performance of Reflexivity.” (With Erin F. Johnston). Eastern Sociological Society. Philadelphia, PA.
- 2019 “Interpreting Trauma with a Holistic Psychosocial Lens.” **Invited** Opening Address. Self & Society Mini-Conference. New York, NY.
- 2019 “Our Songs of Our Selves: The Social Performance of Reflexivity” (with Erin F. Johnston). Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. New York, NY.
- 2019 **Invited** panelist. Author-Meets-Critics session for Jeffrey C. Alexander’s *The Drama of Social Life*. Eastern Sociological Society, Boston, MA.
- 2018 “Academic Writing for Publication.” **Invited** panel of editors: How to Succeed in Publishing without Literally Crying. American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2018 “The Subversive Performances of Anonymity: Movements, Masks, and their Symbolic Meanings.” Couch-Stone Symposium and Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. Lancaster, University, UK.
- 2018 “The Expanding Interactionist Community: On the Remarkable Breadth and Depth of Symbolic Interactionism.” Delivered in absence at Interactionist Talks 3, Schola Medica Salernitana, Salerno, Italy.
- 2017 “Symbolic Interactionism: Our Principles and Future Projects.” Presidential Banquet Speech, Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction, Montreal, QC.



- 2017 “The Thematic Lens: A Formal and Cultural Framework for Comparative Ethnographic Analysis.” American Sociological Association. Montreal, QC.
- 2017 **Invited** Panelist, Couch-Stone Symposium, Milwaukee, WI. 21<sup>st</sup> Century Interactionism.
- 2017 “The Thematic Lens: A Formal and Cultural Framework for Comparative Qualitative Analysis.” Couch-Stone Symposium and Midwest Sociological Society, Milwaukee, WI.
- 2017 **Invited** Panelist, Eastern Sociological Society, Philadelphia, PA. The Place of Social Science Research in the Age of Trump: A Discussion among Social Science Association Presidents.
- 2017 **Invited** Panelist, Eastern Sociological Society, Philadelphia, PA. ESS Executive Committee: Addressing the 2016 Presidential Election.
- 2017 **Invited** Panelist, Eastern Sociological Society, Philadelphia, PA. How to Succeed in Publishing without Really Crying: Free Advice from a Panel of Editors.
- 2016 **Invited** Keynote Address, European Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. Topola, Bulgaria, July 4-8, 2016. “Bridging Cultural Sociology and Symbolic Interaction: A Comparative and Interactionist Sociology of Anonymity.”
- 2016 “The Performance of Hidden Identities: A Cultural and Interactionist Sociology of Anonymity.” American Sociological Association. Seattle, WA.
- 2016 Discussant. Collective Memory: Analytic Tools. American Sociological Association. Seattle, WA.
- 2016 “The Social Logic of Anonymity and the Performance of Hidden Identities.” Eastern Sociological Society. Boston, MA.
- 2016 **Invited** Panelist, Author Meets Critics session for Eviatar Zerubavel’s *Hidden in Plain Sight: The Social Structure of Irrelevance*. Oxford University Press. Eastern Sociological Society. Boston, MA.
- 2015 “Anonymous: The Performance and Impact of Hidden Identities.” Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. Chicago, IL.
- 2015 Book Panel for *Seeing the Light: The Social Logic of Personal Discovery*. Princeton University, Center for the Study of Religion. Panelists Erin F. Johnston & George Laufenberg.

- 2015 Author-Meets-Critics Session for *Seeing the Light: The Social Logic of Personal Discovery*. Eastern Sociological Society, New York, NY. Critics: Jeffrey K. Olick (University of Virginia), David Grazian (University of Pennsylvania), & E. Doyle McCarthy (Fordham University).
- 2015 “Our Axial Stories and the Historical Patterns of Personal Discovery.” Eastern Sociological Society. **Invited** Thematic Session. Exploring Our Religious Traditions: Rethinking the Axial Age. New York, NY.
- 2015 “Framework for a Cultural Sociology of Cognition and Conflict: Questions and Avenues of Exploration.” **Invited** presentation and discussion. Yale University Center for Cultural Sociology. New Haven Connecticut.
- 2014 “The Unconscious as Vocabulary of Motive: On the Ethics of Psychosocial Discovery.” American Sociological Association. Narrative, Biography, and Culture. San Francisco, CA.
- 2014 “Autobiographical Memory in Social Conflict over the Past: On the Strategies and Tactics of Mnemonic Battle.” **Invited** presentation. Contested Memories and the Contours of the Past. Rutgers University.
- 2014 “Autobiographical Memory in Social Conflict over the Past: On the Strategies and Tactics of Mnemonic Battle.” Yale University Center for Cultural Sociology—10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference.
- 2014 “The Unconscious in Cultural Dispute: On the Ethics of Psychosocial Discovery.” Eastern Sociological Society. Baltimore, MD.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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| 2014-present | Doctoral Faculty, The Graduate Center, CUNY                          |
| 2009-present | Full Time Faculty, Hunter College, CUNY (undergraduate & graduate)   |
| 2002-2007    | Lecturer, Rutgers University   |
| 2004-2005    | Head Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, Rutgers University |
| 1999-2002    | Teaching Assistant & Lecturer, Rutgers University                    |

**Courses Taught:**

***Graduate courses\*:***

\* Hunter College's Graduate Program in Applied Social Research and Graduate Program in Applied Digital Sociology

\*The PhD Program in sociology at the CUNY Graduate Center

- Sociological Theory (classical and contemporary)
- Culture and Cognition
  - \*a modified version of course is taught with an emphasis on digital sociology, online communities, and computer mediated communication*
- Thinking Critically in a Digital Society
  - \*a sociological theory course with an emphasis on digital sociology*

***Undergraduate courses:***

- Sociology Capstone (research intensive course)
- Interpersonal Behavior (social psychology/microsociology/symbolic interaction)
- Cognitive Sociology/Culture and Cognition
- Current Sociological Theory
- Classical Sociological Theory
- Sociology of Race and Ethnicity (Rutgers University)
- Sociological Analysis of Social Problems (Rutgers University)
- Introduction to Sociology (Rutgers University)

***Additional Courses Qualified to Teach:***

- Cultural Sociology
- Time, History, & Memory/Social Memory Studies
- Performance Theory
- Sociology of Autobiography
- Trauma, Memory, & Identity
- Social Movements and Collective Behavior

**Supervision of students:**

***CUNY PhD students:***

Darren Kwong	Doctoral Dissertation Chair, in progress
Kristen Miller	Doctoral Dissertation Chair, in progress
Miriam Moster	Doctoral Dissertation Chair, in progress

Josephine Barnett	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, in progress
Tommy Chung	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, in progress
Qasim Haq	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, in progress
Bonnie H. Ip	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, in progress
Nic Rios	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, in progress
Andrew Shapiro	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, in progress
Michael Raphael	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, completed
Ruth Delaney	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, completed
Yen-Chiao Liao	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, completed
Melanie Lorek	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, completed
Omar Montana	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, completed
Marzena Marzouk	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, completed
Christian Nadler	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, completed
Max Papadantonakis	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, completed
Mark Pawson	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, completed
Marisa Tramontano	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, completed

***External PhD students:***

Tali Dax, Rutgers University	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, in progress
Sherri Sasnett-Martichuski, University of Colorado, Boulder	Doctoral Dissertation Committee, completed

***Hunter/CUNY Master's students:***

Josephine Barnett	Master's student, advisor
Laird Gallagher	Master's student, advisor
Vanessa Lynn	Master's student, advisor
Jared Spafford	Master's student, advisor
Julia Lipkins Stein	Master's student, advisor

***Undergraduate independent studies, thesis and project review in various capacities, and mentorship:***

Mila Adelman	Lucia Marin
Doreen Aisen	Mariana Mihova
Stephanie Alves	Krutee Parikh
Christina Chaise	Anna Shvetsova
Isabela Fernandes	Jessica Song
Sarah Gold	Maureen St. George
Paulina Toro Isaza	Sila Ulug
Alessandra Majchrzyk	

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND ACTIVITY

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### *College and Departmental:*

2022-present, 2013-2016, 2010-2011	Personnel and Budget Committee, Department of Sociology, Hunter College
2022-present	Co-chair, Curriculum Committee, Department of Sociology, Hunter College
2022-present	Executive Committee, Department of Sociology, The CUNY Graduate Center
2022-present	Faculty Membership Committee, Department of Sociology, The CUNY Graduate Center
2023-present	Hunter College Delegate, Professional Staff Congress
2012-present	Advisory Board Member, Academic Center for Excellence in Research and Teaching (ACERT)
2011-present	Faculty Affiliate, Human Rights Faculty, Human Rights Program of Hunter College
2022-2023	Colloquium Committee, Department of Sociology, The CUNY Graduate Center
2016-2019	Chair, Hunter College Senate
2018, 2019	CUNY Graduate Center Dissertation Fellowship Selection Committee
2017-2019	President's Committee on Technology Fee Usage, Hunter College
2013-2016	Deputy Chair, Hunter College Department of Sociology
2015-2016	Chair, Charter Review Committee, Hunter College Senate
2011-2013, 2015-2016	Administrative Committee, Hunter College Senate (Parliamentarian, 2011-2013)
2011-2013, 2015-2019	Hunter College Senator
2015	Chair, Ad-hoc Bylaws Advisory Committee (to provide guidance to the School of Arts & Sciences regarding the process of drafting bylaws)

2010-2016	Graduate Program Committee, Department of Sociology, Hunter College
2011	Faculty Referee, Hunter College Library LeClerc Best Student Research Paper Contest
2010	Self-Study Working Group, Department of Sociology, Hunter College
2009-2010	Hunter College Senate, Alternate Representative, Department of Sociology
2009-2010	Hunter College Senate, Computing & Technology Committee
2008-2009	Recruitment Committee to Develop Faculty Hiring Plan, Department of Sociology, Rutgers University.
<b><i>External:</i></b>	
2023-2024	Nominations Committee, Section on the Sociology of Culture, American Sociological Association
2018	Chair, Executive Office Oversight Committee, Eastern Sociological Society
2018, 2019	Chair, Selection Committee, Community Service and Activism Award, Eastern Sociological Society
2017-2018	President, Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction (President-Elect, 2016-2017, Past President 2018-2019)
2018	Co-organizer (with Julie B. Wiest), The Roots and Branches of Interpretive Sociology: Cultural, Pragmatist, and Psychosocial Approaches. Two-day conference, August 10-11, Philadelphia, PA
2017	Co-organizer (with Daina Cheyenne Harvey), Mini-conference on Pragmatism and Symbolic Interaction, Eastern Sociological Society
2016-2019	Secretary, Executive Committee, Eastern Sociological Society
2016-2017	Program Committee, Couch-Stone Symposium (for 2017 meeting in Milwaukee, WI), Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction
2014-2015	Program Committee Chair, Eastern Sociological Society (For the 2015 meeting in New York, NY)

- 2015 Co-organizer (with Daina Cheyenne Harvey), Mini-conference on Sociology of Culture and Cognition, Eastern Sociological Society
- 2013-2014 Chair, Membership Committee, American Sociological Association, Theory Section
- Reviewer: *American Journal of Sociology, American Journal of Cultural Sociology, Body & Society, Contexts, Cultural Sociology, Current Sociology (International Sociological Association), Journal of Contemporary Ethnography, Lexington Books, Memory Studies, Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly, Polity Press, Qualitative Sociology, Social Psychology Quarterly, Sociological Theory, Sociological Forum, Sociology Compass, Sociology of Health and Illness, Stanford University Press, Symbolic Interaction, University of Chicago Press, University of North Carolina Press*
- 2013 Local Arrangements Committee, American Sociological Association
- 2013 Selection Committee, Society for the Study of Social Problems, Thomas C. Hood Social Action Award
- 2012 Selection Committee, Eastern Sociological Society, Rose Laub Coser Dissertation Proposal Award
- 2009-2010 Nominations Committee, American Sociological Association, Section on the Sociology of Culture
- 2007 Affiliate, Cornell University Institute for the Social Sciences. *Contentious Knowledge: Science, Social Science, and Social Movements* Theme Project

## **MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

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American Sociological Association

(**Section Memberships:** Sociology of Culture; Sociological Theory; Collective Behavior/Social Movements; Comparative & Historical Sociology; Social Psychology)

Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction

Eastern Sociological Society

International Sociological Association

## **PEDAGOGICAL PRESENTATIONS / WORKSHOPS**

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"Crafting and Assessing Theoretical Writing Assignments." Academic Center for Excellence in Research and Teaching (ACERT). Hunter College, CUNY.

"That's a Great Example! Using Analogy, Allegory, and Application in the Classroom." Carnegie Academy for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning Workshop. Rutgers University.

"Content Delivery and Lecturing." *Introduction to College Teaching II*, Rutgers University Graduate Student Seminar.

"Developing Your Teaching Style." Carnegie Academy for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning Workshop. Rutgers University.

"Teaching Anxieties and Pedagogical Authority." Carnegie Academy for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning Workshop. Rutgers University.

"The Dynamics of Teaching an Independent Course." Head Teaching Assistant Workshop. Department of Sociology, Rutgers University. Organizer & Presenter.

"Teaching Sociological Theory." Head Teaching Assistant Workshop. Department of Sociology, Rutgers University. Organizer & Presenter.

"How to Make a Professional Conference Presentaion." Department of Sociology, Rutgers University.

"Teaching Social Research Methods." Head Teaching Assistant Workshop. Department of Sociology, Rutgers University. Organizer & Discussant.

"Teaching Statistics." Head Teaching Assistant Workshop. Department of Sociology, Rutgers University. Organizer & Discussant.

## **OTHER AWARDS & HONORS**

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### ***National Awards & Honors:***

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| 2008 | Society for the Study of Social Problems, Conflict, Social Action, and Change Division, Graduate Student Paper Award<br>Paper: "Awakenings: Autobiography, Collective Memory, and the Social Geometry of Personal Discovery." |
| 2008 | Society for the Study of Social Problems, Theory Division, Graduate Student Paper Award, Second Prize<br>Paper: "Awakenings: Autobiography, Collective Memory, and the Social Geometry of Personal Discovery."                |



- 2007 American Sociological Association, Peace, War, and Social Conflict Section, Elise M. Boulding Graduate Student Paper Award  
Paper: "Expanding the Survivor Worldview: Transmitting and Bridging Trauma through Space and Time."
- 2007 Society for the Study of Social Problems, Theory Division, Graduate Student Paper Award, First Prize  
Paper: "Expanding the Survivor Worldview: Transmitting and Bridging Trauma through Space and Time."
- 2007 Society for the Study of Social Problems, Mental Health Division, Graduate Student Paper Award  
Paper: "Broadening the Culture of Survivorhood: Expanding Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder through Space and Time."

***University Awards & Honors:***

- 2008-2009 Fellowship, Rutgers University Center for Cultural Analysis, "New Media Literacies, Gutenberg to Google" Working Group (\$18,000)
- 2007-2008 Rutgers University & Louis Bevier Dissertation Fellow (\$16,000)
- 2007-2008 Presidential Fellow, Carnegie Academy for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning, Carnegie Foundation

***Departmental Awards & Honors:***

- 2010 The Anne Foner Dissertation Prize for the Most Outstanding Dissertation, Rutgers University Department of Sociology (Co-winner)
- 2009 Jack Riley Graduate Student Award for Best Published Article, Rutgers University Department of Sociology (Co-winner)
- 2008 Jack Riley Graduate Student Award for Best Published Article, Rutgers University Department of Sociology
- 2006 Matilda White Riley Award for Best Qualifying Paper, Rutgers University Department of Sociology
- 2005 Greenblat Award for International Conference Presentation using Qualitative Methods, Rutgers University Department of Sociology

**OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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- 2001-2007 Co-Founder & Director, Community Empowerment Project, New Brunswick, NJ