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EDUCATION

- 2011 Ph.D. in Sociology from Florida State University
 Dissertation Title: Constructing the Florida Highwaymen
 Dissertation Committee: Dr. Douglas Schrock (committee chair), Dr. Janice, McCabe, Dr. Jill Quadagno, and Dr. Jerrilyn McGregory
 Comprehensive Exam: Social Psychology; Passed with Honors Distinction
- 2009 M.S. in Sociology from Florida State University
 Title: Commodification of the Florida Highwaymen
- 2007 B.A. in Sociology from Appalachian State University
 Summa Cum Laude; University and Departmental Honors

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Central Florida, 2017-Present.

Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Central Florida, 2011-2017.

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Social Psychology; Identity, Authenticity
Sociology of Culture & Consumption

Sociological Theory
Qualitative Methods

RESEARCH

Publications

Impact of Scholarly Work (Google Scholar, May 2026): Citations: 1,135 (733 since 2021); h-index: 19 (15 since 2021); i10-index: 21 (18 since 2021)

27 total peer-reviewed publications and book chapters; 17 since tenure (2017). 5 invited manuscripts. 2 book manuscripts in progress.

**Graduate students italicized; *MA students; **Undergraduate students; first author is the lead author*

Peer-Reviewed Manuscripts

- 2025 Wilcox, Annika, **Amanda Koontz**, Jacinta Gau, Debra Reinhart, Jana Jasinski, and Linda Walters. "Organizational Justice and Organizational Authenticity as Catalysts for Change in STEM Higher Education." *Journal of Diversity in Higher Education* 19(1): 74-88.
- 2025 Grauerholz, Liz, **Amanda Koontz**, Kristen M. Aviles, Caroline Austin, Alison C. Cares, Stephanie Gonzalez Guittar, Shameika Daye, and Emma Grauerholz-Fisher. "Toxic Personal Care: Selling Gendered Marketing and Chemical Toxicity Through Personal Care Products." *The Sociological Quarterly* 66(1): 123-147.
- 2023 **Koontz, Amanda** and Nathaniel G. Chapman. "Crafting Community and Drinking Local: Constructing Authenticity and Identity in the Craft Beer Culture." In: *Beer Places: The Micro-Geographies of Craft Beer*, edited by Daina Cheyenne Harvey, Ellis Jones, and Nathaniel G. Chapman. Fayetteville, AR: University of Arkansas Press.
- 2022 Wilcox, Annika and **Amanda Koontz**. 2022. "Workplace Well-Being: Shifting from an Individual to an Organizational Framework." *Sociology Compass* 16(10): e13035.
- 2020 Manero, Albert, Peter Smith, **Amanda Koontz**, Matt Dombrowski, John Sparkman, Dominique Courbin, and Albert Chi. 2020. "Leveraging 3D Printing Capacity in Times of Crisis: Recommendations for COVID-19 Distributed Manufacturing for Medical Equipment Rapid Response." *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health* 17(13): 4634. <<https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph17134634>>
- 2020 **Koontz, Amanda**. 2020. "Undermining Transgender IPV Victims: Discrediting Identity Work in Intimate Relationships." Ch. 3 in *Transgender Intimate Partner Violence: A Comprehensive Introduction*, edited by Xavier L. Guadalupe-Diaz and Adam Messinger. New York, New York: University Press. [Invited Manuscript]
- 2020 **Koontz, Amanda** and Jenny Nguyen. "Hybridized Black Authenticity: Aspirational Lifestyle Ideals and Expectations of the Self-Disciplined Black Woman in *Essence*." *The Sociological Quarterly* 61(3): 448-473.
- 2019 Rovito, Michael, **Amanda Koontz**, Martha Garcia, Mary Tripp, Kimberly Schneider, and Linda Walters. "Research-Intensive Courses: Understanding the Effectiveness of a 'Peer Coach' Model on Undergraduates with Varying Levels of Previous Research Experience." *Journal of Effective Teaching in Higher Education* 2(2): 42-56.

- 2019 **Koontz, Amanda, Sarah Edkin, and Linda Walters.** "Positively Supporting Women Faculty in the Academy through a Novel Mentoring Community Model." *Journal of Applied Research in Higher Education* 11(1): 102-117.
- 2019 **Koontz, Amanda** and Nathaniel Chapman. "About Us: Authenticating Identity Claims in the Craft Beer Industry." *Journal of Popular Culture* 52(2): 351-372.
- 2019 **Koontz, Amanda** and *Lauren Norman.* "Happily Ever After? Exploring U.S. Collegiate Women's Understandings of Love as Impermanent and Timeless in the Age of Capitalism." *Sociological Perspectives* 62(2): 167-185.
- 2019 **Koontz, Amanda, Lauren Norman, and Sarah Okorie.** "Realistic Love: Contemporary College Women's Negotiations of Princess Culture and the "Reality" of Romantic Relationships." *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships* 36(2): 535-555.
- 2018 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz** and Nancy A. Stanlick. "A Socio-Philosophical Approach to Case Studies in Ethics." *Teaching Ethics*. [Online only]
- 2018 *Persaud, Subriena, Liz Grauerholz, and Amanda Koontz Anthony.* "On Screen: Intersectionality of Gender, Race, and Age in Technology Video Advertisements." *Gender Issues* 35(2): 137-152.
- 2017 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz, Patrick McGrady, and Linda Walters.** "Creating Connections between Authentic Research and the Development of Science Identities in Undergraduate Marine Biology Experiences." *Florida Scientist* 80(2): 61-76.
- 2017 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz** and Amit Joshi. 2017. "(In)Authenticity Work: Constructing the Realm of Inauthenticity through Thomas Kinkade." *Journal of Consumer Culture*. 17(3): 752-773.
- 2017 *Guadalupe-Diaz, Xavier and Amanda Koontz Anthony.* 2017. "Discrediting Identity Work: Understandings of Intimate Partner Violence by Transgender Survivors." *Deviant Behavior* 38(1): 1-16.
- 2017 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz** and Ian Taplin. 2017. "Sustaining the Retail Pilgrimage: Fast Fashion, Authenticity, and the Democratization of Style." *Fashion, Style & Popular Culture* 4(1): 33-50.
- 2016 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz, Sarah Okorie, and Lauren Norman.** 2016. "When Beauty Brings Out the Beast: Female Comparisons and the Feminine

Rivalry.” *Gender Issues* 33(4): 311-334.

- 2016 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz** and William Danaher. 2016. “Rules of the Road: Doing Fieldwork and Negotiating Interactions with Hesitant Participants.” *Qualitative Research* 16(4): 392-410.
- 2015 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz** and Janice McCabe. 2015. “Friendship Talk as Identity Work: Defining the Self through Friend Relationships.” *Symbolic Interaction* 38(1): 64-82.
- 2015 Carter, Shannon K. and **Amanda Koontz Anthony**. 2015. “Good, Bad and Extraordinary Mothers: Infant Feeding and Mothering in African American Mothers’ Breastfeeding Narratives.” *Sociology of Race and Ethnicity* 1(4): 517-531.
- 2014 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz** and Doug Schrock. 2014. “Maintaining Art World Membership: Self-Taught Identity Work of the Florida Highwaymen.” *Social Currents* 1(1): 74-90.
- 2014 *Afflerback, Sara, Amanda Koontz Anthony*, Shannon Carter, and Liz Grauerholz. 2014. “Consumption Rituals in Transition to Motherhood.” *Gender Issues* 31(1): 1-20.
- 2014 *Nguyen, Jenny* and **Amanda Koontz Anthony**. 2014. “Black Authenticity: Defining the Ideals and Expectations in the Construction of “Real” Blackness.” *Sociology Compass* 8(6): 770-779.
- 2013 *Afflerback, Sara*, Shannon K. Carter, **Amanda Koontz Anthony**, and Liz Grauerholz. 2013. “Infant Feeding Consumerism in the Age of Intensive Mothering and Risk Society.” *Journal of Consumer Culture* 13(3): 387-405.
- 2012 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz**. 2012. “Racialized Authentication: Constructing Representations of the Florida Highwaymen.” *The Sociological Quarterly* 53(3): 394-421.
- 2010 **Koontz, Amanda**. 2010. “Constructing Authenticity: A Review of Trends and Influences in the Process of Authenticating Cultural Products.” *Sociology Compass* 11(4): 977-988.

Invited Manuscripts (Editor Reviewed)

- Koontz, Amanda**. 2025. “Authenticity Industries: Keeping it “Real” in Media, Culture, and Politics.” *Contemporary Sociology* 54(3): 261-263.
- Koontz, Amanda**. 2021. “The Construction of Distinctly American Art and Elitism: The

People, Moments, and Actions that Have Shaped U.S. Arts as We Know Them.”
Contemporary Sociology 50(1): 11-16.

Koontz, Amanda. 2020. *Modern Moonshine: The Revival of White Whiskey in the Twenty-First Century.* *Contemporary Sociology* 49(4): 379-380.

Koontz, Amanda. 2019. “Tensions Deriving from “Talking Art”: Extrapolating on the Challenges in Academized Professional Socialization. *Symbolic Interaction* 42(4): 729-731.

Schrock, Douglas and **Amanda Koontz Anthony.** 2013. “Diversifying Feminist Ethnographers’ Dilemmas and Solutions.” *Journal of Contemporary Ethnography* 42(4): 482-491.

Peer-Reviewed Encyclopedia Articles

Storey, Valerie, **Amanda Koontz Anthony**, and Parveen Wahid. 2018. “Gender-Based Leadership Barriers: Advancement of Female Faculty to Leadership Positions in Higher Education” In *Encyclopedia of Strategic Leadership and Management*, edited by V. C. X. Wang. Hershey, PA: Information Science Reference.

Non-Refereed Publications

Walters, Linda, **Amanda Koontz**, J. Kasi Jackson. March 2024. “How Often Do You Hear, “I Can’t Wait for my Next Departmental Faculty Meeting!”?”. *Faculty Focus* 23(1): 1-3.

Anthony, Amanda Koontz. 2013. “The Florida Highwaymen Phenomenon: Authenticity and the American Dream.” *Illuminations* May 3.

Koontz, Amanda. 2012. “Art Beyond the Cultural Core.” Book Review: *Producing Local Color: Art Networks in Ethnic Chicago*, by Diane Grams, 2010. University of Chicago Press: Chicago. *Symbolic Interaction* 35(3): 399-401.

Anthony, Amanda Koontz. 2012. “Using Goals to Start Organizing Your Academic Path.” *Faculty Focus* 11(3): 8-9.

Morse, Janice M., Lynda J. Dimitroff, Robin Harper, **Amanda Koontz**, Savita Kumra, Nancy Matthew-Maich, Paul Mihas, and Christina Murphey. 2010. “End Note: Considering the Qualitative–Quantitative Language Divide.” *Qualitative Health Research* 20(10): 1-2.

Manuscripts In Progress [to be submitted Spring 2026]

Koontz, Amanda and William F. Danaher. “The Authenticity Bind: Constructing Next-Generation Electric Guitars as Even Better than the Real Thing.”

Koontz, Amanda, Annika Wilcox, and Ashley Sobke. Making Sense of “Success” Within a Striving Culture: High-Achieving Women’s Navigation of Individualization Fatigue and the Obligation of Choice.”

Koontz, Amanda, Angie Carloss, Alexandria Kalish, Matthew Bower, and Albert Manero. “Fostering STEAM Identities through Professional Life Development in a Collaborative Lab Space.”

Jones, Annie and Amanda Koontz. “Strategizing Cancel Culture: Understanding Cancel Culture as a Performative Social Phenomenon.”

Book Manuscripts in Progress

Koontz, Amanda. Working Title: *The ABCs of Authenticity: How Authenticity “Works.”* Pre-Contract: Stanford University Press.

Koontz, Amanda and Estefany Londono. Working Title: *The Sociology of Authenticity: Methods, Meaning-Making, and Processes.* [Meetings arranged with Polity Press and Oxford University Press]

CREATIVE ACTIVITIES

2020 – present: Co-Writer: *The Highwaymen* (Feature Film) and Co-Producer *American Originals* (Docu-Series); Stars North Production. <<https://www.imdb.com/name/nm11585167/>>

GRANTS AND RESEARCH SUPPORT

External Research Grants

2021-2024 ADVANCE Catalyst “ADVANCE Catalyst: UCF Intersectional Self-Assessment and Pilot to Address Potential Systemic Gender Inequities.” National Science Foundation ADVANCE: Organizational Change for Gender Equity in STEM Academic Professions (ADVANCE). NSF 20-554 (\$300,000; my portion \$20,266 + Sociology Post-Doc position \$54,810). PI: Amanda Koontz. Co-PIs: Jacinta Gau (Criminal Justice), Jana Jasinski (Sociology), Debra Reinhart (Professor Emerita of Engineering; Associate Vice President for Research and Scholarship), and Linda Walters (Biology).

2016-2017 “YWLP-SLAM (Young Women Leaders Program-Science Leadership and Mentoring).” American Association of University Women (AAUW) Community Action Grant. (\$7,000; my portion \$2,100). PI: Anne Bubriski; Co-PI: Amanda Koontz Anthony.

Internal Research Grants

- 2025 ““The Purpose of Purpose”: Research Project Completion.” Strategic Investment Program. UCF Department of Sociology Research Grant. (\$5,000). PI: Amanda Koontz. Research Assistant: Estefany Londono.
- 2021-2022 Limbitless Lab Initiative: Cultivating Interdisciplinary STEAM Collaborations to Further Creativity and Innovation. \$2,500. PI: Albert Manero. Co-PIs: Angie Carloss and **Amanda Koontz.**
- 2018-2019 “How STEAM Works: Understanding Innovation at the Intersections of ‘Science’ and ‘Art’.” UCF Department of Sociology Research Development Grant. (\$1,500). PI: Amanda Koontz.
- 2014-2015 “Understanding How Cultural Gender Beliefs Affect Young Women’s Core Leadership Identity Development.” University of Central Florida College of Arts and Humanities Research Initiative Seed Funding. (\$13,129; my portion \$9,749). PI: Meredith Tweed; Co-PI: **Amanda Koontz Anthony.**
- 2014 Research Travel Grant (\$1,000). Competitive support for attendance of “Robust Research in the Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences” workshop and meeting with Sociology Program Director at National Science Foundation (Washington, D.C.). College of Sciences.

Funded Research Positions

- 2022-2024 APS-IDEA Steering Committee Awarded Member (American Physics Society-Inclusion, Diversity, and Equity Alliance; \$6,000 per academic year). Social scientist overseeing projects on marginalized identities, implementing research-based transformational methods, sharing leadership, and creating brave spaces via sense-making.
- 2021-2022 Faculty Excellence Fellow. (Competitive Course Buyouts). Researching and helping to inform strategies for supporting faculty success in the transitions through the pandemic.
- 2015-2016;
2016-2017;
2017-2018 Consultant, Center for Success of Women Faculty Mentoring Community. 2015-2016; 2016-2017. University of Central Florida Center for Success of Women Faculty (CSWF; \$3,000 per academic year). Support for developing a survey instrument and holding focus groups, gain IRB approval, and analyze data collected. Help to facilitate the faculty mentoring community.
- 2017-2018 QEP (Quality Enhancement Program) Funded Program Innovation Awards. (\$10,000). “Evolution of High-Impact Experiences Imbedded in UCF Curriculum: Institutionalizing the Coach Model for

Undergraduate Student Success.” Linda Walters, Mary L. Tripp, Martha Garcia, Michael Rovito, **Amanda Koontz Anthony**, and Kimberly Schneider.

- 2016-2017 Co-Leader with Dr. Damla Turgut and Dr. Melissa Dagley, iSTEM Faculty Fellowship. (Competitive Course Buyout). Setting the agenda for the iSTEM Faculty Fellowship; collaborating on and facilitating the submission of grant proposals.
- 2016-2017 QEP (Quality Enhancement Program) Funded Program Innovation Awards. (\$9,285). “Increasing Integrative Learning Through High-Impact Research Experiences Throughout the Undergraduate Curriculum.” Mary L. Tripp, **Amanda Koontz Anthony**, Martha Garcia, Michael Rovito, Kimberly Schneider, and Linda Walters.
- 2015-2016 iSTEM Faculty Fellowship. University of Central Florida. (Competitive Course Buyout). Competitive fellowship to facilitate collaboration on STEM education and STEM education research.
- 2014-2015 Consultant, Research-Centered Learning Assessment. University of Central Florida Office of Undergraduate Research. (\$2,000). Support for developing a survey instrument with faculty team, gain IRB approval, and analyze data collected.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2026 Excellence in Professional Service: Nominated for University-Level (College of Sciences), University of Central Florida.
- 2025 Service to the Discipline. Faculty Excellence Awards, Department of Sociology.
- 2024 University (UCF) Research Dissemination and Travel (DT) Awardee (\$1,000 in support of conference travel to disseminate research findings and research networking).
- 2023 Digital Curriculum Innovation Initiative Awardee (\$3,000 Seed Money to support distance learning initiative; with collaborator Ray Eddy).
- 2023 Service to the Discipline. Faculty Excellence Awards, Department of Sociology.
- 2022 Research Incentive Award (RIA) Award. College of Sciences, University of Central Florida.
- 2018 University of Central Florida College of Sciences Competitive Sabbatical (Type IB). Granted for Academic Year: 2018-2019.

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| 2018 | LIFE@UCF Women Faculty Recognition Award: Diversity and Inclusion. |
| 2018 | Nominated: American Sociological Association's The Sociology of Culture Section's Clifford Geertz Prize for Best Article. |
| 2017 | Teaching Incentive Program (TIP) Award. College of Sciences, University of Central Florida. |
| 2017 | College of Sciences' Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching Award. University of Central Florida. |
| 2016 | Awardee, 31 Wonderful UCF Women Who Have Been Instrumental in Shaping UCF's Past, Present and Future. Center for Success of Women Faculty, University of Central Florida. |
| 2010 | Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award Nominee, Florida State University. |
| 2008 | Golden Key Honors Society. |
| 2007-2011 | Graduate Assistantship, Florida State University. |
| 2006 | Albert and Maxine Hughes Outstanding Sociology Senior Scholarship, Appalachian State University. |
| 2006 | Alpha Kappa Delta. |
| 2006 | Alpha Chi National Honors. |
| 2006; 2004 | Phi Eta Sigma. |

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

**Graduate students italicized*

Invited Academic Research Engagements

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| 2026 | Invited Speaker: Authenticity Conference. Freeman School of Business at Tulane University; New Orleans, LA. May. |
| 2026 | Invited Discussant. Thematic Session: “Are You A Librarian? The Untold Story of Black Librarians Part 1 and 2.” Southern Sociological Society. Jacksonville, FL. April. |
| 2025 | Authenticity Conference (Invitation Only). Haas School of Business at University of California-Berkeley; Berkley, CA. |

- 2025 Invited Panelist: “Doing The Work of Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion in an Age of Anti-Wokeness.” JEDI (Justice, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion) Mini-Conference. Southern Sociological Society. Charlotte, NC. April.
- 2025 Invited Speaker: “Gender and Race Equity in STEM.” American Association of University Women (AAUW) Florida Public Policy Education Forum. Virtual Session. April 4.
- 2024 Invited member of the Scientific Committee of the “Love is Blind? Love, Media and Popular Culture, from 1950 to the Present Day” Symposium. 2024. École normale supérieure de Lyon (ENS), France. February 12-13. Expert reviewer and discussant of English submissions.
- 2024 Invited Workshop Leader: WVU (West Virginia University) ADVANCE workshop. Summer 2024.
- 2023 Panelist (“Curious Reader”). Author Meets Curious Readers: *Black Culture, Inc.: How Ethnic Community Support Pays for Corporate America*. 2023. Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Myrtle Beach, SC. April.
- 2023 Panelist. “Pro Tips on Publishing.” Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Myrtle Beach, SC. April.
- 2022 Invited Presenter: Women@UCF. May
- 2021 Presenter and invited participant. June & August. Seminar Series: “Redefining Normalcy: Negotiating Relationships in Unsettled Times.” Mini-Conference: The Social Logic of the Demand and Supply of Authenticity. 2021. Virtual. August 3.
- 2020 Panelist. “Mini-Conference: Elevate Your Career Without Tripping up the Stairs: IV. Now What? The Mystery of Post-Tenure.” 2020. Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Philadelphia, PA. February.
- 2020 Invited Speaker. Limbitless Solutions Student Research Team Meetings. February; June.
- 2019 Invited Speaker. Advanced Multicultural Course. University of Central Florida, June.
- 2018 Invited Panelist. “Creating a Career Advancement Plan.” FCTL (Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning) Teaching and Learning Day. Faculty Excellence; University of Central Florida, February.

- 2017 Invited Presenter as Web-Vet. Interactive Distributed Learning (IDL6543) Introductory Session. University of Central Florida, Fall.
- 2017 Presenter and invited participant. Authenticity Scholarly Workshop; Third Annual. 2017. Yale. New Haven, CT. May.
- 2017 Roundtable facilitator. STEM Ed Research Symposium. 2017. Sponsored by iSTEM; University of Central Florida. September.
- 2016 Speaker. "Consuming Authenticity: The Influence of Racial Authenticity on Our Everyday Lives." Multicultural Diversity Lecture Series. 2016. Appalachian State University, Sponsored by the Department of Sociology and Multicultural Student Development. September.
- 2016 Presenter and invited participant. Authenticity Scholarly Workshop; Second Annual. 2016. University of Virginia. Charlottesville, VA. May.
- 2016 Panelist. Author Meets Critics: *Beyond the Beat: Musicians Building Community in Nashville*. Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA. April.
- 2015 Invited participant. Authenticity Scholarly Workshop; First Annual. 2015. Stanford Graduate School of Business. Stanford, CA. May.
- 2014 Panelist, Making and Launching *Social Currents* - Panel Session. 2014. Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Charlotte, NC. April.
- 2013 Invited Panel Member as Web-Vet. "Plenary Panel Session." Interactive Distributed Learning Showcase. University of Central Florida, Summer.

Conference Presentations

International (Refereed)

- 2024 **Koontz, Amanda** and Ray Eddy. "Purposeful Escapism: Reexamining the "Tourist Gaze"." European Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. Pisa, Italy. June.
- 2024 **Koontz, Amanda, Annika Wilcox, and Ashley Sobke.** "Never Enough: Defining Success and Navigating the Obligation of Choice in a Striving Culture." American Sociological Association. Montreal, Quebec. August.
- 2022 **Koontz, Amanda** and *Annika Wilcox.* "Doing it All? How Academic Women Construct Success." American Sociological Association. Los Angeles, CA. August.

- 2020 **Koontz, Amanda** and *Ashley Sobke*. “Making Sense of “Success” Within a Striving Culture: High-Achieving Women and their Definitions of Success.” American Sociological Association. Scheduled for San Francisco, CA [held virtually due to COVID-19], August.
- 2018 **Koontz, Amanda**. “Art in the City Beautiful: The Nexus of Community, Popular Culture, and High Culture.” European Sociological Association Research Networks: Sociology of the Arts& Sociology of Culture. Valleta, Malta, September.
- 2018 **Koontz, Amanda** and Nathaniel Gray Chapman. “About Us: Authentic Identity Claims of Microbreweries.” American Sociological Association. Philadelphia, PA, August.
- 2018 **Koontz, Amanda** and Linda Walters. “Definitions of Success Among Women Faculty at a Striving University: How Collaborative Mentoring Model Reveals Resources and Obstacles.” Oxford Women’s Leadership Symposium. Oxford, England, August.
- 2016 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz**. “Struggling with Dissonance: Girls at the Intersection of Acceptance and Resistance.” National Women’s Studies Association. Montreal, Quebec, November.
- 2016 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz** and *Lauren Norman*. “Happily Ever After? Contemporary College Women’s Understandings of Love in an Age of Timelessness and Impermanence.” American Sociological Association. Seattle, WA, August.
- 2015 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz**. “Wrestling with the Princess Narrative: Interviews on Identity Development with College-Age Women.” National Women’s Studies Association. Milwaukee, WI, November.
- 2015 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz*** and Ian Taplin. “Sustaining the Retail Pilgrimage: Fast Fashion, Authenticity, and the Democratization of Style.” American Sociological Association. Chicago, IL, August. (*Presenter and Session Presider).
- 2015 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz**, *Lauren Norman*, and *Sarah Okorie*. “What’s Love Got to Do With It: Women’s Constructions of the Reality of Romantic Love.” American Sociological Association. Chicago, IL, August.
- 2014 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz**. “Wrestling with the Princess Narrative: Interviews on Identity Development with College-Age Women.” National Women’s Studies Association. San Juan, Puerto Rico, November.

- 2014 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz.** “Thomas Kinkade-Caliber: Exemplification and Classification Work.” American Sociological Association. San Francisco, CA, August.
- 2014 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz** and Janice McCabe. “Friendship Talk as Identity Work: Defining the Self through Friends.” American Sociological Association. San Francisco, CA, August.
- 2013 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz.** “Living the Dream: The Effect of Princess Culture on Women’s Self-Perceptions and Life Goals.” National Women’s Studies Association. Cincinnati, OH, November.
- 2013 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz.** “The Art of Cultural Identity Work: African American Artists’ Negotiation of Imposed Identities.” American Sociological Association. New York, NY, August.
- 2012 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz.** “Does a Princess become a Queen? The Effect of Princess Culture on Life Transitions.” National Women’s Studies Association. Oakland, CA, November.
- 2012 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz.** “Elucidating Manifestations of American Cultural Idioms: The Aesthetics of (Racial) Americana.” American Sociological Association. Denver, Colorado, August.
- 2012 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz.*** “Understanding the Shifting Salience of Statuses: Integrating Standpoint and Intersectional Approaches into Interviewing.” Sociologists for Women in Society. St. Petersburg, Florida, February. (*Presenter and Discussant).
- 2010 **Koontz, Amanda.** “Appealing to Cultural Omnivorousness: Using Traditional and New Racism to Construct the Florida Highwaymen.” American Sociological Association. Atlanta, Georgia, August.
- 2009 **Koontz, Amanda.** “Boomers and Culture Change in the U.S.” Panel on Art, Culture, and Social Movements.” American Sociological Association. San Francisco, California, August.

National (Refereed)

- 2026 **Koontz, Amanda** and Nathaniel G. Chapman. “Compulsory Collecting: Negotiating Contemporary Social Pressures in an Era of Hyper-Consumerism.” Southern Sociological Society. Jacksonville, FL. April.
- 2026 *Jones, Annie* and **Amanda Koontz.** “Strategizing Cancel Culture: Understanding Cancel Culture as a Performative Social Phenomenon.” Southern Sociological Society. Jacksonville, FL. April.

- 2025 *Kopf, Colby* and **Amanda Koontz**. “Queering the Professional: LGBTQ+ Identity Negotiation on LinkedIn.” Southern Sociological Society. Charlotte, NC. April.
- 2025 Chapman, Nate and **Amanda Koontz**. “The Self, the Sacred, and the Profane: Constructing Identity Through Collecting.” Southern Sociological Society. Charlotte, NC. April.
- 2024 **Koontz, Amanda*** and Nate Chapman. “Collective Obsession: Redefining the Meaning of “Collector” in a Social Media Age.” Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA. April. **Presider*
- 2023 **Koontz, Amanda, Wilcox, Annika**, Jacinta Gau, Jana Jasinski, Debra Reinhart, Linda Walters. “Establishing Goal-Alignment through Authenticity.” NSF (National Science Foundation) ARC (ADVANCE Research and Coordination) Network’s Equity in STEM Community Convening. Durham, NC. June.
- 2023 **Koontz, Amanda**. “The Purpose of Purpose: The Place of Self-Help in a (Post)Neoliberal Era.” Southern Sociological Society. Myrtle Beach, SC. March.
- 2023 *Wilcox, Annika*, Amanda Koontz, Jacinta Gau, Jana Jasinski, Debra Reinhart, Linda Walters. ““Lots of Talk, Not a Lot of Action”: Perceptions of Organizational Authenticity and Organizational Justice Among STEM Faculty.” Southern Sociological Society. Myrtle Beach, SC. March.
- 2022 *Wilcox, Annika* and **Amanda Koontz**. “Workplace Well-being: Shifting from an Individual to an Organizational Framework.” Southern Sociological Society.” Birmingham, AL. April.
- 2021 2020 **Koontz, Amanda**. “Branding the Human Essence: Exploring Effects of Empowerment Narratives and Hybridized Black Authenticity in Lifestyle Advice.” Southern Sociological Society. Virtual. Originally planned for Jacksonville, FL, April [delayed due to COVID-19].
- 2021 **Koontz, Amanda** (Organizer). Author Meets Curious Readers: *The Evolution of Luxury: Exploring How Luxury Goods are a Product and Cause of Social Change*. Presider and Author: Ian Malcom Taplin. Discussants: **Amanda Koontz**, Nathaniel G. Chapman, J. Slade Lellock, Wei Zhao. Southern Sociological Society. Virtual, April.
- 2020 Chapman, Nathaniel, **Amanda Koontz**, and J. Slade Lellock. ““Is this a Brewery or a Daycare?”: Family Values and Craft Beer Consumption.” Southern Sociological Society. Planned for Jacksonville, FL, April

[cancelled due to COVID-19].

- 2019 **Koontz, Amanda.** “Reconceptualizing Approaches to Authenticity: Authenticity as an Institution.” Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. New York, NY, August.
- 2018 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz** and Richard Ocejio. “The Rise of the Era of Authenticity.” Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA, April.
- 2018 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz** and Nathaniel Chapman. “About Us: Authenticity and the Microbrewery Movement.” Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA, April.
- 2018 *Alexandria Joy Ellsworth* and **Amanda Koontz.** “(Cos)Playing Princesses: Negotiating Magical Moments and the Everyday in Women's Lives.” Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA, April.
- 2017 Walters, Cyndi, **Amanda Koontz Anthony**, and Linda Walters. “Negotiating LivE: Integrating TeachLivE to Improve University Faculty-to-Faculty Communication. TLE TeachLivE Conference. Orlando, FL.
- 2017 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz.** “Success of Women Faculty: Supporting Diversity and Addressing Inequalities through Innovative Mentoring.” Southern Sociological Society. Greenville, SC, March.
- 2016 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz**, Lisa Nalbone, and Linda Walters. “Success of Women Faculty: Revisiting Horizontal and Vertical Mentoring Models.” The Mentoring Institute at University of New Mexico 9th Annual Mentoring Conference. Albuquerque, New Mexico. October.
- 2016 Danaher, William and **Amanda Koontz Anthony.** “Even Better than the Real Thing: Creating the Perfect Electric Guitar through Authentic Reproduction.” Southern Sociological Society. Atlanta, GA, April.
- 2016 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz** and Linda Walters. “Assessing the Impact of Service-Learning on Marine Biology Undergraduates.” *Component of Annual Meeting Workshop: Data Management Plans for NSF Proposals: What Should they Include? A Community Forum.* The Society for Integrative & Comparative Biology. Portland, OR, January.
- 2015 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz,* Sarah Okorie**, and *Lauren Norman.* “When Beauty Brings out the Beast: Female Comparisons and the Feminine Rivalry.” Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA, April. (*Presenter and Session Presider; Thematic Panel Organizer).
- 2015 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz** and Ian Taplin. “Sustaining The Retail Pilgrimage:

- Fast Fashion and the Construction of Lifestyles by Retailers and Consumers. Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA, April.
- 2014 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz*** and William Danaher. “Rules of the Road: A Primer for Managing Hesitant Participants and Doing Fieldwork.” Southern Sociological Society. Charlotte, NC, April. (*Presenter and Session Presider).
- 2013 Dunlop, Lori-Pyle, Ivan Garibay, Ozlem Garibay, and **Amanda Koontz Anthony**. “SONET-MATH: Using Social Networks to Learn Mathematics” Mathematical Association of America. San Diego, CA, August.
- 2013 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz** and Xavier Guadalupe-Diaz. “Introduction to Sociological Community: Transformative Learning through Student Engagement Practices. Southern Sociological Society. Atlanta, GA, April.
- 2011 **Koontz, Amanda**. “‘I’m Self-Taught’: Negotiation of Cultural Hierarchies through Identity Work by Marginal Artists.” Southern Sociological Society. Jacksonville, FL, April.
- 2010 **Koontz, Amanda**. “Promoting Self-Taught Artists: Complexities and Contradictions in Constructing Authenticity in African-American Representations” and “Considering the Qualitative–Quantitative Language Divide.” Qualitative Research Summer Intensive. Hauppauge, NY, June.
- 2010 **Koontz, Amanda**. “Constructing the Florida Highwaymen: Complexities and Contradictions in African-American Media Representations” Session on Qualitative Identity Research: Identity Conflict and Constructing Collectives. Southern Sociological Society. Atlanta, GA, April.
- State (Refereed)
- 2022 **Koontz, Amanda**. “Integrating Contemplative Pedagogy into Classroom Goals.” The Florida Statewide Symposium (FSS) on Best Practices in Undergraduate Research. Miami, FL. October.
- 2017 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz**, Wanda Raimundi-Ortiz, and M.C. Santana. “Teaching Privilege and Oppression: Opening Knapsacks.” Florida Consortium of Metropolitan Research Universities Student Success Conference. Orlando, FL. March.
- 2017 Christine Hanlon, **Amanda Koontz Anthony**, Anne Bubriski, Wanda Raimundi-Ortiz, and M.C. Santana. “Teaching Privilege and Oppression: Opening

Knapsacks.” Sunshine State Teaching and Learning Conference. St. Pete Beach, FL. February.

- 2015 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz**, Michael Rovito, Martha Garcia, Mary Tripp, and Linda Walters. “Piloting the Use of Research Coaches across Disciplines at UCF to Increase Curricular Opportunities for Undergraduate Research Experiences.” Florida Statewide Symposium-Engagement in Undergraduate Research. Orlando, FL, October.
- 2014 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz**, Patrick McGrady, and Linda Walters. “Workforce Readiness: Creating Connections between Authentic Research, Service-Learning, and the ‘Real World’ in Undergraduate Science Classes.” Florida Statewide Symposium-Engagement in Undergraduate Research. Orlando, FL, October.
- 2007 **Koontz, Amanda**. “Determinants of Participation in Community Arts,” North Carolina Sociological Association. Wilmington, NC, February.

Local

- 2017 **Anthony, Amanda Koontz**. “Discovering and Supporting Women Faculty’s Definitions of Success through Innovative Mentoring.” University of Central Florida Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning Summer Conference. Orlando, FL. May.

TEACHING AND MENTORSHIP EXPERIENCE

Undergraduate Courses

SYA3110: Social Theory
SYA3530: Social Power & Inequality
SYD3800: Sex and Gender in Society
SYG2000: Introduction to Sociology
SYP3630: Popular Culture in Society
SYP4420: Life in Consumer Society (developed course)

Instructor, Department of Sociology, Florida State University, Spring 2010-Summer 2011
SYA4010: Sociological Theory
SYA4300: Methods of Social Research
SYG1000: Introductory Sociology

Graduate Courses

SYA6126: Social Theory
SYA6933: Special Topics: Topics in Sociological Theory
SYA7019: Advanced Sociological Theory

SYD6538: Special Topics: Topics in Social Inequalities
 Fall 2019: Examining the ‘Culture of Authenticity’
 Summer 2020: Space, Place, and Inequalities: Sociological Perspectives of Space and Place [Added to curriculum: SYD6405; May 2022]
 SYD6795: Class, Race, & Gender in American Society

Funded Research Mentorship

Post-Doctoral Supervision

2021-2024 Wilcox, Annika. Post-Doctorate sponsored by NSF: ADVANCE Catalyst grant.

Graduate Fellowships and Research Assistants

2025 Londono, Estefany. Graduate Research Assistant. Support for research on the “Purpose of Purpose” research project through the Department of Sociology Strategic Investment Program.

2023-2024 Olmeda, Andrea. Graduate Assistant, *Social Currents* journal.

2023 Rodriguez, Lisa. Graduate Assistant, *Social Currents* journal.

2022-2023 Carson, Saphronia. Graduate Assistant, *Social Currents* journal.

2021-2022 Johnson, Krystal. Graduate Assistant, *Social Currents* journal.

2021 Alonso, Carolina. Departmental support for graduate assistance in social theory.

2020 Barsano, Margaret. Contributing to the construction of popular culture and consumer culture undergraduate courses.

2020 Griffith, Hanifah. *Essence* Manuscript Research Support. Departmental support for graduate research assistance for cleaning data.

2013 Nguyen, Jenny. “Racial Authentication.” UCF Summer Mentoring Fellowship. Mentor.

Undergraduate Research Assistants

2018 Hemer, Julia. Research assistant sponsored by UCF Department of Sociology Research Development Grant.

2016-2017 D’Aiuto, Magdalena. Research assistant sponsored by American Association of University Women (AAUW) Community Action Grant.

- 2016-2017 Acevedo, Adriana. Research assistant sponsored by American Association of University Women (AAUW) Community Action Grant.
- 2015 Armuelles, Catherine. Research assistant sponsored by University of Central Florida College of Arts and Humanities Research Initiative Seed Funding.
- 2015 Brandman, Marina. Research assistant sponsored by University of Central Florida College of Arts and Humanities Research Initiative Seed Funding.
- 2015 Edkin, Sarah. Research assistant sponsored by University of Central Florida Office of Undergraduate Research.
- 2015 Freese, Shannon. Research assistant sponsored by University of Central Florida College of Arts and Humanities Research Initiative Seed Funding.

Limbitless Lab Internships

- 2022-2023 Kalish, Alexandria. Joint-Fellow (Limbitless and Social Science Research).
- 2021-2022 Alonso, Carolina and Remy Marasa. Joint-Fellows (Limbitless and Social Science Research).

Undergraduate Fellowships

- 2023 Thomaz, Victoria. “onePULSE: Space and material at the interim Pulse Memorial.” Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship. Faculty Mentor, in collaboration with *Bee Ben Khallouq* (Doctoral Candidate).
- 2014 Maitner, Amy. “Young Women’s Studies.” UCF LEAD Scholars Assistantship Program. Mentor.

Research Mentorship (unfunded)

Doctoral Dissertation Committees (Chair)

- 2025- Johnson, Kristal. “We Interrupt Your Regularly Scheduled Program: A Critical Discourse Analysis of Media Portrayals, Social Constructs, and Fatal Police Interactions within the Black Community.” Dissertation Proposal Defense: Summer 2025.
- 2025- Namur, Douglas. “Framing the West: A Foucauldian Discourse Analysis of Brazil's Rising Narratives (2002–2018).” Dissertation Defense Planned: Summer 2026.

- 2023 Sobke, Ashley. "Becoming Racially Aware: A Social Process of (Re)Constructing an Alternative White Identity." Dissertation Graduated: Spring 2023.
- 2022 Caldwell, Dillon. "Associations Between Patient-Provider Trust and HIV Care Continuum Outcomes." Dissertation Graduated: Summer 2022.

Doctoral Dissertation Committees (Member)

- 2025 Leary, Angelina. "Identity (Change) is Not a Joke, Jim!": The Role of Change in Responsible Drinking Identity as a Mechanism of Behavioral Change in College Alcohol Interventions." Outside committee member; Psychology. Dissertation Graduated: Summer 2025.
- 2024- Jones, Annie. "Ideological Positioning and Higher Education in Florida." Dissertation Proposal in Progress: Spring 2024. Defense Scheduled: Spring 2026.
- 2021 Zamarripa, Brian. "Women's Characterization of Success in Physics." Outside committee member; Physics. Dissertation Graduated: Summer 2021.
- 2021 Kidder, Erin. "Exploring Perceptions of People and Animals in Stock Shows and Rodeos through a Sociological Lens." Dissertation Graduated: Fall 2021.
- 2019 Marks, Sabrina. "Raising Roma Voices: An Insider Examination of American Roma Realities, Resistance, and Revaluation." Dissertation Graduated: Fall 2019.
- 2019 Brown, Christine. Sociology. "Success Rate of Student Accessibility Services Determined by Students' Cumulative Grade Point Average." Dissertation Graduated: Fall 2019.
- 2016 Nguyen, Jenny. "Group Position and Stereotypes: Understanding Racial Attitudes Towards the Model Minority." Sociology. Dissertation Graduated: Spring 2016.
- 2015 Norman, Lauren. "Prescription Stimulant Misuse among Undergraduates." Sociology. Dissertation Graduated: Summer 2015. Current Position: Assistant Professor of Criminology/Sociology, Delta State University.
- 2013 Settembrino, Marc. 2013. "When There's No Home to Prepare: Understanding Natural Hazards Vulnerability Among the Homeless of Central Florida." Dissertation Graduated: Summer 2013. Current Position: Assistant Professor of Sociology, Southeastern Louisiana University.

Master's Committees (Chair)

2026-	Phillip, Brett. TBD
2021	Griffith, Hanifah. "Breaking the Expectation: Changing the Conversation around Mental Health." Applied Research Project Graduated: Summer 2021.
2020	Brown, Venus. Sociology. "Transgender Presentations in Online Vlogs." Applied Research Project Graduated: Fall 2020.
2017	Rosenbaum, Emily. Sociology. "Identity Work of Collegiate Female Gamers." Thesis Graduated: Summer 2017.
2016	Caldwell, Dillon. Sociology. "Emotional Labor & Identity Management Among HIV Counselors." Thesis Graduated: Summer 2016.
2018	Walsh, Jennifer. Sociology. "Masculinity, Men's Bodies, and New Social Spaces: An Analysis of BuzzFeed Content." Proposal in Progress: Spring 2016; Defense Scheduled: Summer 2018.
2016	Warner, Alexandra. Sociology. "Plan A: Identity Development of First-Generation College Student-Athletes." Thesis Graduated: Spring 2016.
2016	Wycha, Niklaus. Sociology. "It's a Conspiracy: The Interpretation of Climate Science in a 'Post-Normal' Setting." Thesis Graduated: Summer 2015.
2014	Griffin, Kate. Sociology. "Pinterest: Imagining the Self through the Life Course." Thesis Graduated: Summer 2014.

Master's Thesis Committees (Member)

2026-	Kopf, Colby.
2025	Welcome, Shawn. "Revive Zora Campaign." Thesis Graduated: Spring 2025.
2024	Tukdarian, Emma. "Long Term Hypervigilance Effects on the Everyday Queer." Thesis Graduated: Spring 2024.
2023	Carson, Saphronia. "Gendered and Racialized Bodies in Dobbs V. Jackson Women's Health Organization." Thesis Graduated: Spring 2023.
2022	Kelly, Alexis. "Quality of Life: How Does Race Influence Residential Satisfaction in Cities?" Thesis Proposal in Progress: Spring 2022.
2021	Alonso, Carolina. "History of the Cuban Diaspora and Responses to July

2021 Protest in Cuba: An in-depth Examination of an Emerging Social Movement.” Thesis Proposal in Progress: Fall 2021.

- 2021 Edmonston, Erica. “Investigating the Spatial Relationship Between Sense of Place and Community-Based Organizations: Do Community-Based Organizations Influence Volunteering in the Indian River Lagoon, Florida?” Thesis Graduated: Spring 2021.
- 2019 Wimmer, Rachel. 2019. “Community-Based Coastal Restoration: Long Term Impacts on Habitats and People in Volusia County.” Thesis Graduated: Fall 2019.
- 2018 Ellsworth, Alexandria. 2018. “Sexual Assault & Sexual Harassment Policies and Enforcement in Cosplay, Anime, & Comic Conventions.” Thesis Graduated: Summer 2018.
- 2017 Valentin, Jessica. “Then and Now: Using Syllabi to Shape the College Classroom.” Thesis Graduated: Summer 2017.
- 2015 Stark, Nicole. “Sexual Harassment Discourse among Millennials.” Sociology. Thesis Graduated: Fall 2015.
- 2015 Barredo, Juan. “Healthy Masculine selves: A Critical Exploration.” Sociology. Thesis Graduated: Fall 2015.
- 2014 Halbert, Sarah. 2014. “Bodily Experiences of Senior Water Aerobics Exercisers.” Thesis Graduated: Spring 2014.
- 2014 Simpkins, Joshua. 2014. “Creating Constructs through Categorization: Gender and Race.” Sociology. Thesis Graduated: Spring 2014.
- 2012 Afflerback, Sara. 2012. “Rock-a-Buy Baby: Consumerism by New, First-Time Mothers.” Sociology. Thesis Graduated: Spring 2012. Current Position: ORS Impact, Seattle, Washington.

Honors Undergraduate Thesis Committees (Chair)

- 2022 Dewji, Sakinah. Committee Chair: Interdisciplinary (Biology, Public Health, and Sociology). “Impact of Emotional Support on Identity in Breast Cancer Survivors.” Thesis Graduated: Spring 2022.
- 2021 Marasa, Remy. Committee Chair: Interdisciplinary (Arts History & Sociology; Limbitless). “How Does the Use of Customized and Expressive Bionic Arms Affect the Self-Identity of Children with Congenital Limb Difference?” Thesis Graduated: Fall 2021.

- 2021 Kupper, Carly. Committee Chair: Sociology and Psychology. "Negotiating the Patriarchy: Narratives of Constructing Non-Binary Gender Identities in Unsettled Times." Thesis Graduated: Spring 2021.
- 2018 Brown, Nathan. Committee Chair: Sociology. "Countering Capitalism: Contextualizing & Conceptualising Food Sovereignty." Thesis Defended: Summer 2018.

Honors Undergraduate Thesis Committees (Member)

- 2025 Briceno, Emily. Outside Committee Member: Psychology. "Self-Objectification as a Form of Empowerment and its Relationship to Identity, Self-Perception, and Self-Efficacy." Thesis Graduated: Spring 2025.
- 2017 Wallace, Dylan. Outside Committee Member: Political Science. "The Student Debt Crisis and Political Polarization in the Millennial Generation." Thesis Graduated: Summer 2018.
- 2017 Treadwell, Tess. Committee Member: Sociology. "The Role of Perception: African American Mothers' Narratives of Healthcare Providers and the Effects on Infant Feeding Methods." Thesis Graduated: Spring 2017.
- 2016 Chizmar, Sara. Outside Committee Member: Health Professions. "A Comparison of Males with Differing Levels of Hegemonic Masculinity in Regards to Attitudes, Intention, and Perceived Level of Nutrition Knowledge." Thesis Graduated: Spring 2016.
- 2014 Hudson, Jennifer. Outside Committee Member: Political Science. "The Importance of Institutional Design: How Economic Actors Influence Public Policy and the Impact on Economic Inequality in Germany and the United States." Thesis Graduated: Fall 2014.
- 2013 Cox, Jamesha. Outside Committee Member: Political Science. "The Influence of Campaign Contributions on Proportionality of Representation in the United States Congress." Thesis Graduated: Fall 2013.
- 2012 Kadel, Fallon. Committee Member: Sociology. "Experiences of Social Services among Homeless LGBTQ Youth." Thesis Graduated: Spring 2012.

Graduate Independent Studies and Directed Research

- 2024 Davis, Kris. Spring 2024. Examining literature on the self, authenticity, and identity in relation to queering, influencers, and transgender individual identity construction.

- 2023 Mendez, Aixa. Summer 2023. Examining literature and studying for inequalities comprehensive exam.
- 2023 Davis, Kris. Spring 2023. Examining literature on the self, authenticity, and identity in relation to queering, influencers, and transgender individual identity construction.
- 2022 Jones, Annie. Spring 2022. Examining literature and content analysis to conceptualize meanings of “cancel culture.”
- 2022 Namur, Douglas. Spring 2022. Qualitative methods training and analysis of interviews on the concept of everyday success.
- 2021 Khallouq, Bee Ben. Fall 2021. Examining literature on identity construction and professional socialization in medical fields.
- 2021 Alonso, Carolina. Summer 2021. Examining Limbitless data on STEAM identities.
- 2020 Khallouq, Bee Ben. Fall 2020. Examining literature and data on space, place, and rituals surrounding the Pulse tragedy.
- 2020 Davis, Kris. Summer 2020. Examining literature on the self, authenticity, and identity in relation to queering, influencers, and transgender individual identity construction.
- 2020 Griffith, Hanifah. Summer 2020. Collecting literature and constructing a research project on how change in space and place can affect the mental health of international students during COVID-19.
- 2019 Sobke, Ashley. Spring 2020. Review of Social Inequalities literature.
- 2017 Ford, Dena. Fall 2017. Examining literature on science identity and sociological social psychology.
- 2017 Caldwell, Dillon. Fall 2017. Examining and analyzing sociology of emotions literature and data.
- 2016 Decesare, Rebecca. Summer 2016. Preparing and analyzing literature on sociological theory.
- 2016 Andrews, Edwanna. Spring 2016. Examining survey instruments and performing literature review on girls’ studies/adolescence in conjunction with the Young Women Leaders Program study.
- 2016 Caldwell, Dillon. Spring 2016. Preparing literature and data collection on

emotion labor.

- 2015 Rosenbaum, Emily. Fall 2015. Helping to recruit and perform interviews on the influence of the “princess culture” in relation to masculinity.
- 2014 Nguyen, Jenny. Fall 2014. Completing manuscript on commodification of authenticity and fellowship preparation.
- 2014 Wycha, Niklaus. Summer 2014. Preparing literature on connections between conspiracy and individual biographies.
- 2014 Norman, Lauren. Spring 2014. Analyzing data and developing a manuscript on happiness, romance, love, and the influence of the “princess culture” on these processes.
- 2014 Okorie, Sarah. Spring 2014. Analyzing data and developing manuscript on beauty, comparisons amongst women, and the influence of the “princess culture” on these processes.
- 2013 Norman, Lauren. Fall 2013. Helping to recruit, perform interviews, and write a literature review on happiness, romance, love, and the influence of the “princess culture” on these processes.
- 2013 Nguyen, Jenny. Summer 2013. Directed Research on racialized authenticity.
- 2013 Griffin, Kate. Summer 2013. Starting Master’s thesis research: completed IRB, started recruiting, and started literature review for thesis proposal.
- 2013 Okorie, Sarah. Summer 2013. Helping to recruit, perform interviews, and write a literature review on beauty, comparisons amongst women, and the influence of the “princess culture” on these processes.
- 2012 Baird, Andrew, Candice Campanaro, Joanna Eisele, Brittany Murray, and Shannon Simone Summer 2012. Review and critical analysis of classical and contemporary social theories and theorists.

Undergraduate Internships

- 2020-2021 Deovrat, Heather and Royal, Heather. Research interns facilitated through collaboration with the Department of Sociology, Radford University.
- 2020 Barsano, Margaret. Fall. Contributing to the construction of popular culture and consumer culture undergraduate courses.
- 2015 Matos, Stephanie. Summer. Helping with updates to structure and design of Social Power and Inequality course.

Undergraduate Research Assistants

2025	Lagoutari, Kyriaki. Research assistant for authenticity literature review.
2025	Bower, Matthew. Research assistant for Limbitless social science research.
2024	Avaradi, Vardhan, Khushi Chauhan, and Jailimar Montanez. Research assistants facilitated through University of Central Florida Honors in the Major Match Day.
2020-2021	Dewji, Sakinah and McCann, Isabel. Research assistants facilitated through University of Central Florida Honors in the Major Match Day.
2020	Mason, Samantha. Research assistants facilitated through University of Central Florida Honors in the Major Match Day.
2020-2021; 2016-2018	Gutzmore, Shayne. Research assistant (zero-credit research hours).
2016	Gafter, Elliot. Research assistant (zero-credit research hours).
2016	Rivera, Aisha. Research assistant facilitated through University of Central Florida Office of Undergraduate Research Positions.
2015-2016	Doriety, Anjelica. Research assistant facilitated through University of Central Florida Office of Undergraduate Research Positions.
2015	Stawicki, Jacob. Research assistant facilitated through University of Central Florida Office of Undergraduate Research Positions.

High School Supervision

2016-2017	Wolf, Katharine. (Current status: Harvard undergraduate student). Independent mentorship on social inequalities, gender studies, and qualitative research methods. Mentoring collaboration on research based on my current study of the princess culture, including literature review and data analysis.
2015-2016	Zeigler, Lauren. "Muslim Religion and Treatment after 9/11." Expert Consultant. AP Research Project (Palm Bay Magnet School). Role: Provide feedback to student regarding research questions, goals, and data collection and analysis; provide background for research topic; attend presentation and oral defense portion of the project.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Funded Research & Teaching Development

2024	Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning (FCTL) Faculty Learning Community: Excellence in Teaching (Knights Faculty; \$600). Fall 2024 Cohort. University of Central Florida.
2022	Summer Faculty Development Institute (\$800). FCTL Track. University of Central Florida.
2021-2022	Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning (FCTL) Knights Faculty (\$1,100). 2021-2022 Cohort. University of Central Florida.
2021	Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning (FCTL) Course Innovation Project (CIP)—Contemplative Pedagogy (\$500). Spring 2021 Cohort. University of Central Florida.
2019	Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning (FCTL) Course Innovation Project (CIP)—Improving Strategies for Teaching and Learning (\$500). Fall 2019 Cohort. University of Central Florida.
2018	Summer Faculty Development Conference (\$800). Service-Learning Track. University of Central Florida.
2016	Invited participant. 2016. Introductory Sociology Symposium: Developing Teaching Excellence with Digital Tools. McGraw-Hill Education. Charleston, SC, Spring (expenses covered; \$150 stipend), Spring.
2014	Summer Faculty Development Conference (\$800). Center for Success of Women Faculty Research Center Track. University of Central Florida.
2013-2014	Faculty Learning Community Participant (\$150). Interdisciplinary group of junior faculty. University of Central Florida.
2013	12-Week Writing Workshop (\$150). Fall 2013. Sponsored by Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning.
2013	Winter Faculty Development Conference (\$500). University of Central Florida.
2012-2013	Faculty Learning Community Participant (\$150). Interdisciplinary group of junior faculty. University of Central Florida.
2012	12-Week Writing Workshop (\$300). Spring 2012. Sponsored by Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning.
2012	Winter Faculty Development Conference (\$500). University of Central Florida.

- 2012 Summer Faculty Development Conference (\$800). Center for Success of Women Faculty Research Center Track. University of Central Florida.
- 2011-2012 New Faculty Learning Community (\$300). An interdisciplinary group of new faculty members that meet once a month to discuss teaching, researching, and balancing faculty roles, along with UCF-specific issues like writing across the curriculum. A written deliverable on these topics will be completed at the end of the session, intended for local publication. University of Central Florida.
- 2010 Dissertation Research Grant Award (\$750). Florida State University.
- 2009 Qualitative Research Education and Travel Grant (\$1,500). Florida State University.
- 2006-2007 Public Service Research Grant (\$450). Appalachian State University.

Research Development (Participant)

- 2024 Grounded Theory and Qualitative Methods Course. 2024. European Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction. Pisa, Italy. June 5-7.
- 2022 NSF (National Science Foundation) ARC (ADVANCE Research and Coordination) Network's Equity in STEM Community Convening. 2022. Washington, D.C. May 31-June 3.
- 2015 SEM Boot Camp. 2015. University of Central Florida Rosen College of Hospitality Management. Orlando, FL. July 9-11.
- 2015 NSF IUSE: EHR Webinar. 2015. Sponsored by University of Central Florida Office of Research and Commercialization Research Outreach Services. University of Central Florida. Sept. 21.
- 2014 Grants Day: Pursuing Sponsored Research from Private Funders. 2014. Sponsored by University of Central Florida Office of Research and Commercialization Research Outreach Services. University of Central Florida. Nov. 3.
- 2014 Robust Research in the Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences. 2014. Sponsored by National Science Foundation. Washington, D.C. Feb. 20-21.
- 2013-2014 College of Sciences Mentoring Program. 2013-2014. University of Central Florida.

- 2013 Research: Art Works Grants Workshop 2013 Webinar. 2013. Sponsored by Art Works, National Endowment for the Arts. Sept. 18.
- 2013 CAREER Faculty Panel Discussion. 2013. Sponsored by ICubed and University of Central Florida Office of Research and Commercialization Research Outreach Services. University of Central Florida. March 19.
- 2012 Grants Day: Shining Light on S.T.E.M. University of Central Florida. 2012. Sponsored by University of Central Florida Office of Research and Commercialization Research Outreach Services. University of Central Florida. Nov. 5.
- 2012 Sociology Workshop: Grant Writing. 2012. Sponsored by the Department of Sociology. University of Central Florida. Oct. 3.
- 2012 NVivo 9 Basics and Advanced Workshop: QSR International Training. 2012. Washington, D.C. March 12-13.
- 2012 National Science Foundation Transforming Undergraduate Education in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (NSF TUES). 2012. Office of Research and Commercialization Sponsored Workshop Series. University of Central Florida. April 12, 19, and 26.
- 2012 National Science Foundation Day. 2012. Sponsored by the National Science Foundation and Florida Board of Governors. University of Central Florida. Jan. 12.

Teaching Development (Participant)

- 2025 Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning (FCTL) Classroom to Careers Track [Career Foundations course designation]. Summer Faculty Development Institute. University of Central Florida.
- 2025 Teaching and Learning Day. Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Central Florida, January 21, 2025.
- 2024 Universal Design Learning Workshop. 2024. Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Central Florida, May.
- 2024 Course Design Institute. 2024. Oana Cimpean, New Mexico State University; sponsored by Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Central Florida, April.
- 2023 Holiday Retreat on Playful Pedagogy. 2023. Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Central Florida, December.

- 2013 Making UCF Inclusive: Where is Access AT? Luncheon. 2013. Student Disability Services, Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning, and Center for Distributed Learning, October.
- 2012 Instructional Designer Consultations. 2012. Wendy Howard. Center for Distributed Learning, University of Central Florida, Fall.
- 2012 The Best of Both Worlds: Effective Design Strategies for Blended Courses. 2012. Sponsored by Center for Distributed Learning: Faculty Seminars in Online Teaching, University of Central Florida, November.
- 2012 Teaching Incentive Program (TIP) Workshop. 2012. Libby Mustaine. Sponsored by Department of Sociology, University of Central Florida, October.
- 2012 Best Practices Workshop: Directing Dissertations and Theses. 2012. Sponsored by Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning, September.
- 2011 Interactive Distributed Learning course (IDL6543). 2011. Sponsored by Center for Distributed Learning, University of Central Florida, Fall.
- 2011-Present Writing Club. University of Central Florida. Sponsored by Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning. 2011-Present.
- 2010 Program for Instructional Excellence (PIE) Panelist. 2010. Served on PIE panel on time management, course planning, and teaching strategies, Florida State University, Fall.
- 2007 Program for Instructional Excellence (PIE) Certificate. 2007. Certificate in acknowledgement of knowledge gained at a professional development conference, relating to grading, professional conduct, and classroom strategies. Florida State University, Fall.

Leadership Development

- 2024-2026 Participant. Tenured/Tenure-Earning (TTE) Mentoring Community, Faculty Excellence, University of Central Florida.
- 2023; 2024 Participant. American Sociological Association Section Chair Leadership Training. American Sociological Association; Philadelphia, PA; Montreal, Quebec. August.
- 2017-2018 Participant. Associate Professor Mentoring Community, Faculty Excellence, University of Central Florida.
- 2016 Space for Women's Mentorship: Intentionally Creating Rooms of Our Own

Webinar. Sponsored by Higher Education Resource Services (HERS), American College Personnel Association, and the Coalition for Women's Identities, Spring.

- 2014 Women's Leadership in Doctoral Education & Careers in Academia. Patel Center for Global Solutions, University of South Florida, Summer.
- 2014 COACH Leadership Workshop. "Negotiations, Problem-Solving, and Conflict Resolution." Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning Summer Conference, University of Central Florida, Summer.
- 2013 COACH Leadership Workshop. "Negotiations, Problem-Solving, and Conflict Resolution." Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning Summer Conference, University of Central Florida, Summer.
- 2013 Leadership Development Workshop. Division of Academic, Faculty, and International Affairs, University of Central Florida, Fall.
- 2013-2014 Participant. College of Sciences Mentoring Program, University of Central Florida.

SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP

University Service

- 2026 Host: "How to Publish Your Article in 12 Weeks" Faculty Learning Community; Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Central Florida. Spring 2026.
- 2026 Director of Honors Research and Scholarly Engagement Search; University Honors Committee (UHC) Representative.
- 2025-present Faculty Senate Representative for the Department of Sociology; Honors College Representative.
- 2023-2024 NSF ADVANCE-Sponsored Workshops:
 "Harnessing Our Collective Faculty Agency to Build a Collaborative Culture of Trust." Workshop Leader: Kasi Jackson, West Virginia University. November, 2023
 "Creating a Supportive & Restorative Faculty Culture." Workshop Leaders: Jennifer Middleton and Beatriz Videz. January, 2024.
- 2017-2018 Co-Leader with Dr. Linda Walters, Faculty Excellence Center for the Success of Women Faculty Mentoring Program.

- 2017 Invited Panelist (featured expert), *Wonder Women* Film Screening. Sponsored by AAUW at UCF and Nicholson School of Communication. October, 2017.
- 2017 Co-Leader with Dr. Linda Walters, Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning Summer Conference Center for the Success of Women Faculty Track.
- 2016-2017 Co-Leader with Dr. Damla Turgut and Dr. Melissa Dagley, iSTEM Faculty Fellowship.
- 2016 Co-Leader with Dr. Linda Walters, Center for the Success of Women Faculty Career Transitions Mentoring Program. Fall 2016.
- 2016 Co-Leader with Dr. Linda Walters and Dr. Debbie Hahs-Vaughn, Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning Summer Conference Center for the Success of Women Faculty Track.
- 2016-2017 Member, COACHE Sub-Committee on Personal and Family Policies. University of Central Florida.
- 2015-2016 Co-Leader with Dr. Linda Walters, Center for the Success of Women Faculty Mentoring Program.
- 2015 Co-Designer with Dr. Valerie Storey and Dr. Parveen Wahid, Center for the Success of Women Faculty Leadership Forum. Developed through the Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning Summer Conference Center for the Success of Women Faculty Track.
- 2015-Present Women's Studies Advisory Board, University of Central Florida, 2015-present.
- 2015; 2014 Participant, University of Central Florida Valencia Degree Expo. Valencia West-UCF, October 14, 2014; March 3, 2015.
- 2015 Panel Member. "Faculty Student Meet and Greet." Valencia West-UCF, September 1, 2015.
- 2014; 2013 Panel Member: "Pathways to Success – Women in Academia." Center for Success of Women Faculty and Graduate Studies. University of Central Florida, Fall 2013; Spring 2014; Fall 2014.
- 2013 Invited Panel Member: "Plenary Panel Session." Interactive Distributed Learning Showcase. University of Central Florida, July 26, 2013.
- 2013; 2012 Faculty Judge: Showcase of Undergraduate Research Excellence (SURE), University of Central Florida.

- 2012-2020 Center for the Success of Women Faculty Executive Committee, University of Central Florida.
- 2012 Reviewer, *UCF Undergraduate Research Journal*.
- 2012 Invited Panel Presenter: “From the Trenches.” New Faculty Orientation. University of Central Florida, August 13-14, 2012.
- 2011-2012 Faculty Advisory Council, Southern Region, University of Central Florida, 2011-2012.
- 2011-Present Women’s Studies Faculty Affiliate, University of Central Florida, 2011-present.

College Service

- 2026 Invited: Dean Finalist Candidate Meetings Member; College of Sciences Dean Search 2026.
- 2025 Chair, College of Sciences Promoting the Social Sciences and Creative Arts Working Group.
- 2024-2026 College of Sciences Research Committee, University of Central Florida.
- 2022 RIA (Research Incentive Award) Selection Committee, University of Central Florida.
- 2017-2019 TIP (Teaching Incentive Program) Selection Committee, University of Central Florida.
- 2017 College of Sciences Graduate Curriculum and Standards Committee, University of Central Florida.
- 2016-2017 College of Sciences Research Committee, University of Central Florida.
- 2012-2015 College of Sciences Recognition and Scholarship Committee, University of Central Florida.
- 2013 Invited Speaker to Junior Faculty Community, January 2013.
- 2011-2012 College of Sciences Junior Faculty Community, University of Central Florida.

Departmental Service

Current Committees

- 2025-2026 Search Committee (Technology and Society Assistant Professor Position)

2022-present; Personnel Committee
2017-2020

2013-Present Social Inequalities; Social Theory Qualifying Exam Committees

Past Service

2024-2025 Search Committee (Instructor Position)

2024-2025 Visibility Committee

2024-2025 Budget Committee

2020-2022 Personnel Committee Chair

2021 Invited Panelist: Sociology Graduate Student Association (SGSA) Workshop:
Writing Academic Articles and Proposals.

2020 Invited Panelist: Sociology Graduate Student Association (SGSA) Workshop:
Preparing to Present – Navigating Through Conference Culture.

2017 Interim Graduate Director, Department of Sociology (Appointed), Spring 2017.

2016 Co-Organizer with Dr. Shannon Carter and Panelist: How to Get the Most out of
Your Southern Sociological Society (SSS) Experience.

2016 Co-Organizer: Racism in the Era of #blacklivesmatter: A Discussion of Racism
in the University and the Orlando Community Key Note and Panel.
Sponsored by the Colloquium Committee, Department of Sociology; UCF
Center for Law and Policy, UCF Office of Diversity and Inclusion, UCF
College of Graduate Studies, and Reproductive Justice Knights Project,
March 29th.

2012-2017 Colloquium Committee

2012-2014 Budget Committee

2010-2011 Graduate Admissions Committee, Florida State University, 2010-2011.

2009-2010 Qualitative Working Group Recruitment Coordinator, Florida State University.

2009-2010 Sociology Graduate Student Union secretary, Florida State University.

2008-2010 Sociology Graduate Student Union representative to Departmental Meeting
Committee, Florida State University.

2007-2008 Professional Development Series Committee, Florida State University.

Professional Service

2024-present Executive Committee Board Member. Southern Sociological Society.

2025-2026 Past-Chair: Consumers & Consumption Section, American Sociological Association.

- Overseeing Pre-Conference (2026): Futures of Authenticity and Advancing Technologies
- Organizer: Virtual Writing Group

2024-2025 Chair: Consumers & Consumption Section, American Sociological Association. 2025 Annual Meeting:

- Organizer – Section Mentoring Workshop: Authenticity, Branding, and the Academic Self: Future Directions in the Sociology of Consumption
- Meeting Chair & Organizer: Section on Sociology of Consumers and Consumption Council Meeting
- Meeting Chair & Organizer: Section on Sociology of Consumers and Consumption Business Meeting
- Session Organizer: Meeting Chair & Organizer: Section on Sociology of Consumers and Consumption Roundtables
- Session Organizer: Consuming Authenticity: Blurring Distinctions across Work and Play
- Section Representative: ASA Section and Community Open House

2024 Invited Reviewer: Swiss National Science Foundation.

2024-present Editorial Board Member, *Contemporary Sociology: A Journal of Reviews* (an official journal of the American Sociological Association).

2023-2024 Incoming Elected Chair: Consumers & Consumption Section, American Sociological Association.

2023 Invited Discussant, American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA.

2021-present Publications Committee Member, Southern Sociological Society.

2021-2025 Co-editor, *Social Currents* (flagship journal of the Southern Sociological Society).

2019-2020 Site Selection Committee, Southern Sociological Society.

2021 ~~2020~~ Panel Organizer, Presider, Discussant and Curious Reader: Author-Meets-Curious-Readers Session: *The Evolution of Luxury* by Ian Malcolm

- Taplin, Southern Sociological Society. 2021. Virtual [Originally planned for Jacksonville, FL, April; cancelled due to COVID-19].
- 2018-2019 Program Chair, Southern Sociological Society (Annual Meeting 2019; Atlanta, GA, April).
- 2017-2018 Mini-Conference Organizer, American Sociological Association Consumers and Consumption Section. 2018. "Consuming In, and Consumed By, a Trump Economy," pre-American Sociological Association mini-conference. Camden, NJ.
- 2018 Panel Organizer and Presider, American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2018 Presider, Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA.
- 2017 Table Presider and Invited Discussant, American Sociological Association, Montreal, Quebec.
- 2017 Panel Organizer and Presider, Southern Sociological Society, Greenville, SC.
- 2017-2020 Council Member, American Sociological Association Consumers and Consumption Section (Nominated).
- 2016-2017 Invited Member, Southern Sociological Society Program Committee (Appointed).
- 2016 Invited Panel Discussant, American Sociological Association, Seattle, WA.
- 2016 Nominated for Slate of Publications Committee. Southern Sociological Society.
- 2015-2017 Member, Nominations Committee. Consumers & Consumption Section. American Sociological Association.
- 2015-2016 Member, Vision Committee. Sociologists for Women in Society.
- 2015 Panel Organizer and Presider, Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA.
- 2014 Invited Panelist, Southern Sociological Society, Charlotte, NC.
- 2014 Peer Reviewer: *Discovering Sociology* (textbook). Invited reviewer for emerging technology Introduction to Sociology textbook.

- 2013 Panel Organizer and Presider, Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, GA.
- 2012 Roundtable Discussant, Sociologists for Women in Society, St. Petersburg, FL.
- 2009-2011 Student Forum Advisory Board member, American Sociological Association (ASA).
Committee Member: Travel Awards (2009-2010); Local Arrangements (2009- 2010); Communications and Outreach (2010-2011); ASA Conference Certificate (2010-2011).
- 2008-2011 *Surfing Florida: A Photographic History* Community Advisory Committee, interdisciplinary project in conjunction with Florida Atlantic University,
- Reviewer, National Science Foundation Sociology Program.
- Ongoing Reviewer:
American Journal of Sociology
Contemporary Sociology
Gender & Society
Journal of Consumer Culture
Journal of Organizational Behavior
Poetics
Qualitative Sociology
Race and Social Problems
Social Currents
Social Psychology Quarterly
Sociological Spectrum
Sociology of Race and Ethnicity
Symbolic Interaction
Social Forces

Media Interviews and Media Coverage

- 2025 Invited guest: [The Chemical Sensitivity Podcast](#) to speak on my research agenda and the “Toxic Personal Care: Selling Gendered Marketing and Chemical Toxicity Through Personal Care Products” (2024) article.
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- 2021 Interviewed for, “Uma breve história do Cancelamento” (Translated: “A Brief History of Cancellation”), by Rafael Battaglia. *Superinteressante* (Brazilian Magazine). March 2021. <https://super.abril.com.br/especiais/uma-breve-historia-do-cancelamento/>
- 2021 Interviewed for, “Sensurglade portvoktere” (Translated: Censorship – Happy Gatekeepers”), by Selma Stormyren Larsen and Anders N. Kvammen. *Klassekampen* (Norwegian newspaper). January 30th, 2021.
<https://klassekampen.no/utgave/2021-01-30/sensurglade-portvoktere>
- 2020 Interviewed for, “Is Cancel Culture Effective?” by Nicole Dudenhoefer. *Pegasus Magazine*. Fall 2020. <https://www.ucf.edu/pegasus/is-cancel-culture-effective/>
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Faculty Highlights

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PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS

- American Sociological Association
- Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction
- Sociologists for Women in Society
- Southern Sociological Society