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EDUCATION

- Current Ph.D., Sociology, University of Madison-Wisconsin
Preliminary Examinations: Social Psychology; Ethnography
- 2016 M.S., Sociology, University of Madison-Wisconsin, Sociology
Thesis: “‘I’m a Farmer. And I’m Gay.’: Being Queer in a Public Space.”
- 2011 B.A. (magna cum laude), Sociology, Dartmouth College
Senior Honors Thesis: “The Future’s in the Dirt: Local Food, Community and Embeddedness in Hardwick, VT”

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Sexuality, Gender, Rural, Ethnography, Environment, Social psychology, Agrofood systems

PUBLICATIONS

- 2019 Wypler, Jaclyn. “Lesbian and Queer Sustainable Farmer Networks in the Midwest.” *Society & Natural Resources*. 32(8):947-964.
 - Certificate of Distinction in Original Data Collection, Natural Resource Research Interest Group, Rural Sociological Society
- 2019 Leslie, Isaac Sohn, Jaclyn Wypler, and Michael Mayerfeld Bell. “Relational Agriculture: Gender, Sexuality, and Sustainability in U.S. Farming.” *Society & Natural Resources*. 32(8):853-874.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2019 Summer Mini-Grant, Center for Integrated Agricultural Systems, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2019 Semi-Finalist, Fulbright U.S. Student Program
- 2018 Teaching Fellow, College of Letters & Sciences, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2017-18 University Fellowship, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2016 Award for Excellence in Teaching by a Teaching Assistant, Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2014 Crowe Scholarship for Graduate Student Research, Community & Environmental Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2013-14 University Fellowship, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2013 Truxal Award, Dartmouth College
- 2011 Ralph B. Holden Prize in Applied Sociology, Dartmouth College

2011 High Academic Achievement in Sociology, Dartmouth College

PRESENTATIONS

Invited Panels

- 2019 “Integrating LGBTQIA into Natural Resource Management Research.” International Symposium on Society and Resource Management. Oshkosh, WI.
- 2018 “Harvesting as Researchers and Farmers: Farming while Queer.” Mini-Conference on Rural Queer Voice in Science and Practice, Rural Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Portland, OR.

Conference

- 2019 “Coming out and Burning Out: Farming Entry and Exit for Lesbian and Queer Agriculturalists.” Environment and Technology Session at Society for the Study of Social Problems. New York, NY.
- 2019 “Queer Farmers: Re-Theorizing Queerness and Rurality.” Junior Theorist Symposium. New York, NY.
- 2018 “Civilian Don’t Ask, Don’t Tell.” American Sociological Association. Philadelphia, PA.
- 2018 “Lesbian and Queer Farm Networks in the Midwest.” Rural Sociological Society. Portland, OR.
- 2017 “‘Lesbians Especially Encouraged to Apply’: Lesbian and Queer Farmer Networks in the Rural Midwest.” Rural Studies Student Conference. Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA.
- 2016 “Civilian Don’t Ask, Don’t Tell.” Chicago Ethnography Conference. DePaul University, Chicago, IL.
- 2015 “‘I’m a Farmer. And I’m Gay’: Gender Misrecognition at a Madison Farmers’ Market.” Chicago Ethnography Conference. Loyola University, Chicago, IL.
- 2014 “Queer Bee: Rural Farming with a Lesbian Beekeeper.” Chicago Ethnography Conference. Northwestern University, Evanston, IL.
- 2012 (Poster) “Fat and Mean? A New Perspective on the Managerial Paradox Using EEO-1 Data.” Research Committee on Social Stratification and Mobility (RC28) of the International Sociological Association. Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong S.A.R., China.

Community

- 2019 “Queer Farmers in Community.” With Emily Martorano. UW-Madison Slow Food, Madison, WI.
- 2018 “Sexuality and the Sustainable Agriculture Movement.” With Isaac Leslie. F.H. King: Students for Sustainable Agriculture, Madison, WI.
- 2018 “Growing Bridges: Research on Lesbian Farmers & Their Communities.” With Sarah Cramer. Cultivating Change Summit, Des Moines, IA.

- 2018 “Homo Grown.” Deep Winter Agrarian. Hobart, Tasmania, Australia.
- 2017 “‘I’m a Farmer. And I’m Gay’: Research of Lesbian & Queer Farmers.” with Sarah Cramer and Leslie Touzeau. Women, Food and Agriculture Network Annual Conference. Madison, WI.
- 2016 “Lesbian Sustainable Farmers.” National Conference for Women in Sustainable Agriculture. Portland, OR.
- 2014 “Herstory of Women on the Land and Intentional Communities.” Women, Food and Agriculture Network Annual Conference. Farifield, IA.

PUBLIC SOCIOLOGY

- 2019 “The Best of Both Worlds, Mostly: Queer Women Farmers on Land and in Community” for Invisible Farmer Project Blog, Australia.
- 2018 “Farmer or Queer? Researching Herstory, Challenges & Triumphs Surrounding Lesbian and Queer Farmer” for Invisible Farmer Project Blog, Australia.
- 2015 “Queering the Farm” in Our Lives Magazine, Madison, WI.

MEDIA COVERAGE

- 2019 Guest on “Queer Farmers” episode of Think: Sustainability, Sydney, Australia.
- 2019 Guest on Channel 15 News, Madison, WI.
- 2015 Guest on “Queery” WORT 89.9 FM, Madison, WI.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2017 Project Assistant, Food Access in Michigan, Monica White, UW-Madison.
- 2014 Research Assistant, Freedom Farmers, Monica White, UW-Madison.
- 2011-12 Research Assistant, Corporate Downsizing and Restructuring in the United States 1971-present, Matissa Hollister, Dartmouth College.
- 2010 Research Assistant, Employment Stability in the U.S. Labor Market: Rhetoric vs. Reality, Matissa Hollister, Dartmouth College.
- 2009-10 Research Assistant, Knowledge Regimes and Comparative Political Economy, John Campbell, Dartmouth College.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2019 Lecturer, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- Sociology of Gender (1 semester)
- 2014-19 Teaching Assistant, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- Introduction to Psychology (1 semester)
 - American Society: How it Really Works (1 semester)
 - Methods of Sociological Inquiry (3 semesters)
 - Introductory Social Psychology (2 semesters)
- 2016-19 Tutor for Student-Athletes, University of Wisconsin-Madison (4 semesters)

- Race and Ethnicity; Human Sexuality; Theory; Social Problems
- 2014-15 Guest Lecturer, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- “Midwestern Lesbian Sustainable Farmers.” Gender and Women’s Studies, “Queerness in the Rural United States.” (1 semester)
 - “Gender Segregation and Gender Policies in Sports.” Sociology, “Sociology of Gender.” (1 semester)
 - “Ethnography.” Sociology, “Methods of Sociological Inquiry.” (2 semesters)

SERVICE

- 2019 Special Issue Co-Editor, *Society & Natural Resources*
- 2017-18 Graduate Student Assistant, Gender and Sexualities Research Interest Group, Rural Sociological Society
- 2015-16 Student Coordinator, Social Psychology and Microsociology Brownbag, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2015 Panel Member, New Sociology TA/Lecturer Training, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2014-16 Mentor to New Sociology Graduate Students, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2013-15 Social Committee, Community & Environmental Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2013-14 Hospitality Committee, Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Sociological Association
 Rural Sociological Society
 Society for the Study of Social Problems
 International Association of Society & Natural Resources

REFERENCES

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