

SARAH N. GATSON, PH.D.

Associate Professor

Department of Sociology, Texas A&M University

EDUCATION

1999 Ph.D. Sociology, Northwestern University
1992 MA, Sociology, Northwestern University
1991 BA, Sociology & Spanish, Cornell College (Cum Laude)

ACADEMIC POSITIONS AND AFFILIATIONS

2005-Present Associate Professor, Sociology Department, Texas A&M University
2016-Present Coordinator, Community Food Security & Food Justice Working Group, Glasscock Center, TAMU
2011-2016 Director of Undergraduate Curriculum, Sociology Department, Texas A&M University
2010-Present Texas A&M University System Graduate Faculty
2008-Present Fellow, DeBakey Institute for Comparative Cardiovascular Science, Texas A&M
2004-Present Affiliated Faculty, Africana Studies Program, Texas A&M University
2002-Present Affiliated Faculty, Women's & Gender Studies Program, Texas A&M University
2007-2010 Interim/Assoc. Director, Race & Ethnic Studies Institute, Texas A&M University
2005-2013 Affiliated Faculty, American Studies Program, Texas A&M University
2001-2002 Ford Fellow, Northwestern University & The American Bar Foundation
1999-2005 Assistant Professor, Sociology Department, Texas A&M University
1998 Visiting Lecturer, Cornell College
1997 Lecturer, Northwestern University Sociology Department
1995-1997 American Bar Foundation Minority Doctoral Dissertation Fellow
1994-1996 Research Assistant, The American Bar Foundation
1994-1995 Adjunct Lecturer, Northwestern University, Sociology Department
1993 Research Assistant, Northwestern University, Sociology Department
1992-1995 Teaching Assistant, Northwestern University Sociology Department

ELECTED LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

2009-2012 Executive Committee, Sociology Department
2007-2010 Council of Principal Investigators, TAMU
2006-2008 Council Member, Communication and Information Technology Section, ASA

CONTINUING EDUCATION/TRAINING

2016-Present Texas Master Gardener (Brazos County, TAMU AgriLife Extension)

HONORS

2018 Environmental Educator Award, Keep Brazos Beautiful
2001-2002 Ford Foundation Minority Postdoctoral Fellow
1995-1997 American Bar Foundation Minority Doctoral Dissertation Fellow
1994, 1998 Invited Participant, Law and Society Association Graduate Student Workshop
1997 Invited Participant, Law and Society Association Summer Institute

1997 Robert F. Winch Award, Honorable Mention, Best Published Paper
1993-1995 Northwestern University Fellow
1991-1993 Committee on Institutional Cooperation Fellow
1990 Associated Colleges of the Midwest Minority Summer Scholar Research Award
1990 Mortarboard, National Honor Fraternity, Cornell College
1990-1991 Geneva Meers Scholarship Recipient, Cornell College

GRANTS

Towards a decentralized urban agriculture network aimed at providing affordable vegetables to underprivileged communities

February 2019 submission Total: \$300,000

X-Grant, Resubmission, TAMU Office of the President (original submission occurred in 2018)

Role: Co-PI (Dr. Daniel Roelke PI – Wildlife & Fisheries Sciences)

Description: Competitive grant to optimize a system where wastewater reuse, microalgal production and horticulture systems are coupled, exploring the potential for such systems to be embedded in urban neighborhoods

Texan by Nature Conservation Wrangler

January 31, 2019 submission

Texan by Nature Total: \$40,000

Role: Co-PI (Dr. Shannon Van Zandt PI – Landscape Architecture & Urban Planning)

Description: Competitive grant to implement collaborative interdisciplinary programming and research at the TAMU Schob Nature Preserve

First Year Eats

February 2019 submission Total: \$20,000

Innovations X-Grant, TAMU School of Innovation

Role: Co-PI (Dr. Sumana Datta PI – LAUNCH)

Description: Competitive grant to develop First Year Eats, part of the Hunger Consortium, to implement collaborative interdisciplinary programming and research in community food security in student on-campus residences

The Texas Freedom Colony Participatory Heritage Conservation Program

February 2019 re-submission Total: \$300,000

X-Grant, TAMU Office of the President (original submission occurred in 2018)

Role: Co-PI (Dr. Andrea Roberts PI – Landscape Architecture & Urban Planning)

Description: Competitive grant to further develop the Texas Freedom Colonies Project Atlas & Study, to implement collaborative interdisciplinary programming and research in oral history, Freedom Colony diaspora studies, geography, and urban planning and disaster mitigation

Center of Digital Humanities Seed Grant

Fall 2018 Submission

Center of Digital Humanities (TAMU) Total: \$2000 (\$500 individual bursary)

Role: Group member (Dr. Andrea Roberts)

Group Leader)

Spring semester

Description: Competitive grant-writing group ~ African American Digital Humanities

Glasscock Summer Scholars Program director, 2019

October 2018 Submission

Melburn G. Glasscock Center Total: \$5,000

for Humanities Research (TAMU)

Role: PI & Faculty Mentor

(10 weeks, +2 semesters thesis supervision)

Description: Competitive research, teaching, and research training directorship.

Creating Alternative Food-Provision Efforts in Local Congregations

September 27, 2018 (submission; **not funded**)

Total: \$29,700

Louisville Institute Project Grant for Researchers

Role: PI

Description: Using a low-cost and sustainable intervention in the form of raised, food-producing garden beds, this research study will explore the meaning-making, construction, and development of food-provision programs by religious congregations in a food-insecure community in Brazos County, TX.

The Contextual Effects of Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Participation on Health Care Expenditures among Low-Income Adults

December 29, 2017

Total: \$4250.00

Texas Federal Statistical Research Data Center Seed Grant

Role: PI

Description: Test whether SNAP participation is associated with lower subsequent healthcare expenditures for individuals living in food deserts.

Everybody Eats: Promoting sustainable subsistence food production at a Land Grant University

Pre-Proposal submitted May 28, 2018

Total: \$50,000.00 (**Not Funded**)

Southern Sustainable Agriculture Research & Education (USDA)

Role: PI

Description: Container Gardening in Dorms.

Accountable Health Communities

Not submitted.

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Total: \$4.5 million

Role: Key personnel and pilot project director, residential food gardening provision & facilitation.

Description: Competitive application to develop coordinated community health services across the Brazos Valley.

College of Liberal Arts Liberal Arts Transfer Student Critical Thinking Seminar

01/19/16-05/10/16

CLLA Dean's Office

Total: \$2000

Description: Competitive application to teach 1 SCH critical thinking seminar for transfer students, focused on community food security.

Glasscock Summer Scholars Program director

06/01/15-05/31/16

Melburn G. Glasscock Center
for Humanities Research (TAMU)

Total: \$5,000

Role: PI & Faculty Mentor

(10 weeks, +2 semesters thesis
supervision)

Description: Competitive research, teaching, and research training directorship.

Service-Learning Faculty Fellowship

09/01/13-05/31/14

Texas A&M University

Total: \$2500

Role: Trainee in service-learning

(2 semesters of weekly seminars)

Description: Competitive teaching training directorship.

Biologists and Engineers Advancing Diversity in Research

1R25HL084667

04/01/06-08/31/11

National Institutes of Health (NHLBI)

Total: \$473,270

Role: Senior Personnel

(1.0 month)

Description: 10-week summer program for underrepresented minority students.

BBSI: Vascular Bioengineering Summer Institute

EEC-0609395

05/01/06-04/30/11

National Science Foundation

Total: \$600,000

Role: co-PI

(1.0 month)

Description: 10-week summer program for engineering and life science students.

RET Site: Bioengineers & Teachers Working the Internet, Networks & Gemeinschaft

EEC-0502212

05/01/05-04/30/11

National Science Foundation

Total: \$400,000

Role: Senior Personnel

(1.0 month)

Description: 10-week summer program for math and science middle school teachers.

REU Site: Mechanobiology of the Bat Wing Microvasculature

DBI-0552902

04/01/06-4/30/11

National Science Foundation

Total: \$265,502

Role: Senior Personnel

(1.0 month)

Description: 10-week summer program for engineering and life science students.

Pathways to the Doctorate Award

TAMU 09/01/04-08/31/05
Texas A&M University Total: \$25,000
Role: Research Mentor
Description: To increase access of graduate students from TAMU System schools.

Youth, Technology, and the Proliferation of Drug Use

1R21DA014882 9/30/01-8/31/03
National Institutes of Health (NIDA) Total: \$290,000
Role: co-PI (1.0 month)
Description: Online environments and discourse related to club drugs and rave music.

State Supreme courts and Citizenship: Multilevel Racial Projects, 1820-1930

Minority Postdoctoral Fellowship 09/01/01-08/31/02
Ford Foundation Total: \$45,000
Role: PI (12 month)
Description: Competitive research fellowship.

DISTINCT COURSES TAUGHT

LBAR 181 Critical Thinking Seminar ['16(S), '16(F), '17(F)]
SOC 205 Introduction to Sociology ['01(S), '03(F), '08(S)]
SOC 205 (AGGIE ACCESS) Introduction to Sociology ['04(S)]
SOC 210 Sociology of Technology & Science ['14(F), '16(F)]
SOC 212 Sociology of Popular Culture ['14(F), '16(F)]
SOC 229 Qualitative Methods ['18(F)]
SOC 315 (HONORS) The Marriage Institution ['04(F) '18(F)]
AFST 302 Issues in Africana Studies (2-week Sociology module) [2005(F)]
SOC/WGST 315 The Marriage Institution ['00(S), '04(S), '05(S), '05(F), '08(S), '09(F), '11(F),
'14 (S); '18(F)]
SOC/WGST 315 WRITING INTENSIVE: The Marriage Institution ['10(S), '11(F), '12(F)]
SOC 317 Minority Groups ['00(S), '03(F)]
SOC 317 HONORS: Minority Groups ['01(S)]
SOC 323 Sociology of Black Americans ['05(S)]
SOC 404 WRITING INTENSIVE: Sociology of Community ['13(S), '15(S), '15(Su),
'16(S); '17(S); **'18(S)**; '19(S)]
SOC 445 Sociology of Law ['03(F), '08(S) '12(S)]
SOC 445 WRITING INTENSIVE: Sociology of Law ['12(S), '15(F), '17(F)]
SOC 485 Directed Studies ['04(S)]
SOC/WGST 489 Gender and Citizenship ['00(F)]
SOC 491 ['15(F), '16(Su), '17(S), '17(F); **'18(S)**; **'18(F)**; **'18(Su)**]
SOC 603/WGST 689 The Contemporary Family ['10(S), '12(F)]

SOCI 629 Sociology of Law ['00(F), '04(F), '12(S), '15(F), '17(F)]
SOCI 624 Qualitative Methods ['03(S), '05 (F), '09(F), '14(S), '17(F)]
SOCI 651 Culture ['09(S)]
SOCI 657 Sociology of Popular Culture ['05(F), '07(F), '10(F), '13(S)]
SOCI 660 Theories of Race & Ethnic Relations ['18(S)]
SOCI 667 Graduate Seminar in Race and Ethnic Relations ['99(F)]
SOCI 685 Directed Studies ['00(S), '03(S), '03(F), '05(S), '06(S), '07(F), '11(S), '11(Su), '11(F), '13(F), '14(F), '16(F)]
SOCI 689 Special Topics: Sociology of Community ['16(S); '17(S)]
SOCI 689 Special Topics: Black Feminist Theory & Intersectionality ['17(S)]

STUDENTS SUPERVISED

Doctoral Students (Chair)

Kay Varela, Sociology (Co-Chair with Wendy Leo Moore)

Title: "They're the worst students": Constructions of criminality, racialized safety, and punishment in Texas public schools

Present Position: ABD.

T. Amorette Young, Sociology (Co-Chair with John Eason)

Present Position: ABD

Marissa Cisneros, Sociology (Co-Chair with Wm. Alex McIntosh)

Present Position: ABD

Shelbie Gibson, Sociology

Present Position: Preparing for preliminary exams.

Andrew McNeely, Sociology

Present Position: Preparing for preliminary exams.

April Plemons, Sociology

Present Position: ABD.

Chad Scott, Sociology. (Co-Chair with Yvonna Lincoln), 2015

Title: Artists, Artistic Culture, and Community

Present Position: Visiting Assistant Professor, Educational Psychology & Higher Education, University of Nevada, Las Vegas.

Jennifer Guillén Sociology (Co-Chair with Rogelio Saenz), 2014

Title: Racial and ethnic identities among Mexican-White couples: Comparing two Texas counties.

Present Position: Assistant Professor, Henderson State University

Fall 2016: Assistant Professor, McKendree University

Omar Camarillo, Sociology, (Co-Chair with Holly Foster beginning summer 2012), 2014

Title: A Content Analysis of the Coverage of Gun Trafficking Along the Texas-Mexico Border

Present Position: Asst. Professor of Criminal Justice, Eastern New Mexico University

Jennifer L. Davis, Sociology. (Co-Chair with Jane Sell), 2012

Title: Conditions Affecting the Relationship between Power and Identity Verification

Present Position: Assistant Professor, Australian National University, Canberra

Janie Filoteo, Ph.D., Sociology, 2011

Title: “The true story of seven strangers picked to have their lives taped”: Studying race as constructed on reality television.

Present Position: Associate Professor, Lone Star College-Tombull.

Amanda Baumle, Ph.D., Sociology, 2006

Title: Lawyers at the ‘Information Age Water Cooler’: exposing sex discrimination and challenging law firm culture on the Internet.

Present Position: Associate Professor, Sociology, University of Houston.

Doctoral Students (Committee)

Xinyi Bian, Educational Administration & Human Resource Development

Jiyoung Choi, Recreation, Parks and Tourism Sciences

Selene Ines Diaz, Sociology

K James Cho, Communication

Jeffrey Wahl, Recreation, Parks and Tourism Sciences

Songyi Kim, Recreation, Parks, & Tourism Science

Josephine Nummi, Sociology

Monica Williams, Sociology

Yasmeen Makarem, Educational Administration & Human Resource Development

Krystal Fogle, Communication

Victoria Stiegel, Communication

Ngoma Moghalu, Sociology

Angelique Maes, Sociology

Shannon Wilson, English

April Plemons, Sociology

Elizabeth Schmidt, History

Andrew Vaserfirer, Sociology

Rhonda D. Evans, Sociology 2002

Pamela Hunter-Holmes, Sociology, 2004

Sibel McGee, Political Science, 2005

Hye-Jin (Iris) Park-Chu, Sociology, 2006

Joseph H. Bailey, Communication, 2006

Carol Walther, Sociology, 2007

Ann Wilson, Political Science, 2007

Deidra Crawford, Sociology, 2007

Karen Glover, Sociology, 2007

Ketaki V. Desai, Veterinary Physiology and Pharmacology, 2007

Claire Carly-Miles English, 2008

Lynn Hemmer Educational Administration & Human Resource Development, 2009

Liu Ja, Communication, 2009

Sean Elias, Sociology, 2009
Rob Carley, Sociology, 2011
Elizabeth Hatfield, Ph.D. Communication, 2011
Amanda Martinez Communication, 2011
Xi Cui, Ph.D. Communication, 2011
Lindsay Anderson, Sociology, 2011
Louwanda Evans, Sociology 2012
Nichole Boutte-Heiniluoma, Sociology, 2012
Daniel Delgado, Sociology, 2012
Jennifer Mueller, Sociology, 2013
Matt Keyworth, History, 2014
Charity Clay, Sociology, 2014
Megan Collins, Sociology, 2014
Cara Jacocks, Communication, 2014
Jennifer Lê, Sociology, 2014
Sean Chaplin, Sociology, 2014
Arlett Lomeli, Sociology, 2014
Brittany Collins, Communication, 2015
Amber Foster, English, 2015
Gwenetta Curry, Sociology, 2016
Frank Ortega, Sociology, 2016
Nina French, Communication, 2016
Apryl Williams, Sociology, 2017
Saphon Ren, Educational Administration & Human Resource Development, 2017
Jesús Smith, Sociology, 2017
Michelle Johnson, Educational Administration & Human Resource Development, 2017
Kenneth Fleming, Teaching, Learning, & Culture, 2017
Mingjun Kim, Educational Administration & Human Resource Development, 2017
Candace Benefiel, English; 2017 (Posthumous)
Stephen Delear, History 2018

Masters (Chair)

Beatriz Aldana, Sociology, 2014

Title: “Soy el Charro, Mexicano, Noble, Valiente y Leal”: A Deep Ethnographic Analysis of Charro Society in Mexico City” Passed internal masters paper.

Kay Varela, Sociology (Co-Chair with Wendy Leo Moore), 2013

Title: “I never thought it would happen here”: White privilege and assumptions of safety. Passed with distinction.

Natasha Ball, Sociology, beginning summer 2012

Title: The Commodification of Black Bodies: An Analysis of Transracial Adoption.

Chi Cheng Wat, Sociology, 2011 (Co-Chair with Ashley Currier)

Title: “Chineseness” and Tongzhi in (Post)colonial Diaspora.

Simon Williams, Sociology (Co-Chair with Joseph Jewell), 2012

Title: Nerds of Color Assemble: The Role of Race and Ethnicity in Fandom.

Andrew Vaserfirer, Sociology, 2010 (Co-Chair with Ashley Currier)

Title: Lesbian and gay student mobilization at Texas A&M University, 1976-1985: A war of attrition.

Andrea N. Green, Sociology, 2008

(Non-thesis)

Jennifer Davis, Sociology, 2008

Title: Presentation of self and the personal interactive homepage: An ethnography of MySpace.

Jocelyn Lewis, Sociology, 2007

Title: Media Representation of Maternal Neonaticide.

James Michael Johnson, Sociology, 2006

(Non-thesis)

Masters (Committee)

Danee Magstani, Sociology, 2000

Katie Kendall, Sociology, 2001

Tonia Compton, History, 2001

Kerri Barton, English, 2001

Dan Tope, Sociology, 2002

Venesa Flores Educational Administration & Human Resource Development, 2005

James Francis, Jr., English, 2005

Adria Battaglia Communication, 2005

Matthew Faulkner, Architecture, 2006

Lindsay Anderson: Sociology, 2007

April Plemons, Sociology, 2008

Patricia Calderon, Communication, 2008

Britney Hibbeler, Communication, 2009

Jennifer Lê, Sociology, 2011

Layton Field, Sociology, 2011

Mariela Fernandez, Recreation, Parks and Tourism Sciences, 2011

Casandra Wilnitz, English, non-thesis, 2013

Chauncey Cox, Communication, 2014

John Kainer, Sociology, 2014

Alex Simpson, Performance Studies, 2014

Matthew Ramirez, Urban Planning, 2016

Chadley Hollas, Recreation, Parks, & Tourism Sciences, 2019

Undergraduate Mentoring

NSF Undergraduate Mentor, Texas A&M University, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008
ASA Undergraduate Research Fellows Program Mentor, 2000, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005
Undergraduate Research Assistant for STEM ethnography research, Summer 2005
Honors Thesis Advisor, Nishat Fatima, Spring 2005-Spring 2006; Hannah Klein, 2015-2016;
Heidi Jauregui, 2015-2016; Alissa Moreland, 2015-2016
Mentoring Writing Intensive students in the presentation/publication process, 2011-2013;
2014-Present
Undergraduate Research Assistants (3), Fall 2013, funded under the TAMU Service Learning
Faculty Fellowship; (2) Spring 2014, departmental funds; Fall 2014 (1), departmental
funds; Spring 2015 (2), departmental funds; Summer 2015 (5), Glasscock funding and
491 SCHs; Summer 2016 (5), Aggie Research Scholars team; Spring 2017 (4), Aggie
Research Scholars teams; Fall 2018 (4), Aggie Research Scholars team; Spring 2018
(10), Aggie Research Scholars teams, Fall 2018 (22).

Secondary Education Mentoring

Ashleigh Toepperwein, Senior thesis, New Braunfels High School, New Braunfels, TX, 2015-
2016; Jameria Simone' Poncio, AP Capstone Research Project, Carnegie Vanguard High School,
Houston, TX, 2016-2017; Patrick Keating, AP Capstone Research Project, Carnegie Vanguard
High School, Houston, TX, 2018-2019.

PUBLICATIONS (*Italicized: Graduate student co-authors; Bold: Undergraduate co-authors*)

Books

Gatson SN and Zweerink A (2004). *Interpersonal Culture on the Internet – Television, the Internet, and the Making of a Community*, Lewiston, NY: The Edwin Mellen Press: Studies in Sociology Series, no. 40.

Refereed Articles

Gatson SN (2011). "Self-Naming Practices on the Internet: Identity, Authenticity, and Community." *Cultural Studies ↔ Critical Methodologies*, 11 (3): 224-235.

Desai KV, Gatson SN, Stiles T, Laine GA, Stewart RH, Quick CM (2008). "Integrating Research and Education at Research-Intensive Universities with Research-Intensive Communities." *Advances in Physiological Education*; 32 (2): 136-141.

Nordt M, Meisner JK, Dongaonkar RM, Quick CM, Gatson SN, Karadkar UP, and Furuta R (2006). "eBat: A Technology-enriched Life Sciences Research Community." *Proceedings of the American Society for Information Science & Technology*, 43 (1): 1-17.

Gatson SN (2004). "Youth, Drugs, Internet Discourse: A New Arena of Community and Citizenship." *PISTA 2004 Proceedings*, Orlando, FL: International Institute of Information and Systematics, July 2004, Vol. I, pp.162-168. Edited by José V. Carrasquero, Friedrich Welsch, Angel Oropeza, Charles Mitchell, & Maritta Välimäki.

Gatson SN and Zweerink A (2004). “‘Natives’ Practicing and Inscribing Community: Ethnography Online,” *Qualitative Research*, 4 (2): 179-200.

Gatson SN (2003). “On Being Amorphous: Autoethnography, Genealogy, and a Multiracial Identity.” *Qualitative Inquiry*, 9 (1): 20-48.

Gatson SN and Zweerink A (2000). “Choosing Community: Rejecting Anonymity in Cyberspace,” *Research in Community Sociology*, 10: 105-137, edited by Dan A. Chekki.

Gatson SN (1997). “Labor Policy and the Social Meaning of Parenthood.” *Law and Social Inquiry*, 22 (2): 277-310.

Essays

Gatson SN and Reid RA (2011). “Race & Ethnicity in Fandom,” *Transformative Works and Cultures* (8). doi:10.3983/twc.2012.0392.
(<http://journal.transformativeworks.org/index.php/twc/article/view/392/252>)

Gatson SN (2007). “Naturalization.” In *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*, 2nd Edition. Edited by Wm. A. Darity, E. Bonilla-Silva, P. Costanzo, P. L. Mason, P. McClain, D. Scott, T. Singleton. Farmington Hills: Macmillan/Thomson Gale. (Invited submission; board peer-reviewed), pp. 444-445.

Gatson SN (2007). “Habitus.” In *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*, 2nd Edition. Edited by Wm. A. Darity, E. Bonilla-Silva, P. Costanzo, P. L. Mason, P. McClain, D. Scott, T. Singleton. Farmington Hills: Macmillan/Thomson Gale. (Invited submission; board peer-reviewed), pp. 404-406.

Gatson SN (2007). “Labeling Theory.” In *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*, 2nd Edition. Edited by Wm. A. Darity, E. Bonilla-Silva, P. Costanzo, P. L. Mason, P. McClain, D. Scott, T. Singleton. Farmington Hills: Macmillan/Thomson Gale. (Invited submission; board peer-reviewed), pp. 299-300.

Gatson SN (2007). “Matriarchy.” In *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*, 2nd Edition. Edited by Wm. A. Darity, E. Bonilla-Silva, P. Costanzo, P. L. Mason, P. McClain, D. Scott, T. Singleton. Farmington Hills: Macmillan/Thomson Gale. (Invited submission; board peer-reviewed), pp. 28-31.

Gatson SN (2005). “The Genealogy of Daisy Bates, Version 8.0.” *Qualitative Inquiry*, 11 (2): 291-295.

Gatson SN (2003). “Gender Discourse and Practice on the Internet: Some Thoughts.” *Feminist Media Studies*, 3 (3): 382-385.

Gatson SN (1995). Featured review essay on Maureen Reddy’s *Crossing the Color Line: Race, Parenting, and Culture*; Judy Scales-Trent’s *Notes of a White Black Woman: Race, Color, Community*, and Gregory Howard Williams’ *Life on the Color Line: The True Story of a White Boy Who Discovered He Was Black.*” *Contemporary Sociology*, 24 (5): 599-601.

Curriculum Materials

Gatson SN (2006). Instructor's Manual for *Identities and Inequalities: Exploring the Intersections of Race, Class, Gender and Sexuality*, by David M. Newman, McGraw-Hill; Instructor's Resource CD-ROM.

Dissertation

Gatson SN (1999). "Fanatics, Farmers, Politicians and Slaves: Racial Citizenship in U.S. Communities, 1840-1900." Northwestern University.

Book Chapters

Gatson SN (2015). "Revisiting and reconstructing maternal sustenance: An autoethnographic account of academic motherhood." Editorial board reviewed. *What's Cooking, Mom? Narratives about Food and Family*, eds. Florence I. Pasche Guignard and Tanya M. Cassidy. Demeter Press, pp.

Gatson, SN (2014). "Multiracial Motherhood: A Genealogical Exploration." Editorial board reviewed. *Patricia Hill Collins: Reconceiving Motherhood*, edited by Kalia Adia Story. Demeter Press, pp.13-37.

Gatson SN (2011). "The Methods, Ethics, and Politics of Representation in Online Ethnography," In *Handbook of Qualitative Research*, Eds. Norman Denzin and Yvonna Lincoln, 4th Edition, Sage, 513-527 (Invited; externally peer-reviewed).

Gatson SN (2007). "The Body or the Body Politic? Risk, Harm, Moral Panic, and Drug Use Discourse Online." In *Real Drugs in a Virtual World: Drug Discourse and Community Online*, edited by Edward Murguia, Melissa Tackett-Gibson, and Ann Lessem, Lexington Books, 23-44.

Gatson SN (2007). "Assessing the Likelihood of Internet Information-Seeking Leading to Offline Drug Use by Youth." In *Real Drugs in a Virtual World: Drug Discourse and Community Online*, edited by Edward Murguia, Melissa Tackett-Gibson, and Ann Lessem, Lexington Books, 99-120.

Gatson SN (2007). "Illegal Behavior and Legal Speech: Internet Communities' Discourse about Drug Use." In *Real Drugs in a Virtual World: Drug Discourse and Community Online*, edited by Edward Murguia, Melissa Tackett-Gibson, and Ann Lessem, Lexington Books, 135-159.

Gatson SN (2006). "Living, Breathing, Teaching Sociology: Using the Micro to Illuminate the Macro." In *Faculty of Color Teaching in Predominantly White Institutions*, edited by Christine Stanley, Bolton, MA: Anker Publishing, Inc., pp. 153-165 (Invited).

Zweerink A and Gatson SN (2002). "WWW.Buffy.com: Cliques, Boundaries, and Hierarchies in an Internet Community," In *Fighting the Forces: What's at Stake in Buffy the Vampire Slayer*, edited by Rhonda Wilcox and David Lavery. Lanham, MD: Rowman and Littlefield, pp. 239-249.

Book Reviews

Gatson SN (2017). On by Melinda Mills's *The Borders of Race: Patrolling "Multiracial" Identities*. *Contemporary Sociology*, in progress (Invited).

Gatson SN (2011). On George Baca's *Conjuring Crisis: Racism and Civil Rights in a Southern Military City*. *Contemporary Sociology*, 40 (4): 431-432 (Invited).

Gatson SN (2010). On Celia Pearce and Artemesia's *Communities of Play: Emergent Cultures in Multiplayer Games and Virtual Worlds*. *Contemporary Sociology*, 39 (5): 596-598 (Invited).

Gatson SN (2008). On Devah Pager's *Marked: Race, Crime, and Finding Work in an Era of Mass Incarceration*. *Contemporary Sociology*, 37 (5): 433-434 (Invited).

Gatson SN (2006). On Dominic Pulera's *Visible Differences: Why Race Will Matter to Americans in the Twenty-First Century*. *Nationalism & Ethnic Politics*, 12 (2): 311-314 (Invited).

Gatson SN (1994). On Willard B. Gatewood's *Aristocrats of Color: The Black Elite, 1880-1920*. *Contemporary Sociology*, 23 (4): 524-525.

Research Reports

Murguia E, Gibson M, Gatson SN, Lessem A, Kotarba J, Spates K, and Willard R (2004). "Youth, Technology, and Drug Use." Final Report, National Institutes of Health – National Institutes on Drug Abuse.

Peer-Reviewed Abstracts

Gatson, SN and CM Quick. "Converting an Undergraduate Research Program into an Undergraduate Cardiovascular Physiology Class" Abstract and poster prepared for Experimental Biology meetings; Boston, MA, April 20-24, 2013.

Gatson SN, Stewart RH, Laine GA, Quick CM (2009). "A case for centralizing undergraduate summer research programs: the DeBaKey Research-Intensive Community." *FASEB J.* 633.8.

SN Gatson, *Meisner JK*, Young MF, *Dongaonkar R*, and Quick CM (2005). "The eBat Project: A Novel Model for Live-Animal Distance Learning Labs," *FASEB J.* 19(5): A1352

Edited Volumes

Journal special issues (November 2011) Co-Editor (with Robin Anne Reid), Special issue on race and fandom, *Transformative Works & Cultures* (8).
(<http://journal.transformativeworks.org/index.php/twc/issue/view/9>)

In Progress

McNeely, A., Sanchez, V., and Gatson SN (2018). "Nutritional Concerns in Religiously-Affiliated Food Pantries." Under review, *Journal of Hunger and Environmental Nutrition*, 11/25/18.

Gatson SN "Case, unit of analysis, and intersectionality: A critical exploration of race, gender, and class in Missouri and Kansas Supreme Courts, 1820-1920." Submitted to *Cultural Studies* ← → *Critical Methodologies*, 12/4/18.

Gatson, SN and Jennifer Guillén-Cyphers “Audience Interrogations of “Bad Mothers”: Fandom Politics as Transformative Works.” To be submitted to *Transformative Works & Cultures*, Spring 2019.

Gatson SN “Attempted, stymied, and successful inheritance pathways: Interracial property transfers in 19th-Century Missouri.”

Gatson SN “The legal consciousness of the outlier: Manumission with land transfer in 1840s Missouri.”

Gatson, SN “Concepts of self in the political economy of agriculture: Community food security and food justice within hegemonic individualism.”

Gatson, SN “Mapping entry into food movements: A collaborative, autoethnographic account.”

Gatson, SN “Tactical urbanism, adverse possession, and regenerative agriculture as community food security.”

Conference Papers and Posters

Cisneros, M, Emmanuel, S, McNeely, A, Young, TA, & Gatson, SN (2018) “Research-Intensive Community Model in Sociology.” Poster Presentation, American Sociological Association Meetings.

Gatson, SN, **Jose Avila**, *T. Amorette Young, Marissa Cisneros, Andrew McNeely, Hannah Klein, Heidi Jauregui, & Sylvia Emmanuel*. “Building Sustainable & Regenerative Agriculture in Existing Landscapes: Networked Community Gardens & Research Extensive Universities.” Presentation film for Critical Practice in an Age of Complexity – an Interdisciplinary Critique of the Built Environment conference. Tucson, AZ, February 22-23, 2018.

http://architecturemps.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/02/Sarah_Gatson_et_al_Building-Regenerative-Agriculture_Abstract-UoA.pdf

Young, TA and Gatson, SN (2014). “Gardening Inside and Outside Prison Walls: A Feasibility Study on Connecting Imprisoned Women of Color to Local Community.” Law & Society meetings, Minneapolis, MN, May 29-June 1, 2014.

Gatson, SN and *J Guillén-Cyphers* (2013). “New Media, Legal Consciousness, and the Politics of Community: The Case of Televisual Representations of Family and Parenting.” Law & Society meetings, Boston, MA, May 30-June 2, 2013.

Gatson SN, and *Quick CM* (2013). “Converting an Undergraduate Research Program into an Undergraduate Physiology Class.” Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology meetings, Boston, MA, April 20-24, 2013.

Mueller, J, and Gatson, SN (2012). "Autoethnography, Critical Race Pedagogy and Making Education the Practice of Freedom for Millennial Students." Association of Black Sociologists meetings, Denver, CO, August 16-18, 2012.

Gatson SN, Scott M, Stewart RH, Laine, GA, and Quick CM (2009). "A Case for Centralizing Undergraduate Summer Research Programs: the DeBakey Research-Intensive Community." Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology meetings, New Orleans, LA, April 18-22, 2009.

Coughlin DJ, Greenstein EE, Widmer RJ, Meisner JK, Nordt M, Young MF, Gatson SN, Quick CM and Bowden RA (2007). "e-Research: a Novel Use of the Internet to Perform Live, Remote Animal Research." Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology meetings, April 29, 2007 (Computers in Research and Teaching II poster session, presented by D. Coughlin).

Nordt M, Meisner JK, Dongaonkar R, Quick CM, Gatson SN, Karadkar UP, and Furuta R (2006). "eBat: A Technology-enriched Life Sciences Research Community." The American Society for Information Science & Technology, Austin, TX, November 3-8, 2006 (Presented by M. Nordt).

Sparks D, Gatson SN, and Quick CM (2006). "Bats, Blood, and Behavior: Addressing Student and Teacher Misconceptions in Elementary Texas Classrooms." North American Symposium on Bat Research, Wilmington, North Carolina, 18-21 October 2006. (Presented by D. Sparks).

Gatson SN, Stewart RH, Laine GA, and Quick CM (2006). "Optimizing Efficiency of Undergraduate Research Experiences with Research-Intensive Communities." The Biomedical Engineering Society Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, October 11-14, 2006.

Gatson SN and Lewis J (2006). "Community, Citizenship, and Intersectionality: Women in State Courts." Southern Association for Women Historians meetings, Baltimore, MD, June 8-11, 2006.

Nordt M, Gatson SN, Furuta R, Quick CM (2005). "eBat: Bridging the Digital Divide between Research and Teaching." TAMUS Pathways Research Symposium, Kingsville, TX, October 3-4, 2005. (Poster presented by M. Nordt).

Gatson SN, Meisner JK, Young MF, Dongaonkar R, and Quick CM (2005). "The eBat Project: A Novel Model for Live-Animal Distance Learning Labs." Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology meetings, San Diego, CA, April 1-7, 2005. (Poster and live computer demonstration).

Gatson SN and Quick CM (2005). "Applying Educational Access: Distance Learning, Informal Networks, and University Outreach." Southwestern Social Science Association meetings, New Orleans, LA, March 23-26, 2005.

Young MF, Roberts L, Quick CM and Gatson SN (2004). "Leveraging Informal Networks: Research/Conservation Partnerships." North American Symposium on Bat Research, Salt Lake City, Utah, October 27-30, 2004. (Poster presented by M. F. Young).

Roberts L, Young MF, Quick CM, and Gatson SN (2004). "Reduce, Reuse, Recycle: The eBat project." North American Symposium on Bat Research, Salt Lake City, Utah, October 27-30,

2004. (Poster presented by L. Roberts).

Gatson SN (2004). "When Do Young People Become Community Members and/or Citizens?" Summer Institute on Digital Empowerment: The Internet & Democracy, Center for Digital Literacy, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY, July 8-9, 2004 (via Telecast).

Gatson SN (2003). "Illegal Behavior and Legal Speech: Discourse about Drug Use in an Internet Community/Network." Southwestern Social Science Association Meetings, San Antonio, TX, April 17, 2003.

Gatson SN (2003). "Internet Documents, Ethnography, and Discourse: The Law in Community Practice." Conference on Socio-Legal Research Methods, International Institute for the Sociology of Law, Oñati, Spain, April 3-4, 2003 (Invited).

Gatson SN (2002). "Gender, Class, and Racial Power: The Dialectics of Community and Citizenship." American Sociological Association Meetings, Chicago, IL, August 2002.

Gatson SN and Amanda Zweerink A (2001). "Come Along with Me: Remaking the Local and the Locale in an Internet Community." Center for Humanities Research, Texas A&M University, October 2001 (Invited).

Gatson SN (2001). "Amorphousness, Political Alliance, and the Problem of Multiracials." American Sociological Association Meetings, Anaheim, CA, August 2001 (Invited).

Gatson SN (2001). "Gender, Class, and Racial Power: Property, Slavery, and White Women in Ante-bellum Missouri Courts." Law and Society Association Meetings, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary, July 2001.

Gatson SN (2000). "Race, Citizenship, Culture, Law, and Postmodernism: An Overlapping of Theories." Oxford Centre for Socio-Legal Studies and Buckinghamshire Chilterns University College Conference on the Relationship between Law and Social Theory, Oxford, United Kingdom, December 2000.

Gatson SN (2000). "Public Representations of Multiracial Identity: Three Options." Association of Black Sociologists Meetings, Washington, D.C., August 2000.

Gatson SN and Zweerink A (2000). "Ethnography Online: Practicing Community in an 'Anonymous' World." Southwestern Social Science Association Meetings, Galveston, TX, March 2000.

Gatson SN and Zweerink A (1999). "Anonymity and Community in Cyberspace: Developing the Virtual into the Real." American Sociological Association Meetings, Chicago, IL, August 1999.

Gatson SN and Hull KE (1999). "Racial Endogamy and Gender Exogamy: Legal and Cultural Rules of Marriage," Law and Society Association Meetings, Chicago, IL, May 1999.

Gatson SN (1999). "An Unfinished Revolution: Race, Community and Citizenship." American Sociological Association Meetings, San Francisco, CA, August 1998.

Gatson SN (1998). "Race, Legal Boundaries, and Cultural Ideologies." Law and Society Association Meetings, Aspen, CO, June 1998.

Gatson SN (1997). “Negotiation and Coercion: Race and Law in U.S. History, 1840-1900.” American Sociological Association Meetings, Toronto, ON, Canada, August 1997.

Gatson SN (1997). “Counting and Content: Methods in Historical Research.” American Bar Foundation, Chicago, IL, January 1997.

Gatson SN (1997). “‘It’s About Law’: Accessible Teaching Sources for Law and Society.” Law and Society Association Meetings, St. Louis, MO, May-June 1997.

Gatson SN (1996). “Race, Etzioni’s Communitarian Agenda, and the Law.” Law and Society Association Meetings, Glasgow, Scotland, July 1996.

Gatson SN (1994). “Race and Color: The State’s Role in Creating Identity and Community.” Identity Formations: An Interdisciplinary Conference. Center for Interdisciplinary Research in the Arts, Northwestern University, April 1994.

Gatson SN (1993). “Women in Movement During the Progressive Era: Race, Class, and Organized Women’s Responses to Protective Labor Legislation in Illinois.” Committee on American Studies 18th Annual Spring Symposium: Race and Ethnicity in America, Purdue University, March 1993 (Invited).

Gatson SN (1991). “Origins and Implications of Protective Labor Legislation for Women.” Iowa Sociological Association Meeting, University of Northern Iowa, April 1991.

Gatson SN (1990). “Attitudes Towards Black-White Interracial Marriage: A Preliminary Investigation.” Associated Colleges of the Midwest Minority Summer Research Presentations, Grinnell College, October 1990.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- “Revival of African American agricultural practices and influences as it relates to contemporary foodways” Village Woodson Black Awareness Committee Soulful Sunday presentation. TAMU MSC. February 3, 2019.
- “Everybody Eats: *The American Way of Eating* and Community Food Security” Aggie Agora lecture. TAMU Annenberg Conference Center. October 2, 2015.
- Presentation on Glasscock Summer Scholars seminar, Glasscock Center, September 8, 2015.
- “Sociology of Community: Authentic Service and Authentic Research.” TAMU Service-Learning Faculty Fellows session. March 6, 2015.
- “Sociology of Community: A service-learning course in community food security.” TAMU Service-Learning Faculty Fellow final presentation showcase. April 25, 2014.
- “Self-Naming Practices on the Internet.” Guest lecture/discussion for Performance of Vernacular Culture, (TAMU: Dr. Harry Berger), April 2011.
- “‘How Does it Feel to be a Problem?’ Black Vampires in American Media.” Guest presentation for Forms and Genres: Vampires course, Literatures & Languages, Dr. Robin Anne Reid, TAMU-Commerce, March 12, 2011.
- “Fandom Panel.” For TAMU First Year Seminar: UPAS 181-530. Twilighters and Moonlighters: An Introduction to Fan Studies. October 19, 2010; October 18, 2011.
- “Race and Fandom.” For the Amazing, Fantastic, Weird!: Science Fictions Studies in Texas Symposium. Cushing Library, Texas A&M University. April 15, 2010.

- “Common Feast, Separate Tables or Bum's Rush? A Roundtable on the Humanities and the Social Sciences.” With Jyotsna Vaid, Dror Goldberg, Kim Hill, Cynthia Werner and moderated by Cary Nederman. Glasscock Center Humanities Roundtable, October 30, 2007.
- “ICT & Ethnography: Methodological & Substantive Access Issues in Science.” Colloquia Series, College of Information Science & Technology, Pennsylvania State University, April 27, 2007.
- “Gender & Citizenship: The Lens of Marriage and Family.” Guest Lecture, Introduction to American Studies (TAMU: Dr. Susan Stabile), November 2006.
- “What is ‘Natural?’: Culture and the Family.” Guest lecture, Introduction to Sociology (TAMU: Dr. Nancy Plankey-Videla), October 2006.
- “Legal Consciousness, Popular Culture, and Mass Media: Teaching the Sociology of Law.” Teaching the Sociology of Law Panel, ASA meetings, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, August 11-14, 2006.
- “Implementing a Large-Scale Undergraduate Research Program that Boosts Research Productivity” with Christopher M. Quick and Randolph Stewart, TAMU Center for Teaching Excellence Workshop, April 6, 2006.
- “Culture.” Guest Lecture, Introduction to Sociology (TAMU: Instructor D’Lane Compton), September, 2005.
- “Bronzers Still, Online and Off? The Changing Basis of Bronzer Identity After Buffy.” With Amanda Zweerink. The *Slayage* Conference on *Buffy the Vampire Slayer*, Nashville, TN, May 28-30, 2004.
- “Bi-/Multi-Racial Identity Development among College Students.” With Rommel Abad. TAMU Dept. of Student Affairs Workshop, April 21, 2004.
- “55 Access Students, A Prof and Some Pizza,” for Aggie Access Cluster, presentation of Internet community research, March 2004.
- Author meets Critics: *Provocateur: Images of Women and Minorities in Advertising*, by Anthony Cortese. Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings, Galveston, TX, March 2000.
- “Choosing Community: Rejecting Anonymity in Cyberspace.” Texas A&M University, College of Liberal Arts Development Council Great Conversations, March 2000.
- “The Internet as a Research Tool: Multiracial Identity and *Buffy the Vampire Slayer*.” Texas A&M University, June 1999.

AWARD, GRANT, TENURE, JOURNAL, AND ASSOCIATION REVIEW

- Tenure reviewer, The University of Tennessee at Martin, 2018
- TAMU Glasscock Center for Humanities Book Award Committee, 2018
- Editorial Board, *Contemporary Sociology*, 2014-present.
- Reviewer, Oxford University Press, 2017
- Referee, *Sociological Inquiry*, 2017.
- Referee, *Popular Communication*, 2012; 2016; 2017.
- Tenure reviewer, Ohio State Agricultural Technical Institute, 2016.
- Referee, *Social Problems*, 2016.
- Referee, *Work & Occupations*, 2016.
- Referee, *American Behavioral Scientist*, 2014.

- Review panel, Dissertation Prize Competition, Law & Society Association, 2013.
- Reviewer, Abstracts, Global Fusion Conference, 2012.
- Co-Editor, Race and fandom special issue, *Transformative Works & Culture*, 2008-2011.
- Thesis Examiner, Philosophy and Psychoanalytic Studies, Deakin University, 2011.
- Grant reviewer, Open Programme Social Sciences, The Netherlands Organization for Scientific Research, Social Sciences department, 2011.
- Referee, *The Sociological Quarterly*, 2011.
- Referee, *Journal of Contemporary Ethnography*, 2004, 2006, 2011, 2012
- Review panel, Law & Society Association Article Prize, 2010.
- Grant reviewer, Sociology Program, National Science Foundation, 2010.
- Tenure reviewer, Dept. for the Study of Culture & Society, Drake University, 2008.
- Referee, *Social Psychology Quarterly*, 2008.
- Grant review panel, Human and Social Dynamics Priority Area, National Science Foundation, 2008.
- Editorial Board, *The International Journal of Sociological Research*, 2007.
- Co-Chair Book Award Committee, Communication and Information Technology Section, ASA, 2007.
- Referee, *Social Identities*, 2007.
- Referee, *Law & Society Review*, 2006.
- Referee, *International Journal of Qualitative Studies in Education*, 2006.
- Referee, *Annals of Tourism Research*, 2005.
- Referee, *Qualitative Research*, 2004, 2005.
- Reviewer, *Sociological Footprints: Introductory Readings in Sociology*, 9th Ed., by Cargan and Ballantine, Wadsworth Publishing, 2004.
- Reviewer, *Identities and Inequalities: Understanding Race, Class, Gender, and Sexuality in Everyday Life*, David M. Newman, for McGraw-Hill Higher Education, 2004.
- Reviewer, *Law and Society* textbook manuscript, for Prentice Hall, 2004.
- Chair, Review panel, Student Paper Competition, Sociology of Law Section, ASA, 2004.
- Review panel, Student Paper Competition, Association of Black Sociologists, 2002-2004.
- Reviewer, *Law and Society* textbook manuscript, for Houghton Mifflin, 2003.
- Reviewer, *Law and Society*, by Stephen Vago, 7th Ed., Prentice Hall, 2003.
- Editorial Board, *Law and Social Inquiry*, 2000-2003.
- Editorial commentator, proposed text on origins of the U.S. Supreme Court, Hackett Publishing Co., Inc., 2003.
- Editorial Advisory Board, *The Kaleidoscope of Gender: Prisms, Patterns and Possibilities*, Wadsworth Publishing, 2003.
- Editorial Advisory Board, *A Turbulent Voyage: Readings in African-American Studies*, Collegiate Press, 2002.
- Editorial Advisory Board, *Footprints in Sociology*, 9th Ed., Cargan and Ballantine, Wadsworth Publishing, 2002.
- Referee, *American Sociological Review*, 2000, 2004.
- Referee, *Qualitative Inquiry*, 2003.
- Referee, *Law & Social Inquiry*, 2002.
- Review panel, Student Paper Competition, Sociology of Law Section, ASA, 2002.

CONFERENCE AND ACADEMIC SOCIETY ACTIVITIES

- Session Organizer, Qualitative Methodology Regular Session, American Sociological Association meeting, 2018.
- Member, Membership Committee, ASA Sociology of Law Section
- Presider, “Community Food Security, Nutrition, and Urban/Suburban Agriculture,” Section on Sociological Practice and Public Sociology Roundtable Session: San Francisco, CA, August 2014.
- Chair, “Race, Culture, and New Media”, Communication & Information Technology section Roundtable Session, American Sociological Association meetings, New York, NY, August 2013.
- Chair, “Representing the Abject, the Marginal, the Precarious, and the Stereotypic: The Limits of Media” session, Law & Society Association meetings, Boston, MA, May 30-June 2, 2013.
- Chair, “Non-Western Cultural/Historical Approaches to Race” panel, Reconsidering Race: Cross-Disciplinary and Interdisciplinary Approaches Workshop, TAMU, May 3-4, 2013.
- Chair/Discussant, “Stereotypes, Censorship, and Self-Disclosure” Session, Global Fusion Conference: New Directions in Global Communications and Media Studies, TAMU, Oct. 22-23, 2010.
- Organizing panel, Communication and Information Technology Section Mini-Conference, 2008 (held prior to ASA meetings, Aug. 2008).
- Co-Editor/Designer, Website for the Communication and Information Technology Section, ASA (<http://citasa.org>).
- Head Organizer, “Race, Ethnicity, and (New) Media,” Spring 2009, Race & Ethnic Studies Institute, TAMU.
- Session co-organizer, Communication and Information Technology Section Regular Session, ASA 2007 meetings.
- Social/Behavioral Sciences & Education Panel, TAMU System Junior Faculty Workshop, November 9-10, 2006, Prairie View, TX.
- Chair, “Comparative/International Perspectives on Affirmative Action,” LSA meetings, 2006.
- Session organizer, Sociology of Law Regular Session, ASA 2006 meetings.
- Social/Behavioral Sciences & Education Panel, TAMU System Junior Faculty Workshop, November 3-5, 2005, Corpus Christi, TX.
- Chair, “Cultural Constructions of the Other” panel, TAMU Glasscock Center’s “Defining Culture: Who, What, Why? Conference,” April 1-3, 2004.
- Invited Moderator, Community and Urban Sociology Roundtables, “Building and Sustaining Community” Roundtable, ASA meetings, August, 2004.
- Invited Discussant, “Race and Law Entangled in History,” LSA meetings, 2003.
- Nominations Committee, Sociology of Law Section, ASA, Fall 2002.
- Invited Panelist, “Preparing Future Faculty,” ASA meetings, 2001.
- Invited Facilitator and Participant, Future of Citizen and Government Interaction in the

Information Age Symposium, TAMU Bush School of Government & Public Service, October 2001.

- Southwestern Social Science Association Mentoring Program, 2001.
- Invited Discussant, Sex and Gender Roundtable: “Family Discourse and the Law.” ASA meetings, 1998.
- Invited Chair/Discussant, “Race in United States Constitutional History” Panel. LSA meetings, 1998.
- Invited Chair/Discussant, “Issues in Legal Education” Panel. LSA meetings, 1997.
- Invited Chair/Discussant, “Legal Construction of Family Roles” Panel. LSA meetings 1996.

PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- Texas Master Gardener, Brazos County, 2016-Present.
- Leader, Sociology Dept. Circle of Women, Habitat for Humanity funding, 2014-Present.
- Graduate Recruitment Committee, TAMU Sociology, 2010; 2018-2019.
- TAMU Hunger Consortium, TAMU LAUNCH program, 2019-Present.
- Faculty Mentor, IntersXtions Living Learning Community, TAMU, transition beginning Spring 2019.
- “Hungry for a Degree”, TAMU Libraries Brown Bag Lunch presentation, November 7, 2018.
- Member, Crime, Law, & Deviance Sociology Department search committee, 2017.
- Member, Undergraduate Program Committee, TAMU Sociology Department, 2016-2017.
- Member, Undergraduate Instruction Committee, College of Liberal Arts, TAMU, 2011-2016.
- Undergraduate Program Committee, Chair, TAMU Sociology Department, Sept. 2011-2016.
- Member, American Sociological Association URBAN Planning Committee, August 2013-2015.
- Member, American Sociological Association Task Force on the Post-doctorate in Sociology, August 2012-2014.
- Member, Crime, Law & Deviance job search committee, Sociology Department, TAMU, 2012-2013
- Co-Chair, Head Search Committee, Africana Studies, College of Liberal Arts, Texas A&M University, October 2011-May 2012.
- Human Subjects Protection Program Working Group, College of Liberal Arts representative, Texas A&M University, August 2011-January 2012.
- Graduate Student Mentor, TAMU Sociology Department, 2010-2011.
- Mentor, Graduate Teaching Academy, Fall 2009-Spring 2010.
- Graduate Program Committee, TAMU Sociology, Spring 2010.
- Search Advisory Committee, TAMU Dean of College of Liberal Arts, 2009-2010.
- Ad Hoc Committee, concept paper development for the Social Science Research Institute, TAMU, Fall 2009.
- Task Force to develop a Social Science Research Institute, TAMU, 2009.

- Committee to draft the University Rule and Standard Administrative Procedure required by the TAMUS development of System Regulation 33.99.14 Criminal History Record Information, Appointed by Dean of Faculties July-August, 2008.
- Management Board, Center for Integrating Research, Teaching, and Learning, TAMU site.
- Advisory Board, TAMU Race & Ethnic Studies Institute, 2006-present.
- Search Committee, TAMU Joint Position Africana Studies & Anthropology, 2006-2007.
- Colloquium Committee, Chair, TAMU Sociology, 2005-2006.
- Honors Programs Committee, TAMU Sociology, 2005-2006.
- Program Review Committee, TAMU American Studies Program, 2005-2008.
- Consultant, *BatFest II* – Laboratory interdisciplinary research program for undergraduate and graduate students in science and engineering disciplines. Summer 2004.
- Consultant, *Students Achieve Beyond Expectations* A Science and Math-Centered Middle School Mentoring and Teacher Recruitment Program. May 2004.
- Houston Art Car Parade. VIPit volunteer, May 7-8, 2004.
- Invited Panelist, TAMU Institutional Review Board Brown-bag, “Ethics and Internet Research Using Human Subjects,” February 2004.
- TAMU Glasscock Center for Humanities Research: Defining Culture Conference Planning Committee, 2003-2004.
- Ad-hoc Committee, Center for Humanities Research/Sociology Faculty Stipendiary Fellowship, TAMU, Fall 2002.
- Invited Chair/Discussant, “Dis-Placed Communities,” Center for Humanities Research Calibrations Conference, TAMU, April 4-7, 2002.
- Faculty Awards Committee, Texas A&M Sociology Department.
- Northwestern University Sociology Graduate Recruitment Committee, 1997.
- Northwestern University Sociology Graduate Affairs Subcommittee, 1995.
- Northwestern University Sociology Graduate Student Teaching Awards Committee, 1993, 1994.
- Northwestern University Sociology Undergraduate Affairs Committee, 1993-1994.
- Trained and Certified as a Sexual Assault Victim’s Advocate, Cornell College, 1990.

DIVERSITY ENHANCEMENT ACTIVITIES

- Internal Advocate, Committee Member NSF TAMU ADVANCE Scholar Program, 2011-Present
- Program Committee member, NSF TAMU ADVANCE Scholar Program, 2010-Present (<http://advance.tamu.edu/committee.php?committee=6>).
- Advisory Board, Africana Studies Program, 2008-August 2011.
- TAMU-Women’s Faculty Network Faculty Mentor Program, 2006-2011; 2012-2018.
- Mentor, Sister-to-Sister Mentoring Program, Sociologists for Women in Society, Summer 2010.
- Chair, Diversity Recruitment and Retention Committee, Sociology Department, 2008-2009.
- Program Review Committee, TAMU Africana Studies Program, 2006-2007.
- Women’s Faculty Network Mentor, 2005-2006, TAMU.

- Aggie Access Learning Community House Namesake Mentor – 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008.
- Aggie Women in Leadership Mentoring Program, 2003-2005.
- Faculty Mentor, TAMU Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation Mini-Symposium, 2nd Annual Pathways Symposium, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi, Corpus Christi, TX, October 14-15, 2004.
- Invited Panelist, “The Paper-Bag Test,” TAMU NAACP Student Chapter & Black Awareness Committee sponsored discussion on skin color in the Black community, November 2002.
- Program Review Committee, Texas A&M Women’s Studies Program, 1999-2002.
- A World of Difference Anti-Bias Facilitator.
- Member, Education Committee, Community Service Committee, and Social Committee, Young Leaders United, a co-sponsored task force of the Chicago Urban League and the Anti-Defamation League of Chicago, 1996-1997.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Community Food Security & Food Justice Working Group, Glasscock Center, TAMU
- Brazos County Master Gardener Association
- Southern Foodways Association
- Foodways Texas
- Association of Black Sociologists
- American Sociological Association. Sections: Race, Gender & Class; Sociology of Law; Culture; Community and Urban Sociology; Communication and Information Technology
- Law and Society Association
- Southwestern Social Science Association