

Curriculum Vitae

BRITTA GIRTZ

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EDUCATION

- 2023
(expected) Ph.D. in Sociology
University of Georgia, Athens, GA
Dissertation: *Escape Routes: An Ecological Approach to Understanding Intimate Partner Violence and Organizational Intervention [working title]*
Committee: Drs. Patricia Richards (Chair), Jody Clay-Warner, Justine Tinkler
- 2020 Professional Certificate in Diversity and Inclusion, University of Georgia
- 2016 Graduate Certificate in Women's Studies, University of Georgia
- 2015 Master of Arts in Sociology
University of Georgia, Athens, GA
Thesis: *Intersections of Gender and Occupation in Work Hour Mismatches, Resolution, and Methods of Resolution in Australia*
Committee: Drs. Jeremy Reynolds (chair), Patricia Richards, Justine Tinkler
- 2012 Master of Education, Curriculum and Instruction,
Multicultural Education
Texas A&M University, College Station, TX
- 2011 Teacher Certification Program
University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM
- 2003 Coursework completion for Master of Arts in Anthropology
Cultural Anthropology, Southeast Asia, Indonesia
Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL
- 1998 Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology
Texas A&M University, College Station, TX

TEACHING INTERESTS

Sex and Gender; Gender and Work; Race, Class, and Gender; Gender and Crime;
Introduction to Sociology; Qualitative Methods; Sociological Theory

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record, University of Georgia
Sociology of Gender (6 sections)
Sociology of Gender and Work (3 sections)
Introduction to Sociology
Development of Sociological Theory
Multicultural Perspectives on Women in the United States (6 sections)

Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Georgia
Introduction to Sociology (4 sections)
Social Psychology (3 sections)
Social Movements and Collective Behavior
Logic and Practice of Sociological Research
Introduction to Sociology, Honors
Introduction to Sociology, Honors (writing intensive)
Sociology of Law (writing intensive)
Communities and Crime (writing intensive)
Feminist Theory (writing intensive)
Gender, Race, Class, and Sexuality (writing intensive)
Seminar for Graduate Teaching Assistants in Sociology

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Sex and Gender, Intimate Partner Violence, Gender-based Violence, Qualitative and Mixed Methods, Feminist and Intersectional Analysis

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Graduate Research Assistant, University of Georgia
Research assistant for Jeremy Reynolds, Spring 2014
Research assistant for Patricia Richards, Spring 2015
Research support for Joseph Hermanowicz and Kristen Clayton, 2018-2019

PUBLICATIONS

Girtz, Britta. 2020. "Counting the hours: The influence of gender and occupation on work hour mismatch prevalence and resolution in Australia." *Labor Studies Journal*. June 2020.

RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS

Girtz, Britta, Bryan Cannon, and Arialle Crabtree. "Self-Publishing and The Music Industry," Presented at the Annual Meeting for Southern Sociological Society, April 2016, Atlanta, GA.

GUEST LECTURES

University of Georgia, Department of Sociology

"The Motherhood Penalty." (September 2015). Gender and Work.

"LGBTQ+ Issues in the U.S. From National to Local Levels." (April 2021). Student IMPACT program.

ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS

Future Faculty Fellows Program, Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Georgia, 2021
University of Georgia Degree Accelerator Award, 2021
Accepted to Ethnography Summer School, University of Texas at Austin, 2020 (canceled due to COVID-19)
Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award, Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Georgia, 2020
Graduate Teaching Award, Department of Sociology, University of Georgia, 2020
University of Georgia Summer Doctoral Research Fellowship, 2020, 2022
FLAS Fellowship recipient, 2001, 2002

SERVICE

To the Department of Sociology, University of Georgia

Graduate Student Recruitment Dinner Host, 2014, 2015, 2017
Graduate Student Association Representative for the Sociology Graduate Student Society, 2015-2016
Graduate Student Mentor, 2019-2023

To the University of Georgia

Women and Girls in Georgia Conference, volunteer, 2017, 2019
Institute for Women's Studies Student Symposium, organizer, 2019

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

TA Café workshop co-organizer, Center for Teaching and Learning, "Responding to Student Feedback," 2021
TA Café workshop co-organizer, Center for Teaching and Learning, "Fostering Student Well-being," 2021
Organized and coordinated monthly teaching-focused meetings/workshops and mentorship program for new instructors, Department of Sociology and Institute for Women's Studies, 2021-2022
Mid-Semester Formative Evaluation facilitator, Center for Teaching and Learning, 2021-22
Panelist, Teaching Assistant Orientation, Center for Teaching and Learning, 2021

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association
Sections: Race, Gender, and Class; Inequality, Poverty & Mobility; Sex and Gender; Teaching and Learning
Southern Sociological Society
Sociologists for Women in Society
American Society of Criminology
Section: Division of Feminist Criminology; Teaching and Pedagogy Committee member