

Ciara Peebles

Department of Sociology
University of Georgia, Athens
Georgia, Athens 30602

(813) 297-1541

Ciara.Peebles@uga.edu

EDUCATION:

- In progress** **Doctorate of Philosophy in Sociology.** University of Georgia; Athens, GA.
- 2021** **Master's Degree in Applied Sociology.** University of Central Florida; Orlando, FL.
Thesis: *Victim Blame of Missing People Based on Race and Media Framing*
Committee: Dr. Jacqueline Woerner (Chair), Dr. Amy Reckdenwald, and Dr. Bhoomi Thakore
- 2019** **Bachelor's Degree of Science in Psychology** with Honors.
Minor in Statistics.
Certificates in Behavioral Forensics and Victim Advocacy. University of Central Florida; Orlando, FL.
Honors Undergraduate Thesis: *Naughty or Nice: An Exploration of Human Sexuality and its Associations to Online Dating Behavior and the "Hook-up" Culture.*
Committee: Dr. Grace White (Chair) and Dr. Jennifer Parham

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:

- 2022-present** *Graduate Research Assistant*, Carl Vinson Institute of Government, University of Georgia
- 2021-2022** *Graduate Teaching Assistant*, Department of Sociology, University of Georgia
- 2020-present** *Online Tutor*, tutor.com, The Princeton Review

- 2020- 2021** *Graduate Research Assistant, STRIVE Lab at University of Central Florida*
Principal Investigator: Jacqueline Woerner
- 2019-2021** *Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, University of Central Florida*
- 2017-2019** *Undergraduate Research Assistant, Personality and Relationship Development/Dynamics Research Lab at University of Central Florida*
Principal Investigator: Grace White
- 2017** *Summer Term Intern, Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office, Tampa, FL*

HONORS AND AWARDS:

- 2021-2022** Osborne Graduate Fellowship- University of Georgia, Athens
- 2021** Amplify Knight Voices and Broaden Community Connection Grant- University of Central Florida
- 2020-2021** Delores A. Auzenne Fellowship- University of Centra Florida
- 2020** Alpha Kappa Delta- University of Central Florida
- 2019** Summer Mentorship Fellow- University of Central Florida
- 2015-2019** Pegasus Silver Scholarship- University of Central Florida
- 2016** Psi-Chi, International Honor Society of Psychology- University of Central Florida

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Criminology, Race/Ethnicity and Gender Inequalities, Social Psychology, Quantitative Methods

RESEARCH:

Upcoming Publications

Kayla Toohy, Amy Reckdenwald, **Ciara Peebles**, and Jason Ford. "Intimate Partner Homicide and Services: Does Access Impact Perpetration?" *Violence Against Women*.

Manuscripts in Progress

Ciara Peebles and Jody Clay-Warner. "Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Border Town Violence."

Ciara Peebles and Jacqueline Woerner. "Victim Blame of Missing People Based on Race and Media Framing."

Ciara Peebles and Grace White. "Blame it on the Alcohol": An exploration of alcohol consumption and its relationship with deviant behavior and personality traits.

PRESENTATIONS:

Ciara Peebles and Jacqueline Woerner. “Victim Blame of Missing People Based on Race and Media Framing.” (2022). Society for Personality and Social Psychology Annual Conference.

Kayla Toohy, Amy Reckdenwald, and **Ciara Peebles**. “Intimate Partner Homicide and Services: Does Access Impact Perpetration?” (2020). CrimCon Conference.

Ciara Peebles and Lin Huff-Corzine. “Prevalent Pandemic Pains: The Phenomenon of Anomie and Suicidal Ideation Amongst High School and College Graduates amidst the Coronavirus Outbreak” (2020). Mid- South Sociological Association Meeting.

Ciara Peebles and Bhoomi Thakore. “‘But were they asking for it?’: An analysis of the public’s empathy and perception towards differentiating levels of victimization” (2020). Graduate Research Forum at University of Central Florida. *cancelled due to covid-19 pandemic

Ciara Peebles and Amy Donley. “Transgressions on Twitter: Measuring Social Media Influence on Crime Cases.” (2019). Mentoring Fellowship Forum at University of Central Florida.

Ciara Peebles and Grace White. “Blame it On the Alcohol” (2019). Showcase of Undergraduate Research Excellence at the University of Central Florida.

Ciara Peebles and Grace White. “Relationship Status, It’s Complicated: The effects of Facebook Use and Personality on Relationship Satisfaction among Dating Individual” (2017). Showcase of Undergraduate Research Excellence at the University of Central Florida.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Assisted with Following Courses:

- | | |
|-------------|---|
| 2022 | SOCI3810: Criminology (Undergraduate)
Instructor of Record: Dr. Tom McNulty |
| 2022 | Media and Criminal Justice (Undergraduate)
Instructor of Record: Dr. Anna Rogers |
| 2021 | SOCI1101E: Introductory Sociology (Undergraduate)
Instructor of Record: Dr. Anna Rogers |
| 2021 | SYP3510: Sociology of Deviant Behavior (Undergraduate)
Instructor of Record: Dr. Amy Reckdenwald |

- 2020-2021** SYP3520: Criminology (Undergraduate)
Instructor of Record: Dr. Amy Reckdenwald
- 2020** SYP3530: Juvenile Delinquency (Undergraduate)
Instructor of Record: Dr. Jason Ford
- 2020** SYD4020: Birth, Death, Population Trend (Undergraduate)
Instructor of Record: Dr. Melanie Hinojosa
- 2020** SYO4323: Community & Diversity (Undergraduate)
Instructor of Record: Dr. Bhoomi Thakore
- 2019-2020** SYG2000: Intro to Sociology (Undergraduate)
Instructors of Record: Dr. Bhoomi Thakore, Dr. Elizabeth Grauerholz
- 2019-2020** SYO3530: Social Power & Inequality (Undergraduate)
Instructor of Record: Dr. Bhoomi Thakore

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Society of Criminology
Society for Personality and Social Psychology
Mid-South Sociological Association

References Available Upon Request