Curriculum Vitae

Fletcher Winston

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Appointments:

Chair. Department of Sociology. Mercer University. Macon, Georgia. (2013-present)

Director. Criminal Justice Interdisciplinary Program. Mercer University. (2015-present)

Director. Environmental Studies Interdisciplinary Program. Mercer University. (2017-present)

Professor. Mercer University. Macon, Georgia. (2018-present)

Associate Professor, Mercer University. Macon, Georgia. (2010-2018)

Service-Learning Fellow. Mercer University. Macon, Georgia. (2013-2014)

Assistant Professor. Mercer University. Macon, Georgia. (2004-2010)

University Learning Communities Teaching Fellow. State University of New York at Stony Brook. (2003-2004)

Visiting Instructor. Hofstra University. Hempstead, New York. One year, full-time appointment (2002-2003)

Education:

- Ph.D. Sociology (2004) State University of New York at Stony Brook
 Dissertation: "Repertoires, Rules, and Relationships: A Cultural Analysis of
 Tactical Choice in the Environmental Movement."
- M.A. Sociology (2000) State University of New York at Stony Brook Master's Thesis: "Demobilization: The Effects of Policy Decisions on the Anti-Strip Mining Movement."
- B.A. Social Sciences (1994) State University of New York at Stony Brook

Honors and Awards:

- Nominated for the Spencer B. King, Jr. Distinguished Professor Award. 2017.
- ➤ Teaching exercise published in *TRAILS* recognized by the American Sociological Association's Academic and Professional Affairs Program for being among the top 10

most downloaded resources of 2017. The exercise also achieved this distinction for 2015 and 2016.

- Teaching exercise published in *TRAILS* selected as a Featured Resource. 2015.
- Appointed Mercer University's first Service-learning Fellow. 2013.
- ➤ Mercer University Seed Grant. June 2011. \$3,000.
- ➤ Mercer University Seed Grant. June 2008. \$3,500.
- ➤ Alpha Kappa Delta Student Travel Award. March 2008. \$1,000.
- Mercer University College of Liberal Arts Faculty Research Grant. May 2006. \$2,980.
- ➤ Mercer University College of Liberal Arts Faculty Research Grant. May 2005. \$3,100.
- Curriculum Development Award. SUNY Stony Brook. August 2003. \$1,500.
- ➤ National Science Foundation Dissertation Research Enhancement Grant. Awarded August 2002. SES-0220909. \$6,438.
- American Sociological Association Student Travel Award. August 2002.
- ➤ Tuition Scholarship 1999-2003
- ➤ Graduate Teaching Assistantship 2000-2002
- Research Access Program Travel Scholarship 1999-2002
- ➤ New York State Board of Regents Scholarship 1990

Teaching Experience:

Introduction to Sociology

Research Methods/Statistics

Environmental Sociology

Social Movements

Empirical Research Project

Social Problems

Social Class in the U.S.

Sociology of Race & Ethnicity

Contemporary Theory

Sociology of the Family

Sociology of Communications

Scientific Inquiry

First Year Student Experience (UNV 101)

Disciplinary Writing Instruction

Internship in Sociology

Internship in Criminal Justice

Directed Independent Research in Sociology

Teaching & Professional Development Activities:

American Sociological Association Chairs Conference. "Freedom of Speech and Sociology Departments: Responding to Challenges, Fostering Space for Discourse." Philadelphia, PA. 2018.

Faculty Development Reading Group and Workshop. "Teaching in the Liberal Arts." Mercer University. 2018.

American Sociological Association Chairs Conference. "The Sociology Major in the Changing Landscape of Higher Education: Recommendations of the ASA Task Force on Liberal Learning." Montreal, QC. 2017.

Faculty Development Reading Group. "Why the Liberal Arts?" Mercer University. 2017.

Writing Task Force Brown Bag Conversations. Mercer University. 2016.

QEP Assessment Workshop. "Moving the Needle." Mercer University. 2016.

Faculty Development Writing Workshop. Mercer University 2015.

Faculty Development Student Peer Review Workshop. Mercer University. 2015.

American Sociological Association Chairs Conference. "Linking a Liberal Learning Centered Sociology Major to Successful Employment Outcomes." San Francisco, CA. 2014.

American Sociological Association Internship Workshop. San Francisco, CA. 2014

Faculty Development Internship Training. CLA Dean's Office. Mercer University. 2014.

Faculty Development Writing Workshop. Mercer University 2014.

Innovative Course-Building Group Summer Institute. "Beyond Engaged Learning." Macon, GA. 2013.

Faculty Development Writing Workshop. Mercer University. 2013.

Faculty Development INT 201 Workshop. Mercer University. 2013.

Faculty Development Writing Workshop. Mercer University. 2012.

Faculty Development INT 201 Workshop. Mercer University. 2012

Moderator. "Creating a Civically Engaged Curriculum." Gulf-South Summit on Service-Learning and Civic Engagement Through Higher Education. Roanoke, VA. 2011.

Faculty Development INT 201 Workshop. Mercer University. 2012.

Mercer Online Training Program for Summer Sessions. 2011. (sponsored by the Provost's Office).

Faculty Development Writing Workshop. Mercer University. 2011.

Moderator. "Making the Road by Walking: Emergent and Responsive Service-learning." Gulf-South Summit on Service-Learning and Civic Engagement Through Higher Education. Athens, GA. 2010.

"Mentorship, Collaboration and Undergraduate Research in the Social Sciences and Humanities." Council on Undergraduate Research Faculty Development Workshop. Mesa, AZ. 2010.

"Service-learning: Benefits and Challenges." Member of Panel Discussion. Georgia Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Atlanta, GA. 2009.

Mercer Online Training Program for Summer School. 2009. (sponsored by the Provost's Office).

"Experiential Learning: Best Practices, Novel Challenges, and Helpful Practices." Member of Panel Discussion. Georgia Sociological Association Annual Meeting. St.Simons, GA. 2008.

Faculty Development Workshop (Presider). "Transforming Mercer into a Nationally Recognized University." 2008.

Faculty Development Workshop. "The Baptist Tradition and Its Future in Mercer University's College of Liberal Arts." 2007.

New Approaches to Survey Design and Sampling. American Sociological Association Didactic Seminar. 2007.

Inside Higher Education Undergraduate Research Audioconference. 2007.

Member. Georgia Sociological Association Teaching Development Committee. 2006-2010.

Scientific Inquiry Reading Group "Scientific Literacy and the Myth of the Scientific Method." 2006

Faculty Development Workshop "What the Best College Professors Do and the Meaning(s) of a Liberal Education." 2006.

Scientific Inquiry Program Development Workshop. Summer 2005.

Service-learning Workshop with Patti Clayton. Fall 2005.

Service-learning Workshop with Jean Fallis. Spring 2005.

Referee. *Teaching Sociology*. 2004-Present.

Qualitative Research Professional Development Weekend. 2004.

Active member. American Sociological Association Section on Teaching and Learning in Sociology. 2003-Present.

Teaching Environmental Sociology Workshop. Annual meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society. 2000.

Publications:

Winston, Fletcher. 2015 "The Other Me: An Assignment to Develop the Sociological Imagination by Imagining a Walk in Someone Else's Shoes." Assignment published in *TRAILS: Teaching Resources and Innovations Library for Sociology*. Washington DC: American Sociological Association. (http://trails.asanet.org)

Winston, Fletcher. 2015. "Reflections Upon Community Engagement: Service-learning and Its Effect on Political Participation After College." *Journal of Higher Education Outreach and Engagement*. 19(1): 79-103.

Winston, Fletcher. 2013. "Decisions to Make a Difference: The Role of Efficacy in Moderate Student Activism." *Social Movement Studies* 12(4): 414-428.

Winston, Fletcher (contributor). 2008. *Visualizing Social Science*. Edited by Judith M. Tanur. New York, NY: Social Science Research Council.

Winston, Fletcher. 2007. "First Day Sociology: Using Student Introductions to Illustrate the Concept of Norms." *Teaching Sociology* 35:161-165.

Winston, Fletcher, Alison Amyx, Rebecca Kiel, and Jennifer Wright. 2007. *Mercer University Directory of Georgia Environmental Groups*.

Winston, Fletcher, William Johnson, and Nicole Woolfork. 2006. *Macon Housing Authority HOPE VI Community and Supportive Services Final Evaluation Report.*

Winston, Fletcher. 2003. "What if Milgram Controlled Student Grades? A Simple Game for Teaching the Concept of Authority." *Teaching Sociology* 31:221-226.

Refereed Presentations:

Winston, Fletcher. 2018. "A Multipronged Approach to Maximize the Potential of Collaborative Learning and Minimize Student Discontent." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. Philadelphia, PA.

Winston, Fletcher. 2017. "The Benefits and Challenges of Incorporating Advocacy Service-Learning in Undergraduate Courses." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. Montreal, QC.

Winston, Fletcher. 2017. "Social Movement Outcomes of the Fossil Fuel Divestment Campaign." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. Greenville, SC.

Winston, Fletcher. 2014. "Activating Activism in the Classroom: Undergraduate Experiences and Enduring Political Engagement." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. San Francisco, CA.

Winston, Fletcher 2013. "The Influence of Service-Learning on Social Movement Participation among College Graduates." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. New York, NY.

Winston, Fletcher. 2013. "Service to the *Very* Local Community: Employing Community-Based Research on the College Campus" Paper presented for the panel *Service and Community-based Learning in the Classroom: Case Studies of Applying Sociological Methods in the Community* at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. Atlanta, GA.

Winston, Fletcher. 2013. "The Proof is in the (Very Messy) Pudding: Challenges Measuring the Enduring Impact of Service-Learning on Civic Engagement." Paper presented at the Gulf-South Summit on Service-Learning. Louisville, KY.

Winston, Fletcher. 2011. "Group and Community Impact as a Determinant of Social Movement Organization Participation." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. Las Vegas, Nevada.

Scott, Tom, Fletcher Winston, Kevin Bucholtz and David Davis. 2010. "Institutionalizing Undergraduate Research across the Disciplines: Creating a Holistic Program." Paper presented at the American Association of Colleges & Universities Conference, Creativity, Inquiry and Discovery: Undergraduate Research In and Across the Disciplines. Durham, NC.

Winston, Fletcher. 2010. "Riding the Wave of Service-learning: Student Participation in Social Movements at Engaged Universities." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. Atlanta, Georgia.

Winston, Fletcher. 2009. "Campus Mobilization: The Role of Faculty and Staff." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Georgia Sociological Association. Atlanta, Georgia.

Winston, Fletcher. 2007. "The Evolution of Student Movement Organizations." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Georgia Sociological Association. Athens, Georgia.

Winston, Fletcher. 2005. "Environmental Groups, Relational Ties, and the Mechanisms of Tactical Information Exchange." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Winston, Fletcher. 2004. "The Exchange of Tactical Information in the Environmental Movement." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Georgia Sociological Association. Helen, Georgia.

Winston, Fletcher. 2004. "Low-Cost/Low-Risk Participation in Movement Organizations." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society. New York, New York.

Winston, Fletcher. 2003. "Groups of a Feather Flock Together: Moderate and Radical Cultures in the Environmental Movement." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. (Session Presider.) Atlanta, Georgia.

Winston, Fletcher. 2002. "Friend or Foe? Environmental Group Ties and Conformity to Tactical Norms." Presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. (Regular Paper Session) Chicago, Illinois.

Winston, Fletcher. 2002. "Examining the Boundaries of the Grassroots Environmental Movement." Presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. Baltimore, Maryland.

Winston, Fletcher. 2001. "Toxic Forests *and* Toxic Playgrounds? Exploring National Social Movement Organization Interest in Grassroots Environmental Issues." Presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Winston, Fletcher. 2000. "Redirect and Submit: Repercussions of Federal Legislation for Environmental Movements." Presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society. Baltimore, Maryland.

Winston, Fletcher. 1999. "From Outrage to Acceptance: Implications of Organizational Legitimacy on Cultural Processes." Presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society. Boston, Massachusetts.

Mentoring (student presentations at state, regional, and national conferences) and Other Scholarship:

Faculty Advisor. Hadley McCartin, student. "Eating Away at the Death Penalty: The Relationship between Dietary Theories and Support for the Death Penalty." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA. 2018.

Faculty Advisor. Jacqueline Atchison, student. "Factors that Influence Cross-Movement Participation of SMO Leaders." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. Greenville, SC. 2017.

Faculty Advisor. Alize Mitchell, student. "Uncovering Hidden Bias: Factors that Contribute to Student Attitudes toward Juvenile Delinquency." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. Greenville, SC. 2017.

Faculty Advisor. Monica Grimes, student. "Got Coverage? Assessing Student Attitudes towards Universal Healthcare." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA. 2015.

Faculty Advisor and Moderator. "Building a Community of Respect: A Discussion of Student Research Concerning Mercer's Racial Climate." Mercer University. 2014.

Faculty Advisor. Michelle Moran, student. "Civil Right or Corrupted Institution?: Student Attitudes toward Gay Marriage." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. Charlotte, NC. 2014.

Faculty Advisor. Monica Grimes, student. "Mercer Students' Attitudes Regarding Universal Access to Healthcare." Paper presented at BEAR Day. Mercer University.2014.

Principal Investigator. The Racial Climate at Mercer. 2013.

Faculty Advisor. Lorin Sullivan, student. "Recognizing the Mistreated: How Social Networks Contribute to Students' Knowledge of Child Abuse." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. New York, NY. 2013

Faculty Advisor. Lorin Sullivan, student. "The Social Construction of Child Abuse Knowledge." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. Atlanta, GA. 2013.

Sabbatical Research Project. "The Influence of Service-Learning on Post-College Political Engagement." 2012.

Primary Investigator. *Mercer University College of Liberal Arts Service-learning Faculty Survey*, 2004-2011. 2012.

Primary Investigator. Lyceum Committee Civic Engagement Survey. 2011.

Faculty advisor. Stephanie Hennigan, student. "From Institution to Independence: Transitioning Out of Moldovan Orphanages." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. Las Vegas, Nevada. 2011.

Faculty advisor. Rebecca Wells, student. "Impact of Social Factors in an African-American Church-Based Diabetes Prevention Program." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. Las Vegas, Nevada. 2011.

Faculty advisor. James Blay, student. "The Social Gospel: Understanding the Relationship between the Church and Service to the Poor." Paper presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Jacksonville, FL. 2011.

Faculty advisor. Stephanie Hennigan, student. "From Institution to Independence: Transitioning Out of Moldovan Orphanages." Paper presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Jacksonville, FL. 2011.

Faculty advisor. Rebecca Wells, student. "Impact of Social Factors in an African-American Church-Based Diabetes Prevention Program." Paper presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Jacksonville, FL. 2011.

Faculty advisor. Elizabeth Houser, student. "Senior Citizens and the Age of Technology." Paper presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Jacksonville, FL. 2011.

Principal Investigator. General Education Program Student Survey. 2010.

Principal Investigator. Mercer Student Religiosity Survey. 2010.

Faculty advisor. Rebecca Wells, student. "Impact of Social Factors in an African-American Church-Based Diabetes Prevention Program." Poster presented at the Southeastern Student Mentoring Conference in Gerontology and Geriatrics. Tuscaloosa, AL. 2010.

Faculty advisor. Cari Hipp, student. "They Work Hard for...the Money?: Influences on College Over-achievement." Paper presented at the Georgia Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Atlanta, GA. 2009.

Faculty advisor. Rebecca Wells, student. "Factors that Affect Health Outcomes of African-American Churchgoers." Paper presented at the Georgia Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Atlanta, GA. 2009.

Faculty advisor. Phillip Banze, student. "Blissful Indifference? College Student Concern for Deviant Sexual Practices." Paper presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. 2009.

Faculty advisor. Chelsea Biggs, student. "Leaving Behind 'Leave it to Beaver': Conceptions of Traditional Gender Roles within the Institution of Marriage." Paper presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. 2009.

Faculty advisor. Laura Dingley, student. "They're All Lazy or Crazy': Beyond Public Misconceptions of the Homeless." Paper presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. 2009.

Faculty advisor. LaTamara Durr, student. "Who Really has Access?: An Assessment of Healthcare Opportunities for Low-Income, Uninsured Individuals." Paper presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. 2009.

Faculty advisor. Kate Mudrak, student. "Finding Your Feet in the Sea of Professionalism: The Factors that Influence Enrollment in Medical and Law School." Paper presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. 2009.

Faculty advisor. Nadia Osman, student. "Prevention First: Examining the Use of Preventative Breast Cancer Care." Paper presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. 2009.

Faculty advisor. Amanda Tremain, student. "Political Intolerance: Factors that Impact the Support for the Extension of Civil Liberties." Paper presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. 2009.

Faculty advisor. Laura Dingley, student. . "They're All Lazy or Crazy': Beyond Public Misconceptions of the Homeless." Honors Program Thesis. 2009.

Faculty advisor. Nadia Osman, student. "Prevention First: Examining the Use of Preventative Breast Cancer Care." Paper presented at the Georgia Sociological Association Annual Meeting. St.Simons, GA. 2008.

Faculty advisor. Chelsea Biggs, student. "Factors that Contribute to Traditional Views: An Examination of Gender Roles within the Institution of Marriage." Paper presented at the Georgia Sociological Association Annual Meeting. St.Simons, GA. 2008.

Faculty advisor. LaTamara Durr, student. "Who Really has Access?: An Assessment of Healthcare Opportunities for Low-Income Individuals." Paper presented at the Georgia Sociological Association Annual Meeting. St.Simons, GA. 2008.

Principal investigator. "Student Participation in Campus Movement Organizations." 2008. Student research assistants: Liz Keck, Jamie Alongi.

Faculty advisor. Alison Amyx, student. "Imagining God: The Influence of Social Factors on Student Perceptions of an Authoritarian God." Paper presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Richmond, VA. 2008. Paper also presented at the Georgia Sociological Association Annual Meeting. St.Simons, GA. 2008.

* Awarded the Georgia Sociological Association Prize for Best Undergraduate Student Paper, 2008.

Faculty advisor. LaToya Hutchinson, student. "Is it Really Female Intuition? Factors that Influence Sexism towards Mercer Students." Paper presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Richmond, VA. 2008.

Faculty advisor. Liz Keck, student. "More than the Mrs. Degree: Exploring the Career Attainment Plans of Mercer University Females." Paper presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Richmond, VA. 2008.

Faculty advisor. Carolyn Marcus, student. "I Want to Save the World, but First Let Me Finish My Homework: An Examination of College Student Volunteering." Paper

presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Richmond, VA. 2008.

Faculty advisor. Jamie Alongi, student. "Student Attitudes toward Welfare." Honors Program Thesis. 2008.

Faculty advisor. Alison Amyx, student. "Imagining God: The Influence of Social Factors on Student Perceptions of an Authoritarian God." Honors Program Thesis. 2008.

Lead Survey Investigator. Knight Foundation Evaluation of Central South Macon Revitalization. 2007-2008.

Student research assistant: Christy Hunnicutt.

Faculty advisor. Alison Amyx, student. "Imagining God: The Influence of Social Factors on Student Perceptions of an Authoritarian God." Paper presented at the Georgia Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Athens, GA. 2007.

Faculty advisor. Loretta Duggan, student. "From the Sideline to the Frontline: Factors that Influence the Use of Alternative Medicine." Paper presented at the Georgia Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Athens, GA. 2007.

Faculty advisor. Regina Smalls, student. "Is it Really "All About the Benjamins?" A Closer Examination of Materialism among College Students." Paper presented at the Georgia Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Athens, GA. 2007.

* Awarded the Georgia Sociological Association Prize for Best Undergraduate Student Paper, 2007.

Presentation to the Macon Housing Authority Board of Directors. "Macon Housing Authority HOPE VI Community and Supportive Services Final Evaluation Report." October 2006.

Faculty advisor. Katie Geoghagan, student. "Hearts, Warts, and Medication: An Evaluation of the Macon Volunteer Clinic." Paper presented at the Georgia Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Macon, GA. 2006.

* Awarded the Georgia Sociological Association Prize for Best Undergraduate Student Paper, 2006.

Principal investigator. "Georgia Environmental Groups: Organizational Characteristics and Contact Information." 2005-2007.

Student research assistants: Alison Amyx, Rebecca Kiel, Jennifer Wright.

Principal investigator. HOPE VI Revitalization Program Community and Supportive Services Evaluation for the Macon Housing Authority. 2005-2006. Student research assistants: Nicole Woolfork, William Johnson.

Service:

Chair. Department of Sociology. 2013-present.

Director. Criminal Justice Interdisciplinary Program. 2015-present.

Director. Environmental Studies Interdisciplinary Program. 2017-present.

Organizer. Department of Sociology Guest Lecture Series. 2013-present.

Alpha Kappa Delta (International Sociological Honor Society) Chapter Representative. 2011-present.

Member. Peer Review Committee. 2018- present.

Member. CLA Internship Advisory Group. 2017- present.

Presider. "Environmental Movements." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Philadelphia, PA. 2018.

Moderator and Judge. BEAR Day. 2018.

Committee member. Institutional Review Board. 2017-2018.

Member. Greener Mercer. 2016-present.

Admissions Saturday Preview Department Representative. 2013-present.

Member. Race Relations at Mercer Think Tank. 2013-present.

CLA Faculty Representative. Service-Learning Advisory Council. 2010-present.

President. Ocmulgee Chapter of the Sierra Club. 2006-Present.

Referee for *Teaching Sociology, Social Movement Studies*, and *Mobilization*. 2003-Present.

Committee member. General Education Committee. 2014-2017.

Moderator and Judge. BEAR Day. 2017.

Presider. "Environmental Movements." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Montreal, QC. 2017.

Presider. "Collective Behavior & Social Change." Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Greenville, SC. 2017.

Instructor. Disciplinary Writing Instruction. 2013-2017.

Committee member. Macon Housing Authority Moving to Success: Program Planning and Budget Committee. 2007-2016.

Moderator and Judge. BEAR Day. 2016.

Instructor. Sociology review session for the MCAT Prep Course. 2015.

Moderator and Judge. BEAR Day. 2015.

Service-Learning Fellow. Provost's Office. 2013-2014.

Moderator. BEAR Day. 2014.

Chair. Engaged Learning Committee. 2011-2012.

Chair. BEAR Day Planning Committee. 2011-2012.

Committee member. Environmental Issues Committee. 2008-2012.

Working group member to develop undergraduate research at Mercer University. 2010 - 2011.

Committee member. Curriculum Committee. 2009-2011.

Steering committee member. Mercer University Local Engagement Against Poverty (LEAP) Conference. 2010-2012.

Reviewer. Gulf-South Summit on Service-Learning and Civic Engagement Through Higher Education. 2011.

Presider. "Gender and Social Movements." Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Jacksonville, FL. 2011.

Moderator. "Creating a Civically Engaged Curriculum." Gulf-South Summit on Service-Learning and Civic Engagement Through Higher Education. Roanoke, VA. 2011.

Moderator. "Making the Road by Walking: Emergent and Responsive Service-learning." Gulf-South Summit on Service-Learning and Civic Engagement Through Higher Education. Athens, GA. 2010.

Presider, Southern Sociological Society Roundtable Session. SSS Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. 2009.

Presider. American Sociological Association Section on Environment and Technology Roundtable Session. ASA Annual Meeting, New York, NY. 2007.

Committee member. Teaching Development Committee of the Georgia Sociological Association. 2006-2008.

Editorial Assistant International Sociology. 1999-2000.

Professional Affiliations:

American Sociological Association

Section Memberships:

Teaching and Learning in Sociology

Environmental Sociology

Collective Behavior and Social Movements

Methodology

Southern Sociological Society

Alpha Kappa Delta

Council on Undergraduate Research