

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

December 1, 2014

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Associate Professor of Sociology  
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### **EDUCATION**

- 2008 Ph.D., Sociology, The Graduate Center, The City University of New York, New York, NY; Dissertation: “Doctors and Drunks: Addiction Medicine and Addiction Psychiatry in America”
- 2004 M.Phil., Sociology, The Graduate Center, The City University of New York, New York, NY
- 2004 M.A., Sociology, Queens College, The City University of New York, Queens, NY
- 1997 B.A., magna cum laude, Sociology, Union College, Schenectady, NY

### **EMPLOYMENT**

- 2014-Present Associate Professor of Sociology, Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work, University of South Alabama, Mobile, AL
- 2008-2014 Assistant Professor of Sociology, Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work, University of South Alabama, Mobile, AL
- 2004-2008 National Institute on Drug Abuse Predoctoral Fellow in Behavioral Science Training in Drug Abuse Research, National Development and Research Institutes, Inc. and Public Health Solutions, New York, NY
- 2004-2005 Adjunct Instructor, Department of Social Sciences, The New School for General Studies, The New School University, New York, NY
- 2000-2001 Research Assistant, Division on Addictions, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA
- 1998-1999 Research Assistant, Treatment Research Center, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, Philadelphia, PA

## RESEARCH and TEACHING INTERESTS

Sociology of Medicine; Sociology and History of Drugs; Sociology of Food; Sociology of Mental Health and Illness; Community and Urban Sociology; Qualitative Methods

## PUBLICATIONS

- Freed, Christopher R.** and Ronald D. Franks. 2013. "Medical Trainees Need More Than Simple Role Modeling to Be Prepared for Professional and Ethical Decisions." *Academic Medicine* 88(8):1053.
- Freed, Christopher R.**, Shantisha T. Hansberry, and Martha I. Arrieta. 2013. "Structural and Hidden Barriers to a Local Primary Health Care Infrastructure: Autonomy, Decisions about Primary Health Care, and the Centrality and Significance of Power." Pp. 57-81 in *Research in the Sociology of Health Care*. Vol. 31, *Social Determinants, Health Disparities and Linkages to Health and Health Care*, edited by J. J. Kronenfeld. Bingley, UK: Emerald Group Publishing Limited.
- Rao, Aarati, **Christopher R. Freed**, and Riley F. Trimm. 2013. "International and American Medical Graduates in a U.S. Pediatric Residency Program: A Qualitative Study about Challenges during Post-Graduate Year 1." *Medical Teacher* 35(10):815-19.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2012. "Historical Perspectives on Addiction." Pp. 27-47 in *American Psychological Association Addiction Syndrome Handbook*, edited by H. J. Shaffer, D. LaPlante, and S. Nelson. Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.
- Freed, Christopher R.**, Daniel M. Bonnici, Lauren N. Craddock, and Ronald D. Franks. 2012. "Professional and Ethical Decision-Making among Health Science Students: A Call to Action about Critical Thinking." *Medical Science Educator* 22(1):33-36.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2011. "Fellowship Programs in Addiction: The Ideology of Formal Training." *International Journal of Sociological Research* 4(1):77-93.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2011. Review of *Scripting Addiction: The Politics of Therapeutic Talk and American Sobriety* by E. Summerson Carr. *Contemporary Sociology* 40(6):697-98.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2011. Teaching and Learning Guide for: "In the Spirit of Selden Bacon: The Sociology of Drinking and Drug Problems." *Sociology Compass* 5(1):121-27.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2010. "Addiction Medicine and Addiction Psychiatry in America: Commonalities in the Medical Treatment of Addiction." *Contemporary Drug Problems* 37(Spring):139-63.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2010. "In the Spirit of Selden Bacon: The Sociology of Drinking and Drug Problems." *Sociology Compass* 4(10):856-68.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2010. "Reflections on the First Year of Teaching: Lessons Learned." *Social Problems Forum* 41(3):76-77.

**Freed, Christopher R.** 2007. "Addiction Medicine and Addiction Psychiatry in America: The Impact of Physicians in Recovery on the Medical Treatment of Addiction." *Contemporary Drug Problems* 34(Spring):111-35.

Shaffer, Howard J. and **Christopher R. Freed**. 2005. "Assessment of Gambling-Related Disorders." Pp. 334-91 in *Assessment of Addictive Behaviors*, 2d ed., edited by D. M. Donovan and G. A. Marlatt. New York, NY: The Guilford Press.

Shaffer, Howard J., **Christopher R. Freed**, and Daryl Healea. 2002. "Gambling Disorders Among Homeless Persons With Substance Use Disorders Seeking Treatment at a Community Center." *Psychiatric Services* 53(9):1112-17.

Gariti, Peter W., Arthur I. Alterman, Elizabeth Merikle, Frank Mulvaney, and **Christopher R. Freed**. 2000. "The Relationship between Smoking Cessation Treatment Response and the History or Absence of a Mental Disorder." Pp. 202 in *Problems of Drug Dependence: Proceedings of the 61<sup>st</sup> Scientific Meeting, The College on Problems of Drug Dependence, National Institute on Drug Abuse Research Monograph 180*, edited by L. S. Harris. Rockville, MD: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

## **RESEARCH GRANTS**

Principal Investigator: Crook, Errol D.

Title: Broad-based Research Collaboratives on Minority Health and Health Disparities (Grant #5P20MD002314-03)

Agency: National Institutes of Health, National Center for Minority Health and Health Disparities

Amount of Funding: \$7,500,000

Status: Awarded, July 2012-January 2017

Role: Consultant

Principal Investigator: Abercrombie, Diane D.

Title: Interprofessional Education Collaboration Across the Health Sciences

Agency: University of South Alabama, Division of Health Sciences

Amount of Funding: \$5,000

Status: Awarded, July 2012-September 2013

Role: Co-Principal Investigator

## **RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS**

**Freed, Christopher R.** 2014. "Seed of the Supply Line: The Social Anatomy of a Wholesale Produce Market." Presented at the annual meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, November 6, Mobile, AL.

**Freed, Christopher R.** 2013. "The 2015 Medical College Admission Test: An Exercise in Professionalism or Power?" Presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 10, New York, NY.

- Rao, Aarati, **Christopher R. Freed**, and Riley F. Trimm. 2013. "International and American Medical Graduates: Challenges during Post-Graduate Year 1, Professional Socialization, and the Culture of Residency." Presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 10, New York, NY.
- Abercrombie, Diane D., Cheryl L. Davis, Ronald E. Morgan, Jr., **Christopher R. Freed**, Laurie F. Hass, Linda Roussel et al. 2013. "Interprofessional Collaborative Practice: An Investigation of Health Science Faculty Perceptions of Interprofessional Education and Practice." Presented at the annual meeting of the Hawaii International Conference on Education, January 7, Honolulu, HI.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2012. "The Revised Medical College Admission Test: A Sociological Interpretation." Presented at the annual meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, November 9, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.**, Shantisha T. Hansberry, and Martha I. Arrieta. 2012. "'Double-Jeopardy': The Unintended Consequences of a Local Primary Health Care Infrastructure on Health Disparities." Presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 17, Denver, CO.
- Freed, Christopher R.**, Sasha L. Eastburn, Beverly A. Rossini, Shantisha T. Hansberry, and Martha I. Arrieta. 2012. "The Impact of a Local Primary Health Care Infrastructure on Seeking Non-Emergent, Primary Care in Hospital Emergency Rooms." Presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, March 24, New Orleans, LA.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2011. "The Sociology of Alcohol and Other Drugs." Presented at the annual meeting of the Gulf Coast Conference on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, October 26, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2011. "Social Risk Factors for Addiction: The Syndrome Model in Historical Perspective." Presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 20, Las Vegas, NV.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2011. "A Sociology of Medical Professionalism." Presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, April 9, Jacksonville, FL.
- Rao, Aarati, Marilyn O'Brien, **Christopher R. Freed**, and Franklin Trimm. 2011. "Assessment of How International Medical Graduates (IMGs) Adapt to the US Health Care System: A Qualitative Study." Presented at the annual meeting of the Association of Pediatric Program Directors, April 2, Miami, FL.
- Rao, Aarati, Marilyn O'Brien, **Christopher R. Freed**, and Franklin Trimm. 2011. "Qualitative Study of American Medical Graduates' Challenges and Their Awareness of Peer International Medical Graduates' Acculturation Challenges." Presented at the annual meeting of the Association of Pediatric Program Directors, April 2, Miami, FL.

- Rao, Aarati, Marilyn O'Brien, **Christopher R. Freed**, and Franklin Trimm. 2011. "Contrasting Experiences of International and American Medical Graduates in a Pediatric Residency Program: A Qualitative Study." Presented at the annual Southern Regional Meeting, American Federation for Medical Research, February 18, New Orleans, LA.
- Rao, Aarati, Marilyn O'Brien, **Christopher R. Freed**, and Franklin Trimm. 2011. "A Qualitative Assessment of the Perceived Impact of an Intervention to Help International Medical Graduates Transition to a Residency Program." Presented at the annual meeting of the Academic Pediatric Association, Region IX and X, January 29, Monterey, CA.
- Rao, Aarati, Marilyn O'Brien, **Christopher R. Freed**, and Franklin Trimm. 2011. "Contrasting Experiences of International and American Medical Graduates in a Pediatric Residency Program: A Qualitative Study." Presented at the annual meeting of the Academic Pediatric Association, Region IX and X, January 29, Monterey, CA.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2010. "Old Wine in New Bottles: Sociological Insights on Modern Medical Professionalism." Presented at the annual meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, October 15, Baton Rouge, LA.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2010. "Control Over the Medical Field of Addiction: The Professional Utility of Fellowship Training Programs." Presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 15, Atlanta, GA.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2010. "In the Spirit of Selden Bacon: A Sociology of Drinking and Drug Problems." Presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 14, Atlanta, GA.
- Rao, Aarati, Marilyn O'Brien, **Christopher R. Freed**, and Franklin Trimm. 2010. "Barriers to Acculturation of International Medical Graduates (IMGs) in a Pediatric Residency Program." Presented at the annual meeting of the Pediatric Academic Societies, May 2, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2010. "The Professional Value of Formal Medical Training in Addiction." Presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, April 23, Atlanta, GA.
- Rao, Aarati, Marilyn O'Brien, **Christopher R. Freed**, and Franklin Trimm. 2010. "A Qualitative Study of International Medical Graduates and Acculturation to Training in America." Presented at the annual meeting of the Association of Pediatric Program Directors, April 17, Chicago, IL.
- Rao, Aarati, Marilyn O'Brien, **Christopher R. Freed**, and Franklin Trimm. 2010. "Barriers to Acculturation of International Medical Graduates (IMGs) in a Pediatric Residency Program." Presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Society of Pediatric Research, February 26, New Orleans, LA.

- Freed, Christopher R.** 2009. "Addiction Medicine and Addiction Psychiatry: Medical Knowledge and Occupational Interests." Presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 11, San Francisco, CA.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2009. "Alcoholism as Evidence: The Origins and Impact of Addiction Medicine." Presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, April 4, New Orleans, LA.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2007. "Addiction Medicine and Addiction Psychiatry: The Impact of Physicians in Recovery on the Medical Treatment of Addiction." Presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 12, New York, NY.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2007. "Owning Addicts." Presented at the meeting on Health and Body at The Graduate Center, The City University of New York, March 8, New York, NY.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2006. "Beyond the Art and Science of Addiction Treatment: Medical Specialization and Workplace Agendas." Presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 12, Montréal, Quebec, Canada.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2006. "Surrender or Symptomize: Conceptualizing Addiction, Professionalizing Medical Specialty Treatment." Presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, February 24, Boston, MA.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2005. "The Assessment and Treatment of 'Problem Drinking': The Evolution and Effect of Addiction Medicine." Presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 12, Philadelphia, PA.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2005. "Treating the American Inebriate in the 19<sup>th</sup> and Early 20<sup>th</sup> Century: Medicalizing Deviance, Criminalizing Inebriety." Presented at the annual meeting of the International Critical Criminology and Criminal Justice Group, May 4, Fordham University School of Law, New York, NY.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2005. "The American Inebriety Movement of the 19<sup>th</sup> Century: The Medicalization of Deviance and the Birth of Addiction Medicine." Presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, March 18, Washington, DC.

## **COURSES TAUGHT**

University of South Alabama

Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work

### Undergraduate-Level Courses

- Social Problems, SY 112 (also part of MythBusters: Critical Thinking and Making a Difference Learning Community, with Dr. Philip J. Carr)
- Sociology of Drugs, SY 319
- Sociology Internship, SY 496

### Undergraduate and Graduate-Level Courses (cross-listed)

- Sociology of Mental Health and Illness, SY 415 and SY 515
- Medicine and Society, SY 459 and SY 559

#### Graduate-Level Courses

- Qualitative Inquiry, SY 510 (forthcoming Fall 2015)
- Directed Studies, SY 594
- Sociology Internship, SY 596
- Sociology Teaching Apprenticeship, SY 597

The New School University

The New School for General Studies, Department of Social Sciences

#### Undergraduate-Level Courses

- Corners and Computers: Typologies of Community, NSOC 3516
- Sociology of Addiction, NSOC 3680

### **SUPERVISED STUDENT RESEARCH**

Member, Master of Arts Thesis Committee

“Risk, Deviance, and Psychiatry: A Rhetorical Criticism of Pedophilia in the DSM-V”

Student: Bridget Green Mallette

Department of Communication

University of South Alabama

Fall 2014-Spring 2015

Chair, Master of Arts Applied Research Project Committee

“Fresh Vegetables and Fresh Ideas: Fostering Community in a Community Garden”

Student: Aaron O. Taylor

Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work

University of South Alabama

Fall 2014-Spring 2015

Member, Master of Science Thesis Committee

“Battle of the Tests: A Comparison of the RAVLT and CVLT-II in ADHD Participants”

Student: Emily R. Corley

Department of Psychology

University of South Alabama

Fall 2013-Spring 2014

Research Supervisor, Senior Research Project

“Police, Crime, and Social Values”

Student: Joy A. Judge

Department of Interdisciplinary Studies, School of Continuing Education and Special Programs

University of South Alabama

Spring 2011

Member, Master of Arts Applied Research Project Committee

“Qualitative Analysis of the Caregiver Experience within a Respite Program”

Student: Sara E. McAfee  
Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work  
University of South Alabama  
Fall 2010-Fall 2011

### **INVITED LECTURES**

- Freed, Christopher R.** 2014. "The Ethics Behind the Treatment of Impaired Physicians."  
Invited lecture in Issues in Biomedical Sciences, Department of Biomedical Sciences, Pat Capps Covey College of Allied Health Professions, University of South Alabama, November 7, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2014. "Socialization of Narcotics." Invited lecture for the University of South Alabama Social Science Clubs, University of South Alabama, October 15, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2013. "The Ethics Behind the Treatment of Impaired Physicians."  
Invited lecture in Issues in Biomedical Sciences, Department of Biomedical Sciences, Pat Capps Covey College of Allied Health Professions, University of South Alabama, September 25, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2013. "A Sociology of Drugs." Invited lecture in Issues in Health Care, Department of Physician Assistant Studies, Pat Capps Covey College of Allied Health Professions, University of South Alabama, March 28, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2013. "Health Disparities: Unnatural Causes." Invited lecture in Issues in Health Care, Department of Physician Assistant Studies, Pat Capps Covey College of Allied Health Professions, University of South Alabama, February 7, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2012. Invited panelist (with Dr. Martha Jane Brazy, Frye Gaillard, Jr., Jessica Norwood, and Dr. Betty Trout-Kelly) for "Mobile in Black & White II."  
Innovation in Learning Center, University of South Alabama, November 8, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2012. "The Ethics Behind the Treatment of Impaired Physicians."  
Invited lecture in Issues in Biomedical Sciences, Department of Biomedical Sciences, Pat Capps Covey College of Allied Health Professions, University of South Alabama, November 2, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2012. "'Problem' Alcohol and Drug Use: A Sociological Perspective."  
Invited lecture in Issues in Health Care, Department of Physician Assistant Studies, Pat Capps Covey College of Allied Health Professions, University of South Alabama, March 27, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2012. "Health Disparities and Dying Alone." Invited lecture in Issues in Health Care, Department of Physician Assistant Studies, Pat Capps Covey College of Allied Health Professions, University of South Alabama, February 28, Mobile, AL.



- Freed, Christopher R.** 2011. "The Ethics Behind the Treatment of Impaired Physicians." Invited lecture in Issues in Biomedical Sciences, Department of Biomedical Sciences, Pat Capps Covey College of Allied Health Professions, University of South Alabama, November 4, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2011. "Socialization and Drugs." Invited lecture in Introduction to Sociology, Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work, University of South Alabama, October 12, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2010. "The Ethics Behind the Treatment of Impaired Physicians." Invited lecture in Issues in Biomedical Sciences, Department of Biomedical Sciences, Pat Capps Covey College of Allied Health Professions, University of South Alabama, November 1, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2009. "Research in Medical Sociology." Invited lecture in Graduate Orientation, Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work, University of South Alabama, November 17, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2009. "The Ethics Behind the Treatment of Impaired Physicians." Invited lecture in Issues in Biomedical Sciences, Department of Biomedical Sciences, Pat Capps Covey College of Allied Health Professions, University of South Alabama, October 30, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2009. "The Sociology of Stroke." Invited lecture for the South Alabama Regional Stroke Support Group, University of South Alabama Medical Center, July 21, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2008. "Addiction and the Medical Profession." Invited lecture for the Alpha Kappa Delta International Sociology Honor Society, Zeta Chapter, and for the University of South Alabama Sociology Club, Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work, University of South Alabama, September 10, Mobile, AL.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2007. "The Impact of Physicians in Recovery on the Medical Treatment of Addiction." Invited lecture in The Social Construction of Illness: Consumption, Production and the Medicalized Body, Ph.D. Program in Sociology, The Graduate Center, The City University of New York, March 13, New York, NY.
- Freed, Christopher R.** 2006. "Medical Authority, Society, and Politics in Science." Invited lecture in Health and Healing in Sociocultural and Critical Context, The State University of New York Health Science Center at Brooklyn and Department of Sociology, Brooklyn College, The City University of New York, November 28, Brooklyn, NY.

#### **TEACHING PRESENTATIONS**

- Freed, Christopher R.** and Philip J. Carr. 2014. "Where Are They Now? Is the MythBusters Learning Community Really 'Making a Difference'?" Presented at the annual meeting of the South Alabama Conference on Teaching and Learning, May 12, Mobile, AL.

**Freed, Christopher R.** 2013. "Writing Across the Curriculum: Writing Strategies to Foster Critical Thinking among Students in the Social Sciences." Presented at Faculty Development Day, Innovation in Learning Center, University of South Alabama, August 16, Mobile, AL.

**Freed, Christopher R.** and Philip J. Carr. 2013. "Lessons Learned: Critical Thinking about the 'MythBusters' Learning Community." Presented at the annual meeting of the South Alabama Conference on Teaching and Learning, May 13, Mobile, AL.

Carr, Philip J. and **Christopher R. Freed**. 2012. "Busting Social Myths: A Learning Community in the Community." Presented at the annual meeting of the South Alabama Conference on Teaching and Learning, May 15, Mobile, AL.

**Freed, Christopher R.** 2012. Invited panelist (with Dr. Nicole Amare and Dr. Donald C. Mosley, Jr.) for "Using Writing to Teach Critical Thinking." Innovation in Learning Center, University of South Alabama, April 4, Mobile, AL.

**Freed, Christopher R.** 2011. "Developing Writing and Critical Thinking Skills." Presented at the Innovation in Learning Center, University of South Alabama, October 14, Mobile, AL.

**Freed, Christopher R.** 2011. "The Utility of Revision: Developing Writing and Critical Thinking Skills." Presented at the annual meeting of the South Alabama Conference on Teaching and Learning, May 16, Mobile, AL.

**Freed, Christopher R.** 2009. "Reflections on the First Year of Teaching: Lessons Learned." Presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 7, San Francisco, CA.

## **HONORS and AWARDS**

*Top Prof*, Mortar Board Senior Honor Society, Azalea Chapter, University of South Alabama, November 29, 2012

*The Donald R. South Faculty Service Award*, Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work, University of South Alabama, April 27, 2011

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work, University of South Alabama

2014-2015      Graduate Admissions Committee, *Chair*  
                    Departmental Assessment Committee  
                    Departmental Mid-Probationary Review Committee  
                    Sociology Undergraduate Program Committee  
                    Teaching Support and Special Events Committee

2013-2014      Graduate Admissions Committee, *Chair*  
                    Library Committee, *Chair*

Advertising and Website Committee  
Departmental Assessment Committee  
Sociology Undergraduate Program Committee  
Teaching Support and Special Events Committee

2012-2013 Graduate Admissions Committee, *Chair*  
Library Committee, *Chair*  
Advertising and Website Committee  
Departmental Assessment Committee  
Faculty Search Committee for Non Tenure-Track Sociologist  
Faculty Search Committee for Tenure-Track Sociologist  
Sociology Undergraduate Program Committee  
Teaching Support and Special Events Committee  
Temporary Instructor Search Committee for Sociology

2011-2012 Graduate Admissions Committee, *Chair*  
Library Committee, *Chair*  
Advertising and Website Committee  
Departmental Assessment Committee  
Honors and Awards Committee  
Teaching Support and Special Events Committee

2010-2011 Library Committee, *Chair*  
Sociology Undergraduate Program Committee, *Chair*  
Ad Hoc Departmental Self-Study Committee (for Sociology)  
Advertising and Website Committee  
Graduate Admissions Committee  
Honors and Awards Committee  
Peer Review Committee  
Teaching Support and Special Events Committee

2009-2010 Library Committee, *Chair*  
Sociology Undergraduate Program Committee, *Chair*  
Advertising and Website Committee  
Graduate Admissions Committee  
Honors and Awards Committee

2008-2009 Library Committee, *Chair*  
Graduate Admissions Committee  
Honors and Awards Committee  
Peer Review Committee  
Sociology Undergraduate Program Committee  
Teaching Support and Special Events Committee

College of Arts and Sciences, University of South Alabama

2014-2015 Graduate Curriculum Committee

2013-2014	Graduate Curriculum Committee Undergraduate Scholarship Committee
2012-2013	Graduate Curriculum Committee Undergraduate Scholarship Committee
2011-2012	Graduate Curriculum Committee Undergraduate Scholarship Committee
2010-2011	Undergraduate Scholarship Committee
2009-2010	Undergraduate Scholarship Committee

#### Service to Students, University of South Alabama

August 2009-Present	Faculty Advisor, Alpha Kappa Delta International Sociology Honor Society, Zeta Chapter
August 2009-Present	Faculty Advisor, University of South Alabama Sociology Club

#### University of South Alabama

2014-2015	Faculty Senate Faculty Senate Environmental Quality Committee Learning Community Coordinating Committee
2013-2014	Faculty Senate Faculty Senate Environmental Quality Committee Learning Community Coordinating Committee
2012-2013	Learning Community Coordinating Committee

#### Service to the Discipline

##### *Manuscript Reviewer*

September 2013-Present	<i>International Journal of Alcohol and Drug Research</i>
August 2013-Present	<i>Teaching and Learning in Medicine</i>
January 2012-Present	<i>Sociological Focus</i>
March 2011-Present	<i>Addiction Research &amp; Theory</i>
April 2010-Present	<i>Health: An Interdisciplinary Journal for the Social Study of Health, Illness and Medicine</i>

##### *Annual Meeting Session Assignments*

November 6, 2014	Session Organizer and Moderator, <i>Food Systems: From Global to Local and Back Again</i> , Mid-South Sociological Association annual meeting, Mobile, AL
November 9, 2012	Session Organizer and Moderator, <i>Sociology of Health and Illness in the South, Part 1</i> , Mid-South Sociological Association annual meeting, Mobile, AL
November 9, 2012	Session Organizer and Moderator, <i>Sociology of Health and Illness in the South, Part 2</i> , Mid-South Sociological Association annual meeting, Mobile, AL
March 23, 2012	Session Presider, <i>Health Disparities: Literacy, Information, and Communication III</i> , Southern Sociological Society annual meeting, New Orleans, LA

August 20, 2011	Roundtable Organizer, <i>The Social Construction of Drug and Alcohol "Problems,"</i> Society for the Study of Social Problems annual meeting, Las Vegas, NV
October 15, 2010	Session Organizer and Presider, <i>Sociological Perspectives on Health Science Professions, Professionalism, and Practice</i> , Mid-South Sociological Association annual meeting, Baton Rouge, LA
October 15, 2010	Session Presider and Discussant, <i>Undergraduate Paper Session</i> , Mid-South Sociological Association annual meeting, Baton Rouge, LA
April 23, 2010	Session Presider, <i>Risk and Disease: Medical and Community Perspectives</i> , Southern Sociological Society annual meeting, Atlanta, GA
February 25, 2006	Session Adjudicator, <i>Undergraduate Poster Sessions</i> , Eastern Sociological Society annual meeting, Boston, MA

*Professional Organization Committee Assignments*

February 2014-November 2014	Local Arrangements Committee, Mid-South Sociological Association annual meeting, November 5-8, Mobile, AL
September 2012-November 2012	Local Arrangements Committee, Mid-South Sociological Association annual meeting, November 8-10, Mobile, AL
February 2011-Present	Nominations Committee, Mid-South Sociological Association
August 2010-May 2011	Graduate Student Paper Award Committee, Teaching Social Problems Division, Society for the Study of Social Problems
May 2010-October 2010	Program Committee, Mid-South Sociological Association annual meeting, October 13-16, Baton Rouge, LA
July 2005-December 2008	Committee on Undergraduate Education, Eastern Sociological Society

Service to the Community

March 2013-Present	Volunteer, Bay Area Food Bank, Theodore, AL
November 2013-December 2013	Volunteer, Clothing Drive, St. Mary's Home, Mobile, AL
November 2012-December 2012	Volunteer, Clothing Drive, St. Mary's Home, Mobile, AL
December 2010-December 2013	Member, Steering Committee, Gulf Coast Conference on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, Drug Education Council, Inc. and University of South Alabama Center for Continuing Education and Conference Services, Mobile, AL
September 2010-Present	Member, Underage Drinking Task Force, Drug Education Council, Inc., Mobile, AL

January 2010-January 2011

Member, Event Planning Committee, Special Olympics of Mobile County, Mobile, AL

April 2010

Community-Based Participatory Research Consultant, Bay Area Women Coalition, Mobile, AL

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

### National and International Organizations

August 2001-Present

American Sociological Association

Section Membership: Medical Sociology; Alcohol, Drugs, and Tobacco

August 2002-Present

Society for the Study of Social Problems

Special Problems Divisions Membership: Health, Health Policy, and Health Services; Drinking and Drugs; Teaching Social Problems

April 2009-Present

Alpha Kappa Delta International Sociology Honor Society

January 2015-Present

Association for the Study of Food and Society

August 2003-December 2008

Alcohol and Drugs History Society

### Regional Organizations

August 2008-Present

Southern Sociological Society

January 2010-Present

Mid-South Sociological Association

August 2001-December 2008

Eastern Sociological Society