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Education

- PhD** **The New School for Social Research**, Department of Sociology,
December 2014 (expected)
Dissertation: "Civic Struggles: Jews, Blacks and the Question of
Inclusion at The City College of New York, 1930-1975"
Committee: Eiko Ikegami (chair), Carlos Forment, George Steinmetz
- MA** **The New School for Social Research**, Department of Sociology,
January 2004 (With Honors)
- BA** **Drew University**, Major: Sociology; Minor: History, May 2001
(Magna Cum Laude)

Research Areas

Sociology of race and ethnicity; sociology of citizenship; urban sociology;
sociology of education; social movements; social theory; historical sociology;
cultural sociology; qualitative methods

Positions

Visiting Faculty, Colby College, 2014-2015

Adjunct Lecturer in Department of Anthropology and Sociology at
Baruch College, 2005-2014

Works in Progress

"Making the Meritocratic Student: The Structural Origins and Racial Effects of
Meritocratic Admissions at The City College of New York"

"Pierre Bourdieu as Social Movement Theorist"

“Imagining American Democracy: An Interpretive-Hermeneutic Approach to Cultural Meaning in Collective Actor Formation Processes”

“Making Race, Ethnicity and Citizenship Through Higher Education: The Case of the City College of New York”

“An Evolving Global Frame: City College Students Challenge Racism, 1930-1975”

“Theorizing ‘Race’ *Within* the Ethnic Boundary Construction Group Formation Paradigm”

“Understanding is Explanation, Meaning is the Mechanism: On the Hermeneutical Foundations of Sociology as an Explanatory Science”

Conferences and Invited Presentations

“Making the Meritocratic Student: The Structural Origins and Racial Effects of Meritocratic Admissions at The City College of New York,” accepted for presentation at the Sociology of Education Roundtables, American Sociological Association Meetings, San Francisco, August 2014.

“Pierre Bourdieu as Social Movement Theorist,” accepted for presentation at the Junior Theorists Symposium, Berkeley California, August 15, 2014.

“An Evolving Global Frame: City College Students Challenge Racism, 1930-1975,” conference on “Global Racism,” University of Kentucky, February 22, 2013

“The Making of the Knickerbocker-Davis Affair: Jews, Blacks and the Discourse of Democracy at The City College of New York, 1948-1950,” Sociology of Culture Roundtables, American Sociological Association Annual Meetings, Denver, August 2012

“‘Jim Crowism is Anti-Semitism’: The Knickerbocker-Davis Affair and the Fusion of Jewish/Black Racial Minority Struggle,” Sociology of Culture Roundtables, American Sociological Association Meetings, Las Vegas, August 2011

“Nazi Germany, the Cold War, and the Transformation of German and American Sociology,” Historical Sociology Panel at 2009 American Sociological Association Meetings, San Francisco, August 2009, co-authored with George Steinmetz

“Understanding is Explanation, Meaning is the Mechanism: On the Hermeneutical Foundations of Sociology as an Explanatory Science,” Student Working Papers, Department of Sociology, The New School for Social Research, New York, April 2008

“Why Alexander Can’t be Right: For a Weberian Reading of Bourdieu,” History Matters Conference, The New School for Social Research, New York , May 2006

“Presidential Charisma and New Institutionalism,” One Day Conference on Presidential Forms of Government, The New School for Social Research, New York, Organized and Hosted by Professor Andrew Arato, Spring 2004

Awards

2010/2011 Arthur J. Vidich Dissertation Fellowship Award

Assistantship Awards

Fall 2012 Graduate Teaching Assistantship Award

Spring 2012 Graduate Teaching Assistantship Award

Spring 2011 Graduate Teaching Assistantship Award

2009/2010 Research Assistantship Award for Heuss Visiting Professor

Fall 2004-2007 Graduate Teaching Assistantship Award

Spring 2005 Graduate Teaching Assistantship Award

Teaching Experience

Courses Taught

2005-2014 Adjunct Lecturer of Sociology at Baruch College (CUNY),
courses taught: Introduction to Sociology; Sociology of Race
and Ethnicity; Social Movements; Sociological Theory;
Capstone Course: Citizenship and Higher Education, The Case
of The City College of New York

2006-2008 Teaching Fellow at The New School for General Studies,
courses taught: Sociology of Race and Ethnicity; Identity and
Identity Politics

Spring 2007 Teaching Fellow at Eugene Lang College, course taught:
Power, Domination and Resistance

Teaching Assistantship, Graduate Level

Fall 2012 Classical Sociological Theory, lead instructor, Carlos Forment

Spring 2012	Historical Sociology, lead instructor, Carlos Forment (responsible for leading multiple class sessions)
Spring 2011	Historical Sociology, lead instructor, Carlos Forment
2004-2007	Classical Sociological Theory, lead instructors, José Casanova and Sarah Daynes (alternate years)
Spring 2005	Historical Sociology, lead instructor, Eiko Ikegami

Research Experience

2009/2010	Research Assistant for visiting Professor Hauke Brunkhorst (awarded position)
2008/2009	Research Assistant for Professor George Steinmetz (awarded position)
2002-2004	Research Assistant for Professor Orville Lee (work study position)

Professional Service

2009	Co-organizer, with Carlos Forment and George Steinmetz, one-day conference “Empire, Post-Colonialism and the Human Sciences” held at The New School for Social Research, April 23, 2009
2007/2008	Organizer of “Scapes and Grapes”, student working paper series, The New School for Social Research
2006/2007	Voting Student Representative on University Hiring Committee, two Junior Faculty Positions, Department of Sociology, The New School for Social Research

Administrative Experience

2010-2012	The New School for Social Research, Department of Sociology Graduate Student Advisor (curricular advising, record keeping, policy enforcement; hired on the basis of outstanding intellectual and social student leadership within the department)
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Professional Membership

American Sociological Association

Languages

English (native), Spanish

References

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