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CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

2018 B.A., Psychology and Sociology, University of Kentucky.
Final GPA: 3.86
Summa Cum Laude

2021 Forthcoming: M.A., Sociology, University of Kentucky.
Current GPA: 4.0

TEACHING

Teaching Assistantship

2019 University of Kentucky Sociology: *Medicine, Health, And Society*. Lectures: “Healthcare Around the World” & “Plagiarism Workshop.” Fall.

2020 University of Kentucky Sociology: *Introduction to Sociology*. Lectures: “Race & Ethnicity.” Fall.

2020 University of Kentucky Sociology: *Sociology of Disney*. Fall.

RESEARCH HISTORY

2021 - Present Graduate Research Assistant, Center for Research on Violence Against Women. Supervisors: Dr. Diane Follingstad and Jaspreet Chahal.

2020 (Summer) Graduate Research Assistant, Center for Research on Violence Against Women. Supervisors: Dr. Diane Follingstad and Jaspreet Chahal.

2019 - Present Project Director & Graduate Research Assistant, Therapeutic Horticulture Collaborative Evaluation Project. The Center for Research on Violence Against Women. PI's: Dr. Claire Renzetti and Dr. Diane Follingstad

2018 Market Research Assistant. LEAP, Digital Marketing Agency.

- 2017 – 2018 Experiment Conductor & Research Assistant, Social Psychology & Role-Taking Study. Department of Sociology. PI: Dr. Tony Love
- 2017 – 2018 Lab Assistant, Cognition & Brain Stimulation Lab. Department of Psychology. PI's: Dr. Nathan DeWall and Dr. Sarah-Beth Bell
- 2017 Intern, Center for Drug and Alcohol Research. Department of Psychology. Study Coordinator: Paul Nuzzo.
- 2017 Student, Animal Research Lab. Department of Psychology. Professor: Dr. Thomas Zentall.

COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS

- 2020 - Present Vice President, Graduate Student Organization
- 2020 - Present Graduate Student Co-Chair, Sociologists for Women in Society
- 2020 - Present Graduate Student Co-Chair, Committee on Social Media
- 2020 Member, United Campus Workers of Kentucky
- 2019 - Present Member, Graduate Student Organization
- 2017 – 2018 Mentorship Program Coordinator, Psi Chi (Psychology Honors Society)
- 2017 – 2018 Member, NeuroCATS
- 2015 – 2018 Member and Mentor, Psi Chi
- 2015 – 2018 Member, Psychology Student Association

HONORS, AWARDS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2020 Robert A. Ladner Fund for Graduate Excellence in Sociology, UK Sociology Department

2019	International Fellowship in the Study of Role-Taking, Australia National University
2019	Robert A. Ladner Fund for Graduate Excellence in Sociology, UK Sociology Department
2018	<i>Summa Cum Laude</i> , University of Kentucky
2018	Honorable Mention, Lee Coleman Sociology Award
2017	Kaplan GRE Scholarship, Psi Chi (Psychology Honors Society)
2014 – 2018	Dean’s List, College of Arts & Sciences
2014 – 2018	Provost Scholarship, University of Kentucky
2014 – 2018	William C. Parker Scholarship, University of Kentucky

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

PSY 215: Experimental Methods in Psychology	SOC 302: Research Methods in Sociology
PSY 216: Application of Statistics in Psychology	SOC 235: Inequalities in Society
PSY 223: Developmental Psychology	SOC 304: Intro. Classical Sociology Theory
PSY 311: Learning & Cognition	SOC 339: Intro to Criminology
PSY 312: Brain & Behavior	SOC 355: Sociology of Health & Illness
PSY 313: Personality & Individual Differences	SOC 340: Community Interaction
PSY 333: Abnormal Psychology	SOC 432: Race and Ethnic Relations
PSY 394: Brain Stimulation & Cognition Research Lab	SOC 439: Inside/Out Prison Exchange
PSY 459: Neuropharmacology: Drugs & Behavior	SOC 681: Quantitative Data Analysis I
PSY 561: Research in Clinical Neuropsychology	SOC 651: Classical Sociology Theory
ANT 160: Cultural Diversity in the Modern World	SOC 682: Qualitative Research Methods
COM 316: Emergency & Disaster Preparedness	SOC 781: Quantitative Data Analysis II
FRENCH: 101,102, & 201	SOC 751: Contemporary Sociology Theory
PSY 331: Psychology of Adjustment	SOC 735: Seminar in Social Inequalities: Masculinities
PSY 552: Evolutionary Psychology	SOC 539: Advanced Topics in Crime, Law, and Deviance: Criminological Theory
MAT 247: Dress & Culture	GWS 650: Feminist Theory
	SOC 680: Social Investigation & Research Design
	SOC 665: Program Development & Evaluation
	SOC 792: Research in Sociology
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REFERENCES

Dr. Claire Renzetti – Professor of Sociology; MA Committee Chair; claire.renzetti@uky.edu

Dr. Tony Love – Associate Professor of Sociology; Graduate Advisor; tony.love@uky.edu

Dr. Mairead Moloney – Associate Professor of Sociology; mmo272@g.uky.edu

Dr. Sarah Beth Bell – Psychology Statistician; bellse@hendrix.edu