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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- 2015-present **Associate Professor** of Sociology, Department of Sociology and Anthropology
Long Island University, C. W. Post
- 2009-2015 **Assistant Professor** of Sociology, Department of Sociology and Anthropology
Long Island University, C. W. Post

EDUCATION

- 2009 **Ph.D.** Sociology, University of Georgia
Dissertation: "Caring for Children within Structures of Constraint: The Effects of Children on Mothers' Social Mobility"
Committee: Dr. Linda Grant (Chair), Dr. Linda Renzulli, Dr. Jeremy Reynolds
Comprehensive Exams taken in Race, Class, and Gender Inequality
- 2006 **Graduate Certificate** Women's Studies, University of Georgia
- 2006 **Graduate Certificate** Nonprofit Management, University of Georgia
- 2004 **M.A.** Sociology, University of Georgia
Thesis: "Educating Latino Children in Georgia: Accountability, Accommodation, and School Organization"
Committee: Dr. Linda Grant (Chair), Dr. Stephanie Bohon, Dr. William Finlay
- 2002 **B.S.** Sociology, College of Charleston Honors College
Magna Cum Laude

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- 2015 Parrott, Heather Macpherson and Elizabeth Cherry. Process Memos: Facilitating Dialogues about Writing between Students and Instructors. *Teaching Sociology* 43(2): 146-153.
- 2014 Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "Housework, Children, and Women's Wages Across Racial-Ethnic Groups" *Social Science Research*, 46C, 72-84.
- 2011 Parrott, Heather Macpherson and Elizabeth Cherry. "Using Structured Reading Groups to Promote Deep Reading" *Teaching Sociology*, 39 (4), 354-370.
- 2011 Renzulli, Linda, Heather Macpherson Parrott, and Irene Beattie. "Racial Mismatch and Organizational Structure: The Case of Teacher Satisfaction and Retention." *Sociology of Education*, 84(1), 23-48.

- 2011 Bohon, Stephanie and Heather Macpherson Parrott. "The Myth of Millions: Socially Constructing 'Illegal' Immigration." *Being Brown in Dixie: Race, Ethnicity, and Latino Immigration in the New South*. Eds. Cameron D. Lippard and Charles A. Gallagher. Boulder, CO: First Forum Press.
- 2005 Bohon, Stephanie, Heather Macpherson, and Jorge Atiles. "The Future of Education for New Latinos in the Southeast." *Journal of Latinos and Education*, 4(1), 43-58.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS AND REPORTS

- 2017 Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "Worker Owned Businesses on Long Island: Benefits for Owners, Workers, and Communities." Report created for Long Island Progressive Coalition.
- 2016 Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "Long Island Professional Development Survey: Summary Report." Report created for ERASE Racism.
- 2016 Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "Long Island Progressive Network: Common Interests and Desired Directions." Report created for the Long Island Progressive Network.
- 2012 Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "Negotiating Work and Family." Review essay in *Qualitative Sociology*, 35(3): 355-358.
- 2010 Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "Open Access and Technological Change in Publishing" *Network News*. Newsletter for Sociologists for Women in Society.
- 2006 Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "Fundraising Plan for Athens Economic Justice Coalition." Report created for Athens Economic Justice Coalition.
- 2005 Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "Program Evaluation of Project Safe Case Management." Report created for Project Safe, Inc.

ONGOING RESEARCH / PUBLIC SOCIOLOGY

Parrott, Heather Macpherson, Colby Valentine, Elisa Giffords, and Orly Calderon. "Trauma, Treatment and Health Outcomes." Ongoing longitudinal survey research with The Safe Center LI, August 2016- present.

Parrott, Heather Macpherson, Colby Valentine, Alexander Henderson, and Lauren Mullins. "Nonprofits, Advocacy, and Victims of Trauma." Ongoing research on trauma victims, including victims of human trafficking, in conjunction with the Empowerment Collaborative of Long Island (ECLI), May 2016 - present.

Parrott, Heather Macpherson and Jeong-eun Rhee. "Long Island Educator Professional Development Survey." Ongoing survey research with ERASE Racism, January 2016 - present.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

Parrott, Heather Macpherson and Colby Valentine. "Oppression 101: Understanding Power and Oppression in the #MeToo Era." Workshop presented at *The Many Faces of Family Violence Conference*, LIU, April, 2018

Parrott, Heather Macpherson and Elizabeth Cherry. "Encouraging Deep Reading: Using Structured Reading Groups to Facilitate Students' Engagement with Course Readings." Invited to conduct workshop for Faculty at University of Wisconsin - River Falls, January 2018.

Sweeney, Brian and Heather Macpherson Parrott. "Intimate Partner and Dating Violence." Presented at *The Many Faces of Family Violence Conference*, LIU, April, 2013

Parrott, Heather Macpherson and Elizabeth Cherry. "Using Structured Reading Groups to Promote Deep Reading." Workshop at the *ASA Teaching Preconference* in Las Vegas, NV, August 2011.

Spalter-Roth, Roberta M., Linda Grant, Kimberly Kelly, Heather Macpherson Parrott, Erin Winter, and Nichole Van Vooren. 2009 "Career and Family Trajectories and Work Life Policy" Workshop presented at the *American Sociological Association Meetings*, San Francisco, CA, August 2009.

Grant, Linda, Kimberly Kelly, Heather Macpherson Parrott, and Erin Winter. "The Interweave of Work and Family in the Lives of Mid-Career Women and Men Sociologists." Invited Presentation for the *Southern Sociological Society Meetings*, New Orleans, LA, April 2009.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Gerdes, Benjamin and Heather Macpherson Parrott. "Documentary collaborations between students and community organizations: Human trafficking on Long Island (LI-ARC & ECLI) as example." Presented at *Our (Digital) Humanity: Storytelling, Media Organizing, and Social Justice Conference*, Bethlehem, PA, 2018

Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "Building Nonprofit Coalitions: Challenges and Opportunities." Presented at the *Society for the Study of Social Problems Meetings*, Seattle, WA, August 2016.

Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "Internships as Sites for Feminist Pedagogy and Activism." Invited presentation as part of a "Mobilizing Feminist Classrooms for Social Justice" panel at the *National Women's Studies Association Meetings*, San Juan, Puerto Rico, November 2014.

Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "Exploring the Relationships between Skill Level, Labor Force Attachment, and Women's Wages across Racial-Ethnic Groups." Presented at the *Eastern Sociological Society Meetings*, Baltimore, MD, February 2014.

Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "Does Paid Labor Really Pay Off?: The Effects of Welfare, Work, and Employment Breaks on the Wages of Low-Income Women." Presented at the *Sociologists for Women in Society Winter Meetings*, St. Petersburg, FL, February 2012.

Parrott, Heather Macpherson and Elizabeth Cherry. "Using Structured Reading Groups to Promote Deep Reading." Presented at the *ASA Teaching Preconference* in Las Vegas, NV, August 2011.

Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "The Relationships Between Childcare and Maternal Education By Race/Ethnicity and Marital Status." Presented at the *Eastern Sociological Society Meetings*, Philadelphia, PA, February 2011.

Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "The Motherhood Wage Penalty and Hours of Household Labor Across Racial/Ethnic Groups" Presented at the *American Sociological Society Meetings*, Atlanta, GA, August 2010.

Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "Variations in the Effects of Welfare and Work on Mothers Wages Across Racial and Ethnic Groups." Presented at the *Eastern Sociological Society Meetings*, Cambridge, MA, March 2010.

Parrott, Heather Macpherson. "Childcare and the Motherhood Penalty." *Society for the Study of Social Problems Meetings*, Boston, MA, July 31-August 2, 2008.

Renzulli, Linda, Heather Macpherson, and Irene R. Beattie. "Are Charter Schools Satisfying?: The Effects of Racial Composition and School Type on Teacher Satisfaction." *American Sociological Association Meetings*, New York, NY, August 10-12, 2007.

Bohon, Stephanie and Heather Macpherson. "The Myth of Millions: The Social Construction of Illegal Immigration in the South." *Southern Sociological Society Meetings*, New Orleans, LA, March 22-25, 2006.

Macpherson, Heather. "Educating Latino Children in Georgia: Are Children Being Left Behind?" *Southern Sociological Society Meetings*, Charlotte, NC, April 14-16, 2005.

Macpherson, Heather. "Educating Latino Children in Georgia." *University of Georgia Colloquium Series: Spotlight on Latinos in the South*, University of Georgia, March 3, 2004.

FUNDED RESEARCH SUBMITTED

Valentine, Colby, Heather Macpherson Parrott, Alex Henderson, and Benj Gedes. "The Long Island Applied Research Center (LI-ARC) and the Empowerment Collaborative of Long Island (ECLI) Partnership", a nine-month \$14,872.55 project proposal submitted to the Center for Victim Research (CVR) funded by the Office of Victims of Crime, U.S. Department of Justice, December 7, 2017. Not funded.

Parrott, Heather Macpherson and Colby Valentine. LIU Post Faculty Research Grant, \$550 awarded for "Treatment, Trauma, and Health Outcomes" project, April 2017.

Parrott, Heather Macpherson. Phelps-Stokes Graduate Fellowship, \$5,000 *awarded* for "Race, Childcare, and the Social Mobility of Low Income Mothers" research, funded by the University of Georgia, 2008-2009

Parrott, Heather Macpherson. University of Georgia Dissertation Completion Grant, \$20,000 *awarded* for "The Effects of Childcare on the Educational and Economic Outcomes of Mothers" research, funded by the University of Georgia, 2008-2009

RESEARCH ASSISTANT EXPERIENCE

Interviewer, Dr. Linda Grant (UGA) and Dr. Roberta Spalter-Roth (ASA), Career and Family Transitions: In and Out of Academia project (Fall 2007 – Spring 2009)

Research Assistant, Dr. Linda Renzulli, Charter School Research using SASS (Summer 2006 - Spring 2008)

Research Assistant, Dr. Linda Grant, Status on Women in Sociology ASA Report (Summer 2004)

Research Assistant, Dr. Bernedette Musetti, UGA Center for Latino Achievement and Success in Education (Fall 2003)

COURSES TAUGHT (*indicates new courses developed)

Introduction to Sociology	Race and Ethnicity	Social Statistics
Social Problems	Sociology of Poverty	Sociological Research Methods
Social Institutions	Sociology of Gender	Qualitative Research Methods
Immigration and Society*	Gendered Violence*	Sociological Internships*

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Long Island University

- SOC1, Introduction to Sociology
- SOC2, Social Institutions
- SOC3, Social Problems
- SOC53, Social Statistics
- SOC59, Gender and Violence
- SOC60, Sociology of Gender
- SOC69, Race and Ethnicity
- SOC70, Sociology of Poverty
- SOC91, Research Methods
- SOC92, Sociological Internships
- SOC98, Immigration and Society

Instructor, Department of Sociology, University of Georgia

- Sociology of Gender
- Qualitative Research Methods
- Race and Ethnicity in America

Instructor, Department of Social Sciences, Gainesville College

- Social Problems

TEACHING AWARDS

David Newton Award for Excellence in Teaching, Long Island University, 2014

Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award, University of Georgia, 2005

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Sociological Association

Sections: Teaching and Learning; Sex and Gender; Race, Class, and Gender

Eastern Sociological Association

Sociology for Women in Society—National

Committees: Social Action Committee and International Committee

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AT LONG ISLAND UNIVERSITY

2016-present Director, LIU Research Collaborative (www.LIUcollaborative.org)

2014-present Faculty Council, representative for College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

2014-2016 David Newton Award Committee

2014-2017 Faculty/Student Appeals Board (2014-2016), Chair of Committee (2015-2017)

2014-2016 Teaching & Learning Initiative Advisory Committee

2011-2017 Campus Committee on Student Writing, Long Island University, C.W. Post

2012-2014 Research Committee, Long Island University, C.W. Post (Jan 2012 – Jan 2014)

Co-Chair of Committee (with Nancy Frye) January 2013-January 2014

- 2010-2013 Scholarship and Financial Aid Committee, Long Island University, C.W. Post
- 2010- present Organize and Manage Sociology Internships, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Long Island University, C.W. Post
- 2009-present Outcomes Assessment Committee, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Long Island University, C.W. Post

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE OUTSIDE OF LONG ISLAND UNIVERSITY

- 2016-2019 Associate Editor for *Teaching Sociology* Journal
- 2011-2013 Listserv Moderator for Sociologist for Women in Society
- 2011 Organizer of Sex and Gender Roundtables for 2011 American Sociological Society Meetings in Las Vegas, NV
- 2009- 2014 Sociology for Women in Society, Social Action and International Committees
- 2008 Sociology for Women in Society, Local Arrangements Committee for the 2009 Winter Meetings in Savannah, GA
- 2004 Presider, Southeastern Undergraduate Sociology Symposium, Athens, Georgia

SOCIAL SERVICE EXPERIENCE

Project Safe, Inc., Athens, GA

Intern, May 2003 – September 2003;

Staff, September 2003 – January 2008

- Completed general shelter tasks, such as covering the hotline, completing intake packets for new residents, providing peer support for current residents, and helping with various other shelter and resident needs.
- Lead a weekly domestic violence support group for women staying in the shelter.
- Organized programming for children at the shelter, including leading support groups

Atwater Counseling Center, Charleston, SC

Residential Counselor, January 2002 – August 2002

- Helped physically and sexually abused children with living skills and therapeutic counseling.

People Against Rape, Charleston, SC

Staff - Victim Advocate, November 1998 – January 2002

- Provided victim assistance, including hospital accompaniment, court accompaniment, crisis counseling, and victim follow-up
- Conducted speaking engagements and puppet shows on the topics of rape and sexual assault

Caritas, Trujillo, Spain

Intern, January 2001 – May 2001

- Helped teach teenagers who, for various reasons, were not incorporated into the regular school systems. Teaching English was my primary focus and contribution.

Juvenile Justice Department, Charleston, SC

Intern, August 2000 – December 2000

REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST