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FORMAL EDUCATION

Northwestern University	Ph.D.	1992
Evanston, Illinois	Sociology	
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Northwestern University	M.A.	1987
Evanston, Illinois	Sociology	
Saint Mary's College	B.A.	1981
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Notre Dame, Indiana	Sociology/Psychology	

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

Fulbright Scholar	University of Gdansk, Poland	2019
Department of Sociology Case Western Reserve University	Full Professor Associate Professor	2017-Present 2012-2017
Department of Sociology Central Connecticut State University	Full Professor Associate Professor Assistant Professor	2005-2012 2003-2005 2002- 2003
Center for Social Research University of Hartford	Senior Research Associate	2001-2007
College of the Holy Cross Worcester, Massachusetts	Visiting Associate Professor	1999-2002
Department of Sociology University of North Carolina, Greensboro	Associate Professor Assistant Professor	1998-2001 1992-1998
Department of Sociology Northwestern University	Instructor	1990-1992
Krakow Industrial Society Krakow, Poland	Instructor	1990
Peace Corps Volunteer Thailand	English Teacher Regional Supervisor	1982-1984

PUBLICATIONS

Books

- Erdmans, Mary Patrice and Timothy Black. 2015. *On Becoming a Teen Mom: Life Before Pregnancy*. Berkeley: University of California Press.
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2004. *The Grasinski Girls: The Choices They Had and the Choices They Made.* Athens: Ohio University Press.
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- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2004. "Looking for Angel: White Working-Class Women Lost between Identities." *Race, Gender & Class* 11(4): 48-62.
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2000. "Polonia in the New Century: We Will Not Fade Away." *Polish American Studies* 57:(1): 5-24.
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 1999. "Portraits of Emigration: Sour Milk and Honey in the Promised Land." *Sociological Inquiry* 69(3): 337-363.
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 1996. "Nielegalni imigranci I domowa opieka pielegniarska: Pozarynkowe warunki osiagania zadowolenia z pracy." ["Illegal Immigrant Home Care Workers: Non-market Conditions of Job Satisfaction."] *Studia Migracynjne -- Przeglad Polonijny* 22(2): 53-69.
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 1995. "Immigrants and Ethnics: Conflict and Identity in Polish Chicago." *The Sociological Quarterly* 36(1): 175-195.
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- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2017. "The Role of the State in Contemporary Polish Political Migration and Return." In the *United States Immigration Policy and Immigrants' Responses: Past and Present*, eds. Agnieszka Malek and Dorota Praszalowicz, 187-204. Frankfurt am Main: Peter Lang.
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- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2012. "Educational and Occupational Trends of Polish Immigrants in the United States, 1960-2000." In *The Polish Diaspora in America and the Wider World*, eds. Adam Walaszek, Agnieszka Stasiewicz-Bienkowska, and Janusz Pezda, *161-172*. Krakow, Poland: Polska Akademia Umiejetnosci.
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2012. "The Polish American Family." In *Ethnic Families in America: Patterns and Variations*, 5* edition, eds. Roosevelt H. Wright, Charles H. Mindel, Thanh Van Tran, Robert W. Habenstein, 82-99. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall.
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2009. "The Problems of Articulating Beingness in Women's Oral Histories." In *Oral History: The Challenges of Dialogue*, eds. Marta Kurkowska-Budzan and Krzysztof Zamorski, 87-97. Amsterdam: John Benjamins Publishing.
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- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2007. "Poland." In *The New Americans: A Guide to Immigration Since 1965*, eds. Mary C. Waters and Reed Ueda, 570-579. Cambridge: Harvard University Press.
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2006. "New Chicago Polonia: Urban and Suburban." In *The New Chicago: A Social and Cultural Analysis*, eds. John Koval, Larry Bennet, Michael Bennet, Roberta Garner, Fassil Demissie, and Kiljoong Kim, 115-127. Philadelphia: Temple University Press.
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- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 1997. "How to Read Sociological Texts." In *The Student's Companion to Sociology*, eds. Jon Gubbay, Chris Middleton, and Chet Ballard, 254-260. Oxford: Blackwell Publishers.
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Published Public Addresses

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- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 1997. "Immigrants, Wakacjusze, and Refugees: The New Polish Cohort." *Fiedorczyk Lecture Series*, Central Connecticut State Univ, New Britain, CT.

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- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2019. Review of *The Forgotten Legacy of Stella Walsh by* Sheldon Anderson. *Polish American Studies*. 76(1): 94-97.
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2019. Review of *The Making of a Teenage Service Class: Poverty and Mobility in an American City* by Ranita Ray. *Contemporary Sociology*. 48(4): 460-462.
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2018. Review of *Melancholy Migrating Bodies in Contemporary Polish Women's Writing* by Urszula Chowaniec. *Polish American Studies*. 75(2): 95-98.
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2015. Review of Letters from Readers in the Polish American Press, 1902-1969: A Corner for Everybody, edited by Anna D. Jaroszynska-Kirchmann. Journal of American Ethnic History 35 (1): 106-108.
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2002. Review of *Pears on a Willow Tree* by Leslie Pietrzyk. *Polish American Studies* 59 (2): 105-108.

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- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2000. Review of *Avoiding Politics: How Americans Produce Apathy in Everyday Life* by Nina Eliasoph. *Humanity & Society* 24(2): 219-221.
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 1999. Review of *Immigration*, *Stress*, and *Readjustment* by Zeev Ben-Sira. *Contemporary Sociology* 28(3): 334-335.
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 1995. Review of *The Power of Symbols Against the Symbols of Power by Jan Kubik*. *Contemporary Sociology* 24(4): 354-55.

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- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2008. "Polish American Historical Association Membership Survey 2007." *Polish American Studies* 65(1): 77-84.
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- Black, Timothy, Mary Patrice Erdmans, and Kristina Dickinson. 2004. *Life Stories of Vulnerable Families in Connecticut: An Assessment of the Nurturing Families Network Home Visitation Program*. Hartford, CT: University of Hartford, Center for Social Research.

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"Chopin Theatre," 60

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- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2022 "Choosing a Greek Island: Durkheim's Dilemma." *The Los Angeles Review*, December 22.
- Erdmans, Mary, 2021. "From Gdansk to Detroit: The migration story of Anna Muller as told to Mary Patrice Erdmans." *Polish American Historical Association Newsletter* Fall 78(2).
- Erdmans, Mary Patrice. 2018. The Role of Researchers and Scholars in the Current Political Era. *Newsletter of the Race, Class and Gender Section of the ASA*. 6(1) January.

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CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2023. "Questioning the System: The Role of Parents and Teachers in the Education of Opposition Activists in Poland in the 1960s and 1970s." Association for Slavic, Eastern European, and Eurasian Studies, Philadelphia, November 30.
- 2023. "Class Location and Social Activism in Communist Poland." North Central Sociological Association, Grand Rapids, MI, March 25, (with Kaylee Boney).
- 2023. "Activism over the Life Course: Activists in Poland and Abroad." North Central Sociological Association, Grand Rapids, MI, March 25, (with Zachary Milko).
- 2023. "Migration Projects of Late 20th Century Undocumented Polish Migrants in Chicago." Polish American Historical Association, January 5, Philadelphia.
- 2022. "Jewish Polish Identity Construction in Wroclaw, NYC, and Mississippi." Polish American Historical Association, January 8, New Orleans.
- 2022. Critic on AMC panel of Grazyna Kozaczka's Writing the Polish American Woman in Postwar Ethnic Fiction. Polish American Historical Association, January 7, New Orleans.
- 2021. "Twice Baked Narratives." North Central Sociological Association, April 9 (virtual).
- 2020. "Czarny Czwartek / Black Thursday: State Violence and the Origins of Activism (and Populism?)." Eastern Sociological Society, February 27, Philadelphia.
- 2019. "The Influence of the Events of 1989 on Solidarity Refugees' Decision to Return." Seventh World Congress on Polish Studies, June 15, Gdansk, Poland.
- 2019. "Helen Znaniecka Lopata." Seventh World Congress on Polish Studies, June 15, Gdansk, Poland.
- 2019. "Nation, Family, and Life Course in Refugees' Decisions to Leave and Return." Comparing e/migrations: Tradition (Post)memory –Translingualism, April 24, Torun, Poland.

- 2019. "In their Own Words, in a Second Language: Conducting Oral Histories across Borders." International Conference of the Polish Oral History Association, March 29, Krakow, Poland.
- 2019. "Loyalty and Pragmatism: U.S. Naturalization Rates of New Polish Immigrants" Polish American Historical Association, January 4, Chicago.
- 2018. "Heterophobia or Resource Competition: US Attitudes toward Immigrants." Association of Humanist Sociology, November 10, Detroit (w/ Adrianna Smell).
- 2018. "Pragmatic Citizens and Rational Policies," Association of Humanist Sociology, November 10, Detroit (w/ Luma Al Masarweh, Polina Ermoshkina).
- 2018. "Quo Vadis Polish American Studies: Gender and Family," Polish American Historical Association, 75^a Anniversary Conference, September 7, Chicago.
- 2018. "Political Transnationalism among Polish Refugees." American Sociological Association, August 12, Philadelphia.
- 2018. "Dual Citizenship and Pragmatic Identities." Society for Study of Social Problems, August 12, Philadelphia (w/ Luma Al Masarweh, Polina Ermoshkina).
- 2018. "Graduates and Dropouts: Contextualizing the Relationship between School Outcomes and Teenage Childbearing." Society for Study of Social Problems, August 12, Philadelphia (w/ Elizabeth Nalepa).
- 2018. "Changes in U.S. Attitudes toward Immigration: 1996-2014." Society for Study of Social Problems, August 11, Philadelphia (with Adrianna Smell).
- 2018. "Locating the Narrator as Both the Subject and Object in Their Life Stories." A Centennial of the *Polish Peasant in Europe and America* Symposium, May 24, Poznan, Poland.
- 2018. "Explaining U.S. Attitudes toward Immigrants: Context Factors, Labor Market Position, and Ideology." American Ethnicity: Old and New Immigration Flows, Old and New Challenges, Jagiellonian University, May 22, Krakow, Poland (with Adrianna Smell).
- 2018. "The Construction of Political Identities among Solidarity Refugees." European Social Science History Conference, April 6, Belfast, No. Ireland.
- 2018. "Transnational Ties Between Those Who Leave and Those Who Stay Behind: Polish Refugees and the Solidarity Movement." Midwest Slavic Conference, March 24, Columbus, OH.
- 2018. "Migrants Mobilizing for the Homeland: The Relation between Political Activism in Poland and the U.S. in the 1980s." Polish American Historical Association," January 5, Washington, D.C.
- 2017. "Zbigniew Kowalewski: 'A political child of the Cuban revolution." Association for Humanist Sociology, November 2, Havana, Cuba.
- 2017. *Kill It to Save* It, by Corey Dolgon, Author-Meets-Critic Session, Critic, Association for Applied and Clinical Sociology, October 6, Cleveland.
- 2017. "Transnationalism and Return Migration among Solidarity Refugees." Poles and Polish Diaspora in North America, September 22, Gdynia, Poland.
- 2017. "Relations between Migrants and the Homeland during Political Transition: The Case of Polish American Economic Forum, 1989-1990." Sixth World Congress on Polish Studies, June 18, Kraków, Poland.
- 2017. "Residential Patterns of Polish Immigrants in Chicago in the 21st Century." Sixth World Congress on Polish Studies, June 16, Kraków, Poland.
- 2017. *On Becoming a Teen Mom*, Author-Meets-Critic Session, Author, Eastern Sociological Society, February 24, Philadelphia (with Tim Black).
- 2017. *The Polish Hearst*, by Anna Jaroszynska-Kirchmann, Author-Meets-Critic Session, Organizer and Discussant, Polish American Historical Association," January 7, Denver, CO.
- 2016. "The Pros and Cons of Teaching with Textbooks" Panel Participant, Association for Humanist Sociology, November 5, Denver, CO.

- 2016. "Dirty Little Secret: Is There a Place for Alternate Forms and Styles of Publication in Academe?" Panel Participant, Association for Humanist Sociology, November 3, Denver, CO.
- 2016. "Graduates and Dropouts: An Analysis of School Outcomes of Teen Mothers." American Sociological Association, August 23, Seattle, WA (with Elizabeth Nalepa).
- 2016. "Comparing Perceptions of LGBT Campus Climate." Society for Study of Social Problems, August 20, Seattle, WA. (with Bradley Powell, first author)
- 2016. "The Role of the State: Polish Political Emigration and Remigration, 1960-2000." American Ethnicity and Ethnic Community Building, Jagiellonian University, June 6, Krakow, Poland.
- 2016. "Gender, Immigration, and Ethnicity: A Review of the Sociological Literature." Polish American Historical Association," January 9, Atlanta, GA.
- 2015. "Polish Immigrant Communities in Chicago, 1970-2000." Chicago Catholic Immigrant Conference: The Poles, Loyola University, November 13, Chicago.
- 2015. "Author-Meets-Critic Session for *On Becoming a Teen Mom: Life Before Pregnancy*." Author, Association for Humanist Sociology, October 24, Portland, OR.
- 2015. "Random Violence or Spatial Proximity: Poles, Puerto Ricans, and Concentrated Poverty." Association for Humanist Sociology, October 24, Portland, OR.
- 2015. "Politicized Narratives of Blame: Teens Births and Statutory Rape Laws." American Sociological Association, August 24, Chicago.
- 2015. "Graduates and Drops Out: A Comparative Qualitative Analysis of School Outcomes of Teen Mothers." Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 22, Chicago. (with Elizabeth Nalepa)
- 2015. "Using Qualitative Comparative Analysis with Life Story Data." North Central Sociological Association, April 11, Cleveland, OH.
- 2015. "Life Stories, Auto-ethnography and Other Narrative Writing: An Introduction." North Central Sociological Association, April 10, Cleveland, OH.
- 2015. "Return Migration of Solidarity Refugees." Polish American Historical Association," January 3, New York.
- 2014. "Title IX and the Experiences of Pregnant and Mothering Students in Alternative Schools." Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 17, San Francisco.
- 2014. "Kazimierz Lukomski and Aloysius Mazewski: The Role of Post-World War II Émigrés in Chicago Polonia, 1960-1990." Fifth World Congress on Polish Studies, June 21, Warsaw, Poland.
- 2014. "Segmented Assimilation and Racial Hierarchy: A Case Study of Poles and Puerto Ricans in New Britain, Connecticut, 1950-2010." *American Ethnicity: Rethinking Old Issues, Asking New Questions*, Jagiellonian University, June 16, Krakow, Poland.
- 2014. "Teen Pregnancy and Statutory Rape." Mini-conference *Sociology of Pregnancy, Reproduction, and Birth*, Eastern Sociological Society, February 21, Baltimore.
- 2014. "In America forever or only a short time': Brotherhood of Dispersed Solidarity Members." Polish American Historical Association, January 3, Washington, D.C.
- 2013. "We Just Took Everything and Left: Family Violence, Residential Moves, and School Outcomes for Adolescent Mothers." American Sociological Association, August 10, New York.
- 2013. "Moral Narratives, Stigma, and Shame on *16 and Pregnant*." Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 9, New York (with Alicia Smith and Brad Powell).
- 2013. "16 and Pregnant: Managing Spoiled Identity in the Media." North Central Sociological Association, April 5, Indianapolis (with Alicia Smith and Brad Powell).
- 2012. "Life Stories of Adolescent Mothers: Speaking against the Master Narrative." Oral History Association, October 11, Cleveland.
- 2012. "Residential Density and Dispersal: The Acculturation and Persistence of the Polish American Community in Connecticut, 1870-2010." East-Central Europe in Exile: Patterns of Transatlantic Migrations, June 2, Gdansk, Poland.

- 2012. "Narratives that Manage the "Spoiled Identities" of Adolescent Mothers." (with Timothy Black), Eastern Sociological Society, February 24, New York.
- 2012. "Life Stories of Adolescent Mothers at the Intersection of Structural, Symbolic, and Interpersonal Violence." (with Timothy Black), Eastern Sociological Society, February 24, NY.
- 2011. "Teen Moms in Crisis: "The baby nearly fell out the window!" Association for Humanist Sociology, October 14, Chicago.
- 2011. "Poverty, Patriarchy, and Adolescent Mothers." (with Timothy Black), Eastern Sociological Society, February 24, Philadelphia.
- 2011. "Polish Americans in the Connecticut River Valley in the Twentieth Century." Polish American Historical Association, January 7, Boston.
- 2010. "Alternative Schools for Pregnant and Mothering Students: Separate and Unequal?" Association for Humanist Sociology, November 6, Santa Fe.
- 2010. "Educational and Occupational Trends of Polish Immigrants in the United States, 1960-2000." The Polish Diaspora in America and the Wider World conference, June 25, Krakow, Poland.
- 2010. "Pregnant Bodies in Student Bodies: The Experience of Pregnant and Mothering High School Students." Eastern Sociological Society, March 19, Boston.
- 2009. "Residential Mobility, Family Stability, and School Completion among Adolescent Mothers." Association for Humanist Sociology, November 13, New Orleans.
- 2009. "School (Dis)engagement and Adolescent Motherhood." American Sociological Association, August 8, San Francisco.
- 2009. "Happy Mom, Poor Mom, Shamed Mom, Raped: Life Stories of Very Young Teen Moms." Eastern Sociological Society, March 21, Baltimore.
- 2009. "Doing Ethnicity and Doing Gender: Polishness in Third-Generation Women." Polish American Historical Association, January 3, New York.
- 2008. "Life Story Methodology: Showing Agency or Blaming Victims." Association for Humanist Sociology, November 8, Boston.
- 2008. "Sex and the Teen Mom: Complicating Master Narratives of Young Teen Moms." Society for the Study of Social Problems, July 31, Boston.
- 2008. "Integrating Polish American Studies into the Curriculum." Teaching the Polish Experience conference, Kosciuszko Foundation, March 28, New York.
- 2008. "Family Instability and School Completion among Poor Teen Moms." Eastern Sociological Society, February 22, New York.
- 2008. "From Monte Casino to the Back of the Yards: The Life Story of a WWII Émigré." Polish American Historical Association, January 4, Washington, DC.
- 2007. "The Problems of Articulating Beingness in Women's Oral Histories." Oral History: Art of Dialogue conference, November 10, Krakow, Poland.
- 2007. "Teen Moms and Dropping Out: Who Stays, Who Leaves, and Who Comes Back?" Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 10, New York.
- 2007. "What They Tell You to Forget." (with Timothy Black), American Sociological Association, August 11, New York.
- 2007. "Adolescent Motherhood and High School Completion." Eastern Sociological Society, March 16, Philadelphia.
- 2007. "Listening to Women: Life Story Narratives, Humanist Intent, and Authorial Voice." Eastern Sociological Society, March 16, Philadelphia.
- 2007. "The Devil You Know': Negotiating Trust, Abuse, and Child Care among Low-income First-time Mothers." (with Anna Curtis), Eastern Sociological Society, March 16, Philadelphia.
- 2007. "Class and Ethnic Residential Concentrations of Poles and Puerto Ricans in New Britain, Connecticut, 1990-2000." Polish American Historical Association, January 5, Atlanta.

- 2006. "Dropping Out before Popping Out: Teenage Mothers and Education," Association for Humanist Sociology, November 3, St. Louis.
- 2006. "Hemlines and High Heels: Resistance or Accommodation?" Oral History Association, October 25, Little Rock, AR.
- 2006. "Don't Be Dating Your Cousin: Ethnic Kin and Ethnic Others." Society for Multi-Ethnic Studies: Europe and the Americas, May 18, Pamplona, Spain.
- 2006. "Sexual Abuse and Teen Pregnancy." Eastern Sociological Society, February 25, Boston.
- 2006. "Doing Humanist Sociology: Egalitarian Methods? in *The Grasinski Girls*," Eastern Sociological Society, February 23, Boston.
- 2006. "Returning to the Old Country, Hilliards, Michigan." Polish American Historical Association, January 7, Philadelphia.
- 2005. "When Moms Don't Trust Strangers: How Perceptions Limit Child Care Choices." Association for Humanist Sociology, October 29, Tampa.
- 2005. "Fourth Generation Polish American Women: Gendered Ethnicity and Kinship Formation." Polish American Historical Association, January 7, Seattle.
- 2004. "U.S. Immigration Policy and Polish Immigration, 1965-2000." 150 Years of Polonia in America conference, Central Connecticut State University, June 19, New Britain, CT.
- 2004. "Ethnicity Matters: The 1911 Furniture Strike in Grand Rapids." Polish American Historical Association, January 9, Washington, D.C.
- 2003. "Structural Grooves and Dispositions: Habitus as Constrained Agency." Association for Humanist Sociology, October 30, Burlington, VT.
- 2003. "Skilled Suburbanites: Occupational and Residential Trends of New Immigrants in Chicago." Polish American Historical Association, January 3, Chicago.
- 2002. "The Structural Location of Polish Americans in Multicultural America." Biennial International Conference on East-Central European and Polish Affairs, October 26, Orchard Lake, MI.
- 2002. "Family Stories that Can't Be Told." Association for Humanist Sociology, October 10, Madison, WI.
- 2002. "Reviving Class: White Working-class Women in Gender Studies." American Sociological Association, August 5, Chicago.
- 2002. "The Non-articulation of Significant Identities: Motherhood in Oral Histories." Eastern Sociological Society, March 8, Boston.
- 2001. "Fate and Faith: Agency and Structure in the Worldviews of Roman Catholic Women." Association for Humanist Sociology, November 16, Newport, RI.
- 2001. "What is a Polish American in the New Century?" Polish American Historical Association, January 6, Boston.
- 2001. "Assimilation Patterns of Poles and Puerto Ricans in New England." Polish American Historical Association, January 6, Boston.
- 2000. "Kitchen Table Resistance: Fatness as Oppositional Culture." Association for Humanist Sociology, November 17, Covington, KY.
- 2000. "Demographic Profile of Chicago Polonia: Age, Migration Cohort, and Residential Shifts." Polish American Historical Association, January 8, Chicago.
- 1999. "Nannies and Nuclear Scientists: U.S. Immigration Policy at the End of the Twentieth Century." Association for Humanist Sociology, November 6, Memphis.
- 1999. "Emigration as National Habit: Polish Migration to Chicago in the Post-Communist Period." American Sociological Association, August 9, Chicago.
- 1998. "Representations of White Working-Class Women." Association for Humanist Sociology, November 19, Austin.
- 1998. "The Power and Powerlessness of White Working Class Women." Southern Sociological Society, April 5, Atlanta.
- 1997. "Spies, Infiltrators, and Conspirators: Doing Research in a Suspicious Community." Association

- for Humanist Sociology, November 8, Pittsburgh.
- 1996. "National Identity and Homeland Politics: Immigrants and Ethnics in Polish Chicago and Poland's 1989 Election." American Sociological Association, August 16, New York.
- 1996. "Migrations and Generations." Polish Institute of Arts and Sciences Association, June 7, Washington D.C.
- 1996. "Don't Forget the Working Class." (with Chris Culbreth), Association for Humanist Sociology, November 2, Hartford, CT.
- 1996. "Migration and Status Decline: Educated Polish Immigrants in Secondary Labor Markets." (with Anna Bereza and Alina Burzynska), Southern Sociological Society, April 12, Richmond, VA.
- 1996. "Gender Differences in Student Evaluation of Male and Female Professors." (with Jean Malone), Southern Sociological Society, April 13, Richmond, VA.
- 1996. "Escape from the Promised Land: Emigration Stories from Zakopane." Polish American Historical Association, January 7, Atlanta.
- 1995. "The Empathic Interviewer: A Humanist Perspective." Association for Humanist Sociology, October 28, Columbus, OH.
- 1995. "Cohort Diversity in Ethnic Community: Generations, Migrations, and Politics in Chicago Polonia." American Sociological Association, August 19, Washington, D.C.
- 1995. "The Transformation of the Polish National Alliance: From Immigrant to Ethnic Organization." Conference on Polish-Americans: Cultural Aspects of Urban Life, June 25, Krakow, Poland.
- 1995. "Emigration Horror Stories: The Streets are Paved with Blood." Southern Sociological Society, April 6, Atlanta.
- 1994. "The Evolution of Fieldwork Roles." Southern Sociological Society, April 9, Raleigh, NC.
- 1994. "Labor Markets for Undocumented Immigrants: Polish Caregivers in Chicago." Polish American Historical Association, January 7, San Francisco.
- 1993. "Educated Immigrants in U.S. Labor Markets." Association for Humanist Sociology, November 13, New Orleans.
- 1993. "The Black Market Care of the Elderly: Job Satisfaction Among Polish Immigrants Working Illegally in the Home Care Sector." Southern Sociological Society, April 3, Chattanooga, TN.
- 1992. "Recruitment Strategies, Organizational Membership and Movement Participation: Chicago Polonia Mobilized for Poland." American Sociological Association, August 20, Pittsburgh.
- 1992. "Disentangling Emigre Identities from Ethnic Identities." Midwest Sociological Society, April 3, Kansas City, MO.
- 1991. "Relations Between New and Established Movement Organizations: A Case Study of Aborted Cooperation." American Sociological Association, August 27, Cincinnati.
- 1991. "The Social Construction of Emigration as a Moral Issue: The Role of Selective Incentives in Poles' Decisions to Emigrate." Midwest Sociological Society, April 14, Des Moines.
- 1990. "Those Who Did Not Emigrate: The Morality of Hanging in There." Association for Humanist Sociology, October 13, Cincinnati.

INVITED TALKS

- Discussant, "Polish American Stories and Storytelling," sponsored by the polish American Historical Association, November 4, 2023 (virtual),
- "Oral Histories of Return Solidarity Refugees: Why it is important to listen to their stories." University of Gdansk, May 31, 2019.
- "Political and Economic Motives for Polish Migration in the 1980s." University of Warsaw, April 4, 2019.
- "Transnational Identities and Behaviors among Solidarity Refugees in the US." American Studies Center, University of Warsaw, March 7, 2019.

- "Narratives of Self in the Oral Histories of Polish Solidarity Refugees," Polish Studies Initiative Lecture, Ohio State University, October 29, 2018.
- Book Talks for On Becoming a Teen Mom: Life Before Pregnancy

CWRU, Social Justice Teach-In, February 4, 2017

University of Hartford, West Hartford, CT, October 6, 2016

Trinity College, Hartford, CT, October 6, 2016

Central Connecticut State University, New Britain, CT, October 6, 2016

Institute of Philosophy, Sociology and Journalism, University of Gdansk, Poland, June 1, 2016 University of Miami, OH, March 30, 2016

CWRU, Social Justice Institute, March 1, 2016

CWRU, Happy Dog, February 12, 2016

Loyola University Chicago, Chicago, IL, November 12, 2015

Tulane University, New Orleans, LA, November 3, 2015

Portland State University, Portland, OR, October 20, 2015

Center for Family and Demographic Research, Bowling Green State Univ, OH, Sept. 16, 2015 Flora Stone Mather Center for Women, Case Western Reserve Univ, OH, March 25, 2015

- "Be Well: Teen Moms and Their Lives" Guest speaker on WCPN *Ideastream*, National Public Radio, Northeast Ohio, April 14, 2015.
- "The Grasinski Girls: Family, Faith and Motherhood," Lorenzo Cultural Center, Macomb, MI, April 22, 2016.
- Guest on National Public Radio, Northeast Ohio, Eugenia Stolarczyk show, discussing Poles and Polish Americans in Cleveland, April 6, 2014.
- "The 'Problem' of Teen Mothers," Friday Public Affairs Discussion Lunch, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, April 4, 2014.
- "Polonia in Cleveland and the Journey of Julian Stanczak," Western Reserve Historical Society, Cleveland, March 19, 2014.
- "'That's Not Who I Am': Negotiating Identities in Life-Story Narratives." Department of Sociology, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, April 10, 2013.
- "Managing Spoiled Identities in Life Story Interviews: Presentations and Interpretations." Mandel School of Social Work, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, January 30, 2013.
- "Oral Histories of Polish American Women," Polish Genealogical Society of Michigan, Royal Oak, MI, November 19, 2011.
- "Teens and Sex," Guest on Where We Live, National Public Radio, Hartford, CT, June 10, 2010.
- "New Polish Immigrants In the U.S.: Educational and Occupational Trends," Fiedorczyk Lecture in Polish American Studies, Central Connecticut State University, April 1, 2009.
- "Polish Immigration to the United States at the Turn of the Century," Polish Cultural Club of Greater Hartford, Hartford, CT, October 12, 2008.
- "The Grasinski Girls," College of Saint Elizabeth, Morristown, NJ, September 30, 2008.
- "Oral Histories, The Federal Writers' Project and Slave Narratives," Pre-show presentation for "Growing up a Slave," in the Literature to Life Series at Bushnell Theater, Hartford, CT, March 31, 2008.
- "Life Stories, Women's Stories, My Mother's Story," Keene State College, Keene, New Hampshire, November 1, 2007.
- "Life Stories: What Keeps Young Mothers in School," Nurturing Families Network, Hartford, CT, September 6, 2007.
- "The Grasinski Girls," CT Author's Series, CCSU, New Britain, CT, April 27, 2007.
- "Oral Histories and Genealogy," Polish Genealogical Society of Massachusetts, Agawan, MA, March 22, 2007.
- "The Grasinski Girls: Social History and Narrative Form," Eastern Connecticut State Univ., March 7, 2007.

- Guest author on "Page 1" Cox Cable Television, Manchester, CT, March 6, 2007.
- "Oral Histories and Family Memoirs," Polish Genealogical Society of America, Chicago, Sept 8, 2006.
- "In Praise of Work (To Be Done)," Presidential address, Polish American Historical Association, Philadelphia, January 7, 2006.
- "Nuns and Moms: The Role of Religion and Motherhood in the Life Choices of White Working-class Women," St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, IN, September 29, 2005.
- Guest on National Public Radio, discussing *The Grasinski Girls*, Interlochen, MI June 24, 2005 and Grand Rapids, MI, July 8, 2005.
- "The Grasinski Girls: Oral Histories of White Working-class Women," Aquinas College, Grand Rapids, MI, April 25, 2005.
- "The Grasinski Girls Talk," Women's History Month, CCSU, New Britain, CT, March 18, 2005.
- "Who is Caring for the Kids?: Report from the Life Stories Project on Childcare Strategies and Daycare Perceptions," Nurturing Families Network, Hartford, CT, March 4, 2005.
- "The Grasinski Girls," Polish Cultural Club of Greater Hartford, Polish National Home, Hartford, CT, October 27, 2004.
- "Patterns of Vulnerability for First Time Moms," Nurturing Families Network, Hartford, July 19, 2004.
- "Polonia in the Connecticut River Valley," CPTV Documentary, May 3, 2004.
- "Report on the Life Stories Project: A Typology of Vulnerability," Legislative Briefing, Hartford, CT, February 24, 2004.
- "The Complexity of Identities: Global and Local," Presidential Address, Polish American Historical Association Awards, Polish Embassy, Washington, DC, January 9, 2004.
- "Polonia in the New Century," St. Cyril and Methodius Seminary, Orchard, Lake, MI. October 26, 2000.
- "Jeszcze Polonia nie Zginela: The Enduring Polish Community in America," Symposium in honor of Helena Znaniecka Lopata, Loyola University, Chicago, May 22, 1998.
- "Closing and Opening the Door: U.S. Immigration Policy." AKD induction, Greensboro College, April 24, 1997.
- "The New Polish Cohort: Refugees, Immigrants and Wakacjusze," Fiedorczyk Lecture in Polish American Studies, Central Connecticut State University, New Britain, CT, April 17, 1996.

AWARDS AND HONORS

- Distinguished Book Award, Honorable Mention, Race, Class and Gender Section of the American Sociological Association, for *On Becoming a Teen Mom: Life Before Pregnancy*, 2017
- Maggie Kuhn Scholar-Activist Award of the Youth, Aging, and Life Course Division of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, 2017
- Nominated for Carl F. Wittke Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching, Case Western Reserve University, 2017
- The William J. Goode Book Award, Honorable Mention, Sociology of the Family Section of the American Sociological Association, for *On Becoming a Teen Mom: Life Before Pregnancy*, 2016
- The Betty and Alfred McClung Lee Book Award of the Association for Humanist Sociology for *On Becoming a Teen Mom: Life Before Pregnancy*, 2015
- Nominated for Bruce Jackson, MD, Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Mentoring, Case Western Reserve University, 2015
- Nominated for Bruce Jackson, MD, Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Mentoring, Case Western Reserve University, 2014
- Distinguished Service Award, for service to the Polish American Historical Society, January 2008
- Annual Solas Award for Best Travel Writing, "Gods Who Smell Like Goats," 2008
- Mieczyslaw Haiman Award, for sustained contribution to the study of Polish Americans, Polish American

Historical Association, 2007

Honoree of Recognition, Polish American Foundation of Connecticut, 2006

Outstanding Achievement Award, American Council for Polish Culture, 2006

Oskar Halecki Prize for *The Grasinski Girls: The Choices They Had and the Choices They Made*, Polish American Historical Association, 2005

Oskar Halecki Prize for *Opposite Poles: Immigrants and Ethnics in Polish Chicago*, 1976-1990 from the Polish American Historical Association, 1999

Honorable Mention in the Third Biennial Prize in Polish Studies for *Opposite Poles: Immigrants and Ethnics in Polish Chicago*, 1976-1990, The Pennsylvania State University, 1998

Member of the *Polish American Who's Who*, 1992-present

RESEARCH and EDUCATION GRANTS

- Center for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies, Ohio State University, Research Travel Grant, \$750, June 2022.
- ACES+ ADVANCE Opportunity Grant, Case Western Reserve University, \$5000, 2020.
- *The Grasinski Girl* manuscript, College of the Arts and Sciences, Central Connecticut State University, May 2004, \$1,409
- "Life Stories Project," (with Timothy Black), Children's Trust Fund through the Center for Social Research at the University of Hartford, July 2001, \$127,000
- "Grasinski Girls: Choices Given, Choices Made," College of the Holy Cross, Committee on Fellowship, Research and Publication Grants, Spring 2001, \$800
- "Oral Histories of White Working-Class Women," Linda Carlisle Faculty Research Grant in Women's Studies, UNCG, 1999-2000, \$1,000
- "Opposite Poles," Office of Sponsored Research, UNCG, Fall 1997, \$850
- "Studies in Race, Class, and Gender: Don't Forget the Working Class," Undergraduate Research Assistant, UNCG, 1996-97
- "Patterns of Out-migration in Wroclaw, Poland," UNCG Excellence Foundation Summer Research Grant, Summer 1995, \$4,000
- "Emigration Patterns in the Post-Communist Period," Travel grant from Kohler Fund, UNCG, January 1994, \$1,000
- "The Effects of Race on Salary among Professional Football Players," Undergraduate Research Assistant, UNCG, 1993-94
- "The Role of Polish Repatriates in Poland's Economy," UNCG Excellence Foundation Summer Research Grant, Summer 1993, \$4,000
- "Illegal Immigrants in the Home Care Market: An Analysis of Polish Elder Care Workers in Chicago," UNCG Research Council New Faculty Grant, 1992-93, \$2,490
- "The Black Market Care of the Elderly," Buehler Center on Aging, Northwestern University, 1992, \$2,500

CURRENT MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Sociological Association
Eastern Sociological Society
Immigration History Society
Association for Humanist Sociology
Society for the Study of Social Problems

Polish American Historical Association Polish Institute of Arts and Sciences Oral History Association Sociologists for Women in Society North Central Sociologist Association

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Service in Professional Organizations

Polish American Historical Association

President (2003-2006)

1st Vice President (2002-2003)

3rd Vice President (1997-1999)

Board of Directors (1993-2012, 2015-current)

Program Chair (2004-2006)

Awards Committee (1997-1999; 2013-2014)

Book Review Editor of *Polish American Studies* (2015-current)

75th Anniversary Conference, Organizing Committee (2018)

PAHA Memoirs Project (2018-current)

Guide to Polish American Historical Sites (2018-2022)

American Sociological Association

Annual Meeting, Invited Presidential Session organizer: Narrative and Culture (2020)

Race, Gender and Class Section: Distinguished Book Award Committee (2018)

Family Section: Session Organizer (2014)

Society for the Study of Social Problems

Youth, Aging and the Life Course Section: Session Organizer (2018)

C.W. Mills Book Award Committee (2014)

Association for Humanist Sociology

Program Chair (2014)

Book Award Committee (1997, 1999 (chair)

Nominations Committee (1996-1998)

Polish Institute of Arts and Sciences: Awards Committee (1995)

Center for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies, Ohio State University

Panelist for the Ohio Undergraduate REEE Research Forum (2022)

Editorial Board

Polish American Studies (1995-present)

Ohio University Press Polish and Polish-American Studies Series (2003-present)

The Polish Migration Review (2017-present)

Studia Migracyjne - Przeglad Polonijny (2017-present)

Central European Journal of Social Sciences and the Humanities (2018)

Humanity & Society (2010-2015)

The Sociological Quarterly (2005-2008)

Grant Reviewer

The National Science Foundation The Israeli Science Foundation National Science Center, Poland Fulbright Applicants, Poland Polish Science Foundation

Journal Reviewer

The Sociological Quarterly Contemporary Sociology Sociology of Race and Ethnicity Sociological Inquiry Oral History Review Gender & Society
Humanity & Society
Social Problems
Polish American Studies
Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies

International Migration Review

Sociology Spectrum

Ethnicities

Demographic Research

Identities

Studia Historica Gedenensia

Technology and Culture

Journal of Contemporary Ethnography

Journal of Migration History

Critical Sociology

Gender & History

The Polish Review

International Journal of Comparative Sociology

PEDAGOGICAL ACTIVITY

Case Western Reserve University (2012- present)

<u>Undergraduate Courses</u>

SOCI 101 Introduction to Sociology

SOCI 202 Race and Ethnic Minorities in the United States

SOCI 255 Revolutions and Social Movements

USSO 290 Education and Inequality

USSO 290 Poland in the Twentieth Century

SOCI 302 Race and Ethnic Minorities in the United States

SOCI 325 Departmental Seminar in Sociology: Great Books

SOCI 349 Social Inequality

SOCI 327 Narrative Methods

SOCI 375 Independent Study: Sociology Book Club

SOCI 380 Social Movements and Social Change

SOCI 392 Senior Capstone Experience

USSO Poland in the Twentieth Century

Graduate Courses

SOCI 449 Social Inequality

SOCI 427 Narrative Methods

Doctoral Committees: (Committee Member=8); (Chair: 4)

Alicia Smith-Tran, 2018, Racialized Runners: Life Stories of Middle-Class Black Women Luma AlMasarweh, 2021, Transnational Projects of Second-Generation Arab Americans Spencier Ciaralli, 2021, The Climax of the Story: Queering Women's Sexual Histories and Pleasure Narratives

Central Connecticut State University (2002-2012)

SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology

SOC 111 Social Problems

SOC 212 Race, Class and Gender

SOC 360 Social Movements and Social Action

SOC 399 Sociology Book Club

SOC 411 Oral History for the Social Sciences

SOC 412 Qualitative Methods

SOC 450 The Polish-American Immigrant and Ethnic Community

SOC 478 Causes and Consequences of Teenage Pregnancy

SOC 478 Latinos in Higher Education

SOC 490-491 Sociology Internship

College of the Holy Cross (1999-2002)

SOC 101 Sociological Perspectives

SOC 203 Race and Ethnic Relations

SOC 291 Revolutions and Social Movements

Senior Seminar: Oral Histories of Working-Class Women

Senior Seminar: Interpreting Women's Lives Senior Seminar: Immigration to the United States

Faculty Advisor and Reader for Honors Theses (3) and Washington Semester Theses (2)

University of North Carolina, Greensboro (1992-1999)

<u>Undergraduate Courses</u>

SOC 211 Introduction to Sociology (also as writing intensive and honors courses)

SOC 327 Race and Ethnic Relations

SOC 328 Revolutions and Social Movements

SOC 337 Social Change (also as writing intensive course)

FMS 108 Freshman Seminar: The Good Society: America from Immigrants

Graduate Courses

SOC 616 Field Research Methods

SOC 620 Social Movements

SOC 620 Minority-Majority Relations

<u>Independent Study Courses</u> (seminars with 2-4 students)

SOC 697 Classical and Contemporary Writings on Race in America

SOC 697 Advanced Study of Race and Ethnic Relations

SOC 697 Advanced Study of Collective Behavior

SOC 597 The Sociology of National Revolts

SOC 497 The Effects of Race on Student Evaluations

SOC 497 The Social Construction of Whiteness

SOC 497 Immigrants in U.S. Labor Markets

Master's Thesis Committees 12: (6 Chair, 6 Committee member)

Instructor at Northwestern University (1990-1992)

Revolutions and Social Change

Chicago Field Studies Program

Problems of Contemporary American Cities

Other Pedagogical Activity

Race and Ethnic Relations syllabus in *Teaching Race and Ethnic Relations* manual of the American Sociological Association, 2001.

UNIVERSITY / COLLEGE SERVICE

Case Western Reserve University

University Service

FSCUE Subcommittee on Admission and Aid Committee (2017-2022)

Eleanor and Andrew Squire Scholarship Interviews (2021 - 2022)

Discussion leader, Books@Work (March 2017; January 2018; September 2018)

College Service

African American Studies, committee member (2018 - present)

Department Service

Director of Undergraduate Studies (2020 - present)

Undergraduate Mentoring Committee, Chair (2020 – 2021)

AKD (Sociology Honor Society) Advisor and Chapter Representative (2014 - present)

Advisor to undergraduate students (2012 - present)

Special Department-level Committee for Promotion Case (2022)

Co-Director of Undergraduate Studies (2014-2018)

Integrated Graduate Studies (IGS) Committee (2017-2018)

Search Committee (2012-2013; 2013-2014; Summer 2016; 2020 (post-doc); Summer 2021, Fall 2022-Spring 2023

Concentration Committees: Inequality; Research Methods

Chair, Inequality Comp (Fall 2018) Chair, Methods Comp (February 2021)

Central Connecticut State University (2002-2012)

University Service

Curriculum Committee (2010-2012)

University Athletics Board (2004-2006)

Conference Co-organizer, "150 Years of Polonia in North America," June 18-20, 2004

Faculty Senate (Fall 2004)

Committee on the Concerns of Women (2003-2008)

Women's History Month Committee (2004-2006)

College Service

Polish Studies Minor Committee (2010-2011)

Department Service

Search Committee: Chair (2005-2006); Member (2004-2005; 2006-2007)

Open House delegate (2002, 2007)

College of the Holy Cross (1999-2002, Visiting Associate Professor)

Advisor, Welfare Solidarity Project (2001-2002)

University of North Carolina, Greensboro (1992-1999)

University Service

Director, Polish Study Abroad Program (1998-99)

Advisory Committee on International Programs (1998-99)

Study Abroad Committee (1998-99)

Committee on Discretionary Funds, International Studies Program (1995-98)

Committee on Faculty Development in Race and Gender Scholarship (1994-96)

College Service

African American Studies Program (1992-99)

Promotion and Tenure Committee (1998-99)

Harriet Elliot Committee (1998-99)

Chair, College Committee on Race and Gender Issues (1994-96)

Conference on African American Cultural Experience (1995-96)

Department Service

Director of Undergraduate Studies (1998-1999)

Assessment Committee (1997-1999)

Library Liaison (1995-1998)

Teaching Evaluations (1992-1995)