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EMPLOYMENT

- 2006 - *Assistant Professor*, Department of Sociology, University of Notre Dame
2006 - *Faculty Fellow*, Joan B. Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies
2007 - *Faculty Affiliate*, Center for the Study of Religion and Society, Gender Studies, Poverty Studies, GLOBES (Global Linkages of Biology, the Environment, and Society)

EDUCATION

University of Arizona

Ph.D. Sociology, 2006

Dissertation: *Third-Party Intervention and Relationship Outcomes: Extending Social Exchange Theory through the Incorporation of Intermediaries*
Committee: Linda D. Molm (Chair), Henry A. Walker and Mark Chaves

Comprehensive Exams: Social Psychology (Honors Pass) & Religion

M.A. Sociology, 2002

Winthrop University

B.A. Sociology and History, 1998

Minor in Women's Studies, Magna cum Laude & Phi Kappa Phi

PUBLICATIONS

Articles

- 2009 Collett, Jessica L. and Ellen Childs. "Meaningful Performances: Considering the Contributions of the Dramaturgical Approach to Studying Family." Forthcoming in *Sociology Compass*.
- 2009 Collett, Jessica L. and Omar Lizardo. "A Power-Control Theory of Gender and Religiosity." *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion* 48:213-231.
- 2009 Molm, Linda D., David R. Schaefer, and Jessica L. Collett. "Fragile and Resilient Trust: Risk and Uncertainty in Negotiated and Reciprocal Exchange." *Sociological Theory* 27:1-32.

- 2009 Collett, Jessica L. and Ellen Childs. "Does Major Matter? The Implications of Collecting Vignette Data from our Students." *Current Research in Social Psychology* 14:104-121.
- 2008 Collett, Jessica L. "Is Procedural Justice Enough? Affect, Attribution, and Conflict in Alternative Dispute Resolution." *Advances in Group Processes* 25:267-290.
- 2008 Kelly, Sean and Jessica L. Collett. "From C.P. Ellis to School Integration: The Social Psychology of Conflict Reduction." *Sociology Compass* 2:1638-1654.
- 2007 Molm, Linda D., Jessica L. Collett, and David R. Schaefer. "Building Solidarity through Generalized Exchange: A Theory of Reciprocity." *American Journal of Sociology* 113: 205-42.
- 2007 Molm, Linda D., David R. Schaefer, and Jessica L. Collett. "The Value of Reciprocity." *Social Psychology Quarterly* 70:199-217.
- 2006 Collett, Jessica L., Tiffany E. Guidry, Nancy J. Martin, and Rebecca Sager. "Faith-Based Decisions? The Consequences of Heightened Religious Salience in Social Service Referral Decisions." *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion* 45:119-27.
- 2006 Molm, Linda D., Jessica L. Collett and David R. Schaefer. "Conflict and Fairness in Social Exchange." *Social Forces* 84:2325-46.
- 2005 Collett, Jessica L. "What Kind of Mother Am I? Impression Management and the Social Construction of Motherhood." *Symbolic Interaction* 28:327-47.

Other Publications

- 2009 Lizardo, Omar and Jessica L. Collett. "Rescuing the Baby from the Bathwater: Continuing the Conversation on Gender, Risk, and Religiosity." *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion* 48:256-259.
- 2009 Collett, Jessica L. "Generational Differences, Cartoons, and Cooperation." *Everyday Sociology* (<http://nortonbooks.typepad.com/everydaysociology>). New York: W. W. Norton.
- 2008 Collett, Jessica L. "SOC 20720: Social Psychology." Pp. 42-46 in *Teaching Social Psychology: A Collection of Syllabi, Assignments and Other Resources*, edited by R. Kettlitz. Washington D.C.: American Sociological Association.
- 2008 Collett, Jessica L. "Review of *Betrayals: The Unpredictability of Human Relations*, by Gabriella Turnaturi." *Contemporary Sociology* 37:328-29.

2007 Collett, Jessica L. and Christopher A. Morrissey. "The Social Psychology of Generosity: The State of Current Interdisciplinary Research." Report for the *John Templeton Foundation Generosity Planning Project*.

2007 Collett, Jessica L. "Goffman in Bed." *Social Psychology Quarterly* 70:4.

WORKING PAPERS

Collett, Jessica L. and Omar Lizardo. "Occupational Status and the Experience of Anger." *Revise and Resubmit*.

Trautner, Mary Nell and Jessica L. Collett. "Students Who Strip: The Benefits of Alternate Identities for Managing Stigma." *Revise and Resubmit*.

Collett, Jessica L. "(Re)Integrating Simmel in Social Exchange: The Effect of Nonpartisans on Exchange Outcomes."

Collett, Jessica L. "A Matter of Method: Exploring Divergent Results in Research on Justice."

Collett, Jessica L., Sean Kelly, and Curt Sobolewski. "Using Remember the Titans to Teach Theories of Conflict Reduction."

GRANTS & AWARDS

2009 "Stimulating Innovative Global Research in the Science of Generosity: RFP and Primary Research Initiative on Origins, Manifestations, and Consequences" (Christian Smith, PI, with Kraig Beyerlein, Trish Snell, and Stephen Vaisey), *John Templeton Foundation*, \$4,999,630.

2008 Faculty Research Program Grant (with Bill Carbonaro) for "Social Influences on Moral Decision-Making," *University of Notre Dame Office of Research*, \$10,000.

2007 Annual Course Development Award for "Group Processes: Experiments and Experiences," *Institute for Scholarship in the Liberal Arts, College of Arts and Letters, University of Notre Dame*, \$3500.

2007 Faculty Research Program Grant for "A Matter of Method: Exploring Divergent Results in Research on Justice," *University of Notre Dame Office of Research*, \$6115.

2005 Dissertation Improvement Grant for "Third Party Intervention and Perceptions of Fairness: Extending Social Exchange Theory through the Incorporation of Intermediaries," *National Science Foundation*, \$7464.

- 2005 Outstanding Graduate Student Paper Award for “Why Biology is not (Religious) Destiny: A Second Look at Gender Differences in Religiosity” with Omar Lizardo, *ASA Sociology of Religion Section*.
- 2005 Outstanding Graduate Student Paper Award for “Socioeconomic Status and the Experience of Anger” with Omar Lizardo, *ASA Sociology of Emotion Section*.
- 2005 University of Arizona Foundation Award for Meritorious Performance in Teaching, *College of Social and Behavioral Sciences, University of Arizona*.
- 2005 Raymond V. Bowers Outstanding Graduate Student Paper Award for "Why Biology is not (Religious) Destiny: A Second Look at Gender Differences in Religiosity" with Omar Lizardo, *University of Arizona Department of Sociology*.
- 2005 William K. Bunis Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award, *University of Arizona Department of Sociology*.
- 2004 Dissertation Research Grant, *University of Arizona Social and Behavioral Sciences Research Institute*, \$600.
- 2004 Graduate Summer Research Grant Development Award, *University of Arizona Social and Behavioral Sciences Research Institute*, \$1000.
- 1999 Honorable Mention, General Social Survey Student Paper Competition, Undergraduate Division, *National Opinion Research Council (NORC)*.
- 1998 AmeriCorps Education Award, \$4500, for service at *Safe Passage: A Domestic Peace Program*.
- 1997 Dr. Dorothy E. Jones Women's Studies Award, \$250, awarded to outstanding students who demonstrate a commitment to women’s issues, *Winthrop University*.
- 1996 Outstanding Achievement in the Social Sciences, *York Technical College*.

PRESENTATIONS

- 2009 “Pushing the Man: Moral Judgments in Group Settings.” *American Sociological Association Annual Meeting*, San Francisco, California.
- 2008 “Methodological Considerations for Research in Justice and Social Exchange.” *American Sociological Association Annual Meeting*, Boston, Massachusetts.

- 2007 “The Limits of Procedural Justice: Considering the Benefits of ‘Less Just’ Procedures for Ongoing Relationships between Disputants.” *American Sociological Association Annual Meeting*, New York, New York.
- 2007 “A Matter of Method: Exploring Divergent Results in Research on Justice.” *University of Notre Dame Sociology Colloquium*.
- 2006 “Sometimes Less Is More Effective: Applying Educational Research to the Use of Popular Video in the Sociology Classroom.” With Kathleen O’Neil. *American Sociological Association Annual Meeting*, Montreal, Canada.
- 2005 “Conflict and Fairness: Explaining the Effects of the Form of Exchange.” With Linda Molm and David R. Schaefer. *American Sociological Association Annual Meeting*, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- 2005 “Why Biology is not (Religious) Destiny: A Second Look at Gender Differences in Religiosity.” With Omar Lizardo. *American Sociological Association Annual Meeting*, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- 2005 “Did You Get ‘The Message’? Identity Processes in Religious Organizations.” *Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting*, Portland, Oregon.
- 2004 “Networks of Publication and Advice in Social Psychology.” With Joey Cabrera. *University of Arizona Social Psychology Colloquium*.
- 2004 “Socioeconomic Status and the Experience of Anger.” With Omar Lizardo. *American Sociological Association Annual Meeting*, San Francisco, California.
- 2004 “Risk, Trust and Solidarity: Explaining Effects of the Form of Exchange.” With David R. Schaefer & Linda D. Molm. *American Sociological Association Annual Meeting*, San Francisco, California.
- 2004 “The Effects of Third-Party Intervention on Fairness and Conflict: Extending Social Exchange Theory through the Incorporation of Intermediaries.” *Group Processes Annual Meeting*, San Francisco, California.
- 2004 “The Effects of Third-Party Intervention on Perceptions of Fairness.” *Rogers Law School Brown Bag Program*, University of Arizona.
- 2003 “What Kind of Mother Am I? Impression Management and the Social Construction of Motherhood.” *University of Arizona Social Psychology Colloquium*.
- 2003 “What Kind of Mother Am I? Impression Management and the Social Construction of Motherhood.” *American Sociological Association Annual Meeting*, Atlanta, Georgia.

- 2002 “What Is It About Religion? Exploring the Relationship Between Religiosity and Confidence in Secular Social Institutions.” *Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Annual Meeting*, Salt Lake City, Utah.
- 2001 “Charitable Choices: The Consequences of Making Religion Salient.” With Nancy Martin. *Society for the Scientific Study of Religion*, Annual Meeting, Columbus, Ohio.
- 1999 “For the Bible Tells Me So: The Relationship Between Religion and Domestic Violence.” With Amy Burdette. *Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting*, Nashville, Tennessee.
- 1999 “Keeping the Faith: The Relationship Between Religion and Confidence in Secular Institutions.” *Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting*, Nashville, Tennessee.

INVITED TALKS

- 2008 “(Re)Integrating Simmel in Social Exchange: The Effect of Nonpartisans on Relational Outcomes.” *University of Iowa*, Iowa City, Iowa.
- 2008 “What is the Future of the Group Processes Tradition?” With Linda D. Molm. *Group Processes Annual Meeting*, Boston, Massachusetts.
- 2007 “A Matter of Method: Exploring Divergent Results in Research on Justice.” *Indiana University – Bloomington*, Bloomington, Indiana.
- 2005 “Third-Party Intervention and Relationship Outcomes: Extending Social Exchange Theory through the Incorporation of Intermediaries.”
 - *University of Notre Dame*, Notre Dame, Indiana.
 - *University of California – Davis*, Davis, California.
- 2005 “What Kind of Mother Am I? Impression Management and the Social Construction of Motherhood.” *Washington and Lee University*, Lexington, Virginia.
- 2005 “Intergenerational Conversations: The Future in Social Psychologies.” With Linda D. Molm. *Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting*, Portland, Oregon.
- 2002 “Charitable Choices: The Consequences of Making Religion Salient.” With Rebecca Sager. *Sustainable Development in Urban Communities Conference*, Tucson, Arizona.

COURSES TAUGHT

2006 - Present: University of Notre Dame

Understanding Societies; Introduction to Social Psychology; Social Psychology; Social Inequality; Freshman Seminar: The Social Construction of Difference and Inequality; Graduate Research Methods; Graduate Seminar in Social Psychology

2001 – 2006: University of Arizona

Introduction to Sociology; Individuals, Groups, and Society; Schools, Students, and Society; Social Inequality

2003 Summer: Winthrop University

Principles of Sociology; Social Inequality

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 2009 *Panelist*, Navigating the Graduate School Experience, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California.
- 2009 *Discussant*, MSS Group Processes Mini-Conference, Des Moines, Iowa.
- 2008-2009 *Member*, Graduate Student Affairs Committee, ASA Section on Social Psychology.
- 2008 *Co-Organizer* (with David Schaefer), PSA Group Processes Mini-Conference, Portland, Oregon.
- 2008 *Participant*, John Templeton Foundation Human Personhood Conference, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California.
- 2007 *Presider*, Microsociologies: The Political Implications of Self Processes, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, New York, New York.
- 2007 *Discussant*, The Processes that Underlie, NCSA/MSS Group Processes Mini-Conference, Chicago, Illinois.
- 2004-2005 *Member*, Graduate Student Affairs Committee, ASA Section on Social Psychology.
- 2004 *Session Organizer*, Managing Impressions: The Presentation of Self and Others, Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, California.
- 2002 *Presider*, Social Psychology and Gender Roundtable, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois.

Reviewer for *American Journal of Sociology*, *American Sociological Review*, *Social Forces*, *Social Psychology Quarterly*, *Sociology of Religion*, *Sociological Quarterly*, *Sociology Compass*, and *Symbolic Interaction*

DEPARTMENT SERVICE

Sociology

Member, Graduate Admissions Committee, University of Notre Dame
Fall 2008 –

Social Psychology Area Exam Committee, University of Notre Dame
Member, Fall 2006 – Spring 2008; *Chair*, Fall 2008 –

Member, Graduate Studies Committee, University of Notre Dame
Fall 2007 – Spring 2008

Member, Honesty Committee, University of Notre Dame
Fall 2006 – Spring 2007

Co-Coordinator, Feminist Theory Group, University of Arizona.
Fall 2003 – Spring 2005

Co-Chair, Graduate Student Association, University of Arizona.
Fall 2003 – Spring 2004

Graduate Student Representative, Faculty Graduate Studies Committee, University of Arizona.
Fall 2001 – Spring 2003

Member, Graduate Student Association, University of Arizona.
Fall 2000 – Spring 2006

President, Alpha Kappa Delta, Winthrop University.
Winter 1997 – Winter 1998

Kroc Institute

Member, M.A. Admissions Committee, University of Notre Dame
Fall 2008 – Spring 2009

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Member, Graduate Council, University of Notre Dame

- Shaheen Award Committee, Spring 2009
Spring 2009

*Panelist, Social Sciences' Perspectives on *The Vagina Monologues*, University of Notre Dame*
Spring 2008

Faculty Volunteer, "Frosh O", University of Notre Dame
Fall 2007

Mentor, Academic Honors Program for Student-Athletes, University of Notre Dame.
Fall 2006 – Present

Mentor, Building Bridges Program, University of Notre Dame.
Fall 2008 – Present

STUDENT ADVISING

Graduate

University of Notre Dame

Dissertation Committee Member: Carl Neblett, Jennifer Peaslee, Robert Brenneman

Master's Committee Member: Daniel Acorn, Jeffrey Smith, Ellen Childs

Undergraduate

University of Notre Dame

Honors Theses: Lourdes (Lulu) Meraz, Sociology; Adam Wuellner, Mathematics

Senior Thesis : Danny Nolan, Gender Studies

- Winner of the 2009 Genevieve D. Willis Senior Thesis Prize

McNair Scholar : Zayra Hernández, Criminal Justice (St. Mary's University, Texas)

MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association

- Social Psychology Section of the American Sociological Association
- Religion Section of the American Sociological Association
- Emotions Section of the American Sociological Association

Pacific Sociological Association

Midwest Sociological Society

Society for the Scientific Study of Religion

Sociologists for Women in Society