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Education

- 2008 M.A. Sociology. University of Georgia – Athens, GA.
- 2006 B.A. Sociology. Le Moyne College – Syracuse, NY. Magna Cum Laude
Minor: Philosophy
Minor: Women's Studies

Senior Research and Thesis: *“Progress Made in Bridging the Digital Divide: An Interim Formative and Summative Evaluation of the Syracuse Housing Authority's Neighborhood Network Program's Impact on Reducing Welfare Dependency and Promoting Economic Self Sufficiency”*
Departmental Honors.

Research Interests

Work, Occupations, Organizations. Inequality: Technology, Race, Class, Gender.

Teaching Experience

- 2007 Teaching Assistant SOCI 1101 Introduction to Sociology: University of Georgia
Under Direction of Dr. E. M. Beck.
- 2006 Teaching Assistant SOCI 1101 Introduction to Sociology: University of Georgia
Under Direction of Dr. Jim Coverdill.
- Teaching Assistant SOC/CJS 121 Deviance: Le Moyne College
Under Direction of Dr. Jeffrey Chin.
- 2005 Teaching Assistant SOC/CJS Advisement Seminar: Le Moyne College
Under Direction of Dr. Jeffrey Chin.
- Teaching Assistant SOC/CJS 121 Deviance: Le Moyne College
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Paper/Poster Presentations

- 2007 American Sociological Association. Teaching Sociology: New York, NY
Paino, Maria and Jeffrey Chin. *“Using Monopoly in the Deviance Classroom to Illustrate Critical Theory.”*
- 2006 Sigma Xi, National Research Conference: Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
Second Place
“Progress Made in Bridging the Digital Divide: An Interim Formative and Summative Evaluation of the Syracuse Housing Authority’s Neighborhood Network Program’s Impact on Reducing Welfare Dependency and Promoting Economic Self Sufficiency.”
- Social Justice Conference: Le Moyne College, Syracuse, NY
Panelist on Issues of Welfare Reform in Greater Syracuse Area
“Progress Made in Bridging the Digital Divide: An Interim Formative and Summative Evaluation of the Syracuse Housing Authority’s Neighborhood Network Program’s Impact on Reducing Welfare Dependency and Promoting Economic Self Sufficiency.”
- Scholar’s Day: Le Moyne College, Syracuse, NY
“Progress Made in Bridging the Digital Divide: An Interim Formative and Summative Evaluation of the Syracuse Housing Authority’s Neighborhood Network Program’s Impact on Reducing Welfare Dependency and Promoting Economic Self Sufficiency.”
- Eastern Sociological Society Undergraduate Poster Presentation: Boston, MA
“Progress Made in Bridging the Digital Divide: An Interim Formative and Summative Evaluation of the Syracuse Housing Authority’s Neighborhood Network Program’s Impact on Reducing Welfare Dependency and Promoting Economic Self Sufficiency.”
- 2005 American Sociological Association, Undergraduate Honors Program: Philadelphia, PA.
Roundtable Presentation. *“A Policy Analysis of the Housing Crisis in America.”*

Honors

- 2006- Graduate Assistantship: University of Georgia
Present
- 2006 Summer Research Assistantship with Dr. Linda Renzulli: University of Georgia
- 2006 The 2006 Medal for Scholarly Regional and Urban Applied Research
Conferred by the Center for Regional and Urban Applied Research (CRUAR)
- 2006 The 2006 Lee-Anne Scaccia Cruz award for excellence in Gender and Women’s Studies
Conferred by the Department of Gender and Women’s Studies
- 2006 Pi Gamma Mu: National Honor Society for Social Sciences

2005 American Sociological Association National Honors Program

2005 Alpha Kappa Delta: National Honor Society for Sociology

2005 Alpha Sigma Nu: Jesuit National Honor Society

2002- Dean's Scholarship: Le Moyne College
2006

Professional Activities

2007 Sociology Tutor for Athletic Center: Social Problems, Deviance, Juvenile Delinquency, Social Psychology.

2004- President, Sociology Club: Le Moyne College.
2006

References

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