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Curriculum Vitae

George Mason University
Department of Sociology and Anthropology
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EDUCATION

- In Progress* Ph.D. in Sociology, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA
Fall 2018: High Pass (highest honors) in Institutions & Inequalities Comprehensive Exam
Funded via the Office of the Provost's Presidential Scholarship
- 2016 M.S. in Sociology, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA
Summa Cum Laude
- 2014 B.A. in Political Science, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, VA
Magna Cum Laude

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Political economy, class analysis, computational and digital sociology, science and technology, critical theory.

SOFTWARE & PROGRAMMING

Python, Anaconda, R, Microsoft VS Code, SPSS, Stata, NVivo, MAXQDA, Qualtrics, HTML, CSS

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed Journal Articles

- 2016 **Doody, Sean**, Victor Tan Chen, and Jesse Goldstein. "Varieties of Entrepreneurial Capitalism: The Culture of Entrepreneurship and Structural Inequalities of Work and Business Creation." *Sociology Compass*, 10(10): 858–876. DOI: [dx.doi.org/10.1111/soc4.12407](https://doi.org/10.1111/soc4.12407)

Encyclopedia Entries

- 2017 **Doody, Sean**, and Jesse Goldstein. "The Work-Life Balance." Pp. 324–327 in *The American Middle-Class: An Economic Encyclopedia of Progress and Poverty*, edited by Robert Rycroft. Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO/Greenwood.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2018 **Doody, Sean**. "Abolishing Work: Negative Politics and the Value-Form." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. Philadelphia, PA, August 10th.
- 2017 Dale, John, and **Sean Doody**. "Communitarian Entrepreneurship? Indigenous Governance, Impact Hubs, and Legal Challenges for Social Enterprise Development in Oaxaca, Mexico." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Law and Society Association. Mexico City, Mexico, June 21st.

- 2015 **Doody, Sean.** “Occupational Alienation: Marx’s Theory of Labor in the 21st Century.” Presented at the Annual Politics and Government Student Research Conference, Virginia Commonwealth University. Richmond, VA, April 10th.
- 2014 **Doody, Sean.** “Conflict Minerals in the Democratic Republic of the Congo: The Role of Private Enterprise in the Congolese Humanitarian Crisis.” Presented at the Annual Politics and Government Student Research Conference, Virginia Commonwealth University. Richmond, VA, April 14th.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2017–Present **Graduate Research Assistant, Digital Scholarship Center (DiSC)**
Fenwick Library, George Mason University
- ◆ Currently working with, and receiving advanced training in, Python, the Anaconda data science platform, and the Microsoft VS Code IDE to support my dissertation research into how political content is produced and shared on social media.
- 2017–Present **Graduate Research Assistant, Center for Social Science Research**
Department of Sociology & Anthropology, George Mason University
- ◆ Conducting primary quantitative data analysis in SPSS.
 - ◆ Coding custom scripts in SPSS syntax to execute precise functions and tests.
 - ◆ Constructing graphs, tables, and charts to be included in Center reports.
 - ◆ Designing and distributing surveys through Qualtrics.
 - ◆ Drafting reports for Center publications.
- 2016–2017 **Graduate Research Assistant, Dr. John G. Dale, Associate Professor of Sociology**
Department of Sociology & Anthropology, George Mason University
- ◆ Conducted qualitative field research and interviews in Oaxaca, Mexico as part of a project on social enterprise development in the region.
 - ◆ Research led to a conference presentation at the International Meeting on Law and Society in Mexico City, June 20 – 23, 2017: “Communitarian Entrepreneurship? Indigenous Governance, Impact Hubs and Legal Challenges for Social Enterprise Development in Oaxaca, Mexico.”

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2017–Present **Research Consultant and Tutor, Digital Scholarship Center (DiSC)**
Fenwick Library, George Mason University
- ◆ **Software:** SPSS, Stata, Anaconda, R Studio, jamovi, NVivo, MAXQDA, Qualtrics
 - ◆ **Programming:** Python, R, SPSS syntax, Stata syntax, Excel syntax, HTML, CSS
 - ◆ **Methods:** Qualitative and quantitative research design, linear models, nonparametric data analysis, general statistics, qualitative coding, content analysis.
- 2014–2016 **Graduate Teaching Assistant, Virginia Commonwealth University**
Department of Sociology
- ◆ SOCY 327: Urban Sociology
 - ◆ SOCY 391: Topics – Political Economy
 - ◆ SOCY 391: Topics – The Impact of Materials on Society
 - ◆ SOCY 406: Senior Seminar in Sociology
 - ◆ SOCY 491: Topics – Environmental Sociology
 - ◆ SOCY 601: Sociological Research Methods (*Graduate Seminar*)

- 2012 **Instructor, Virginia Commonwealth University**
Campus Learning Center
- ◆ UNIV 291: Focused Learning Workshop in American Government

AWARDS

Scholarships, Funding, and Grants

- 2018 Presidential Summer Research Fellowship, George Mason University (\$7,350.00)
- 2017 Presidential Summer Research Fellowship, George Mason University (\$7,350.00)
- 2017 Graduate Student Travel Grant, Law & Society Association (\$500.00)
- 2016 Presidential Scholarship, Office of the Provost, George Mason University
Four years of comprehensive doctoral funding, including:
- ◆ Research assistantship;
 - ◆ Summer research funding;
 - ◆ Full tuition remission.
 - ◆ Subsidized health insurance.
- 2014 Graduate Teaching Assistant Scholarship, Virginia Commonwealth University
Two years of comprehensive graduate funding, including:
- ◆ Teaching assistantship;
 - ◆ Full tuition remission.
- 2012 Virginia Capitol Semester Stipend, Virginia Commonwealth University (\$1,000.00)

Accolades

- 2018 High Pass, Sociology Doctoral Comprehensive Exam, George Mason University
- 2014 Outstanding Student in Political Science Award, Virginia Commonwealth University

SERVICE

- 2018–Present **President, Public Sociology Association**
Department of Sociology & Anthropology, George Mason University
- 2018–Present **Student Representative, Sociology Faculty Search Committee**
Department of Sociology & Anthropology, George Mason University
- 2017–Present **Treasurer, Graduate Student Sociological Association**
Department of Sociology & Anthropology, George Mason University
- 2018 **Focus Group Mediator, Immigrants and Community Colleges Conference**
Institute for Immigration Research, George Mason University
- 2017–2018 **Treasurer, Public Sociology Association**
Department of Sociology & Anthropology, George Mason University

- 2015–2016 **Treasurer, Alpha Kappa Delta International Sociology Honor Society**
Department of Sociology, Virginia Commonwealth University
- 2014 **Student Liaison, Promotion and Tenure Committee**
Department of Political Science, Virginia Commonwealth University
- 2011 **Note Taker, Office of Student Accessibility and Educational Opportunity**
Student Affairs, Virginia Commonwealth University

RELATED EXPERIENCE

- 2016 Data Contractor, Office of Senator Richard L. Saslaw, Springfield, VA
- 2013–2014 Legislative Staff Member, Office of Senator Richard L. Saslaw, Richmond, VA
- 2012 Virginia Capitol Semester Internship, Senate of Virginia, Richmond, VA

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Alpha Kappa Delta International Sociology Honor Society
American Sociological Association
Sections: Communication, Information Technologies, and Media Sociology; Economic Sociology; Organizations, Occupations, and Work; Political Economy of the World-System; Political Sociology; Science, Knowledge, and Technology.

District of Columbia Sociological Society
Pi Sigma Alpha International Political Science Honor Society
Society for the Study of Social Problems