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EMPLOYMENT

- 2020–present Associate Professor of Sociology
Core Faculty, Center for Demography & Population Health
Florida State University
- 2015–2020 Assistant Professor of Sociology
Core Faculty, Center for Demography & Population Health
Florida State University
- 2014–2015 Assistant Professor of Sociology and Women, Gender & Sexuality
University of Virginia
- 2011–2014 National Institutes of Health Postdoctoral Fellow (2011–2013)
National Science Foundation Postdoctoral Fellow (2013–2014)
Office of Population Research
Princeton University

EDUCATION

- 2011 Ph.D., Sociology and Social Policy, **Brandeis University**
- 2008 M.A., Social Policy, **Brandeis University**
- 2004 B.A., Sociology and Government, with High Honors and with Special Honors in Sociology, **University of Texas at Austin**

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Sociology and History of Medicine	Gender and Reproduction
Bioethics	Public Health and Social Policy
Sociology of Culture, Science, & Knowledge	Qualitative Research Methods

BOOK PUBLICATIONS

- 2020 *Advances in Medical Sociology, Volume 20: Reproduction, Health, and Medicine* (co-edited with Elizabeth Mitchell Armstrong and Susan Markens). Emerald.
- 2017 *The Zero Trimester: Pre-Pregnancy Care and the Politics of Reproductive Risk*. University of California Press.
- *2019 Robert K. Merton Book Award, American Sociological Association, Section on Science, Knowledge, and Technology
- *2019 Adele E. Clarke Book Award, ReproNetwork
- *2017 C. Wright Mills Award Finalist, Society for the Study of Social Problems
- *Reviewed in *American Journal of Sociology*, *Medical Anthropology Quarterly*, *Social History of Medicine*, *Contemporary Sociology*, *Sociology of Health &*

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

forthcoming “Medical Sociology: Findings, Challenges, and Future Directions” (forthcoming, 2021). Special issue of *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* (co-edited with Amy Burdette, Michael McFarland, and Miles Taylor).

JOURNAL ARTICLES

- 2021 Rondini, Ashley C., Rachel H. Kowalsky, and Miranda R. Waggoner. “Addressing Meso-Level Mechanisms of Racism in Medicine.” *The American Journal of Bioethics* 21(2): 66–69.
- 2015 Waggoner, Miranda R. and Tobias Uller. “Epigenetic Determinism in Science and Society.” *New Genetics and Society* 37(2): 177–195.
- 2015 Waggoner, Miranda R. “Cultivating the Maternal Future: Public Health and the Pre-Pregnant Self.” *Signs: Journal of Women in Culture and Society* 40(4): 939–962.
- 2013 Waggoner, Miranda R. “Motherhood Preconceived: The Emergence of the Preconception Health and Health Care Initiative.” *Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law* 38 (2): 345–371.
- 2013 Almeling, Rene and Miranda R. Waggoner (equal authorship). “More and Less than Equal: How Men Factor in the Reproductive Equation.” *Gender & Society* 27 (6): 821–842.
- 2013 Waggoner, Miranda R. “Parsing the Peanut Panic: The Social Life of a Contested Food Allergy Epidemic.” *Social Science & Medicine* 90: 49–55.
- 2012 Waggoner, Miranda R., Robin Gaines Lanzi, and Lorraine V. Klerman. “Pregnancy Intentions, Long-Acting Contraceptive Use, and Rapid Subsequent Pregnancies among Adolescent and Adult First-Time Mothers.” *Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Nursing* 25: 96–104.
- 2011 Waggoner, Miranda R. “Monitoring Milk and Motherhood: Lactation Consultants and the Dilemmas of Breastfeeding Advocacy.” *International Journal of Sociology of the Family* (Special Issue on “Policing Motherhood”) 37(1): 153–171.

BOOK CHAPTERS

- 2020 Markens, Susan, Elizabeth Mitchell Armstrong, and Miranda R. Waggoner. “Introduction: Reproduction Through the Lens of Medical Sociology.” Pp. 1–15 in *Advances in Medical Sociology, Volume 20: Reproduction, Health, and Medicine*, edited by Elizabeth Mitchell Armstrong, Susan Markens, and Miranda R. Waggoner. Emerald.

- 2017 Conrad, Peter and Miranda R. Waggoner. "Anticipatory Medicalization: Predisposition, Prediction, and the Expansion of Medicalized Conditions." Pp. 95–103 in *Medical Ethics, Prediction, and Prognosis: Interdisciplinary Perspectives*, edited by Mariacarla Gadebusch-Bondio, Francesco Spöring, and John-Stewart Gordon. Routledge.
- 2011 Shostak, Sara and Miranda Waggoner. "Narration and Neuroscience: Encountering the Social on the 'Last Frontier of Medicine.'" Pp. 51–74 in *Advances in Medical Sociology, Volume 13: Sociological Reflections on the Neurosciences*, edited by Martyn Pickersgill and Ira Van Keulen. Emerald.
- 2007 Musick, Marc A. and Miranda R. Waggoner. "Self-Initiated Volunteering and Mental Health." Pp. 82–96 in *Altruism and Health: Perspectives from Empirical Research*, edited by Stephen G. Post. Oxford University Press.

OTHER WRITING

- 2016 Waggoner, Miranda R. "Medicine and Medicalization." (5 pp.) in *The Wiley-Blackwell Encyclopedia of Gender and Sexuality Studies*. Edited by Nancy Naples. Wiley-Blackwell.
- 2014 Conrad, Peter and Miranda R. Waggoner. "Medicalization." Pp. 1448–1452 in *The Wiley-Blackwell Encyclopedia of Health, Illness, Behavior, and Society*. Edited by William C. Cockerham, Robert Dingwall, & Stella Quah. Wiley-Blackwell.

BOOK REVIEWS

- 2018 Review of "The Online World of Surrogacy" by ZsuZsa Berend. *American Journal of Sociology*. 124(3): 995–997.
- 2016 Review of "Conceiving Masculinity: Male Infertility, Medicine, and Identity" by Liberty Walther Barnes. *Contemporary Sociology* 45(4): 411–413.
- 2015 Review of "Biology After the Sociobiology Debate: What Introductory Textbooks Say About the Nature of Science and Organisms" by Carmen James Schifellite. *Contemporary Sociology* 44: 246–248.
- 2009 Review of "The Anorexic Self: A Personal, Political Analysis of a Diagnostic Discourse" by Paula Saukko. *Gender & Society* 23: 837–838.
- 2008 Review of "Sanctioning Pregnancy" by Harriet Gross and Helen Pattison. *Journal of Health Psychology* 13: 441.

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, AND AWARDS

- 2020–2025 National Science Foundation CAREER Award (for "Regulating Vulnerability: Reproduction, Risk, and the Social Production of Biomedical Research Ethics." Science & Technology Studies Program/Sociology Program, Award 1945448)
- 2019–2022 Greenwall Foundation Faculty Scholar in Bioethics (career development award for "Tracing the Second Wave of Inclusion: Pregnant Women and Biomedical Research Ethics.")

- 2019 Robert K. Merton Book Award, American Sociological Association, Section on Science, Knowledge, and Technology (award for best recent book published in science studies, for *The Zero Trimester*)
- 2019 Adele E. Clarke Book Award, ReproNetwork (award for best recent book published on reproduction)
- 2019 2018–2019 University Undergraduate Teaching Award, FSU
- 2019 FSU College of Social Sciences and Public Policy Research Support Program Award (summer 2019, for “Pregnant Women and Biomedical Research Ethics in the United States.” \$5,000)
- 2019 Outstanding Faculty Teaching Award, FSU Sociology Graduate Student Union
- 2018 Finalist, 2017 C. Wright Mills Award, Society for the Study of Social Problems (for *The Zero Trimester*)
- 2018 Outstanding Faculty Teaching Award, FSU Sociology Graduate Student Union
- 2017 Outstanding Faculty Teaching Award, FSU Sociology Graduate Student Union
- 2016 FSU Council on Research and Creativity First Year Assistant Professor Award (for “The Risks Posed by Peanut Allergy: Public Constructions and Policy Responses.” \$20,000)
- 2016 FSU Liberal Studies for the 21st Century Course Development Award (for development of interdisciplinary undergraduate honors course “Politics of Reproduction.” \$5,000)
- 2013–2014 National Science Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship, Princeton University (for “New Directions in Epigenetics.” Science, Technology, and Society Program/Cultural Anthropology Program, Award 1256651)
- 2013 Finalist, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Health & Society Scholars Program
- 2011–2013 National Institutes of Health Postdoctoral Fellowship, Princeton University (Grant T32 HD007163)
- 2011 Rose Laub Coser Dissertation Proposal Award (Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation Proposal in the Area of the Family or Gender and Society), Eastern Sociological Society
- 2010–2011 National Science Foundation Dissertation Improvement Grant (Sociology Program, Award 1029087, \$9,200)
- 2010–2011 Andrew W. Mellon Foundation Dissertation Year Fellowship, Brandeis University
- 2010 Heller School for Social Policy and Management Dissertation Grant Award, Brandeis University
- 2009 Berkowitz Dissertation Research Award, Department of Sociology, Brandeis University
- 2009 Phoebe and Dr. Donald Giddon Grant for Research on Women and Health, Women’s and Gender Studies Program, Brandeis University
- 2008 MIT Graduate Consortium in Women’s Studies Writing Prize
- 2007 Outstanding Teaching Award, Department of Sociology, Brandeis University
- 2007 Outstanding Teaching Fellow Award, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Brandeis University
- 2003 College-Wide Liberal Arts Essay Competition Award, University of Texas
- 2003 Hibbs Award for Sociology, Department of Sociology, University of Texas

INVITED LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS

- 2018 “The Zero Trimester: Risk and Reproduction at the Turn of the Twenty-First Century.” Brandeis University Sociology Colloquium, Waltham, MA.
- 2018 Author Reply. Author-Meets-Critics Session for *The Zero Trimester*. Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, New Orleans.
- 2018 Invited Critic. Author-Meets-Critics Session for *Labor of Love: Gestational Surrogacy and the Work of Making Babies* (Rutgers University Press) by Heather Jacobson. Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. New Orleans.
- 2017 “Medicalization Theory in an Age of Risky Medicine.” British Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Manchester, United Kingdom.
- 2017 Discussant, “Feminist Perspectives on Science and Technologies.” Section on Sociology of Sex and Gender Session, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Montreal.
- 2017 “Medicalization for the Future.” *Forum on Medical Sociology: The Conrad Way*. Brandeis University, Waltham, MA.
- 2016 “From the Womb to the Woman: Preconception Care and the Shifting Boundaries of Reproductive Risk.” Princeton University Histories of Reproductive Risk Workshop. Princeton, NJ.
- 2016 “Governing Risk, Governing Women: Population Health Imperatives and Social Order.” Keynote Address at Annual Social Science & Social Change Conference. Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, AZ.
- 2014 “Health Promotion and the Cultural Imperative of Motherhood.” Department of Sociology, Florida State University
Department of Sociology, University of South Carolina
- 2014 Invited Critic. Author-Meets-Critics Session for *Cut It Out: The C-Section Epidemic in America* (NYU Press) by Theresa Morris. Eastern Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Baltimore.
- 2013 “Cultivating the Maternal Future: Public Health and the New Pre-Pregnant Self.” Department of Sociology, University of Virginia
Department of Sociology, University of Kentucky
- 2013 “Programming the Fetus: Reproductive Technology and the Developmental Origins Hypothesis.” Rutgers University Interdisciplinary Symposium on Maternal and Fetal Bodies. New Brunswick, NJ.
- 2013 “Programming the Fetus: Metaphor, Technology, and Population Health in the Postgenomic Age.” Harvard University Humanities Center, Gender and Sexuality Seminar. Cambridge, MA.
- 2013 “Theorizing Proximity Risk in a New Epidemic.” Rutgers University Institute for Health, Health Care Policy & Aging Research Colloquium. New Brunswick, NJ.
- 2013 “The Origin and Operationalization of Fetal Programming Science.” International Society for History, Philosophy, and Social Studies of Biology Annual Meeting, Montpellier, France.
- 2013 “Every Woman, Every Time: Anticipatory Motherhood in a New Reproductive Care Paradigm.” Transylvania University, Lexington, KY.
- 2012 “Every Woman, Every Time: Preconception Care in an Age of Anticipatory Medicine.”

STS Program, Drexel University
Department of Sociology, University of Miami

SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2018 “Toward a Sociology of Prognosis” (with Harry Barbee). American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia.
- 2018 “Another Person’s Peril: Proximity Risk, Peanut Allergy, and the Cultural Politics of Shared Spaces” (with Michaela DeSoucey). American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia.
- 2017 “Governing Reproduction in the Age of Zika” (with Hena Wadhwa). American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Montreal.
- 2016 “Techniques of Reproductive Governance: Regulating and Optimizing Motherhood under Neoliberalism” (with Emily Mann and Patrick Grzanka). American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Seattle.
- 2016 “Gendering the ‘Parental Imprint’: Depictions of Maternal and Paternal Effects in Reproductive Epigenetics.” Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Boston.
- 2015 “Following the Famine Forward: The Dutch Hunger Winter of 1944–45 as Epidemiological Paradigm” (with Elizabeth Mitchell Armstrong). Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, New York.
- 2015 “Feminist Research in an Environment of Strategic Backlash.” Sociologists for Women in Society Winter Meeting, Washington, D.C.
- 2013 “Preconception Care and the Rise of Anticipatory Medicine.” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, New York.
- 2012 “Entangling Motherhood and Womanhood in Reproductive Health: Social Implications of the Preconception Care Initiative.” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Denver.
- 2012 “Programming the Fetus: Technology, Metaphor, and the Fetal Origins Hypothesis.” Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, New York.
- 2011 “Boundary Tensions in the Reproductive Health Arena.” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas.
- 2010 “Deception of Conception: Shifting Ethical Boundaries of Reproductive Care.” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta.

PUBLIC LECTURES AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- 2017 “Does Public Health Policy Value Women and Children Enough?” Policy Pub, Florida State University College of Social Sciences & Public Policy.
- 2017 “Women Can’t Win: Ongoing Offensives against Maternal and Reproductive Health.” University of California Press Blog.
- 2016 “Birth Matters.” Judy Chicago Birth Project Exhibit Panel, Florida State University Museum of Fine Arts.

TEACHING

FSU Sociology Department

Sociological Theory (undergraduate lecture and graduate seminar)

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Politics of Reproduction (undergraduate liberal arts honors course)
Qualitative Research Methods (graduate seminar)
Maternal and Child Health (graduate seminar)
Reproduction and Society (graduate seminar)
Issues in Public Health Ethics (undergraduate lecture, forthcoming, BSPH major course)

FSU College of Medicine

“Pregnancy, Risk, and Clinical Research Ethics.” Lecture and workshop in “Reproductive Systems” course, required of second-year medical students (spring 2019)

UVA (2014–2015)

Gender and the Body in Society (undergraduate lecture, WGS)
Health and Society (undergraduate lecture, sociology)
Feminist Theory (undergraduate lecture, WGS)

ADVISING

FSU Dissertation Committee Member: Pierce Dignam (Sociology, current), Drew Griffin (Ethnomusicology, current), Chris Garcia (Communication, current), Harry Barbee (Sociology, 2020), Elyse Claxton (Sociology, 2019), Quentin Kilpatrick (Sociology, 2019), Andrew Latinsky (Sociology, 2019), Hena Wadhwa (Sociology, 2018)

FSU Master’s Thesis Chair (MA in Sociology): Aislinn (Roxie) Brookshire (current), Jason D’Amours (current), Madeline Levey (current), Bree Salazar (current), Isamar (Izzy) Hernandez (2019)

FSU Master’s Thesis Chair (MS in Demography): Logan Burge (Demography, 2019)

FSU Master’s Thesis Committee Member: Taylor Darks (current), Kyle Rose (current), Martin Wood (current), Caitria DeLucchi (current), Marty Masek (2019), Wayne Rivera-Cuadrado (2018), TehQuin Forbes (2018), Lawrence Stacey (2018), Pierce Dignam (2017), Jessi Grace (2017), Kelly Grove (2017), Cynthia Williams (2017), Harry Barbee (2016), Hena Wadhwa (2016)

FSU Other: University Research Opportunity Program (UROP) (1), Independent Study (2), Senior Thesis Committee (1)

Outside FSU: Ashley F. Kim (Dissertation Committee, Vanderbilt University, current)

FSU UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Member, Truman Scholarship Faculty Committee (2020–present)

FSU COLLEGE SERVICE

Member, Bachelor of Science in Public Health Implementation Committee (2017–2019)
Member, Center for Demography and Population Health Executive Committee (2017–2018)

FSU DEPARTMENT SERVICE

Chair, Departmental Mentoring Committee (2020–2021)
Member, Policy and Personnel Committee (2018–2021)
Member, Inequality & Social Justice Area Committee (2018–2021)
Member, Demography Area Committee (2017–2021)
Member, Health & Aging Area Committee (2016–2021)
Examiner, Health & Aging Area (2018–2020)
Graduate Admissions & Financial Aid Committee, Member (2017–2018)
Faculty Mentoring Committee, Member (2017–2018)
Member, Political Search Committee (2017)
Member, Health & Aging Area Committee (2016–2020)
Chair, Theory Committee (2016–2018)
Member, Department Policy Committee (2016–2017)
Member, Inequality & Social Justice Area Committee (2016–2017)
Chair, Colloquium Committee (2015–2016)
Member, Stratification & Social Justice Area Committee (2015–2016)
Member, Theory Committee (2015–2016)

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

2020–2022 Deputy Editor, *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*.
2020 Invited Organizer, Regular Session on Sociology of Science, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco (held virtually).
2020 Member, Louise Johnson Scholar Award and Howard B. Kaplan Memorial Award Committees, American Sociological Association Section on Medical Sociology.
2019–2021 Secretary/Treasurer for Section on Medical Sociology, American Sociological Association (elected).
2019 Invited Organizer, Regular Session on Sociology of Reproduction. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, New York.
2019 Organizer, Open Panel Session, “Ethical Issues in Biomedical Research, Health Policy, and Clinical Practice” (with Susan Markens). Society for Social Studies of Science (4S) Annual Meeting, New Orleans.
2017 Organizer, Reproduction and Inequalities Mini-Conference (with Shannon Carter, Theresa Morris, and Carrie Smith). Southern Sociology Society Annual Meeting, Greenville, SC.
2017 Graduate Student Paper Award Committee, American Sociological Association Section on Body & Embodiment.
2016–2017 Council Member, American Sociological Association Section on Body & Embodiment (elected).
2015–2017 Career and Employment Chair, American Sociological Association Section on Medical Sociology (elected).
2015 Organizer, Session on “Risk and the Maternal Body” (with Norah MacKendrick). Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, New York.
2015 Organizer, Panel on “Feminist Research Challenges in Reproductive Health Policy Settings” (with Susan Markens). Sociologists for Women in Society

- 2014 Winter Meeting, Washington, DC.
 2014 Simmons Dissertation Award Committee Member, American Sociological Association Section on Medical Sociology.
 2013–2014 Nominations Committee, American Sociological Association Section on Medical Sociology Council (elected).
 2013 Invited Organizer, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting Section on Medical Sociology Session, “Emerging Medical Epidemics.” New York.
 2013 Organizer, Sociology of Reproduction Mini-Conference (with Susan Markens). Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Boston.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association, Society for Social Studies of Science, American Society for Bioethics and Humanities, PRIM&R (Public Responsibility in Medicine and Research), Society for the Study of Social Problems, Southern Sociological Society, Florida Bioethics Network

AD HOC REVIEWER

Journals: *American Sociological Review*; *American Journal of Sociology*; *IJFAB: International Journal of Feminist Approaches to Bioethics*; *American Journal of Bioethics-Empirical Bioethics*; *Kennedy Institute of Ethics Journal*; *Engaging Science, Technology, and Society*; *Body & Society*; *Critical Public Health*; *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*; *Social Science & Medicine*; *Journal of Health, Politics, Policy and Law*; *Reproductive BioMedicine & Society*; *Maternal and Child Health Journal*; *Science, Technology, & Human Values*; *Sociological Forum*; *BioSocieties*; *Signs*; *Information, Communication and Society*; *Politics and the Life Sciences*

Books: University of California Press, Columbia University Press, NYU Press, Rutgers University Press, Polity Press, *Advances in Medical Sociology*, Berghahn Books, Rowman & Littlefield

Grants: National Science Foundation (Sociology Program and STS Program), Society of Family Planning