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Curriculum Vitae

Department of Sociology and Anthropology
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Education

Ph.D., Sociology, University of Virginia 2011

M.A., Sociology, University of Virginia 2005

B.A., Sociology, Christopher Newport University 2003

Positions

Assistant Professor Department of Sociology and Anthropology West Virginia University	2011-Present
Instructor Department of Sociology University of Virginia	2006-2011
Graduate Teaching Assistant Department of Sociology University of Virginia	2003-2007

Research Interests

Conflict; Violence; Theory; Law and Social Control; Morality

Articles

Manning, Jason. 2012. "Suicide as Social Control." *Sociological Forum* 27 (1): 207-227.

Campbell, Bradley and Jason Manning. 2014. "Microaggression and Moral Cultures." *Comparative Sociology* 13 (5): 692-726.

Manning, Jason. 2015. "The Social Structure of Homicide-Suicide." *Homicide Studies* 19 (4): 350-369. (Published online before print, August 2014. DOI: 10.1177/1088767914547819).

Manning, Jason . 2015. "Suicide and Social Time." *Dilemas: Revistas de Estudos de Conflicto e Controle Social* 8 (1): 97-126.

Manning, Jason . 2015. "Aggressive Suicide." *International Journal of Law, Crime, and Justice* 43 (3): 326-341.

Woods, Joshua, Jason Manning and Jacob Matz. 2015. "The Impression Management Tactics of an Immigration Think Tank." *Sociological Focus* 48 (4): 354-372.

Manning, Jason. 2015. "Suicide Attacks and the Social Structure of Sacrifice." Pp.151-171 in *Terrorism and Counterterrorism Today*, edited by Mathieu Deflem. Bingley, UK: Emerald.

Stein, Rachel; Corey Colyer and Jason Manning. 2016. "Student Accountability in Team-Based Learning Classes." *Teaching Sociology* 44 (1): 28-38. (Published online before print, September 2015. DOI: 10.1177/0092055X15603429).

Campbell, Bradley and Jason Manning. 2016. "Campus Culture Wars and the Sociology of Morality." *Comparative Sociology* 15 (2): 147-178.

Book Reviews

Manning, Jason. 2013. Review of *Understanding Suicide: A Sociological Autopsy*, by Ben Fincham, Susanne Langer, Jonathan Scourfield, and Michael Shiner. *Contemporary Sociology* 42(4): 557-558.

Manning, Jason. 2012. Review of *Crime and Terrorism Risk: Studies in Criminology and Criminal Justice*, edited by Leslie W. Kennedy and Edmund F. McGarrell. *Contemporary Sociology* 41(5): 651-653.

Honors and Awards

Winner of the Scholarly Achievement Award, given annually by the North Central Sociological Association, 2016 (with Joshua Woods and Jacob Matz for "The Impression Management Tactics of an Immigration Think Tank").

Winner of the Scholarly Achievement Award, given annually by the North Central Sociological Association, 2015 (for “Suicide as Social Control”).

Winner of the Bierstedt Award, given annually by the University of Virginia’s Department of Sociology, 2011 (for “Suicide as Social Control”).

Invited Talks

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| “Patterns of Suicidal Conflict.”
Department of Sociology Colloquium Series
University of Virginia (Charlottesville, VA) | 2015 |
| “Developing a Theory of Moralistic Suicide.”
Given in acceptance of the NCSA Scholarly
Achievement Award at the Annual Conference of the
North Central Sociological Association (Cleveland, OH). | 2015 |
| “Suicide as Protest and Punishment.”
2012 Forum on Violence,
St. Francis University (Loretto, PA). | 2012 |
| “Five Misconceptions about Suicide.”
Invited presentation at a training session of the Stephen Ministry
(Harrisonburg, VA). | 2009 |

Conference Presentations

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| “Social Geometry and the Evolution of Mimicry.”
Presented at the annual meeting of the
American Sociological Association (Seattle, WA) | 2016 |
| “Campus Culture Wars and the Sociology of Morality.”
Presented by Bradley Campbell and Jason Manning
American Sociological Association (Seattle, WA) | 2016 |
| “Can Structural Theories of Suicide Explain Suicide Attacks?”
Presented at the annual meeting of the
American Society of Criminology (Washington, DC) | 2015 |
| “Microaggression and Victimhood”
Presented by Bradley Campbell and Jason Manning
Southern Sociological Society (New Orleans, LA) | 2015 |

- “Social Structure and Clearance Rates: The Effect of Neighborhood Characteristics on Aggravated Assault Case Outcomes.” 2015
Presented by Bradley Silberzahn and Jason Manning.
North Central Sociological Association (Cleveland, OH)
- “The Social Organization of Victimhood.” 2014
Presented by Bradley Campbell and Jason Manning
American Society of Criminology (San Francisco, CA)
- “The Social Structure of Homicide-Suicide.” 2014
Presented at the annual meeting of the
American Society of Criminology (San Francisco, CA)
- “Homicide-Suicide in the Mountain State.” 2014
Presented at the annual meeting of the
North Central Sociological Association (Cincinnati, OH)
- “Suicide and Social Time.” 2013
Presented at the annual meeting of the
American Sociological Association (New York, NY)
- “The Nature of Theory in Social Science.” 2013
Presented at the annual meeting of the North
Central Sociological Association (Indianapolis, IN)
- “Deceptive Mimicry among Police and Predators.” 2013
Presented at the annual meeting of the North
Central Sociological Association (Indianapolis, IN)
- “Toward a Theory of Predatory Mimicry.” 2012
Presented at the annual meeting of the American
Society of Criminology (Chicago, IL)
- "The Sociological Nature of Homicide-Suicide." 2011
Presented at the annual meeting of the American
Society of Criminology (Washington, DC)
- "Suicide as Social Control." 2011
Presented at the annual meeting of the American
Sociological Association (Las Vegas, NV)
- "Homicide-Suicide in a Southern City." 2011
Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern
Sociological Society (Jacksonville, FL)

<p>“Suicide as Fight and as Flight.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology (San Francisco, CA)</p>	2010
<p>“On Aggressive Suicide in Modern Society.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society (Atlanta, GA).</p>	2010
<p>“Suicide as Interpersonal Aggression.” Presentation given at the Huskey Research Exhibition (Charlottesville, VA).</p>	2010
<p>"Income Inequality and Private School Enrollments in US Counties." Paper presented the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society (Charlotte, NC).</p>	2005
<p>"Evidence, Deconstruction, and Patterns of Support in Science." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society (Charlotte, NC).</p>	2005
<p>“Pastoral Conservatism? Education and the Maasai.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society (New York, NY).</p>	2004

Courses Taught

Assistant Professor, West Virginia University

Sociological Explanation 2014-2016
Sociology of Violence 2013-2015
Sociological Theory 2012-2016
Social Research Methods 2011-2016
Sociology of Law 2011-2012, 2016

Instructor, University of Virginia

Law and Society 2010-2011
Sociology Research Workshop 2008-2010
Sociology of Science and Knowledge 2007, 2008
Introduction to Social Theory 2007, 2006

Internal Service

Department of Sociology & Anthropology, West Virginia University

Advising Specialist Hiring Committee 2016
Mary L. Thomas Lecture Series Organizer 2014-2016
Executive Board, Research Center on Violence 2014-2016
Theory Curriculum Sub-Committee 2014
Teaching Assistant Professor Search Committee 2014
Visiting Assistant Professor Search Committee 2013
Graduate Committee 2012-2015, 2016
PhD Planning Task Force 2012-2014
Ad-Hoc Decision Making Committee 2012
Criminology Search Committee 2011-2012

Eberly College of Arts & Sciences, West Virginia University

Library Committee 2016
Professional Technologist Hiring Committee 2012

External Service

Expert Source:

Christian Science Monitor
Herald-Tribune (Uniontown, PA)
Clarksburg Exponent Telegram (Clarksburg, WV)

Conference Roles:

Chair, "Crime and Social Time: Criminological Applications of Black's New Theory."
2015 Meeting of the American Society of Criminology (Washington, DC)
Presider, "Solidarity and Social Crisis."
2013 Meeting of the American Sociological Association (New York, NY)

Presider, "Sociological Perspectives on Offending and Victimization."
2012 Meeting of the American Society of Criminology (Chicago, IL)

Organizer, "Gender, Politics, and Power in Global Development."
2011 Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society (Jacksonville, FL)

Manuscript Reviewer:

American Sociological Review

Science

The American Sociologist.

Homicide Studies

Social Problems

Sociological Quarterly

Law & Society Review

Comparative Sociology

Health Sociology Review

Journal of Legal Pluralism

Oxford Bibliographies

Amalgam

Competition Judge:

2014 North Central Sociological Association Scholarly Achievement
Award

2013 North Central Sociological Association Student Paper Competition

Professional Memberships

American Society of Criminology

American Sociological Association

North Central Sociological Association