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Professional Appointments

- 2015 – Assistant Professor, Department of Human Ecology, Rutgers University
ongoing
- Faculty member at the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station (since 2021)
 - Member of the graduate faculty in: Sociology; Nutritional Sciences; Planning and Public Policy; Geography
 - Faculty affiliate at: Rutgers Climate Institute; Center for Agricultural Food Ecosystems; Global Asias Faculty Collaborative
- 2013 – Dow Sustainability Postdoctoral Research Fellow, School for Environment and
2015 Sustainability and The Erb Institute, University of Michigan

Education

- 2013 Ph.D., Sociology, University of Michigan
2004 M.A., Politics, Princeton University
1999 B.A., Fundamentals: Issues and Texts, University of Chicago

Grants

- 2022 Co-Investigator, with James Simon (P.I.), Daniel Hoffman, Ramu Govindasamy, et al. “Baseline assessment in support of climate-resilient food security for farming households across the Federated States of Micronesia.” Global Climate Fund and Micronesia Conservation Trust: \$245,000.
- 2021 Co-Principal Investigator, with Shauna Downs, Sara Elnakib (P.I.), and Peggy Policastro, “People, plants, and the planet: A multi-method study to develop, implement and evaluate a food and climate change intervention to empower adolescents to make healthy and sustainable plant-based food choices.” USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture, Agriculture and Food Research Initiative, Foundational and Applied Science Program: \$298,290.
- 2018 Principal Investigator, with Lauren Errickson and Virginia Quick, “Connecting New Jersey farmers with a not-for-profit culinary school to develop new value-added products: A feasibility study.” USDA Agricultural Marketing Service, Local Food Promotion Program: \$97,216.

- 2014 Co-Principal Investigator (*de facto* P.I. as a postdoctoral fellow), with Tom Princen (P.I.), “The Impacts of Agriculture on Freshwater Ecosystems: Will Strengthening Local Food Systems Help or Hurt?” University of Michigan Water Center at the Graham Sustainability Institute: \$49,721.
- 2014 Co-Investigator, “The Students’ Food Hub: Bridging the Gap Between Local Farms and Students.” University of Michigan Dow Award Seed Funding: \$5,000.

Publications

Refereed Articles

- 2022 Errickson, Lauren B.*, Ethan D. Schoolman, Virginia Quick, Sarah Davis**, and Anthony Capece***. “Engaging farmers, culinary schools, and community members in value-added production to strengthen local food systems.” *Journal of Extension* (in press).
- 2022 Schoolman, Ethan D., and J. Gordon Arbuckle. “Cover crops and specialty crop agriculture: Exploring cover crop use among vegetable and fruit growers in Michigan and Ohio.” *Journal of Soil and Water Conservation* (in press).
- 2022 Quick, Virginia, Lauren B. Errickson*, Graham E. Bastian*, Grace Chang**, Sarah Davis**, Anthony Capece***, and Ethan D. Schoolman. “Preserving farm freshness: Consumer preferences for local value-added products at urban farmers markets.” *Journal of Agriculture, Food Systems, and Community Development* 11(2): 1-22. DOI: [10.5304/jafscd.2022.112.004](https://doi.org/10.5304/jafscd.2022.112.004)
- 2021 Han, Guang, Ethan D. Schoolman, J. Gordon Arbuckle Jr., and Lois Wright Morton. “Weather, values, capacity and concern: Toward a social-cognitive model of specialty crop farmers’ perceptions of climate change risk.” *Environment and Behavior* 00(0): 1-36. DOI: [10.1177/00139165211026607](https://doi.org/10.1177/00139165211026607)
- 2021 Schoolman, Ethan D., Lois Wright Morton, J. Gordon Arbuckle Jr., and Guang Han*. “Marketing to the foodshed: Why do farmers participate in local food systems?” *Journal of Rural Studies* 84: 240-253. DOI: [10.1016/j.jrurstud.2020.08.055](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jrurstud.2020.08.055)
- 2020 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Local food and civic engagement: Do farmers who market local food feel more responsible for their communities?” *Rural Sociology* 85(3): 806-839. DOI: [10.1111/ruso.12326](https://doi.org/10.1111/ruso.12326)
- 2020 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Building community, benefiting neighbors: ‘Buying local’ by people who do not fit the mold for ‘ethical consumers’.” *Journal of Consumer Culture* 20(3): 285-304. DOI: [10.1177/1469540517717776](https://doi.org/10.1177/1469540517717776)
- 2020 Slager, Rieneke, Sareh Pouryousefi, Jeremy Moon, and Ethan D. Schoolman.

- “Sustainability centres and fit: How centres work to integrate sustainability within business schools.” *Journal of Business Ethics* 161(2): 375-391. DOI: [10.1007/s10551-018-3965-4](https://doi.org/10.1007/s10551-018-3965-4)
- 2019 Schoolman, Ethan D. and Alexander Ho*. “Growth and tension in local food systems in the United States and Japan.” *Bulletin of the National Museum of Ethnology (Osaka, Japan)* 44(2): 347-377. DOI: [10/15021/00009451](https://doi.org/10.15021/00009451)
- 2019 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Doing right and feeling good: Ethical food and the shopping experience.” *Sociological Perspectives* 62(5) (special issue on “Civic responses to environmental issues,” edited by Josee Johnston and Emily Huddart Kennedy): 668-690. DOI: [10.1177/0731121419855980](https://doi.org/10.1177/0731121419855980)
- 2019 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Do direct market farms use fewer agricultural chemicals? Evidence from the U.S. census of agriculture.” *Renewable Agriculture and Food Systems* 34(5): 415-429. DOI: [10.1017/S1742170517000758](https://doi.org/10.1017/S1742170517000758)
- 2016 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Completing the circuit: Routine, reflection, and ethical consumption.” *Sociological Forum* 31(3): 619-641. DOI: [10.1111/socf.12266](https://doi.org/10.1111/socf.12266)
- 2016 Schoolman, Ethan D., Mike Shriberg, Sarah Schwimmer**, and Marie Tysman**. “Green cities and ivory towers: How do higher education sustainability initiatives shape millennials’ consumption practices?” *Journal of Environmental Studies and Sciences* 6(3): 490-502. DOI: [10.1007/s13412-014-0190-z](https://doi.org/10.1007/s13412-014-0190-z)
- Winner of a 2017 Campus Sustainability Research Award from the Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education (AASHE)
- 2012 Schoolman, Ethan D.* and Chunbo Ma*. “Migration, class and environmental inequality: Pollution exposure in China’s Jiangsu Province.” *Ecological Economics* 75: 140-151. DOI: [10.1016/j.ecolecon.2012.01.015](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ecolecon.2012.01.015)
- 2012 Schoolman, Ethan D.*, Jeremy S. Guest*, Kathleen F. Bush*, and Andrew R. Bell*. “How interdisciplinary is sustainability research? Analyzing the structure of an emerging scientific field.” *Sustainability Science* 7: 67-80. DOI: [10.1007/s11625-011-0139-z](https://doi.org/10.1007/s11625-011-0139-z)

*Graduate student; **Undergraduate student; ***Community partner

Articles Under Review

Schoolman, Ethan D., David L. Tulloch, and Franklin R. Halprin*. “Organic for everyone? Access to sustainable, locally grown produce at farmers markets in New Jersey.” Resubmitted, following at R&R decision, at *Local Environment*.

Halprin, Franklin R.* and Ethan D. Schoolman. “Happy animals at small scales: Farmers’ portrayls of local food systems as an organic answer to animal welfare concerns.” Under review at *Organic Agriculture*.

Technical Reports and Reports for Non-Governmental Organizations

- 2018 Han, Guang*, J. Ethan D. Schoolman, Gordon Arbuckle, and Lois Wright Morton. “2017 Survey of specialty crop growers in Michigan and Ohio.” Sociology Technical Report 1055 (Iowa State University) | HE-2018-03 (Rutgers University). Department of Sociology, Iowa State University. <https://store.extension.iastate.edu/product/15450>
- 2018 Han, Guang*, Ethan D. Schoolman, J. Gordon Arbuckle, and Lois Wright Morton. “2017 Survey of specialty crop growers in Michigan.” Sociology Technical Report 1054 (Iowa State University) | HE-2018-01 (Rutgers University). Department of Sociology, Iowa State University. <https://store.extension.iastate.edu/product/15449>
- 2018 Han, Guang*, Ethan D. Schoolman, J. Gordon Arbuckle, and Lois Wright Morton. “2017 Survey of specialty crop growers in Ohio.” Sociology Technical Report 1053 (Iowa State University) | HE-2018-02 (Rutgers University). Department of Sociology, Iowa State University. <https://store.extension.iastate.edu/product/15448>
- 2018 Schoolman, Ethan D. “2017-2018 Survey of farm operators and owners in the New Jersey Central Region of the Delaware River Watershed.” Report prepared for New Jersey Audubon (available upon request).
- 2018 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Conservation fieldwork experiences at New Jersey Youth Corps of Phillipsburg.” Report prepared for New Jersey Audubon (available upon request).
- 2017 Lawson, Laura, Virginia Quick, Meredith Taylor, Maria Kapsokafalou, Panagiotis Kotsios, Salome Rao, and Ethan D. Schoolman. “Food aid and the emergency food system in Greece.” Stavros Niarchos Foundation (available upon request).
- 2014 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “Staying true to its ‘roots’: How will growth change local food systems?” Erb Institute Summary Report. <http://erb.umich.edu/blog/2014/11/24>

Book Reviews and Short Pieces

- 2022 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Review of *Salmon and Acorns Feed Our People: Colonialism, Nature, and Social Action*.” *American Journal of Sociology* (in press).
- 2018 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Review of ‘Civic Engagement in Food System Governance: A Comparative Perspective of American and British Local Food Movements’, by Alan R. Hunt.” *Society and Natural Resources* 31(11): 1319-1320. DOI: [10.1080/08941920.2018.1463425](https://doi.org/10.1080/08941920.2018.1463425)
- 2015 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “Big-box stores.” In *Wiley-Blackwell Encyclopedia of Consumption and Consumer Studies*, edited by J. Michael Ryan and Daniel Cook, pp. 45-46. Hoboken, NJ: Wiley-Blackwell.

- 2012 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “Bush Administration, George H.W.” In *Encyclopedia of Global Warming and Climate Change*, Second Edition, edited by S. George Philander, pp. 164-166. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
- 2012 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “Carter Administration.” In *Encyclopedia of Global Warming and Climate Change*, Second Edition, edited by S. George Philander, pp. 210-212. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
- 2011 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “Green horizon: The theory and prospects of Thomas Lyson’s ‘Civic Agriculture’.” *Sociological Forum* 26(2): 460-464.
<https://www.jstor.org/stable/23027334>
- 2009 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “Houle, Marcy Cottrell.” In *Modern American Environmentalists: A Biographical Encyclopedia*, edited by Everett I. Mendelsohn and George A. Cevalasco, pp. 206-211. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press.
- 2009 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “Review of ‘Edging Towards BioUtopia: A New Politics of Reordering Life and the Democratic Challenge’, by Richard Hindmarsh.” *Environmental Politics* 18(1): 144-146.

Conference Proceedings

- 2020 Errickson, Lauren B.*, Ethan D. Schoolman, Virginia Quick, Anthony Capece***, Graham Bastian*, Grace Chang**, Sarah Davis**, Jason Flatt, Michelle Jimenez*, and Amanda Sie*. “P3 Community opportunity in New Jersey: The role of food choice, farm viability, and local economy in a sustainable food future.” *Journal of Nutrition Education and Behavior* 52(7): S16-S17. DOI: [10.1016/j.jneb.2020.04.048](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jneb.2020.04.048)
- 2020 Bastian, Graham E.*, Virginia Quick, Lauren B. Errickson*, Anthony Capece***, Jason Flatt***, Sarah Davis, and Ethan D. Schoolman. “010 Personal food values in 2020: Reimagining the Food Choice Process Model using consumer input from New Jerseyans.” *Journal of Nutrition Education and Behavior* 52(7): S5. DOI: [10.1016/j.jneb.2020.04.022](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jneb.2020.04.022)
- 2019 Quick, Virginia, Lauren B. Errickson*, Graham Bastian*, Anthony Capece***, and Ethan D. Schoolman. “Using consumer stakeholder input to inform a community-based pilot of value-added products sold at local NJ farmers markets.” *Journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics* 119(10): A150. DOI: [10.1016/j.jand.2019.08.171](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jand.2019.08.171)
- 2019 Errickson, Lauren B.*, Anthony Capece***, Ethan D. Schoolman, and Virginia Quick. “Connecting New Jersey farmers with a not-for-profit culinary school to develop new value-added products.” Proceedings of the 2019 New Jersey Agricultural Conventional and Trade Show.
- 2019 Pouryousefi, Sareh, Ethan Schoolman, Rieneke Slager, Andrew J. Hoffman, Jeremy Moon, Mette Morsing, and Vasanthi Srinivasan. “Fit or friction: The role of sustainability

centres in integrating sustainable business education.” *Academy of Management Annual Meeting Proceedings* 2019(1): 16473. [DOI: 10.5465/AMBPP.2019.16473symposium](https://doi.org/10.5465/AMBPP.2019.16473symposium)

Talks and Conferences

Invited Talks

- 2020 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Local food and sustainability: Possibility and problems.” Strategic Workshop on Environmental Sciences, Social Sciences, and Humanities in a Time of Crisis, Rutgers University, Feb. 28.
- 2019 Schoolman, Ethan D. and David L. Tulloch. “New Jersey farmers markets in urban, rural and suburban areas.” Opening talk at the Urban Agriculture and Food Systems Convening: Urban Farmers Market Conference, March 21, Camden, New Jersey.
- 2019 Errickson, Lauren B.*, Anthony Capece***, Ethan D. Schoolman, and Virginia Quick. “Connecting New Jersey farmers with a not-for-profit culinary school to develop new value-added products: Phase I of a feasibility study.” Common Roots: Graduate Student Conference of State and Local Economic Development Policy (SLED), March 21, Camden, New Jersey.
- 2019 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Matters of embeddedness: Are the values and practices of farmers related to their participation in local food systems?” Food and Politics Speaker Series, Montclair State University, March 20.
- 2019 Errickson, Lauren*, Ethan D. Schoolman, Virginia Quick, and Anthony Capece***. “Connecting New Jersey farmers with a not-for-profit culinary school to develop new value-added products.” Specialty Crop Session at the New Jersey Agricultural Conventional and Trade Show, February 5, Atlantic City, New Jersey.
- 2018 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Rural studies and rural sociology: A brief history and recent work on local food.” Headline talk at the “Rural Computing: Beyond Access and Infrastructure” workshop at the 21st Association for Computing Machinery (ACM) Conference on Computer-Supported Cooperative Work and Social Computing, November 4, Jersey City, New Jersey.
- 2018 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Matters of embeddedness: Are the values and practices of farmers related to their participation in local food systems?” Colloquium at the Department of Geography, Rutgers University, Sept. 28.
- 2017 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Why buy local? Exploring whether local food systems are achieving environmental and social goals.” Colloquium at the Department of Nutritional Sciences, Rutgers University, Dec. 14.
- 2017 Schoolman, Ethan D. Panelist for “Food Fight: Controversies in Food Discussion Panel,” Rutgers Undergraduate Food Science Club, Rutgers University, Nov. 7.

- 2016 Schoolman, Ethan D. "Place matters: Culture, politics, and regional differences in local food systems." 6th Asian Food Studies Conference, December 4, Kyoto, Japan.
- 2016 Schoolman, Ethan D. "Big problems, 'small' solution: Are strong local food systems better for the environment and public health?" Feast and Famine Colloquium at the Department of Nutrition and Food Studies, New York University, Feb. 12.
- 2015 Schoolman, Ethan D. "Local food and the question of fair labor." "Interdisciplinary Panel on Food Ethics," sponsored by the Rutgers Philosophy Club and the Rutgers Vegan Society, Rutgers University, Nov. 10.
- 2014 Schoolman, Ethan D.* "Local food systems: Growth, change... and questions." Global Sustainability Summit of the Food Marketing Institute and the Grocery Manufacturers Association, August 14, Boston, Massachusetts.
- 2010 Schoolman, Ethan D.*, Jeremy S. Guest*, Kathleen F. Bush*, and Andrew R. Bell*. "Analyzing interdisciplinarity using bibliographic data." Presentation to the Executive Board of the Graham Sustainability Institute, University of Michigan, Jan. 21.
- 2005 Abdenur, Adriana*, Michael Benediktsson*, Sara Nephew*, and Ethan D. Schoolman*. "From handshakes to lawsuits: The social impact of methane development." Princeton Environmental Institute Workshop, Princeton University, March 10.

Conference Organizing

- 2019 (with Rieneke Slager and Sareh Pouryousefi) Organizers/presiders of the Panel Symposium, "Fit or friction: The role of sustainability centres in integrating sustainable business education" (selected for All-Academy Theme program) at the Academy of Management Annual Meeting, August 11, Boston, Massachusetts.
 - Winner of the 2019 Global Forum Best Symposium Award from the Management Education and Development Division.
- 2013 (with Yuki Kato) Organizers/presiders of the Session, "Community Spaces and Food Justice," at the Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 16, San Francisco, California.
- 2013 Program Committee Member for the Pre-ASA Mini-Conference, "Farm to Table," sponsored by the American Sociological Association Section on Consumers and Consumption, August 15, Berkeley, California.

Presentations at Professional Conferences

- 2021 Schoolman, Ethan D. "Is It Only a (Green) Job? Exploring the Impacts of Conservation Fieldwork on Young Adults." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 10 (virtual meeting).

- 2021 Schoolman, Ethan D., and Justin L. Schupp. "Hosting a Market is Just the First Step: Exploring the Relationship Between Community Characteristics and Farmers Market Size." Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, July 1 (virtual meeting).
- 2021 *Halprin, Franklin, and Ethan D. Schoolman. "Happy Animals at Small Scales: Farmers' Portrayal of Local Food Systems in New Jersey." Annual Meeting of the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society (joint with ASFS, CAFS, and SAFN), June 9 (virtual meeting).
- 2020 Errickson, Lauren B.*, Ethan D. Schoolman, Virginia Quick, Anthony Capece***, Graham Bastian*, Grace Chang**, Sarah Davis**, Jason Platt***, Michelle Jimenez*, and Amanda Sie*. "Community opportunity in New Jersey: The role of food choice, farm viability, and local economy in a sustainable food future." Society for Nutrition Education and Behavior Annual Meeting, July 18-21 (poster), San Diego, CA.
- 2020 Bastian, Graham E.*, Virginia Quick, Lauren B. Errickson*, Anthony Capece***, Jason Platt***, Sarah Davis**, and Ethan D. Schoolman. "Personal food values in 2020: Reimagining the Food Choice Process Model using consumer input from New Jerseyans." Society for Nutrition Education and Behavior Annual Meeting, July 21, San Diego, CA.
- 2020 Errickson, Lauren B.*, Virginia Quick, Anthony Capece***, Ethan D. Schoolman, Graham Bastian*, Amanda Sie*, Sarah Liebau**, and Nechama Lowy**. "Farmers and community kitchens: Developing business models for collaborative value-added production" Rutgers Cooperative Extension Annual Conference, January 13, New Brunswick, New Jersey.
- 2019 Quick, Virginia, Lauren B. Errickson*, Graham Bastian*, Anthony Capece***, and Ethan D. Schoolman. "Using consumer stakeholder input to inform a community-based pilot of value-added products sold at local NJ farmers markets." Food and Nutrition Conference and Expo (poster session), organized by the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics. October 29, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- 2019 Schoolman, Ethan D., Lauren B. Errickson*, Virginia Quick, Anthony Capece***, Graham Bastian*, Amanda Sie*, Sarah Liebau**, and Nechama Lowy**. "Farmers and community kitchens: Developing business models for collaborative value-added production." National Direct Agricultural Marketing Summit (poster session), October 8, Rosemont, Illinois.
- 2019 Schoolman, Ethan D. "Local food systems and civil society: Examining the civic engagement of farmers." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 12, New York, New York.

- 2019 Schoolman, Ethan D. and Frank R. Halprin*. “‘Access’ is just a start: How are the characteristics of local food systems related to the communities being served?” Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, August 9, Richmond, Virginia.
- 2018 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Does how you sell local food matter for how you grow it?” Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, July 29, Portland, Oregon.
- 2018 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Local, local, on the wall... Are CSAs the ‘greenest’ of them all?” Annual Meeting of the Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society, June 14, Madison, Wisconsin.
- 2017 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Local food and the environment: New findings from a survey of Midwest specialty crop growers.” Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, July 28, Columbus, Ohio.
- 2016 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Buying local as building community.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 23, Seattle, Washington.
- 2016 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Is local food better for the environment? Findings from the USDA Census of Agriculture, 1997-2012.” Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, August 9, Toronto, Canada.
- 2016 Schoolman, Ethan D. “Big problems, ‘small’ solution: Are strong local food systems better for the environment and public health?” Annual Meeting of the Agriculture, Food and Human Values Society, June 23, Toronto, Canada.
- 2015 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “‘Scaling up’ local food: Why food hubs matter.” Macomb Food Collaborative Annual Conference: All About Food—From Farm to Fork, February 10, Macomb County, Michigan.
- 2013 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “Be a good shopper, or shop for good? Non-monetary costs in socially responsible purchasing.” Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 8, New York, New York.
- 2012 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “Buying local: New politics or expanding the ‘inverted quarantine’?” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 17, Denver, Colorado.
- 2012 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “Scratching the green surface: How do university ‘go green’ programs shape student views regarding environmental problems?” Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 18, Denver, Colorado.
- 2011 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “Wallet or ballot? How everyday economic activity becomes a political act.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 22, Las Vegas, Nevada.

- 2011 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “Theorizing ethical consumption.” Consumer Studies Research Network Mini-Conference, August 19, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada.
- 2011 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “Mass green: How the space of shopping structures environmental purchasing.” Consumer Culture Theory Workshop V, July 6, Northwestern University, Chicago, Illinois.
- 2009 Schoolman, Ethan D.* and Chunbo Ma*. “Understanding environmental inequality in China: Is new theory needed?” Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 8, San Francisco, California.
- 2008 Caren, Neal and Ethan D. Schoolman*. "Closing the clean air gap? Environmental justice in the 1990s." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 3, Boston, Massachusetts.
- 2004 Schoolman, Ethan D.* “Nature’s contributions to democratic culture.” Annual Meeting of the Western Political Science Association, March 11-13, Portland, Oregon.

Teaching and Advising

Teaching

Courses Taught (Rutgers University, 2016 – ongoing)

- Politics of Environmental Issues
- Sustainable Food: Politics, Policy and Ethics
- Environmental Change: Theory, Research and Writing
- Research Methods
- Byrne Seminar: A Taste of Culinary History

Courses Taught (University of Michigan, 2006 – 2009)

- Graduate Statistics
- Economic Sociology
- Social Theory
- Introduction to Sociology
- Introduction to Statistics

Courses Taught (Princeton University, 2005)

- Ethics and Public Policy
- Ethics and the Environment

Guest Lectures

- “Sociological Research Methods” for “Social and Cultural Aspects of Design” (Rutgers University, 2016; Laura Lawson, professor)
- “Introduction to Environmental Sociology” for “Social Sciences and Environmental Problems” (University of Michigan, 2015; Michaela Zint, professor)

- “Studying Sustainable Campuses using Qualitative Methods” for “Sustainability on Campus” (University of Michigan, 2013; Mike Shriberg, professor)

Grauate Advising and Research Supervision

Doctoral and master’s degree committees:

- Xiatong Du (Ph.D., Communication, Information and Media; currently enrolled) (Committee member)
- Arianna Lindberg (Ph.D., Geography; currently enrolled) (Committee member)
- Lubna Lakhwala (M.L.A. ’22 , Landscape Architecture), “Blue Displacement: Environmental Displacement and the Blue Acres Buyout Program” (Committee member)
- Amanda Lee (M.S. ’21, Nutritional Sciences), “Associations Between Women’s Empowerment, Infant and Young Child Feeding, and Child Anemia in Rural Senegal” (Committee member)

Undergraduate Advising and Research Supervision

G.H. Cook Scholars Program (SEBS Honors Theses)

- Nicole Trent (2022 – 2023), “Levels of Success of Environmental Equity Policies in New Jersey Using a Pinelands Survey” (Project Advisor)
- Felicia Paradiso (2021 – 2022), “Networks of New Jersey Farms and Emergency Food Systems” (Reader)
- Nancy McKeon (B.S. ’21, Environmental Policy, Institutions, and Behavior), “Investigating the relationship between hydraulic fracturing and birth outcomes in Pennsylvania” (Co-advisor)
- James Duffy (B.S. ’18, Environmental Policy, Institutions, and Behavior), “Adoption of Water Quality Best Management Practices by Farmers of the New Jersey Highlands” (Project Advisor)
- April Nicklaus (B.S. ’19, Environmental Policy, Institutions, and Behavior), “Advocacy Network Analysis: Examining Factors in Collaboration Among Community Change-Makers” (Project Advisor)

Faculty Advisor, First Year Interest Group Seminars (FIGS)

- Kendall Soto (Fall 2022), “Exploring Environmental Policy and Awareness”
- April Nicklaus (Fall 2017), “Community Activism”

Faculty Mentor, SEBS Educational Opportunity Fund, RU Researching Lab Experience Program

- Jacquelyn Melgar-Vasquez (2017 – 2018)

Faculty Advisor, Rutgers Honors Tutorial Program

- April Nicklaus (2017 – 2018)

University of Michigan

- Research Supervisor, Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program, “Defining Sustainable Food in University Procurement” (2014 – 2015)

- Research Mentor in Qualitative Methods, Food Access in Michigan Project (Dr. Dorceta Taylor, P.I.) (2013 – 2015)
- Qualitative Fieldwork Supervisor, Ecological Ambassadors Core Course: Sustainability on Campus (2013)
- Preceptor and Academic Advisor, Undergraduate Honors Program (2010 – 2012)
- Graduate Fellow, Undergraduate Honors Program (2006 – 2008)

Additional Teaching Experience

- Facilitator, Leadership Enterprise for a Diverse America (2005)

Academic and Professional Service

Rutgers University

Department of Human Ecology

- Supervisor of TA appointments and funding allocation (2019 – ongoing)
- Teaching Committee (2019 – ongoing)
- Co-Director, Sustainable Global Food Systems Minor (2019 – ongoing)
- Faculty advisor to student groups:
 - Project Appalachia (2022 – 2023)

School of Environmental and Biological Sciences

- Honors Program Committee (2021 – ongoing)
- Rutgers Agrivoltaics Program Committee (2021 – ongoing)
 - Fact Sheets Subcommittee (2022 – ongoing)
- Instructional Assessment Committee (2020 – 2023; three-year term)
- First-year Advisor for Prospective EPIB Majors, Office of Academic Programs (2019 – ongoing)
- G. H. Cook Scholars Program Committee (2018 – 2023; five-year term)
- Planning Committee, 2018 Rutgers Climate Symposium: Climate Change and Food Security (2018)
- Advisory Group and Curriculum Committee, Agriculture and Food Systems Major (2018 – ongoing)
- World Food Prize (faculty panelist and judge), Office of Agriculture and Urban Programs (2017; 2018)
- Advisory Committee, New Brunswick Community Food Assessment (2017)

School of Arts and Sciences

- Graduate Admissions Committee, Department of Geography (2019 – 2021)

General Academic and Professional Service

U.S. Department of Agriculture

- Research Advisory Group for Local Food Research and Development, Agricultural Marketing Service (2019 – ongoing)

National Science Foundation

- Reviewer for Career Grant proposal (2021)

Rural Sociological Society

- Chair-elect, Membership Committee (2021 – 2022)
- Awards and Endowment Committee (2018 – 2021; 3-year term)
- Chair, Best Student Paper Award Committee, Sociology of Food and Agriculture Research Interest Group (2021)
- Chair, Sociology of Food and Agriculture Research Interest Group (2019)
- Co-Chair, Sociology of Food and Agriculture Research Interest Group (2018)

American Sociological Association

- Teaching, Training and Outreach Committee, Environmental Sociology Section (2019 – 2021)
- Nominations Committee, Consumers and Consumption Section (2016 – 2017)
- Best Student Paper Committee, Environment and Technology Section (2015 – 2016)
- Graduate Student Representative on the Section Council, Consumers and Consumption Section (2013 – 2014)

Journal Referee:

- *Agriculture and Human Values*
- *American Sociological Review*
- *Appetite*
- *Case Studies in the Environment*
- *Climatic Change*
- *Ecological Economics*
- *Environmental Policy & Planning*
- *International Journal of Sustainability in Higher Education*
- *Journal of Cleaner Production*
- *Journal of Environmental Management*
- *Journal of Consumer Culture*
- *Journal of Soil and Water Conservation*
- *Participation and Conflict*
- *Qualitative Sociology*
- *Renewable Agriculture and Food Systems*
- *Social Currents*
- *Social Forces*
- *Social Problems*
- *Sociological Inquiry*
- *Sustainability Science*
- *Symbolic Interaction*

Research Consulting

- Pinelands Preservation Alliance (2021 – ongoing):
- New Jersey Audubon and New Jersey Youth Corps of Phillipsburg (2017-2018)

AAUP-AFT (Rutgers Faculty Union)

- Climate Crisis Committee (2019 – ongoing)
- Department Representative for Human Ecology (2018 – ongoing)

Graduate Career

Research Positions, University of Michigan

- Lead Survey Designer, Sustainability Cultural Indicators Program, Graham Environmental Sustainability Institute (2012 – 2014)
- Affiliated Doctoral Student, Erb Institute for Global Sustainable Enterprise (2007 – 2013)
- Research Associate, Health Management and Policy, School of Public Health (2006 – 2007)

Research Positions, Princeton University

- Co-Principal Investigator, Princeton Forum for Environmental Sociology (2004 – 2005)

Fellowships and Funding, University of Michigan

- Doctoral Research Scholarship, Erb Institute of Global Sustainable Enterprise (2011)
- Graduate Fellowship (full funding over two years), Graham Environmental Sustainability Institute (2009 – 2011)
- Spring-Summer Research Grant, Rackham School of Graduate Studies (with Dr. Elisabeth Gerber) (2008)
- Honorable Mention for a Graduate Research Fellowship, National Science Foundation (2007)
- Doctoral Research Award, Nonprofit and Public Management Center (2007)

Fellowships and Funding, Princeton University

- Summer Research Grant, Environmental Institute

Honors and Awards

- 2013 Conflict, Social Action, and Change Division, Society for the Study of Social Problems
2013 Best Student Paper Competition, First Runner-Up (“Be a Good Shopper, or Shop for Good? Non-Monetary Costs in Socially Responsible Purchasing”)
- 2006 Department of Sociology, University of Michigan
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