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INTERESTS

Sociology of Higher Education, Career Formation, Entrepreneurism/Innovation, Organizational Culture, Social Science Methodology, Sociological Theory

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Sociology, University of California, San Diego (*expected 2017*)

M.A. Teaching Sociology Humboldt State University, 2011

M.A. Religious Studies, Biola University, 2006

B.A./B.A. Psychology and Social Science Vanguard University, 2003

Certificate, Non-Profit Leadership University of California, Irvine, 2003

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Point Loma Nazarene University Half-Time Faculty, Spring 2015-Present

SOC 476: Senior Seminar in Sociology

SOC 475: Sociology of Education

SOC 460: Research Methods and Design

SOC 430: Sociology of Religion

SOC 101: Introduction to Sociology

San Diego State University, Lecturer, Spring 2014-Present

SOC 412: The Social Construction of Reality

SOC 403: Contemporary Social Theory

SOC 401: Classical Social Theory

CURRENT PROJECTS

Dissertation: "Accelerated: How Undergraduate Entrepreneurial Venture Programs Transform the College Experience"

- Chapters on the rise and spread of campus incubators/accelerators
- Influences of incubators/accelerators on student learning, wellbeing, and career trajectories
- Differences in programs across educational tiers and student sub-populations (race, class, gender)

Paper: "'Virtuous' Career Funneling: Campus Organizational Agency on Student Career Formation in the Cases of Teach for America and Social Innovation Incubators"

2016. Forthcoming/Contracted Davis, Daniel. *The Adjunct Dilemma: Contingent Faculty and Comparative Labor Practices*. Sterling, VA: Stylus Publishing.

PUBLICATIONS

2016. Davis, Daniel (1st Author, with Amy Binder). "Selling Students: The Rise of Corporate Partnership Programs in University Career Centers." *Research in the Sociology of Organizations*.

2016. Davis, Daniel (2nd Author, with Amy Binder and Nick Bloom). "Professional Funneling: The Narrowing of Student Career Aspirations at Stanford and Harvard." *Sociology of Education* 89(1):20-39.

2012. Davis, Daniel. "Syllabus and Instructors Guide- SOC 382: Intro to Social Research." *TRAILS: Teaching Resources and Innovations Library for Sociology*. Washington DC: American Sociological Association.

2012. Davis, Daniel. "Instructors Manual and Resources Accompaniment" to H. Russel Bernard's, *Social Research Method: Qualitative and Quantitative Methods, 2nd edition* Thousand Oaks, CA: SAGE.

MEDIA COVERAGE OF RESEARCH

- *Career Funneling*
 - *Chronicle of Higher Education* (Nov. 24, 2015)
 - *CBS News* (Dec. 1, 2015)

REVEIWER FOR JOURNALS/TEXTS

- *Sociology of Education* (Journal)
- *SAGE Social Research Methods* (Textbook)

GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

2016. Dissertation Fellowship, Kauffman Foundation, \$20,000

2015. Research Fellowship Spencer Foundation, \$10,000 (PI: Prof. Amy Binder)

2013-2014. Research Fellowship, CREATE (Center for Research in Educational Equity, Assessment, and Teaching Excellence at UCSD) / NSF (#EEC-1062979). \$30,000 Fellowship. Evaluated the effectiveness of STEM research opportunities for undergraduates across UC San Diego.

2012-2013. UCSD, Tribal Scholar Fellowship. \$64,000

2011. HSU, College of Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences Fellowship. \$2,000 in scholarship and academic travel money, for undergraduate Research Assistants on student development theory project

2011. Lilly Endowment with The Louisville Institute. \$15,000 grant for applied social psychological research on aspects of spirituality, identity formation, and life-decisions

2007. Hansen Family Fund Community Service Grant \$1,000

2006-2009. Rock Harbor Foundation Grant. \$90,000 over four years to start up the Catalyst Association (501c3) in Arcata, CA. A community service organization. Unrestricted for start-up and operational costs

2003-2006. Native American Scholarship, Office of Diversity, Biola University. \$24,000 over three years

2001. Navigators' Teachers Grant, Newport Harbor High School Foundation. \$2,000

CONFERENCE PAPERS & PROFESSIONAL REPORTS/PRESENTATIONS

2016. Paper Presentation: *Incubated: How Academic Capitalism Impacts Student Entrepreneurism.* Allied Social Sciences Association (ASSA)/Kauffman Emerging Scholars Program, San Francisco, CA

2015. Paper Presentation: *The Non-Tenure Track Faculty Report Card: Measuring Labor Conditions Across Institutions.* Pacific Sociological Association (PSA), Long Beach, CA

2014. Paper Presentation: *The Next Evolution in University and Corporate Relations: A Network Analysis.* American Sociological Association (ASA), San Francisco, CA

2014. Paper Presentation: *First Generation College Students: How Do Some Go from Underprivileged to Overachievers?* Pacific Sociological Association (PSA), Portland, OR

2014. Paper Presentation: *Proposing a Stronger Link for Engaging Undergraduates in Graduate Student Research.* Experiential Learning Conference, University of California, San Diego, CA

2013 & 2014. Professional Report: *Evaluating Three STEM Summer Internship Programs at UCSD: Trends Recommendations.* Contracted via CREATE (The Center for Educational Equity, Assessment, and Teaching Excellence), University of California, San Diego, CA

2013. Workshop Led: *Creating Effective Video for Training & Classroom Use- Camtasia & YouTube* Online Teaching Conference. Long Beach, CA (www.onlineteachingconference.org)

2013. Paper Presentation: *Persevere or Pivot?: Research Strategies When Ideas and Resources Fail to Align.* Graduate Research Conference. University of California, San Diego, CA

2013. Paper Presentation: *Examining the Progress of Student Affairs as a Rising Profession within Higher Education.* Pacific Sociological Association Conference. Reno, NV. With Alexis Grant, Humboldt State Univ.

2013. Paper Presentation: *Female Faculty in Community Colleges: Marginalized or Empowered.* Interdisciplinary Conference for Gender Research. University of California, San Diego, CA

2012. Paper Presentation: *Student Development Theory: Engaging a Crossover Literature Helpful for Sociologists Who Work with Students.* Pacific Sociological Association (PSA), San Diego, CA

2011. Master's Thesis: *The Mystic on the Concrete: Exploring How Reported Experiences of Divine Guidance are Interpreted for Meaning and Decision-making.* Humboldt State University, Arcata, CA

2011. Workshop: *Using Student Development Theory*. Humboldt State University, Dpt. of Student Affairs

2010. Co-Authored Professional Report: *Building the Capacity for Change: Improving the Structure and Culture of Decision-Making at HSU*. The culmination of 18mo. service on a campus-wide Cabinet for Institutional Change tasked with investigating solutions to challenges raised by accreditation issues

2010. Workshop: *Using Strengths for Teams and Counseling* Humboldt State, Career Center Staff

2009. Workshop: *Tips for Student Organizing* College of the Redwoods, Associated Student Body

2002. Poster Presentation: *Student Involvement at Vanguard University to Assess Educational Effectiveness through Syllabi Analysis: Do Syllabi Reflect Plans to Satisfy Institutional Educational Targets and Goals?* Western Association of Schools & Colleges (WASC) Annual Convention, San Diego, CA

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

2014-2015. Newsletter Editor / Webmaster *ASA Section in the Sociology of Education*

2009-2010. Cabinet for Institutional Change, Humboldt State University. Graduate representative on university task force, led by the provost, charged with identifying critical areas for large-scale structural change at HSU in response to WASC accreditation concerns

2007-2009. Northern California Association of Non-Profits (NorCAN) Steering Committee. NorCAN is a regional association with over 150 member non-profits. It does lobbying and hosts an annual conference, newsletter, a list-serve, workshops and additional resources serving area non-profits

2001-2003. Psi Chi: The National Honor Society in Psychology President, Vanguard Univ. Chapter

ACADEMIC AWARDS & HONORS

2011. Graduate Student of the Year Award. Officially titled: Patricia O. McConkey Outstanding Graduate Student Award. Humboldt State University

2003. Delta Kappa Leadership Award

Given to 10 students annually, university wide, for overall leadership and character. Vanguard University.

2002. Student of the Year Award for Undergraduate Psychology

Psychology Department, Vanguard University.

2002. Psi Chi Service Award, Honor Society in Psychology, Vanguard University

2001. Faculty Service Recognition Award, Newport Harbor High School

AFFILIATIONS

American Sociological Association (ASA)

- Sections: Sociology of Education; Occupations, Organizations, and Work

Pacific Sociological Association (PSA)

Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE)

Center for Research on Gender in the Professions, Hosted at UC San Diego

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Founding Pastor, 2006-2011, Catalyst Church, Arcata, CA

Director of Involvement 2003-2006, RockHarbor Church, Costa Mesa, CA

Residence Life Coordinator / Student Affairs Intern 2002-2005, Vanguard University, Costa Mesa, CA

College Guidance Specialist / SAT Site Supervisor, 2001-2003, Newport Harbor H.S., Newport Beach, CA