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Current Position

Doctoral candidate, Department of Recreation Sport and Tourism, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

Teaching and Research Interests

Social Justice, Critical and Cultural Theory, Critical Masculinity, Feminist Studies, Leisure Choice, Identity Politics, Event Management.

Education Background

University of Illinois	(expected graduation 2014)	Ph.D., Recreation, Sport and Tourism Graduate minor in Gender and Women's Studies <i>Advisor: Dr. William Stewart</i>
University of Illinois	2010	M.S., Recreation, Sport and Tourism
Missouri State University	1999	B.S., Communication Management

Teaching Experience

University of Illinois, Department of Recreation, Sport and Tourism

Instructor

Recreation, Sport and Tourism 199, Adventure Tourism/New Zealand, Summer 2013

Recreation, Sport and Tourism 330, Leisure and Consumer Culture, Fall, Spring 2012- 2013

Recreation, Sport and Tourism 100, Society and Leisure, Summer 2012

Recreation, Sport and Tourism 230, Leisure Services and Diversity, Spring 2012

Teaching Assistant

Recreation, Sport and Tourism 199, Adventure Tourism/New Zealand, Summer 2012

Recreation, Sport and Tourism 410, Administration of Leisure Services, Fall 2010 – Spring 2011

Missouri State University – West Plains

Instructor

Interdisciplinary Studies 280, Student Life/Leadership, Spring 2001-2003

Interdisciplinary Studies 310, Peer Leadership, Fall 2001-2004

Interdisciplinary Studies 110, Interdisciplinary Seminar, Fall, Spring 2000 – 2004

Interdisciplinary Studies 125, Advanced Study Skills, Fall, Spring 2000 – 2004

Research Experience

Office of Recreation and Park Resources, 2011-2013

Research Assistant

Contributed to the development of Trails for Illinois survey instrument

Analyzed data for Trails for Illinois project

Served as steering committee member for Take A Child Outside Week

Submitted and secured grant funding for Take A Child Outside Community Forum

Used SPSS to analyze data and contribute to reports for a variety of park districts

Departmental Research Assistant, 2010 – 2011

Worked with faculty to collect and review literature

Proofed and suggested edits for faculty submissions

Contributed to studies related to Gender and Youth Sport

Professional Experience

University of Illinois, College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences

Director of Special Events, 2005 – 2010

- Developed events ranging from banquets to trade show demonstrations that consistently and positively represented the College of ACES, ACES Alumni Board, college departments, and student organizations to internal and external constituencies
- Served as a primary college resource for questions regarding University of Illinois policies and protocol related to events and etiquette
- Supervised four undergraduate interns and advised two student organizations, comprised of approximately 100 students
- Recruited campus, student, and alumni volunteers to assist with development and implementation of events

Missouri State University – West Plains

Coordinator of Student Life and Development, 1999 – 2005

- Designed, implemented and evaluated one year and five year goal plans for the Office of Student Life and Development based on quantitative metrics
- Developed, managed and reported on annual budgets and expenditures for Residence Life and Student Life and Development totaling over \$300,000
- Served as the head of Residence Life supervising a residence hall housing sixty students
- Served as the campus student judicial officer enforcing campus policies and

- regulations
- Served as the campus advisor for registered student organizations and as a liaison for public engagement activities
- Worked with University Communications to create press advisories, public service announcements and college advertising

Professional Service

Leader, Graduate College Reading Group, “Masculinities and Meanings”, University of Illinois

Member, Departmental Steering Committee, Experience AHS, University of Illinois

Member, Department Head Search Committee, Department of Recreation, Sport and Tourism, 2011, University of Illinois

Member, Department Graduate Committee, Department of Recreation, Sport and Tourism, 2011, University of Illinois

Member, Steering Committee, 2010-2011, Experience AHS, University of Illinois

Advisor, Steering Committee, 2005-2009, ExplorACES, University of Illinois

Advisor, Student Organization, 2005-2010, Student Advancement Committee, University of Illinois

Advisor, Student Organization, 2008-2010, Alpha Zeta Honorary, University of Illinois

Community and Campus Service

Member, LGBT Ally Network, 2010 – 2013, University of Illinois

Leadership Coach, Leadership Certificate Program, 2006-2013, University of Illinois

Assistant Coach, 2005 – 2007, Champaign Park District, Champaign, Illinois

Member, Park Board, 2002-2004, Howell County, MO

Publications

“Leisure Helps get the Job Done: Men’s Perceptions of Masculinity and Mental Health” *Journal of Leisure Research* (accepted).

“Is Heteronormativity Permeating Leisure Researchers’ Practice of a Social Justice Agenda?” *Leisure Sciences* (in progress).

“Sports, Masculinities, and Resistance: Negotiating Relationships” (submitted)

“Masculinities, Self-Efficacy and Interior Plants as Leisure” (Master’s Thesis, completed December, 2010)

Invited Presentations

NRPA. National Congress. “Leisure as Social Justice” Panelist. October 2012.

NRPA. National Congress. “Resisting the Rules: Negotiating Sports and Masculinities”. Presenter. October 2012.

NASPA. Transforming Men Conference. “Talking and Teaching Diversity with College Men”. Presenter. Western Illinois University. October 2012.

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Guest Lectures

"Religion, Spirituality & Gender: Examining Ritual in Southern Football", Guest Lecturer, HDFS 380, Champaign, IL, Fall 2012

"The Perfect Threesome – Post, Chanel and You," Guest Lecturer, ACES 101 Champaign, IL, Fall 2003 and Spring 2004.

"Etiquette – Why Little Things Really Matter", Guest Lecturer, ACES 298, Champaign, IL Fall 2001 – Spring 2004.