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Education

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA, Santa Barbara, CA
Ph.D. candidate in Sociology (with Ph.D. Certificate in Women's Studies)
Dissertation Title: "The Meaning of Marriage: A Study of the 2004 San Francisco Same-Sex Weddings"
Committee: Verta Taylor (co-chair), Jennifer Earl (co-chair), Leila Rupp, Barbara Tomlinson

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA, Santa Barbara, CA
M.A. in Sociology 2005 (Honors Pass)
M.A. thesis: "The Campaign to Make Emergency Contraception Available Over-the-Counter: The Role of Gender in Framing Contests"
Committee: Verta Taylor (chair), John Mohr, Jennifer Earl

YALE UNIVERSITY, New Haven, CT
B.A. cum laude in Sociology 2000
Distinction in the major. Concentration in Women's Studies.

Areas of Interest: Gender, Social Movements, Sexuality, Culture

Publications

Earl, Jennifer, and Katrina Kimport. 2008. "The Targets of Online Protest: State and Private Targets of Four Online Protest Tactics." *Information, Communication & Society* 11:449-472.

Revise & Resubmit and Works Under Review (continued on page 2)

Earl, Jennifer, and Katrina Kimport. "Movement Societies and Digital Protest: Non-traditional Uses of Four Protest Tactics Online." Revise and Resubmit from *Sociological Theory*.

Kimport, Katrina. "Citing and Disrupting: The Discursive Production of Gender and Sexuality in Lesbian Marriage Photographs." Winner of Charlotte Stough prize for best graduate student paper in Women's Studies at UCSB. Under review at *Signs*.

Kimport, Katrina. "Marriage as Symbolic Capital: A Bourdieuan Analysis of the San Francisco Same-Sex Weddings." Under review at *Theory & Society*.

Earl, Jennifer, and Katrina Kimport. "The Diffusion of Different Types of Internet Activism: Suggestive Patterns in Website Adoption of Innovations." Contribution to edited volume, currently under review.

Earl, Jennifer, and Katrina Kimport. *Digitally-Enabled Social Change: Online and Offline Activism in the Age of the Internet*. Book prospectus under review by MIT Press.

Earl, Jennifer, Katrina Kimport, Greg Prieto, Carly Rush, and Kimberly Reynoso. "Changing the World One Webpage at a Time: Conceptualizing and Explaining 'Internet Activism.'" Under review at *American Sociological Review*.

Other Works in Progress

Taylor, Verta, Katrina Kimport, Ellen Andersen, and Nella Van Dyke. "Same-Sex Marriage as a Social Movement Tactic."

Research Fellowships and Awards

2003- 2009 Chancellor's Fellowship, University of California, Santa Barbara, approximately \$27,000 per year for six years.

2008 Charlotte Stough Prize for Best Graduate Paper in Women's Studies, University of California, Santa Barbara

2008 University of California, Santa Barbara Travel Grant, \$685

2007 Sociology Department Research and Travel Grant, University of California, Santa Barbara, \$690

2006 American Sociological Association Travel Grant, \$200

2006 Sociology Department Research and Travel Grant, University of California, Santa Barbara, \$585

2005 Graduate Research Fellowship Honorable Mention, National Science Foundation

2003 Sociology Department Grant, University of California, Santa Barbara, \$3000.

Research Positions

2006-present Lead Research Assistant on National Science Foundation CAREER Award (SES-0547990) for Jennifer Earl, Sociology, UCSB
Project: "The Internet, Activism and Social Movements"
Responsibilities include design of coding databases, data collection and analysis, content coding, training and supervision of undergraduate content coders, and inter-coder reliability assessments.

2008 Research Assistant for the Center for Information Technology and Society, UCSB

Responsibilities included lecture series event coordination and planning and coordination of the doctoral emphasis administered by the Center.

- 2007-2008 Lead Research Assistant for Social Computing Group on behalf of Transliteracies Project, Interdisciplinary, UCSB.
Responsibilities include collaborating on grant proposals, development of social computing bibliography, and coordination of one-day conference on topic.
- 2008 Participant in BlueSky Group, subgroup of Social Computing Group, Interdisciplinary, UCSB.
A graduate student-driven collaborative, interdisciplinary group to develop recommendations to UCSB Social Computing Group about “what’s next?” in social computing.
- 2006-2007 Research Assistant to Verta Taylor, Sociology, UCSB.
Project: “Gay Marriage as a Social Movement Tactic”
Responsibilities included collection and sorting of newspaper data, revision of large-scale survey, and data analysis.
- 2006 Research Assistant on Transliteracies Project, Interdisciplinary, UCSB.
Project: “Research in the Technological, Social, and Cultural Practices of Online Reading”
Responsibilities included determining objects for study and producing research reports.
- 2004-2006 Research Assistant to Jennifer Earl, Sociology, UCSB.
Projects: “Tactical Innovation, Social Movements, and the Internet,” “Gender and Policing,” and “Arrests, Repression, and the 2004 Republican National Convention.”
Responsibilities included design of coding databases, data collection and analysis, content coding, conducting interviews, interview transcription, bibliographic research, supervision of undergraduate content coders, and inter-coder reliability assessments.
- 2005 Research Assistant to Abigail Solomon-Godeau, Art History, UCSB.
Responsibilities included qualitative analysis of respondent data, acquiring publication rights for copyrighted images, and bibliographic research.

Presentations

“Same-Sex Marriage as a Social Movement Tactic.” Co-presenter with Verta Taylor. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. August 2008.

“Protesting Online: What’s Different about Diffusion Online?” Co-presenter with Jennifer Earl. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. August 2008.

“Marriage as Symbolic Capital: An Analysis of the San Francisco Same-Sex Weddings.”
Graduate LGBTQI Research Colloquium, UCSB. May 2008.

“Marriage as Symbolic Capital: A Bourdieuan Analysis of the San Francisco Same-Sex Weddings.” Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Portland, OR. April 2008.

“Institutions and the Visibility of Queer Identity: Analysis of Butch-Femme Marriage Photographs.” Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Portland, OR. April 2008.

“The Targets of Online Protest: State and Private Targets of Four Online Protest Tactics.” Co-presenter with Jennifer Earl. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, New York, NY. August 2007.

“Same-Sex Marriage as a Social Movement Tactic.” Co-presenter with Verta Taylor. Movement Cultures, Strategies, and Outcomes conference, Hofstra University, Hempstead, NY. August 2007.

“Movement Societies and Digital Protest: Non-traditional Uses of Four Protest Tactics Online.” Co-presenter with Jennifer Earl. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada. August 2006.

Panelist for Panel Discussion on Queer Marriage, presented by the Women’s Studies Program, UCSB. February 2006.

“The Campaign to Make Emergency Contraception Over-the-counter: The Role of Gender in Framing Contests.” Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Hollywood, California. April 2006.

Teaching and Mentoring Experience

Instructor, University of California, Santa Barbara
Topics in Theory: Feminist Theory (Sociology)
Gender Inequality (Sociology)

Teaching Assistant, University of California, Santa Barbara
Sociological Perspectives on Gender (Sociology)
Sex, Love, and Romance (Women’s Studies)
Research Methods (Sociology)
Statistics (Sociology)
Special Topics in Methods (Sociology)
The Internet and Communication Technologies (Sociology)

2006-2007 Lead Teaching Assistant, Women’s Studies, University of California, Santa Barbara

Guest Lecturer, University of California, Santa Barbara
“The Sexual Politics of Marriage” in Sexual Politics (Sociology). July 2008.

- “The Sexual Politics of Contraception” in *Sexual Politics (Sociology)*. July 2008.
“Interviewing Methods” in *Methods of Sociological Research (Sociology)*. January 2008.
“Gender Inequality in Employment” in *the Sociology of Law (Sociology)*. May 2007.
“Communicating Findings” in *Research Methods (Sociology)*. May 2005.
“State Regulation of Fertility” in *Sex, Love, and Romance (Women’s Studies)*. November 2004.

Mentor

- Honors Thesis Mentor, Sociology Department. UCSB. 2007.
Summer Research Mentorship Program. UCSB. 2005.
Summer Research Mentorship Program, UCSB. 2004.

Professional Service

- Reviewer for *Social Forces*
Reviewer for *Social Problems*
Reviewer for *Sociological Perspectives*
Reviewer for *The Sociological Quarterly*
Reviewer for *Qualitative Sociology*
Webmaster for Collective Behavior and Social Movements section of the ASA, 2006-present

Professional Memberships

- American Sociological Association
ASA Sex and Gender section
ASA Collective Behavior and Social Movements section
Pacific Sociological Association
Sociologists for Women in Society

Department Service

- Graduate Student Representative for Outstanding TA Committee, Women’s Studies Program, UCSB. 2008.
Graduate Student Representative for Summer Curriculum Committee, Women’s Studies Program, UCSB. 2007.
Graduate Student Representative for promotion and tenure case, Sociology Department, UCSB. 2005.