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Jennifer Padilla Wyse
Curriculum Vitae

Office

Department of Sociology
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Education

- 2015 Ph.D. Sociology; Virginia Tech
Dissertation “Making Power Visible: Knowledge (Re)Production, Racialized Epistemologies, and American Sociology”
Concentrations: Social Inequality (Race, Gender, and Class) and Africana Studies
Certificate: Race and Social Policy
- 2008 M.S. Sociology Virginia Tech
Thesis “Teachers Perceptions of the Construction of National Identity through the Primary School Social Studies Program in Malawi.”
- 2006 B.S. Criminal Justice Old Dominion University
Minor: History

Academic Appointments

- 2016-present **Assistant Professor**, Department of Sociology
Widener University
- 2014-2016 **Assistant Professor**, Department of Criminal Justice, Social and Political Science
Armstrong State University
- 2010-2013 **Graduate Teaching Instructor**, Department of Sociology and Program of
Africana Studies
Virginia Tech

Teaching Interests

Racial and Ethnic Minorities
Global Sociology
Social Theory
Sociology of Knowledge
Introductory Sociology

Teaching Experience

Racial and Ethnic Minorities (SOC 3200) (Fall 2014; Fall 2015)
Armstrong State University

Race and Film (SOC 4010) (Summer 2015)

Armstrong State University

Global Sociology (SOC 2000) (Spring 2016; Summer 2016)

Social Theory (SOC 3360) (Spring 2015; Spring 2016)
Armstrong State University

Independent Study (SOC 4500) (Fall 2015)

Black Woman in the U.S. (Spring 2012 Co-Instructor; Fall 2013 Online)
Virginia Tech

Introductory Sociology (SOC 1101 & SOC 1004) (Fall 2012; Spring 2013; Fall 2014;
Spring 2015; Summer 2015; Fall 2015; Spring 2016; Summer 2016)
Virginia Tech and Armstrong State University

Introduction to African American Studies (Spring 2010; Spring 2011; Summer 2011)
Virginia Tech

First Year Learning Experience (FYSL 1100) (Fall 2015; Spring 2016)

Research Interests

Social Inequality (race/ethnicity, gender, and class)

Race and Ethnicity

Sociology of Education

Sociology of Knowledge

Africana Theory

Publications

- 2015 Wyse, Jennifer Padilla. "Black Sociology: The Sociology of Knowledge, Racialized Power-Relations of Knowledge and Humanistic Liberation." *Ashgate Research Companion to Black Sociology*.
- 2014 Wyse, Jennifer Padilla. "American Sociology: History and Racially Gendered Classed Knowledge Reproduction." *Journal of Historical Sociology* 21(1):49-74.

Book Reviews

- 2015 Wyse, Jennifer Padilla. "Epistemologies of the South: Justice against Epistemicide." *Contemporary Sociology* 44(6):843-845.

Publications Under Review

Manuscripts In Progress

*Denotes work with undergraduates

Wyse, Jennifer Padilla and *Kyara Mejia. "History and Race: Empowering Students' Sociological Imaginations." To be submitted to *Teaching Sociology*.

Wyse, Jennifer Padilla. "The Global Politics of Knowledge: U.S. American Sociology and Contemporary Reproduction of Racialized Power-Relations of Knowledge."

Wyse, Jennifer Padilla and Thomas N. Ratliff. "Deconstructing the Discourse of Civilization: Ida B. Wells-Barnett's Black Feminist Scholar-Activism and the Anti-Lynching Campaign."

Wyse, Jennifer Padilla. "Reproduction of Racialized Gendered Institutionalized Knowledge: The Case of American Sociology."

Invited Presentations

2015 "Seeing the Invisible: Racialized Power-Relations of Knowledge." Robert I. Stozier Faculty Lecture Series. October 16, 2015 12:00-1:00pm.

Presentations

*Denotes Undergraduate Co-Presenter

2016 Afro-Latinos: History, Culture and Diversity within the Latino Community. February 3, 2015 6:00-8:00pm

2016 HOLA Lunch & Learn, Afro-Latino Lecture with Dr. Jennifer Padilla Wyse. February 3, 2015 12:00-1:00pm.

2015 "What is Latino?," with *Kyara Mejia. Latino Heritage Month. Armstrong State University. September 22, 2015 6:00-8:00pm.

2015 "Black Feminist Thought: Historical Foundations and Contemporary Applications." Women's Empowerment Month. Armstrong State University. March 23, 2015 12:00-1:00pm.

2015 "Afro-Latino History, Culture, and Language Varieties," with Elizabeth De la Peña. Black History Month. Armstrong State University. February 18, 2015 6:00-8:00pm.

Papers Presented at Professional Conferences

*Denotes Undergraduate Co-Presenter

2015 Paper presented at the Georgia Sociological Association's Annual Conference, "History and Race: Empowering Sociological Imaginations" with *Kyara Mejia.

2015 Paper presented at the Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Conference, "Making Racialized Power-Relations Visible: U.S. Sociology and Racialized Knowledge (Re)Production."

2014 Paper presented at the Georgia Sociological Association Annual Conference, "History and Race: An Exercise in Empowering Students' Sociological Imaginations."

2013 Paper presented at the Inaugural Black Doctoral Network Conference, "American Sociology: Race, Gender, and the Reproduction of Knowledge."

2013 Paper presented at the 108th Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, "American Sociology: History and Racially Gendered Classed Knowledge Reproduction."

- 2013 Paper presented at the 76th Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, “Reproduction of Racially Gendered Institutionalized Knowledge: The Case of American Sociology.”
- 2012 Paper presented at the 75th Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, “Deconstructing the Discourse of Civilization: Exemplars from a Critical Intersectionality.”
- 2011 Paper presented at the 35th Annual National Council for Black Studies, “Reframing the Discourse of Civilization through Ida B. Wells’ *The Red Record*: Integrating Intersectionality, Meta-Language of Race, and Separate Spheres of Citizenship.”
- 2010 Paper Presentation, 34th Annual National Council for Black Studies, “Social Studies Teachers, Pedagogy, and Social Justice.”
- 2008 Paper Presentation, Temple University's AYA: African American Studies Graduate Students, “Teachers’ Perceptions of the Construction of National Identity through the Implementation of Primary School Social Studies Curriculum in Malawi.”
- 2008 Paper Presentation, 32nd Annual National Council for Black Studies Conference, “Teachers’ Perceptions of the Construction of National Identity through the Implementation of Primary School Social Studies Curriculum in Malawi.”

Professional Conference Participation

- 2014 Discussant, Georgia Sociological Association Annual Conference, “Demography.”
- 2013 Presider, 108th Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, “Intersectionality and the Production of Knowledge.”
- 2010 Discussant, 60th Annual Society for the Study of Social Problems, “The Global Sex Industry and Social Justice.”
- 2008 Panel Participant, *Understanding Carter G. Woodson and “The Mis-Education of the Negro.”*
- 2007 Panel Participant, *Studying Abroad*, International Education Week at Virginia Tech

Invited Class Lectures

- 2012 “Race, Gender, and the Institution of American Sociology.” Instructor Wood’s SOC 2024: Minority Group Relations. Fall.
- 2012 “The History of Global Capitalism.” Dr. Brunσμα’s SOC 1004: Introduction to Sociology. Spring.

- 2011 “Critical Exploration of the Institution of Education.” Dr. Brunsmas’s SOC 1004: Introduction to Sociology. Fall.
- 2010 “Frantz Fanon and Decolonization.” Instructor Weigand’s AFST 1814: Introduction to African Studies. Fall.
- 2010 “Violence: Colonization and Decolonization.” Dr. Polanah’s AFST 1814: Introduction to African Studies. Spring.

Grants, Honors, and Awards

- 2015 College of Liberal Arts Summer Research Award, Armstrong State University, \$5,000
- 2014 Research and Scholarship Grant, Armstrong State University, \$954.00
- 2014 Teaching and Learning Grant, Armstrong State University, \$500.00
- 2013 The Outstanding Graduate Research Award, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2013 The Outstanding Graduate Instructor Award, Department of Sociology, Virginia Tech
- 2013 “American Sociology: History and Racially Gendered Classed Knowledge Reproduction.” Paper Nominated for the Blackwell Graduate Paper ASA Section of Race and Ethnicity
- 2008 Recipient of the Southern Regional Education Board Doctoral Scholars Fellowship

University Service

- 2015-2016 Faculty Senate Alternate
- 2015 Faculty Field-Trip, “U.S. and the Capitalist World-System: Slavery and the Slave Trade in Savannah, Ga.” October 23, 2015 1:15-2:30pm.
- 2015 Goizueta Scholarship Committee

Department Service

- 2015-2016 Department Curriculum Committee (DCC)

Manuscript Reviewer

- Sociology of Race and Ethnicity* (2015)
- Sociological Perspectives* (2015)
- Sociology Compass* (2013)