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EDUCATION

University of Delaware

Doctor of Philosophy (Sociology)

August 2006

Dissertation: Fun between Friends? How Peer Culture Influences Adolescents' Interpretations of and Responses to Peer Sexual Harassment in High School.

Committee Chair: Margaret L. Andersen

Loyola College in Maryland

Master of Science (Counseling Psychology)

May 1998

East Stroudsburg University

Bachelor of Science (Psychology)

May 1996, Cum Laude graduate

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor

Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Fall 2008 – present (tenure-track)

Courses:

Alcohol and Drug Abuse

Delinquency and Youth

Foundations of Sociological Practice

Principles of Sociology

Social Perspectives on Intimate Partner Violence

Sociology of Gender

Assistant Professor

Macon State College, Fall 2006 – Summer 2008 (tenure-track)

Courses:

Deviance and Social Control

Introduction to Social Problems

Introduction to Sociology (including Honors)

Social Stratification

Graduate Instructor

University of Delaware, Summer 2001 – Spring 2006

Courses:

Introduction to Sociology

Men and Women in American Society

Social Problems

Graduate Research Assistant

University of Delaware, Fall 2005 – Spring 2006

Assisted faculty member with various responsibilities including library work, web-based data analysis, literature reviews, and related duties.

New Student Orientation Advisor

University of Delaware, Summer 2004

Advised students on first-semester schedule; maintained concise computerized and written student records; attended a five-day training seminar.

Adjunct Faculty

Pennsylvania State University (Delaware County campus), Fall 2003; Fall 2004

Courses:

Introduction to Sociology

Teaching Assistant

University of Delaware, Fall 2000 – Spring 2001

Courses:

Introduction to Sociology

Men and Women in American Society

PUBLICATIONS

Andersen, Margaret L. with Dana Hysock Witham. 2011, 2009. *Thinking about Women: Sociological Perspectives on Sex and Gender* (9th edition, 8th edition). Boston: Pearson Education/Allyn & Bacon.

Hysock, Dana. 2012, 2009, 2006. *Instructor's Manual (on-line supplement) for Andersen's Thinking about Women: Sociological Perspectives on Sex and Gender* (9th edition, 8th edition, 7th edition).

Andersen, Margaret L. and Dana Hysock. 2010. "The Social Construction of Gender." Pp. 2-5 in *Annual Editions: Gender 10/11*, edited by Bobby Hutchison. Boston: McGraw Hill Higher Education.

Hysock, Dana. 2007. *Instructor's Manual with Test Bank for Andersen and Hill Collin's Race, Class, and Gender: An Anthology* (6th edition).

PUBLICATIONS CURRENTLY UNDER REVIEW

Witham, Dana Hysock. "It's Just What Happens in High School': How Peer Sexual Harassment is Routinized within Peer Groups in High School."
Submitted to: *Sociological Perspectives* (December 30, 2010).

PUBLICATIONS IN PREPARATION FOR SUBMISSION

Witham, Dana Hysock. "If They Could See Me Now...': The Consequences of Peer Sexual Harassment on Students' Personal, Social, and Educational Lives."
Anticipated journal for submission: *Journal of Youth and Adolescence* (June 30, 2011).

Mansley, Elizabeth A., and Dana Hysock Witham. "Manning the Homefront: Constructing Masculinity as a Stay at Home Dad."
Anticipated journal for submission: *Men and Masculinities* (August 30, 2011).

PRESENTATIONS/CONFERENCES

Witham, Dana Hysock, Elizabeth A. Mansley, Terry G. Lilley, and Kathleen A. Bogle. "Teaching about Violence against Women in Undergraduate Sociology Courses."
Workshop presented at the Eastern Sociological Society annual meeting, Philadelphia PA, February 2011.

Rich, Meghan Ashlin, Dana Hysock Witham, Joanne Ardivini, Kathleen Gerson, and Laura West Steck. "Intimate Relationships and the Work/Life Balance." Panel discussion presented at the Eastern Sociological Society annual meeting, Philadelphia PA, February 2011.

Witham, Dana Hysock, Meghan Ashlin Rich, Laura West Steck, Joanne Ardivini, and Jacqueline Johnson. "Teaching Challenging Subjects in Gender, Sexuality, and Race." Workshop presented at the Eastern Sociological Society annual meeting, Boston MA, March 2010.

Hysock, Dana A. "I Didn't Feel Like Anything Could be Done': Students' Perceptions of Institutional Response to Peer Sexual Harassment in High School." Paper presented at the Eastern Sociological Society annual meeting, Baltimore MD, March 2009.

- Mansley, Elizabeth A., and Dana A. Hysock. "There's No Place like Home: Making Masculinity Work at Home." Paper presented at the American Men's Studies Association annual conference, Winston-Salem NC, April 2008.
- Hysock, Dana A., and Elizabeth A. Mansley. "Manning the Homefront: Constructing Masculinity as a Stay at Home Dad." Paper presented at the Eastern Sociological Society annual meeting, New York NY, February 2008.
- Hysock, Dana A. "'If They Could See Me Now...': The Consequences of Peer Sexual Harassment on Adolescents' Personal, Social, and Educational Lives." Paper presented at a refereed roundtable at the Eastern Sociological Society annual meeting, Philadelphia PA, March 2007.
- Hysock, Dana A. "Peer Sexual Harassment in High School: Fun between Friends?" Paper presented at the Eastern Sociological Society annual meeting, Boston MA, February 2006.
- Farrel, Susan A., Tamara Smith, Dana A. Hysock, and Joanne Ardovini. "Workshop: Issues Women Face in the Classroom." Workshop presented at the Eastern Sociological Society annual meeting, Boston MA, February 2006.
- Hysock, Dana A. "Examining Peer Sexual Harassment among Adolescents in High School." Paper presented at the Eastern Sociological Society annual meeting, Washington D.C., March 2005.
- Hysock, Dana A. "Presenting Course Content Effectively" and "Making the Most of Office Hours: What Works for You and Your Students." Presented at the Annual Teaching Assistant Conference, University of Delaware, August 2004.
- Hysock, Dana A. "Date Rape Drugs and Rape Prevention: (Still) Holding Women Responsible for Preventing Victimization." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Chicago IL, November 2002.
- Hysock, Dana A., and Debbie Winram. "The First Day of Class: How to Get Off to a Good Start." Presented at the Annual Teaching Assistant Conference, University of Delaware, August 2001.

COMMITTEE WORK

- ♦ Member, Student/Faculty Liaison Committee, IUP, 2010-present.
- ♦ Co-chair, Eastern Sociological Society Committee on the Status of Women, 2008-2010.
- ♦ Member, Eastern Sociological Society Committee on the Status of Women, 2005-2006; 2010-present.

- Member, APSCUF Representative Council, IUP, 2009-present.
- Member, Undergraduate Education Committee, IUP, 2008-present.
- Member, Department Self-Study Committee, IUP, 2009-2010.
- Member, Social Sciences Student Retention, Progression, and Graduation Plan Committee, Macon State College, 2007-2008.
- Recorder, Student Affairs Committee Member, Macon State College, 2007-2008.
- Member, Sociology Faculty Search Committee, Macon State College, Fall 2006-Spring 2008.
- Member, Jan Burrows Graduate Educator Award Committee, University of Delaware, Spring 2002; Spring 2003.

ACADEMIC SERVICE

- Undergraduate Internship Coordinator, IUP, Fall 2009-present.
- **Safe Zone** Member, IUP, Spring 2009-present.
- Judge, IUP Undergraduate Scholars Forum, Spring 2009.
- Manuscript Reviewer, *Journal of Contemporary Ethnography*, 2010.
- Manuscript Reviewer, *Sociation Today*, 2010.
- Manuscript Reviewer, *Violence Against Women*, 2009.
- Reviewer, *Sociology: The Essentials* (fifth edition) by Andersen/Taylor.
- Proctor, Regents' Test, Macon State College, Summer 2006.
- Presenter, Social Sciences Colloquium. "The Consequences of Peer Sexual Harassment on Students' Lives." Macon State College, March 2007.
- LIFE Mentor (Learning Integrated Freshman Experience), University of Delaware, Fall 2005.

HONORS AND RECOGNITION

- Alumni Wall of Fame Inductee, Shenandoah Valley Junior/Senior High School, June 2010.
- Certificate of Appreciation, IUP African American Cultural Center, May 2010; December 2010.

COMMUNITY SERVICE AND AFFILIATIONS

- Attendee, "Tastings at Twilight" charity event benefiting Family Services, Incorporated, Altoona PA, August 2010.

- Donor, “Treasures for Children” Annual Book Drive sponsored by IUP Libraries and the Salvation Army, 2008; 2009; 2010.
- Member, IUP Women’s Club, 2008-09.
- Organizer, Student Essay Contest and Reception Dinner for Berks County Women’s History Month, Berks County Commission for Women, Reading PA, 2000.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS (all current)

American Sociological Association
 Eastern Sociological Society
 Sociologists for Women in Society

PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE

Drug and Alcohol Prevention Program Specialist

Council on Chemical Abuse, Reading PA, December 1998 – August 2000

Co-instructed the innovative “Earn & Learn” program; coordinated and supervised Student Assistance Program services for all 18 school districts in Berks County; coordinated the “SAFE Homes” project for several school districts; designed and distributed the “12-steps for raising drug-free kids” information packet; coordinated all required training programs for drug and alcohol service workers; served on numerous community outreach programs; conducted tobacco compliance checks at numerous vendors across Berks County; presented various drug and alcohol educational programs; answered alcohol and other drug prevention calls.

Counselor/Advocate

Berks Women in Crisis, Reading PA, June 1998 – December 1998

Provided individual and group counseling to survivors of domestic and sexual violence; provided empowerment counseling and education to survivors of domestic and sexual violence at several community organizations including the Reading Emergency Shelter, the Rosie Kearney House, the Salvation Army, and Mary’s Shelter; attended an intensive 57-hour domestic and sexual violence seminar.