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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2019- Retirement and Disability Social Policy in Residence Postdoctoral Fellow, Center for Financial Security Retirement and Disability Research Center, **University of Wisconsin-Madison**

EDUCATION

2019 Ph.D., Sociology, **University of Texas at Austin**
• Dissertation: “Academic Preparation in High School and Gendered Exposure to Economic Insecurity at Midlife”
 ○ Chandra Muller (chair), Jennifer Glass, Ken-Hou Lin, and Eric Grodsky
• Population Research Center Trainee
2009 J.D., **Loyola University Chicago School of Law**
• Dean’s List, *Loyola University Chicago Law Journal*
2006 B.A., Political Science and History, **Northwestern University**

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

Sutton, April, **Amanda Bosky**, and Chandra Muller. 2016. “Manufacturing Gender Inequality in the New Economy: High School Training for Work in Blue-Collar Communities.” *American Sociological Review* 81(4): 720-748.

Selected media coverage:

- *The Atlantic*, *Forbes*, *U.S. News and World Report*, *The Seattle Times*, and others.
- *Work in Progress: Sociology on the Economy, Work and Inequality* (ASA blog)
- Bosky, Amanda. Featured Guest. “Reasons Why Women Don’t Pursue Blue Collar Careers.” *Manufacturing Talk Radio*. July 26, 2016. <https://mfgtalkradio.podbean.com>

Bosky, Amanda. 2008. “Ashes to Ashes: Secondhand Smoke Meets a Timely Death in Illinois.” *Loyola University Chicago Law Journal* 39: 847-907.

Other Peer-Reviewed Publications

Bosky, Amanda. 2018. “Using National Longitudinal Data to Examine Spatial Variation in Gendered School-to-Work Linkages: Mediation with Nested Regression Models.” In *Sage Research Methods Cases*. doi: 10.4135/9781526444158

SELECTED MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

Bosky, Amanda, Chandra Muller, Eric Grodsky, and John Robert Warren. “High School Academic Status and Gendered Inequalities in Occupation Quality at Midlife.” *Under review*.

Bosky, Amanda, Chandra Muller, and Christine L. Williams. “Precarious Professional Careers and Gender Inequality in the Oil and Gas Industry.”

Bosky, Amanda. “Navigating an Unpredictable Social World: Early Predictors of Economic Insecurity at Midlife by Gender, Educational Attainment, and Marital Status.”

Bosky, Amanda. “Skills in Adolescence as a Foundation for Retirement Preparation at Midlife.”

Bosky, Amanda, Chandra Muller, John Robert Warren, and Eric Grodsky. “Aging in a Changing Economy: Skills in Adolescence and Employment at Midlife.”

Sutton, April, Bolun Zhang, and **Amanda Bosky.** “Rural Girls Left Behind: Women’s “Advantage” in Bachelor’s Degree Attainment across Urbanicity.”

FUNDING & AWARDS

- 2019-2020 “Educational Opportunity and Patterns of Participation in SSI & DI.”
Co-Investigator with Eric Grodsky (PI)
Social Security Administration grant, through the Retirement and Disability
Research Center at UW-Madison (\$147,671).
- 2018 Summer Writing Fellowship
Office of Graduate Studies, UT-Austin
- 2015-2018 Professional Development Award
Office of Graduate Studies, UT-Austin
- 2016-2017 NICHD Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award – Predoctoral Traineeship
Population Research Center, UT-Austin (Faculty mentor: Becky Pettit)
- 2015 Spring Meeting Travel Award
Research Committee on Social Stratification and Mobility (RC28) of the
International Sociological Association

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2013-2019 **Graduate Research Assistant** to Dr. Chandra Muller, “High School and Beyond: Human Capital over the Life Cycle as a Foundation for Working Longer,” UT-Austin.
- 2009-2013 **Associate Attorney**, Rossiter & Boock, LLC, St. Louis, MO
- Specialized in fiduciary litigation, trusts & estates, and general civil litigation
- 2008 **Law Clerk**, Civil Appeals Division, Illinois Attorney General, Chicago, IL
- 2007 **Research Assistant** to Prof. Michael Kaufman, Loyola University Chicago School of Law
- 2004 **Intern**, Office of Innovation and Improvement, U.S. Department of Education

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2018-2019 **Teaching Assistant and Guest Lecturer**, Introduction to Social Research
Prof. Lynette Osborne, Department of Sociology, UT-Austin
(Guest lectured on topics related to quantitative methods and analysis)
- 2014 **Teaching Assistant**, Introduction to the Study of Society
Prof. Harel Shapira, Department of Sociology, UT-Austin
Volunteer Teaching Assistant, Making Sense of Multivariate Data
Summer Statistics Institute, UT-Austin
- 2012-2013 **Course Instructor and Private Tutor (GRE, ACT, SAT)**, The Princeton Review

PRESENTATIONS

- Bosky, Amanda.** “Who is Vulnerable to Financial Shocks? Financial Fragility at the Intersection of Race, Gender, and Education.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association. August 2020. (to be presented virtually due to COVID-19).
- Bosky, Amanda.** “Navigating an Unpredictable Social World: Early Predictors of Economic Insecurity at Midlife by Gender, Educational Attainment, and Marital Status.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America. April 2020. (cancelled due to COVID-19)
- Bosky, Amanda.** “Early Predictors of Economic Insecurity for Women and Men at Midlife.” Household Finance Seminar, Center for Financial Security, UW-Madison. September 2019, Madison, WI.
- Bosky, Amanda,** Chandra Muller, and Christine L. Williams. “Precarious Professionals: Layoffs and Gender Inequality in the Oil and Gas Industry.” Bureau of Economic Geology. July 2019, Austin, TX. *Invited talk.*
- Bosky, Amanda,** Chandra Muller, John Robert Warren, and Eric Grodsky. “Aging in a Changing Economy: Skills in Adolescence and Employment Status at Midlife.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America. April 2019, Austin, TX.
- Sutton, April, Bolun Zhang, and **Amanda Bosky.** “Placing Educational Attainment and the Female Advantage: BA Attainment by Gender and High School Urbanicity.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America. April 2019, Austin, TX.
- Bosky, Amanda,** Chandra Muller, Eric Grodsky, and John Robert Warren. “Preparing for an Advancing Economy: Academic Preparation in High School and Gendered Exposure to Bad Jobs at Midlife.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association. August 2018, Philadelphia, PA.
- Bosky, Amanda,** Chandra Muller, John Robert Warren, and Eric Grodsky. “Skills in Adolescence and Work Disability at Midlife.” Improving Population Health Conference. October 2017, Austin, TX.
- Bosky, Amanda,** Chandra Muller, and Christine L. Williams. “The Price of Crude and the Deserving Professional: Gender Inequality in the Oil Industry.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 2017, Montreal, Canada.
- Bosky, Amanda.** “Economic Insecurity of Men and Women in the Preretirement Years.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, April 2017, Chicago, IL.
- Bosky, Amanda,** Chandra Muller, John Robert Warren, and Eric Grodsky. “Skills in Adolescence, Occupation, and Disability at Midlife.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 2016, Seattle, WA.
- Bosky, Amanda** and April Sutton. “Gendered Returns to Sub-Baccalaureate Credentials in the New Economy.”
- Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, March 2016, Washington, DC.
 - Spring Meeting of the Research Committee on Social Stratification and Mobility (RC28) of the International Sociological Association (ISA), May 2015, Tilburg, Netherlands.
- Sutton, April, **Amanda Bosky,** and Chandra Muller. “Manufacturing Gender Inequality in the New Economy: High School Training for Work in Blue-Collar Communities.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 2015, Chicago, IL.
- Sutton, April, **Amanda Bosky,** and Chandra Muller. “Training for Blue Collar Jobs in Blue Collar Communities: Leaving Girls Behind?” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, May 2014, Boston, MA.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Occasional reviewer for *American Sociological Review*, *Work and Occupations*, and *Sociology of Education*.
- Student Organizer, 2017-18, Inequality Working Group, Sociology Department, UT-Austin
- ASA, Table Presider, "Education and Inequality," Section on Inequality, Poverty, and Mobility Refereed Roundtables.
- Executive Board Member, 2008-09, *The Loyola University Chicago Law Journal*

AFFILIATIONS

- American Sociological Association (Inequality, Poverty, and Mobility; Organizations, Occupations, and Work; Sociology of Education)
- Population Association of America
- Research Committee on Social Stratification and Mobility (RC28), ISA
- Licensed to practice law in Missouri and Illinois (inactive status)