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Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

1995 Ph.D., Sociology, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
1992 M.A., Sociology, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
1989 B.A., Sociology, Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Professor, North Carolina State University, 2015-present
Associate Professor, North Carolina State University, 2013-2015
Professor, Oklahoma State University, 2006-2013
Associate Professor, Oklahoma State University, 2000-2006
Assistant Professor, Oklahoma State University, 1995-2000

RESEARCH & TEACHING INTERESTS

Environmental Sociology; Social Movements; Health and Illness; Environmental Hazards and Disasters; Political Sociology; Historical Sociology

AWARDS & HONORS

Faculty Open Resources Award, Student Government, NC State University, 2024
Outstanding Social Scientist Award, College of Humanities and Social Sciences, NC State University, 2021
College Nominee for Alumni Association Outstanding Research Award, NCSU, 2021
Graduate School Outstanding Graduate Faculty Mentor Award, NC State University, 2019
Faculty Mentor Award, Sociology Graduate Student Association, NC State University, 2016
Gary D. Hill Award for Teaching Excellence, North Carolina State University, 2015
Outstanding Teaching and Mentorship Award, Environment & Technology Section, American Sociological Association, 2012
Regents Distinguished Research Award, Oklahoma State University, 2011
Outstanding Publication Award, Environment & Technology Section, American Sociological Association, 2011
Regents Distinguished Teaching Award, Nominee and Finalist, Oklahoma State University, 2010
Arts and Sciences Student Council Outstanding Professor Award, Oklahoma State, 2009
Ted Mills Award for Outstanding Environmental Teaching, Oklahoma State University, 2008
Regents Distinguished Teaching Award, Nominee and Finalist, Oklahoma State University, 2006
Regents Distinguished Teaching Award, Nominee and Finalist, Oklahoma State University, 2002
Arts and Sciences Student Council Outstanding Professor Award, Nominee and Finalist, Oklahoma State University, 2002
Outstanding Sociology Professor, Sociology, Oklahoma State University, 1999

JOURNAL ARTICLES (underline denotes graduate student coauthor)

- 2026 “Barriers to Hurricane Recovery in Frontline Communities: Climate Injustice on Florida’s West Coast.” Isabel Yianilos, Alison E. Adams, and Thomas E. Shriver. Forthcoming in *Environmental Justice*.
- 2025 “Framing Environmental Risk Around Chemical Weapons Disposal: The Case of the U.S. Army’s Chemical Demilitarization Program.” Landen Longest, Alison E. Adams, Thomas E. Shriver, Laura Bray, Brittany V. Gaustad Shantz. *Society and Natural Resources* 38(2): 132-149.
- 2024 “The Impacts of Landscape Loss on Industrial Communities: Solastalgia in Historic Coal Regions.” Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver. *Social Currents* 11(5): 422-436.
- 2024 “Folk Art, Storytelling, and Space: Collective Memory and Pesticide Exposure.” Alison E. Adams, Anne Saville and Thomas E. Shriver. *Environment and Planning E: Nature and Space* 7(3): 1299-1317.
- 2024 “Critical Environmental Justice and Pandemic Events: Florida Farm Work during COVID-19.” Madilena Campbell, Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver. *Environmental Justice* 17(4): 240-246.
- 2023 “Race, Toxic Exposure and Environmental Health: The Contestation of Lupus among Farmworkers.” Alison E. Adams, Anne Saville and Thomas E. Shriver. *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 64(1): 136-151.
- 2023 "Discursive Strategies and Activist Framing in Natural Resources Controversies," Adriana Szabo, Thomas E. Shriver, and Alison E. Adams. *Local Environment: The International Journal of Justice and Sustainability* 28(8): 995-1007.
- 2022 “Cultivating Quiescence in Risk Communities: Coal Ash Contamination and Cancer in Two Cities,” Landen Longest, Thomas E. Shriver, Alison Adams. *Environmental Politics* 31(7): 1182-1202.
Selected as first runner up for “Best Article of the Year Award” for *Environmental Politics* 2022
- 2022 “Barriers to Women’s Collective Identity Formation in Contaminated Communities,” Landen Longest, Alison E. Adams, and Thomas E. Shriver. *Environmental Sociology* 8(4): 413-423.
- 2022 “‘Cursed by Coal’: Climate Change and the Battle over Mining Limits in the Czech Republic.” Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams and Landen Longest. *Society and Natural Resources* 35(2): 111-128.
- 2022 “Human Rights and Dissent in Hybrid Environments: The Impact of Shifting Rights Regimes.” Thomas E. Shriver, Laura Bray, Annika Wilcox, and Adriana Szabo. *The Sociological Quarterly* 63(3): 541-561.
- 2022 "Environmental Threats and Activism Against Extractive Industries: The Case of Gold Mining in Roșia Montană, Romania," Adriana Szabo, Thomas E. Shriver, and Stefano Longo. *Journal of Rural Studies* 92: 26-34.

- 2022 “Agrochemical Exposure & Environmental Injustice: Legal Repression of Latin American Banana Workers” Laura Bray, Nicholas Membrez-Weiler, and E. Thomas Shriver. *The Sociological Quarterly* 63(2): 359-378.
- 2021 “Emerging Contaminants, Toxic Uncertainty and Environmental Health Concerns: The Case of Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl (PFAS).” Grace Wickham and Thomas E. Shriver. *Sociology of Health and Illness* 43: 764-778.
- 2020 “Energy and the Environment: The Treadmill of Production and Sacrifice Zones in Czechoslovakia.” Thomas E. Shriver, Stefano B. Longo, and Alison E. Adams. *Sociology of Development* 6(4): 493-513.
- 2020 “Opportunity and Threat Behind the Iron Curtain: The Failed Diffusion of Human Rights Activism in Romania.” Thomas E. Shriver, Adriana Szabo and Laura Bray. *International Sociology* 35(6): 739-757.
- 2020 “Industrial Pollution and Acquiescence: Living with Chronic Remediation.” Thomas E. Shriver, Chris M. Messer, Jared R. Whittington, and Alison E. Adams. *Environmental Politics* 29(7): 1219-1238.
- 2020 “Environmental Health Advocacy and Industry Obstruction: The Case of Black Lung Disease.” Aysha Bodenhamer and Thomas E. Shriver. *Rural Sociology* 85(3): 757-779.
- 2020 “Elite Cultural Work and Discursive Obstruction of Human Rights Activism.” Thomas E. Shriver, Annika Wilcox, and Laura Bray. *Social Currents* 7(1): 11-28.
- 2020 “Symbolizing Destruction: Environmental Activism, Moral Shocks, and the Coal Industry.” Alison E. Adams, Thomas E. Shriver, and Landen Longest. *Nature and Culture* 15(3): 249-271.
- 2020 “Petrochemical Pollution and the Suppression of Environmental Protest.” Alison E. Adams, Thomas E. Shriver, Laura Bray, and Chris M. Messer. *Sociological Inquiry* 90(3): 646-668.
- 2020 “Manufacturing American Identity among Immigrant Workers: Colorado Fuel & Iron Company at the Turn of the 20th Century.” Chris M. Messer and Thomas E. Shriver. *Journal of Historical Sociology* 33(2): 184-197.
- 2019 “Living with Chronic Contamination: A Comparative Analysis of Divergent Psychosocial Impacts.” Chris M. Messer, Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver. *Natural Hazards* 99(2): 895-911.
- 2019 “Framing Authoritarian Legitimacy: Elite Cohesion in the Aftermath of Popular Rebellion.” Laura Bray, Thomas E. Shriver, and Alison E. Adams. *Social Movement Studies* 18(6): 682-701.
- 2019 “Political Power and Manufacturing Consent: The Case of the 1953 Plzen Protests.” Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams and Laura Bray. *The Sociological Quarterly* 60(1): 26-45.
- 2019 “Mobilizing Grievances in an Authoritarian State: Threat and Emotion in the 1953

- Plzen Uprising.” Laura Bray, Thomas E. Shriver, and Alison E. Adams. *Sociological Perspectives* 62(1): 77-95.
- 2018 “The Enduring Legacy of Black Lung: Environmental Health and Contested Illness in Appalachia.” Thomas E. Shriver and Aysha Bodenhamer. *Sociology of Health and Illness* 40(8): 1361-1375.
- 2018 “Legal Repression of Labor Protest: The Case of the 1953 Worker Revolt in Czechoslovakia.” Thomas E. Shriver, Laura Bray and Alison E. Adams. *Mobilization* 23(3): 307-328.
- 2018 “Forty Years on the Fenceline: Community, Memory, and Chronic Contamination.” Alison E. Adams, Thomas E. Shriver, Anne Saville and Gary R. Webb. *Environmental Sociology* 4(2): 210-220.
- 2018 “Politics, the State, and Sea Level Rise: Structural Selectivity and North Carolina’s Coastal Resource Commission.” Jason S. Allen, Stefano B. Longo, and Thomas E. Shriver. *The Sociological Quarterly* 59(2): 320-337.
- 2018 “Official Frames and the Tulsa Race Riot of 1921: The Struggle for Reparations.” Chris M. Messer, Thomas E. Shriver, and Krystal Beamon. *Sociology of Race and Ethnicity* 4(3): 386-399.
- 2018 The Destruction of Black Wall Street: Tulsa’s 1921 Race Riot and the Eradication of Accumulated Wealth.” Chris M. Messer, Thomas E. Shriver and Alison Adams. *American Journal of Economics and Sociology* 77(3): 789-819.
- 2017 “The Legacy of Lead Pollution: (Dis)Trust in Science and the Debate over Superfund.” Chris Messer, Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams. *Environmental Politics* 26(6): 1132-1151.
- 2017 “Tactics and Targets: Explaining Shifts in Grassroots Environmental Resistance.” Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver. *Social Currents* 4(3): 265-281.
- 2017 “Confronting Power and Environmental Injustice: Legacy Pollution and the Timber Industry in Southern Mississippi.” Heather Sanchez, Alison E. Adams, and Thomas E. Shriver. *Society and Natural Resources* 30(3): 347-361.
- 2016 “Challenging Extractive Industries: How Political Context and Targets Influence Tactical Choice.” Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver. *Sociological Perspectives* 59(4): 892-909.
- 2016 “Sustainability and Environmental Sociology: Putting the Economy in its Place and Moving Toward an Integrative Socio-Ecology.” Stefano B. Longo, Brett Clark, Thomas E. Shriver and Rebecca Clausen. *Sustainability* 8(5): 1-17.
- 2015 “Environmental Threats and Citizen Activism in Authoritarian Settings,” Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams, and Stefano Longo. *Social Forces* 94(2): 699-722.
- Reprint in *Environmental Sociology: From Analysis to Action*, 4th Edition, Pp. 254-271, edited by Leslie King and Deborah McCarthy. Lanham, MD: Rowman and Littlefield, 2020.

- 2015 "Collective Identity and Memory: A Comparative Analysis of Community Response to Environmental Hazards," Chris M. Messer, Thomas E. Shriver and Alison E. Adams. *Rural Sociology* 80(3): 314-339.
- 2015 "Movement-Countermovement Dynamics in a Land-Use Controversy," Alison E. Adams, Thomas E. Shriver, and Chris M. Messer. *Human Ecology Review* 21(1): 3-25.
- 2014 "Power, Quiescence and Pollution: The Suppression of Environmental Grievances." Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams, and Chris M. Messer. *Social Currents* 1(3): 275-292.
- 2013 "Discursive Obstruction and Elite Opposition to Environmental Activism in the Czech Republic." Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams, and Sherry Cable. *Social Forces* 91(3): 873-893.
- 2013 "Motherhood and Opportunities for Activism Before and After the Czech Velvet Revolution." Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams, and Rachel Einwohner. *Mobilization* 18(3): 267-288.
- 2013 "Collective Identity and the Subjective Terrain of Political Opportunities: Movement Dissension Surrounding Participation in Party Politics." Thomas E. Shriver and Alison E. Adams. *Mobilization* 18(1): 489-506.
- 2013 "Surveillance and Social Control: The FBI's Handling of the Black Panther Party." Wendy J. Brame and Thomas E. Shriver. *Crime, Law and Social Change* 59(5): 501-516.
- 2012 "Reframing the Biotechnology Debate: The Deconstructive Efforts of the Council for Responsible Genetics." Tony Zschau, Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver. *Symbolic Interaction* 35(2): 221-239.
- 2012 "Structure, Agency, and Women's Birth Practices in the United States." Amy Chasteen Miller and Thomas E. Shriver. *Social Science and Medicine* 75(4): 709-716.
- 2012 "When Corporate Framing Fails: The Erosion of Elite Legitimacy." Chris Messer, Alison E. Adams, and Thomas E. Shriver. *The Sociological Quarterly* 53(3): 475-499.
- 2011 "Collective Identity and Gendered Activism in the Czech Environmental Movement: The South Bohemian Mothers' Struggle Against Nuclear Power." Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver. *Research in Social Movements, Conflicts, and Change* 32: 163-189.
- 2011 "Resident Framing and the Public Sphere: Community Conflict over Radioactive Waste." Chris Messer and Thomas E. Shriver. *Political and Military Sociology* 38: 77-100.
- 2010 "Cycles of Repression and Tactical Innovation: The Evolution of Environmental Dissidence in Communist Czechoslovakia." Thomas E. Shriver and Alison E. Adams. *The Sociological Quarterly* 51:329-354.
- 2010 "Wounded by Friendly Fire: Policy Palliatives and Internal Conflict in the Gulf War Illness Movement." Sherry Cable and Thomas E. Shriver. *Current Sociology* 58(1): 45-66.

- 2010 “[Un]Common Language: The Corporate Commodification of Alternative Agro-Food Movement Frames.” Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver. *Journal of Rural Social Sciences* 25(2): 33-57.
- 2010 “Environmental Hazards and Community Dissension in Rural Oklahoma.” Chris Messer, Thomas E. Shriver, Dennis Kennedy. *Sociological Spectrum* 30(2): 159-183.
- 2009 “Rethinking the Scope of Environmental Justice: Perceptions of Health Hazards in a Rural Native American Community Exposed to Carbon Black.” Thomas E. Shriver and Gary R. Webb. *Rural Sociology* 74(2) 270-292.
- 2009 “Corporate Responses to Claims of Environmental Misconduct: The Case of Phelps Dodge and Blackwell, Oklahoma.” Chris Messer and Thomas E. Shriver. *Deviant Behavior* 30(7): 1-22.
- 2009 “Frame Disputes in a Natural Resource Controversy: The Case of the Arbuckle Simpson Aquifer in South Central Oklahoma.” Thomas E. Shriver and Charles Peaden. *Society and Natural Resources* 22(2): 143-157.
- 2009 “Ideological Cleavages and Schism in the Czech Environmental Movement.” Thomas E. Shriver and Chris M. Messer. *Human Ecology Review* 16(2): 161-171.
- 2009 “Dissension and Factionalism in the Czech Environmental Movement.” Thomas E. Shriver and Chris Messer. *International Journal of Contemporary Sociology* 46(2): 283-304.
- 2009 "Official Frames and Corporate Environmental Pollution." Chris Messer, Thomas E. Shriver and Dennis Kennedy. *Humanity and Society* 33(4): 273-291.
- 2009 “Framing Contests in Environmental Decision-Making: A Case Study of the Tar Creek Superfund Site.” Shirley G. Vincent and Thomas E. Shriver. *American Journal of Environmental Sciences* 5(2): 164-178.
- 2009 “Environmental Protest in the Czech Republic: Social Control in a Democratizing Nation.” Thomas E. Shriver, Sherry Cable and Chris Messer. *International Journal of Sociological Research* 2(1): 1-22.
- 2009 “Social Control and Environmental Health Movements: The Soft Repression of Ill Nuclear Weapons Workers.” Tamara Mix, Sherry Cable and Thomas E. Shriver. *Human Ecology Review* 16(2): 172-183.
- 2008 “Risk Society and Contested Illness: The Case of Oak Ridge Nuclear Workers.” Sherry Cable, Thomas E. Shriver, and Tamara Mix. *American Sociological Review* 73(3): 380-401.
- Allan Schnaiberg Outstanding Publication Award*, American Sociological Association, Environment and Technology Section, 2011.
- Reprint in *Environmental Sociology: From Analysis to Action*, 3rd Edition, Pp. 267-286. edited by Leslie King and Deborah McCarthy. Lanham, MD: Rowman and Littlefield, 2014.

- 2008 "Mining for Conflict and Staking Claims: Contested Illness at the Tar Creek Superfund Site." Thomas E. Shriver, Sherry Cable, and Dennis Kennedy. *Sociological Inquiry* 78 (4): 558-579.
- 2008 "The Institutional Context of Gulf War Illness Claims: A Commentary on Cohn, Dyson and Wessely." Thomas E. Shriver and Sherry Cable. *Social Science and Medicine* 67: 1650-1653.
- 2008 "The National-Local Interface of Social Control: The Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Winston-Salem Branch of the Black Panther Party." Wendy J. Brame and Thomas E. Shriver. *Journal of Political and Military Sociology* 36(2): 247-268.
- 2007 "Neighbors, Nuisances and Noxious Releases: Conflicting Perceptions of Environmental Hazards in the Atomic City." Tamara Mix and Thomas E. Shriver. *Social Science Journal* 44(4): 630-644.
- 2006 "Managing the Uncertainties of Gulf War Syndrome: The Challenges of Living with Contested Illness." Thomas E. Shriver and Dennis D. Waskul. *Symbolic Interaction* 29 (4): 465-486.
- 2005 "Contested Environmental Hazards and Community Conflict over Relocation." Thomas E. Shriver and Dennis Kennedy. *Rural Sociology* 70 (4): 491-513.
- 2004 "Maintaining Collective Identity in a Hostile Environment: Confronting Negative Public Perception and Factional Divisions within the Skinhead Subculture." Daniel Sarabia and Thomas E. Shriver. *Sociological Spectrum* 24 (3): 267-294.
- 2003 "Women's Work: Women's Involvement in the Gulf War Illness Movement." Thomas E. Shriver, Amy L. Chasteen, and Sherry Cable. *The Sociological Quarterly* 44 (4): 639-658.
- 2002 "Cultural and Political Constraints in the Gulf War Illness Social Movement." Thomas E. Shriver, Amy L. Chasteen, and Brent Adams. *Sociological Focus* 35 (2): 123-143.
- 2002 "Environmental Exposures, Contested Illness, and Collective Action: The Controversy Over Gulf War Illness." Thomas E. Shriver, Gary Webb, and Brent Adams. *Humboldt Journal of Social Relations* 27 (1): 73-105.
- 2002 "Participant Narratives and Collective Identity in a Metaphysical Movement." Gary A. Steward, Thomas E. Shriver, and Amy L. Chasteen. *Sociological Spectrum* 22 (4): 107-135.
- 2002 "The Communication of Bad News as Turning Points in Identity: Patient Narratives on HIV Status Disclosure." Deborah Ann White and Thomas E. Shriver. *Journal of Applied Sociology* 19 (2): 124-142.
- 2001 "Environmental Hazards and Veterans' Framing of Gulf War Illness." Thomas E. Shriver. *Sociological Inquiry* 71 (4): 403-420.
- 2000 "Risk and Recruitment: Patterns of Social Movement Mobilization in a Government Town." Thomas E. Shriver. *Sociological Focus* 33 (3): 321-337.

- Reprint in *Environmental Sociology: From Analysis to Action*, Pp. 341-356, edited by Leslie King and Deborah McCarthy. Lanham, MD: Rowman and Littlefield. 2005.
- 2000 “The Role of Collective Identity in Inhibiting Mobilization: Solidarity and Suppression in Oak Ridge.” Thomas E. Shriver, Sherry Cable, Lachelle Norris, and Donald Hastings. *Sociological Spectrum* 20 (1): 41-64.
- 2000 “Social Movement Endurance: Collective Identity and the Rastafari.” AlemSeghed Kebede, Thomas E. Shriver, and J. David Knottnerus. *Sociological Inquiry* 70 (3): 313-337.
- 1999 “The Silenced Majority: Governmental Social Control on the Oak Ridge Nuclear Reservation.” Sherry Cable, Thomas E. Shriver, and Donald W. Hastings. *Research in Social Problems and Public Policy* 7: 59-81.
- 1998 “Power, Politics, and the Framing of Environmental Illness.” Thomas E. Shriver, Debbie White, and AlemSeghed Kebede. *Sociological Inquiry* 68 (4): 458-475.
- Reprint in *Intersections: Readings in Sociology*, customizable reader program edited by Ralph McNeal, Jr. and Kathleen Tiemann. Boston, MA: Pearson Custom Publishing.
- 1998 “Race, Rap and Resistance: A Social Movement Analysis of the Wu Tang.” Amy L. Chasteen and Thomas E. Shriver. *Challenge* 9 (2): 1-24.
- 1995 “Production and Extrapolation of Meaning in the Environmental Justice Movement.” Sherry Cable and Thomas E. Shriver. *Sociological Spectrum* 15 (4): 419-442. Winner of the 1995 Sociological Spectrum Paper of the Year Award.
- 1994 “The Rise and Fall of the American Indian Movement (AIM).” Jeff Stotik, Thomas E. Shriver, and Sherry Cable. *Sociological Focus* 27 (1): 53-66.

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVISION/REVIEW

“The Ecological-Symbolic Perspective and Ontological Security: An Analysis of Lead Contamination,” Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams and Chris M. Messer. Revise and Resubmit at *Society and Natural Resources*.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

“Local Threats and Global Crises: Climate Activism and the Energy Revolution.” Thomas E. Shriver and Alison E. Adams.

“Weaponizing the Law in Authoritarian Settings: Show Trials and Political Prosecution.” Thomas E. Shriver and Laura A. Bray.

“Forced Eviction and Social Ostracism under Authoritarian Rule.” Thomas E. Shriver and Laura A. Bray.

“Corrosive Communities: Tension and (Mis)Trust in Anticipation of Technological Disasters. Szabo, Adriana M., Thomas E. Shriver, and Alison E. Adams.

BOOK CHAPTERS AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- 2024 “Local Environmental Movements,” Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver, *Elgar Encyclopedia of Environmental Sociology*, editor Christine Overdeest.
- 1998 Book Review. *Don't Burn It Here: Grassroots Challenges to Trash Incinerators*. Edward J. Walsh, Rex Warland, and D. Clayton Smith. *American Journal of Sociology* 104 (2): 544-546.
- 1995 “Government Reveals Mercury Releases from Oak Ridge National Laboratory.” Thomas E. Shriver and Sherry Cable. Pp. 1714-1718 in *Great Events from History II: Ecology and the Environment*, edited by Frank N. Magill. Pasadena, CA: Salem Press, Inc.
- 1995 “The Creation of TVA: A Grassroots Bureaucracy?” Sherry Cable and Thomas E. Shriver. Pp. 268-272 in *Great Events from History II: Ecology and the Environment*, edited by Frank N. Magill. Pasadena, CA: Salem Press, Inc.
- 1993 *Longitudinal Study of Adult Literacy Participants in Tennessee*. Juliet Merrifield, Michael K. Smith, Kathryn Rea and Thomas E. Shriver. Knoxville, TN: Center for Literacy Studies.
- 1991 *Chemical Stockpile Emergency Preparedness Program Focus Groups: A Manual*, ORNL/ TM-11769. Sam Carnes, Chris Garkovich, and Thomas E. Shriver. Oak Ridge, TN: Oak Ridge National Laboratory.

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National Science Foundation (NSF), Sociology Program. Title: *Elite Framing of Social Movements* [\$186,449, Award #SES-1411825] [Role: PI]. August 15, 2014-July 31, 2017.

Internal Grants Awarded

- 2016 Department of Sociology and Anthropology, North Carolina State University. Awarded \$2,000.
- 2010 *Arts and Sciences Travel Grant*, College of Arts and Sciences, Oklahoma State University. Awarded \$1,000.
- 2006 *Arts and Sciences Summer Research Grant & Travel Supplement*, College of Arts and Sciences, Oklahoma State University. Awarded one month's summer salary.
- 2001 *Arts and Sciences Travel Grant*, College of Arts and Sciences, Oklahoma State University. Awarded \$500.
- 1999 *Arts and Sciences Summer Research Grant*, College of Arts and Sciences, Oklahoma State University. Awarded one month's summer salary.
- 1997 *Dean's Incentive Grant*, College of Arts and Sciences, Oklahoma State University. Awarded \$3000.
- 1996 *Dean's Incentive Grant*, College of Arts and Sciences, Oklahoma State University. Awarded \$3000.
- 1996 *Arts and Sciences Summer Research Grant*, College of Arts and Sciences, Oklahoma State University. Awarded one month's summer salary.

PAPER PRESENTATIONS

- 2025 “Ontological Insecurity, Environmental Health, and Ambiguous Harm.” Alison E. Adams, Thomas E. Shriver and Chris M. Messer, presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society, Charlotte, North Carolina, April 9-12.

- 2024 “Corrosive Communities: Tension and (Mis)trust in Anticipation of Technological Disasters.” Adriana Szabo, Thomas E. Shriver, and Alison E. Adams, presented at the Annual Meetings of the European Sociological Association, Porto, Portugal, August 26-29.
- 2023 “Illuminating ‘Invisible’ Risk: Iterative Risk Framing in Environmentalists’ Response to the U.S. Army’s Chemical Demilitarization Program.” Landen Longest, Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams, Laura Bray, and Brittany V. Gaustad Shantz, presented at the *Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association*, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, August 17-21.
- 2023 “Legacy Pollution, Collective Memory and Distrust in a Military Community: The Case of Aberdeen Proving Ground.” Brittany V. Gaustad Shantz, Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams, Laura Bray, and Landen Longest, presented at the *Annual Meetings of the Eastern Sociological Society*, Baltimore, Maryland, February 23-26.
- 2023 “A Battle of Risks: Institutional and Activist Framings of the Risks of Chemical Weapons Incineration in the United States.” Landen Longest, Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams, Laura Bray, and Brittany V. Gaustad Shantz, presented at the *Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society*, Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, March 29-April 1.
- 2022 “Obstacles to Women’s Environmental Activism in Contaminated Communities,” Landen Longest, Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Los Angeles, California, August 5-9, 2022.
- 2022 “Everyday Resilience: An Ethics of Care as Meaning Making in Women’s Experiences of Environmental Illness,” Landen Longest, Thomas E. Shriver, and Alison E. Adams, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Birmingham, Alabama, April 6-9, 2022.
- 2021 “Locked In Vs. Locked Out: Environmental Justice Activism in Rural Industrial Communities,” Alison E. Adams, Thomas E. Shriver, Landen Longest, and Gary R. Webb, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, Louisiana (*virtual conference due to Covid*), April 7-10, 2021.
- 2021 “Gendering Quiescence: Barriers to Women’s Mobilization,” Landen Longest, Thomas E. Shriver, and Alison E. Adams, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, Louisiana (*virtual conference due to Covid*), April 7-10, 2021.
- 2019 “Agrochemical Exposure and Environmental (In)Justice: Legal Repression of Latin American Banana Workers.” Laura A. Bray, Nicholas J. Membrez-Weiler, and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York City, August 10-13, 2019.
- 2019 “Repression and Dissent Behind the Iron Curtain: Challenging State Power in Czechoslovakia and Romania.” Thomas E. Shriver, Adriana Szabo and Laura Bray, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, Georgia, April 10-13.
- 2019 “Agrochemical Exposure and Environmental (In)justice: Legal Repression of Latin American Banana Workers.” Laura Bray, Nicholas J. Membrez-Weiler, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, New York, August 10-12.
- 2019 “Elite Cultural Work and the Vilification of Dissent.” Thomas E. Shriver, Annika Wilcox and Laura Bray, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, Georgia, April 10-13.
- 2019 “Symbolism in Political Transition: Strategic Environmental Protest in Post-Communism.” Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, Georgia, April 10-13.

- 2018 “Corporate Framing and Discursive Redirection: The Case of Alachua County, Florida.” Anne Saville, Alison E. Adams, Thomas E. Shriver, David J. Hanson, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, August 11-14.
- 2018 “The Resurgence of Black Lung: Economic Challenges and Escalating Risk,” Aysha Bodenhamer and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Appalachian Studies Association, Cincinnati, Ohio, April 5-8.
- 2018 “Authoritarian Legitimacy and Elite Cohesion,” Laura Bray, Thomas E. Shriver and Alison E. Adams, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, Louisiana, April 4-7.
- 2017 “Mobilizing Grievances in an Authoritarian Setting: Threat and Emotional Liberation in the 1953 Plzen Uprising.” Laura A. Bray, Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Greenville, South Carolina, March 29-April 1.
- 2017 “Discursive Obstruction and the Vilification of Grassroots Environmental Activists.” Alison E. Adams, Thomas E. Shriver, Laura Bray, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Greenville, South Carolina, March 29-April 1.
- 2017 “Environmental Justice and Racial Discrimination in the South.” Heather K. Sanchez, Alison E. Adams, and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Greenville, South Carolina, March 29-April 1.
- 2016 “Elite Framing and the Vilification of Dissent in Authoritarian Settings.” Thomas E. Shriver, Laura Bray, and Alison E. Adams, presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Society, Seattle, Washington, August 20-20.
- 2016 “Preservation versus Poverty: Community Conflict over Land Development.” Anne Saville, Alison E. Adams, and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Society for the Study of Social Problems, Seattle, Washington, August 19-21.
- 2016 “State Official Frames and the Vilification of Dissent.” Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams, and Laura Bray, presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, Georgia, April 13-16.
- 2016 “Fracking Fissures: Media Framing of Natural Gas Development in North Carolina.” Heather K. Sanchez, Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams, Maggie Tomaszewski, and Jay Sherman, presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, Georgia, April 13-16.
- 2016 “Debating Environmental Justice: Grassroots Activism in Land-Use Controversies.” Alison E. Adams, Anne Saville, and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, Georgia, April 13-16.
- 2015 “The Fight Against Big Coal: Resisting Institutional Power in a Neoliberal Transition.” Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 22-25, 2015.
- 2015 “Targeting Corporate Polluters: The Radicalization of Grassroots Movement Tactical Repertoires.” Alison E. Adams, Thomas E. Shriver, and Gary R. Webb, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 25-28, 2015.
- 2015 “The Role of Collective Identity and Memory in Shaping Community Response to Environmental Hazards: A Cross Comparison Analysis.” Chris M. Messer, Thomas E. Shriver, and Alison E. Adams, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 25-28, 2015.
- 2014 “Coal and the Environment: Confronting the Treadmill of Production in North Bohemia.” Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams and Stefano Longo, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, August 16-19.

- 2014 “Coal and Quiescence: Elite Legitimacy and the State.” Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams, and Stefano Longo, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Charlotte, North Carolina, April 2-5.
- 2014 “In Defense of Community: Environmental Activism Against Petrochemical Pollution.” Adams, Alison E., Thomas E. Shriver, and Gary R. Webb, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Charlotte, North Carolina, April 2-5.
- 2013 “Community Activism over Environmental Health Concerns: Examining Obstacles to Engagement.” Thomas E. Shriver, Chris M. Messer, and Alison E. Adams, presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, New York, New York, August 10-13.
- 2013 “Global Development and Marine Systems.” Stefano B. Longo and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Sociology of Development Conference, Salt Lake City, Utah, October 24-25.
- 2012 “Political Shifts and Environmental Activism in Post-Communist Europe.” Alison E. Adams, Thomas E. Shriver, and Chris Messer, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Denver, Colorado, August 16-20.
- 2012 “Framing the Nuclear Debate in France Before and After Fukushima,” Julie Schweitzer, Thomas E. Shriver, Alison E. Adams, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, Denver, Colorado, August 16-18.
- 2012 “Environmental Health Hazards and Local Activism: Linking Quiescence to Social Control.” Thomas E. Shriver, Chris Messer, and Alison E. Adams, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 21-24.
- 2012 “Religious Demedicalization: The Case of Unassisted Homebirth.” Amy Chasteen Miller, Thomas E. Shriver, and Amanda Constance Paris, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 21-24.
- 2011 “Anti-Environmentalism in Post-Communist Czech Republic: The Role of Private Social Control Actors.” Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Las Vegas, Nevada, August 20-24.
- 2011 ““Like Asking Satan to Cast Out Sin: Anti-Nuclear Activism Before and After the Czechoslovakian Velvet Revolution,” Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Jacksonville, Florida, April 6-9.
- 2011 “Violence as Movement Morality or Strategic Choice: An Investigation of State-Movement Tactical Exchange,” Kristin Waldo and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, St. Louis, Missouri, March 24-27.
- 2011 “Clearing the Air: The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency’s Response to Allegations of Wrongdoing in the Aftermath of 9/11.” Gary R. Webb, Thomas E. Shriver, and Tate Steidley, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association, Las Vegas, Nevada, March 16-19.
- 2010 “Discursive Obstruction and Repression of Dissent: Social Control of Environmental Activism in the Czech Republic.” Thomas E. Shriver, Sherry Cable, and Alison E. Adams, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, Georgia, August 14-18.
- 2010 “Cycles of Repression and Tactical Innovation: Environmental Dissent in Communist Czechoslovakia.” Thomas E. Shriver and Alison E. Adams, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, Georgia, April 21-24.
- 2010 “The Role of Countermovements in Shaping Protest: Public Barriers to Civil Society in a Democratizing Nation.” Alison E. Adams and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, Georgia, April 21-24.

- 2010 “Resident Framing and the Public Sphere: Community Conflict over Environmental Controversies.” Chris Messer and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, Chicago, Illinois, March 31-April 3.
- 2009 “Motherhood and High-Risk Activism: Czech Women Environmentalists Before and After the Velvet Revolution,” Thomas E. Shriver and Alison E. Adams, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, August 8-11.
- 2009 “Corporate Responses to Claims of Environmental Misconduct,” Chris M. Messer and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, Des Moines, IA, April 2-5.
- 2009 “Gendered Environmental Activism: Czech Women’s Experiences in Post-Communist Czech Republic.” Alison Adams and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA, April 1-4.
- 2009 “State Suppression of Dissent: The Case of Environmental Activism in Post-Communist Czech Republic.” Thomas E. Shriver, Sherry Cable, and Alison Adams, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA, April 1-4.
- 2008 “Wounded by Friendly Fire: Policy Palliatives and Internal Conflict in the Gulf War Illness Movement.” Sherry Cable and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Boston, MA, August 1-4.
- 2008 “Environmental Activism in Post-Communist States: Oppositional Forces and the Suppression of Dissent in a Czech Highway Bypass Controversy.” Thomas E. Shriver and Sherry Cable, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, St. Louis, Missouri, March 27-30.
- 2008 “[Un]Common Language: The Corporate Commodification of Alternative Agro-Food Movement Frames.” Alison E. Lutz and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, St. Louis, Illinois, March 27-30.
- 2008 “Environmental Hazards and Community Activism around a Zinc Smelter Plant in Rural Oklahoma.” Chris Messer, Dennis Kennedy, and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, St. Louis, Illinois, March 27-30.
- 2007 “Frame Disputes in a Natural Resource Controversy: The Case of the Arbuckle Simpson Aquifer.” Thomas E. Shriver and Charles Peaden, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, Chicago, Illinois, April 4-7.
- 2006 “The Story of CHE: Environmental Challenges in the Atomic City.” Tamara Mix, Thomas E. Shriver, and Sherry Cable, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada, August 11-14.
- 2006 “Community Response to Natural Resource Disputes: The Case of the Arbuckle Simpson Aquifer in South Central Oklahoma.” Charles Peaden and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the 2006 Oklahoma Water Research Symposium, Oklahoma City, October 5-6.
- 2006 “Invisible Injuries: Contested Illness Among Oak Ridge Nuclear Workers.” Thomas E. Shriver, Tamara Mix and Sherry Cable, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Pacific Sociological Association, Hollywood, California, April 20-23.
- 2006 “Contested Illness and the Environmental Legacy in Tar Creek.” Thomas E. Shriver, Sherry Cable and Dennis Kennedy, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, Omaha, Nebraska, March 30-April 2.
- 2005 “The Environmental Justice Movement in Ponca City: Preliminary Observations on Coalition Building and Social Activism.” Thomas E. Shriver, Gary R. Webb, Kristina E. Smith, Jaime Burns and Wendy Brame, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Oklahoma Sociological Association, Norman, Oklahoma, November 11.
- 2004 “Rollovers, Recalls, and Rhetoric: Corporate Framing of the Ford/Firestone Controversy.” Gary R. Webb and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Nashville, Tennessee, November 17-20.

- 2004 "A Town Divided: Environmental Controversy in Picher, Oklahoma." Dennis Kennedy and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Oklahoma Sociological Association, Edmond, Oklahoma, November 5.
- 2004 "Dissent and State Social Control in Democratizing Nations: The Suppression of Environmental Protest in the Czech Republic." Thomas E. Shriver and Sherry Cable, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, Kansas City, Missouri, April 15-18.
- 2003 "Fault Lines and Frictions: Internal Conflict in the Gulf War Illness Movement." Thomas E. Shriver and Sherry Cable, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA, March 26-29.
- 2002 "Social Movements in Conflict: Emergent Identities and Factional Divides." Daniel Sarabia and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Memphis, Tennessee, October 16-19.
- 2001 "Contentious Environmental Frames in Post-Communist Czech Republic." Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Mobile, Alabama, October 24-27.
- 2001 "Learning the 'Tools of the Trade': Salient Patterns of Practitioner Development in a Metaphysical Movement." Gary A. Steward and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Mobile, Alabama, October 24-27.
- 2001 "Environmental Hazards and the Construction of Competing Gulf War Illness Frames." Thomas E. Shriver and Brent Adams, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association, Fort Worth, Texas, March 15-18.
- 2000 "Once Were Warriors: State Control of Veterans' Activism Surrounding Gulf War Illness." Thomas E. Shriver and Brent Adams, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Knoxville, Tennessee, October 11-14.
- 2000 "Concerns of the Profession." Invited Panelist at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Knoxville, Tennessee, October 11-14.
- 2000 "Solidarity and Identity in a Psychic Community." Gary A. Steward, Thomas E. Shriver, and Amy L. Chasteen, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA, April 20-22.
- 1999 "Social Control and Resistance: A Social Movement Analysis of Gulf War Illness." Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Jackson, Mississippi, November 3-7.
- 1999 "Risk and Recruitment: Patterns of Social Movement Mobilization in a Government Town." Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Western Social Science Association, Fort Worth, Texas, April 21-24.
- 1999 "Social Movement Endurance: Collective Identity and the Rastafari." AlemSeghed Kebede, Thomas E. Shriver, and J. David Knottnerus, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Nashville, Tennessee, April 8-11.
- 1998 "Sociological Practice Session." Invited Panelist at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Lafayette, Louisiana, October 28-31.
- 1998 "Rap and Resistance: A Sociological Analysis of the Wu Tang." Amy Chasteen and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Lafayette, Louisiana, October 28-31.
- 1998 "The Role of Collective Identity in Inhibiting Mobilization: Solidarity and Suppression in Oak Ridge." Thomas E. Shriver, Sherry Cable, Lachelle Norris, and Donald Hastings, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, Georgia, April 1-5.
- 1997 "Power, Politics and the Framing of Environmental Illness." Thomas E. Shriver, Deborah White, and Alemseghed Kebede, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Huntsville, Alabama, October 29-November 1.

- 1997 “Ideological Hegemony and the Code of Silence on the Oak Ridge Nuclear Reservation.” Thomas E. Shriver, Sherry Cable, Lachelle Norris, and Donald Hastings, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, Louisiana, April 3-6.
- 1997 “Environmental Illness: A Social Constructionist Perspective.” Thomas E. Shriver, Deborah White, and Alemseghed Kebede, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Oklahoma Sociological Association, Langston, Oklahoma, November 5.
- 1996 “We’re Tired of Being a Dumping Ground: Preliminary Observations of Grassroots Environmental Justice Groups.” Lachelle Norris and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Little Rock, Arkansas, October 30-November 2.
- 1996 “Social Control and Resistance: Government Suppression of Health Grievances at the Oak Ridge Nuclear Reservation.” Sherry Cable & Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, New York, August 16-20.
- 1996 “Communitythink and Resistance at the Oak Ridge Nuclear Reservation.” Thomas E. Shriver, Sherry Cable, and G. Lachelle Norris, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Richmond, Virginia, April 11-14.
- 1995 “The Political Economy of the Southeast: Workshop Linking Scholars and Activists in the Pursuit of Justice and Equality.” Invited Panelist at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, Georgia, April 6-9.
- 1994 “Social Control and Environmental Degradation by the Military.” Thomas E. Shriver and Sherry Cable, presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society, Raleigh, North Carolina, April 7-10.
- 1994 “Structural Determinants of the Production of Meaning: The Social Construction of Environmental Injustice.” Sherry Cable and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society, Raleigh, North Carolina, April 7-10.
- 1993 “The State and Social Movement Success: The Case of AIM.” Jeffrey Stotik and Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Miami Beach, Florida, August 13-17.
- 1993 “Challenging Popular Myths About Low Literate Adults: Longitudinal Study of Literacy Program Participants.” Thomas E. Shriver, Kathryn Rea, and Juliet Merrifield, presented at the National Conference of the Commission on Adult Basic Education (COABE), New Orleans, Louisiana, June 7-11.
- 1993 “The 20th Century American Peace Movement: An Examination of Social Movement Continuity.” Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Chattanooga, Tennessee, April 1-4.
- 1992 “Ibn Khaldun and Tonnies on Typology.” Thomas E. Shriver, presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, Louisiana, April 9-12.
- 1991 “The Use of Focus Groups on the Chemical Stockpile Emergency Preparedness Program.” Thomas E. Shriver and Chris Garkovich, presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Cincinnati, Ohio, August 23-27.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP

Editorial Board Membership:

- Editorial Board, *Mobilization*, 2012-present
 Editorial Board, *The Sociological Quarterly*, 2020-present
 Editorial Board, *American Sociological Review*, 2014-2020
 Editorial Board, *Social Currents*, 2012-2020
 Editorial Board, *Sociological Inquiry*, 2001-2012

Editorial Board, *Sociological Spectrum*, 1999-2001

Professional Committee Membership

Member, Distinguished Article Award Committee of the American Sociological Association's Collective Behavior and Social Movements Section, 2020-2022.
 Member, Teaching and Outreach Committee of the American Sociological Association's Environment and Technology Section, 2013-2015.
 Program Committee, Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, 2014-2015.
 Program Committee, Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, 2010-2011.
 Member, Committee on the Status of Students, Southern Sociological Society, 2010-2012.
 Member, Teaching and Training Committee of the American Sociological Association's Environment and Technology Section, 2007-2010.
 Member, Committee on the Profession, Mid-South Sociological Association, 2000-2004.
 Member, Sociological Spectrum Award Committee, Mid-South Sociological Association, 1999-2001.

Professional Meetings:

Session Organizer, "Environmental Sociology" session at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, August 10-13, 2019.
 Session Organizer, "Environmental Change and Inequality" session at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, August 10-13, 2019.
 Program Committee, Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 25-28, 2015.
 Session Organizer, "The Civil Rights Struggle and its Political Legacy" session at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, Louisiana, March 25-28, 2015.
 Session Organizer and Presider, "Coal and the Environment" session of the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Charlotte, North Carolina, April 2-5, 2014.
 Session Organizer and Presider, "Gender and Reproductive Health I and II" at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, Georgia, April 24-27, 2013.
 Session Organizer and Presider, "Panel Discussion on the BP Oil Spill" at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Jacksonville, Florida, April 6-9, 2011.
 Session Presider, "Social Movements and Environmental Sociology" session of the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Jacksonville, Florida, April 6-9, 2011.
 Session Presider, "Environmental Concern" session at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA, August 14-17, 2010.
 Session Presider, "Social Control of Protest" roundtable at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA, August 14-17, 2010.
 Session Presider, "Environmental Movements" session at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA, April 1-4, 2009.
 Session Organizer, "Environmental Justice in Oklahoma" session at the Annual Meeting of the Oklahoma Sociological Association, Edmond, Oklahoma, November 5, 2004.
 Session Co-Organizer, "Culture, Symbols, and Meaning in Collective Action" session of the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Mobile, Alabama, October 24-27, 2001.
 Session Co-Organizer, "Social Movements" session at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Knoxville, Tennessee, October 11-14, 2000.
 Session Co-Organizer, "Inequality" session at the Annual Meeting of the Oklahoma Sociological Association, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, November 6, 1998.
 Session Organizer, "Social Movements" session at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Lafayette, Louisiana, October 28-31, 1998.

Session Organizer, “Environmental Sociology” session at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Little Rock, Arkansas, October 30-November 2, 1996.
 Session Organizer, “Social Movements” session at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Little Rock, Arkansas, October 30-November 2, 1996.
 Session Co-organizer, “Dimensions of Environmental Justice” thematic session at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, Georgia, April 6-9, 1995.
 Discussant, “Corporate and Governmental Actors in Environmental Conflicts” session at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, Georgia, April 6-9, 1995.
 Session Organizer, “Social Movements” session at the Annual Meeting of the Mid-South Sociological Association, Chattanooga, Tennessee, October 21-24, 1992.
 Session Presider, “History of Sociological Thought” session at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, Louisiana, April 9-12, 1992.
 Session Presider, “History of Social Thought” session at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, Georgia, April 11-14, 1991.

Journal Article Reviewer

American Sociological Review, American Journal of Sociology, Social Forces, Social Problems, The Sociological Quarterly, Social Science and Medicine, Mobilization, Sociological Inquiry, Sociological Focus, Sociological Spectrum, Medical Anthropology, Natural Hazards, Organization and Environment, Humanity and Society, Journal of Rural Studies, Social Movement Studies, Journal of Environmental Management, American Behavioral Scientist

UNIVERSITY SERVICE:

Member, College of Humanities and Social Sciences **Research Committee**, 2024-present
 Member, College of Humanities and Social Sciences **Faculty Awards Committee**, 2023-present
 Member, College of Humanities and Social Sciences **University Faculty Review Committee**, 2023-present
 Member, College of Humanities and Social Sciences Reappointment, Promotion and Tenure Committee, 2016-2018
 Member, College of Humanities and Social Sciences Research Committee, 2017-present
 Member, First-Year Environmental Science Program, NCSU, 2015-2016
 Member, College of Humanities and Social Sciences Graduate Committee, 2015
 Member, College of Humanities and Social Sciences Capstone Project Award Committee, 2015
 College Tenure and Promotion Committee, Arts and Sciences, Oklahoma State University, 2011-2013
 Arts and Sciences College Rules and Procedures Committee, Oklahoma State University, 2010-2011
 Secretary, Arts and Sciences Faculty Council, Oklahoma State University, 1998-1999
 Chair, Honors Committee, Arts and Sciences Faculty Council, 1997-1998
 Arts and Sciences College Policy and Planning Committee, 2001-2004
 Termination Committee, Oklahoma State University, 2001-2004
 Departmental Representative, Arts and Sciences Faculty Council, Oklahoma State University, 1996-1999
 General Education Advisory Council, Oklahoma State University, 1997-2000
 Environmental Science Steering Committee, Oklahoma State University, 1995-2000
 Faculty Associate, Wentz Hall, Oklahoma State University, 1998-1999

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE:

Member, Sociology Graduate Recruitment, Admissions and Curriculum Committee, 2024-present
 Member, Advisory Committee, NCSU, 2019-current

Chair, Environmental Sociology Faculty Search Committee, 2023
Teaching Honors & Awards Committee, 2022-
Department Speaker Series, 2022-
Departmental Library Liaison, 2022-
Chair, Honors Program, Sociology, NCSU, 2018-2020
Chair, Teaching Awards Committee, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, 2018-2019
Area Coordinator, Food and Environment, NCSU, 2013-2016
Director of Graduate Studies, Sociology, NCSU, 2015
Member, Comprehensive Post-Tenure Review Committee, NCSU, 2015-2018
Member, Graduate Admissions Committee, NCSU, 2014-2016, 2018-present
Member, Graduate Curriculum Committee, NCSU, 2013-2017
Chair, Ad Hoc MCAT Committee, NCSU, 2013-present
Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Sociology, OSU, 2004-2008
Chair, Personnel Committee, Department of Sociology, OSU, 1999, 2000, 2004-2005
Chair, Undergraduate Studies, Department of Sociology, OSU, 2002-2003
Chair, Environmental Sociology Committee, OSU, 1999-2006
Curriculum Committee, Department of Sociology, OSU, 2001-2002
Personnel Committee, Department of Sociology, OSU, 1999-2003, 2008-2010, 2012-2013
Environmental Sociology Committee, Department of Sociology, OSU, 1995-2013
Graduate Committee, Department of Sociology, OSU, 1996-2013
Undergraduate Committee, Department of Sociology, OSU, 1995-1996
Theory Committee for Graduate Preliminary Examinations, OSU, 1995-2004, 2006-
Methods Committee for Graduate Preliminary Examinations, OSU, 2004-2005
Social Psychology Committee for Comprehensive Exams, OSU, 1995-present
Inequality Committee for Comprehensive Exams, OSU, 1998-2004
Faculty Advisor, Sociology Club, OSU, 1998-2000