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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2015 – State University of New York at Stony Brook
Assistant Professor of Sociology
- 2013 – 2014 University of Massachusetts, Amherst
Instructor of Sociology

EDUCATION

- 2013 University of California, Irvine
Ph.D. in Sociology
- 2008 University of California, Irvine
M.A. in Sociology
- 2004 Ithaca College
B.A. in Sociology and English

AREAS OF INTEREST

Global & Transnational Sociology; Environmental Sociology; Economic Sociology; Health; Human Rights; Education; Culture; Political Economy; Comparative, Network, & Statistical Methods

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Forthcoming Bandelj, Nina, Matthew Mahutga, and **Kristen Shorette**. Forthcoming 2015.
“Signaling Demand for Foreign Investment: Postsocialist Countries in the Global
Bilateral Investment Treaties Network.” *Europe-Asia Studies*.
- 2014 **Shorette, Kristen**. “Nongovernmental Regulation and Construction of Value in
Global Markets: The Rise of Fair Trade, 1961-2006.” *Sociological Perspectives*
57(4): 526-547.

- 2012 **Shorette, Kristen.** “Outcomes of Global Environmentalism: Longitudinal and Cross-National Trends in Chemical Fertilizer and Pesticide Use.” *Social Forces* 91(1): 299-325.
- 2012 Thiele, Megan, **Kristen Shorette**, and Catherine Bolzendahl. “Returns to Education: Exploring the Link between Legislators’ Public School Degrees and State Spending on Higher Education.” *Sociological Inquiry* 82(2): 305-328.
- 2011 **Shorette, Kristen.** “Fair Trade and the Double Movement: The Promise and Contradictions of Improving Labor Standards in the Global South via Market Mechanisms.” *Journal of Workplace Rights* 15(3-4): 461-481.
- 2011 Bandelj, Nina, **Kristen Shorette**, and Elizabeth Sowers. “Work and Neoliberal Globalization: A Polanyian Synthesis.” *Sociology Compass* 5(9): 807-823.

BOOK CHAPTERS AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- Forthcoming Bandelj, Nina, **Kristen Shorette**, and Elizabeth Sowers. Forthcoming 2015. “Global Economic Networks” in *Emerging Trends in the Social and Behavioral Sciences*. Robert Scott and Stephen Kosslyn eds. Wiley.
- 2012 **Shorette, Kristen.** “Equalizing Exchange through Voluntary Certification? The Case of Palm Oil.” Pp. 377-378 in *Routledge Handbook of World Systems Analysis*. Salvatore Babones and Christopher Chase-Dunn, eds. London and New York: Routledge.
- 2012 **Shorette, Kristen.** “Fair Trade and World Culture.” Fall Newsletter of RC09 on Social Transformations and Sociology of Development: International Sociological Association.
- 2010 **Shorette, Kristen.** Book Review of *Greening Aid? Understanding the Environmental Impact of Development Assistance* by Hicks, Robert L., Bradley C. Parks, J. Timmons Roberts and Michael J. Tierney. New York, NY: Oxford University Press. *Journal of World-Systems Research* 16(2): 305-8.

FUNDED GRANTS

External Awards

- 2014 American Sociological Association and National Science Foundation Fund for the Advancement of the Discipline, “Freedom from Discrimination as Human Right? The Global Human Rights Regime and the Diffusion of Affirmative Action Policy since 1965” with Michelle Peria. \$6,384

2011-2012 National Science Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant,
 “Doctoral Dissertation Research: Fair Trade Across Nations and Over Time”
 Principle Investigator: Nina Bandelj, Co-PI: Kristen Shorette. \$10,000

Internal Awards

2013 Research Support Grant, UMass Amherst
 2013 Flex Grant for Teaching/Faculty Development, UMass Amherst
 2013 Travel Grant, Center in Law, Society, and Culture, UCI
 2011 - 2012 Small Research Grant, Center for Organizational Research, UCI
 2010 - 2012 Research and Travel Awards, School of Social Sciences, UCI
 2010 - 2011 Small Research Grant, Center for Organizational Research, UCI
 2008 - 2012 Research and Travel Awards, Department of Sociology, UCI

FELLOWSHIPS

2012-2013 President’s Dissertation Year Fellowship, Graduate Division, UCI
 2012 Graduate Dean’s Dissertation Fellowship, Graduate Division, UCI
 2012 Social Sciences Outreach Fellowship, Global Connect @ UCI
 2011 Associate Dean’s Fellowship for Academic Excellence, UCI (Fall)
 2011 Summer Research Fellowship, Department of Sociology, UCI
 2011 Associate Dean’s Fellowship for Academic Excellence, UCI, (Winter)
 2011 Social Sciences Outreach Fellowship, Global Connect @ UCI
 2010 Summer Research Fellowship, Department of Sociology, UCI
 2010 Social Sciences Outreach Fellowship, Global Connect @ UCI
 2009 Social Science Graduate Fellowship, Graduate Division, UCI
 2009 Summer Research Fellowship, Department of Sociology, UCI
 2007 Summer Research Fellowship, Department of Sociology, UCI

HONORS AND AWARDS

2013 Outstanding Graduate Student Paper Award, 2013 Social Enterprise @ Goizueta
 Research Colloquium, Goizueta Business School, Emory University
 2013 Outstanding Graduate Student Paper Award, Society for the Advancement of
 Socio-Economics
 2012 Order of Merit for Outstanding Scholarship, School of Social Sciences, UCI
 2012 Robin M. Williams Jr. Paper Award, Winner, Department of Sociology, UCI
 2010 Educational Partnership Award, Global Connect, UCI
 2009 Robin M. Williams Jr. Paper Award, Honorable Mention, Department of
 Sociology, UCI
 2008 Departmental Service Award: Distinguished Service in Sociology, Department of
 Sociology, UCI

COURSES TAUGHT

University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Social Problems
Environmental Sociology
Graduate Statistics in the Social Sciences for Sociology PhD Students
Introduction to Statistical Methods for Public Policy Masters Students

University of California, Irvine

Statistics Refresher Course for Incoming Graduate Students
Introduction to Sociology
Introduction to Social Problems

Global Connect @ UCI (Social Science Outreach to Area High Schools)

The Economic Roots of Globalization
Genocide in Global Historical Perspective

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

2014 Presider, Globalization Regular Session, Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco
Winter 2011 Interim Director, Global Connect @ UCI
2009 – 2010 Faculty Representative, Sociology Graduate Student Association, UCI
2007 – 2008 Co-Chair, Sociology Graduate Student Association, UCI
2006 – 2007 Cohort Representative, Sociology Graduate Student Association, UCI

Occasional Reviewer: *International Journal of Comparative Sociology, Social Forces, Social Justice Research, Social Problems, Social Science Research, The Sociological Quarterly*

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association

Sections: Comparative Historical Sociology, Culture, Development Sociology, Economic Sociology, Environment and Technology, Global and Transnational Sociology, Human Rights, Political Sociology, Political Economy of the World-System

Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics

Society for the Study of Social Problems