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### EDUCATION

August 2013	PhD: Sociology Texas A&M University, College Station Dissertation: <i>Living Life in the Middle: Multiracials, Residential Segregation and the Fate of the U.S. Color Line</i> Committee: Dr. Rogelio Saenz (chair), Dr. Jane Sell (co-chair), Dr. Mark Fossett, Dr. Alex McIntosh, Dr. Mary Campbell (members)
May 2010	MA: Sociology Loyola University Chicago <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>
May 2005	BA: Sociology Azusa Pacific University <i>Magna Cum Laude, Highest Honors</i>

### AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Race and Ethnicity, Social Demography, Religion and Ethnography

### EMPLOYMENT

2013-Present	Postdoctoral Fellow, Social Science Research Institute, Duke University
Summer 2012	Research Assistant, Residential Segregation and Small Populations: Reconfiguring the Conventional Indices Project. Texas Census Research and Data Center, Texas A&M University, <i>Funded by the National Science Foundation</i>
2009-2013	Research Assistant, Department of Sociology, Texas A&M University

- 2008-2009 Research Assistant, National Homelessness Project in conjunction with the Center for Urban Research and Learning, Loyola University Chicago
- 2008-2006 Diversity Outreach and Recruitment Counselor, Office of Admission, Azusa Pacific University
- 2005-2006 Executive Sales and Public Relations Associate, ESPN Radio Station, Denver Colorado

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- Barron, Jessica M. and Williams, Rhys. (Forthcoming). *The City Imagined, the City Consumed: Race, Place and an Urban Church*. Under Contract, NYU Press
- Campbell, Mary E. and **Barron, Jessica M.** (Forthcoming). "Structures of Privilege and Oppression: Multiracial Americans and the U.S. Racial Hierarchy." in *Race Policy and Multiracial Americans*, edited by Kathleen Odell Korgen. Bristol: Policy Press.
- Barron, Jessica M. (Forthcoming). "Not too Black, Not too White: Diversity Management within Multiracial Congregations." In *Challenging the Status Quo: Diversity, Democracy, and Equality in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*, edited by Sharon Collins and David Embrick. Brill Press.
- Barron, Jessica M. "Managed Diversity: Race, Church and the City." Revise and Resubmit
- Barron, Jessica M. "Where Do Multiracial Groups Live?" Under Review
- Barron, Jessica M. "Measuring Space in the Middle: The Residential Attainment of Multiracial Americans." Under Review

#### **GRANTS AND AWARDS**

- 2010-2013 Diversity Fellowship. Texas A&M University, College Station: Office of Graduate Studies
- 2012 Race and Ethnic Studies Institute Research Award. Texas A&M University, College Station: Department of Sociology
- 2008-2010 Research Fellowship. Loyola University Chicago, Chicago: Department of Sociology
- 2005 Ronald Award. Awarded to the student achieving the highest level of scholastic achievement and leadership in

the graduating class. Azusa Pacific University, Azusa:  
Office of the President

2005 The Sociology Prize for Outstanding Scholarship and  
Achievement. Azusa Pacific University, Azusa

**PRESENTATIONS**

“Gap to Goal: Demographic Changes, Student Organizations, and the Creation of  
Inclusive Campus Climates.” Annual Meeting. North American Coalition for  
Christian Admissions Professionals. June 2014.

“Race and Leadership in Higher Education.” Multiethnic Leadership Scholarship  
Meeting. Azusa Pacific University. March 2014.

(Chair/Presenter) “Learning from Multiracials: Neighborhood Diversity and  
Segregation in the U.S.” Southwestern Social Sciences Association. April 2014.

“Segregation in Every Day Life.” Race Workshop, Duke University. September 2013.

“Managed Diversity and it’s Consequences: Race, Place and an Urban Church.”  
American Sociological Association. August 2013.

“Multiracial Residential Segregation in U.S. Cities.” Southwestern Social Sciences  
Association. March 2013.

“Managed Diversity: Race, Church and the City.” Association of Black Sociologists.  
August 2012.

“Religious Identity and the Urban Imaginary: Welcome to Urban Church.” Society  
for the Scientific Study of Religion. October 2010.

“Consequences of an Imagined City.” Chicago Ethnography Conference. March  
2010.

**TEACHING**

2012-2013 Teaching Assistant to Dr. Wendy Leo Moore: Race and Ethnicity. Texas  
A&M University

2009-2010 Teaching Assistant to Dr. David Embrick: Race and Ethnicity. Loyola  
University Chicago

**GUEST LECTURES**

2012 Texas A&M University, *Race and Place in the United States*,  
Race and Ethnicity, SOCI 317

Texas A&M University, *Residential Segregation and Multiracial  
Americans*, Race and Ethnicity, SOCI 317

Texas A&M University, *Race and Religion*  
Introduction to Sociology, SOCI 205

Texas A&M University, *Desegregation and Interest Convergence*  
African American Thought, SOCI/AFST 323

2009 Loyola University Chicago, *Front Stage, Back Stage Racism & White Habitus*, Race and Ethnic Relations, SOCL 122

Loyola University Chicago, *Chinese Americans in the U.S.*  
Race and Ethnic Relations, SOCL 122

Loyola University Chicago, *Japanese Exceptionalism: From Issei to Gossei*, Race and Ethnic Relations, SOCL 122

Loyola University Chicago, *Mexican Americans: Living on the Border*  
Race and Ethnic Relations, SOCL 122

#### **COURSES INTERESTED IN TEACHING**

- Introduction to Sociology
- Race and Ethnicity
- Mixed Methodologies
- Social Problems
- Demography of Race and Ethnicity
- Residential Segregation and Inequality
- Urban Sociology
- Race and Religion in America

#### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP**

*American Sociological Association*

- Race and Ethnicity
- Religion
- Latino Sociology

*Southwestern Social Sciences Association*

*Society for the Scientific Study of Religion*

#### **REFERENCES**

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