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### **EDUCATION**

University of Arizona: Ph.D. in Sociology, expected 2020.

Graduate Certificate in College Teaching, expected 2020

Dissertation Title: "The Green Rush: Institutional Change

in the U.S. Cannabis Industry"

Committee: Joseph Galaskiewicz (chair), Robin Stryker,

Jennifer Carlson, Jeffery J. Sallaz

University of Arizona: M.A. in Sociology, 2016.

**Pennsylvania State University** 

-Altoona Campus:

B.A. in Letters, Arts, and Sciences, 2013.

#### **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Crime, Law, and Society, Organizations, Economic Sociology, Institutional Theory, Semi-Legal Markets and Industries, Mixed-Methods

### **PUBLICATIONS**

Peer-Reviewed Articles

**Kinney, Alexander B.** Forthcoming. "The Extra-Institutional Logics of an Emerging Market Field: Values and Practice in the Bitcoin Experience." *Social Currents*.

**Kinney, Alexander B.** Forthcoming. "Embedding into a New Money System: The Case of Bitcoin". *Sociological Focus*.

**Kinney, Alexander B.**, Andrew P. Davis, and Yongjun Zhang. 2018. "Theming for terror: Organizational adornment in terrorist propaganda." *Poetics*. 69:27–40.

• Awarded 2018 Raymond Bowers Award, School of Sociology, University of Arizona.

Other Publications

**Kinney, Alexander B.** 2018. "A Brief Introduction to the Sociology of Cannabis." Editorial piece for *www.growersnetwork.org* 

## MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

**Kinney, Alexander B.** "We're Trying to Turn a Cowboy into an Aristocrat': Negotiating Surveilling Institutions in the U.S. Cannabis Industry." *Under Review* 

### WORKING PAPERS

**Kinney, Alexander B.** "Which Came First Institutions or Action? Towards an Integrated Sociological Institutionalism." *Writing in Progress* 

**Kinney, Alexander B.** "Preventing Diversion or Fostering Inclusion? Sub-National Policy Domains Governing Sumptuary Labor in the U.S. Cannabis Industry" *Analysis in Progress* 

Davis, Andrew P., **Alexander B. Kinney**, Kyle Puetz "The Language of Peace: An Automated Text as Networks Approach to Analyzing the Peace Process." *Analysis in Progress* 

#### **BOOK REVIEWS**

**Kinney, Alexander B.** and Nicholas J. Rowland. 2017. "Fabian Muniesa, Liliana Doganova, Horacio Ortiz, Álvaro Pina-Stranger, Florence Paterson, Alaric Bourgoin, Véra Ehrenstein, Pierre-André Juven, David Pontille, Başak Saraç-Lesavre and Guillaume Yon (2017) Capitalization: A Cultural Guide. Paris: Presses Des Mines. 167 Pages. ISBN: 9782356714220." *Science & Technology Studies* 30(3):73.

Rowland, Nicholas J., Jan-Hendrick Passoth, and **Alexander B. Kinney**. 2011. Bruno Latour. Reassembling the Social: An introduction to actor-network theory. *Spontaneous Generations: A Journal for the History and Philosophy of Science* 5: 95-99.

### **GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Award, National Science Foundation \$12,977 (2019) (Status: Co-Principle Investigator, Principle Investigator: Joseph Galaskiewicz)

Graduate Student and Professional Council Travel Grant, University of Arizona. \$750 (2019)

Social and Behavioral Sciences Institute Research Grant, University of Arizona. \$1,980 (2018)

Graduate Student and Professional Council Research Grant, University of Arizona. \$960 (2018)

# PROFESSIONAL TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS

**Kinney, Alexander B.,** "Which Came First, Institutions or Action? Provisional Institutions in the Transforming Cannabis Industry Field." (2019) Roundtable presentation at the American Sociological Association annual meeting, August 10-13, New York, NY

**Kinney, Alexander B.,** "Which Came First, Institutions or Action? Provisional Institutions in the Transforming Cannabis Industry Field." (2019) Paper presentation at the Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction annual meeting, August 9-10, New York, NY

**Kinney, Alexander B.**, Andrew P. Davis, and Yongjun Zhang "Theming for Terror: Organizational Adornment in Terrorist Propaganda." (2018) Paper presentation at the Southern Sociological Society annual meeting, April 4-7, New Orleans, LA.

**Kinney, Alexander B.**, "The Institutional Logics of Non-Institutional Economies: Value Identities In the Bitcoin Experience." (2017) Paper presentation at the Society for Social Studies of Science (4S) annual meeting, August 30-Sept 2, Boston, MA.

**Kinney, Alexander B.**, Jeff A. Knapp, and Nicholas J. Rowland "Black Studies at Penn State: A Case Study," Presentation at the Diversity Research and Programming Colloquium, Pennsylvania State University (2013) State College, PA University Libraries Diversity Committee, University Park (PA)

Rowland, Nicholas J. and **Alexander B. Kinney** "The role of Gap-Analysis in the Software Procurement Process," (2011) Project presentation at the Society for Social Studies of Science (4S) annual meeting, November 2-5, Cleveland, OH

# HONORS AND AWARDS

Raymond Bowers Paper Award, School of Sociology, University of Arizona. (2018)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Courses Taught as Instructor of Record (Syllabi Available by Request)

## <u>In-Person</u>

SOC 394: Research Practicum (2 Semesters)

## Web-Based

SOC 101: Introduction to Sociology (6 Semesters)

SOC 343: Criminology (3 Semester)

#### **SERVICE**

Service to the University

Graduate Student Representative, Faculty Recruitment Committee, School of Sociology, University of Arizona. (2018-2019)

Co-Chair, Graduate Studies Association, School of Sociology, University of Arizona. (2016- 2017)

#### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

American Sociological Association (ASA) Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction (SSSI) Southern Sociological Society (SSS) Society for Social Studies of Science (4S)

### PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES

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## **Robin Stryker**

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