

Education

OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

August 2022– current

SOCIOLOGY MA and PhD in progress

MORGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

August 2018 – December 2021

SOCIOLOGY B.A.

Valedictorian

BALTIMORE CITY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL

August 2014 - June 2018 | Baltimore, MD 21215

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE (IB) DIPLOMA

Research Interests

Applied Sociology - Cultural Sociology - Public Policy - Race & Ethnic Relations

Research Experience

FIRST GENERATION COLLEGE STUDENTS PROJECT

Baltimore, MD

Research Assistant: Department of Sociology & Anthropology - *Dr. Angela Howell*

8/2021- current

- Conducted a literature review
- Assisted with focus group
- Completed an IRB review
- Cowriting a research paper

COVID & Education: Needs that Divide

East Lansing, MI

Research Fellow: Political Science Department- Michigan State- *Dr. Sarah Reckhow*

5/2021- 8/2021

- Participated in an 11-wk virtual program for students interested in graduate study
- Developed skills in the utilization of IBM-SPSS
- Participated in a 1-wk Public Policy Course
- Collected demographic data on 88 of 100 mayors of the largest U.S. cities
- Coded tweets from 88 of 100 mayors of the largest U.S. cities
- Evaluated presentation
- Presented at a research symposium

BLACK WOMEN'S CONCEPTUALIZATIONS & UNDERSTANDING OF SOCIETAL PERCEPTIONS OF BLACK HAIR

Baltimore, MD

Principal Investigator: Department of Sociology & Anthropology

10/2020- 4/2021

- Created a research proposal
- Completed CITI certification Human Subject Research
- Created a 50-question survey
- Requested and received IRB approval from Morgan State University
- Collected 100 survey responses
- Conducted a focus group
- Created an original data set using Excel and IBM-SPSS
- Analyzed survey data through IBM-SPSS

ACADEMY FOR COLLEGE & CAREER EXPLORATION (ACCE) HIGH SCHOOL

Baltimore, MD

Research Volunteer

10/2019- 11/2019

- Assisted in protocol initiations for the completion of the Due Diligence Act
- Made phone calls to parents
- Initiated at-home contact with parents and students
- Collected demographic research on the zip codes of students' residence

TEACHING ASSISTANT (SOC 499)

Baltimore, MD

Social Statistics TA

1/2021- 5/2021

- Led class labs
- Graded assignments
- Assisted with lesson planning
- Recorded attendance
- Provided assistance to students outside of class hours

Work Experience

MARYLAND STATE HOUSE

Annapolis, MD

Committee Analyst

January, 2022- April, 2022

- Created daily memorandums
- Attended bill hearings, voting sessions, and public workgroups
- Recorded senator attendance, voting results, and senator/witness statements, testimonies, and reactions

MORGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

Baltimore, MD

Student Worker

October, 2021- December, 2021

- Administrative duties
- Organized bookshelves
- Coordinated event reservations and maintained rooms
- Managed social media account

Awards & Honors

- Morgan State University's Fall 2021 Valedictorian, Summa Cum Laude Honors (Fall 2021)
- SROP MVP & SROP Hardest Worker (Summer 2021)
- Summer Research Opportunity Program Fellow, Michigan State University (Summer 2021)
- James H. Gilliam, Jr. College of Liberal Arts Advancing Community Award Recipient (May 2021)
- National Society of Collegiate Scholars New Member Scholarship Awardee (2020)
- National Society of Collegiate Scholars Member (2019- *CURRENT*)
- Clara I. Adams Honors College Student (2018- *CURRENT*)
- John A. Morris Scholarship Recipient (2018)
- Veterans of Foreign Wars Voice of Democracy Scholarship Recipient (2018)

Extracurricular Activities & Community Service

- Participant in CRU Ohio State (Fall 2022- current)
- Participant in Young Life MSU (FALL 2020- *SPRING 2022*)
- Events Coordinator for the Du Bois-Diggs Sociological Society (FALL 2019- *SPRING 2020*)
- Packed food for the Fruit First Farm (FALL 2020)
- Participant in the Du Bois-Diggs Sociological Society Food Drive (*SPRING 2020*)
- Assistant Badminton Coach at (ACCE) High School (*SPRINGS 2019, 2020*)
- Assisted with frog dissections at (ACCE) High School (FALL 2018, 2019)

- Soprano singer for the Set the Captives Free Outreach Center Choir (2019- 2022) and greeter (2015- 2022)

Skills

- CITI CERTIFIED to conduct human subject research
- IRB form completion
- Literature review
- Focus group facilitation
- Qualitative coding
- Application of IBM-SPSS
- Regression analysis
- Cross tabulations
- Grant writing