

JORDAN PACKER

SUMMARY

A well-organized, self-directed, and creative social science researcher, seeking to change the way people think

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Urban sociology, social stratification, sociology of education, ethnography, mixed methods

EDUCATION

University of California, San Diego

B.A. in Sociology – Social Inequality and Urban Studies and Planning

June 2018

- Graduated with highest honors
- Outstanding Academic Paper Award for senior thesis by the Dept. of Sociology, UCSD
- Relevant graduate coursework: SOCG 209: Social Networks, SOCG 205: Quantitative Methods I

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Center for Research on Gender in STEM

La Jolla, CA

Staff Research Associate for Professor Mary Blair-Loy

July 2018 – present

- Manage and code 275 engineering job talk video-recordings using ELAN linguistic software
- Administer interviews with early career scholars on their experience in academic interviews
- Conduct statistical analyses on job talk data using Google sheets, SPSS, Stata, and Python
- Write and manage internal and external grants (UCSD, NSF)
- Manage, train, and advise five undergraduate research assistants 20 hr/week for 10 weeks as part of a research internship for class credit
- Produce scholarly texts for publication

Research Assistant for Professor Mary Blair-Loy

Mar. 2017 – June 2018

- Coded job talk video-recordings using ELAN software
- Analyzed CVs of applicants to pair with video recording data

Professor Kevin Lewis

La Jolla, CA

Research Collaborator

Sept. 2017 – present

- Create and clean a 50,000 line dataset of dissertation committees
- Using Python and SPSS, investigate preliminary patterns of gender, time to degree, and member type
- Produce scholarly texts for publication

The Honors Distinction

La Jolla, CA

Undergraduate Honors Thesis

Sept. 2017 – present

- Conduct qualitative sociological research on three undergraduate honors programs
 - 40 hours of observation and 15 interviews
- *Fall 2019*: planned submission to *Sociology of Education*

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

The UCSD Guardian

Training and Development Manager

La Jolla, CA
Sept. 2017 – June 2018

- Organized and managed all recruitment efforts
- Developed and led writing workshops for newspaper sections
- Served as a writing development resource for all writers and editors

The General Store Co-op

Co-owner

La Jolla, CA
Apr. 2015 – Nov. 2017

- Co-owner of The General Store Co-op: a non-hierarchical, non-profit store
- Purchased, maintained, and inventoried all school supply products
- Facilitated weekly meetings, hiring of new workers, and other store-wide events

Summer Enrichment Program at the University of Oregon

Junior Counselor Supervisor

Eugene, OR
Apr. 2016 – Aug. 2017

- Created an original 30 hr. leadership and college preparatory course for junior counselors
- Interviewed, hired, and managed all junior counselors for summer duration
- Conducted daily staff meetings to ensure a safe, inclusive environment for program attendees

SKILLS

- Strong writing, editing, and public speaking abilities
- Advanced experience using ELAN software
- Intermediate experience using Google Sheets/Excel, SPSS, Stata, Adobe Photoshop, HTML, CSS
- Entry level experience with Python, R

HOBBIES

- Hand-building and throwing ceramics
- Writing for local newspapers
- Reading philosophy

REFERENCES

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