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EDUCATION

- 2022–Present** University of California, Berkeley
PhD, Sociology
MA, Sociology (2025)
- 2019** Columbia University – Columbia College
BA, Sociology, Special Concentration in Business Management

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Higher education, organizations, socioeconomic inequality and mobility, stratification, culture, mixed-methods research, quantitative methods, computational social science, research methods

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2025–Present** Graduate Student Researcher
Prof. Heather Haveman
University of California, Berkeley
- 2023–2024** Graduate Student Researcher (PI: Prof. David Harding)
National Science Foundation Research Grant, Data Science at Scale
University of California, Berkeley
- 2021** Research Assistant (Katharine Khanna)
Columbia University
- 2019** Independent Study Research (Advisor: Prof. Thomas A. DiPrete)
Columbia University

PUBLICATIONS

- 2025** Ixchel Bosworth*, **Jacqueline R.W. Brown***, Brittany N. Fox-Williams*, and August G. Smith*. “Blurred Boundaries: Reconstructing Teacher Authority in the Age of Social and Emotional Learning.” *Under Review*.
- 2025** **Jacqueline R.W. Brown**. “Who Gets a Seat? Institutional Trends in Legacy and First-Generation Consideration in College Admissions.” *In progress*.

* Denotes equal authorship

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of California, Berkeley

- Fall 2025** Instructor, Reading & Composition (R1B): The Purpose and Promise of Higher Education
Spring 2026 (Undergraduate Writing-based Course), Department of Sociology
- Fall 2024** Graduate Student Instructor / Teaching Assistant (Fall 2024), Evaluation of Evidence (Undergraduate Research Methods), Department of Sociology

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, AND AWARDS

2025	Designing a Writing-Based Course Grant (\$1,000), Townsend Center for the Humanities, University of California, Berkeley
2024	Summer Research Grant (\$1,500), Department of Sociology, University of California, Berkeley
2023	Workshop on Comparative Educational Sociology Grant, Department of Sociology, University of California, Berkeley American Sociological Association Student Travel Grant
2022–2024	Berkeley Fellowship, University of California, Berkeley
2015–2019	Dean’s List, Columbia College, Columbia University

PRESENTATIONS

2023	Workshop on Comparative Educational Sociology, University of California, Berkeley, Dec. Panel Session on Schooling, Relationships, Authority, and Status (Sociology of Education), ASA Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Aug.
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ACADEMIC SERVICE

University of California, Berkeley

2025–Present	Program Review Committee Member, Department of Sociology
2024–2025	Graduate Student Peer Mentor, Department of Sociology
2023–2024	Social Science Research Pathways Mentor, Institute for Research on Labor and Employment Senior Honors Thesis Mentor, Department of Sociology Mentees: Marion Noble (2023), Sonya Cedillo (2024)
2023	Graduate Student Lounge Redesign Committee Member, Department of Sociology

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Sociological Association, Institute for the Study of Societal Issues (University of California, Berkeley)

SKILLS

Research Software

R, STATA, Python, Atlas.ti, MaxQDA, Zotero, Microsoft Suite, Google Drive Suite

Language

French (conversational)