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EMPLOYMENT

2012 **University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee**
Assistant Professor of Sociology and Global Studies

EDUCATION

2012 **University of Wisconsin-Madison**
PhD in Sociology

2003 **Institute of Development Studies, University of Sussex**
MPhil in Development Studies

1998 ***Escuela Superior de Administración y Dirección de Empresas (ESADE), Spain***
BA & MBA Business Administration

Areas of scholarly interest: Globalization; Environmental Sociology; Sociology of Development; Social Movements; Political Sociology; Latin America; Africa

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

2015 Oriol Mirosa. “Water Affordability in the United States: An Initial Exploration and an Agenda for Research.” *Sociological Imagination* 51(2):35–67.

2012 Oriol Mirosa and Leila M. Harris. “Human Right to Water: Contemporary Challenges and Contours of a Global Debate” *Antipode* 44(3):932–949.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

2016 Oriol Mirosa. “City Life, Water Values: City Dwellers in the Global North and Their Relationship to Water.” *Intersections* 4(1):16–21.

- 2013 Oriol Mirosa. “The Global Governance of Water in the 21st Century.” *Intersections* 1(1):17–21.
- 2004 Lyla Mehta with Oriol Mirosa. *Financing Water For All: Behind the Border Policy Convergence in Water Management*. IDS Working Paper 233, Brighton: IDS. <http://www.ntd.co.uk/idsbookshop/details.asp?id=837>
- 2003 Angel Castineira, Pau Vidal, Maria Iglesias, Oriol Mirosa and Ana Villa. *Llibre blanc del tercer sector cívico-social*. Barcelona: Generalitat de Catalunya. http://www.tercersector.cat/admin/repositori/File/llibre_blan.pdf

UNDER REVIEW

Gordon Gauchat, Timothy L. O’Brien and Oriol Mirosa. “The Political Legitimacy of Climate Scientists: Testing the Instrumental and Cultural Authority Models.”

BOOK REVIEWS

- 2014 Review of Bryan J. Gareau’s *From Precaution to Profit: Contemporary Challenges to Environmental Protection in the Montreal Protocol*. *American Journal of Sociology* (forthcoming)

MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

Fluid Governance: The Global Commodification of Water and Its Effects on Water Access for Poor People. Book manuscript

“The Mediation of Diffusion: Diffusion and the Global Governance of Water Policy.” Journal article

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2015 **Global Studies Fellowship**, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
- 2014 **Faculty Research and Creative Activities Support (FRACAS) Award**, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. In support of a project on “Water Poverty in the United States”
- 2013 **Wisconsin Libraries Research Fellowship**, University of Wisconsin System
- 2012 **Global Studies Fellowship**, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

- 2011 **Excellence in Teaching Award for a Lecturer**, Sociology Department, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- 2009 **Marie Christine Kohler Fellowship** for dissertators, University of Wisconsin Madison (awarded to 4 students each year on average university-wide)
- 2007 **International Dissertation Research Fellowship (IDRF)**, Social Science Research Council. In support of one year of field research in Bolivia and South Africa
- 2005 **Tinker-Nave Scholarship**, Latin American, Caribbean and Iberian Studies Center, University of Wisconsin-Madison. In support of six weeks of preliminary dissertation fieldwork in Bolivia
- 2001 **'La Caixa' / British Council Fellowship**. In support of doing a MPhil in Development Studies at the Institute of Development Studies, University of Sussex

PRESENTATIONS

- 2015 “Public vs Private Water Provision: A Tale of Two Debates 100 Years Apart,” Social Science History Association, Baltimore, MD
- 2015 “Water Affordability in the United States: An Initial Exploration and an Agenda for Research.” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL
- 2014 “Fluid Governance: Reconceptualizing the Global Governance of Water.” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA
- 2013 “The Global Regime and the Commodification of Water: Lessons from Bolivia and South Africa for the Future of the Water Sector.” Sociology of Development Conference, Salt Lake City, UT
- 2013 “The Global Water Regime: Global Governance Without Formal Regimes.” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, New York, NY
- 2013 “Commodification and Violence: Conflicts over Water Access in Bolivia and South Africa.” Conference on Peace, Center for International Education, Milwaukee
- 2011 “Water Regimes: The International Dimension of Water and Its Role in the Global Economy.” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV
- 2009 “The Global Water Regime, National Water Policy, and Social Movements in Bolivia and South Africa.” Social Science Research Council’s IDRF Workshop, Memphis, TN

2004 “Accountability and Capacity in Developing Country Federalism: Empowered States, Competitive Federalism.” Political Studies Association Annual Meeting, Lincoln, United Kingdom (with Aaron Schneider and Renwick Irvine)

COURSES TAUGHT

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| 2013 – 2016 | Global Studies 101: People/Politics, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee |
| 2013 – 2016 | Sociology 375: History of Sociological Theory, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee |
| 2012 – 2015 | Sociology 450: Environmental Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee |
| 2013 – 2014 | Global Studies 471: Strategies for Realizing Security in Global Contexts, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee |
| 2014 | Global Studies 361: Environment and Sustainability, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee |
| 2010 – 2012 | Classical Sociological Theory, University of Wisconsin-Madison Class taught eight times (including summer sessions) between Spring 2010 and Summer 2012 |
| 2009 | The Sociological Enterprise, University of Wisconsin-Madison |
| 2007 | Sociological Research Methods, University of Wisconsin-Madison |

PROFESSIONAL AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE

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| 2014 – 2015 | Roundtable Session organizer for the Annual Meeting, Section on the Political Economy of the World System, American Sociological Association |
| 2012 – 2015 | Graduate Program Committee, Member, Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee |
| 2012 – 2015 | Global Studies Advisory Committee, Member, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee |
| 2012 – 2015 | Latin American Studies Advisory Committee, Member University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee |