



Past Teaching Positions

Visiting Scholar, Sociology, Loyola Marymount University, Fall 2001-2003

- Taught two sections of Introduction to Sociology during the fall semesters (~25-30 students each class)
 - Beyond the expected readings from the required texts, students choose to read an original work by a contemporary sociologist and met bi-weekly in small groups to discuss and debate the reading material
- Taught Advanced Methodology course during the spring semesters (~ 15 students)
 - Students were schooled in designing original and unique research projects. They were mentored on various methodologies used for their independent research projects that were carried out in the local community during the semester
- Taught Contemporary Theory during the fall semesters (~17 students)
 - Students were expected to apply the theories covered to either real life sociological issues or through film analysis

Instructor, Sociology, University of New Mexico, Fall 2000- Spring 2001

- Taught Introduction to Sociological Methodology
 - Students were expected to apply the knowledge gained during class to field exercises
- Taught Introduction to Global Social Problems
 - Students were required to choose a topic from the issues discussed in class and present an in-depth overview and analysis in the form of an oral presentation at the end of the semester

Research Interests

- Reproductive Justice Gender, Race,

- and Ethnic Relations Gender,
- Culture and Foodways Women and Economic Development
- Youth Organizing/Activism
- Global Social Problems
- Cultural and Media Studies

Research Positions Held

Las Vegas Juvenile Justice Continuum Board Evaluator, 2008 to 2011

- Grant Writer
- Data Collection/analysis
- Program Evaluation
- Statistical Analysis
- Report Author
- Meeting Facilitation
- Budget Administration

Research Associate. Institute for Social Research, University of New Mexico. 1995-2001.

- Responsible for collaborating on grant proposal writing
- Statistical Analysis
- Project Data Collection Specialist
- Interviewer
- Data Entry
- Report Author
- Project Manager

Research Assistant, University of New Mexico, under Dr. Susan Tiano 2001

- Interviewer
- Data Management
- Report Writing

Graduate Assistant. University of New Mexico, Department of Sociology. 1996-2001.

- Course management
- Grading student assignments

- Tutor and study session facilitator

Research Assistant. University of New Mexico, Southwest Hispanic Research Institute, under Dr. Philip B. Gonzales, 1995-1998.

- Archival Research Specialist
- Literature Review Collaborator