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PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

- 2010- Acting Department Head, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and
 Geography, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga.
- 2008- Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and
 Geography, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga.
- 2002-2008 Assistant Professor, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga.
- 2000-2002 Project Manager, Kunz Center for the Study of Work & Family,
 University of Cincinnati.
- 1998-2000 Research Assistant, Department of Family Medicine,
 University of Cincinnati Medical Center.
- 1998-2000 Adjunct Instructor, University of Cincinnati

EDUCATION

- 2002 Ph. D., Sociology, University of Cincinnati.
 Dissertation: *The Paradox of the Contented Female Worker in a
 Human Services Organization*. Chair: David J. Maume, Jr.
- 1996 M.A., Sociology, University of Mississippi.
- 1990 B.A., Anthropology, Indiana University, Bloomington.

JOURNAL ARTICLES

- Buchanan, Tom. 2011. "Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder and Well-being: Is Social Impairment an Issue for College Students with ADHD?" *Journal of Post-Secondary Education and Disability* 24:193-210.
- Lemoyne, Terri, and Tom Buchanan. 2011. "Does hovering matter: The impact of helicopter parenting on college students' well-being." *Sociological Spectrum* 31: 399-418.
- Buchanan, Tom, Matt St. Charles, Michelle Rigler, and Charles Hart. 2010. "Why are Older Faculty Members More Accepting of Students with Attention-deficit Hyperactivity Disorder ? A Life-course Interpretation." *The International Journal of Disability Development and Education* 57:351-369.
- Cubbins, Lisa, and Tom Buchanan. 2009. "Racial Disparities in Health: The Role of Lifestyle, Education, Income, and Wealth." *Sociological Focus* 42:172-191.
- Buchanan, Tom, and Nikesha Selmon. 2008. "Race and Gender Differences in Self-efficacy: Assessing the Role of Gender Role Attitudes and Family Background?" *Sex Roles* 58:822-836.
- Buchanan, Tom. 2008. "The Same Sex Referent- Work Satisfaction Relationship: Assessing the Mediating Role of Distributive Justice Perceptions." *Sociological Focus* 41:177-196.
- Buchanan, Tom. 2005. "The Paradox of the Contented Female Worker in a Traditionally Female Industry." *Sociological Spectrum* 25:677-213.
- Buchanan, Tom, and Gossett, Jennifer. 2003. "The Healthy Homeless Minority." *Journal of Social Distress and the Homeless* 12: 173-204.
- Zink, Therese, Teresa Shireman, Mona Ho, and Tom Buchanan. 2002. "Teen Compliance with Contraception: Analysis of the Ohio Medicaid Drug Utilization Review Data Base." *Journal of Pediatric and Adolescent Gynecology* 15:15-21.

RESEARCH UNDER REVIEW OR IN PROGRESS

- "Race Differences in Acceptance of Cremation: Religion, Durkheim, and Death in the African American Community" (with Paige Gabriel).
- "The Influence of Preexisting Gender Role Attitudes on Evaluations of Women's Work and the Importance of Fair Pay." Invited to Revise and Resubmit at *Sex Roles: A Journal of Research*.

“Race and Gender Differences in Environmental Consciousness: Assessing the Mediating Role of Gender Role Attitudes” (with Diana Andrew). Submitted for presentation consideration for 2012 *Southern Sociology Society* Meetings in New Orleans.

“Gendered Interactions within and between STEM majors” (with Cecelia Wigal and Sandy Watson). Preparing proposal for UTC research funding competition.

REVIEWS

2004 Bruce Carter. “Racketeering in Medicine: The Suppression of Alternatives.” Hampton Roads Publishing Company, Inc. 1993. *Complementary Health Practice Review* 9: 138-9

HONORS, FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS

University of Tennessee at Chattanooga *Faculty Development Grant*. Fall 2010. “*Using Stata Effectively*.” Attended workshop at MicroTek in New York City. \$1500.00.

2010 *World of Difference Award Winner*. Award given to one UTC faculty each year by the Office of Students with Disabilities as a result of student nominations for advocacy for students with disabilities

2008 *Sex Roles* article one of top 50 most requested articles from the journal's website from June 1, 2008, to December 31, 2008.

Exceptional Merit performance Dean’s rating, 2005-6, 2008-9

Outstanding Advising Award for the College of Arts and Sciences, 2007

University of Tennessee at Chattanooga Faculty Research Grant. Spring 2005. “The Persistence of a Planter Elite in the Mississippi Delta Catfish Industry.” \$1,188.10.

University of Tennessee at Chattanooga *Summer Research Fellowship*. 2004. “The Persistence of a Planter Elite in the Mississippi Delta Catfish Industry.” \$5,000.

University of Tennessee at Chattanooga *Faculty Research Grant*. Spring 2004. “The Persistence of a Planter Elite in the Mississippi Delta Catfish Industry.” \$3,000 *approved for funding - did not accept*.

Taft Memorial Fellowship. University of Cincinnati. 2001. Designated recipient of competitive fellowship granted to aid in completion of the dissertation and development of career. \$15,000.

University Research Council, Student Summer Research Grant. University of Cincinnati. 2001. \$1,700.

Kunz Center for the Study of Work & Family. Research Support Grant. University of Cincinnati. 2001. \$200.00.

Taft Memorial Fund Travel Grant. University of Cincinnati. 2001. \$500.00.

Major Comprehensive Exam. *Social Organization*. 11/2000. *High Pass*.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Ad hoc reviewer for *American Sociological Review* (Fall 2011)

Ad hoc reviewer for *Sex Roles*

(Summer 2007, Winter 2007, Spring 2009, Fall 2009, Spring 2010)

Ad hoc reviewer for *Work and Occupations* (Summer 2010)

Ad hoc reviewer for *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* (Spring 2011)

Ad hoc reviewer for *Sociological Spectrum*, (Spring 2007, Fall 2008, Fall 2009)

Ad hoc reviewer for *Research in the Sociology of Work* series (Spring 2010)

Ad hoc reviewer for *Sociological Focus* (Fall 2011)

Attention Deficit Disorder Association, College Committee (Fall 2011-present)

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

Rank, Tenure, and Reappointment Committee, Chair (2008-2010)

Acting Department Head, (August 1-10, 2006; May 15- June 21, 2007)

Search Committee (Administrative Assistant; 2007-8)

Search Committee (Assistant Professor; 2006-7, 2007-8)

Library Committee (2003-2004)

Curriculum Committee (2002-2003; Chair, 2005-2006; 2007-2008, 2009-2010)

UTC Fall Visit Day Departmental Fair, November 5, 2005.

Designated Advisor, Transfer Day, August 7, 2006

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

FYRE (First Year Reading Experience) Committee (2011-2013)

Management Training Task Force (2011-2012)

Budget & Economic Status Committee (2011-2012)

Secretary, Council of Academic Department Heads (2011-2012)

University Council (Spring 2011)

Speakers and Special Events Committee (2009-2011)

American Disability Act (ADA) Disability Committee (2008- present)

Faculty Senate, (2007- 2009)
General Education Statistics Committee (2005-2006)
Faculty Research Committee (2003-2007)
Africana Studies Minor Committee (2004-2008)
Center for Applied Social Research, Advisory Committee (2003-2006)

Graduation Ceremony Marshall (8/2011, 12/2011)

Sociology Representative for UTC- Articulation meeting at the TBR building in Nashville, TN, June, 2010.

6th Annual Graduate Research Day. 4/2006. The Graduate School, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga. Evaluator of Social Science Graduate Research Paper Presentations.

“Interracial Dating: Past, Present, and Future.”
Panel Moderator for Black History Month, UTC, Spring 2006

“Race and Education at the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga.”
Panel Moderator for Black History Month, UTC, Spring 2005

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Channel 12 News: Interviewed by Joe Legge, 10/2011. Helicopter parenting study interview for Morning show.

Channel 9 News: Interviewed by John Pless, 8/2011. Story investigated the Same-sex Households in Red Bank, TN.

Community Research Council. Summer 2007. Invited to and attended Faculty Breakfast to discuss building bridges between the Community Research Council and UTC faculty.

Chattanooga School for the Arts and Sciences. March 2005-2006, 2009-present. Worked as an Area Expert for the evaluation of Senior Research Projects.

Channel 9 News: Interviewed by John Pless, 11/2002. Story investigated the impact of the Abercrombie and Fitch advertising campaign.

Consulted for and/or quoted in the following articles:

Harman, Danna. 2003. “The New Plantation: In Mississippi’s catfish plants, critics charge that blacks do the work, while whites enjoy the profits.” *The Christian Science Monitor*.

Gilbert, Kathy. "Hanging out without hooking up." January 31, 2011.
Chatter Magazine.

Chattanooga Times Free Press:

"Same sex couples on the rise in Chattanooga area." August 28, 2011 by
Andy Johns, staff writer.

"Marriage falling among households." May 16, 2011 by Andy Johns, staff
writer.

"Helping children in summer: working parents squeezed by time,
inflation." July 20, 2007 by Emily Bregel, staff writer.

"Boomers: A Diverse Group." March 22, 2007 by Dick Cook, staff writer.

"Waiting longer to wed: education, careers prompting many young adults
to delay marriage." June 7, 2006 by Beverly Carroll, staff writer.

"The dating game: dating lower on the to-do list of college students."
February 22, 2004 by Alison Miller, staff writer.

"County fairs target youth: new attractions emphasize more than
agricultural themes." August 31, 2003, by Kimberly Starks, staff
writer.

PRESENTATIONS

"Gender Role Attitudes and the Impact on Perceptions of Gendered Performance in the
Workplace: Examining the Role of Race and Gender." 2010 *Society for the Study
of Social Problems* meetings in Atlanta, GA. 2011 Faculty research day, UTC.

"Does hovering matter: The impact of helicopter parenting on college students' well-
being" (with Terri Lemoyne). 2010 *American Sociological Society* meetings in
Atlanta, GA.

"Race Differences in Cremation Acceptance: Religious Communities versus Religious
Beliefs" 2009 *Southern Sociological Society* meetings in New Orleans (with
Paige Gabriel).

"Faculty attitudes toward students with disabilities: Does the visibility of disability
matter?" 2008 *Southern Sociological Society* meetings in Richmond (with Matt
St. Charles, Michelle Rigler, and Charles Hart).

- “Do Traditional Gender Attitudes and Family Arrangements Impair Self Efficacy? Race and Gender Differences among College Students.” (with Nikesha Selmon) 2007 *Southern Sociological Society* meetings in Atlanta, Regular Session: Gender, Family, and Household Division of Labor.
- “The Same Sex Referent - Work Satisfaction Relationship: Assessing the Role of Perceived Fairness.” Relationship? 2006 *Southern Sociological Society* meetings in New Orleans, Regular Session: Inequality at Work.
- “Race and the Paradox of the Contented Female Worker.” (with John Wilson) *Southern Sociological Society* 2004 Atlanta, GA, Regular Session: Gender and Work.
- “The Paradox of the Contented Female Worker in a Human Services Organization.” *American Sociological Association* 2003 Atlanta, GA. Regular Session: Gender and Organizational Dynamics.
- “The Paradox of the Contented Female Worker in a Human Services Organization.” Presentation of Research at Departmental Colloquium Series. Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Geography, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga, November, 2002.
- "The Healthy Homeless Minority." (With Jennifer Gossett) *American Sociological Association* 2002 Chicago, Illinois. Regular Session: Homelessness
- "Race Disparities in Health: The Role of Lifestyle and Socioeconomic Status." *American Sociological Association* 2001 Anaheim, California. Regular Session: Medical Sociology: Race/Ethnicity and Health. (with Lisa A. Cubbins and Jon Hill).
- “Same Sex Referent and the Paradox of the Contented Female Worker.” Poster Forum Sponsored by Research and Advanced Studies, 2002 University of Cincinnati.
- “The Paradox of the Contented Female Worker in a Human Services Organization.” Departmental Colloquium Series. Department of Sociology, 2001 University of Cincinnati.
- "The Paradox of the Contented Female Worker: An Assessment of Existing Literature" *American Sociological Association* 2001 Anaheim, California. Organizations, Occupations, and Work Roundtables: Gender in the Workplace.
- “The Effect of Client-Worker Contact Type on the Significance of Race in Evaluating Level of Risk in Child Abuse Investigation Scenarios.” Presented at the *Society for the Study of Social Problems* 2001 Anaheim, California. Session: Poverty, Inequality, and Social Welfare (with P. Neal Ritchey).

"Differences in Self-Reported Health Status Between Homeless, Mobile Health Van Patients and Low-Income Patients at an Urban Health Clinic." *North Central Sociological Association* 2000 Pittsburgh, PA. (with Don Rudawsky and Therese Zink).

"Family Friendly Benefits as a Determinant of Organizational Commitment". *North Central Sociological Association*, 1999 Troy, MI.

"Teen Compliance with Contraception: Analysis of the Ohio Medicaid Drug Utilization Review Data Base." Presented at *North American Primary Care Research Group* 27th 1999 San Diego CA. (with Therese Zink, Teresa Shireman and Mona Ho)

"Persistence of a Planter Elite in the Mississippi Delta Catfish Industry". Departmental Colloquium Series, 1997 University of Cincinnati.

APPLIED/COMMUNITY RESEARCH REPORTS

- 2007 Hammond, Vanessa, Tom Buchanan, Barbara Medley, and Lauren Moore. "*Attitudes and Projections for an Historic Downtown Neighborhood: An Assessment of New Property Owners in the Martin Luther King Neighborhood of Chattanooga, Tennessee.*"
- 2007 Buchanan, Tom, Vanessa Hammond, and Barbara Medley. "*The Homeless Population in the Martin Luther King Neighborhood of Chattanooga.*"
- 2002 Maume, David J., and Tom Buchanan, Kunz Center for the Study of Work and Family, University of Cincinnati. "*Barriers to Self-Sufficiency Among Former Welfare Clients of the Butler County Department of Job and Family Services.*"
- 2001 Buchanan, Tom, "*Hamilton County Department of Job and Family Services: Employee Satisfaction Report*".
- 1998 Department of Family Medicine, University of Cincinnati "*Health Status Survey: Elm Street Clinic and Mobile Health Van.*"

COURSES TAUGHT

Introduction to Sociology
Social Statistics
Research Methods I, II
Social Inequality

Work and Society
Marriage and Family
Demography
Social Problems

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Sociological Association Sections: Disability and Society	1999- present
Society for the Study of Social Problems Sections: Disabilities	2001-2008, 2010-present
Southern Sociological Society	2003-present
Society for the Scientific Study of Religion	2009-2010

STUDENT RELATED ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Department of Honor's Project Committee Member:

Alex Craw, 2010-11
Emily Collins, 2011-12
Tanya Dickinson, 2011-12
Andra Blanariu, 2011-12
Hannah Lazar, 2012-13

Posters at the Capitol. Nashville, TN, 2011. Student research presentations:

“The Impact of Gender Role Attitudes on the Environmental Consciousness of Young Adults.” (Diana Andrew).

“The Human Role in the Environment: Environmental Attitudes and Religiosity.” (Maggie White).

“Gender Differences in Entitlement: Wage Expectations Among College Students.” 2005. Collin Johnson, Joseph Jancewicz, Preston Logan. *The Fourteenth Annual Tennessee Undergraduate Social Science Symposium*, Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, TN.

“Gender Differences in Road Rage.” 2003 (Raquel Hidalgo). Student Sponsored Presentation for *Student Sociology Symposium*, Emory University, Atlanta, GA.

University of Tennessee at Chattanooga Honor's Student Assistant Program.

2006. Martin Luther King neighborhood research project (Vanessa Hammond).

2005. Martin Luther King neighborhood research project (Lauren Moore)

2003. Mississippi Delta research (Lisa Vu).

REFERENCES

- David J. Maume, Jr. 2009 Vice President, Southern Sociological Society
Director, Kunz Center for Research on Work, Family, and Gender
1997-2009
Professor, Department of Sociology
1007 Crosley Tower
University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH 45221-0378
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- Francis T. Cullen Past President, American Society of Criminology & Academy of
Criminal Justice Sciences.
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- Verbie Lovorn Prevost
Connor Professor of American Literature
Former Department Head of English
Department of English, 2703
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- R. Gregory Dunaway Professor of Sociology and
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COMPLEMENTARY WORK EXPERIENCE

Child Abuse/Neglect Investigator. Hamilton County Department of Human Services, Cincinnati, OH. Received, assessed, and investigated reports alleging abuse and neglect of children in Hamilton County. Worked with police departments, court system, in facilitating placements of children with relatives and foster care. (1997-2000, weekends and part-time)

Children's Services On-Going Caseworker. Hamilton County Department of Human Services, Cincinnati, OH. Worked with 25-30 families in which children were at-risk for abuse, neglect, and dependency. Assessed risk, utilized community services in devising and implementing a case plan uniquely individualized for the family's needs. (1993-1994)

Psychiatric Assistant. Alliant Health Systems, Louisville, KY. Worked in children's psychiatric unit of Kosair Children's Hospital. (1992-1993)

Youth Worker. YMCA Center for Youth Alternatives, Louisville, KY. Supervised juveniles in a runaway shelter house teaching literature and social skills to residents who were either at-risk or involved in the legal system. (1992-1993)

Special Education Teaching Assistant. Greater Clark County Schools, Charlestown, IN. Worked with seriously emotionally challenged children in an elementary school setting. (1991-1992)