

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education

North Carolina State University; Raleigh, NC

Ph.D. Student, Sociology—*In Progress*

Completed Preliminary Examination (2020): Food and Environment

Advisor: Sarah Bowen, Ph.D.

Colorado State University; Fort Collins, CO

M.A. Sociology—2016

Thesis: *The Male Dominated Field: A Study on the Gendered Experiences of Female Farmers in Northern Colorado.*

Advisor and Committee Chair: Joshua Sbicca, Ph.D. (Sociology)

Committee: Tara Opsal, Ph.D. (Sociology), Dawn Thilmany, Ph.D. (Agricultural and Resource Economics)

Baldwin Wallace University; Berea, OH

B.A. Double Major: Sociology and English Literature—2014

Magna Cum Laude

Research Interests

Critical Food Studies, Inequality, Carework, Qualitative Methods

Refereed Publications

Shisler, Rebecca C., and Joshua Sbicca. 2019. "Agriculture as Carework: The Contradictions of Performing Femininity in a Male-Dominated Occupation." *Society & Natural Resources* 32(8):875–892. DOI: 10.1080/08941920.2019.1597234

Manuscripts Under Review

Bloom, Dara, **Rebecca Shisler**, Kathryn Boys, Rebecca Dunning, David Yates, Caroline Stover. "Exploring models of local food procurement in farm to early care and education programs" Under Review. *Journal of Human Sciences & Extension*

Shisler, Rebecca, Emilia Cordero Ocegueda, Annie Hardison-Moody, Sarah Bowen*. "Addressing and Preventing Food and Housing Insecurity among College Student: An Asset-Based Approach." Under Review. *Journal of Student Affairs Research & Practice* (*The four authors share equal authorship on this manuscript)

Honors, Fellowships, and Grants

Provost's Fellowship	\$20,000	North Carolina State University	2018-19
Hertzler Sociology Research Award	\$333	Baldwin Wallace University	2014
Ovation Presentation Award	\$100	Baldwin Wallace University	2014
Undergraduate Research Grant	\$80	Baldwin Wallace University	2014
Undergraduate Research Grant	\$500	Baldwin Wallace University	2013
Summer Scholars Research Fellowship	\$3,500	Baldwin Wallace University	2012

Research Experience

- Research Assistant. *Department of Sociology & National Science Foundation*, NC State University. 2020-Present
Project: "Effects of Responses to COVID-19 and Social Context on Food Insecurity."
Responsibilities: Conducting interviews and collecting photovoice data, data analysis.
Supervisors: Sarah Bowen, Ph.D. and Annie Hardison-Moody, Ph.D.
- Research Assistant and Facilitator. *Pack Essentials Steering Committee*, NC State University. 2019-2020
Project: "Plan for Comprehensive, Integrated Plan to Prevent Student Food Insecurity and Homelessness."
Responsibilities: Organizing and facilitating CBPR workshops with multiple stakeholders, qualitative data analysis, report writing, dissemination of findings.
Supervisors: Sarah Bowen, Ph.D. and Annie Hardison-Moody, Ph.D.
- Research Assistant. *Center for Environmental Farming Systems*, NC State University. 2018-2019
Project: "Social and Environmental Aspects of Farmers' Decision-Making"
Responsibilities: Qualitative data analysis, report writing.
Supervisors: J. Dara Bloom, Ph.D. and Sarah Bowen, Ph.D.
- Project:* "Farm to Early Care and Education"
Responsibilities: Qualitative data analysis, report writing.
Supervisors: J. Dara Bloom, Ph.D. and Caroline Stover
- Research Consultant, *Center for Fair and Alternative Trade*. Colorado State University. 2017-2018
Project: "Food Justice: From Production to Consumption,"
Responsibilities: Case study research on cooperative grocery stores and domestic fair-trade certification, synthetic description write-up.
Supervisors: Joshua Sbicca, Ph.D. and Laura Reynolds, Ph.D.
- Research Consultant, *National Earthquake Technical Working Group*. Applied Technology Council and FEMA 2017
Project: FEMA P-1000: "Safer, Stronger, Smarter: A Guide to Improving School Natural Hazard Safety."
Responsibilities: Preparation of webinar materials.
Supervisor: Lori Peek, Ph.D.
- Research Assistant, Department of Sociology, Colorado State University. 2015-2016
Project: "Land and Labor in Denver Urban Food System and Food Movements,"
Responsibilities: Conducted and transcribed over two dozen semi-structured interviews mentored incoming students in second year of project.
Supervisor: Joshua Sbicca, Ph.D.
- Project:* "Prisoner Reentry and Restorative Food Justice,"
Responsibilities: Transcription of semi-structured phone interviews.
Supervisor: Joshua Sbicca, Ph.D.
- Research Intern, Greater Cleveland Food Bank 2013
Project: Feeding America, "Hunger in America Study"
Responsibilities: Led collection of survey data, coordinated data collection with hunger alleviation stakeholders.
Supervisor: Kimberly LoVano
- Undergraduate Research Assistant, Sustainability Program, Baldwin Wallace University 2012
Project: "A Case Study of Cleveland's Green City Blue Lake Institute."
Project funded by the McGregor Foundation
Responsibilities: Interviewed sustainability stakeholders, interview transcription, report writing.
Supervisor: Kelly Coble, Ph.D.

Teaching Experience

North Carolina State University, *Department of Sociology* 2019-2020
Teaching Assistant and Grader
Courses: Sociology of Family, Food and Society, Individual Data Modules for Principles of Sociology and Deviance

Colorado State University, *Department of Sociology* 2014-2016
Teaching Assistant
Courses: Introduction to Sociology, Quantitative Sociological Analysis, Introduction to Criminal Justice, Methods of Sociological Inquiry, Gender and Society

Pedagogical Training

North Carolina State University Graduate School: *Teaching and Communication Certificate* In Progress
North Carolina State University Office of Faculty Development: *Inclusive Teaching Certification* 2020
North Carolina State University: *Teaching Sociology*, semester course taught by Maxine Atkinson, Ph.D. 2020
Colorado State University; *Integrating Writing in the Academic Core* 2014

Presentations

Shisler, Rebecca. "Gendered Carework through Sociology of Food: A Critical Literature Review." *Sociologists for Women in Society Winter Meeting*. San Diego, CA. February 2020.

Shisler, Rebecca. "Food Hubs: Creating or Conforming?" *Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society*. Richmond, VA. August 2019.

Bowen, Sarah, Annie Hardison-Moody, Emilia Cordero Ocegueda, **Rebecca Shisler.** "Addressing and Preventing Food Insecurity among College Students: An Asset-Based Approach." *Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society*. Richmond, VA. August 2019

Shisler, Rebecca C., and Joshua Sbicca. "Agriculture as Carework: Performing Femininity in a Male Dominated Occupation" *Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting*. Boston, MA. March 2019.

Shisler, Rebecca C. "Agriculture as Carework: Performing Femininity in a Male-Dominated Occupation." *Environment & Food Brownbag Series*. Raleigh, NC. February 2019.

Shisler, Rebecca C. and Joshua Sbicca. "Agriculture as Carework: Performing Femininity in a Male-Dominated Occupation." *Sociologists for Women in Society Winter Meeting*. Denver, CO. February 2019.

Bloom, Dara, Rebecca Dunning, Kathryn Boys, David Yates, Caroline Stover, and **Rebecca Shisler.** "Local Food Procurement in Farm to Early Care and Education Programs: Analyzing Market Potential." *Food Distribution Research Society Annual Conference*. Arlington, VA. September 2018.

Bloom, Dara, Rebecca Dunning, Kathryn Boys, **Rebecca Shisler,** and David Yates. "Local Food Procurement in Farm to Early Care and Education Programs: Analyzing Innovative Models for Farmer Profitability." *Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society*. Portland, OR. July 2018

Shisler, Rebecca C. "'Good Ol' Boys Club': Female Farm Operators Navigating the Male-Dominated Agricultural Field." *Sociologists for Women in Society Winter Meeting*. Atlanta, GA. January 2018.

Shisler, Rebecca C. and Brooke Hradisky. "SPROUT: Long-Term Impacts of Residential Programs for Single-Parent Students in Higher Education." *Baldwin Wallace University Ovation*. Berea, OH. May 2014
Winner of Ovation Presentation Award

Fleisher, Jill Stephens and **Rebecca C. Shisler.** "Impacts of a Residential Program for Single-Parent Students in Higher Education." *North Central Sociological Association Annual Meeting*. Cincinnati, OH. April 2014

Software

NVivo, Qualtrics, ArcGIS, QGIS, STATA

Service and Professional Memberships

Departmental Service

Secretary, Sociology Graduate Student Association; Elected to serve in 2020-2021 Academic Year

- Professional Development Committee Head

Cohort Representative; Graduate Student Advisory Board; 2019-Present

Professional Development Committee Member; Sociology Graduate Student Association; 2019-Present

Graduate Student Mentor; Sociology Graduate Student Association at NC State University; 2019-Present

Manuscript Reviewer

Society & Natural Resources: Official Journal of the International Association for Society & Natural Resources

Sociologia Ruralis: Journal of the European Society for Rural Sociology

Sociation: The Journal of the North Carolina Sociological Association

Professional Memberships

Sociologists for Women in Society

American Sociological Association

- Section Member; Sociology of Consumers & Consumption

Additional Certifications and Trainings

Responsible Conduct of Research (Social Research)

Certified: 2013-Present

Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI)

Anti-Racism Training Course

Course Completed: 2020

Diversity and Resiliency Institute of El Paso, a project of Borderland Rainbow Center