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## Education

- 2018      **Ph.D.** University at Albany, State University of New York, Department of Sociology (Expected)  
Dissertation: “Segregation, Turnover, and Neighborhood Connections: Assessing the Role of Family Structure”  
Committee: Drs. Samantha Friedman (Chair), Katherine Trent, Tse-Chuan Yang
- 2013      **M.A.** Western Kentucky University, Department of Sociology  
Thesis: “Not Quite Out on the Streets: Examining Protective and Risk Factors for Housing Insecurity among Low-Income Urban Fathers”  
Committee: Drs. Lauren McClain (Chair), Jerry Daday, James Kanan
- 2011      **B.A.** Western Kentucky University  
Major: Sociology, Minor: Communication Studies  
Summa Cum Laude  
Honors Thesis: “Hopelessly Disadvantaged Like You: A Comparative Study of Disadvantaged Youth in Mobile and Medellin”  
Committee: Drs. Holli Drummond (Chair), Douglas Clayton Smith, Pitt Derryberry

## Professional Positions

- 2016-present    Instructor, Department of Sociology, University at Albany, SUNY
- 2013-2017      Graduate Assistant, Department of Sociology, University at Albany, SUNY
- 2016              Graduate Intern, Bureau of Research, Evaluation, and Performance Analytics, New York State Office of Children and Family Services (summer)
- 2012-2013      Graduate Teaching Associate (Instructor), Department of Sociology, Western Kentucky University
- 2011-2012      Graduate Assistant, Department of Sociology, Western Kentucky University

## Research Interests

Urban Sociology, Housing, Demography, Family

## Teaching Interests

Urban Sociology, Demography, Sociology of Families, Research Methods, Introductory Sociology

## Comprehensive Exams

Urban Sociology and Demography (specialization in Families and Households)

## Honors and Awards

- 2018 Paul Meadow's Award for Excellence in Teaching, Department of Sociology, University at Albany, SUNY
- 2013 Most Outstanding Graduate Student, Department of Sociology, Western Kentucky University
- 2011 Best Undergraduate Paper in the Social Sciences, Western Kentucky University Student Research Conference
- 2010 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Undergraduate Paper Competition, Anthropologists & Sociologists of Kentucky
- 2010 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Undergraduate Anthropology & Sociology Paper Competition, Kentucky Academy of Sciences
- 2010 Most Outstanding Undergraduate, Alpha Kappa Delta Honor Society, Department of Sociology, Western Kentucky University
- 2010 National Science Foundation Research Experience for Undergraduates Participant, Disaster Research Center, University of Delaware
- 2009 Alpha Kappa Delta Sociology Honor Society, Department of Sociology, Western Kentucky University, inducted 2009

## Publications

- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2017 "Conceptualization, Operationalization, and Measurement." *TRAILS: Teaching Resources and Innovations Library for Sociology*. Washington DC: American Sociological Association. (<http://trails.asanet.org>).
- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2017 "Metropolitan Area Characteristics and Residential Segregation Using American FactFinder." *TRAILS: Teaching Resources and Innovations Library for Sociology*. Washington DC: American Sociological Association. (<http://trails.asanet.org>).
- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2016. "Research Evaluation Activity and Paper Assignment." *TRAILS: Teaching Resources and Innovations Library for Sociology*. Washington DC: American Sociological Association. (<http://trails.asanet.org>).

## Manuscripts under review

Friedman, Samantha, Joseph R. Gibbons, **Colleen E. Wynn**, and Recai Yucel. “Muslim/Non-Muslim Locational Attainment in Philadelphia: A New Fault Line in Residential Inequality?” *Revise and Resubmit*.

Also available as a preprint on SocArXiv: <https://osf.io/preprints/socarxiv/7c2fa/>

## Manuscripts in Progress

**Wynn, Colleen E.** “Examining Community Connection by Race/Ethnicity and Family Structure.” *Dissertation chapter, draft in progress*.

**Wynn, Colleen E.** “Segregation, Turnover, and Neighborhood Connections: Assessing the Role of Family Structure” *Dissertation in progress, proposal defended*.

Friedman, Samantha\*, **Colleen E. Wynn\***, and Hui-shien Tsao. “The Influence of Family Structure and Children on Racial and Ethnic Residential Segregation.” *Draft in progress*. (\*authors contributed equally on manuscript).

**Wynn, Colleen E.** and Lauren Rinelli McClain. “Not Quite Out On The Streets: Housing Tenure Among Low-Income Urban Fathers.” *Draft in progress*. Also available as a working paper via *Fragile Families*: <http://crcw.princeton.edu/publications/publications.asp>

Shelley, Walter W.\* and **Colleen E. Wynn\***. Moving on Down: The Conflated Impact of Family Instability and Disadvantaged Neighborhoods on Cognitive, Externalizing, and Internalizing Outcomes. (\*authors contributed equally on manuscript). *Draft in progress*. Also available as a working paper via *Fragile Families*: <http://crcw.princeton.edu/publications/publications.asp>

**Wynn, Colleen E.** “Paternal Multipartner Fertility and Child Neighborhood Disorder.” *Draft in progress*. Also available as a working paper via *Fragile Families*: <http://crcw.princeton.edu/publications/publications.asp>

**Wynn, Colleen E.**, Holli Drummond, John Bolland, and Anneliese Bolland. “A Comparative Study of Disadvantaged Youth in Mobile and Medellin” *Draft in progress*

**Wynn, Colleen E.**, Cecelia K. Satterly, and Lauren Rinelli McClain. “Living on the Outside: An Examination of Incarceration’s Impact on Housing Tenure for Low-Income Urban Fathers and Children.” *Draft in progress*.

## Other Non-Refereed Work

**Wynn, Colleen E.** 2013. "Not Quite Out On The Streets: Examining Protective and Risk Factors for Housing Insecurity Among Low-Income Urban Fathers." *Western Kentucky University Masters Theses & Specialist Projects*. Paper 1258. Accessible at <http://digitalcommons.wku.edu/theses/1258/>

**Wynn, Colleen E.** 2010. "Hopelessly Disadvantaged Like You: A Comparative Study of Disadvantaged Youth in Mobile and Medellin." *Western Kentucky University Honors College Capstone Experience/Thesis Projects*. Paper 287. Accessible at [http://digitalcommons.wku.edu/stu\\_hon\\_theses/287/](http://digitalcommons.wku.edu/stu_hon_theses/287/)

**Wynn, Colleen E.** 2010. "The Shake Felt Round the World: An Examination of Framing of Social Inequality in Local Media in the Wake of the Earthquake in Haiti." *University of Delaware Disaster Research Center, Final Project Report 54*. Accessible at <http://udspace.udel.edu/handle/19716/5718>

## Research Experience

2013-2016    Research Assistant for Professor Samantha Friedman

- Muslim Housing Discrimination – did exploratory summer 2015 work on departmental grant (Department of Sociology, University at Albany, SUNY) \$1500
- Residential Mobility, Neighborhood Conditions, and Childhood Asthma
- Racial Attitudes and Neighborhood Demographics Using the General Social Survey
- Muslim Residential Attainment
- Same-Sex Household Residential Segregation
- GPS and Social Media Tracking: Segregation and Neighborhood Use Patterns

2013-2015    Research Assistant for Professor Katherine Trent

- Summer 2015: Exploratory analyses using Mexican Family Life Surveys Project on departmental grant (Department of Sociology, University at Albany, SUNY) \$1500
- Migration Patterns and Sex Ratios
- The Consequences of India's Male Surplus for Women's Partnering and Sexual Experiences
- Adult Sibling Contact Using the National Survey of Families and Households
- Summer 2014 worked as an RA on a grant from the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development. "Family and Health Consequences of Imbalanced Sex Ratios in India." (R01 HD067214, Co-Principal Investigator with Scott J. South and Sunita Bose). January 1, 2011 to December 31, 2013. \$922,228.

- 2014 -2016    Research Assistant for Professor Glenn Deane
- Close to You?: How Parent-Adult Child Contact is Influenced by Family Patterns
- 2014            Research Assistant for Professor Tse-Chuan Yang
- Residential Mobility, Neighborhood Conditions, and Childhood Asthma
- 2012            Social Science Research Center Western Kentucky University: Computer Assisted Telephone Interviewer
- 2010            National Science Foundation Research Experience for Undergraduates Participant at the University of Delaware’s Disaster Research Center  
Designed and completed an original research project using content analysis archived in the Center’s library during the summer program:
- Wynn, Colleen “The shake felt round the world: An examination of framing of social inequality in local media in the wake of the earthquake in Haiti.”  
<http://udspace.udel.edu/handle/19716/5718>

### **Invited Presentations**

- 2018            Dissertation Orientation Panel. Student panel member, sponsored by Students of Sociology (departmental graduate student association), Department of Sociology, University at Albany, SUNY
- 2018            “Everything You Want to Know About Grad School in Sociology: Advice from Graduate Students.” Panel member, sponsored by Alpha Kappa Delta and the Department of Sociology, University at Albany, SUNY
- 2015            “How to have a successful RAship.” Student panel member, University at Albany, SUNY, Department of Sociology Graduate Student Orientation Course
- 2015            “Graduate Student Life” Panel member, Department of Sociology, University at Albany, SUNY, Prospective Student Visit Day
- 2015            “Center for Social and Demographic Analysis (CSDA) Resources” Graduate student panel member, Department of Sociology, University at Albany, SUNY, Prospective Student Visit Day
- 2015            “What to do in the summer?: Internships, research assistantships, jobs.” Student panel member, University at Albany, SUNY, Department of Sociology Graduate Student Orientation Course

- 2014 “What I Wish I Knew My First Semester in Graduate School” Student Panel Member, University at Albany, SUNY, Department of Sociology Graduate Student Orientation Course
- 2012 “So You Want To Go To Grad School: Informational Seminar on Graduate School Preparation and Application” Student Panel Member, Western Kentucky University, Department of Sociology

## Teaching Experience

Took a teaching course which covered teaching in large classes, online teaching, classroom management, syllabus design, diversity and identity in the classroom, active learning, and a variety of teaching strategies. I have also participated in several teaching workshops focused on specific aspects of classroom management and teaching strategies listed below in the professional development section.

### Instructor

- University at Albany, SUNY
  - Community and Urban Sociology, ASOC 373-2020 Online, Summer 2018 4W1
  - Sociology of Families, ASOC 250-8490, Spring 2018
  - Introduction to Social Research, ASOC 220-7342, Spring 2018
  - Community and Urban Sociology, ASOC 373-1223 Online, Winter 2018
  - Sociology of Families, ASOC 250-8528, Fall 2017
  - Introduction to Social Research, ASOC 220-7600, Fall 2017
  - Introduction to Sociology, ASOC 115-0003 Online, Summer 2017 4W3
  - Introduction to Social Research, ASOC 220-7778, Spring 2017
  - Community and Urban Sociology, ASOC 373-1261 Online, Winter 2017
  - Introduction to Social Research, ASOC 220-8053, Fall 2016
  
- Western Kentucky University
  - Introduction to Sociology, SOCL 100-016 Fall 2012
  - Introduction to Sociology, SOCL 100-003 Spring 2013
  - Introduction to Sociology, SOCL 100-007 Spring 2013

### Graduate Student Co-Teacher

- University at Albany, SUNY
  - Professor Katherine Trent
    - Senior Seminar: Marriage, Cohabitation, and Divorce, Spring 2015

### Teaching Assistant

- University at Albany, SUNY
  - Professor Samantha Friedman
    - Introduction to Social Research, Fall 2015
  - Professor Katherine Trent

- Medical Sociology, Spring 2014
    - Senior Seminar: Marriage, Cohabitation, and Divorce, Spring 2014, Fall 2015
  - Professor Glenn Deane
    - Statistics for Sociologists, Fall 2014
- Western Kentucky University
  - Professor Donielle Lovell
    - Race, Class, & Gender, Fall 2011
    - Sociological Theory, Fall 2011
    - Strategies of Social Research, Spring 2012
  - Professor Kumiko Nemoto
    - Introduction to Sociology, Fall 2011
    - Gender & Work, Fall 2011
    - Sociology of Modern Japan, Fall 2011
    - Introduction to Sociology, Spring 2012

## **Professional Development**

- Fall 2017: Attended “Designing and Implementing In-Class Activities for Student Learning.” Part of the UAlbany Teachers Series hosted by the Institute for Teaching, Learning, and Academic Leadership (ITLAL) at University at Albany, SUNY
- Spring 2017: Attended “Preparing Your Teaching Demonstration.” Part of the Future Faculty Fellow Series hosted by the Institute for Teaching, Learning, and Academic Leadership (ITLAL) at University at Albany, SUNY
- Spring 2017: Attended “Designing Dynamic Discussions.” Part of the Future Faculty Fellow Series hosted by the Institute for Teaching, Learning, and Academic Leadership (ITLAL) at University at Albany, SUNY
- Fall 2016: Attended “Teaching Portfolio Workshop.” Part of the Future Faculty Fellow Series hosted by the Institute for Teaching, Learning, and Academic Leadership (ITLAL) at University at Albany, SUNY
- Spring 2015: Planned “The Academic Job Market: A Conversation with Faculty and Students.” Brown bag panel hosted by Students of Sociology (department graduate student association), University at Albany, SUNY
- Spring 2015: Planned and organized departmental visit weekend for prospective PhD students. Department of Sociology, University at Albany, SUNY
- Spring 2015: Planned “Grants: How to apply, when to apply, and what to apply for. Advice from those who’ve been there.” Brown bag panel hosted by Students of Sociology (department graduate student association), University at Albany, SUNY

- Fall 2014: Planned “Internships: How to Find One, Skills Learned, and Overall Experience” Brown Bag event hosted by Students of Sociology (department graduate student association), University at Albany, SUNY
- Fall 2014: Planned “How to Maximize Your Graduate School Experience: Time Management, Organization, and Productivity” Brown Bag event hosted by Students of Sociology (department graduate student association) University at Albany, SUNY
- Summer 2014: Attended the Fragile Families Data Workshop offered by Columbia Population Research Center
- Spring 2014: Planned and organized departmental visits for prospective PhD students. Department of Sociology, University at Albany, SUNY
- Fall 2011: Attended the “Preparing to Teach - Rethinking Course Design with Activity System Theory” workshop offered by the Faculty Center for Excellence in Teaching (FaCET) at Western Kentucky University
- Fall 2011: Attended the “A Practical Approach to Addressing Misbehavior in Your Classroom” workshop offered by the Faculty Center for Excellence in Teaching (FaCET) at Western Kentucky University
- Fall 2011: Attended the “Motivating Students-Sharing Ideas About Engagement” workshop offered by the Faculty Center for Excellence in Teaching (FaCET) at Western Kentucky University

## **Professional Memberships**

Alpha Kappa Delta (Sociology Honorary, 2009)

American Sociological Association

Section Memberships:

Community and Urban Sociology

Population

Families

Teaching and Learning

Population Association of America

Eastern Sociological Society

## **Service**

- Founding member of Graduate Population Studies Society at the University at Albany (Department of Sociology and Center for Social and Demographic Analysis), 2017
- Managed the University at Albany Department of Sociology Facebook page 2014-2017



- Students of Sociology Graduate Student Association President August 2014-May 2015
- Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting 2013 Session Presider: Social Inequality and Community (Paper Session 106)
- Youth Democratic Precinct Leader 34<sup>th</sup> Legislative District Louisville, KY 2008-2013

## Conference Presentations

- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2018. "Examining Housing Turnover by Race/Ethnicity and Family Structure." Presented at the 2018 Eastern Sociological Society Meeting, Baltimore, MD.
- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2017. "Race/Ethnicity, Family Structure, and Neighborhood Connection." Poster presentation at the 2017 Population Association of American Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- Wynn, Colleen E.** and Samantha Friedman. 2017. "Race/Ethnicity, Family Structure, and Housing Turnover." Poster presentation at the 2017 Population Association of American Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2016. "Paternal Multipartner Fertility and Children's Locational Attainment." Poster presentation at the 2016 Population Association of American Meeting, Washington D.C.
- Friedman, Samantha, Joseph R. Gibbons, and **Colleen E. Wynn.** 2016. "Religion, Housing Discrimination, and Residential Attainment in Philadelphia: Are Muslims Disadvantaged?" Poster presentation at the 2016 Population Association of American Meeting, Washington D.C.
- Wynn, Colleen E.** and Cecelia K. Satterly. 2013. "Insecurity after Incarceration: A Look at Paternal Incarceration Experiences and Family Housing Insecurity." Presented at the 2013 Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2013. "Out on the Streets: Examining Protective and Risk Factors for Housing Insecurity among Low-Income Urban Fathers." Presented at the 2013 Student Research Conference, Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, KY.
- Wynn, Colleen E.** and Cecelia K. Satterly. 2012. "Incarceration and Insecurity: An Examination of Incarceration's Impact on Housing Insecurity for Low-Income Urban Fathers." Presented at the 2012 Public Sociology Graduate Conference, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA.
- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2012. "Exploring the Link Between Welfare and Standardized Test Scores Across Kentucky." Presented at the 2012 Annual meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, Chicago, IL.
- Wynn, Colleen E.** and Cindy Martin. 2012. "Impacts of Welfare Receipt on Education: A Comparative Analysis." Presented at the 2012 Annual meeting of the Southern Rural Sociological Association, Birmingham, AL.

- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2011. "Hopelessly Disadvantaged Like You: A Comparative Study of Disadvantaged Youth in Mobile and Medellin." Presented at the 2011 Annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Jacksonville, FL.
- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2011. "Hopelessly Disadvantaged Like You: A Comparative Study of Disadvantaged Youth in Mobile and Medellin." Presented at the 2011 Western Kentucky University Student Research Conference, Bowling Green, KY. *Won Best Undergraduate Paper.*
- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2011. "The Shake Felt 'Round the World: An Examination of Framing of Social Inequality in Local Media in the Wake of the Earthquake in Haiti." Presented at the 2011 Annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Jacksonville, FL.
- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2011. "The Shake Felt 'Round the World: An Examination of Framing of Social Inequality in Local Media in the Wake of the Earthquake in Haiti." Presented at the 2011 Annual meeting of the Southern Rural Sociological Association, Corpus Christi, TX.
- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2010. "The Shake Felt 'Round the World: An Examination of Framing of Social Inequality in Local Media in the Wake of the Earthquake in Haiti." Presented at the 2010 Annual meeting of the Anthropologists and Sociologists of Kentucky, Columbia, KY. *Won 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in Jules Delambre Undergraduate Paper Competition.*
- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2010. "Hopelessly Disadvantaged Like You: A Comparative Study of Disadvantaged Youth in Mobile and Medellin." Presented at the 2010 Annual meeting of the Anthropologists and Sociologists of Kentucky, Columbia, KY.
- Wynn, Colleen E.** 2010. "Hopelessly Disadvantaged Like You: A Comparative Study of Disadvantaged Youth in Mobile and Medellin." Presented at the 2010 Annual Meeting of the Kentucky Academy of Sciences, Bowling Green, KY. *Won 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in Undergraduate Anthropology and Sociology Paper Competition.*
- Wynn, Colleen E.** and Holli Drummond. 2010. "Comparatively Tracing the Hopelessness and Disadvantaged Community Link." Presented at the 2010 Annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, GA.

## References

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