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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2017- Assistant Professor, Tulane University
Department of Sociology
- 2015 – 2017 NSF Postdoctoral Fellow, Northwestern University
Department of Sociology and Science in Human Culture Program
- 2013 – 2015 Postdoctoral Fellow, Northwestern University
Science in Human Culture Program and Department of Sociology
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EDUCATION

- 2013 Ph.D. Sociology, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
Dissertation: “Embodied Expertise: The Science and Affect of Psychotherapy”
Committee: Jason Owen-Smith (chair); Renee Anspach; John Carson (History); George Steinmetz; Genevieve Zubrzycki
- 2009 M.A. Sociology, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
Preliminary Examination: Culture and Knowledge
- 2005 B.A. Sociology (Anthropology Minor), University of California, Los Angeles
Summa cum laude
- 2003 Completed the Transfer Alliance Honors Program, Los Angeles Valley College
- 1998 – 1999 Academy of Economic Studies, Bucharest, Romania
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RESEARCH AND TEACHING AREAS

Sociology of Medicine, Expertise and Professions, Social Studies of Science, Sociological Theory, Qualitative Methods, Immigration

PUBLICATIONS

- Forthcoming* Craciun, Mariana. "Emotions and Knowledge in Expert Work: A Comparison of Two Psychotherapies." *American Journal of Sociology*.
- 2017 Craciun, Mariana. "Time, Knowledge, and Power in Psychotherapy: A Comparison of Psychodynamic and Cognitive Behavioral Practices." *Qualitative Sociology*. 20(2): 165-190.
- 2016 Craciun, Mariana. "The Cultural Work of Office Charisma: Maintaining Professional Power in Psychotherapy." *Theory and Society*. 45(4): 361-383.
- 2013 Craciun, Mariana. "Moral Bricolage and Immigrant Identification: The Case of Romanian Americans." *Ethnic and Racial Studies*. 36(5): 729-746.
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IN PROGRESS

Book Manuscript:

Chasing Freud's Dream: Science and Emotion in Psychotherapy (In preparation)

Articles:

Craciun, Mariana and Jason Owen-Smith. "Morality Plays in Science Policy Making: The Human Embryonic Stem Cells Debates in US Congress" (In preparation)

Craciun, Mariana. "Professional Contests and Expertise in Electroconvulsive Therapy" (In preparation)

OTHER WRITING

- 2017 Craciun, Mariana. "Charismatic Practices in an Embattled Profession: The Case of Psychoanalysis." March 6 blog entry at workinprogress.oonsection.org.
- 2016 Craciun, Mariana. Review of *Misbehaving Science: Controversy and the Development of Behavior Genetics* by Aaron Panofsky. *New Genetics and Society*. 36(1): 91-93.
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FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

- 2015 – 2017 National Science Foundation, Science and Technology Studies Program. Postdoctoral Fellowship and Grant for “The Science of Talk: Constructing Evidence-Based Psychotherapy.”
- 2014 Faculty Research Grant, Northwestern University
- 2013 Mellon Dissertation Seminar in the Humanities, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor (declined)
- 2012 Rackham Predoctoral Fellowship, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
- 2011 Mary Malcomson Raphael Fellowship, Center for the Education of Women, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
- 2010 Sociology Dissertation Research Grant, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
Graduate Student Research Grant, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
- 2007 Graduate Student Research Grant, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
- 2007 Spring/Summer Research Grant, Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor (Co-PI with Jason Owen-Smith)
- 2005 LS&A Regents Fellowship, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
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INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- 2016 “In Search of Evidence: Science and Emotion in Psychotherapy.” SUNY Buffalo, Department of Sociology.
- 2015 “Beyond the Couch: Time and Place in Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy.” Making Knowledge and the Problem of Place: A Midwest Conference for Science and Technology Studies, Northwestern University.
- “The Affect and Science of Psychotherapy: A Comparison of Psychoanalytic and ‘Evidence-Based’ Approaches.”
- Chicago Psychoanalytic Institute (2015)
 - University of Illinois, Chicago, Health and Society Working Group (2014)
 - Northwestern University, Science in Human Culture Program (2013)

2012 “Emotions as Vehicles of Expertise: A Comparison of Psychodynamic and Cognitive-Behavioral Psychotherapists.” Northwestern University Ethnography Workshop.

REFEREED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2016 “Morality Plays in Science Policy-Making: The Human Embryonic Stem Cells Debate in U.S. Congress.” American Sociological Association, Seattle, WA.

2015 “The Time of Psychotherapy: A Comparison of Psychoanalytic and Evidence-Based Approaches.” American Sociological Association, Chicago, IL.

2014 Discussant comments, presented at a panel on “Debating the Biologization of Mental Illness,” at the Social Science History Association, Toronto, ON.

2014 “Charismatic Practices: Power and Affect in Psychotherapy.” American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA.

2014 Discussant comments, presented at a panel on “Knowledge, Expertise and Systems Production,” at the 16th Annual Chicago Ethnography Conference, Evanston, IL.

2014 “Affect and Expertise in Psychotherapy: A Comparison of Psychoanalytic and ‘Evidence-Based’ Practices.” Eastern Sociological Society, Mini-Conference on “Invisible Work,” Baltimore, MD.

2013 “A Case for Charisma as Skill: The Affective and Relational Underpinnings of Psychotherapeutic Authority.” Social Science History Association, Chicago, IL.

2013 “Temporal Practices in Psychotherapy: A Comparison of ‘Evidence-Based’ and Psychoanalytic Approaches.” Society for Social Studies of Science, San Diego, CA.

2013 “The Science of Mental Illness: Inscription and Quantification in the Work of Psychotherapists.” American Sociological Association, New York, NY.

2012 “Emotions as Vehicles of Expertise: A Comparison of Psychodynamic and Cognitive-Behavioral Psychotherapists.” American Sociological Association, Denver, CO.

2012 “Beyond Clock and Couch: The Role of Time and Place in Psychotherapeutic Expertise.” 14th Annual Chicago Ethnography Conference, Chicago, IL.

2009 “Immigrant Identity within a ‘Spectrum’ of Americanness: The Case of Romanian Immigrants.” American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA.

2008 “Immigration as a Boundary-Drawing Cultural Process: The Case of Romanian Immigrants.” American Sociological Association, Boston, MA.

TEACHING

Tulane University

Graduate

Qualitative Methods

Undergraduate

Sociology of Medicine

Northwestern University

Instructor

Sociology of Science: Expert Knowledge and the Social World

Sociological Topics: Mental Health and Society

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Adviser in Science in Human Culture

Stephanie Jeewan Hong: “Truth in Advertising? Owning ‘Public Interest’ in Congressional Debates over Direct-to-Consumer Advertising (DTCA).”

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

Instructor

Graduate Student Mentor for first time Graduate Student Instructors

Sociology of Marriage and the Family

Sociological Theory

Graduate Student Instructor

Sociological Research Methods

Sociological Theory

Introduction to Sociology through American and Iraqi Society

Introduction to Sociology through Money, Sex and Religion

Introduction to Sociology through Stratification

OTHER RESEARCH

- 2008 – 2012 Research Assistant for Jason Owen-Smith on the “United States Knowledge Economy Project.”
- 2009 – 2010 Research Assistant for Andy Hoffman and Melissa Forbes: “Talking Past Each Other? Social Framing under Competing Climate Logics.”
- 2009 Research Assistant for Mark Mizruchi: “The Changing Nature of the American Corporate Elite, 1960 – 2010.”
- 2006 – 2008 Research Assistant for Jason Owen-Smith: “Funding Human Embryonic Stem Cell Research: Science and Scientists in Congress.”
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UNIVERSITY AND COMMITTEE SERVICE

Northwestern University

2013 – 2015 Klopsteg Lecture Series Co-Organizer, Science in Human Culture Program
2015 “Making Knowledge and the Problem of Place: A Midwest Conference for Science and Technology Studies,” Co-Organizer, Evanston, IL, May 8-9.

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

2009 – 2010 Culture, History and Power Workshop, Co-Organizer
2009 – 2010 Ethnographic Interviewing Workshop, Founding Member
2008 – 2009 Power, History and Social Change Workshop, Co-Organizer
2008 – 2009 Graduate Admissions Committee, Student Representative
2007 – 2008 Sociology Graduate Students’ Organization, Co-Chair

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

2015 – 2016 Member, the Hacker-Mullins Award Committee, Science, Knowledge and Technology Section of the American Sociological Association.
2013 Panel co-organizer, “Revolution, Routine, and Remedy: New Work on Charisma, Culture and Power” at the Social Science History Association annual meeting, Chicago, IL.

Ad hoc reviewer, *American Journal of Sociology*, *American Sociological Review*, *Social Science & Medicine*, *Qualitative Sociology Review*, *Sociological Methods and Research*, *Social Currents*

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association
Society for Social Studies of Science
Social Science History Association

LANGUAGES

Romanian native fluency

REFERENCES

Jason Owen-Smith

Professor of Sociology and Organizational Studies at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

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Steven Epstein

Professor of Sociology and John C. Shaffer Humanities Professor at Northwestern University

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Renee Anspach

Associate Professor of Sociology at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

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Additional references available upon request.
