

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

University of Miami, College of Arts and Sciences, Coral Gables, FL
Doctorate of Philosophy, Sociology (Expected May 2019)

American University, College of Arts and Sciences, Washington, DC
Master of Arts, Sociology (May 2016)
MA Thesis: Institutional Separation: Stress Experienced Among Division I Women Collegiate Athletes

American University, College of Arts and Sciences, Washington, DC
Bachelor of Arts, Sociology (May 2015)
Capstone: Social Factors Associated with Depression

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Medical Sociology	Race/Ethnic Relations	Sociology of Sport
Stress and Coping	Small Group Dynamics	

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Pericak, K. Stress Among Collegiate Student-Athletes: Coping Mechanisms Used. Paper topic: examines the connection between experiences of stress by sophomore women student-athletes and the coping strategies they adopt to deal with their stress. Presented at the College Athletes' Rights and Empowerment: Visioning A New Paradigm of College Sport Conference, Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA, March 24-26 2016.

Pericak, K. Stigma of Depression. Paper topic: how NGOs understand and respond to the range of social factors involved in depression. Presented at the Robyn Rafferty Mathias Student Research Conference, American University, Washington, DC, March 28, 2015 and at the Depression on College Campuses Conference, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, March 9-10, 2016.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant, Sociology of Sport and Leisure, American University (Spring 2016)

Teaching Assistant, Sociology of the First Year Student, American University (Fall 2015)

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Alpha Kappa Delta, AKD International Sociology Honor Society (2014-present)

American Sociological Association, ASA (2015-Present)

North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, NASSS (2015- Present)

RESEARCH & WORK EXPERIENCE

Graduate Assistant, Coral Gables, FL (August 2016-Present)

Addressing Post-Apartheid Inequalities, Cape Town, South Africa (Dec 2015-Jan 2016)

Lacrosse Volunteer Corps, Fields of Growth, Kingston, Jamaica (Dec 2014-Jan 2015)

Marketing and Society Intern, Kandote, Washington, DC (May 2014-May 2015)

Hopeful School Intern, Fields of Growth, Masaka, Uganda (Summer 2014)

Dream 2014 Campaign Intern, Fields of Growth, Washington, DC (Sep 2013-Dec 2014)

Global Players Intern, Global Players, Czech Republic, Prague (Summer 2013)

Sociology Symposium Committee, Siena College, Loudonville, NY (2012-2013)

Anti-Violence Task Force, Siena College, Loudonville, NY (2012-2013)

SERVICE

Graduate Student Representative, American University Sociology Department (2015-2016)