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ACADEMIC POSITION

2013-present

Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, *John Jay College of Criminal Justice, City University of New York (CUNY)*

EDUCATION

University of Nevada, Las Vegas

- Ph.D., Sociology, 2013
- Graduate Certificate, Women's Studies, 2009
- Master of Liberal Arts, Sociology, 2007
- Bachelor of Liberal Arts, Psychology, 2003

SPECIALTY AREAS

Gender & Sexuality
Social Problems

Social Justice/Social Change

PUBLISHED WORKS

Barberet, Rosemary and **Crystal A. Jackson**. 2017. "UN Rules for the Treatment of Women Prisoners and Non-Custodial Sanctions for Women Offenders (the Bangkok Rules): A Gendered Critique/Reglas de las Naciones Unidas para el Tratamiento de las Reclusas y Medidas no Privativas de la Libertad para las Mujeres Delincuentes (Reglas de Bangkok): Derechos Humanos y Criminología Feminista." *Papers: Revista de Sociologia* Volume 102(2): 215-230. doi: <http://dx.doi.org/10.5565/rev/papers.2336>

Crystal A. Jackson, Jennifer J. Reed, and Barbara Brents. 2017. "Strange Confluences: Radical Feminism and Evangelical Christianity as Drivers of US Neo-Abolitionism." Pp. 66-85 in *Prostitution, Feminism and the State: The Politics of Neo-abolitionism*, edited by Eilís Ward and Gillian Wylie. New York and London: Routledge.

Jackson, Crystal A. and Lauren McCubbin. 2016. "The Queer Porn Mafia: Redefining Identity, Sex, & Feminism through Commodified Sexuality." *Queer Studies in Media and Popular Culture* Volume 1(3): 337-353. doi: 10.1386/qsmc.1.3.337_1

Jackson, Crystal A. and Jennifer J. Reed. 2016. "Missing Rights and Misplaced Justice for Sex Workers in the United States." Pp. 15-23 in *Agenda for Social Justice: Solutions 2016 – Society for the Study of Social Problems*, edited by G. Muschert, B. Klocke, R. Perrucci, and J. Shefner. Bristol, UK: Policy Press.

Jackson, Crystal. 2016. "Framing Sex Worker Rights: How U.S. Sex Worker Rights Activists Perceive and Respond to Anti-Sex Trafficking Advocacy." *Sociological Perspectives* Volume 59(1): 27-45. doi: 10.1177/0731121416628553

Musto, Jennifer; **Crystal A. Jackson**; and Elena Shih. 2015. "Prostitution and Sex Work." Pp. 279-285 in *International Encyclopedia of the Social & Behavioral Sciences, 2nd edition*, James D. Wright (editor-in-chief). Oxford: Elsevier.

Jackson, Crystal A. 2014. "Being an Academic Ally: Gender Justice for Sex Workers." Pp. 109-112 in *Sociologists in Action on Inequalities: Race, Class, Gender, and Sexuality*, edited by M. K. White, J. M. White, and K. O. Korgen. Sage Publications.

Brents, Barbara and **Crystal A. Jackson.** 2013. "Gender, Emotional Labour and Interactive Body Work: Negotiating Flesh and Fantasy in Sex Workers' Labor Practices." Pp. 77-92 In *Body/Sex/ Work*, edited by C. Wolkowitz, R. Cohen, T. Sanders, and K. Hardy. U.K.: Palgrave MacMillan. **(pre-hire)**

Jackson, Crystal. 2011. "Revealing Contemporary Constructions of Femininity: Expression and Sexuality in Strip Club Legislation." *Sexualities* Volume 14(3): 354-369. **(pre-hire)**

Brents, Barbara, **Crystal A. Jackson** and Kathryn Hausbeck. 2010. *The State of Sex in Nevada: Tourism, Sex, and Sin in the New American Heartland*. New York, NY: Routledge. **(pre-hire)**

Reviews: Ronald Weitzer. 2013. "Researching Sex Work in the Twenty-First Century." *Contemporary Sociology*. 42: 713-722.
Elizabeth Bernstein. 2011. *Contemporary Sociology*. 40: 289-291.
Keri Lerum. 2011. *Gender & Society*. 25: 524-526.
Greggor Mattson. 2011. *Journal of Sex Research*. 48: 599-601.
Lorraine Nencel. 2010. *Wagadu*. 8: 1-4.
Hae Yeon Choo. 2010. *Choice*. 48-1169.
Jende Andrew Huang. 2010. *The Humanist*. 70: 43.

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

"Exploring Interest in Sexual Commerce Among "Adult Entertainment Expo" Enthusiasts in Las Vegas: Does Monogamy Matter" submitted for review March 2016 to the academic journal, *Porn Studies*. Co-authored, w. D. Sahl and Barbara G. Brents, IRB approval with the University of Nevada, Las Vegas. R&R.

AWARDS & GRANTS AS OF 2013

Spring 2017 Faculty Fellowship Publication Program, City University of New York. One course release to participate in FFPP.

Spring 2015 Outstanding Scholarly Mentoring Award, Office of Undergraduate Research (OUR), John Jay College. One awarded annually. \$1500 stipend to use as research support.

2014-2015 PSC-CUNY 45 Research Award (Award B), City University of New York. Amount of \$4248.00 to cover one course release. *Returned Spring 2015 unused.*

TEACHING EXPERIENCE AS OF FALL 2013

Department of Sociology (SOC) & Gender Studies Program (GEN) - John Jay College of Criminal Justice

Summer 2017	SOC 232: Social Stratification ONLINE (20 students) SOC 377: Internship (APPLE Corps scholarship students) (17 students)
Spring 2017	SOC 243: Sociology of Sexualities (Writing Intensive, 17 students) GEN 489: Independent Study- Latinx Sexuality & Gender (1 student) GEN 489: Independent Study- Contemporary Feminist Scholarship (focus on Islamic Feminism) (1 student)
Fall 2016	GEN 101: Introduction to Gender Studies (WI, 21 students) SOC 377: Internship (14 students)
Summer 2016	SOC 377: Internship (6 JFEW Scholarship students) SOC 243: Sociology of Sexualities. Study Abroad Program. Sexualities & Activism: A Cross-Cultural Exploration of LGBTQ Identities in the U.S. and Amsterdam, hosted at Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam. 7/18-8/11 (12 students, 9 enrolled)
Spring 2016	GEN 101: Introduction to Gender Studies (WI, 21 students) SOC 243: Sociology of Sexualities (2 sections, WI, 18 and 21 students each)
Fall 2015	SOC 302: Social Problems (WI, 15 students) SOC 377: Internship (7 students) GEN 101: Introduction to Gender Studies (WI, 20 students)
Summer 2015	SOC 377: Internship (10 JFEW Scholarship students)
Spring 2015	SOC 302: Social Problems (WI, 18 students) SOC 377-78: Internship (2 sections, 11 and 12 students respectively) SOC 489: Independent study: Faculty Mentor, CUNY Baccalaureate for Unique and Interdisciplinary Studies, senior thesis
Fall 2014	SOC 302: Social Problems (2 sections, 10 students and 15 students respectively) SOC 390/391: Internship (combination of 390 and 391, 18 students) SOC 410: Independent study: Faculty Mentor, CUNY Baccalaureate for Unique and Interdisciplinary Studies, senior thesis
Summer 2014	SOC 101: Introduction to Sociology (6 students)
Spring 2014	SOC 101: Introduction to Sociology (18 students) SOC 302: Social Problems (23 students) SOC 390/391: Internship (22 students) Faculty Mentor, CUNY Baccalaureate for Unique and Interdisciplinary Studies
Fall 2013	SOC 240: Social Deviance (39 students) SOC 302: Social Problems (2 sections, 33 students and 16 students)

INVITED LECTURES AS OF FALL 2013

“Sex Work Scholarship 101.” March 2017. Invited lecture, via Skype, for a Human Sexuality undergraduate course taught by Professor Michaela Null, University of Wisconsin–Fond du Lac.

“How to Finish Graduate School and Become a Tenure-Track Scholar.” January 2017. Invited lecture, on campus, ProSem II graduate course, taught by Professor Barb Brents, Department of Sociology, University of Nevada, Las Vegas.

“Sex Worker Rights Activism in the U.S.” Spring 2016. Invited lecture, via Skype, for a Social Problems undergraduate course taught by Professor Jennifer Whitmer, St. Ambrose University, Davenport, Iowa.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS AS OF FALL 2013

“From ‘Rebel Femmes’ to ‘Feminist Thirst’: Lessons from Students’ ePortfolio Design in Gender/Sexuality Studies Courses.” Presented with Carmen Kynard, Re-Bundling Higher Education: High Impact ePortfolio Practice and the New Digital Ecosystem regional conference. New York, New York. March 2017.

“Documenting the Adventure: ePortfolio Use in Faculty-Led Study Abroad Programs.” Presented with Daniel Auld and Christen Madrazo, Re-Bundling Higher Education: High Impact ePortfolio Practice and the New Digital Ecosystem regional conference. New York, New York. March 2017.

“Creative Strategies for Teaching at Resource-Strapped Institutions.” Session Workshop, Eastern Sociological Society regional conference, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. February 2017.

“SWS Social Actions Initiative Awards: Why they exist and how to get one.” Workshop organizer, presented by co-organizer Sylvanna Falcón, UCSC, Sociologists for Women in Society annual meeting, Albuquerque, New Mexico. February 2017. (flight canceled due to snow storm, unable to attend)

“Queer World Las Vegas: Feminist Friendships as Resistance.” Session organizer and speaker, at the After Marriage Conference, Center for Lesbian and Gay Studies (CLAGS) of the City University of New York, Manhattan, New York. October 2016.

“The New “Traditional” Student: Teaching First Generation, Working Class, Diverse Students.” Session Workshop, at the Eastern Sociological Society regional conference, Boston, Massachusetts. March 2016.

“Meet, Mingle, and Share: Academics and Activism in the Age of Social Problems.” Discussant and Co-organizer (co-organized with Jackie Krasas, Lehigh University), Session Workshop, at the Society for the Study of Social Problems national conference, Chicago, Illinois. August 2015.

“‘I don’t know if I want to be a cop anymore’: Critical Pedagogy and the Social Construction of Crime.” Presented at a roundtable for the Eastern Sociological Society regional conference, New York, NY. February 2015.

“Reacting and Resisting: U.S. Sex Worker Rights Organizing Efforts.” Presented at the Society for the Study of Social Problems national conference, San Francisco, California. August 2014.

“Graduate Education as Transformative Justice?: Standpoints from Feminist Scholars.” Presented with Raeven Faye Chandler, M.A., Pennsylvania State College, and Lisa Thompson, John Jay College, at the Left Forum, New York City, New York. June 1, 2014.

“Counter-Narrative Resistance: Sex Worker Rights Activists Responding to Anti-Prostitution Trafficking Ideology.” Presented at the Sociologists for Women in Society Winter Meeting, Nashville, Tennessee. February 2014.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AWARDS FOR TEACHING

D3: Discover, Design, Develop Training for Online Course Development. Blackboard and related tools training to create an online course (SOC 232: Social Stratification). John Jay College-CUNY. Spring 2016. Competitive. \$2000 stipend.

EPortfolio Initiative. Digation training to develop a syllabus incorporating E-Portfolios (SOC 377: Internship). John Jay College-CUNY. Spring 2016. Competitive. \$1000 stipend.

Numerical Infusion Course for Higher Education (NICHE). City University of New York (CUNY). Summer 2015. Competitive. \$1500 stipend.

COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- F15-present Advisory Committee, Gender Studies Program, John Jay College
- F15-present “Diversity & Inclusion” Committee, Department of Sociology, John Jay College
- Sp14-present LGBTQ Taskforce, John Jay College
- Sp 2017 Awards Committee for Lavender Celebration 2017, Women’s Center for Gender Justice, John Jay College
- F16 & Sp17 Volunteer Presenter, ePortfolio table. Digital Demo Day, John Jay College
- Sp/Sum 2016 Assistant Vice President for Student Affairs Search Committee, John Jay College
- Spring 2016 Invited talk, “Our [feminist] faves are problematic: Feminism on Gloria Steinem's Feminism,” Women’s Center for Gender Justice, John Jay College, 2/22/16
- Summer 2015 HEa Search Committee, Department of Sociology (July-August 2015)
- 2014-2016 Advisor (appointed), sociology & criminology majors and minors, Department of Sociology, Majors/Minors Coordinators Committee, John Jay College
- 2014-2015 Department representative (elected), Undergraduate Curriculum and Academic Standards Committee (UCASC), John Jay College
- Sp 14 & Sp 15 Reader (volunteer), John Jay College CUNY Service Corps 2015-2016 Applicants, The Office of Community Outreach and Service-Learning

- Fall 2014 "Queer Sex Work in the City." Seminar in the City series, Center for Lesbian and Gay Studies (CLAGS), The Graduate Center, City University of New York
- Fall 2014 Organizing committee member, "Sex Worker Initiative" Fall Speaker Series, John Jay College. Moderator of one of the panels.
- Spring 2014 Host committee member. Urban Justice Center's "Sex Workers Project" Annual Fundraiser, New York, NY held June 5, 2014.
- 2013 Sociology Chair Search Committee (Fall 2013-Spring 2014)

DISCIPLINARY PROFESSIONAL SERVICE & LEADERSHIP

- 2010-present Reviewer for *Gender & Society*, *Archives of Sexual Behavior*, *Social Forces*, *Porn Studies*, *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*, *Urban Affairs Review*, *Social Sciences*, *Sexualities*, *Law and Social Inquiry*, *Feminist Criminology*, *Qualitative Sociology*; *Gender, Work, and Organization*
- 2015-2016 Sexualities Section of the American Sociological Association, Mentorship Program. Paired to mentor NYU graduate student in similar field of study.
- 2014-2015 Served as "Hand Mentor" at the 2014 and the 2015 Sociologists for Women in Society Winter Meetings (2015 in Washington, D.C., 2014 in Nashville, TN).
- 2013-2015 Chair of the Conflict, Social Action, and Change Division, Society for the Study of Social Problems (elected, August 2013 - August 2015)
- 2013-2015 Co-Chair of the Social Action Committee, Sociologists for Women in Society (elected, February 2013 - February 2015)

Book reviews

Jackson, Crystal. May 2015. Review of Sharon Oselin, *Leaving Prostitution: Getting Out and Staying Out of Sex Work*. New York and London: New York University Press. *American Journal of Sociology*. May 2015. Vol. 120(6).

Jackson, Crystal. April 2015. Review of Melinda Chateauvert, *Sex Workers Unite: A History of the Movement from Stonewall to Slutwalk*. Boston, MA: Beacon Press. *Gender & Society*. Vol. 29(2): 294-296. Available June 2014 online doi: 10.1177/0891243214540994.

Jackson, Crystal. 2014. Review of Ronald Weitzer, *Legalizing Prostitution: From Illicit Vice to Lawful Business*. New York, NY: New York University Press. *Contemporary Sociology: A Journal of Reviews*. May 2014. Vol. 43(3): 425-427.

Jackson, Crystal. 2012. Review of Eileen M. Otis, *Markets and Bodies: Women, Service Work, and the Making of Inequality in China*. Stanford, CA: Stanford University Press. *Choice Online*. July 2012. **(pre-hire)**

Jackson, Crystal. 2012. Review of Gillian Abel, Lisa Fitzgerald, Catherine Healy, with Aline Taylor (eds), *Taking the Crime Out of Sex Work: New Zealand Sex Workers' Fight for Decriminalisation*. Bristol, Great Britain: The Policy Press. *Gender & Society* Volume 26(2): 349-350. **(pre-hire)**

Jackson, Crystal. 2011. Review of Susan Dewey, *Neon Wasteland: On Love, Motherhood, and Sex Work in a Rust Belt Town*. Berkeley, CA: University of California Press. *Choice Online*. September 2011. **(pre-hire)**

SELECT PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

Miller, Dan. "Team of Academic Researchers to Conduct Survey at AVN Show." *Adult Video News (AVN)*. January 13, 2017. <https://avn.com/business/articles/video/research-survey-at-avn-show-708624.html>

Consultant for one episode of *Point Taken*, a national PBS show taped in Boston, MA. "Should Paying for Sex be a Crime?" Taped & aired May 31, 2016. (Flown to Boston for the taping, participated in social media video before the show, and in audience Q&A after the taping)

Nigro, Gillian. "IC sugar babies seek wealthy benefactors." *The Ithacan*. April 16th, 2014. <http://theithacan.org/news/ic-sugar-babies-see-wealthy-benefactors/>

Sillesen, Lene. "Shades Of a Gray Area: The Sex Trade In Brooklyn Today." *The Brooklyn Ink*. November 15, 2013. <http://thebrooklynink.com/2013/11/15/53231-shades-of-a-gray-area-the-sex-trade-in-brooklyn-today/>

Schmidt, Peter. "Scholars of Legal Brothels Offer a New Take on the 'Oldest Profession.'" *Chronicle of Higher Education*. September 18, 2011. <http://www.chronicle.com/article/Scholars-of-Legal-Brothels/129047/?sid=wb> (pre-hire)