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EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

Ph.D. candidate, degree expected August 2006, Department of Sociology.

- Dissertation: *The Cosmopolitan Court: the transnationalization of human rights and courts.*
 - Committee: Saskia Sassen (chair), Leonard S. Rubinowitz
- Special Field Areas: (1) Social Change: globalization of law; (2) Qualitative Methods

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW

J.D., Juris Doctor degree. May 1999.

- Julius Miner Moot Court, 1998 Top Five Written Appellate Brief
- Frederick Douglass Moot Court, Black Law Students Association

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY

A.B., Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology, *cum laude*. June 1996.

- Thesis: *Searching For Connections: Examining Homosexual Male Chat Services*

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Lecturer. *Sexuality and Human Rights.* University of Chicago. Autumn 2003. Summer 2005 and 2006.

- Designed new seminar for undergrad and graduate students in the Human Rights and Gender Studies programs. Advised and graded final paper projects. Led discussion and evaluated student presentations (5-8 students).

Lecturer. *Contemporary Global Issues.* University of Chicago. Winter 2005.

- Helped design curriculum for new core course of the International Studies program that examines 4-5 global issues in depth. Graded student responses to readings, and advised & graded final paper projects. Led class of 17 students.

Adjunct Professor. *Sociology 101. Introduction to Sociology.* Saint Xavier Univ. Autumn 2002.

- Taught two undergrad sections (20 students each) surveying various sociology topics. Created syllabus, administered and graded midterm & final exams, and reaction papers.

Teaching Assistant. *Contemporary Issues in Human Rights.* Lecturers Bernadine Dohrn and Susan Gzesh. Human Rights Program. University of Chicago. Spring (2002, 2003, 2004, 2005).

- Led discussion section of 20 students (undergrad and graduate). Guest lectured on Health and Human Rights. Assisted instructors in syllabus creation. Organized course research sessions. Maintained and updated course website.

Teaching Assistant. *Globalization: Theoretical and Empirical Elements.* Professor Saskia Sassen. Department of Sociology. University of Chicago. Autumn 2003.

- Created syllabus and led discussion section (of 20 undergrad and graduate students) on globalization and immigration. Assisted professor in exam creation. Graded exams.

Teaching Assistant. *Transnationalism in a Post-Colonial World.* Professor Lisa Wedeen. International Studies Concentration. University of Chicago. Winter (2002 & 2003).

- Led discussion of 15 undergrads, graded papers, and assisted in creation of exam questions.

Teaching Assistant. *The Regulation of Vice.* Senior Lecturer Jim Leitzel. Department of Economics/Public Policy Concentration. University of Chicago. Spring (2000, 2001 & 2002).

- Guest lectured on Tobacco and Internet vice. Graded papers and exams.

PUBLICATIONS & WORKS IN PROGRESS

“Public Health versus Private Freedom: The Regulation of Commercial Sex Establishments.” in *Spotlight on Public Sex and HIV.* (Center for HIV Information, UC-San Francisco). 2000.

* *Please visit my website for a link to this manuscript.*

IN PROGRESS

“Legal but Persecuted: Prostitution in Tanzania” (co-authored w/ Hillary Levitt Dunn & Deirdre Sullivan)

- article, work in progress for Spring 2006 submission

“Forgetting Justice Powell: Sodomy and the Evolving Standards of Decency”

- article, work in progress

SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

INVITED LECTURES

Understanding Judicial Restraint. Guest lecture in course: *Environmental Policy.* Public Policy concentration. University of Chicago. February 2005.

Discussant. “*From Jineteras to Raperas: Constructions of Race, Gender, and the Body in Cuba.*” Mellon Dissertation Dialogues Roundtable. Washington University. June 12, 2004.

Health and Human Rights. Guest lecture in course: *Human Rights III: Contemporary Issues in Human Rights.* Human Rights Program. University of Chicago. May 21, 2003.

The Legal History of Affirmative Action: What's Really Going On? Panelist for *Teach-In on the History, Context, and Importance of Affirmative Action.* University of Chicago. May 15, 2003.

Grounding the Oscars: A Socio-Historical Understanding of Halle Berry's 2002 Academy Award for Best Actress. Panelist for *The Oscars Revisited or Noche de los Negros* sponsored by the University of Chicago Race/Film Group. April 16, 2003.

Discussant. "Can the US do anything about Sex Trafficking in Asia?" Sponsored by the Human Rights Workshop. University of Chicago. May 8, 2002.

Bush v. Gore: An Analysis of the Supreme Court Decision. Guest lecture in course: *Symposium on Politics: What Can We Learn From the 2000 Election?* Department of Political Science. University of Illinois at Chicago. February 20, 2001.

The Regulation of Tobacco and Internet Vice: Prostitution, Gambling and Pornography. Guest lecture in *The Regulation of Vice.* Department of Economics. University of Chicago. Spring (2000 & 2001).

PAPERS

The Most Dangerous Branch: Do Courts Produce Social Change? Understanding the Role of the Supreme Court of the United States in a Globalizing World. Workshop on the Sociology and Cultures of Globalization. University of Chicago. January 20, 2004.

The McDonalds of Gay Sex? Bathhouses and Globalization. Discussant Dr. James Mittleman, at the Transnational Tools: Theories and Methodologies of Globalization conference (4th Annual Globalization Conference) sponsored by the University of Chicago, May 4, 2002.

Bathhouses as Commercial Sexual Landscapes. Refereed Roundtable. Sexualities Section. Sexualities, Space and Place (roundtable). American Sociological Association. August 16, 2002.

Electronic Space and the Digital Divide: A Theoretical Look at the Issues and Borders Surrounding Inequality in Electronic Space. Panel entitled: Internet- Inner City. Discussant Dr. Arjun Appadurai, at the Envisioning Globalization conference (3rd Annual Globalization Conference) sponsored by the University of Chicago. May 19, 2001.

Legal but Persecuted: The State of Commercial Sex Work in Tanzania. Refereed Roundtable. Sociology of Law (section). Women, Identity and Law (roundtable). American Sociological Association. August 16, 2000.

Commercial Sex Workers in Tanzania. Panel. The Study of Technology: Making a difference. Mellon Minority Undergraduate Fellowship Program and the Social Science Research Council. Rice University. June 15-18th 2000.

HONORS & FELLOWSHIPS

- Social Science Research Council, Mellon Mays Doctoral Research Grant, 2005.
- International Studies Prize Lectureship, University of Chicago, 2004.
- Mellon Dissertation Seminar Summer Fellow, 2004.
- Human Rights Lectureship, University of Chicago, 2003.

- 2003 Places OnLine Best Web Site Award, Association of American Geographers, for team project "Journey Through the Calumet" at <http://www.fieldmuseum.org/calumet>.
- Social Science Research Council, Mellon Mays Predoctoral Research Grant Fall 2001.
- University of Chicago Trustees Fellow, 1999-2005.
- Dean's List, Northwestern University School of Law, 1998 and 1999.
- Top Five Appellate Brief Julius Miner Moot Court, Northwestern School of Law, 1998.
- National Science Foundation Graduate Fellow Honorable Mention, 1996.
- Mellon Minority Undergraduate Fellow, 1994-1996.
- Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholar, 1992-1996.

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Book Review Editorial Board Member. *American Journal of Sociology*. . 2002-2004.

Manuscript Referee. *American Journal of Sociology*. 2003 and 2004.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association

Law and Society Association

LANGUAGE

Spanish-	Intermediate knowledge.
French-	Reading knowledge.
Swahili-	Basic conversational phrases.

REFERENCES

Susan Gzesh, Human Rights Program Director and Lecturer of Law. University of Chicago. Chicago, IL 60637. (773) 702-9455. sgzesh@uchicago.edu

Dorothy E. Roberts, Kirkland & Ellis Professor of Law. Northwestern University School of Law. Chicago, IL 60611. (312) 503-0397. d-roberts@law.northwestern.edu

Saskia Sassen, Ralph Lewis Professor. Department of Sociology. University of Chicago. Chicago, IL 60637. (773) 702-7279. s-sassen@uchicago.edu