

Mitchell Gresham

Curriculum Vitae

Bowling Green State University
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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Sociology (Expected Summer 2019), Bowling Green State University

Major Area: Criminology; Minor Area: Social Psychology

Dissertation: *An Examination of the Effects of Employment, Family Social Support, and Neighborhood Perception on the Likelihood of Re-incarceration for Technical Violation Among Recently Released Men and Women*

Committee: Stephen Demuth (Chair), Raymond Swisher, Danielle Kuhl, Thomas Mowen, and Michael Buerger

M.A., Sociology 2016, Bowling Green State University

Major Area: Criminology

Thesis: *Who Owns A Handgun?: An Analysis Of The Correlates Of Handgun Ownership In Young Adulthood*

Committee: Stephen Demuth (Chair), Raymond Swisher, and Jorge Chavez

B.A., Sociology and Criminal Justice (*Summa Cum Laude*) 2014, Minnesota State University Moorhead

Publications

Gresham, Mitchell and Stephen Demuth "Who Owns A Handgun?: An Analysis Of The Correlates Of Handgun Ownership In Young Adulthood" Forthcoming in *Crime and Delinquency*

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record

SOC 2020: Social Problems (Fall 2018)

SOC 1010: Principles of Sociology (Fall 2016, Spring 2017, Spring 2018)

Graduate Assistant Teaching Experience

SOC 4800: Sociology Capstone (Fall 2017) (Raymond Swisher)

Responsibilities included: Assisting students with formulating research questions, creating hypotheses, testing hypotheses using SPSS, and presenting their findings in a presentation.

SOC 1010: Principles of Sociology (Spring 2016) (Raymond Swisher)

Responsibilities included: grading assignments and exams.

SOC 1010: Principles of Sociology (Fall 2014) (Madeline Duntley)

Responsibilities included: grading assignments and exams.

Guest Lecturer

SOC 1010: Principles of Sociology (Fall 2017)

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AREAS OF INTEREST

Criminology, Mass Incarceration, Handgun Ownership, Neighborhoods, Quantitative Research Methods.

TEACHING INTERESTS

Introduction to Sociology, Research Methods, Quantitative Methods, Social Problems, Criminology, Social Deviance, Corrections

EMPLOYMENT

Graduate Assistant for Raymond Swisher, Bowling Green State University, August 2015 – present, Responsibilities include research into neighborhood racial composition and handgun ownership as well as teaching assistance duties for Sociology 1010. Graduate Assistant for

Graduate Assistant for Stephen Demuth, Bowling Green State University, May 2015 – August 2015, Responsibilities included research into police misconduct.

Graduate Assistant for Madeline Duntley, Bowling Green State University, August 2014- May 2015, Responsibilities included research into alternative religions as well as teaching assistance duties for Sociology 1010.

Tutor at Minnesota State University Moorhead August 2013 – May 2014, I tutored for Introduction to Sociology, Social Problems, and Quantitative Methods.

PRESENTATIONS

Gresham, Mitchell, Raymond Swisher, and Stephen Demuth “Group Threat and Handgun Ownership: Does Racial Minority or Immigrant Neighborhood Composition Matter?” American Criminological Society 74th Annual Meeting on Institutions, Culture, and Crime. Atlanta, GA November 2018.

Gresham, Mitchell “Who Owns A Handgun?: An Analysis Of The Correlates Of Handgun Ownership In Young Adulthood” Presented at the annual OSU/BGSU Graduate Student Conference on Population Columbus, OH, October 2017.

Gresham, Mitchell “Who Owns A Handgun?: An Analysis Of The Correlates Of Handgun Ownership In Young Adulthood” Presented at the Understanding Our Gun Culture Conference Ashland, OH, April 2016.

RESEARCH SKILLS

Quantitative Skills

Regression Techniques
Multiple Imputation
Multi-level Modeling
Propensity Score Analysis

Statistical Packages

STATA
SAS
SPSS

Data Sets

The National Longitudinal Study of Adolescent
to Adult Health (ADD Health)
Serious and Violent Offender Reentry Initiative (SVORI)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Teaching Workshops

“Incorporating Books in the Classroom”
Aurea Osgood, Winona State University

“How I Stopped Worrying and Learned to Love the Lecture”
Diane Pike, Augsburg College

“Using Discussion as a Pedagogical Strategy to Enhance Student Learning”
Jay Howard, Butler University

“Teaching Workshop on Community-Based Research”
Michele Lee Kozimor-King, Elizabethtown College

Research Workshops

“Grant Writing”

Wendy Manning, Bowling Green State University

“Propensity Score Analysis”

Dr. Shenyang Guo, Washington University

“Using the ICPSR Database: Finding Social Science Data”

Linda Detterman and Lynette Hoelter, ICPSR University of Michigan

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Reviewer, Social Problems

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association, American Society of Criminology

AWARDS AND HONORS

Awards

Bowling Green State University’s National Society of Leadership (Sigma Alpha Phi) Excellence in Teaching Award. Competitive, student-nominated, university-level teaching award. All university instructors (including instructors, non-tenure track faculty, and tenure track faculty) eligible.

Nominated for 2017 Outstanding Student Teaching Assistant from the Bowling Green State University Graduate College Awards Committee.

C. Wright Mills Sociological Imagination Award for the 2013-2014 Academic year awarded by the Sociology Department at MSUM.

Honor Society

Alpha Kappa Delta, International Sociology Honor Society, Inducted May 2013.

REFERENCES

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