

Curriculum Vitae
Nicole Hagan Wolensky Civettini

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Education

- Ph.D. 2008 (expected) Sociology, University of Iowa
Dissertation: "Same-Sex Unions: Do Theories of Marriage Apply?"
- M.A. 2003 Sociology, University of Iowa
Thesis: "Substantive Implications of Structural Balance"
- B.A. 2001 Sociology, Psychology, Marquette University
Summa Cum Laude

Dissertation

"Same-Sex Unions: Do Theories of Marriage Apply?" Department of Sociology, University of Iowa. Committee: Jennifer Glass (Chair), Ellen Lewin, Mary Noonan, Tony Paik, and Michael Sauder.

Research Interests

Sociology of the Family (marriage, cohabitation, work and family)
Social Psychology (group processes, identity)
Gender and Religion (religious conservatism and work/family conflict)
Sociology of Sport (athletic identity, cross-national gender and sport)

Honors, Awards, and Grants

- 2007 Williams Institute Public Policy Research Grant (\$4000)
The Williams Institute, UCLA School of Law
- 2006 Research Grant, Excellence in Graduate Student Research (\$1000)
University of Iowa Department of Sociology
- 2006 Graduate College Dissertation Summer Fellowship
Graduate College, University of Iowa

- 2006 Graduate Student Research Grant (\$1000)
University of Iowa Student Government
- 2005 Professional Travel Award (\$500)
University of Iowa Department of Sociology
American Sociological Association Annual Meetings
- 2005 Professional Travel Award (\$175)
Graduate Student Senate
American Sociological Association Annual Meetings
- 2004 Professional Travel Award (\$125)
University of Iowa Graduate Student Senate
Annual Midwest Sociological Society Annual Meetings
- 2002 Top Midstate History Writer, presented by the *Harrisburg Patriot*,
Harrisburg, PA
- 2001 Nominee, Outstanding Senior
College of Arts and Sciences, Marquette University
- 2001 Rev. Bruce Beiver Award for Service and Academic Excellence
Department of Sociology, Marquette University
- 2001 Knudten Award for Academic Excellence
Department of Sociology, Marquette University
- 2001 Phi Beta Kappa
- 2000 Alpha Sigma Nu, Jesuit Honor Society
- 1999 Pi Gamma Mu
- 1999 Alpha Kappa Delta
- 1998 Psi Chi

Publications

- Forthcoming Civettini, Nicole H. W., and Jennifer Glass. "The Impact of Childhood Religious Conservatism on Men's Work and Family Involvement." *Gender and Society*.
- 2007 Civettini, Nicole H. W. "Similarity and Group Performance." *Social Psychology Quarterly* 70(3):262-271.

- 2005 Wolensky, Robert, Nicole Wolensky, and Kenneth Wolensky. *Voices of the Knox Mine Disaster: Stories, Remembrances, and Reflections on the Anthracite Industry's Last Major Catastrophe January 22, 1959*. Harrisburg: Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission.
- 2002 Wolensky, Kenneth C., Nicole H. Wolensky, and Robert P. Wolensky. *Fighting for the Union Label: The Women's Garment Industry and the ILGWU in Pennsylvania*. University Park: Pennsylvania State University Press.
- 2001 Wolensky, Nicole H. 2001. "The Effects of Societal Standards of Physical Attractiveness on Body Esteem in the Elderly." *Psi Chi Journal of Undergraduate Research*, 6 (4): 153-160.
- 1999 Wolensky, Robert P., Kenneth C. Wolensky, and Nicole H. Wolensky. 1999. *The Knox Mine Disaster: The Final Years of the Northern Anthracite Industry and the Effort to Rebuild a Regional Economy*. Harrisburg: Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission.

In Progress

- Civettini, Nicole and Stephen Wieting "Creating, Maintaining, and Losing the Gymnast Identity: A Cross-National Study." *International Review for the Sociology of Sport*.
- Civettini, Nicole, and Jennifer Glass. "Family Friendly Policies and Job Exiting: An Event History Analysis."
- Civettini, Nicole and Steven Hitlin. "Self-Verification vs. Self-Enhancement and the Physiological Stress Response to Status Dissonance."
- Civettini, Nicole. "Second-Order Expectations, Identity Theory, and Structural Balance: The Interaction of Inconsistent Expectations with Gender Identity."
- Civettini, Nicole and Christabel Rogalin. "The Effects of Divorce for Children: An Updated Meta-Analysis."
- Civettini, Nicole, Bridget Conlon, Christopher Moore, and Christabel Rogalin. "Status Differences in Physiological Responses to Stress." (authors in alphabetical order)

Refereed Paper Presentations

- 2006 Glass, Jennifer, Mary C. Noonan, and Nicole Civettini. "Workplace Flexibility Policies and Wage Growth: Are the Penalties Equal for All Workers?" American Sociological Society Annual Meetings. Montreal, Canada.

- 2006 Wieting, Stephen, and Nicole Civettini. "The Lived and Reflected Self: Performance and Autobiography of Elite Female Gymnasts." Midwest Sociological Society Annual Meetings. Omaha, Nebraska.
- 2005 Wolensky (Civettini), Nicole, and Jennifer Glass. "The Impact of Childhood Religious Conservatism on Men's Work and Family Involvement." American Sociological Society Annual Meetings. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- 2005 Weiting, Stephen, and Nicole Wolensky (Civettini). "Organizational Culture in National Gymnastics Programs: A Cross-National Comparison of the U.S., Russia, China, and Romania." Midwest Sociological Society Annual Meetings. Minneapolis, Minnesota.
- 2004 Wolensky (Civettini), Nicole, and Stephen Weiting. "Creating, Maintaining, and Losing the Gymnast Identity." Midwest Sociological Society Annual Meetings; Kansas City, Missouri.
- 2004 Wolensky, Nicole. "Status, Stress Response, and Self-Verification/Self-Enhancement." Joint meetings of the Wisconsin Sociological Association, the Sociologists of Minnesota, and the Center for the Small City. Stevens Point, WI.
- 2003 Wolensky, Nicole. "Substantive Implications of Structural Balance." Midwest Sociological Society. Chicago, Illinois.
- 2003 Wolensky, Nicole, and Christabel Rogalin. "Second-Order Expectations, Identity Theory, and Structural Balance." Midwest Sociological Society Annual Meetings. Chicago, Illinois
- 2001 Wolensky, Nicole. "Evaluating the Role of Unions in 1950s Industrial America." Joint Meetings of the Wisconsin Sociological Association and the Illinois Sociological Association. Rockford, Illinois.
- 2000 Wolensky, Nicole. "Learning and Evaluation in the Active Classroom." Joint Meetings of the Wisconsin Sociological Association and the Sociologists of Minnesota. River Falls, Wisconsin.

Invited Talks and Presentations

- 2006 Guest Lecturer: "Civilization and Its Discontents," in Michael Sauder's course, *Social Theory*
- 2005 Presenter: "The Benefits of Same-Sex Marriage and Partnership." University of Iowa Theory Workshop

- 2001 Guest Lecturer: "Social Problems and the American Family," in Elizabeth Lyman's course, *Social Problems*
- 2000 Panel Member: "The Knox Mine Disaster Remembered." Anthracite Heritage Museum. Scranton, Pennsylvania.
- 1999 Wolensky, Nicole. "The Knox Mine Disaster and the Culture of Corruption." Anthracite Heritage Museum's 40th Anniversary of the Knox Mine Disaster. Scranton, Pennsylvania.
- 1999 Wolensky, Robert, Kenneth Wolensky, and Nicole Wolensky. "The Knox Mine Disaster: The Politics of Industrial Relations in the United States." Invited Paper, Department of Public Administration. University of Uzhhorod, Ukraine.

Teaching Experience

- 2007 (Fall) Instructor: Work and Family Institutions; University of Iowa
- 2007 (Fall) Lecturer: Marriage and Family; Knox College
- 2007 Instructor: The American Family; University of Iowa
- 2005 Instructor: Theory, Research, and Statistics (Research Methods); University of Iowa
- 2004 Lecturer: Social Psychology; University of Iowa

Teaching Assistant Experience

- 2005 Linear Models in Sociological Research (Graduate Statistics II); Professor Jennifer Glass
- 2004 Quantitative Data Analysis (Undergraduate Statistics); Professor Mary Noonan
- 2003 Linear Models in Sociological Research (Graduate Statistics II); Professor Jennifer Glass
- 2001-2002 Introduction to Sociology; Professor Michael Lovaglia
- 2000 Sociology of the Family; Professor Courtney Marlaire, Department of Social and Cultural Sciences, Marquette University

Research Assistant Experience

- 2006 The Impact of Childhood Religious Conservatism on Men's Work and Family Involvement; Professor Jennifer Glass

- 2005 Family-Friendly Policies and Women's Work/Family Outcomes;
Professor Jennifer Glass
- 2003 Various Projects; Professor Mary Noonan
- 2002-2003 Family-Friendly Policies and Women's Work/Family Outcomes; Effects
of Conservative Religious Upbringing on Women; Professor Jennifer
Glass
- 2000 Gay, Lesbian, and Bisexual Inclusion in Introductory and Social
Psychology Textbooks; Professor Stephen Franzoi, Department of
Psychology, Marquette University
- 1999 Body Esteem in the Elderly; Professor Stephen Franzoi, Department of
Psychology, Marquette University

Professional Affiliations

American Sociological Association
Center for the Study of Group Processes, University of Iowa
Institute for Inequality Studies, University of Iowa
Midwest Sociological Society
Sociologists for Women in Society
Williams Institute, University of California – Los Angeles
Wisconsin Sociological Association

Research-Related Skills

Statistical Methods

Categorical Data Analysis (logistic regression, logit, probit)
Event History Analysis
Meta-Analysis
Regression (OLS, WLS, Poisson, Truncated)
Structural Equation Modeling

Knowledge of Data Analysis Programs

Comprehensive: SPSS, Limdep, LISREL, Stata
Practical: SAS, NUDIST, PQMethod

Research-Related Certifications

Human Subjects Certification	01/22/2002
Blood-borne Pathogens Safety Training	03/04/2004
Lab Chemical Safety Training	03/03/2004

Basic Radiation Safety Training

03/02/2004

Workshops

- 2007 “Empirical Research with Sexual Minorities”
The Williams Institute, University of California – Los Angeles, School of Law
- 2004 “Using Radioimmunoassays to Assess Steroid Hormones in Human Saliva”
Presented by Oliver C. Schultheiss, University of Michigan
- 2003 “Event History Analysis”
Presented by Paul D. Allison, University of Pennsylvania

Service

- 2006-2007 Member, Faculty Recruitment Committee, University of Iowa
- 2002-2007 Reviewer, *The Sociological Quarterly*
- 2004-2006 Senator, Graduate and Professional Student Senate
- 2002-2006 Coordinator, Graduate Student Orientation, University of Iowa
- 2005 Reviewer, *Research in Social Stratification and Mobility*
- 2004-2005 Member, Minority Affairs Committee, University of Iowa
- 2003-2004 Member, Graduate Admissions Committee, University of Iowa
- 2003 Reviewer, *Social Problems*
- 2002-2003 Member, Theory Workshop Committee, University of Iowa
- 2000-2001 President, Pi Gamma Mu, International Honor Society in Social Sciences, Marquette University Chapter
- 2000-2001 Vice President, Psi Chi, Honor Society in Psychology, Marquette University Chapter

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