

Curriculum Vitae
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EMPLOYMENT:

2018 – Current Assistant Professor, University of Florida

Spring 2017 Adjunct Instructor, University of Delaware
Course taught: The Family (undergraduate)

EDUCATION:

2018 Ph.D., Sociology, University of California, Irvine

Dissertation Title: Fathers Behind Bars: A Qualitative Examination of
Father-Child Relationships During Incarceration

Dissertation Committee:
Chair: Kristin Turney
Members: Andrew Penner, Dave Snow, Jodi Quas

2012 M.A., Sociology, University of California, Irvine

2010 B.A., Criminology
B.A., Psychology
University of Denver
(Magna Cum Laude, Distinction in Criminology)

RESEARCH SPECIALIZATIONS:

Inequality, incarceration, families, youth, juvenile delinquency, foster care, child development,
gender, family violence

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS:

Adams, Britni L. 2018. "Paternal Incarceration and the Family: Fifteen Years in
Review." *Sociology Compass*, 12(3): 1-14. <https://doi.org/10.1111/soc4.12567>

Helen Milojevich, Jodi Quas, and Britni L. Adams. 2017. "The Role of Sibling

Relationships in Maltreated Youth Residing in Out-of-Home-Care.” *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*. 1-27. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1177/0886260517730562>

Turney, Kristin, Britni L. Adams, Emma Conner, Rebecca Goodsell, and Janet Muniz. 2017. “Challenges and Opportunities for Conducting Research on Children of Incarcerated Fathers.” *Sociological Studies of Children and Youth*, Volume 22, 199-221.

Adams, Britni L., Joseph King, Andrew M. Penner, Nina Bandelj, and Aleksandra Mrčela. 2016. “The Returns to Education and Labor Market Sorting in Slovenia, 1993-2007.” *Research on Social Stratification and Mobility*, 4: 55-65. doi:10.1016/j.rssm.2016.06.002

Rafalow, Matthew H. and Britni L. Adams. 2016. “Navigating the Tavern: Digitally Mediated Connections and Relationship Persistence in Bar Settings.” *Symbolic Interaction*, 40(1):25-42. DOI:10.1002/SYMB.268

Polletta, Francesca, Monica Trigoso, Britni L. Adams, and Amanda Ebner. 2013. “The Limits of Plot: Accounting for How Women Interpret Stories of Sexual Assault.” *American Journal of Cultural Sociology*, 1(3): 289-320.

BOOK CHAPTERS:

Turney, Kristin, and Britni L. Adams. 2016. “Considering Risk and Resiliency among Children of Incarcerated Parents.” In L. M. Burton, D. Burton, S. M. McHale, V. King, and J. Van Hook (Eds.), *Boys and Men in African American Families*. New York: Springer.

WORKS IN PROGRESS:

Adams, Britni L and Kristin Turney. “Effort in Parenting: Jailed Fathers’ Perspectives on their Family of Origin.”

Adams, Britni L. “When Mom is Responsible: Maternal Maltreatment Effects on Healthy Relationship Development.”

Adams, Britni, L. “Obstructed Fatherhood: Young Fathers’ Perspectives About Parenting from Jail.”

Adams, Britni L and Kristin Turney. ‘I Can’t Do Much Right Now’: Young Fathers’ Relationships with Their Children While in Jail.

Adams, Britni L. (How) Do Adults Matter?: The Role of Caring Adults in the Lives of Maltreated Youth

PRESENTATIONS/CONFERENCES:

2019 Job Search Panel for Criminology Graduate Students. University of Florida,

Department of Sociology and Criminology & Law. With Dr. Brenden Beck and Erin Castro

- 2018 “Learning to Parent: Jailed Fathers’ Perspectives on Caregivers in Their Family of Origin.” Paper presentation at Southern Criminal Justice Association, Sept. 13, Pensacola, FL.
- 2018 “Reversed Transitions to Adulthood: Jailed Fathers’ Perspectives on Caregivers in Their Family of Origin.” Paper presentation at Society for the Study of Social Problems, Aug. 10, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2017 “What Makes a Good Father? Young Fathers’ Perspectives About Parenting from Jail.” Paper presentation at American Sociological Association, Aug. 12-15, Montréal, Québec, Canada.
- 2017 “Consequences of Family Violence: Youth Perspectives as They Transition to Adulthood.” Project presentation for the UCI Initiative to End Family Violence, May 23, 2017.
- 2015 “The Returns to Education and Labor Market Sorting in Transition Economies: The Case of Slovenia, 1993-2007.” Paper Presentation at Developmental Conference for Special Issue in RSM, June 1-3, Bielefeld, Germany.
- 2015 “The Returns to Education and Labor Market Sorting in Transition Economies: The Case of Slovenia, 1993-2007.” Paper Presentation at RC28, May 27-30, Tilburg, Netherlands.
- 2015 “When Mom is Responsible: Maternal Maltreatment Affects Healthy Relationship Development.” Presentation at Western Society of Criminology, Feb. 17-19, Phoenix, AZ.
- 2014 “The Returns to Education and Labor Market Sorting in Transition Economies: The Case of Slovenia, 1993-2007.” Presentation at Population Association of America, May 1-3, Boston, MA.
- 2013 “The Returns to Education and Labor Market Sorting in Transition Economies: The Case of Slovenia, 1993-2007.” Critical Dialogue at Society for the Study of Social Problems, Aug 8-14, New York, NY.
- 2011 “Work Identity and Passion while Advocating for Juvenile Justice Reform.” Western Society of Criminology Conference, Feb. 3-5, Vancouver, B. C.
- 2010 “The Passion Behind the Practice: Women Who Advocate for Girl Offenders and Work Toward Juvenile Justice Reform.” Research Symposium, University of Denver.
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AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, and GRANTS:

Fall 2018 Nominated for a Teaching Award at UF
2016-2017 UCI Initiative to End Family Violence Fellowship: \$3,500
2016-2017 UCI Graduate Dean Dissertation Fellowship, Two Quarters: \$22,997
2016 UCI President's Dissertation Year Fellowship, Honorable Mention
2015 Travel covered by the RSSM Special Issue Developmental Conference: \$2,100
2012 UCEC Institute for Training in Educational Evaluation
2012 The Center of the Study of Democracy Affiliate: \$800
2011 The Center of the Study of Democracy Affiliate: \$1,500
2011 NSF Graduate Research Fellowship, Honorable Mention
2010 Wilbert E. Moore Award for Outstanding Scholarship
2009 Social Science Scholar Award for Outstanding Academic & Creative Excellence
2009 Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences Undergraduate Scholar: \$5,000
2009 Alpha Kappa Delta, National Sociology Honors Society
2008 University Summer Research Grant: \$3,400
2006-2010 Dean's List
2006-2010 Hornbeck Scholar
2006 Alpha Lambda Delta, First Year Honors Society

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

2018 Program Committee for American Society for Criminology Annual Conference
2019 in San Francisco, CA.

2018 Search Committee Member for Tenure-track faculty in Race, Class, and Gender

2018 First Year Faculty Training Academy

RESEARCH ASSISTANSHIPS:

2015-2017 Graduate Research Assistant, Project Manager, for Kristin Turney. Jail & Family
Life Study.

2013-2014 Graduate Research Assistant for Kristin Turney

2011/2012 Graduate Research Assistant for Andrew M. Penner

2009 Intern at the Women's Resource Agency in the InterCept Too Program

ADDITIONAL RESEARCH TRAINING:

2012 University of California Education Evaluation Center, Institute for Training in
Educational Evaluation

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

- S2019 Guest Lecture: “Jail, Family, and Fatherhood” for Women and Crime course. University of Florida.
- S2019 Courses taught – University of Florida
Romantic Relationships & The Family (undergraduate)
Violence Across the Life Course (undergraduate)
- F2018 Courses taught – University of Florida
Romantic Relationships & The Family (undergraduate)
Violence Across the Life Course (undergraduate)
- S2018 Guest Lecture: “Mass Incarceration and the Family” for Introduction to Criminal Justice Course (undergraduate). University of Delaware
- S2018 Courses taught – University of Delaware
The Family (undergraduate)
- 2017 Mini-workshop titled “Writing Success Mini-Workshop” presenting on information from the National Center for Development and Diversity, Dissertation Success Program.
- 2014-2015 Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, University of California, Irvine. Courses: Abnormal Psychology, Probability and Statistics, Sociology Majors Seminar
- 2012-2013 Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, University of California, Irvine. Courses: Probability and Statistics, Introduction to Psychology, Personality Theory
- 2011-2012 Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, University of California, Irvine. Courses: Abnormal Psychology, Sociology Majors Seminar, Sports Psychology
- 2010-2011 Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, University of California, Irvine. Courses: Abnormal Psychology, Probability and Statistics, Introduction to Psychology
- Fall 2009 Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology/Criminology, University of Denver. Course: Introduction to Sociology

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE:

- 2014-2018 Volunteer for StandUp for Kids, Orange County—mentor and street outreach
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2008-2010 The Bridge Project in Denver, CO. Volunteer tutor for youth in disadvantaged schools

2009 Project Homeless Connect in Denver, CO at Coors Field

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REFERENCES:

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