

**Curriculum Vitae**  
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**EDUCATION**

- M.A. 2009 University of Connecticut, Storrs, Connecticut, Department of Sociology  
Masters Thesis: “Labor Market Conditions, Segregation, and Racial Income Disparities: A Study of Urban Inequality” (Chair: Michael Wallace)
- B.A. 2006 University of Maine at Farmington, Farmington, Maine  
Sociology/Anthropology (magna cum laude)  
Honors Thesis: “Presenting the Final Image: A Dramaturgical Analysis of Death and Funeral Rituals in Maine” (Chair: Julianna Acheson)

**RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS**

Urban Sociology  
Social Stratification/Inequality  
Work and Occupations  
Quantitative Methods

**FELLOWSHIPS**

- 2010 Pre-doctoral Fellowship (\$507), Spring Semester, University of Connecticut  
2009 Pre-doctoral Fellowship (\$507), Fall Semester, University of Connecticut  
2008 Warren Jay Mitofsky Graduate Fellowship (\$1,200), University of Connecticut

**PAPERS UNDER REVIEW/IN PROGRESS**

Gordon Gauchat, Michael Wallace, Casey A. Borch and Travis Scott Lowe. “Military Spending, Economic Well-being and Labor Market Quality in U.S. Metropolitan Areas.” Revise and Resubmit at *City and Community*.

Travis Scott Lowe and Michael Wallace. “Globalization, Labor Markets, and White Advantage: New Evidence on White-Black Earnings Differences in U.S. Metropolitan Areas.” Will soon be submitted to *Sociological Forum*.

Travis Scott Lowe. "The Balancing Act: The Effects of Work-Family Conflict on Work Attitudes." Will soon be submitted to *Community, Work, & Family*.

Travis Scott Lowe and Mary J. Fischer. "Quality versus Quantity: The Subprime Mortgage Crisis and the New Racial Inequality." First draft in preparation.

Gordon Gauchat, Travis Scott Lowe and Michael Wallace. "Science Habitus, Work Outcomes, and Economic Well-Being." First draft in preparation.

#### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

Travis Scott Lowe and Michael Wallace. 2009. "Labor Market Differences and the Racial/Ethnic Income Gap: A Study of Urban Inequality." Eastern Sociological Association Meeting, Baltimore, MD, March 19-22.

Gordon Gauchat, Michael Wallace, Casey A. Borch, and Travis Scott Lowe. 2009. "Military Spending, Labor Market Stability, and Economic Well-being in U.S. Metropolitan Areas." Eastern Sociological Association Meeting, Baltimore, MD, March 19-22.

Travis Scott Lowe. 2008. "Labor Market Conditions, Segregation, and the Racial Income Gap: A Study of Urban Inequality." Urban Sociology Research Symposium, University of Connecticut, May 8.

#### **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

2006 (Fall) Research Assistant for Professor Bradley Wright (located data sets and examined religious differences in social behaviors and attitudes).

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

2010 (Spring) Instructor, *Introduction to Sociology (Writing-Intensive)*, Department of Sociology, University of Connecticut (Two sections).

2009 (Fall) Instructor, *Introduction to Sociology (Writing-Intensive)*, Department of Sociology, University of Connecticut (Two sections).

2009 (Spring) Lab Instructor for *Quantitative Methods II (Graduate Course)*, Professor Simon Cheng, Department of Sociology, University of Connecticut.

2008 (Fall) Discussion Leader for *Introduction to Sociology*, Professor Davita Glasberg, Department of Sociology, University of Connecticut.

2008 (Fall) Lab Instructor for *Quantitative Methods in Social Research*, Professor Mary Fischer, Department of Sociology, University of Connecticut.

2008 (Spring) Lab Instructor for *Quantitative Methods in Social Research*, Professor Michael Wallace, Department of Sociology, University of Connecticut.

2007 (Fall) Lab Instructor for *Quantitative Methods in Social Research*, Professor Mary Fischer, Department of Sociology, University of Connecticut.

2007 (Spring) Lab Instructor for *Quantitative Methods in Social Research*, Professor Michael Wallace, Department of Sociology, University of Connecticut.

2006 (Fall) Teaching Assistant for Professor Gaye Tuchman, *Social Theory*, Department of Sociology, University of Connecticut.

#### **DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE**

Graduate Programming Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Connecticut (Fall 2009-Spring 2010)

#### **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

American Sociological Association  
Eastern Sociological Society

#### **REFERENCES**

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