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CURRENT POSITION

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| Assistant Professor 2009-Present | Critical Studies Program, California College of the Arts <i>Courses taught:</i> Foundations in Critical Studies, First Amendment and Censorship, Policing the Body, Visual Sociology |
| Associate Researcher 2010-Present | Islamophobia Research and Documentation Project Center for Race and Gender, UC Berkeley Research Project: <i>Visualizing Islamophobia</i> |
| Visiting Assistant Professor 2008-2009 | Department of Sociology and American Studies, Grinnell College <i>Courses taught:</i> Contemporary Asian American Issues, American Beliefs and Cultural Values, Race and Popular Culture |

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

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| 2008 | Ph.D. in Cultural Studies Claremont Graduate University (Claremont, CA) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dissertation Title: <i>Governmentalizing Hate Violence</i>Dissertation Committee: Ranu Samantrai (Chair), Antonia Darder, & Edward Park |
| 1996 | Master of Arts in Political Science San Francisco State University (San Francisco, CA) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Thesis Title: <i>Political Theology of Chinese in America</i> |
| 1994 | Bachelor of Arts in Political Science Minor in Asian American Studies San Francisco State University (San Francisco, CA) |

PUBLICATIONS

- "Visualizing Islamophobia: The Making and Unmaking of Identity." (In progress)
- "Teaching Sociology in an Art College Curriculum: Challenges and Opportunities." (In progress)
- "The Language of Hate: Hate Speech and the Language of War." (In progress)
- "Governmentalizing Hate: Theorizing Risk in Hate Violence Regulation." (In progress)
- Co-author with Dionne Benson-Smith, Ph.D., "Husbands, Wives and Next of Kin: De-Linking Race, Sex, Marriage and The Family in Law and Public Policy." (In progress)

INSTITUTIONAL RESEARCH

- "Social Science Survey: Analysis of Student Needs and Assessment." (Spring 2010)
- "Foundations in Critical Studies Survey: Analysis of Student Attitudes and Assessment." (Spring 2010)
- "New Faculty Orientation Evaluation." (Fall 2010)

FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS, HONORS

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| 2007 | Recognition of Outstanding Teacher Performance Public and International Affairs Department, George Mason University |
| 2003-2004 | Claremont Graduate University Dissertation Fellow Claremont Graduate University |
| 1996 | Wasserman Award for Best Graduate Paper Department of Political Science, San Francisco State University |
| 1996 | Gary K. Fan Award for Distinguished Leadership and Service Department of Political Science, San Francisco State University |
| 1996 | Graduate Student Award for Distinguished Achievement College of Behavioral and Social Sciences, San Francisco State University |
| 1996 | Medal of Distinguished Achievement Pi Sigma Alpha, National Political Science Honor Society |
| 1994-1995 | Graduate Equity Fellowship Division of Graduate Studies and Research, San Francisco State University |

SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS & INVITED LECTURES

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| Panel Presenter April 2011 | "Media Representations of Husbands, Wives, and Next of Kin: De-Linking Race, Sex, Marriage and The Family in Law and Public Policy" Western Political Science Association, San Antonio, TX |
| Panel Presenter September 2009 | "Are We Living in a Post-Racial USA?" First Year Program, California College of the Arts, Oakland, CA |
| Panel Presenter September 2009 | "Critical Race Theory and Deconstructing Race in Proposition 8" Visual and Critical Studies Forum, California College of the Arts, Oakland, CA |
| Panel Presenter April 2009 | "Critical Race Theory and Interdisciplinarity" Sturm College of Law, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA |
| Panel Presenter February 2009 | "State of Hate Violence on College Campuses" Hate Violence Roundtable, Grinnell College, Grinnell, IA |
| Invited Lecture March 2008 | "Theorizing 'Risk' and State Power in the Regulation of Hate Violence" Sociology Department, Grinnell College, Grinnell, IA |
| Panel Chair November 2005 | "Inhabiting the Classroom: Pedagogies of Identity and Place" American Studies Conference, Washington, DC |
| Invited Lecture June 2004 | "'Words That Wound' – A Cultural Analysis of Pain and Injury in Hate Speech" Northwestern University, Chicago, IL |
| Invited Lecture February 2004 | "Governmentalizing Hate – The Discursive Construction of 'Sexual Orientation' in the Hate Crime Statistics Act of 1990" Trinity College, Hartford, CT |
| Panel Presenter April 2002 | "The Practice of Teaching in a Time of Crisis" National Association for Asian American Studies, Salt Lake City, Utah |
| Panel Presenter February 2002 | "Crisis and State Power" Southern California Regional Conference for the Association for Asian American Studies, Loyola Marymount University |

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| Panel Presenter March 2001 | "eFORUM@apam.lmu.edu: A Pilot Project in Interactive Multimedia for Asian Pacific American Studies" Association for Asian American Studies Conference, Toronto, Canada |
| Panel Presenter February 2001 | "Practical Approaches to Pedagogy: An Organizing Session" Pedagogy and Performance in Asian American Studies Conference UC Riverside |

SELECTED TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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| California College of the Arts 2009-Present | Critical Studies Program <i>Courses taught:</i> Foundations in Critical Studies, First Amendment and Censorship, Policing the Body, Visual Sociology |
| Grinnell College 2008-2009 | Sociology Department <i>Courses taught:</i> Contemporary Asian American Experience, Race and Popular Culture, The Politics of Hate Violence |
| George Mason University 2006-2008 | Public and International Affairs <i>Course taught:</i> Democratic Theory and Practice |
| Santa Monica College 2004-2006 | Department of Politics <i>Course taught:</i> National and California Government |
| Loyola Marymount University 1999-2006 | American Cultures and Asian Pacific American Studies Program <i>Courses taught:</i> Race and Culture, Race and Hate Violence, Introduction to Asian Pacific American Studies, Contemporary Asian American Issues, Immigration and Globalization |

ACADEMIC SERVICE

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| Committee Member 2010-Present | Executive Committee California College of the Arts |
| Committee Member 2010-Present | President's Committee on Diversity California College of the Arts |
| Committee Member 2009-2010 | Humanities and Science Undergraduate Curriculum Committee California College of the Arts |
| Committee Member 2008-2009 | External Review for the Sociology Department Grinnell College |
| Graduate Representative 2002-2004 | National Association for Asian American Studies |
| Interim Co-Director 2001-2002 | American Cultures Program Loyola Marymount University |
| Conference Coordinator 2001-2002 | VIOLENCE / ACTIVISM / AGENCY, A Southern California Regional Conference for the Association for Asian American Studies, Loyola Marymount University |
| Curriculum Development 2000-2001 | American Cultures Curriculum Development American Cultures Program, Loyola Marymount University |
| Project Coordinator 2000 | eFORUM/APAM Interactive Media Project Asian Pacific American Studies Program, Loyola Marymount University URL: http://bellarmine.lmu.edu/apam/eforum/index.html (link nonfunctional) |

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

International Visual Sociology Association
American Sociological Association
Association for Asian American Studies
Law, Culture, and Humanities Association
Cultural Studies Association

REFERENCES

Professor Ranu Samantrai (Dissertation Advisor)
English Department, Indiana University
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