

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Academic Position

- 2004-present Associate Professor and Director of Graduate Studies. Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee; also member of the Urban Studies Program faculty
- 2002-2004 Assistant Professor. Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee;
- 1995-2002 Assistant Professor. Department of Sociology, Indiana University, Bloomington
- 2000-2001 Director of Undergraduate Studies. Department of Sociology, Indiana University, Bloomington
- 1993-1995 Lecturer. Department of Sociology, Indiana University, Bloomington.

Education

- 1995 Ph.D. Department of Sociology, UNC-Chapel Hill. "Making Power: Elites in the Constitution of Disfranchisement in North Carolina, 1880-1900."
- 1990 M.A. Department of Sociology, UNC-Chapel Hill. "The Structural Conditions for 19th Century Populism: Continuity and Disjuncture Between the North Carolina Farmers' Alliance and People's Party."
- 1986 B.A. Department of Political Science, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

Publications

Book

- 2003 Redding, Kent. *Making Race, Making Power: North Carolina's Road to Disfranchisement*, University of Illinois Press.

Articles, Book Chapters

- 2007 Redding, Kent. "Structural Transformation" in *International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences*, 2nd edition, edited by William A. Darity, Jr. MacMillian/Thomson Gale.
- 2005 Redding, Kent, David R. James, and Joshua Klugman. "The Politics of Racial Policy," a peer-reviewed chapter (pp. 187-198) in *The Handbook of Political Sociology: States, Civil Societies, and Globalization*, edited by Thomas Janoski, Robert Alford, Alexander M. Hicks & Mildred Schwartz, Cambridge University Press
- 2005 James, David R. and Kent Redding. "Theories of Race and State," a peer-reviewed chapter (pp. 546-565) in *The Handbook of Political Sociology: States, Civil Societies, and Globalization*, edited by Thomas Janoski, Robert Alford, Alexander M. Hicks & Mildred Schwartz, Cambridge University Press
- 2001 Redding, Kent and David R. James. "Estimating Levels and Modeling Determinants of Black and White Voter Turnout in the South: 1880 to 1912," *Historical Methods*, 34:4: 141-158
- 1999 Redding, Kent and Jocelyn S. Viterna. "Political Demands, Political Opportunities: Explaining the Differential Success of Left-Libertarian Parties." *Social Forces*, 78: 491-510.
- 1997 Blau, Judith R., Kent Redding, Walter R. Davis, and Kenneth C. Land. "Spatial Processes and the Duality of Church and Faith: A Simmelian Perspective on U.S. Denominational Growth, 1900-1930" *Sociological Perspectives*, 40:557-580.
- 1993 Blau, Judith R., Kent Redding, and Kenneth C. Land. "Ethnocultural Cleavages and the Growth of Church Membership in the United States, 1860-1930." *Sociological Forum*, 8:609-639.
- 1992 Redding, Kent. "Failed Populism: Movement-Party Disjuncture in North Carolina, 1890-1900." *American Sociological Review*, 57:340-352.
- 1992 Blau, Judith R., Kenneth C. Land, and Kent Redding. "The Expansion of Religious Affiliation: An Explanation of the Growth of Church Participation in the U.S., 1850-1930." *Social Science Research*, 21: 329-352.

Working Papers and Research in Progress

Peter J. Barwis and Kent Redding. "Democracy: Terror's Antidote or Breeding Ground?"

Kent Redding. "The Political Incorporation of Women: Mobilization, Opportunity, and Cooptation."

Kent Redding. "Political Incorporation from Above or Below? Male Suffrage Extension, Western Europe, 1840-1931."

Redding, Kent and David James. "From Mobilization to Disfranchisement: Black and White Voter Turnout and the Formation of the Southern Racial State"

James, David and Kent Redding. "An Analytical Solution to the Ecological Inference Problem"

Culley, Aaron and Kent Redding. "The Conqueror and the Shogun: State Building and the Extraction of Information."

Book Reviews

- 2006 Book review of *The Disfranchisement Myth: Poor Whites and Suffrage Restriction in Alabama*, by Glenn Feldman. *The Journal of American History*
- 2005 Book review of *Pathways to Prohibition: Radicals, Moderates, and Social Movement Outcomes*, by Ann-Marie E. Szymanski. *Mobilization*.
- 2003 Book review of *Cultural Dilemmas of Progressive Politics: Styles of Engagement Among Grassroots Activists*, by Stephen Hart. *American Journal of Sociology*
- 2000 Book review of *Social Movements and American Political Institutions: People, Passions, and Power*, by Anne N. Costain and Andrew S. McFarland, eds., *Contemporary Sociology*
- 1998 Book review of *The People's Lobby: Organizational Innovation and the Rise of Interest Group Politics in the United States, 1890-1925*, by Elisabeth Clemens. *Social Forces*.
- 1996 Book review of *A Festival of Violence: An Analysis of Southern Lynchings, 1882-1930*, by Stewart E. Tolnay and E.M. Beck. *Social Forces*.
- 1994 Book review of *The Churching of America, 1776-1990*, by Roger Finke and Rodney Stark. *American Journal of Sociology*.

Professional Presentations

- 2007 Peter J. Barwis and Kent Redding. "Democracy: Terror's Antidote or Breeding Ground?" American Sociological Association Meetings, Minneapolis, MN.

- 2006 Kent Redding. "The Political Incorporation of Women: Mobilization, Opportunity, and Cooptation." Social Science History Association Meetings, Minneapolis, MN.
- 2006 Kent Redding. "Political Incorporation from Above or Below? Male Suffrage Extension, Western Europe, 1840-1931." American Sociological Association Meetings, Montreal, Canada.
- 2005 Kent Redding. "Comparative Political Incorporation." Social Science History Association Meetings, Portland, OR.
- 2004 David James and Kent Redding. "Remaking the Racial State in the Post-Civil War South." American Sociological Association Meetings, San Francisco, CA.
- 2001 James, David and Kent Redding. "An Analytical Solution to the Ecological Inference Problem." Social Science History Association Meetings, Chicago, IL
- 2000 Viterna, Jocelyn and Kent Redding. "More Than Motherhood: Explaining Women's High-Risk Activism in El Salvador." American Sociological Association meetings, Washington, DC (in August)
- 1999 Redding, Kent and Arthur S. Alderson. "Explaining Variation in Support for Left-Libertarian Parties: A Pooled Time-Series of Cross-Sections Approach." American Sociological Association meetings, Chicago, IL.
- 1998 Redding, Kent and David R. James. "Disfranchisement by Race: The Determinants of Black and White Voter Turnout in the Late 19th Century South." Social Science History Association meetings, Chicago, IL.
- 1998 Redding, Kent and Jocelyn S. Viterna. "Political Opportunities, Political Demands: Explaining the Differential Success of Left-Libertarian Parties." American Sociological Association meetings, San Francisco, CA.
- 1996 Redding, Kent. "Green Political Action: A Comparative Analysis of Movement-Party Relationships." Social Science History Association meetings, New Orleans, LA.
- 1996 Redding, Kent. "Confining Institutions, Changing Political Processes: Disfranchisement and Party Organization in North Carolina, 1880-1900." American Sociological Association meetings, New York, NY
- 1995 Redding, Kent. "The Road to Disfranchisement in North Carolina: The construction of Racial Politics Through Political Organization, 1880-1900." Social Science History Association Annual Meetings, Chicago, IL.

- 1993 Redding, Kent. "The Structuring of Southern Voter Turnout, 1880-1910." American Sociological Association Annual Meetings, Miami, FL.
- 1992 Blau, Judith R., Kent Redding, and Kenneth C. Land. "Ethnocultural Cleavages, Denominations, and the Growth in Church Membership in the United States, 1860-1930." American Sociological Association Annual Meetings, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 1991 Redding, Kent. "Failed Populism: Movement-Party Disjuncture in North Carolina, 1890-1900." American Sociological Association Annual Meetings, Cincinnati, Ohio.
- 1991 Blau, Judith R., Kent Redding, and Kenneth C. Land. "The Churching of America: Towards an Explanation of the Growth of U.S. Religious Participation, 1850-1930." American Sociological Association Annual Meetings, Cincinnati, Ohio.
- 1991 Redding, Kent. "The Structural Conditions for 19th Century Populism: The North Carolina Farmers' Alliance and People's Party." Southern Sociological Society Annual Meetings, Atlanta, Georgia.

Research Experience

- 1989-1993 Research Assistant to Judith R. Blau and Kenneth C. Land, an NSF funded project on "The Historical Transformation of Cultural Institutions."
- 1990-1993 Consultant, North Carolina Civil Liberties Union, doing historical research on a Voting Rights Act case in Trenton, NC.

Teaching Experience

- Present Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. Introduction to Sociology, Political Sociology, Collective Behavior and Social Movements, Classical Sociological Theory
- 1993-2002 Lecturer, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Indiana University, Bloomington. Introduction to Sociology, Social Theory, Collective Action and Social Movements (graduate and undergraduate), Politics and Society, Social Movements and Social Policy, The Teaching of Undergraduate Sociology, Political Economy Workshop.
- 1989-93 Instructor, Department of Sociology, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. Sociological Theory, and Introduction to Sociology.
- 1990 Author, "Course Manual for Introduction to Sociology," a 142 page booklet for an

Independent Study Course, University of North Carolina System.

Graduate Student Theses and Examination Committees

- Karen Kotiw (UWM), M.A. paper chair
- Shiquise Davis (UWM), M.A. paper chair
- Nik Summers (UWM), M.A. paper chair
- Joelle Anderson (UWM), M.A. paper chair
- Peter Barwis (UWM), M.A. paper chair (completed 2007)
- Heather Price (UWM), M.A. paper committee (completed 2007)
- Dar Fehrman (UWM), preliminary examination and Ph.D. committee
- Vincent Ciatti (UWM), M.A. examination committee
- Ozgur Avci (UWM-USP), preliminary examination and co-chair, Ph.D. committee
- Stephen Watrous (UWM), co-chair M.A. paper committee (completed 2007)
- Adam Lippert (UWM), M.A. paper chair (completed 2006)
- Megan Heurion (UWM), M.A. examination chair (completed 2006)
- Hope Sommerfeldt (UWM), M.A. paper committee (completed 2006)
- Andy Tigert (UWM), M.A. examination chair (completed 2006)
- Gail Roberts (UWM), M.A. examination chair (completed 2005)
- Dawn Helmrich (UWM), MA paper committee (completed 2005)
- Jaime Scherr (UWM), M.A. examination committee (completed 2005)
- Rebecca Marth (UWM), M.A. paper committee (completed 2005)
- Justin Flach (UWM), M.A. paper chair (completed 2005)
- Eunice Ritland (UWM), M.A. paper chair (completed 2005)
- Kevin Fatica (UWM), M.A. examination committee
- Marcus White (UWM, Urban Studies), M.A. thesis committee
- Jocelyn Viterna (Indiana University – hereafter, IU -- now assistant professor at Tulane University), Dissertation Chair
- Aaron Culley (IU, now assistant professor at Wingate University), Dissertation Chair
- Joshua Klugman (IU), M.A. thesis chair
- Kim Saliba (IU, now assistant professor at Portland Community College), Dissertation Chair
- Janet Myers (IU), Dissertation committee member
- Jocelyn Viterna (IU), Chair, Preliminary Examination Committee
- Aaron Culley (IU), Chair, Preliminary Examination Committee
- Radhika Desai (IU), Member, Preliminary Examination Committee
- Jason Schnittker (IU), Member, Preliminary Examination Committee
- Terri Winnick (IU), Member, Preliminary Examination Committee

Service Activities

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Service

- Director of Graduate Studies and Chair of the Graduate Committee, Department of

Sociology (2004-present)

- Chair, Academic Policies and Course and Curriculum Committee, College of Letters and Science (2004-05)
- Chair, Student Affairs Committee, Urban Studies Program (2004-05, 2007-present)
- Member, Student Affairs Committee, Urban Studies Program (2005-07)
- Member, Personnel Committee, Department of Sociology (2004-05)
- Member, Steering Committee, Urban Studies Program (2004-05)
- Chair, Degree Requirement Review subcommittee of the Course and Curriculum Committee, College of Letters and Science (2003-04)
- Member, Course and Curriculum Committee, College of Letters and Science (2003-04)
- Member, Black and Gold Commission Action Team on Instructional Strategies (2002-03)
- Member, Black and Gold Commission Action Team, Improving Freshman and Sophomore Instruction and Learning subcommittee (2002-03)
- Sociology Department Liaison, Center for 21st Century Studies (2003-present)
- Member, Department of Sociology Graduate Committee (2002-2004)
- Member, Urban Studies Program Graduate Affairs Committee (2003-2004)

Indiana University Service

- Director of Undergraduate Studies (2000-01)
- Coordinator of Associate Instructors (supervised all TAs and graduate students teaching their own courses) (1997-2001)
- Teaching Award Evaluation Committee (1997-2001)
- Undergraduate Affairs Committee (1999-2001)
- Political Economy Workshop advisor and participant (1993-2001)
- Department Executive Committee (1995-1997)
- Personnel Committee (1996-97)
- Preliminary Examination Committee (1993-1997)
- Library Committee (1993-1995)
- Lilly Foundation Summer Fellow, collaborative, interdisciplinary project aimed at increasing retention for undergraduates.
- Presentations at Student Alumni Association Sibs Weekend (1996) and Freshman Expo (2000)

Professional Service

- Regular Session Organizer and Presider, American Sociological Association Regular Session on “Voting and Electoral Politics,” 2007
- Chair/Facilitator, American Sociological Association conference panel for Directors of Graduate Studies, 2007
- Discussant, Social Science History Association panel, “Audiences and Publics: Dynamics of Racial Inclusion and Exclusion”
- Co-Chair, States and Societies Network, Social Science History Association, 2005-present (convener and organizer of 10-12 conference panels annually for SSHA meetings).
- Referee

- American Journal of Sociology
- American Sociological Review
- Social Forces
- Sociological Theory
- Social Problems
- Mobilization
- Book manuscript reviewer, University of Georgia Press (2004); Roxbury Press (2005)
- Chair and Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Social Science History Association, 2005, Portland, OR, “Authors meet critics” book panel on *The End of Southern Exceptionalism*, by Byron Shafer and Richard Johnson.
- Chair and Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Social Science History Association, 2004, Chicago, IL, panels on “Comparative Perspectives on States and Social Movements” and “Disfranchisement in the Southern U.S. in Historical Perspective, 1890s-2000”
- Nominee, Council, Political Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association (2000)
- Discussant, Annual Meeting of the Social Science History Association, Washington, DC, panel on “Politics and Race in the Nineteenth Century” (1997)
- Session Organizer, Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, 1996, New York City. Prepared 5 “open session” panels on political sociology, including selection of panelists, presiders, and discussants from 60 paper submissions.

Community Service

- Habitat for Humanity Volunteer (2006)
- Youth Soccer Coach, Milwaukee Kickers (2003-2006, 2007-present)
- Organizer, Member, Bryan Park Neighborhood Association (Bloomington IN)
- Parent-Teacher, Hoosier Courts Cooperative Nursery School (Bloomington IN)
- Youth Soccer Coach, YMCA (Bloomington IN)

Awards

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| 2001 | Outstanding Mentor Award, given by the Sociology Graduate Student Association, Indiana University |
| 2001 | Co-Recipient, American Sociological Association Distinguished Contributions to Teaching Award (given to Bernice Pescosolido, Brian Powell, and Kent Redding for the Department of Sociology at Indiana University) |
| 1999 | Sutherland Teaching Award, Department of Sociology, Indiana University. |
| 1999 | Teaching Excellence Recognition Award, Indiana University. |
| 1998 | Lilly Summer Teaching Fellow, Indiana University. |
| 1998 | Teaching Excellence Recognition Award, Indiana University. |

- 1997 Teaching Excellence Recognition Award, Indiana University.
- 1992 Howard W. Odum Award, Department of Sociology, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.
- 1992 Thompson Outstanding Student Paper Award, First Runner-Up, given by the ASA Section on Organizations and Occupations.
- 1987-93 Rupert B. Vance Teaching Fellow. Fellowship selectively awarded by the Department of Sociology, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.
- 1989-90 Associate Editor, Social Forces.

Professional Memberships

American Sociological Association
Social Science History Association