

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- 2006 Expected completion of PhD. Dissertation title: "Growing up Poor in Poor Places: The Moderating Effect of Context on the Young Adult Outcomes of Disadvantaged Children" Committee: Elizabeth Menaghan (chair), Daniel T. Lichter and Christopher Browning.
- 2005 Admitted to Candidacy. Areas: Family, Demography
Committee: Daniel T. Lichter (chair), Elizabeth Cooksey, Zhenchao Qian, Townsend Price-Spratlen.
- 2001 M.A., Sociology
The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH
"How Do Men Matter? Previous Relationships, Childbearing Histories, and Current Marital Fertility."
Committee: Elizabeth C. Cooksey (chair), Daniel T. Lichter, Timothy J. Curry
- 1999 B.S., Sociology (minor in Women's Studies), *magna cum laude*
University of Louisville, Louisville, KY

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

- 2001 "Children of the NLSY79: Summer Research Workshop." Sponsored by NICHD, Organized by the Center for Human Resource Research. Columbus, OH. July 23-27

PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS

Research: Intergenerational Transmission of Disadvantage; Single Mothers, Marriage, and Welfare Policy; Volunteerism; Hispanic Immigration; Rural Sociology.

Teaching: Family; Poverty; Social Demography; Research Methods; Statistics; Gender, Race and Ethnicity.

PUBLICATIONS

- 2005 J. Brian Brown & Daniel T. Lichter. "Childhood Disadvantage, Adolescent Development, and Pro-social Behavior in Early Adulthood" *Advances in Life Course Research*. (forthcoming)
- 2004 J. Brian Brown & Daniel T. Lichter. "Poverty, Welfare, and the Livelihood Strategies of Nonmetropolitan Single Mothers" *Rural Sociology*, Vol. 69(2): 282-301.
- 2004 Daniel T. Lichter, Christie Batson & J. Brian Brown. "Welfare Reform and Marriage Promotion: Understanding the Intimate Relationships and Marriage Expectations of Single Mothers" *Social Service Review*, Vol. 78(1): 2-25.
- 2003 Daniel T. Lichter, Deborah Graefe & J. Brian Brown. "Is Marriage a Panacea? Union Formation among Economically Disadvantaged Unwed Mothers" *Social Problems*, Vol. 50(1): 60-86.
- 2001 J. Brian Brown. "Doing Drag: A Visual Case Study of Gender Performance and Gay Masculinities." *Visual Sociology*, Vol. 16(1): 37-54. (Based on my undergraduate thesis.)

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

J. Brian Brown, Daniel T. Lichter & Zhenchao Qian " Marital Assimilation among Hispanics: Evidence of Declining Cultural and Economic Incorporation?" (REVISE AND RESUBMIT FROM *Social Science Quarterly*)

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Review of Social Dynamics of the Life Course: Transitions, Institutions, and Interrelations. By Walter R. Heinz and Victor W. Marshall. *Social Forces* 83.4 (2005) 1773-1774

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

J. Brian Brown "Growing up Poor in Poor Places: The Moderating Effect of Context on the Young Adult Outcomes of Disadvantaged Children" (in progress as dissertation)

J. Brian Brown "At-risk Youths, Secular- and Faith-based Volunteerism, and the Transition to Adulthood" (in progress)

Daniel T. Lichter & J. Brian Brown. Untitled project using 2002 NSFG on marriage and welfare reform. (in progress)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (* = Presenter)

- 2003* J. Brian Brown "Childhood Poverty, Religious- and Secular-based Volunteering, and the Transition to Adulthood" Annual Conference of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA, August 16-19.
- 2003* J. Brian Brown, Daniel T. Lichter & Zhenchao Qian (Regular Paper Session) "Hispanic Inter-marriage: Assimilation and Marriage among U.S. Immigrants" Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Minneapolis, MN, April 1-3.
- 2002* J. Brian Brown. (Regular Paper Session). "Our Kid": The Effects of Couples' Relationship and Childbearing Histories on Marital Fertility." Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Atlanta, GA, May 9-11.
- 2002* Daniel T. Lichter & J. Brian Brown. (Regular Paper Session). "Childhood Poverty, Resilience, and Pro-Social Behavior in Early Adulthood." Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Atlanta, GA, May 9-11.
- 2002 Daniel T. Lichter, Christie Batson & J. Brian Brown. (Regular Paper Session). "Welfare Reform and Marriage Promotion: Understanding the Intimate Relationships and Marriage Expectations of Single Mothers." Annual Meeting of the Association for Public Policy and Management, Dallas, TX, Nov. 7-9.
- 2001 Daniel T. Lichter, Deborah Graefe & J. Brian Brown. "Is Marriage a Panacea? Union Formation among Economically-Disadvantaged Unwed Mothers." (Regular Paper Session) Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Washington, D.C., March 28-31.
- 2001* J. Brian Brown & Daniel T. Lichter. (Regular Paper Session). "Rural Single Mothers and Challenges to Economic Stability." Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, Albuquerque, NM, August 15-19.
- 2001* J. Brian Brown. (Referred Roundtable Session) "Remarriage and Fertility: Do Husbands' Characteristics Matter?" Annual Conference of the American Sociological Association, Anaheim, CA, August 18-21.
- 1999* J. Brian Brown. (Regular Paper Session). "A Portrait of a Drag Queen: Socialization and the Separation of Identity." Annual Conference of the International Visual Sociology Association, Antwerp, Belgium, July 14-18.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE & DEVELOPMENT

- 2005- Independent Instructor, Autumn Quarter, "Gender, Race, and Class in Mass Communications: 608." Full responsibility of a graduate-level course.
- 2003 Volunteered as Teaching Assistant, Winter Quarter, "Contemporary American Society: Honors 345." Assisted in the development and implementation of the course project, including a guest lecture. Supervising faculty: Tim Curry.
- 2002 Completed "Teaching Sociology," an eleven-week course on independent instruction offered by OSU's Sociology Department.
- 2000 Invited Panelist, Teaching with Visual Sociology," ASA Teaching Workshop, Annual Meetings of the ASA, Washington D.C., August 12-16.
- 1999-00 Teaching Assistant, Autumn & Winter Quarters, "Introduction to Sociology: 101." Two recitation sessions twice a week. Supervising faculty: Randy Hodson & Robert Jobu.

RESEARCH ASSISTANTSHIPS

- 2000-05 Supervising Faculty: Daniel T. Lichter
- 2000 Supervising Faculty: Katherine Meyer
- 2000 Supervising Faculty: Tim Curry

SERVICE TO THE DISCIPLINE

American Sociological Association

- 2001-03 Student Forum Advisory Board, Secretary. (Elected by ASA student membership)
- 2003 Organizer & Discussant, Student Paper Session
- 2002 Organizer, Student Roundtable Session

Ohio State University, Department of Sociology

- 2002 Junior Faculty Recruitment Committee, Student Representative
- 2002-03 Population, Health, and the Life Course Area Student Representative
- 2000-01 Teaching Committee Chair, Sociology Graduate Student Association
- 1999 Cohort Representative, Sociology Graduate Student Association

Other Committees and Elected Positions

- 2000-01 Student Representative, Executive Board, International Visual Sociology Association
- 1999 Alpha Kappa Delta, Chapter President, University of Louisville

Manuscript Reviewer

2002- *Journal of Marriage and Family*
2001 *Demography*

Professional Memberships

2001- Rural Sociological Society
2001- Population Association of America
2000- American Sociological Association

HONORS AND AWARDS

2002 Outstanding Masters Student Award, Sociology Dept., Ohio State University
1999- Graduate Assistantship, Sociology Dept., Ohio State University
1999 Graduated *Magna Cum Laude* (3.9/4.0), University of Louisville
1998 Alpha Kappa Delta, International Sociology Honor Society

REFERENCES

Daniel T. Lichter
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