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Education

- 2012 (anticipated), Ph.D., The Ohio State University, Sociology.
Graduate Specialization in Sexuality Studies.
Examination Areas: Gender, Race, and Class; Sexuality, Identity, and Education.
Dissertation Title: "Sexual Identity and Postsecondary Education: Outcomes, Structural Determinants, and Mechanisms."
Committee: Liana Sayer (chair), Claudia Buchmann, Cynthia Colen, Mollie Blackburn.
- 2008, M.A., The Ohio State University, Sociology.
Thesis Title: "Minimization of the Hidden Injuries of Heterosexism: Constructing Meaning of Out Campus LGB Life."
Committee: Liana Sayer (chair), Steven Lopez, Townsend Price-Spratlen.
- 2007, M.A. with Honors, University of Delaware, Counseling in Higher Education.
Emphasis in Student Affairs Practice in Higher Education.
- 2005, B.S. *cum laude*, Kansas State University, Chemical Science.
Minors in Leadership Studies, Women's Studies.

Refereed Publications

- Fine, Leigh E. 2012. "The Context of Creating Space: Assessing the Likelihood of College LGBT Center Presence." Forthcoming in *Journal of College Student Development*.
- Fine, Leigh E. 2011. "Minimizing Heterosexism and Homophobia: Constructing Meaning of Out Campus LGB Life." *Journal of Homosexuality* 58:521-546.
- Sayer, Liana C., and Leigh Fine. 2011. "Racial-Ethnic Differences in U.S. Married Women's and Men's Housework." *Social Indicators Research* 101:259-265.

Invited Publications

Fine, Leigh E. 2010. "Sex Toy Parties, Compulsory Heterosexuality, and 'Being' in Community." Pp. 146-156 in *Women at Work: Tupperware, Passion Parties, and Beyond*, L. Susan Williams & Michelle Bermiller, Eds. Boulder, CO: Lynne Rienner.

Works in Progress

Fine, Leigh E. "Penalized or Privileged? Sexual Identity and Postsecondary Educational Attainment."

Fine, Leigh E. "Structural Determinants of a Positive Campus Climate for Sexual Minorities."

Fine, Leigh E. "Coming Out and Dropping Out? The Educational Narratives of LGB College Graduates and Drop-Outs."

Fine, Leigh E. "Masculinities in Men-for-Men craigslist Advertisements."

Fine, Leigh E. *Who Killed Jason Dockins? Heterosexism, Homophobia, and the Heartland*.

Sayer, Liana C., and Leigh E. Fine. "Racial-Ethnic Differences in U.S. Married Women's and Men's Housework."

Thakkilapati, Sri D., and Leigh E. Fine. "Availability of Funds and Its Impact on Abortion: A Natural Experiment."

Garner, Dusty J., and Leigh E. Fine. "Toward a Queer Oral History."

Awards, Honors, and Grants

May 2011 Sociology Graduate Student Association Outstanding Instructor Award, Department of Sociology, The Ohio State University.

April 2011 Graduate Associate Teaching Award Recipient, The Ohio State University. Most prestigious institutional graduate student teaching award, given for excellence in undergraduate instruction. \$1,500.

March 2011 Hayes Graduate Research Forum, The Ohio State University. Second Place, Oral Presentations, Social and Behavioral Sciences Division. \$400.

January 2011 College of Arts and Sciences Graduate Teaching Associate Award Finalist, The Ohio State University.

- November 2010 Alumni Grants for Graduate Research and Scholarship, The Ohio State University Graduate School. Funding for travel to conduct multi-site interviews for dissertation. \$2,000.
- May 2010 Graduate Associate Teaching Award Nominee, The Ohio State University.
- May 2010 Teaching Excellence Award Honorable Mention, Department of Sociology, The Ohio State University.
- 2007-2008 Graduate School Fellowship Recipient, The Ohio State University. Presented to exceptional incoming students for one year of advanced study. \$15,500.

Research and Teaching Interests

Research Interests Sociology of Sexuality
Sociology of Gender
Sociology of Education
Quantitative and Qualitative Methods

Teaching Interests Sociology of Sexuality
Sociology of Gender
Sociology of Education
Social Problems
Introduction to Sociology
Quantitative and Qualitative Methods

Teaching Experience

- 2010-Present Kenyon College
Visiting Instructor, Department of Sociology
Courses Taught: Sociology of Sexuality, Sociology of Education
- 2008-Present The Ohio State University
Graduate Independent Instructor, Department of Sociology
Interim Teaching Resources Coordinator, Department of Sociology
Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology
Courses Taught: Introduction to Sociology, Sociology of Sexuality,
Contemporary World Societies
Courses Assisted: Coordinating Teaching Assistant for Introduction to
Sociology, Teaching Assistant for Introduction to Sociology

Presentations and Conferences

- August 2011 Presider, Sociology of the Family Roundtable
American Sociological Association Conference: Las Vegas, NV
- March 2011 “Structural Determinants of a Positive Campus Climate for Sexual
 Minorities”
Hayes Graduate Research Forum
The Ohio State University: Columbus, OH
- August 2010 “Unequal Partnerships: Racial and Relationship Differences in Domestic
 Work Time”
Sociology of the Family Roundtable
American Sociological Association Conference: Atlanta, GA
- August 2010 “Unequal Partnerships: Racial and Relationship Differences in Domestic
 Work Time”
Sociology Graduate Student Association Conference
The Ohio State University: Columbus, OH
- December 2009 “Homophobia and Heterosexism”
Say No To Hate Inaugural Speaker
The Ohio State University: Columbus, OH
- September 2009 “Leadership, Social Identities, and Social Construction”
Invited Guest Lecturer, Culture & Context in Leadership
Kansas State University: Manhattan, KS
- February 2009 “Minimization and Heteronormativity: Constructing Meaning of Out
 Campus LGB Life”
Chicago Area Ethnography Conference
Northwestern University: Chicago, IL
- February 2008 “Using Summer Internship Experiences for Growth and Development”
Consortium of the National Gay and Lesbian Task Force Conference:
 Detroit, MI
- February 2008 Williams Institute Primer on Sexual Orientation Research Participant
University of California, Los Angeles School of Law: Los Angeles, CA

Research Experience

- 2009-2010 Research Assistant, Dr. Liana Sayer
Sociology, The Ohio State University
Statistical Analysis: Gender and Racial Differences in Housework
Content Analysis: Relationship Messages in Popular Magazines
- Summer 2009 Research Assistant, Dr. Pamela Paxton
Sociology, The Ohio State University
Statistical Analysis: Comparative Generosity and Values

Professional Activities

Reviewer: *Gender & Society*, *Journal of Family Issues*.

Member, American Sociological Association (ASA).

Member, American Sociological Association Sexualities Section.

Member, College Student Educators International (ACPA).

Coordinator, Sexuality Working Group, The Ohio State University Department of Sociology.

Discussant, Gender Working Group, The Ohio State University Department of Sociology.

Social Events Chair, Sociology Graduate Student Association, The Ohio State University
Department of Sociology.

Cohort Representative, Sociology Graduate Student Association, The Ohio State University
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References

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