

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- 2015-** **Assistant Professor of Sociology and Women's Studies**
Auburn University
- 2014-2015** **Visiting Assistant Professor of Sociology and Women and Gender Studies**
Seattle University
- 2007-2013** **Pre-Doctoral Instructor; Research Assistant**
University of Southern California

EDUCATION

- 2014** **Ph.D. in Sociology, Certificate in Gender Studies**
University of Southern California
Dissertation Chair: Michael A. Messner
- 2010** **M.A. in Sociology**
University of Southern California
Qualifying Exams: Sex and Gender; Intersectionality, Internationality, and Inequality
- 2005** **B.A. in Diversity and Oppression, Bachelor of Philosophy Interdisciplinary Degree**
Pennsylvania State University
Minors: Sociology, Psychology, Women's Studies, African and African-American Studies, Jewish Studies, Middle-Eastern Studies, Hebrew

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Men and Masculinities	Race and Ethnicity
Sex, Gender, Sexuality	Activism and Social Movements
Intersectional Inequality	Methods and Methodology
Feminist Theory	Social Problems

PUBLICATIONS

Books

- Messner, Michael A., Max Greenberg, and Tal Peretz. (2015) Some Men: Feminist Allies and the Movement to End Violence Against Women. Cambridge: Oxford University Press.
- Reviewed in American Journal of Sociology (Dragiewicz), Contemporary Sociology (Bridges), Gender & Society (Kitchen), Men and Masculinities (Leek), Journal of Sociology & Social Welfare (Mullin)
- *Distinguished Scholarship Award, Pacific Sociological Association

Refereed Publications

- Tal Peretz. (2016) "Why Study Men and Masculinities? A Theorized Research Review." *Graduate Journal of Social Science*, 12(3): 30-43.
- Tal Peretz. (2016) "Measuring Sexuality" Teaching Resources and Innovations Library for Sociology (October). <http://trails.asanet.org>
- Tal Peretz. (2015) "A Cost/Benefit Analysis of Religion's Effects in Society." Teaching Resources and Innovations Library for Sociology (October). <http://trails.asanet.org>
- Tal Peretz. (2014) "Critiquing Color-Blind Racism and Racial Fallacies in 'The Daily Show.'" Teaching Resources and Innovations Library for Sociology (December). <http://trails.asanet.org>
- Tal Peretz and Michael Messner. (2013) "Stand Up/Sit Down Structure and Agency Activity." Teaching Resources and Innovations Library for Sociology (November). <http://trails.asanet.org>
- White, Aaronette, and Tal Peretz. (2010) "Emotions and Redefining Black Masculinity: Movement Narratives of Two Profeminist Organizers." *Men and Masculinities*, 12(4).
*Reprinted in *The Kaleidoscope of Gender: Prisms, Patterns, and Possibilities*, 4th edition. (2013) Ed. Joan Z. Spade, Catherine G. Valentine. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Book Chapter

- Tal Peretz. (Accepted) "Looking Back on Three Decades: Reasons to Continue Studying Men and Masculinities." In Since Kimmel, eds. Jonathan A. Allen and Frank Karioris.
- Tal Peretz. (2007) "Steel-Toed Boots." In Men Speak Out: Views on Gender, Sex and Power, ed. S. Tarrant. New York: Routledge.
*Reprinted in the 2nd edition, (2013)

Other Publications

- Tal Peretz. (2016) "A Letter to Aspiring (Male) Feminists." In *PrimeMind*, May 2016.
<http://primemind.com/articles/a-letter-to-aspiring-male-feminists>.
*Translated into Hebrew for *Saloon*, March 2017 (expected).
- Tal Peretz. (2010) "Being a Good Person, Not Just a 'Good Guy'." In *Voice Male*, Winter 2010.
*Reprinted in *Voice Male: The Untold Story of the Pro-Feminist Men's Movement*. (2014) Ed. Rob A. Okun. Northampton, MA: Interlink.
- Tal Peretz (2009) "Review of 'Getting Off: Pornography and the End of Manhood,' by Robert Jensen." In *The Link: A Project of the Texas Association Against Sexual Assault Mobilizing Men Task Force*, ed. E. Diaz de Leon. Vol. 1, Issue 5.

Works In Progress

- Tal Peretz. "Seeing the Invisible Knapsack: Feminist Men's Strategic Responses to the Continuation of Male Privilege in Feminist Spaces."
- Tal Peretz. "Engaging Diverse Men: The Impact of Social Location on Men's Pathways to

Antiviolence Engagement.”

Tal Peretz. “Locally Specific Matrices of Domination: Towards a Global Theory of Intersectionalities.”

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

- 2017 Excellence in Teaching Award, Mortar Board National College Senior Honor Society, Auburn University.
- 2016 Distinguished Scholarship Award, Pacific Sociological Association, Some Men: Feminist Allies and the Movement to End Violence Against Women. With Michael A. Messner, Max Greenberg
- 2016 Academy for Civic Engagement, Auburn University, College of Liberal Arts.
- 2013-2014 Dissertation Completion Fellowship, University of Southern California, Graduate School: \$30,000
- 2013 General Education Graduate Assistant Awards, University of Southern California, Dana and David Dornsife College of Letters, Arts and Sciences: \$1000
- 2013 Award for Excellence in Teaching, University of Southern California, Center for Excellence in Teaching.
- 2013 Graduate Student Paper of Distinction, Mid-South Sociological Association, for “Engaging Diverse Men: An Intersectional Analysis of Men's Pathways to Antiviolence Activism.”
- 2013 Academic Professional Development Program Dissertation Writing Group, University of Southern California, Office of the Provost: \$1500
- 2011-2012 Meehan Fellowship in Communications, University of Southern California, Department of Sociology: \$19,000
- 2010-2011 Center for Feminist Research, New Directions Seminar on Gender Violence and Antiviolence: \$2500
- 2008-2009 Meehan Feminism Fellowship, University of Southern California, Department of Sociology: \$19,000
- 2008-2013 Research Grants, University of Southern California, Combined total: \$10,700

RESEARCH ASSISTANTSHIPS

- 2010-2011 Research Assistantship for Michael Messner, University of Southern California. “Men's Work Against Gender Violence: A Study of Two Generations” (\$3500).
- 2004-2005 Research Assistantship for Aaronette White, Pennsylvania State University. “Feminist Masculinities in Black Men's Organizations.”

SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED LECTURES

Invited

- 2017 “Some Men: Feminist Allies and the Movement to End Violence Against Women.” Book Talk, Auburn, AL.
- 2017 “Using Technology and Social Media to Include Marginalized Voices.” Poster Presentation, Conversations in Celebration of Teaching, Auburn, AL.
- 2016 “Muslim and Gay/Queer Men Against Gender Violence: An Intersectional Analysis of Men's Gender Justice Activism.” Invited Presentation, Bar Ilan University, Israel.
- 2016 “Ally Tensions: Male Anti-Violence Allies Navigating Critical Scrutiny and Unearned Praise.” Invited Presentation, Bar Ilan University, Israel.
- 2016 “What Counts as Feminism Today?” Brown Bag, Auburn University, Auburn AL.
- 2015 “Men and Masculinities in Sexual Violence Prevention, Perpetration, and Victimization.” Symposium on Interdisciplinary Perspective on Sexual Violence on College Campuses, Columbia University, New York, NY.
- 2015 “What Counts as Feminism Today?: Black, Muslim, and Gay/Queer Men Doing Gender Justice Activism.” Brown Bag, North Dakota State University, Fargo ND.
- 2015 “Male Allies and the Politics of Feminist Accountability.” Invited Presentation, Women's and Gender Studies Program, North Dakota State University, Fargo, ND.
- 2015 “Intersectional Organizing Styles: Community, Organizational Culture, and Local Structures Impacts on Men's Anti-Sexist Activism.” Presidential Panel, Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Long Beach, CA.
- 2014 “Engaging Diverse Men: An Intersectional Analysis of Men's Pathways to Antiviolence Activism.” Seminar, Center for the Study of Men and Masculinities, State University of New York Stonybrook, New York, NY.
- 2014 “Diversifying Men's Feminist Engagements: How Intersectional Identities and Organizing Styles Shape Men's Anti-Sexist Activism.” Invited Presentation, Women's Empowerment Student Group, Fordham University, New York, NY.
- 2013 “50/50: Leadership, Equality, and Representation.” West Hollywood Women's Leadership Conference – Unlimited Opportunities: Knowledge/Power/Community, City of West Hollywood, West Hollywood, CA.
- 2012 “Section on Sex and Gender Invited Session: The State of Masculinities Studies: Current Trends and Future Directions.” Panel with James Messerschmidt, Shari Dworkin, Ben Carrington, and Tristan Bridges. Session Co-Organizer (with Michael Messner) and Discussant, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Denver, CO.
- 2009 “Males Doing Feminist Work.” Women's Week, Ball State University Women's Studies Program, Muncie, IN.
- 2004 Panelist, Pennsylvania State University Women's Studies Twenty-Fifth Anniversary Symposium.

Refereed

- 2017 “Using Technology and Social Media to Include Marginalized Voices.” College of Liberal Arts Diversity Symposium, Auburn, AL.
- 2016 “Ally Tensions: Male Anti-Violence Allies Navigating Critical Scrutiny and Unearned Praise.” Political Masculinities as Agents of Change Conference, Cambridge, UK.
- 2016 “Making Consent Sexy.” Sex Down South, Atlanta, GA.
- 2016 “Playing Straight to Get Consent: Heterosexuality, Hegemony, and Sexual Violence Prevention.” American Sociological Association, Seattle, WA.
- 2016 “Can Men Be Feminists? And If So, How?” Women’s Leadership Conference, Auburn, Alabama.
- 2016 “Diversity & Academia: Weaving Research, Teaching, & Service into Concrete Action for Strategy, Synergy & Success,” AU Diversity and Inclusion Best Practices Conference, Auburn AL.
- 2015 “Making Consent Sexy.” Sex Down South, Atlanta, GA.
- 2015 “Engaging Men in Ending Sexual Violence.” Sex Down South, Atlanta, GA.
- 2015 “Why Atlanta?: How Space and Place Shape Intersectional Activism.” American Sociological Association, Chicago, IL.
- 2015 “Some Men: Feminist Allies and the Movement to End Violence Against Women.” Authors Meet Critics Session, Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Long Beach, CA.
- 2015 “Ally Tensions: Men Navigating Critical Scrutiny and Unearned Praise in Anti-Violence Work.” With Max Greenberg, Michael Kaufman, Jimmie Briggs, Gilbert Salazar. International Conference on Masculinities: Engaging Men and Boys for Gender Equality, New York, NY.
- 2014 “Engaging Men in Anti-Gender-Violence Work: Beyond Bystander Intervention.” Panel with Marc Rich, Ann Burnett. National Women's Studies Association Annual Conference, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- 2014 “Making Men: Exploring the Creative Potentials and Problematics of Black Queer Masculinities.” Panel with Lamont Loyd-Sims, Durell Callier, Darnell Motley. National Women's Studies Association Annual Conference, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- 2014 “Muslim and Gay/Queer Men Against Gender Violence: An Intersectional Analysis of Men's Gender Justice Activism.” Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Portland, OR.
- 2014 “Male Allies and the Politics of Feminist Accountability.” With Michael A. Messner. Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Portland, OR.
- 2014 “Intersectional Organizing Styles: How Different Ways of Organizing Around Difference Shape Social Movement Groups.” Sociologists for Women in Society Winter Meeting, Nashville, TN.
- 2013 “Engaging Diverse Men: An Intersectional Analysis of Men's Pathways to Antiviolence Activism.” Mid-South Sociological Association Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.

- 2013 “Muslim and Gay/Queer Men Against Gender Violence: An Intersectional Analysis of Men's Gender Justice Activism.” Mid-South Sociological Association Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- 2013 “Engaging Men in Gender Justice Activism and Masculinities Studies.” Panel with Terry Lilley, John Erickson, and Brian Jara. National Women's Studies Association Annual Conference, Cincinnati, OH.
- 2013 “Activism in Academia: Strategies and Limitations for Feminist Scholar/Activists.” Graduate Student Caucus sponsored panel, National Women's Studies Association Annual Conference, Cincinnati, OH.
- 2013 “Muslim and Gay/Queer Men Against Gender Violence: Men's Gender Justice Activism as Intersectional Projects.” 9th Annual Gender, Sexuality, and Power Conference, Center for the Study of Genders and Sexualities, Los Angeles, CA.
- 2013 “Muslim and Gay/Queer Men Against Gender Violence: Men's Gender Justice Activism as Intersectional Projects.” Thinking Gender Graduate Conference, Los Angeles, CA. (paper accepted, unable to attend)
- 2012 “Is It (Ever) Time for an NWSA Men's Caucus?” Panel with Robert Jensen and John Erickson. National Women's Studies Association Annual Conference, Oakland, CA.
- 2011 “Dismantling Feminist Masculinities” Panel with Brian Jara, Rob Beulow, and Hugo Schwyzer. National Women's Studies Association Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- 2011 “Section on Sex and Gender Sponsored Session: Men, Violence, and Institutions.” Session Co-organizer (with Max Greenberg) and Moderator, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV.
- 2010 “Men in Anti-Sexist Activism: Continued Conversations.” Panel with Brian Jara, Hugo Schwyzer, Rob Beulow, and Marla Jaksch. National Women's Studies Association Annual Conference, Denver, CO.
- 2010 “Contradictions in Male Anti-Sexist Activism.” Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Oakland, CA.
- 2010 “Men and Masculinities” Session organizer, Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Oakland, CA.
- 2009 “How Good Are 'the Good Guys'? Contradictions in Collegiate Men's Anti-Sexist Activism.” First National Conference for Campus-Based Men's Gender Equality and Anti-Violence Groups, Collegeville, MN.
- 2009 “Engaging Men in Anti-Sexist Campus Activism: Problems and Potential.” Workshop with Brian Jara. American College Personnel Association and NASPA – Student Affairs Administrators in Higher Education, Conference on College Men, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2008 “The Pedestal Effect: Problems and Potentialities for Feminist Men.” National Women's Studies Association Annual Conference, Cincinnati, OH.
- 2008 “The Pedestal Effect: Problems and Potentialities for Feminist Men.” Thinking Gender Graduate Conference, Los Angeles, CA.
- 2007 “Feminist Men, Feminist Movement: The Limits and Possibilities of Inclusion.” Panel with Shira Tarrant and Ross Wantland. National Women's Studies Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL.

UNIVERSITY TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Auburn University

Intersectional Inequalities

Introduction to Women's Studies

Sociology of Gender

Social Problems and Social Change

Current Issues in Race and Ethnicity

Seattle University

Belonging in America

Social Problems

Gender and Sexuality

Race and Ethnicity

University of Southern California

Diversity and Racial Conflict

Introduction to Society and Social Problems

Social Issues in Gender

Changing Family Forms

Pennsylvania State University

Race and Ethnicity

Women in the Arts and Humanities

Freshman Seminar in Digital Music

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 2016-current Working Group on Core Diversity Outcome, Auburn University
- 2016 Reviewer: Social Currents, Men & Masculinity, Zed Books, Awareness Books
- 2015-current Curriculum Committee, Auburn University Women's Studies Program
- 2015-current Strategic Planning Committee, Auburn University Women's Center
- 2009-2015 Co-Chair, Feminist Masculinities Group, National Women's Studies Association
- 2015 Reviewer: Men & Masculinities, Qualitative Sociology
- 2013-2014 Secretary, Graduate Student Caucus, National Women's Studies Association
- 2013 Reviewer: Gender & Society, Men & Masculinities,
- 2012 Reviewer: Archives of Sexual Behavior, Men & Masculinities
- 2012-2013 Programming Committee, Sex and Gender Section, American Sociological Association
- 2010-2012 Graduate Student Representative, Governing Council, Sex and Gender Section, American Sociological Association
- 2009-2011 Web Coordinator, Sex and Gender Section, American Sociological Association
- 2009-2010 Chair, Graduate Student Paper Award Committee, Race, Gender and Class Section American Sociological Association