

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## EDUCATION

- Ph.D. University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas, Public Policy Program  
December 2004.  
Dissertation: "Community Development Corporations and Public  
Policymaking: Inclusiveness and Effectiveness."
- J.D. University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas, School of Law, May 1999.
- B.A. (Cum Laude) University of Arkansas, Major: Psychology, Fayetteville,  
Arkansas, May 1996.  
Honors Thesis: "The Effects of Misleading Information and Level of  
Authority of Interviewer on Children's Eyewitness Memory and  
Testimony."

## ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE/OTHER RELEVANT EMPLOYMENT

- August 2007- Associate Director, Policy Ph.D.
- Chair Admissions Committee
  - Organize and distribute applicant files
  - Advise incoming students
  - Organize and lead the Research and Professional Development (RPD) sessions
  - Review program curriculum and admission requirements
  - Communicate program related information to students and faculty
  - Respond to inquiries from and meet prospective students
  - Maintain program website
  - Other tasks as assigned by program director

August 2009- Present	Research Assistant Professor, Public Policy Ph.D. and Adjunct Faculty, Department of Political Science
August 2007- August 2009	Research Assistant Professor, Public Policy Ph.D. and Adjunct Faculty, Department of Sociology & Criminal Justice
January 2005 – August 2007	Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology & Criminal Justice
July, 2002 - June, 2005	Research & Policy Analyst, University of Arkansas Delta Research & Design Center
August, 2001- July 2002	Winthrop Rockefeller Fellow
August, 1999- August 2001	Research Assistant, University of Arkansas Community Design Center
January 1999- June 1999	Research Assistant, Professor of Law- Dr. Mark Killenbeck University of Arkansas

## **AWARDS AND HONORS**

From Abstract to Contract: The University of Arkansas Fifth Annual Graduate Student Research Symposium & Career Networking Poster Competition. 2012: 2<sup>nd</sup> place (with Stacey McCullough, PhD candidate)

Best Graduate Student Paper Award, Arkansas Political Science Association, 2012 (with Daniel Chand, Renee Deshombres, Kuatbay Bektemirov, and Leland McQueen—Public Policy Capstone Course)"

Best Graduate Student Paper Award, Arkansas Political Science Association, 2009 (with Wade Derden, Kalynn Heald, Anne Diallo, Aisha Kenner, and Rod Williams—Public Policy Capstone course)

Winthrop Rockefeller Fellow, 2000-2001

Golden Key Honor Society, University of Arkansas, 1992

Gamma Beta Phi Honor Society, University of Arkansas, 1992

Golden Rule Award Finalist, 1999

## AREAS OF TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Undergraduate Courses: *Criminal Law and Society, Criminal Procedures, Police and Society.*

Graduate Courses: *Crime and Public Policy, Criminal Justice Policy, Law and Public Policy, Urban Planning and Community Development, Community Development Policy and Practice, Public Policy Program Capstone.*

## AREAS OF RESEARCH

Community Development, Intersectionality of Social Inequalities, Policy and Inequality, Criminal Procedures, Law and Public Policy.

## BOOKS

Yvette Murphy, **Valerie H Hunt**, Anna Zajicek, Adele Norris, and Leah Hamilton, *Capturing the Breadth and Depth of Human Experiences: Incorporating Intersectionality in Social Work Practice Research, Policy, and Education*, Washington, DC: National Association of Social Work Press, 2009.

## REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES

Kalynn Amundson, Anna Zajicek, and **Valerie Hunt**. "Pathologies of the Poor: What do the War on Drugs and Welfare Reform Have in Common?" *Journal of Sociology & Social Welfare*, Volume XLI, Number 1, (2014): 5-27 (Lead Article)

Shauna A. Morimoto, Anna M. Zajicek, **Valerie H. Hunt**, and Rodica Lisnic (2013) Beyond Binders Full of Women: NSF ADVANCE and Initiatives for Institutional Transformation, *Sociological Spectrum: Mid-South Sociological Association*, 33:5, 397-415, DOI: 10.1080/02732173.2013.818505

**Valerie H. Hunt**, Shauna Morimoto, Anna Zajicek, and Rodica Lisnic, "Intersectionality and Dismantling Institutional Privilege: The Case of the NSF ADVANCE Program," *Race, Class, and Gender*, Vol. 19, No. 1-2 (2012): 266-290.

Linda Ketcher, Will Miller, Brinck Kerr, and **Valerie H. Hunt**, "The Determinants of Child Abuse and Neglect Among American Indians and Alaskan Natives Across States and Over Time: Does Policy Matter?" *The Midsouth Political Science Review*, Vol.12, (2011): pgs. 43-68.

**Valerie H. Hunt**, Brinck Kerr, Linda Ketcher, and Jennifer Murphy, "The Forgotten Minority: An Analysis of American Indian Employment Patterns in State and Local Governments, 1991-2003," *American Indian Quarterly* (2010).

Ramu Bishwakarma, **Valerie H. Hunt**, and Anna Zajicek. "Beyond One-Dimensional Policy Frameworks: A Practical Guide for an Intersectional Policy Analysis," *Himalaya Research Bulletin*, Vol. XXVII, No. 1-2 (2009): 19-30.

**Valerie H. Hunt** and Anna Zajicek, "Strategic Intersectionality & the Needs of Disadvantaged Populations: An Intersectional Analysis of Organizational Inclusion and Participation," *Race, Class, & Gender*, Vol. 15, No. 3-4 (2008): 180-203.

**Valerie H. Hunt**. "Community Development Corporations and Public Participation: Lessons from a Case Study in the Arkansas Delta." *Journal of Sociology and Social Welfare*, September 2007, Vol. XXXIV, No.3, pgs. 9-35.

## REFEREED CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

Zajicek, A.M., Morimoto, S.A., Terdalkar, A., **Hunt, V.H.**, Rencis, J.J., and Lisnic, R., "Recruitment Strategies for Gender Equity: Lessons from Cohort 1 ADVANCE Institutions," WIED Poster Session, Women in Engineering Division, *CD ROM Proceedings of the 2011 American Society for Engineering Education (ASEE) Annual Conference & Exposition*, Vancouver, BC, Canada, June 26-29, 2011.

Shauna Morimoto, Anna Zajicek, **Valerie Hunt**, and Joseph Rencis. "Faculty Composition and Doctorates Awarded: An Analysis and Comparison of the Colleges of Engineering at ADVANCE Institutions and their Non-ADVANCE Peers (2001 - 2009)." Proceedings of the 2010 Conference of the American Society for Engineering Education, Midwest Section Meeting, Lawrence, Kansas, September 22–24, 2010.

Anna Zajicek, Joseph Rencis, Shauna Morimoto, and **Valerie Hunt**. "Transforming the Academic Workplace: An Evaluation of the ADVANCE Program in Colleges of Engineering (2001 - 2008)," Proceedings of the 2010 Conference of the American Society for Engineering Education, Louisville, KY, June 20 – 23, 2010, AC 2010-282.

## BOOK CHAPTERS

Ramu Bishwakarma, **Valerie H. Hunt**, and Anna Zajicek, "Beyond One-Dimensional Policy Frameworks: A Practical Guide for an Intersectional Policy Analysis," in *Dalits of Nepal: Towards Dignity, Citizenship and Justice*, Arjun Guneratne (ed.) The Association for Nepal and Himalayan Studies and Social Science Baha Press (2010): 4-15, ISBN: 978 9937 8266 9 3

## NON-REFERRED PUBLICATIONS

**Valerie H. Hunt.** “*Faragher v. Boca Raton*: Employer Liability in Hostile Environment Sexual Harassment Cases—Ignorance is No Longer Bliss” *Arkansas Law Review*, May 1999.

## WORKS IN PROGRESS/UNDER REVIEW

Michael Moyer and **Valerie H. Hunt.** “Police/Citizen Encounters: An Examination of Less Lethal Weapons, Their Effectiveness, and Officer Decision-Making.” Submitted for publication review (Fall 2015) to *Policing: An International Journal of Police Strategies and Management*.

Brett A Fitzgerald, Brinck Kerr & **Valerie H. Hunt.** “Incarcerating Exceptional Pupils: Is there a School-to-Prison Pipeline in Eastern Oklahoma?” Submitted for publication review (Fall 2015) to the *Journal of School Violence*.

Stacey McCullough and **Valerie H. Hunt.** “Local Policies to Support Entrepreneurial Development and Factors Shaping Policy Formation.” Submitted for publication review (Fall 2015) to the *Entrepreneurship Research Journal*.

Sonia Kapur, Anna Zajicek, and **Valerie Hunt.** “Immigration Provisions in the Violence Against Women Act: Implications for Asian Indian Marriage Migrants.” Accepted for publication by *Journal of Women, Politics & Policy*.

I will continue to work on an interdisciplinary research team within the University of Arkansas. The research team will continue to write a series of academic manuscripts for national conferences and publication in peer-reviewed journals. The team includes Shauna Morimoto (Sociology), **Valerie Hunt** (Political Science), and Anna Zajicek (Sociology). The papers will draw on research related to the National Science Foundations ADVANCE program and its impact on public universities’ diversity efforts regarding women in STEM disciplines.

Over the next several years, I will work on a cross-university, interdisciplinary research team, The University of Arkansas-University of Illinois, Springfield Interdisciplinary Research Project on Representation in U. S. School Districts. The research team will write a series of academic manuscripts for national conferences and publication in peer-reviewed journals. The team includes Beverly Bunch (UIS), **Valerie Hunt** (UA), Brinck Kerr (UA), Grace Kerr (UA), Patricia Koski (UA), and Will Miller (UIS). The papers will draw on EEO-5 data (Elementary and Secondary Staff Information Data from the EEOC for 2002-2008) and will address research questions in the areas of descriptive and substantive bureaucratic representation as well as questions relating to public school performance/accountability.

## GRANTS

Debra Hurd (SCWK) Co-PI, **Valerie H. Hunt** (PUBP) Co-PI, and Janine Parry (PLSC) Co-PI. *Conference for the Promotion of Arkansas Women into Public Service Leadership*; UA Women's Giving Circle; Total Request of \$12,000 (fall 2012).

**Valerie H. Hunt**, PI, *Title IV-E Partnership Grant Child Welfare Curriculum Infusion Project*, State of Arkansas and University of Arkansas, \$3,000 (summer 2007).

## CONFERENCE PAPERS

Anna Zajicek, **Valerie H. Hunt**, Will Miller, and Brinck Kerr. "An Intersectional Analysis of Bureaucratic Leadership Representation Among Principals in U. S. School Districts, 2002-2008," to be presented at the 2014 Southwestern Social Science Association, San Antonio, TX., April 17-19, 2014.

Kalynn Amundson, Anna Zajicek, and **Valerie Hunt**. "Pathologies of the Poor: What do the War on Drugs and Welfare Reform Have in Common?" to be presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Denver, CO., August 17-20, 2012.

Anna Zajicek, **Valerie Hunt**, Patricia Koski, and William Miller. "An Intersectional Analysis of Bureaucratic, Leadership, and Workforce Representation among Administrators, Principals, Assistant Principals, and Classroom Teachers in U. S. School Districts, 2002-2008," to be presented at the Southwestern Social Science, Southwestern Political Science Association, San Diego, CA., April 4-7, 2012.

Anna Zajicek, Shauna Morimoto, Aparna Terdalkar, **Valerie H. Hunt**, Joe Rencis, Rodica Lisnic *Recruitment Strategies for Gender Equity: Lessons from Cohort 1 ADVANCE Institutions*, submitted to the American Society for Engineering and presented at the American Society for Engineering Education's Annual Meeting & Exposition. Vancouver, BC, Canada. June 26-29, 2011.

Shauna Morimoto, Anna Zajicek, **Valerie Hunt**, and Joseph Rencis. "Faculty Composition and Doctorates Awarded: An Analysis and Comparison of the Colleges of Engineering at ADVANCE Institutions and their Non-ADVANCE Peers (2001 - 2009)." Presented at the 2010 Conference of the American Society for Engineering Education, Midwest Section Meeting, Lawrence, Kansas, September 22-24, 2010.

Shauna Morimoto, **Valerie Hunt**, Anna Zajicek, and Joseph Rencis, "Examining Institutional Transformation: Feminist Reflections on the NSF ADVANCE Program," presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA., August 11-14, 2010.

**Valerie Hunt**, Shauna Morimoto, Anna Zajicek, and Rodica Guzun, “Policy Frames and the Advancement of Women in the Sciences: Women of Color and the Need for an Intersectional Approach,” presented at the 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Association of Black Sociologists Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, August 11-14, 2010.

Anna Zajicek, Joseph Rencis, Shauna Morimoto, and **Valerie Hunt**. “Transforming the Academic Workplace: An Evaluation of the ADVANCE Program in Colleges of Engineering (2001 - 2008),” presented at the Annual Conference of the American Society for Engineering Education, Louisville, KY, June 20 – 23, 2010.

**Valerie H. Hunt**, Brinck Kerr, Linda Ketcher, and Jennifer Murphy. “The Forgotten Minority: An Analysis of American Indian Employment Patterns in State and Local Governments, 1991-2003,” presented at the annual meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association, Las Vegas, NV, March 2008.

**Valerie H. Hunt**. “Meeting the Needs of Disadvantaged Populations: An Organizational Case Study of CDC’s in Arkansas Delta,” presented at the annual meetings of the Mid-south Sociological Society, Lafayette, October 2006.

## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

Compact for Faculty Diversity Institute on Teaching and Mentoring, Southern Regional Education Board, Tampa, FL October 25-28, 2012.

Directors of Graduate Studies, Annual Meeting/Workshop, American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA August 14, 2010.

Compact for Faculty Diversity Institute on Teaching and Mentoring, Southern Regional Education Board, Arlington, VA, October 22-25, 2009.

Directors of Graduate Studies, Annual Meeting/Workshop, American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA August 9, 2009.

LEAD National Workshop for STEM Chairs and Faculty, Fayetteville, AR June 22-23, 2009

Compact for Faculty Diversity Institute on Teaching and Mentoring, Southern Regional Education Board, Tampa, FL, October 23-27, 2008.

Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM) Research Conference, “What *Else* Shapes Public Policy Analysis and Management?” Washington, DC 8-10 November, 2007

## **INVITED LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS**

Valerie H. Hunt. Community Development Efforts: Arkansas Delta. Brown Bag Presentation, Public Policy Ph.D. Program, University of Arkansas, Spring 2005.

Valerie H. Hunt. “Affordable Housing in the Arkansas Delta,” Habitat for Humanity, University of Arkansas Chapter, November 2004.

Valerie H. Hunt. “Tax-Increment Financing in Arkansas,” City Council, Fayetteville, AR, 2003.

#### **Ph. D. DISSERTATIONS DIRECTED**

*The Imperatives of Successful Policy Implementation: An Evaluation of the Hollings National Institute of Standards and Technology-Manufacturing Extension Partnership (NIST-MEP) Program’s Implementation in Arkansas.* Russell Frazier. Completed May 2011.

*Identifying Local Entrepreneurship Development System Policy in Rural Areas and How Local Context Shapes Entrepreneurship Policy Formation.* Stacey Wright McCullough. Completed December 2012.

*Examining the Role of Street-level Bureaucrats in the Implementation of an Affordable Rental Housing Policy for Extremely Low Income Households in the District of Columbia.* Roderick Williams. Completed December 2014.

#### **UNIVERSITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES, UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS**

Member, Graduate Council, University of Arkansas (2010--)

Member, Academic Appeals Committee of the Graduate Council, University of Arkansas (2010--)

Faculty-Chair, Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender (LGBT) Resource Group Steering Committee, University of Arkansas (2010--)

Member, Interdisciplinary Programs Directors Committee, University of Arkansas (2007 --)

Member, Child Welfare Interdisciplinary Committee, School of Social Work, University of Arkansas (2007--)

Member, Campus Climate Committee, University of Arkansas. (Fall 2009—Spring 2010)

Member (ally), Safe Zone Program, University of Arkansas (Spring 2009---)

Attendee, Conversations: Global Campus and Comprehensive Distance Education, University of Arkansas (Oct 19-20, 2009).

### **PROGRAM SERVICE ACTIVITIES, UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS**

Chair, Distinguished Dissertation Award Committee, Public Policy PhD Program (2007 --)

Chair, Admissions Committee, Public Policy PhD Program (2007 --)

### **EDITORIAL ACTIVITIES**

Manuscript Review, Samuel Walker “*The Police In America: An Introduction,*” 6<sup>th</sup> edition, McGraw-Hill, 2005

Manuscript Review, Prabha Unnithan and Michael Palimiotto, “*Enforcing the Law: Police and Social Control,*” Wadsworth Publishing, 2005.

University of Arkansas, *DRB: Delta Research Bulletin*, Editor, 2003-2004.

*Arkansas Law Review*, Note and Comment Editor, University of Arkansas School of Law, 1998-1999.

### **VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES**

Volunteer, Student Attorney, Ozark Legal Services, 1998-1999

Volunteer, Children’s Safety Center, 1997-1998

### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Member, American Sociological Association

Member, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM).

Member, Black Sociologists Association

Member, Mid-South Sociological Society

Member, National Network of Women in Community Development

Member, Sigma Xi Scientific Research Society

Member, Society for the Study of Social Problems

Member, Sociologists for Women in Society