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Curriculum Vitae

Emory University
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Education

ABD, Emory University, expected completion May 2018

Dissertation: The Bricks Before *Brown vs. Board of Education*

J.D., Loyola University Chicago School of Law, May 1999

B.A., African American Studies and Psychology, The University of Michigan, May 1996

Areas of Specialization

Race and Ethnic Relations
Culture and Inequality

Race and Law
Race, Gender, and Class

Social Inequality
Historical Sociology

Comprehensive Exams: Social Inequality and Sociology of Culture

Dissertation Proposal: Accepted June 2015

Teaching Experience

Mellon Mays Graduate Teaching Fellow, Morehouse College (2017-2018)

Introduction to Sociology (Fall 2017)

Civil Rights of a Different Color (Spring 2018)

Lecturer, Department of Sociology, Oglethorpe University (2016-2017)

Introduction to Sociology (Fall 2016 and Spring 2017)

Special Topics Course: Girls (Fall 2016)

Elites and Inequality (Spring 2017)

Special Topics Course: Civil Rights of a Different Color (Spring 2017)

Teaching Associate, Department of Sociology, Emory University

Racial and Ethnic Relations cross-listed with African American Studies (Fall 2014 & 2015, Summer 2016)

Teacher-Scholar, On Recent Discoveries by Emory Researchers (ORDER)

#BeingHuman: Breath, Move, Love, Fight, and Protect (Fall 2015 & Spring 2016)

Teaching Assistant, Emory University

Introduction to Sociology (Spring 2014)

Sociology of Law (Spring 2013)

Racial & Ethnic Relations (Fall 2013)

Intro to African American Studies (Spring 2016)

Publications

Martinez-Cola, M. (forthcoming) "Sympathetic Symbols and Social Movements: Lessons from school desegregation cases." *Journal of Law and Society*, (Winter 2017).

Martinez-Cola, M. "Visibly Invisible: TribalCrit and Native American Desegregation" under review with *Sociology of Race and Ethnicity*

Martinez-Cola, M., Alexander, C., English, R., Min J., Peraza, J., Tambah, J. "When Pedagogy is Painful: Teaching in Tumultuous Times" under review with *Teaching Sociology*.

Martinez-Cola, M. "Using Controlling Images to Create Critical Connections" revised and resubmitted to *Transformations: The Journal of Inclusive Scholarship and Pedagogy*.

Martinez-Cola, M. (2015, February 9). On Teaching with Marisela Martinez-Cola—Being Intentionally Inclusive. Blog of the *American Studies Journal* retrieved from <https://amsjournal.wordpress.com/2015/02/09/on-teaching-with-marisela-martinez-cola-being-intentionally-inclusive/>

Awards and Fellowships

2017 Mellon Mays Graduate Teaching Fellow for Morehouse College

2017 Honorable Mention for Dissertation Completion Fellowship provided by The Ford Foundation

2015 Graduate Student Fellowship from Hispanic Scholarship Fund (HSF)

2015 On Recent Discoveries by Emory Researchers (ORDER) Fellowship by Emory Laney Graduate School

2015 Emory University Department of Sociology Graduate Student Teaching Award

2015 The University of Pennsylvania's Social Science and Policy Forum (SSPF) Summer Institute on Inequality

Conference and Seminar Presentations

2017 Chair/Discussant for "Race, Culture, and Social Movements," "Constructions of Racial and Indigenous Identities," "Intersections of Race, Gender, and Class," and "Geographies of (In) Exclusion: The Role of Race and Space in America" sessions at the 42nd Annual Conference for the Social Science History Association, November 2-5, 2017, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

2016 Chair, Discussant for "Intersectional Perspectives on US Progressive Era Women's History" and Presenter for "Law, Justice, and Violence Session" at 41st Annual Social Science History Association, November 17-20, 2016, Chicago, IL

- 2016 "Race in Higher Education: History and Contemporary Experience" at *4th Annual Black Doctoral Network Conference, October 28, 2016, Atlanta, GA*
- 2016 "The Bricks before *Brown v. Board of Education*." Presented at *111th American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, August 20-23, 2016, Seattle, WA*
- 2015 "Establishing Points of Connection for Collaborative, Cross-racial Community Efforts." Presented at *15th Annual Diversity Challenge: Race, Culture, and Social Justice at the Institute for the Study and Promotion of Race and Culture (ISPRC) at Boston College, October 24, 2015, Boston, MA.*
- 2015 "The Bricks before *Brown v. Board of Education*: Re-constructing an inclusive, multiracial narrative of the school desegregation movement in America." Presented *in absentia* at *Comparative Historical Pre-Conference at American Sociological Association Annual meeting, August, 20, 2015, Chicago, IL*
- 2015 "The Bricks before *Brown v. Board*: The contributions of Mexican American, Native Americans and Asian Americans to the fight against school inequality." Accepted but not presented at *5th Annual National Civil Rights Conference, June 24, 2015, Meridian, MS.*
- 2015 "The Bricks before *Brown v. Board of Education*: California's Multiracial Contribution to School Desegregation." Presented at *Western Association of Women Historians Annual Conference, May 15, 2015, Sacramento, CA.*
2015. "Searching for Self: Missing Mothers of the School Desegregation Movement" Presented at the *78th Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, March 27, 2015, New Orleans, LA.*
- 2015 "The Bricks before *Brown vs. Board of Education*: Reconstructing an Inclusive, Multiracial Narrative of the School Desegregation Movement in America." Presented at *Southern American Studies Association Conference, February 20, 2015, Atlanta, GA.*
- 2014 "The Bricks before *Brown v. Board of Education*." Presented at *77th Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, April 3, 2014, Charlotte, NC.*
- 2014 "Pretty Little Plaintiffs and The Politics of Presentation." Presented at the *24th Annual Thinking Gender Conference, February 7, 2014, Los Angeles, CA.*
- 2013 "The Bricks before *Brown*." Presented at the *Atlanta Graduate Conference in US History, November 16, 2013, Atlanta, Georgia.*
- 2013 "The Bricks before *Brown v. Board*." Presented at the *Institute for Liberal Arts Colloquium Series, October 22, 2013, Atlanta, Georgia.*

Invited Talks

Panel member, Emory University's Teaching Assistant Training and Teaching Opportunity (TATTO) program for the "Why Didn't Somebody Tell Me That?" workshop, August 16, 2017, Atlanta, GA

Guest Speaker, Kellogg's Diversity Series organized by Hispanic Resource Group (HOLA) and Kellogg African American Resource Group (KAARG), August 2-3, 2017, Battle Creek, MI

Panelist, 2017. First Annual Recognizing, and Empowering Latinas (REAL) Conference presented at Emory University, April 1, 2017, Atlanta, GA.

Guest Lecturer, 2016. "Celebrity and Social Media" and "The Bricks before *Brown v. Board*" Presented at Oglethorpe University, April 18, 2016, Atlanta, GA.

Panel member, 2016. "Tips for Graduate and Professional School," organized by First Gen Low Income Partnership (FLIP) at Emory University, March 17, 2016, Atlanta, GA

Guest Lecturer, 2016. "Common Sense Race." Presented at Clark Atlanta University, February 16, 2016, Atlanta, GA.

Invited Speaker, 2016. "Latinx and Civil Rights Movement" Presented at *La Sala* Event organized by Emory's Office of Multicultural Programs and Services, February 4, 2016, Atlanta, GA.

Invited Speaker. 2015. "Are You Down with Black & Brown? The historical, cultural and social connections and contributions of Afro-Latinos" Presented at Emory University's Office of Multicultural Programs and Services, February 5, 2015, Atlanta, GA.

Invited Speaker. 2015. "Feeling Double: Double Consciousness, Race and Identity." Presented at Emory University's Blacktivism Conference, February 21, 2015.

Guest Lecturer. 2014. "Crucial Connections between *Mendez* and *Brown*." Presented at Florida State University College of Education Graduate Course Black and Latino Education: History and Policy, May 29, Tallahassee, FL.

Invited Speaker. 2014. "The Bricks before *Brown v. Board*: Exploring the Multi-Racial Contributions to School Desegregation." Presented at Mercer University's Department of Sociology Lecture Series, March 20, Macon, GA.

Keynote Speaker. 2012. "*Dime con Quien Andes*: A Tribute to Latinos throughout History." Si Se Puede Youth Conference at the University of Georgia, March 24, Athens, GA.

Opening Keynote Speaker. 2012. "Are You Down with Black and Brown?" Black and Brown Unity Conference at University of Georgia, January 29, Athens, GA.

Closing Keynote Speaker. 2011. "Who Are the People in Your Neighborhood?" Third Annual Multicultural and Diversity Conference at Clayton State University, October 14, Morrow, GA.

Presenter. 2011. "Dare to DREAM." Si Se Puede Youth Conference at the University of Georgia, March 26, Athens, GA.

Invited Speaker. 2010. "Dangerous Distortions: Depictions of Black, Latino & Asian Stereotypes in Film." Diversity Week at Georgia Tech University, November 9, Atlanta, GA.

Presenter. 2009. "They Stood Their Ground." Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and Coretta Scott King Week at Agnes Scott College, January 19, Decatur, GA.

Professional Memberships

American Sociological Association

Sections:

Race, Gender and Class

Comparative Historical

Division on Racial and Ethnic Minorities

Latino/a Sociology

Social Science History Association

Race and Ethnicity Network

Sociologists for Women in Society

Southern Sociological Society

Society for the Study of Social Problems

Coordinating Council for Women in History

Service

Sociologists for Women in Society, Local Arrangements co-chair for Winter Meeting in Atlanta (2018)

Race and Ethnicity Network Organizer, Social Science History Association (2016-2017)

Graduate Student Representative, ASA Section on Race, Gender and Class (2016-2018)

Discretionary Advisor, Ross Merlin, English Honors Thesis (Spring 2016)

Member, Undergraduate Education Committee, Department of Sociology (2015-2017)

Member, Advisory Board for *The Centro Latino*, Emory University (2015-2017)

Member, Culture Search Committee, Emory University (Fall 2014)

Vice President, Coalition of Graduate Sociologists (COGS) (2014-2015)

Supervisor, Research in Sociology at Emory (RISE) Program (Spring 2014, Fall 2013, Spring 2017)

Member, Diversity Committee for Department of Sociology (2014-present)

Organizer, Graduate Recruitment Committee (Spring 2013)

Professional References

Dr. Irene Browne	Dissertation Advisor, Emory University	(404) 727-7508	socib@emory.edu
Dr. Timothy Dowd	Department Chair, Emory University	(404) 727-6295	tdowd@emory.edu
Dr. Rick Rubinson	Professor, Emory University	(404) 727-7531	rrubin@emory.edu