# Christopher R.H. Garneau, Ph.D. Assistant Professor of Sociology University of Oklahoma

# **Curriculum Vitae**

## **Education**

2012	Ph.D. in Sociology
	University of Nebraska-Lincoln
	Dissertation Title: "Perceived Stigma and Stigma Management of Midwest Seculars."
	Under the supervision of Dr. Philip Schwadel
	Dissertation defended in August, 2012
2008	M.A. in Sociology
	University of Nebraska-Lincoln
	Thesis Title: "Religious Switching and Political Participation."
	Under the supervision of Dr. Philip Schwadel
	Thesis defended in October of 2008
2006	B.A. Political Science and History (Double Major – Sociology Minor)
	Dickinson State University, Dickinson, ND

## Academic & Professional Employment

2022-Present	Assistant Professor of Sociology – University of Oklahoma
2017-2022	Associate Professor of Sociology - University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma
2019, 2021	Adjunct Instructor of Sociology - University of Oklahoma
2012-2017	Assistant Professor of Sociology - University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma
2007-2012	Graduate Instructor - University of Nebraska-Lincoln

#### **Teaching Experience**

University of Oklahoma Courses Taught in the Sociology Department (Sections Taught)

Individual and Society Introduction to Sociology Methods of Social Research Social Problems Social Statistics

#### USAO Courses Taught in the Sociology Department (Sections Taught):

Criminology	Social Stratification
Deviant Behavior	Social Theory
Drugs & Society	Sociology of Education
General Sociology	Sociology of the Family
Methods of Social Research	Sociology of Health & Medicine
Social Networks	Sociology of Religion
Social Problems	Statistics for Social Sciences

USAO Courses Taught in the Psychology Department (Sections Taught) Psychology of Gender Social Psychology Sex and Gender

<u>USAO Courses Taught in the Mathematics Department (Sections Taught)</u> *Elementary Statistics* 

USAO Courses Taught in the Liberal Arts Core Curriculum (Sections Taught)

The Individual in Contemporary Society Math in the Modern World Political and Economic Systems &Theories World Thought and Culture III Senior Seminar

<u>USAO Courses Taught for Independent Study – Special Topics (Sections Taught)</u> Advanced Social Science Statistics Audio Recording Techniques Sociology on Film: Crime Docudramas Sociology on Film: Race, Class, & Gender Sociology on Film: The Wire

#### 2007–2012 Graduate Instructor - University of Nebraska-Lincoln (Sections Taught)

Introduction to Sociology Senior Sem. in Stratification Social Problems Theory & Intensive Writing Senior Sem. in Deviance Social Networks Sociology Statistics

#### **Research Interests**

Political Sociology Sociology of Religion Social Psychology Research Methods Environmental Sociology

#### Publications (Peer Reviewed Journals)

- Paul A. Djupe, Ryan Burge, and **Christopher R.H. Garneau**. 2023. "Religious Identity-Inconsistent Attending and its Political Implications." *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion*.
- Bedle, Heather, Christopher R.H. Garneau, and Alexander Vera-Arroyo. 2023. "Clustering Energy Support Beliefs to Reveal Unique Sub-populations Using Self-organizing Maps." *Heliyon*.
- **Garneau, Christopher R.H.** and Philip Schwadel. 2022. "Examining the Influence of Political Affiliation and Orientation on Political Tolerance." *Socius* 8.
- Bedle, Heather, Diana Salazar Florez, and Christopher R.H. Garneau. 2022. "Recognizing Societal Influences in Earthquake Geohazard Risk Perception with Explainable AI While Mitigating Risks Through Improved Seismic Interpretation." *The Leading Edge* 41(11):756–67.
- Schwadel, Philip and **Christopher R.H. Garneau.** 2019. "Sectarian Religion and Political Tolerance in the United States." *Sociology of Religion* 80(2): 168-193.
- Tietjen, Grant, Veronica Horowitz, Harmoni Noel, and Christopher R.H. Garneau. 2018. "Showing Up: The Gendered Effects of Social Engagement on Educational Participation in United States Correctional Facilities." *The Prison Journal* 98(3): 359-381.
- Schwadel, Philip and **Christopher R.H. Garneau**. 2017. "The Diffusion of Tolerance: Birth cohort changes in the effects of education and income on political tolerance. *Sociological Forum* 32(4): 748-769.
- Cook, John Paul and **Christopher R.H. Garneau**. 2017. "Challenging Students' Beliefs about Mathematics: A liberal arts approach." *Journal of Transformative Learning* 4(1): 78-81.
- Schwadel, Philip and Christopher R.H. Garneau. 2014. "An Age-Period-Cohort Analysis of Political Tolerance in the United States." *The Sociological Quarterly* 55(2): 421-452.

Garneau, Christopher R.H. and Philip Schwadel. 2013. "Pentecostal Affiliation." *Review of Religious Research* 55(2) 339-353.

#### **Published Book Chapter**

Garneau, Christopher R.H. 2015. "Stigma Management of Midwest Secularists" in *Religion and Political Tolerance in America*, ed. Paul A. Djupe. Pp 211-227. Philadelphia, PA: Temple University Press.

#### Published Book Reviews

- Garneau, Christopher R.H. 2023. Review of <u>The Holy Vote</u> by Sarah Diefendorf. Oakland, CA: University of California Press. *Journal of Church and State. Invited - Submitted.*
- Garneau, Christopher R.H. 2021. Review of <u>Taking America Back for God</u> by Andrew L. Whitehead and Samuel L. Perry. New York: Oxford University Press. *Society for the Scientific Study of Religion 60(2):457-459.*

#### **Research/Professional Media Coverage**

- Gayman, Deann. 2022. "Political Orientation Not Party Intersects with Political Tolerance." *Nebraska Today*. <u>https://news.unl.edu/newsrooms/today/article/political-orientation-not-partyintersects-with-political-tolerance/</u>
- Geary, Andrew. 2022. "The Complexities of People and Geohazards." *Seismic Soundoff Podcast*. <u>https://seg.org/podcast/Post/15900/Episode-169-The-complexities-of-people-and-geohazards</u>
- Gayman, Deann. 2017. "Political Tolerance Drawn at Generational, not Class Lines." 2017. *Nebraska Today*. <u>https://news.unl.edu/newsrooms/today/article/political-tolerance-drawn-at-generational-not-class-lines/</u>
- Bokemper, Daniel. 2015. "It's Gonna Be AOK: Weathering the Secular Struggle in Oklahoma". *Oxford Karma*. <u>http://www.oxfordkarma.com/culture/its-gonna-be-aok-weathering-the-secular-struggle-in-oklahoma/</u>
- Christina, Greta. 2014. "Coming Out Godless and Not Assuming the Worst." *TheHumannist.com*. <u>https://thehumanist.com/magazine/march-april-2014/fierce-humanism/coming-out-godless-and-not-assuming-the-worst/</u>

Baggini, Julian. 2012. "Atheism in America." *Financial Times.* https://www.ft.com/content/d2239780-4d4e-11e1-8741-00144feabdc0

Conley, Alia. 2012. "Husker Football: A Divine Experience? Omaha World Herald.

## **Grant Applications not Funded**

- "Political and Social Intolerance After Climate-related Weather Events." External Funding. National Science Foundation: HNDS-R. Role: Lead-PI. Submitted January, 2023.
- "Natural Disasters, Tolerance, and Attitudes Towards Energy and Climate Mitigation" Internal Funding. I-CAST Group. Role: Co-PI. Submitted January, 2023. Funding Requested: \$16,400.
- "Employing Explainable AI Methods to Map the Interplay of Attitudes and Behaviors of Oklahomans Regarding Climate Adaptation and Climate Mitigation Strategies." External Funding. NSF-S3OK Group. Role: Co-PI. Submitted October, 2022. Funding Requested: \$74,160.00.
- "Political and Social Intolerance After Climate-Related Weather Events." Internal OU Funding. OADII Group. Role: Co-PI. Submitted October, 2022. Funding Requested: \$17,396.

"Advancing Data Science to Assess the Influence of Climate Disasters on Social and Political Attitudes in the United States." External Funding. National Science Foundation. Role: Participant. Submitted January, 2022. Funding Requested: \$350,838.00

"Multiprocessing Interconnected Network for Education, Research, and Visualization Applications." External Funding. National Science Foundation. Role: Co-PI. Submitted October, 2021. Funding Requested: \$399,603.00.

## **Professional Presentations**

2023	"Measuring the Politics of 'the People:' Proposing a Quantitative Approach to Operationalize 'Thin Ideology' Populism in Social Science Research." Oklahoma Sociological Association Annual Meeting Edmond, OK
2023	"Populism and Political Identification Among White Americans." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting Philadelphia, PA

2022	"Explainable AI to Understand Drivers Behind Water Reducing Behaviors." University of Oklahoma International WaTER Conference. Virtual
2022	"Revealing the Effects of Politics on Climate Change Attitudes Using Explainable AI Methods." Annual Meeting for the Oklahoma Sociological Association. Oklahoma City, OK
2021	"The Curious Case of Conservative Democrats" Annual Meeting for the Oklahoma Sociological Association. Virtual
2021	"Rethinking Structural Cognition and Religion: White Christian Nationalism and Views of Racial Inequality." Conference: Building Bridges/Dismantling Racism for the Common Good. Hosted by University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma Virtual
2021	"Examining the Influence of Political Affiliation and Orientation on Political Tolerance." Annual Meeting for the American Sociological Association. Virtual
2019	"Examining the Effects of Trauma on Educational Attainment in U.S. State Prisons." Annual Meeting for the Oklahoma Sociological Association Edmond, OK
2019	"Exploring the Effects of Political Ideology and Affiliation on Political Tolerance." Annual Meeting for the Midwest Sociological Society Chicago, IL
2018	"A Sociological Overview of Political Tolerance." Annual Meeting for the Oklahoma Sociological Association Edmond, OK
2017	"God and Party: Examining the interaction between political and religious identification in The Mennonite Church U.S.A." Annual Meeting for the Oklahoma Sociological Association Norman, OK
2016	"Examining the Gendered Experiences of U.S. Prisoners in Higher Education Enrollment." Co-author: Grant Tietjen. Annual Meeting

	for the American Society of Criminology New Orleans, Louisiana
2016	"Teaching Public Sociology by 'Doing Nothing.' Annual Meeting for the Oklahoma Sociological Association. Edmond, Oklahoma
2015	"Showing Up: The Gendered Effects of Social Capital on Educational Participation in United States Correctional Facilities." Co-author: Grant Tietjen. (Paper Accepted for Presentation) Annual Meeting for the Midwest Sociological Society Kansas City, Missouri
2012	"Exploring Psychological Distress Related to the Stigmatization of Midwest Seculars." Annual Meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Phoenix, Arizona
2011	"Perceived Stigma and Stigma Management of Secular Individuals in the Midwest." Annual Meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Milwaukee, Wisconsin
2011	"Steeples and Ceilings: Denominations as Gendered Organizations." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association Las Vegas, Nevada
2010	<ul> <li>"For the Least of My People: How Individualism and Socioeconomic Status Influence the Attitudes and Actions of Conservative Protestants on Issues of Economic Inequality."</li> <li>Annual Meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Baltimore, Maryland</li> </ul>
2010	"Religious 'Nones' and Civic Participation." Annual Meeting for the Midwest Sociological Society Chicago, Illinois
2009	"Evangelicals and Fundamentalists: Proposing a Nuanced Classification Scheme for Conservative Protestants." Annual Meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Denver, Colorado
2009	"Religious Switching and Political Participation." Annual Meeting for the Midwest Sociological Society Des Moines, Iowa

#### **Research Experience**

2023-Present	Researcher, OU HHMI Grant
2022-2023	Co-Designer: 2023 OU Weather & Tolerance Survey
2021-2022	Data Analyst, USAO Student Success Center
2018-2022	Data Analyst, USAO Institutional Research
2009-2010,	Graduate Research Assistant, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
2007-2008	Research Assistant for Dr. Philip Schwadel

#### **Graduate Student Service at OU**

2023-2023 Advisor, Grasmick-Riddle Awarded Project with Taylor Gamble

#### **Student Service at OU**

2023-Present	Sociology Faculty Representative for Honor's Society
2023-Present	AKD Honor Society Faculty Representative
2022-Present	Coordinator for OU Sociology Undergraduate TA Program
2022-Present	Faculty Advisor for OU Sociology/Criminology Club
2022-Present	Member of OU Sociology Undergraduate Committee

#### **Student Service at USAO**

2013-2022	Faculty Advisor for 10 Student Research Endorsement Projects
2012-2022	Program Advisor for Sociology Majors/Minors at USAO
2012-2022	Program Advisor for Criminal Justice Minors at USAO
2020-2022	Faculty Advisor for USAO College Democrats
2019-2022	Faculty Advisor for PRISM (LGBTQIA+/Straight Alliance)
2012-2022	Faculty Advisor for Pi Gamma Mu (Honor Society in Social Science)
2012-2022	Faculty Advisor for USAO Secular Student Alliance

#### Professional Service for OU (University Level)

2023-Present Co-sponsor for DISC Community of Engagement: Big Data and Machine Learning in the Social Sciences

## **Professional Service for OU Department of Sociology**

- 2023-Present Coordinator, Undergraduate TA Program
- 2022-Present Undergraduate Program Committee
- 2022-Present Ad Hoc Undergraduate TA Exploratory Committee

#### **Professional Service at USAO**

- 2021-2022 Psychology Search Committee Chair
- 2020-2022 Tenure and Promotion Committee
- 2013-2022 New Hire Search Committee Member– 6 Positions
- 2012-2022 Faculty Association Member
- 2019-2021 Academic Handbook Committee Chair
- 2018-2021 Academic Personnel Committee Chair
- 2018-2021 Festival of Arts and Ideas Committee Chair
- 2013-2021 Jernigan Scholarship Committee Chair
- 2020-2019 Inclusion and Diversity Committee
- 2018-2019 Curriculum Committee Member
- 2018-2019 Merit Stipend Ad Hoc Committee Member
- 2017-2018 Discipline Committee Member
- 2015-2018 Student Showcase Committee Chair
- 2016-2017 IDS Curriculum Committee Member
- 2012-2017 Financial Aid Appeals Committee Member
- 2012-2016 Faculty Evaluation Ad Hoc Committee Member

#### **Professional Service at UNL**

2009-2010	Resources & Planning Committee (Graduate Representative)
	Nebraska Association of Sociological Graduate Students
	University of Nebraska-Lincoln
2007-2010	FAC Committee
	Nebraska Association of Sociological Graduate Students
	University of Nebraska-Lincoln

#### **Professional Service (Other)**

- 2020-2021 Executive Committee-member, Oklahoma Sociological Association
- 2019-2020 President, Oklahoma Sociological Association
- 2016-2017 Treasurer, Oklahoma Sociological Association

#### Peer Review Service for Academic Journals

Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion Politics, Religion, and Ideology Review of Religious Research Sociology of Religion Journal of Prisons and Prisoners

# Honors & Awards

2022	Regents Award for Superior Teaching (\$1,000) University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma
2020	Distinguished Journal Article Award Association for the Sociology of Religion
2017	Regents Award for Superior Teaching (\$1,000) University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma
2014	Regents Award for Superior Teaching (\$1,000) University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma
2010	Graduate Ogle Fellowship (\$15,500) University of Nebraska-Lincoln
2010	Graduate Student Research Award (\$250) University of Nebraska-Lincoln
2009	Department of Sociology Teaching Award (\$500) University of Nebraska-Lincoln
2009	Department of Sociology Travel Award (\$500) University of Nebraska-Lincoln
2006-2007	Edgren Graduate Fellowship (Tuition Reduction) University of Nebraska-Lincoln
2006	Most Outstanding Senior Nominee (Department of Social Sciences) Dickinson State University
2004	Deborah Medlar Social Science Scholarship Award (\$250) Dickinson State University

# **Invited Speaker**

2023	OU Sociology Department / ProGRAD Workshop – Norman, OK "Developing a Teaching Portfolio"
2023	Building Bridges 2.0 Conference – Chickasha, OK "The Limits of Tolerance in Polarized Times

2023	OU Sociology Department / AdQuant Series – Norman, OK "Adding Tools to the Toolkit: Using Theory-guided Machine Learning to Support Social Science Research"
2021	The Oklahoma Academy – Tulsa, OK "Mental Health in Special Populations"
2020	University of Oklahoma Graduate Student Association – Virtual "Sectarian Religion and Political Tolerance"
2020	Norman Naturalist Group – Virtual "Sectarian Religion and Political Tolerance"
2018	OU Sociology Department / AdQuant Series – Norman, OK "Practical Applications of Hierarchical Age/Period/Cohort Models"
2015	Oklahoma Atheists Education Series– Oklahoma City, OK "International Variations in Secular Stigma"
2014	Oklahoma Atheists Education Series – Edmond, OK "Stigma Management of Midwest Seculars"

#### **Professional Memberships**

2011-Present	American Sociological Association
2015-Present	Oklahoma Sociological Association
2007-2020	Midwest Sociological Society
2008-2016	Society for the Scientific Study of Religion
2007-2012	Nebraska Association of Sociological Graduate Students
2005-2006	Pi Sigma Alpha

#### **Professional Development**

- 2023 ICPSR Workshop Experimental Methods in Social Science
- 2022 Writing Group University of Oklahoma
- 2021 Annual Meeting of the Higher Learning Commission Virtual
- 2014 DaVinci Institute Forum on Creative Teaching Tonkawa, OK
- 2014 Meeting for the Council of Public Liberal Arts Colleges Asheville, NC
- 2014 Oklahoma Forum for Creative Teaching Edmond, OK
- 2013 DaVinci Institute Forum on Creative Teaching Oklahoma City, OK
- 2010 Course Portfolio Seminar, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 2010 MAXQDA Workshop, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- 2009 Sociology 995D Seminar in Publication
- 2007 Sociology 995A Seminar in Teaching Methods

2007	Sociology 995B – Seminar in Professional Development
2007	Teaching Workshop, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

## **Organization Membership**

2014-2015	Executive Board Member, Oklahoma Atheists
2007-2012	Member, Nebraska Association of Sociological Graduate Students, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
2005-2006	Vice President, DSU Political Science Club
	Dickinson State University
2005-2006	Member, DSU History Society
	Dickinson State University
2005-2006	President, DSU Unitarian-Universalists
	Dickinson State University
2002-2006	President, Dickinson State University College Democrats
	Dickinson State University
2004-2005	President, North Dakota College Democrats (Statewide)
2003-2005	President, North Dakota Young Democrats (Statewide)
2004	Member, Campus Democrats
	University of North Dakota
2003-2004	Member, Southwest Coalition For Safe Communities
	Dickinson, ND

## Software Experience

-Proficient with STATA, SPSS, MAXQDA, Microsoft Word, and Excel
-Proficient with Blackboard and Canvas learning platforms
-Experience with HLM, R, and Python
-Limited experience with SAS, AMOS, R, G\*Power, and M-Plus

#### **<u>Related Experience</u>**

2014-2016	Education Chair for Norman Naturalists
2013-2014	Education Chair/Leadership Member for Oklahoma Atheists
2009-2010	Statistics Tutor for the UNL Athletic Department
	University of Nebraska-Lincoln – Lincoln, NE
2005-2006	Office Aid for the Department of Social Sciences
	Dickinson State University – Dickinson, ND
2004	Press and Social Policy Intern for Senator Byron L. Dorgan
	United States Senate, Washington, DC