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Curriculum Vitae

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PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

2022-	Associate Professor, Sociology Department, The Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University
2019-2022	Associate Professor, College of the Holy Cross
2013- 2019	Assistant Professor, College of the Holy Cross
2012-2013	Visiting Assistant Professor, Emory University
2012	Instructor, Agnes Scott College

FELLOWSHIPS AND VISITING POSITIONS

2021-2022	Fulbright-Tampere University Scholar
2021-2022	Democracy Visiting Fellow, Ash Center, Harvard Kennedy School
2020-2022	Visiting Scholar, Brandeis University Women's Studies Research Center
2016	Visiting Scholar, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque
2015	Gender and Peacebuilding Fellow, KROC Institute for International Peace Studies
2012	Summer Teaching Fellow, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

EDUCATION

2012	PhD Sociology, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, US
2010	M.A. Sociology, Emory University, Atlanta, GA, US Comprehensive Examinations: Culture, Contemporary Social Theory
2006	B.A. (<i>cum laude</i>), Sociology (Departmental Honors), Wellesley College, Wellesley, Massachusetts, USA

AREAS OF SCHOLARSHIP

Culture, Conflict, Gender, Global Change, NGOs, Nonviolence, Social Movements, Theory

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. Forthcoming. *Have Repertoire, Will Travel: Nonviolence as Global Contentious Performance*. Element for Contentious Politics Series. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Nonviolence is celebrated and practiced around the world, considered by many a universal “method for all human conflict.” In this study, I describe how nonviolence has evolved into a global repertoire, a patterned form of contentious political performance that has spread as an international movement of movements, systematizing and institutionalizing particular forms of protest as best claims-making practice. Drawing on Tilly’s work on claims-making repertoires, I explain how the formal organizational efforts of social movement emissaries and favorable and corresponding global models of state and civic participation have enabled the globalization of nonviolence. I draw on world society studies to place this process in historical perspective and to illuminate how understanding nonviolence as a contentious performance can explain the repertoire’s successes and failures across contexts and over time. This study underscores the dynamics of contention among global repertoires and suggests future research more closely examine the challenges posed by institutionalization.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. Forthcoming May 2024. *Feminism, Violence, and Nonviolence: An Anthology*. Edinburgh: Edinburgh University Press.

This anthology of feminist engagements with nonviolence captures a pivotal historical moment in rethinking the applicability and limitations of nonviolence, from rape to war. The writings included, most of them from the 1970s through the 1990s, document dynamic feminist theoretical musings on the root causes of violence, the social forces inculcating violence into patriarchal institutions and relationships, and the many insights in understanding and approach that nonviolence could gain from feminism. Women who engaged in the peace movement, the anti-war movement, the civil rights and anti-racist movements, the environmental movement, and movements against economic inequality and against the legacies of colonialism found that feminist frameworks expanded their perspectives and deepened their understandings of injustice, because these feminist frameworks were based on system transformation, not merely assimilating into the patriarchal status quo. Conversely, their involvement in these movements provided a deep, systems orientation to patriarchy as one among many forms of Othering and dehumanization leading to violence.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2021. [*Political Invisibility and Mobilization: Women against State Violence in Argentina, Yugoslavia, and Liberia*](#). London: Routledge.

Why are some social movement actors successful in periods of repression when other resistance efforts are swiftly and effectively quashed? What explains how politically marginalized women’s movements are able to build lasting and successful social movements amidst heightened violence, militarization against civilians, civil war, and genocide? *Political Invisibility and Mobilization* presents a multi-level framework for understanding how political invisibility affects the mobilization of marginalized groups. To do so, this study explores the emergence and successes of three women’s movements against state violence in Argentina, the former Yugoslavia, and Liberia. Unique among studies of women’s peace movements, *Political Invisibility and Mobilization* considers women’s statuses from the perspective of repressors, detailing the phenomenal sociological impacts of invisibility on local and international mobilization.

*American Sociological Association Peace, War, and Social Conflict Section’s Outstanding Book Award, 2021

Articles and Chapters

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. (Forthcoming). “Policy for People with the Fewest Choices: Ontology and Actorhood for Sex Trade Abolition” in *Sociologists Speak Out: How the Discipline Can Help People Better Understand (or Solve) Current Social Events, Social Problems, Structural Inequality, or Issues of Social Justice*, Special Issue of

Sociological Forum. 38 (4) December.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. (Ed.) 2023. "Extractive Politics, Conflict, and Peacebuilding" Special Issue of *The Journal of Social Encounters*. 7(1) https://digitalcommons.csbsju.edu/social_encounters/.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2023. "Peace Studies and the Limits to Growth" *The Journal of Social Encounters* Special Issue: Extractive Politics, Conflict, and Peacebuilding 7(1).

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2022. "Awaiting Spring and War: Insights from Ecofeminism" *Deportate, esuli, profughe*, Special issue on the war in Ukraine, 49, August.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina and Renée Remsberg. 2021. "Women, Peacebuilding, and the 'Invisible Hand' of Conflict in Post-War Liberia" *The Journal of Social Encounters* Special Issue: Women and Peacebuilding, Ronald J. Pagnucco, ed., August.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2021. "Circles of Threat and Spheres of Power: Reflections on Women's Nonviolent Activism" in *Women and Nonviolence in the 20th and 21st Centuries*, edited by Anna Hamling. Cambridge Scholars Publishing.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2021. "Marginalization and Mobilizing Power in Nonviolent Social Movements" *Research in Social Movements, Conflicts, and Change* Vol. 44: 91-115.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina and Tulinski, Hannah. 2020. "Restaging Women's Sexual Politics: Receptivity and Resistance to the *Vagina Monologues*" *Feminist Formations* Vol. 32 (2): 207-234.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2019. "Nonviolence beyond the State: International NGOs and Nonviolent Mobilization" *International Sociology* 34(6): 655-674.

*Selected as featured article for "Topic of the Month," March 2021

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2018. "American Mothers of Nonviolence: Action and the Politics of Erasure in Women's Nonviolent Activism" in *100 Years of the Nineteenth Amendment: An Appraisal of US Women's Activism*, edited by Holly J. McCammon and Lee Ann Banaszak, Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Cormier, Nick, **Gallo-Cruz, Selina**, and Beard, Renée. 2017. "Navigating the New, Transplanted Self: Recipients Manage the Cognitive Risks of Organ Transplantation" *Sociology of Health and Illness* 39 (8): 1496-1513.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2016. "The Insufficient Imagery of Top Down, Bottom Up in Global Analysis" *Social Movement Studies* Vol 16 (2).

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2016. "More Powerful Forces? Gender, Nonviolence, and Mobilization" *Sociology Compass*. September (1-13).

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2016. "Weaving Political Fields: Nonviolent INGOs and the Global Grassroots" *European Journal of Cultural and Political Sociology* 3(2-3): 243-279.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2015. "Protest and Public Relations: The Reinvention of the US Army School of the Americas" *Interface: a journal for and about social movements* 7(1): 322-350.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2013. "Cleansing Our Hands of the Dirty War: The Colombian Domestication of Human Rights" Pp. 181-196 in *National Policy Making: Domestication of Global Trends*, edited by Pertti Alasutari and Ali Qadir. New York: Routledge.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2012. "Organizing Global Nonviolence: The Growth and Spread of Nonviolent INGOs, 1948-2003" *Research in Social Movements, Conflicts, and Change*, 34: 213-256.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2012. "Negotiating the Lines of Contention: Counterframing and Boundary-work in the School of the Americas Debate" *Sociological Forum* 27 (1): 21-45.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina and Markella Rutherford. 2011. "Great Expectations: Legitimacy and Emotion among Out of Hospital Midwives" *Social Theory and Health* 9: 275-301.

Rutherford, Markella and **Selina Gallo-Cruz**. 2009. "Selling Birth: Rationalization, Re-enchantment, and the Ideal of Natural Birth in Hospitals' Marketing of Maternity Care" Pp. 75-98 in *Advances in Medical Sociology*, Vol. 10, *Patients, Consumers and Civil Society*, edited by Susan M. Chambre and Melinda Goldner. Bingly: Emerald.

Excerpts reprinted in Silvana DiGregorio and Judith Davidson, 2008. "Buying birth: consumption and the ideal of natural birth" Pp. 129-140 in *Qualitative Research Design for Software Users*. New York: Open University Press.

Encyclopedia Entries

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2023. "Nonviolence" Invited Entry for *Encyclopedia of Political Sociology*, Maria Grasso and Marco Giugno, editors, Edward Elgar Publishing.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2022. "Violent and Nonviolent Conflict" in *Encyclopedia of Violence-Peace-Conflict*, edited by Lester Kurtz, 3rd Edition, Elsevier.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2014. "Nonviolent Civil Disobedience" in *The Encyclopedia of Diversity and Social Justice*, edited by Sherwood Thompson, Lanham: Rowman and Littlefield.

Boli, John, **Selina Gallo-Cruz**, and Matthew Mathias. 2011. "World Polity Theory" in *The International Studies Compendium Project*, edited by Robert A. Denmark. Oxford: Blackwell Publishing Ltd.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2011. "Global Nonviolence" in *The Encyclopedia of Globalization*, edited by George Ritzer. Oxford: Wiley Blackwell.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2009. "Midwifery and Medicalization" in *Battleground Families: Encyclopedia of Current Controversies in Families*, edited by Kimberly P. Brackett. Westport: Greenwood Publishing Group.

Editorials, Blog Posts, and Book Reviews

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. Forthcoming. Book Review of *After Genocide: Memory and Reconciliation in Rwanda*, Nicole Fox for *The Journal of Social Encounters*.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2023. [Book Review of *Fighting Better: Constructive Conflicts in America*](#), Louis Kriesberg. For *The Journal of Social Encounters*. 7(2).

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2023. [Book review of *Catholic Peacebuilding and Mining*](#), Montevecchio, Caesar A. and Powers, Gerald F. Eds. for *The Journal of Social Encounters* 7(1).

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2022. [Book Review of *Catholic Peacebuilding and Mining*](#), Montevecchio, Caesar A. and Powers, Gerald F. Eds. *Peace Chronicle*. Spring.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2021. "[Films at the Fault Line of 'Deep' and 'Bright' Greens in the Environmental Movement](#)" *International Sociology Reviews* 36(5): 745-756.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2021. "On Obedience and Outcome" [Response to ¡Presente! Nonviolent Politics and the Resurrection of the Dead](#) by Kyle Lambelet. Symposium Commentary for *Syndicate*.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2021. "[The PR industry aims to demobilize environmental movements—here's what organizers can do about it](#)" in *Waging Nonviolence* April 22.

- Gallo-Cruz, Selina.** 2021. [“Women, peace, and development: lessons from post-war Liberia”](#) GlobalDev blog.
- Gallo-Cruz, Selina.** 2021. “Is there a strategic advantage to political invisibility?” *Conflict(ed)*
- Gallo-Cruz, Selina.** 2020. “Rethinking Civics (Dis)Empowerment in Our Schools” *Critical Mass Bulletin*, Vol 45(2) Fall.
- Gallo-Cruz, Selina.** 2020. Book Review: *Palestinian Women’s Activism: Nationalism, Secularism, Islamism* (Işlāh Jād, 2018, Syracuse University Press), for *Humanity and Society* Vol 44 (3).
- Gallo-Cruz, Selina.** 2018. [“Do We Have a New Women’s Movement?”](#) *Mobilizing Ideas*
- Gallo-Cruz, Selina.** 2017. Book Review: *Greening the Globe: World Society and Environmental Change* (Ann Hironaka, 2014, Cambridge: University of Cambridge Press), for *Social Movement Studies* Vol 16 (3).
- Gallo-Cruz, Selina.** 2014. [“Creating Space for Women in India’s Ekta Parishad”](#) *Waging Nonviolence: People-powered News and Analysis*.
- Boli, John, **Selina Gallo-Cruz**, and Matthew Mathias. 2011. [“World Polity Bibliography”](#) *American Sociological Association Global and Transnational Sociology Section*, Asanet.org.
- Gallo-Cruz, Selina.** 2011. [“Emory campus arrests galvanize university-wide opposition to labor policies”](#) *Waging Nonviolence: People-powered News and Analysis*.

In Process and Under Review

- “Understanding Challenges and Debates in City Climate Policy” (several paper projects in process)
- “Restaging the Life Course” (manuscript draft)
- “Good Citizen, Good Society? A Cultural Assessment of Civics Education”

GRANTS

- Faculty Research and Publication Grant, “Women’s Experiences with International Support Post-war”, 2020-2021
- Mellon Scholarship in Action Grant, “Community in the Classroom: A Living Curriculum in Grassroots Civics”, 2020-2021
- Mellon Scholarship in Action Grant, “Community in the Classroom: A Living Curriculum in Grassroots Civics”, 2019-2020
- Climate Resiliency Teaching Fellowship, Shelburne Farms, Castleton University, (for Worcester schools civics program), 2019-2020
- Batchelor Ford Faculty Research Fellowship, “A Method for All Humankind”, College of the Holy Cross Summer 2019
- Faculty Research Grant, “Worcester Women Wage Peace”, College of the Holy Cross, Summer, 2018
- Faculty Research Grant, “Restaging the Life Course”, College of the Holy Cross, Summer 2017-Fall 2017
- Center for Teaching, College of the Holy Cross, Curricular Development, Montserrat Seminar, 2016-2017
- Robert L. Ardizzone (’63) Fund for Junior Faculty Excellence, College of the Holy Cross, 2015- 2016

European Sociological Research Network on Social Movements Travel Grant, 2015

College of the Holy Cross Diversity in the Curriculum Development Grant, 2014

College of the Holy Cross, Faculty Research Development Grant, 2013-2015

National Science Foundation, “Mobility Strategies among Middle Class Latino Immigrants in the New South,” Co-Co- Investigator with Irene Browne and Belisa Gonzalez, 2009-2013

Emory Piedmont Program for Development of a Sustainability Curriculum Emory Graduate School of Arts and Sciences

Competitive Emory Graduate School of Arts and Sciences Research Grant

European Commission Travel Grant

HONORS AND AWARDS

2021-2022 Fulbright-Tampere University Scholar Award

2021-2022 Democracy Visiting Fellow, Ash Center for Democratic Governance and Innovation, Harvard Kennedy School

2015 KROC Institute for International Peace Studies, Gender, Peacebuilding and Post-Accord Transformation Fellowship

2012 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Diversity Fellow

2011-2012 American Sociological Association Minority Dissertation Fellow, Sponsored by Sociologists for Women in Society

2006-2011 Diversity Fellow, Graduate Department in Sociology, Emory University

2009 Piedmont Fellow, Sustainability in Curriculum Development, Emory University

2009 Emory European Studies Seminar Selected Fellow, Emory University (Declined)

2006 Phi Beta Kappa, Wellesley College, Wellesley, MA

2006 Alpha Kappa Delta Award for Distinction in Sociology, Wellesley College

2006 Selected for Honors Thesis, Wellesley College

2004 Hispanic Scholarship Fund, Academic Award

SELECTED MEDIA COVERAGE

“Our Warming Planet is Becoming a Hotbed of Violence”, by Stan Cox in *The Nation*, July 27, 2023.

“Sexual Harassment: The Currency of Catcalling” Jerk Magazine, Syracuse University, December 2022.

“Holy Cross Professor to Study How Worcester, Finnish City Plan for Climate Change” *Worcester Business*

Journal, Monica Benevides, June 14, 2021.

“Across the U.S., Wellesley Alumnae are Helping Communities Become Climate Resilient” *Wellesley College News*, Josh Idaszak, November 18, 2021.

“Holy Cross Prof Gets Fulbright Award to Study Climate Change Plans in Worcester, Finland” *Worcester Telegram & Gazette*, Scott O’Connell, June 11, 2021.

“Women in the Movements of the 21st Century with Selina Gallo-Cruz” *Access Utah*, Tom Williams, October 1, 2020.

“Voting Rights Symposium at USU” *Utah Public Radio*, September 11, 2020.

“Beyond Weinstein Conviction, How #MeToo Changed America”, Harry Bruinius and Stacy Teicher Khadaroo, *Christian Science Monitor*, February 24, 2020.

“Acting Locally: Ecotarium Examines Personal Impact of Climate Change” *Worcester Telegram & Gazette*, Bill Shaner, January 16, 2020.

“The Future is Now: Worcester Youth and Residents Continue to Fight against Climate Change”, *Worcester Telegram & Gazette*, Gari De Ramos, October 24, 2019.

“As I See It: Plastic Bags Are Harmful” *Worcester Telegram & Gazette*, July 28, 2019.

“Worcester Women Activists” *Worcester Telegram & Gazette*, November 25, 2018.

“Sexual Harassment Case Increase in Massachusetts” Interview on *Worcester News Tonight*, February 19, 2018.

“Think Differently: Peacemakers in Worcester Encouraged to Hold Onto their Beliefs” *Worcester Telegram & Gazette*, Cyrus Moulton, September 16, 2017.

“Busloads of local residents heading for Women’s March in D.C.” *Worcester Telegram & Gazette*, 2017.

“A Day without a Woman Appeals to White, Middle Class Americans” *Market Watch*, Quentin Fottrell, March 18, 2017.

“Women in 60s Civil Rights Movement Spotlited at Worcester Library” *Worcester Telegram & Gazette*, 2017.

“Global women leaders discuss Gandhian ways to counter violence against women” *Times of India*, October 2016.

“Visiting Professor lectures on women’s roles in peace process” *The Observer*, October 14, 2015.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

2023. “Ecofeminist Responses to Social Justice” Invited Speaker, International Summer School of Political Ecology in Ljubljana, Slovenia, University of Ljubljana, August 22.

2023. “Protest, Public Relations, and Policy Paradoxes in City Sustainability Planning” Roundtable Presentation, American Sociological Association Section on Community and Urban Sociology, Philadelphia, PA, August 18.

2023. “Peace Studies and the Limits to Growth” The 31st Annual Africa and Diaspora International Conference, California State University, Sacramento, April 27-29.

2023. “Visibility and Violence, Crime and Culpability: Insights from Women’s Movements” Visiting Scholar Invited Talk, Center for Teaching and Learning, California State University, Sacramento, April 25
2022. “Rewriting the Script: Memoirs and the Delegitimation of Domestic Violence”, Panel Presentation, “No Woman Has Ever Written Enough: Memoir, Visibility, Possibility”, National Women’s Studies Association Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, Minnesota, November 10-13.
2022. “Extractive Politics, Conflict, and Peacebuilding: Institutional and Structural Approaches”, Panel Presentation, “Different Aspects of Peacebuilding”, Conflict Research Society Annual Conference, Queen’s University Belfast (and online), September 7-9.
2022. “Ontologies of Exclusion: Expert Repudiation over Limits to Growth,” for Panel Presentation, “Uncommon Explorations between Green Technologies, Climate Hopes, and the Anthropological Imagination II”, European Association of Social Anthropologists Annual Meeting, Queen’s University Belfast (and online), July 26-29.
2022. “Policy Paradigms and Moral Orders: Sanctioning Governing Critical Research on the Biological Limits of Technological Solutions to Climate Change” for Panel Presentation, “Governing a sustainable transformation – The role of knowledge, expertise and the reflexivity of public institutions”, Nordic Environmental Social Science Conference. Gothenburg, June 7-9.
2022. “Local Movements and Urban Environmental Policy” Panel Co-organizer with Helena Leino and Markus Laine, Finnish Urban Studies Conference, Tampere, Finland, April 28-29.
2022. “Cities, Citizenship, and Climate Crisis” Harvard Kennedy School Ash Center for Democratic Governance and Innovation, April 28.
2022. “On Layers of Climate Denial in City Politics” Environmental Policy Research Group. Helsinki Institute of Sustainability Science. April 8.
2022. Book Salon, “Violence and Resistance”, Sociologists for Women in Society Winter Meeting, April 1.
2022. “Restaging Private Abuse in Public Places: How Survivors Find the Courage to Leave” Panel Presentation, “Feminist Responses to Invisibility and Violence” United Nations Committee for the Status of Women Annual Meeting (Online) March 14.
2022. Response to *After Genocide: Memory and Reconciliation in Rwanda*, Book Launch for author Nicole Fox, Hosted Online by California State University, Sacramento, March 15.
2022. “Sustainability and Disenchantment: Ceremony and Circumstance in Climate Policy and Practice” Sociology Research Seminar, Tampere University, March 8.
2022. Response to *Catholic Peacebuilding and Mining: Integral Peace, Development and Ecology*, Book Launch for Caesar A. Montevocchio and Gerald F. Powers, Hosted Online by Las Casas Institute, University of Oxford, March 1.
2022. “Policy Paradigms and Moral Orders: Sanctioning Governing Critical Research on the Biological Limits of Technological Solutions to Climate Change” for Panel Presentation Development Days Conference, University of Helsinki, February 17.
2022. “Invisibility and Violence: From Women in War to Everyday Extraction” Syracuse University Maxwell School of Public Policy, online presentation, February 4.
2022. “Social Movements and City Sustainability Politics: Insights from Worcester, Massachusetts” Invited Keynote, Sustainable Transformations in Urban Environments Program, Tampere University, Tampere, Finland, January 17.
2021. “A Gendered Approach to Conflict and Peace: (In)visibility, Threat, and Power” Tampere Peace Research Institute, Invited Presentation, December 14.

2021. “The Future of Social Policy” Sustainable Transformation of Urban Environments, Tampere University, Invited Presentation, November 22.
2021. “A Method for All Humankind? Global Nonviolence as Cultural and Moral Order” International Studies Association Northeast Conference, *The Politics and Practice of Social Movements* Panel Presentation, November 6.
2021. “Ecology and Environment: Lessons Learned” The Great American Outdoors Panel at Fulbright Finland, American Voices, Turku University, Turku, Finland, October 8.
2021. “Global Movements in World Society” Invited Guest Lecture for Globalization Seminar, Global and Transnational Sociology Master’s Degree Program, Tampere University, Tampere, Finland, September 20.
2021. “On Conversion and Cooptation in Climate Movement: An Ethnographic Perspective” European Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Climate Movements: Developments and Challenges, September 1.
2021. “Peacebuilding, Liberian Women, and the Invisible Hand of Conflict in the Postwar Era” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Peace, War, and Social Conflicts Regular Panel, August 9.
2021. “The Lies Lie Somewhere in the Middle: On Climate Denial in City Sustainability Politics” Alternative Futures and Popular protest, University of Manchester, June 7.
2021. “Political Invisibility and Mobilization: Women against State Violence in Argentina, Yugoslavia, and Liberia” Invited Book Talks, Wellesley College Introduction to Peace Studies, Wellesley, Massachusetts, May 14.
2021. with Renée Remsberg. “How They See Us, How We See Ourselves, and How We See Peace: Liberian Women, the International Community, and Peacebuilding After War” Sociologists for Women in Society Delegation to 65th Annual Meeting of the Committee for the Status of Women, United Nations, March 20.
2021. “Teaching Peace in Troubled Times” with Laura Heidemann, Michelle Gawerc, and Lisa Leitz, Virtual Coffee Hour Conversation, Peace, War, and Social Conflict Section of the American Sociological Association, March 8.
2021. with Renée Remsberg. “How They See Us, How We See Ourselves, and How We See Peace: Liberian Women, the International Community, and Peacebuilding After War” Sociologists for Women in Society Winter Meeting, *Narratives, Meaning and Social Change*, January 28.
2021. Book Launch: *Political Invisibility and Mobilization: Women against State Violence in Argentina, Yugoslavia, and Liberia*. Brandeis University Women’s Studies Research Center, January 25.
2020. “Political Invisibility and Mobilization: Women against State Violence in Argentina, Yugoslavia, and Liberia” Invited Book Talks, Wellesley College Introduction to Peace Studies, Wellesley, Massachusetts, November 20.
2020. “Environmental Sociology from the Margins” College of the Holy Cross, EcoAction, November 17.
2020. “Invisibility, Resistance, and Women’s Political Power” Invited Keynote Speech for *Voting Rights: 1870, 1920, 2020*, University of Utah, October 1.
2020. “Circles of Threat and Spheres of Power: Reflections on Women’s Nonviolent Mobilization” Sociologists for Women in Society, Online Roundtable on Women’s Movements, Friday, August 7.
2019. “Building Community and Waging Peace: Worcester Women Activists Share Their Stories” Worcester Women’s History Project, Annual Presentation of the Oral History Archives, Assumption College, December 4.
2019. “Excavating Buried Sex-Role Resistance: A Social Theoretical Archeology of Androgynuity as a Feminist Solution”, XII Coloquio Mujeres, Universidad de Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras, April 3-5.

2019. "Restaging Women's Sexual Politics: Receptivity and Resistance to the Vagina Monologues", Eastern Sociological Association, Annual Conference, Boston, March 14-18.
2018. "Stories of Women Peacemakers" Center for Nonviolent Solutions Social Justice Happy Hour, Worcester Massachusetts, March 15.
2017. "Fixing Watches and Finding Worms: Reflections on Travels to Cuba, 2003 and 2018", St. Therese and Francis Catholic Worker House, Worcester Massachusetts, Dec 6.
2017. "Peacemaking in Perilous Times" Center for Nonviolent Solutions, Worcester, MA, September 17.
2017. "Marginalization, Mobilization, and Power: Women against State Violence in Argentina, Serbia, and Liberia" Global and Transnational Sociology Research Cluster, American Sociological Association Annual meeting, Montreal, August 12-15.
2017. "Restaging as Resistance: Strategic Avowal, Conflict, and Transformation of the Social 'Backstage'" American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting, Montreal, Aug 12-15.
2017. "Shifting Visibilities, Power, and Mobilization, Women in Black Serbia, 1991-today" Mobilization annual Conference, Nonviolent Protest and the State, San Diego State University, May 5-6.
2017. "Dealing with Double Consciousness: Marginalization, Self-Care, and Opportunities for Growth" CHAS 4th Annual Women of Color Conference, Vassar College, March 3-5.
2016. "Power is in the Hands of the Beholder: Insights from the Study of Women and Nonviolence" International Meet on Women and Nonviolence, Gandhi Research Foundation, Jalgaon, India, Oct 25.
2016. "Neoinstitutionalism and the Constitutive Origins of Power among the Marginalized" Keynote Presentation, Power, Institutions, and Authority Biannual Conference, University of Tampere, Tampere, Finland, August 29-31.
2016. "Marginalization, Mobilization and Power" Peace, War and Social Conflict Section, presentation. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA.
2016. "Restaging Women's Sexuality: A Critical Analysis of the Reach and Limitations of Eve Ensler's Vagina Monologues" Sociologists for Women in Society Winter Conference, Memphis, Tennessee, Feb 6th.
2016. "Marginalization, Mobilization, and Power: Insights from Women's 'Invisible Resistance' in Argentina, Serbia and Liberia", Departmental Presentation at the University of New Mexico and Presentation at the Center for the Study of Democracy, University of California, Irvine, February, May.
2015. "Invisibility, Power, and Peacemaking: Insights from Feminist Theory" Notre Dame Young Peace Scholars Conference, Notre Dame, IN, November 7th.
2015. "Vulnerability over Violence: Women and Nonviolent Power in Argentina, Serbia, and Liberia" Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies, Notre Dame, IN, October 13th.
2015. "Weaving Political Fields: Peace Brigades International and Nonviolent Resistance during the Guatemalan Civil War" European Sociological Association Research Network on Social Movements Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, Feb 19-22.
2015. "The Diminishing Prospects for Higher Education upon Becoming Illegal" College of the Holy Cross Teach-In: Undocumented Immigration, March 18.
2015. "Dealing with Double Consciousness in the Academy" Women of Color Conference, Consortium on Higher

Achievement and Success, Skidmore College, Feb 28.

2014. "From Experience to Action: Lessons from the Civil Rights Movement, 1955-1968" College of the Holy Cross Community Learn-In, Police Brutality and Black Lives Matter, December 11, Rehm Library.
2014. "Globalizing the Repertoire: 20th Century Nonviolence as Pre-figurative Global Change." The Future of World Society Theory, Stanford University, August 15, 2014.
2014. "Our Mother's Daughters: Insights from Feminist Theory for Climate Change Activism" Peace and Justice Studies Association Conference, San Diego, Oct 16-18.
2013. "The Status of Our Civil Rights" Fishbowl Discussion, College of the Holy Cross, Rehm Library, September 11.
2013. "Global Networks and the Local Potential for Nonviolent Change" Panel Presentation for Minority Fellows Program, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, New York, NY, August 10.
2011. "Globalizing a Repertoire: INGOs and the Global Growth of Nonviolence", Panel Presentation, Peace, War and Conflict, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, NV, August 19.
2010. "Culture, Diffusion, and Power: How Global Organizations 'Build Capacity' ", Invited Panel Presentation, at The Second International Conference for Power and Knowledge, Panel: The local-global interfaces and domestication of transnational models, Tampere, Finland, September 6-8.
2010. "The Global Diffusion of Nonviolent Protest", Paper Presentation at International Studies Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA, Feb 19.
2009. "Have Repertoire, Will Travel: The Global Diffusion of Nonviolence", Paper Presentation at "Shaping Europe in a Globalized World: Marie Curie Conferences- European Protests Movements since the Cold War" University of Zurich, Zurich, Switzerland, June 22-24.
2009. "The Insufficient Imagery of Top-down, Bottom-up in Global Analysis", Paper Presentation at the Annual Sociological Association Meeting, San Francisco, CA, Aug 8-11.
2008. Roundtable Presentation, "Have Repertoire, Will Travel: The Globalization of Nonviolence," American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, August, Boston, MA.
2008. Panel Presentation, "Great Expectations: Advertising Natural Birth as an Experiential Commodity," American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, August, Boston, MA.
2008. Panel Presentation- War and Meaning, "Blurring the Lines: Counterframing and Strategic Ambiguity in the Conflict over the School of the Americas," Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, April, Richmond, VA.

COURSES TAUGHT

Development of Social Theory
Gender and Society
Global Change
Global Inequality
International Organizations and Society
Masters Thesis Seminar, Global and Transnational Sociology
Social Movements and Social Change
The Sociological Perspective
Special Topics Graduate Seminar: Visibility, Threat, and Violence

Women and Nonviolence

THESES AND INDEPENDENT RESEARCH PROJECTS ADVISED

- 2020, Summer Research Project Advisor, Aidan Ruppert and Olivia Curnen, “Good Citizen, Good Society? A Content Analysis of Citizenship Themes in High School Civics Texts”, JD Power Scholarship for Independent Research.
- 2019, Thesis Advisor, Kerry Shortell, “Battered No More: Understanding the Context and Courage of Women Who Resist Abuse.”
- 2019, Summer Weiss Fellowship Advisor, Mia Lambo, “Propulsions behind the Gender Pay Gap.”
- 2019, Summer Weiss Fellowship Advisor, Kerry Shortell, “Restaging Women’s ‘Private’ Lives: A Historical-Institutional Study of Domestic Violence.”
- 2018-2019, Thesis Advisor, Martin Dorsey, “ ‘You in the Middle of the World’: Identity and Experience in Black-centered Films.”
- 2018-2019, Thesis Advisor, Emily Sullivan, “Re-Staging the Life Course: A textual Analysis of Dysfunctional Family Memoirs.”
- 2018, Summer Greisch Fellowship Advisor, Emily Sullivan, “Re-Staging the Life Course and the Family Therapy Movement.”
2017. “Mobilizing Millions” Survey Design and Collection training and supervision of students from Wellesley College, Smith College, Colgate University, University of California, Santa Barbara and College of the Holy Cross for data collection during the 2017 Women’s March.
- 2016-2017, Thesis Advisor, Keith Plummer, “Becoming Queer in the 20th Century: An Analysis of Print Literature and Changing Queer Identity.”
- 2016-2017, Thesis Advisor, Hannah Tulinski, “Barbie as Cultural Compass: Embodiment, Representation, and Resistance Surrounding the World’s Most Iconized Doll.”
- 2015- 2016, Thesis Reader, Christian Cirhigari, Kroc Institute of international Peace Studies, Notre Dame University, “Student Movements and Societal Accountability for Ethnic Reconciliation: Case Studies in eastern Congo, Burundi and Sri Lanka.”
- 2015-2016, Thesis Reader, Kiara Barbieri, College of the Holy Cross, Sociology Honors Thesis, “A Caring Cut: A Sociological, Anthropological, and Bioethical Analysis of Organ Procurement and Transplantation in the United States and Abroad.”
- Fall 2015, Advisor, Hannah Tulinski, Washington Semester Thesis, “LGBT Cultural Conceptualization and the Acquisition of Minority Status in the Healthcare Industry.”
- 2014-2015, Advisor, Nick Cormier, College of the Holy Cross Fenwick Scholar, “Rewiring Perceptions of Organ Transplantation: A Sociological, Ethical and Biological Analysis.”
- 2013-2014, Advisor, Virna Sekuj, College of the Holy Cross, Sociology Honors Thesis, “Sex-Selection and Women in the Developing World.”

COLLEGE AND PUBLIC TALKS ORGANIZED

2020. “Walk with Me: The Life and Times of Fannie Lou Hamer” Talk with Biographer Kate Larson, Online
12 Curriculum Vitae, *Selina R. Gallo-Cruz*

- event, co-hosted by Center for Nonviolent Solutions and College of the Holy Cross, March 23.
2019. “Civil Disobedience as a Moral Weapon for Inhuman Times” Talk by Pietro Ameglio of Mexican Peace and Justice Service, College of the Holy Cross, October 28.
2019. “Confronting Climate Crisis in the Nonprofit Industrial Complex: An Insider’s Account” with Vickash Mohanka of Clean Water Action, College of the Holy Cross, November 6.
2019. “Killer Heat in the United States: Climate Choices and the Future of Dangerously Hot Days” with Erika Spanger-Siegfried of the Union of Concerned Scientists, College of the Holy Cross, September 10.
2019. “Massachusetts Leaders in the Woman Suffrage Movement: The Missing Half of the Story” Barbara F. Berenson, Esq., College of the Holy Cross, February 7.
2018. “Nothing About Us Without Us: The State of Incarceration for Women” Talk with Andrea James of Families for Justice as Healing, College of the Holy Cross, March 20.
2018. “Freedom University: A Talk with Emiko Soltis, Director, and Students of Freedom University on Social Justice for Undocumented Students in the United States” College of the Holy Cross, October 22.
2018. “Worcester Women’s History Project Film Screening: Emma Goldman, American Experience” College of the Holy Cross. September 9.
2018. “Is It Time to Abolish Nuclear Weapons?” A Talk with Paul Walker of Global Green, College of the Holy Cross, April 10.
2018. “Yours for Humanity: A Dramatic Reading from the Life of Abby Kelley Foster” by Lynne McKinney Lydick, College of the Holy Cross, February 20.
2017. “We Grow Into Courage”, A Dramatic Reading of Civil Rights Tests Excerpted from *Hands on the Freedom Plow: Personal Accounts by Women in SNCC*. College of the Holy Cross, April 24.
2017. “We Grow Into Courage”, A Dramatic Reading of Civil Rights Tests Excerpted from *Hands on the Freedom Plow: Personal Accounts by Women in SNCC*. Worcester Public Library, April 12.
2017. “Forgotten by the Food Movement?” Coalition of Immokalee Workers Discussion, College of the Holy Cross, February 2.
2016. “Flirting with Danger: Power and Choice in Heterosexual Relationship” Film Showing and Discussion as part of Sexual Assault Awareness Month, College of the Holy Cross, April 14.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Journal Reviewer

American Sociological Review,
Cultural Sociology,
Humanity & Society,
Emory Undergraduate Research Journal,
European Journal of Cultural and Political Sociology,
Feminist Criminology,
Gender and Society,
Global Society,
International Journal of Comparative Sociology,
International Sociology,
Journal of Pacifism and Nonviolence,
Journal of Peace Research,
Journal of Refugee Studies,
Mobilization: An International Journal,

New Genetics and Society,
Perspectives on Politics,
Poetics,
Research on Social Movements, Conflicts, and Change,
Social Forces,
Social Problems,
Social Justice Studies,
Sociological Forum,
Third World Quarterly

Manuscript Reviewer

Cambridge University Press,
Norton,
Palgrave MacMillan,
Peter Lang,
Routledge,
Sage Publications,
Temple University Press

Editorial Boards:

The Journal of Political Power, Co-Editor with Pertti Alasutaari, Mona Lilja,
and Suvi Salmenniemi, 2023- present
Journal of Aggression, Conflict, and Peace Research, 2022-present
The Journal of Social Encounters, 2021- present
Humanity and Society, Book Review Editor, 2016- 2022

College Service

Director of Graduate Studies, Sociology Department, Syracuse University, 2023- present

Research Co-Director, Advocacy and Activism, Program for the Advancement of Research on Conflict and Collaboration
2023- present

Chair, Department of Sociology and Anthropology Honors Committee, 2018-2020

Advisor to Holy Cross Eco-Action Students, 2019-2020

College of the Holy Cross Writing Center, 2020, "Writing for the Social Sciences"

Washington Semester Program, Interviewer, 2018

College Assessment,

Exit Interview Focus Group for ALANA Seniors, designed and conducted, 2017

Sociology Department Major Declaration Assessment, designed and conducted
with Jeff Dixon, 2017

Developed proposal for increasing access to undocumented applicants, 2017

Committee on Interdisciplinary Studies, Elected, 2017-2019

Department of Sociology and Anthropology Honors Committee, 2014-2015, 2016-2017

Gender, Sexuality, and Women's Studies, College of the Holy Cross, Lecture, Prize and Curriculum Committees
2013- 2015

Sister to Sister, College of the Holy Cross, Women of Color on Campus Mentorship, 2013- current

Academic Advisor and mentor, College of the Holy Cross, 2013-current

Over 200 letters written for graduate study, study abroad, grants and fellowships, awards, internships, and professional positions.

Academic advisor to 140 undergraduate students, College of the Holy Cross.

Publishing and professionalization mentor to graduate sociology and peace studies students, 2013-current

Graduate Sociologists President, Emory University 2009-2010

Alpha Kappa Delta Awards Committee, Emory University 2008-2009

Piedmont Climate Change Panel, Emory University 2008

Human Subjects Research Liaison, Emory University 2006- 2008

Research Day Panel Presentation Judge, Spelman College Collective Behavior and Social Movements Section

Academic Association Service

ASA Peace, War, and Social Conflict, Chair-Elect, 2023-2024

Fulbright Finland Foundation, Applicant Reviewer, 2022

ASA Peace, War, and Social Conflict, Outstanding Book Award Review Committee, 2022

ASA Collective Behavior and Social Movements Section, Elected Council Member, 2018-2021

Collective Behavior and Social Movements Section Charles Tilly Book Award Committee, 2021

Collective Behavior and Social Movements Section, Best Section Article Award, 2019

ASA, Global and Transnational Sociology, Global Social Movements Research Cluster facilitator, 2018- present

ASA Collective Behavior and Social Movements Panel Session Discussant, "Violence and Its Consequences",
August 8, 2020

Brandeis University Heller School Sankofa Conference on Racial Justice, Lead Moderator, Summer 2020

ASA Peace War and Social Change, Elected Council Member, 2017-2020

Peace War and Social Change, Best Article Award Committee, 2019

Peace War and Social Change, Nominations Committee Chair, 2017-2018

Association for Humanist Sociology, 2017 Annual Conference Panel Organizer, "Narratives, Knowledges, and
Resistance", Havana, Cuba

"Rethinking the Afropolitan: the Ethics of Black, Atlantic Masculinities on Display", Panel moderator for
"Consuming Cultures", College of the Holy Cross, Worcester, MA, Oct 19-21.

ASA Collective Behavior and Social Movements Section, Membership, Diversity, and Inclusion Committee
Facilitator, 2015- 2018

ASA Collective Behavior and Social Movements Section Roundtable Moderator, “Theory-Building”, Fall 2016

Institutions, Power, and Authority Conference, University of Finland- Tampere, Social Movements Panel Moderator, Fall 2016

Notre Dame Young Peace Scholars Conference Global-Local Panel Moderator, Fall 2015

Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies, Graduate Student Presentation mentorship, Fall 2015

American Sociological Association Peace, War and Conflict Section Nominations Committee, 2015-2016

American Sociological Association Peace, War, and Social Conflict Section, Panel Discussant, 2015

American Sociological Association Globalization Section, Panel Moderator, 2014

American Sociological Association Collective Behavior and Social Movements Section, Roundtable Discussant, 2014

American Sociological Association Globalization Section, Communications, 2009-2011

Wellesley Atlanta Alumnae Club, Book Award Committee Sponsor, 2009

Board Member Service

Merz Institute, 2021- 2022

Board Member, Abby’s House, 2019-2021

- In addition to normal board member duties, I was a member of the Development Committee and a founding member of a new committee on Race and Racism.

Steering Committee Member, Worcester Women’s History Project, 2017-2019

- In addition to normal board duties, I developed and presented a proposal to the city to recognize women’s historical leaders in early women’s rights and abolition movements in Worcester. Hosted a public film showing to bring attention to the historical presence of Emma Goldman in Worcester. As a result, new signage has been added on the first and second national Women’s Rights Conferences in Worcester in 1850 and 1851 in the downtown area. A mural of Emma Goldman has been added to the downtown arts district near the site of her former ice cream shop.
- Organized the collection and addition of new oral histories to the women’s oral history archives held at Schlesinger library at Harvard. These included women activists and peace organizers, collected by my students and through a special grant provided by College of the Holy Cross. Two public presentations were given on this work first by my students on an initial small collection and then by myself and student assistant in a public presentation of the full collection.

Consulting and Public Sociology

Worcester Electrification Committee, 2020

- Co-founded, organized, and facilitated the establishment of a citizens committee to develop electrification policy in Worcester, attended trainings provided by the Rocky Mountain Institute, meetings with organizers, policymakers, and sustainability directors from different cities in Massachusetts, and a meeting with Worcester’s sustainability director
- Co-organized citizen feedback on the energy design of development plans for two new high schools in Worcester
- Co-organized meetings between citizens and the architect of new Amazon distribution facilities in Worcester

Citizens Committee for Green City Plan, Worcester, Massachusetts, 2019-2020

- Served on a city manager appointed citizens committee to provide oversight and input into the city's Green City Plan
- Attended various meetings, studied numerous city sustainability plans and related resources, provided extensive input on several drafts of the plan and the planning process, met with fellow citizen members and the organizing consultant on numerous occasions

Worcester Mothers Out Front, Organizing Team Member, 2019-2021

- Team organizer through several initiatives, including canvassing local residents about gas leaks in front of their children's schools, testifying at city council on behalf of a study of gas leaks in front of public schools in Worcester, organizing a petition drive to eliminate the use of single-use plastic bags from a new city program proposal, and developing and piloting a citizen-led study of gas leaks in Worcester
- Facilitated a pilot neighborhood gas leaks study with Holy Cross students in Environmental Sociology
- Established a paid summer internship for a Holy Cross student to work as support staff for Mothers Out Front

Worcester Ecotarium

- Co-curator of the 2020 exhibit "Local is the New Global", designed the exhibit on Gulf Coast coral to bring attention to coral bleaching in the Gulf Coast and Caribbean

St. Peter Central Catholic Climate Club Founder and Organizer, 2019-2020

- Founded a junior school "climate club" to provide education for students interested in issues raised by the global youth climate marches
- Held weekly sessions taught by myself and a rotating panel of guest educators from environmental organizations throughout the county
- Facilitated a study of air quality in the neighborhood of the school, presented to a panel of civil leaders and the public at the Audubon Broad Meadow Brook
- Helped the youth to develop a grant application which was awarded by Catholic Climate Covenant for a youth-designed program to eliminate single use water bottles at their school and install a new filtered bubbler to do so

Office of Justice and Ecology with the Jesuit Conference in Washington, D.C.

- Provided several research publications on the movement to close the U.S. Army School of the Americas and the development of a human rights constitution in Colombia to be used in the development of a report for the Truth Commission in Colombia

Center for Nonviolent Solutions

- Support for the development of "We Grow Into Courage" An Oral History Play based on the experiences of women organizers in the U.S. Civil Rights Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee
- Collaboration in developing a civics education program for Worcester Public Schools

Freedom University

- Annual talks given yearly during Freedom University's Summer program. Organized a campus visit at College of the Holy Cross

Women's International Meet on Nonviolence, Ekta Parishad

- Provided several research publications on women's contributions to nonviolent organizing, the history of women's nonviolent movements, and political invisibility and mobilization to be used in organizing an international women's nonviolence meeting.
- Served as the Spanish-English translator for two women's human rights activist delegates from Colombia to India
- Participated in a field visit with land rights organizers in Maharashtra and reported on these findings in an international press conference
- Spoke on the issues of violence against women in the United States at a separate press conference about the meeting

Private Consulting for HarperCollins author

- Provided a typology for character development on nonviolent activists in international field placements based on my research on international nonviolent organizations.

School of the Americas Watch

- Submitted completed research publications from four years of fieldwork and archival analysis examining the U. S. Army School of the Americas Reinvention Plan and the contemporary communications strategic interaction between the Western hemisphere Institute for Security and Cooperation and the movement to close SOA/WHINSEC.

Nonviolence International

- Prepared a full organizational history and timeline to be used in programmatic documents and for grant applications drawing on NI's D.C. archives

LANGUAGES SPOKEN

English, Spanish

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