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EDUCATION

- 2022 (anticipated) Stanford University, Ph.D. Candidate, Sociology
Qualifying Exams: Gender and Social Psychology
Dissertation Title: “Understanding gender-segregation of work using a community ecology approach”
Committee: Jeremy Freese (Chair), Shelley Correll, and David Pedulla
- 2014-2015 Tufts University, Graduate Coursework, Biology
- 2012 Northwestern University, B.A., Biological Sciences
 Concentration in Evolutionary & Developmental Biology
 Double Minors in Political Science and Sociology

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Gender; Organizations; Social Inequality, Medical Sociology; Social Psychology; and Methods.

PUBLICATIONS

Freese, Jeremy and Livia Baer-Bositis. 2019. “Networks of Problems: Social, Psychological, and Genetic Influences on Health.” *Current Opinion in Psychology* 27: 88-92.

Works in Progress

Pedulla, David, Sophie Allen, and Livia Baer-Bositis. “Can Customers Reduce Racial Discrimination in Hiring?”

Baer-Bositis, Livia. “Effects of Internal Organizational Competition on Within Occupational Gender-Segregation in Medicine.”

Baer-Bositis, Livia. “Gender Bias in Clinical Trials: The Role of Investigators.”

Baer-Bositis, Livia. “The Gendered Organization of Medical Schools.”

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2020-Present Research Assistant to Dr. Asad Asad, Department of Sociology, Stanford University.
 Analyzing quantitative data on how citizenship and legal status and threat of deportation affect participation in surveilling and non-surveilling institutions.

2019-Present Research Assistant to Dr. David Pedulla, Department of Sociology, Stanford University.
 Assisted with the execution of an audit study embedded within a field experiment to test how customers can reduce employer discrimination in hiring and the role of online customer review systems in shaping customer influence.

- 2018-2019 Research Assistant to Dr. Robb Willer, Department of Sociology, Stanford University.
Helped develop and implement a survey in Qualtrics to examine the rise of anti-elitism among conservatives in the United States.
- 2017 Research Assistant to Dr. Jeremy Freese, Department of Sociology, Stanford University.
Completed a meta-analysis of medical innovations and emerging treatment disparities that have occurred within the past forty years.
- 2014-2015 Research Assistant to Dr. Elizabeth Crone, Department of Biology, Tufts University.
Conducted population surveys of the Baltimore checkerspot butterfly (*Euphydryas phaeton*) in Massachusetts and Maryland using mark-recapture methods and analyses in the programs MARK and JAGS.
- 2013-2014 Research Assistant to Dr. Gerald Borgia, Department of Biology, University of Maryland - College Park.
Completed behavioral coding and sound analysis of videos of male satin bowerbirds' (*Ptilonorhynchus violaceus*) sexual displays in Northern Australia.
- 2013-2014 Research Assistant to Dr. William Fagan, Department of Biology, University of Maryland - College Park.
Assisted in meta-analysis of species with fission fusion dynamics, network analyses, and the development of an agent-based model of aggregation.
- 2012 Research Assistant, Achieving Parity Project, Institute for Women's Policy Research, Washington, DC.
Worked on a qualitative interview project intended to find ways to increase the number of women in elective office. Prepared databases, transcribed interviews, and organized and recruited for focus groups.
- 2011 Research Assistant, Foley Longitudinal Study of Adulthood, School of Education and Social Policy, Northwestern University.
Provided interview transcription and data management support.
- 2009 Research Assistant to Dr. Lynne Kiorpes, Visual Function Neuroscience Research Lab, New York University.
Assisted with experimental setup and monitoring of normal and amblyopic animals' visual acuity.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2018, 2019 Teaching Assistant to Dr. Robb Willer, Theoretical Analysis and Research Design (SOC 372), Stanford University.
- 2018 Teaching Assistant to Dr. David Pedulla, Foundations of Social Research (SOC 180A), Stanford University.

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2014 Junior Grant Writer, Office of Research Advancement, University of Southern California.
- 2013 Office Assistant, Office of Research Advancement, University of Southern California.
- 2011 Clerical Aide, Mechanical Engineering Department, Northwestern University.
- 2010 Administrative Aide, Material Research Science & Engineering Center, Northwestern University.
- 2010 Intern, Office of Representative Daniel Lipinski (D-IL), Washington D.C..
- 2009 Development and Membership Intern, The Wilderness Society, Washington, D.C..

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

- 2019 Stanford Graduate Research Opportunities (GRO) Fund, \$5,000
- 2019 Stanford VPGE Diversity Dissertation Research Opportunity, \$2,090
- 2015 Tufts Water Diplomacy IGERT Traineeship
- 2015 Tufts University's Graduate Student Research Competition, \$1,000
- 2014 Dean's Fellowship, Tufts University
- 2008-2009 Women in Science Scholarship, New York University

PRESENTATIONS

- Baer-Bositis, Livia. 2021. "Within Occupational Gender-Segregation: Dynamics of Competition Between Sub-Occupations Shape and Re-Shape Job Queues." Paper accepted to roundtable on Organizations, Occupations, and Work. *American Sociological Association Annual Meeting (Virtual)*.
- Baer-Bositis, Livia. 2020. "Gender Bias in Clinical Trials: The Role of Investigators." Paper accepted to session on Gender Inequalities in Health. *Population Association of America Annual Meeting*. [Meeting cancelled due to the COVID-19 pandemic.]
- Baer-Bositis, Livia. 2020. "Gender Bias in Clinical Trials: The Role of Investigators." Presented paper at the *Sociologists for Women in Sociology Winter Meeting (San Diego, CA)*.
- Baer-Bositis, Livia. 2019. "The Gendered Organization of Medical Schools." Presented paper at roundtable on Organizations, Occupations, and Work. *American Sociological Association Annual Meeting (New York, NY)*.
- Baer-Bositis, Livia. 2019. "The Gendered Organization of Medical Schools." Presented paper at session on Gendered Jobs, Careers, and Organizations. *Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting (Oakland, CA)*.
- Baer-Bositis, Livia. 2019. "The Gendered Organization of Medical Schools." Presented paper at the *Sociologists for Women in Sociology Winter Meeting (Denver, CO)*.

Baer-Bositis, Livia. 2016. "Empowering Women: Do Individual Attitudes or Social Groups Matter Most?" Presented poster at the *Midwest Political Science Association* Annual Meeting (Chicago, IL).

Baer-Bositis, Livia. 2015. "How Many Nests do 1,000 Lady Butterflies Lay?: A Mark-Recapture Study of Baltimore Checkerspot (*Euphydryas phaeton*) Larval Nests." Presented research project at Tufts University's Department of Biology Seminar (Medford, MA).

Baer-Bositis, Livia, Silvia J. Alvarez, and William Fagan. 2014. "Variability of Fission Fusion Systems in Mammals." Presented poster at the *Animal Behavior Society* Annual Conference (Princeton, NJ).

SERVICE

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| 2019-2020 | Social Chair, Association of Sociology Graduate Students, Stanford University. |
| 2018-2019 | Admissions Chair, Association of Sociology Graduate Students, Stanford University. |
| 2017-2018 | Professional Development Chair, Association of Sociology Graduate Students, Stanford University. |

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association
Sociologists for Women in Society