

Dr. Corey Stevens, PhD
Curriculum Vitae

Contact Info

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Education

Ph.D., University of Akron, Sociology, 2018
M.A., Ohio University, Sociology, 2011
Graduate Certificate, Ohio University, Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, 2011
B.A., Bowling Green State University, Sociology, 2009

Positions Held

Assistant Professor. Department of Sociology. Southern Illinois University Edwardsville (SIUE).
2019-present
Visiting Instructor/Professor. Department of Anthropology and Sociology. Lafayette College.
2017-2019
Research Associate. Center for Community Health. Austin BioInnovation Institution of Akron
(ABIA). 2013

Peer-Reviewed Publications

Stevens, Corey. 2020. "Sick But Healthy: Bariatric Patients and the Social Construction of Illness and Disability." *Sociology of Health & Illness* 42(1): 907-924
Elman, Cheryl, Barbara Wittman, Kathryn Feltey, Corey Stevens, Molly Hartsough. 2019. "Women in Frontier Arkansas: Settlement in a Post-Reconstruction Racial State" *Du Bois Review* 16(2): 575-612
Stevens, Corey. 2017. "Fat on Campus: Fat College Students' Experiences of Stigma." *Sociological Focus* 50(4): 1-20

Manuscripts under Review

Elman, Cheryl, Barbara Wittman, Kathryn Feltey, Corey Stevens, Molly Hartsough. "'Without Race Distinction': How Public Health Struggles in the Jim Crow South Reflected and Reinforced Systemic Racial Health Inequality." *DuBois Review*
Elman, Cheryl, Barbara Wittman, Kathryn Feltey, Corey Stevens, Molly Hartsough. "'Little Baby's Gone to Heaven': Plantations, Parasites, and the Racial Gap in Child Mortality in the Jim Crow Era." *Social Science History*

Manuscripts in Preparation

Stevens, Corey. Forthcoming. *No Easy Way Out: The Moral Career of the Obesity Surgery Patient*. New York: NYU Press

Johannpeter, Corbin and Corey Stevens. “‘Fuck a Vaccine Passport, Let’s go BMI Passport’: When Moral Calm Around Vaccines Meets the Moral Panic of the Obesity Epidemic.”

Courses Taught

Undergraduate

Gender and Society

Medicine, Health and Society (Sociology of Health)

Introduction to Sociology

Survey of Theory

Bodies in Society

Interpersonal Relationships and Families

Introduction to Women’s Studies

Graduate

Professionalization Seminar

Research Methods & Study Design

Intersecting Inequalities

Health, Illness, and Society

Selected Presentations

Stevens, Corey. “‘Obesity’ What’s in a Name?: Bariatric Patients and the Moral Meaning of Medicalized Fatness.” *Medicalization, Embodiment, and Gender*. August, 2022. Annual Meeting of Society for the Study of Social Problems (SSSP).

Stevens, Corey and Breanne Burton. “Women Health Mangers and Men Health Coaches: Bariatric Patients and Gendered Expectations of Care and Social Support.” *Critical Dialogue: Health, Gender, and Sexuality*. August, 2021. Annual Meeting of SSSP.

Stevens, Corey. “Sick but Healthy: Bariatric Patients and the Social Construction of Illness and Disability.” *Fat Studies: Experiencing and Theorizing Fat Oppression*. April 2020. Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society (canceled due to pandemic)

Stevens, Corey. “The Meaning of Obesity: Illness Experiences of Bariatric Patients.” *Weight, Meaning, Stigma, and Health*. April, 2016. MSS/NCSA Joint Meeting.

Stevens, Corey. “‘If You’re Hungry, You’re Gonna Eat!’: Managing and Resisting Fat Stigma in College.” April, 2013. Grad Crow Conference on Women and Gender. University of Akron

Stevens, Corey. “Fat on Campus.” *Bodies in Crisis/Bodies as Crisis*. November 11, 2011. National Women’s Studies Association Annual Conference

Selected Service

Department Level (Sociology)

Graduate Director, Sociology Master’s Program, SIUE, 2022-25

Social Media Coordinator, Department of Sociology, SIUE, Fall 2019 – present

Graduate Committee Member, Department of Sociology, SIUE, Fall 2020 – Summer 2022
Sociology Recruitment Video, Coordinator, Department of Sociology, SIUE, August 2020
Hiring Committee Chair, Department of Sociology, SIUE, April - May 2020
PT and ARC Papers Committee Member, Department of Sociology, SIUE, February 2020

College Level (CAS)

Women's Studies Standing Committee Member, Women's Studies Program, SIUE, AY 2020-21

University Level (SIUE)

Institutional Review Board Member, SIUE, Fall 2023 - present
Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities (URCA) Committee Member, SIUE, Spring 2022 - present
Faculty Writing Group Organizer, SIUE, Spring 2020 – present
Safe Zone Committee Member, SIUE, Fall 2021 – Spring 2022
Safe Zone Trainer, SIUE, Fall 2021 – Spring 2022
Small Teaching Online Book Club, SIUE (IDLT), Spring 2022
Rainbow Graduation Keynote Speaker, Center for Diversity and Inclusion, SIUE, April 2021
Student Initiative Award Reviewer, Kimmel Student Involvement Center, SIUE, March-April 2021
Presenter: "COVID19 and Racism: Moving from Individual to Collective Responsibility,"
Diversity Day, SIUE, October 2020

Profession (Sociology and Interdisciplinary)

BioSocieties Journal Reviewer, September 2023
Graduate Paper Award Committee, Society for the Study of Social Problems, Health, Health Policy & Health Services, February – March 2023
Sociological Inquiry Journal Reviewer, October 2021
Social Psychology Quarterly Reviewer, August 2021
Graduate Paper Award Committee, American Sociological Association Section on Bodies and Embodiment, September 2020-August 2021
Sociology Compass Reviewer, October 2020

Media Contributions

Stevens, Corey. "International Students are Once Again in Trump's Crosshairs." *St. Louis Post-Dispatch*. July 14, 2020

Honors and Awards

First "e" Award Recipient, SIUE, 2022
American Sociological Association Section on Teaching and Learning, SAGE Teaching Innovation and Personal Development Award, 2016

University of Akron Department of Sociology, Alpha Kappa Delta, Mu Chapter, Outstanding Graduate Student Teaching Award, 2015

University of Akron Department of Sociology, Barbara J. Stephens Dissertation Award, 2014

University of Akron Department of Sociology, Alpha Kappa Delta, Mu Chapter, Outstanding Service Award, 2013

Ohio University Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Excellence in Research Award, 2011