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## **EDUCATION**

PhD in Sociology, University of Arizona, 2018

Dissertation: *Building a Wall of Resistance: Collective Action and Rationality in the Anti-Terror Age*; Comprehensive Exam Areas: Social Movements and Collective Behavior (Honors Pass) and Sociology of Culture (Honors Pass)

Certificate in College Teaching, University of Arizona, 2016

Masters of Arts in Sociology, University of Arizona, 2012

Thesis: "Intersections of Meaning and Practice: Race and the Construction of the Fallen Woman in Progressive-Era New York"

Bachelor of Arts in Sociology with Spanish cognate, Grand Valley State University, 2008

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE, TRAINING, AND HONORS**

2018-present      Assistant Professor of Sociology and Criminology, CSU Pueblo  
Courses taught: Introduction to Sociology (in-person and online), Introduction to Criminology (in-person and online), Research Methods (in-person and online), Police and Society (online), Deviance (online), Homelessness and Housing Insecurity in the United States (online), Understanding Lived Experience (in-person)

2021                Inside-Out Training Institute, Inside-Out Center (virtual)

2020                "Faculty Member of the Year", Student Choice Awards  
CSU Pueblo Associated Student Government

Creating and Teaching Online and Hybrid Courses, CSU Pueblo

Open Educational Resource Mini-Grant Recipient, \$1500

2019                Open Educational Resource Workshop

Conversational Spanish Workshop for Educators (8-weeks)

- 2012-2018 Graduate Teaching Associate, University of Arizona  
Courses taught: Social Issues in America (in-person), Social Movements (online), Research Practicum (in-person)
- 2010-2012 Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Arizona  
Courses assisted with: Latin America, Globalization and Development
- 2015 Graduate Student Advisor, University of Arizona Alternative Spring Break, with Teach for America in Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2014 Graduate Student Advisor, University of Arizona Alternative Spring Break, with Habitat for Humanity in Sacramento, California

## RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS, GRANTS, PRESENTATIONS AND HONORS

### BOOKS

- 2022 Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi. June 2022. *Cultures of Resistance: Collective Action and Rationality in the Anti-Terror Age*. New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press.

### PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

- 2022 Elliot, Thomas, Jennifer Earl, Thomas V. Maher, and Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. 2022. "Softer Policing or the Institutionalization of Protest? Decomposing Changes in Observed Protest Policing Over Time." *American Journal of Sociology* 127(4): 1311–1365.
- 2021 Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi and Jennifer Earl. 2021. "The Puzzle of Protest Policing Over Time: Historicizing Repression Research Using Temporal Moving Regressions." *American Behavioral Scientist* 66(5): 625-647.
- 2018 Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi and Jennifer Earl. 2018. "Clashes of Conscience: Explaining Counterdemonstration at Protests." *Mobilization* 23(3): 263-284.
- 2018 Suh, Hyungjun and Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. 2018. "A Contingent Effect of Trust?: Ingroup and Outgroup Trust and Social Movement Participation in Political Context." *Social Science Quarterly* 99(4): 1484-1495.
- 2017 Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. 2017. "Protesting the Police: Police Brutality Claims as a Predictor of Police Repression of Protest." *Social Movement Studies* 17(1): 48-63.
- Odabas, Meltem and Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. 2017. "Tweeting from Gezi Park: Social Media and Repression Backfire." *Social Currents*: 1-20.

- 2014 Ring-Ramirez, Misty, Heidi Reynolds-Stenson, and Jennifer Earl. 2014. "Culturally Constrained Contention: Mapping the Meaning Structure of the Repertoire of Contention." *Mobilization* 19(4): 405-419.

## BOOKS IN PREPARATION

Earl, Jennifer and Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. *Repertoires of Control: Organizational Innovation and Change in US Protest Policing*.

## REPORTS, REVIEWS, AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- 2022 Heidi Reynolds-Stenson (Contributing author). "Social Movements and Social Change" Chapter 21 of *Sociology 2e* (OER Textbook).
- 2017 Stryker, Robin, Heidi Reynolds-Stenson and Krista Frederico. 2017 "Family responsibilities discrimination, HR work-family discourse and organizational mediation of US civil rights law." Sciences-Po Laboratoire Interdisciplinaire d'Évaluation des Politiques Publiques. Axe: Discriminations et Inégalités Sociales (peer-reviewed).
- Erica Chenoweth, Kyleanne Hunter, Pauline Moore, Tricia Olsen, Jonathan Pinkney, and Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. February 2017. "Struggles from Below: Literature Review on Human Rights Struggles by Domestic Actors." Research and Innovation Grants Working Papers Series. Institute of International Education.
- 2016 "Green is the New Red" (Book Review). Mobilizing Ideas Blog, Daily Disruption. <http://mobilizingideas.wordpress.com/>
- 2015 "Risks of Activism." Informing Activists Series, <https://mobilizingideas.wordpress.com/2015/11/13/informing-activists-what-are-the-risks-of-activism-and-can-i-reduce-those-risks/>
- "When Targets Police." Mobilizing Ideas. <https://mobilizingideas.wordpress.com/2015/06/10/when-targets-police/>
- "Private Repression and the Shooting of Minneapolis Black Lives Matter Protesters." Mobilizing Ideas. <https://mobilizingideas.wordpress.com/2015/12/06/private-repression-and-the-shooting-of-minneapolis-black-lives-matter-protesters/>
- "Police to Protest Tarantino Premiere." Mobilizing Ideas. <https://mobilizingideas.wordpress.com/2015/11/11/police-to-protest-tarantino-premiere/>

“New Documentary: She’s Beautiful When She’s Angry” (Film Review). Mobilizing Ideas. <https://mobilizingideas.wordpress.com/2015/07/20/new-documentary-shes-beautiful-when-shes-angry/>

2014 Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi and Jennifer Earl. April 2014. “The Whole World is Texting.” Mobilizing Ideas. <http://mobilizingideas.wordpress.com/2014/04/01/the-whole-world-is-texting/>

2011 Stryker, Robin and Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. 2011. Series of Research Briefs on Civil Engagement and Discourse Online. National Institute for Civil Discourse. [http://nicd.arizona.edu/research\\_briefs](http://nicd.arizona.edu/research_briefs)

### **EXTERNAL GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS**

2023 Faculty Mentor, National Science Foundation Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) site, University of Pittsburgh (with Dr. Fernando Tormos-Aponte)

2022-2025 Co-Principal Investigator, Supplemental Funding for: Research Grant on Reducing Inequality for “The Impact of Black Lives Matter Mobilization on Police Departments’ Policies and Practices” William T. Grant Foundation. Additional \$117,000 awarded in 2022 to support the program through the 2024-2025 academic year (across two campuses, with Co-PI Fernando Tormos-Aponte of University of Pittsburgh)

2021-2024 Co-Principal Investigator, Research Grant on Reducing Inequality for “The Impact of Black Lives Matter Mobilization on Police Departments’ Policies and Practices” William T. Grant Foundation, 2021-2024, \$450,701 (across two campuses, with Co-PI Fernando Tormos-Aponte of University of Pittsburgh)

2016-2017 PEO Scholar Award, P.E.O. International, \$15,000

### **INTERNAL RESEARCH GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS**

2022 Faculty Development Grant, Provost Office, Colorado State University Pueblo, \$1000

CHASS Faculty Development Grant, Colorado State University Pueblo, \$800

2020 SURP Grant for “Protest and Police Reform” Project, Colorado State University Pueblo, \$2500

2019 Faculty Development Grant, Provost Office, Colorado State University Pueblo, \$2000

Faculty Seed Grant, Colorado State University Pueblo, \$5966

SURP Grant, Colorado State University Pueblo, \$1500

CHASS Faculty Development Grant, Colorado State University Pueblo, \$600

2019 Graduate and Professional Student Council Travel Grant, University of Arizona, \$4750

2015 Social and Behavior Sciences Fellowship, School of Sociology, University of, \$8100

SBSRI Dissertation Grant, Social and Behavior Sciences Research Institute, University of Arizona, \$1958

GPSC Research Grant, Graduate and Professional Student Council, University of Arizona, \$1279

2014 Graduate and Professional Student Council Travel Grant, University of Arizona September 2014, \$493

2010-2011 Graduate College Fellowship, University of Arizona

## RESEARCH TALKS & PRESENTATIONS

2022 Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi. *Cultures of Resistance: Collective Action and Rationality in the Anti-Terror Age*. "Meet the Research" Lecture Series, CSU Pueblo

2022 Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi and Jennifer Earl. "The Role of Race-Related Contention in Changes in American Protest Policing, 1960-1980" Law and Society Association Annual Meeting May 2022, Lisbon, Portugal.

2022 Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi. "Protest Policing in the U.S." *Observatoire dea profilage*, University of Montreal (invited talk) March 2022 (virtual).

2021 Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi. "Activist Resistance and Second-Order Repression Effects." Idaho State University brownbag series (invited talk), Pocatello, Idaho. Fall 2021.

2020 Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi and Jennifer Earl. "Towards a Repertoire of Protest Control." Law and Society Association Annual Meeting May 2020 (virtual).

2017 Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi. "'Ultimately we're all losing': Success, Failure, and Repression in an Activist Community." American Political Science Association, San Francisco, California, September 2017

Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi. "‘A Cure Worse than the Illness?’: Activist Resistance and Second-Order Repression Effects." American Society of Criminology November 2017 (Session on Policing and Social Movements).

Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi and Jennifer Earl. "Clashes of Conscience: Explaining Counterdemonstration at Protests." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting August 2017 (Collective Behavior and Social Movements Regular Session).

Earl, Jennifer and Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. "The 1960s Version of Black Lives Matter: The Role of Brutality Allegations in Structuring Changes to Protest & Policing Protocols, 1960-1980." Law and Society Association Annual Meeting June 2017, Mexico City, Mexico.

Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. "Repression in the Eye of the Beholder: How Protest Culture Shapes the Experience of State Repression." Mobilization Conference May 2017.

Elliot, Thomas, Jennifer Earl, Thomas V. Maher, and Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. "Did Police or Protesters Change? Understanding Changes in Protest Policing Across Time." Four Corners Conflict Network Meeting April 2017.

2016

Suh, Hyungjun and Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. "A Contingent Effect of Trust?: Ingroup and Outgroup Trust and Social Movement Participation in Political Context." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting August 2016 (Collective Behavior and Social Movements Regular Session on "Social Movement Participation and Methods").

Odabas, Meltem and Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. "Tweeting from Gezi Park: Social Media and Repression Backfire." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting August 2016 (Political Sociology section session on "Citizenship and Protest in the 21st Century: #Blacklivesmatter and Other Recent Movements in Context").

Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. "Protesting the Police: Anti-Police Brutality Claims as a Predictor of Police Repression of Protest." Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting. August 2016 ("Movements Against the Law" session).

Thomas V. Maher, Heidi Reynolds-Stenson, and Jennifer Earl. "From Boots to Bytes: Understanding Offline and Online Political Repression." Four Corners Conflict Network Meeting April 2016.

Odabas, Meltem and Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. "Tweeting from Gezi Park: Social Media as a Tool for Repression Backfire." Southwest Graduate Conference for Middle Eastern and North African Studies April 2016.

Erica Chenoweth, Kyleanne Hunter, Pauline Moore, Tricia Olsen, Jonathan Pinkney, and Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. "Struggles from Below: Literature Review on Human Rights Struggles by Domestic Actors." USAID, Fall 2016

Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi. "Protesting the Police: Anti-Police Brutality Claims as a Predictor of Police Repression of Protest." Poster Presentation at University of Arizona Student Showcase.

2015 Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi and Jennifer Earl. "Using Moving Regression to Historicize Protest Event Analysis" CBSM Workshop "Protesters and Their Targets", August 2015, Northwestern.

Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi and Jennifer Earl. "The Puzzle of Protest Policing Over Time: Historicizing Explanations of Social Movement Repression." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting August 2015 (Collective Behavior and Social Movements Roundtables).

Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi. "Protesting the Police: Anti-Police Brutality Claims as a Predictor of Police Repression of Protest." The Center for the Study of Social Movement's Young Scholars Conference. May 2015, Notre Dame.

Earl, Jennifer and Heidi Reynolds-Stenson. "Historicizing Explanations of Social Movement Repression." Department of Sociology, University of Pennsylvania, November 2014.

2014 Frederico, Krista, Heidi Reynolds-Stenson, and Robin Stryker. "Family Responsibilities Discrimination and the Transformation of Meaning across Overlapping Organizational Fields." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting August 2014 (Organizations, Occupations and Work Section Session "Work & Family: New Challenges, New Directions.").

Ring-Ramirez, Misty, Heidi Reynolds-Stenson, and Jennifer Earl. "Culturally Constrained Contention: Mapping the Meaning Structure of the Repertoire of Contention." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting August 2014 (Collective Behavior and Social Movements Section Session).

2013 Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi. "Relational Formal Models: New Tools for Investigating Intersectionality." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting August 2013 (Regular Session on Feminist Methods).

## **OTHER TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS**

2017 Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi. "Resisting State Repression in The Trump Era," sponsored by Action Together Rochester. December 2017.

2016 Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi. "Security Training for Activists," sponsored by the National Lawyers Guild-Southern Arizona. 2016.

Reynolds-Stenson, Heidi. Panelist for "Political Repression, the National Security State, and Collective Legal Resistance," sponsored by the National Lawyers Guild. 2016.

## RESEARCH AWARDS AND HONORS

2020 Stanford PACS Junior Scholars Forum (JSF) Invited Participant, including full funding from the Rockefeller Foundation (forum indefinitely postponed due to COVID-19)

Outstanding Contribution to Public Sociology, CHASS Dean's Office, CSU Pueblo

2019 Distinguished Contribution to Scholarship Dissertation Award, Honorable Mention, Collective Behavior and Social Movements Section of the American Sociological Association, for *Building a Wall of Resistance: Collective Action and Rationality in the Anti-Terror Age*.

2014 Raymond V. Bowers Award for Best Graduate Student Paper University of Arizona School of Sociology, for "Protesting the Police: Police Brutality Claims as a Predictor of Police Repression of Protest."

## OTHER RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING

2022 William T. Grant Research Grantee Convening (Virtual)

2012-2018 Research Assistant for Dr. Jennifer Earl, University of Arizona

Lead Lab Manager for "Police Professionalism and Changing Protest Policing Protocols, 1960-1980" (funded by National Science Foundation, #SES-1426721)

Lab Manager for "Collective Action Dynamics in the U.S., 1960-1995" (funded by National Science Foundation, #SES-1154896)

Lab Member of "Youth Activism Project" (funded by the McArthur Foundation)

2016 Researcher for "Human Rights and 'Pressure from Below:' Synthesizing Findings on Diverse Actors in Global Contexts." University of Denver



Denver, Colorado Funded the Institute of International Education (IIE), USAID.

- 2015 Enumerator for National Homeless Street Count, Tucson, Arizona
- 2011 Summer Research Intern, Institute for Women's Policy Research, Washington, DC  
Research Assistant for Dr. Robin Stryker, University of Arizona
- 2010 Enumerator for National Homeless Street Count, Tucson, Arizona
- 2004-2005 Research Assistant, Warren Wilson College Social Science Research Crew

## **SERVICE EXPERIENCE**

### *UNIVERSITY SERVICE (CSU PUEBLO)*

- 2022-2023 CHASS Faculty Lead, Discovery Scholars Program
- 2022 Spring Symposium Faculty Advisor
- 2022 "Research Collaborations and Student Success" Panelist, Spring Convocation
- 2022-present Faculty Policies and Procedures Committee Member
- 2021-present Discovery Scholars Faculty Mentor
- 2019-Present *El Rio* Student Journal Faculty Advisory Board Member
- 2020-2022 Scholarly Activities Board Member
- 2019 Student Research Spring Symposium Faculty Research Panelist

### *DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE (CSU PUEBLO)*

- 2019-present Sociology/Criminology Club Faculty Advisor
- 2022 Discover Day Faculty Representative  
Prospective Student-Athlete Session Faculty Representative

- 2021 Faculty Search Committee Member  
Back on Track Advising Instructor
- 2020 Student Orientation Faculty Representative
- 2019 Discover Day Faculty Representative

*DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE (UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA)*

- 2014-2018 Academic Mentorship and Support Initiative Facilitator
- 2010-2017 Feminist Theory Group Member (2010-2017) and Co-Chair (2011-2014)
- 2014-2016 Graduate and Professional Student Council Travel Grant Judge
- 2014-2015 Executive Committee Elected Committee Representative
- 2013-2014 Faculty Recruitment Committee Elected Committee Representative
- 2011-2013 Graduate Studies Committee Elected Committee Representative
- 2010-2011 Undergraduate Studies Committee Elected Committee Representative

*PROFESSIONAL SERVICE*

- 2021-  
Present Dissertation Committee Member for Shawana Lachir, Department of Public Policy, University of Maryland Baltimore County
- 2014-  
present Peer Reviewer for: *American Sociological Review; American Journal of Sociology; Social Forces; Mobilization; Social Problems; Research on Social Movements, Conflict and Change; The Sociological Quarterly; Journal of Peace Research; Police Practice and Research; Research and Politics, Perspectives on Politics*
- 2020-2021 National Science Foundation, Reviewer
- 2018 Discussant, "Private Repression," Collective Behavior and Social Movements Paper Session, American Sociological Association Meetings
- Presider, Collective Behavior and Social Movements Round Tables, American Sociological Association Meetings
- Discussant, Four Corners Conflict Network Workshop, Albuquerque, New Mexico

2015-2016 Daily Disruption, Contributing Editor

*COMMUNITY SERVICE*

2019-present Middle School Mentor, United Way of Pueblo County, Pueblo, CO

2020-2021 National History Day, Judge

2015-2018 National Lawyers Guild-Southern Arizona, Tucson, Arizona  
Treasurer and Legal Observer

2009-2018 Read Between the Bars Prisoner Book Program, Volunteer, Tucson, Arizona

**REFERENCES**

Susan Calhoun Stuber, Chair of Sociology, Criminology, and Anthropology Department, Colorado State University Pueblo, [susan.calhounstuber@csupueblo.edu](mailto:susan.calhounstuber@csupueblo.edu)

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