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Education:

PhD, Geography (expected)	University of Kentucky, 2010
Certificate of Gender and Women's Studies (expected)	University of Kentucky, 2010
Certificate of Social Theory	University of Kentucky, 2007
MArch, Architecture	University of Cincinnati, 2005
B.S., Architecture	University of Cincinnati, 2003

Awards and Honors

1999-2003 Dean's Lists, University of Cincinnati

Funding**Awarded**

Research Assistantship, Committee on Social Theory, University of Kentucky: September 2008 – May 2009.

Barnhart-Withington Departmental Award, Department of Geography, University of Kentucky: June 2008.

James S. Brown Graduate Student Award for Research on Appalachia, University of Kentucky: June 2007.

Teaching Assistantship, Department of Geography University of Kentucky: January 2006 – May 2009.

Graduate Assistantship, Kentucky Transportation Center, University of Kentucky: August 2005 – December 2005.

Graduate Assistantship, School of Architecture and Interior Design, College of Design, Architecture, Art and Planning, University of Cincinnati: September 2004 – March 2005.

Proposed

National Science Foundation: grant proposal submitted for dissertation funding and support, October 2007 and February 2008: received status: 'Fund with low priority'.

The Point Foundation: scholarship application submitted for financial support and graduate work during dissertation research, February 2007.

Publications and Editorial Work:

(Submitted for Review:)

Queer(y)ing the Ethics of Research Methods: Human Subjects, Bureaucratization and the Limits of Ethical Standards, submitted to Dr Gavin Brown, Dr Kath Browne and Dr Catherine Nash for a book chapter being organized on queer methodologies (2009).

The Carnal Body: representation, performativity and the rest of us, submitted to Geo-Compass (2009).

Publications:

Detamore, Mathias (2007) *Book Review: Emotional Geographies*. edited by Joyce Davidson, Liz Bondi and Mick Smith. disClosure no. 16. University of Kentucky.

Editing:

2006-07 Art Editor/Production Editor, Editorial Collective, disClosure: A Journal of Social Theory Issue 16, "Stirrings: Journeys through Emotion" University of Kentucky.

Presentations/Panels

Professional Conferences/Presentations:

2009 'Queer Art/Queer Action: Politics of Possibility' the 2009 GLBTQ Studies Conference University of North Carolina, Ashville

Representing Rural Erotica: Cowboys, Hillbillies and Other Queer Untouchables

2009 Annual Conference of the Association of the American Geographers
Session: Space and Identity || Speaking From and Across Categories IV:
Re)(De)(Un)Constructing Place, sponsored by the Sexuality and Space Specialty Group,
the Geographic Perspectives on Women Specialty Groups and the Ethnic Geography
Specialty Group

Queerbilly in the Hollow: Sexuality, Rurality and Place in Harlan County, Kentucky

2008 RGS-IBG Annual International Conference

Session: 'Sex and the sexual in the leisure environment', sponsored by the Space,
Sexualities and Queer Working Group

**Sex without reproach: Carnality and expression during the events of a radical faerie
festival**

2008 Juror: student paper competition for the Sexuality and Space Specialty Group, Annual
Conference of the Association of the American Geographers.

2008 Annual Conference of the Association of the American Geographers
Session: Feminine, Masculine, and Queer Identities in Rural Space

(De)Constructing Homophobia: Rurality and Queerness in Central Appalachia

- 2008 Annual Conference of the Association of the American Geographers
Session Organizer: The Body: Embodiment, Politics and Practice I, II and III
Discussant: The Body: Embodiment, Politics and Practice I
- 2007 14th Annual Mini-Conference of Critical Geography, **Conference Organizer**
 The Body, Representation and Gender Politics, **Session Organizer**, sponsored by the
 Department of Geography, University of Kentucky
- 2007 Sex/Life/Politics: a conference put together by the Sexuality and Space Queer Working
 Group, sponsored by Loughborough University
**Spatial Production of Sex Geographies in Appalachia: a Mini-Ethnography on a
 Radical Faerie Festival in the Mountains of Tennessee**
- 2007 RGS-IBG Annual International Conference
 Session: 'Geographies of Sex Itself', sponsored by the Space, Sexualities and Queer
 Working Group
**Re/producing Material Geographies in Cyberspace: an Observation on Rural Queer
 Sex Spaces and Practices in Eastern Kentucky**
- 2007 Annual Conference of the Association of American Geographers
 Session: 'Post Hetero/Homo-Normativity?' Sexuality Specialty Group
**Finding the Appalqueer: Rural Geographies, Spaces of Sexuality, and Mapping
 Desire in the Landscape of Eastern Kentucky**
- 2006 13th Annual Mini-Conference on Critical Geography
Urban Spaces, Public Fantasies: thinking through the paradox of public space
- 2006 Annual Conference of the Association of American Geographers
Readdressing a Thesis on Paradox
- 2005 Board of Trustees, the University of Cincinnati.
 Presented work done in the College of Design, Architecture, Art and Planning's Niehoff
 Urban Design Studio to illuminate the nature and importance of this cross-disciplinary
 urban laboratory.
- 2004 11th Annual Mini-Conference of Critical Geography
The Geography of Themed Environments in Over-the-Rhine.

Lectures and Colloquia:

- 2007 University of Cincinnati; Department of Geography, College of Arts & Sciences.
 Colloquium Lecture: **Destabalising Hetero/Homo Normativity through the Socio-
 Sexual Formations of the Appalqueer and Rural Geographies.**
- 2007 University of Cincinnati; School of Architecture and Interior Design, College of Design,
 Architecture, Art and Planning. Colloquium Chat with MS Arch Students: **How an
 Architect Became a Geographer: a chat with graduate students on
 professionalization and the opportunities of academia as a career path.**

Professional Service

Teaching:

- Spring 2008 Part-time Faculty, Northern Kentucky University
Geography 101: World Regional Geography
- Fall 2007 Graduate Teaching, University of Kentucky
Geography 240: Geography and Gender
- Fall 2006 Teaching Assistant, University of Kentucky
Geography 160: Lands and People of the Non-Western World.
- Summer 2006 Graduate Teaching, University of Kentucky
Geography 172: Introduction to Human Geography.
- Spring 2006 Teaching Assistant, University of Kentucky
Geography 160: Lands and Peoples of the Non-Western World.
- 2004-05 Graduate Assistant: Freshman Documentation (drawing) Skills, School of
Architecture and Interior Design, University of Cincinnati.
- 2004 Teaching Assistant: Freshman Environmental Studies, School of Architecture
and Interior Design, University of Cincinnati.
- 2002 Teaching Assistant: Freshman Computer Skills, School of Architecture and
Interior Design, University of Cincinnati.
- 1995-97 Low Brass Instructor, Band Department, St. Mary's High School, Delphos OH.
- ### Research:
- 2008-present Dissertation field research, the Production of Queer Spaces in Eastern Kentucky.
- 2003-04 Niehoff Urban Design Studio, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio; the
role of food in the urban environment.
- 2004 Research Designer, The Design Research Institute; University of Cincinnati in
cooperation with Western & Southern Financial Group.
- ### Work:
- 2003 Cooperative Education Student, Mark McCollow & Assoc., Norwood OH.
- 2001-02 Cooperative Education Student, City Architect's Office, the Department of Public
Health and Code Enforcement, Worcester MA.

Academic Service and Activism

- 2009 Gay/Straight Alliance, Hazard Community and Technical College, Organizer.
- 2007 OUTsource: Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender resource center, University of Kentucky, Academic/Graduate Coordinator.
- 2007-08 Geography Graduate Student Union, Facilitator
- 2007-08 Personnel Committee Member, University of Kentucky
- 2007-08 Diversity Committee Member, University of Kentucky
- 2007 OUTsource: Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender resource center, University of Kentucky, Marketing Coordinator.
- 2007 Lobbying Kentucky Congress in Frankfurt, Kentucky with the Kentucky Fairness Alliance and Kentuckians for the Commonwealth against legislation for a statewide ban of Domestic Partner Benefits in State (State sponsored) institutions.
- 2006-07 Graduate Committee Member, University of Kentucky.
- 2005-06 Minority Recruitment Member, University of Kentucky.

Professional Membership

- 2007- Present Space, Sexualities and Queer Working Group, RGS-IBG
- 2007- Present Sexuality and Space Specialty Group, AAG
- 2005- Present AAG- Association of American Geographers