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Education

Ph.D. Sociology, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ	1987
M.A. East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, TN	1979
B.A. University of Alabama in Birmingham	1974

Academic and Professional Appointments

07/2015-present	Associate Professor and Chair, Department of Sociology, Loyola University Maryland
01/2015-06/2015	Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, Loyola University Maryland
10/2014/12/2014	Visiting Scholar, Institute of Sociological Studies, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic
02/2014-6/2014	Visiting Fulbright Scholar, Institute of Sociological Studies, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic
06/2007-7/2013	Associate Professor and Chair, Department of Sociology, Loyola University Maryland
07/2007-present	Director, Loyola Summer Program in Prague, Czech Republic
09/2004-6/2005	Visiting Faculty, Department of Special Education, Charles University (Prague, Czech Republic)
07/1996-present	Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, Loyola College
07/1994-07/1996	Associate Professor and Chair, Department of Sociology, Loyola College
1987-1994	Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Loyola College

Grants

Loyola University Maryland. Summer Research Grant. 2017.
Loyola University Maryland. Mid-Career Grant. 2016.
Loyola College. Kolvenbach Summer Research Grant. 2009.
Loyola College Summer Faculty Development Grant. 2001, 2004, 2007.
Loyola College. Incentive Grant. 2000.
Shriver Center Higher Education Consortium Learn and Serve Grant. 2000.
Loyola College. Urban Jesuit Seminar Grant. 1999.
Loyola College. Summer Research Grant. 1998.
Baltimore City Department of Social Services. Program Evaluation of Housing Authority of Baltimore City STEP-UP Program. 1997.

Center for Values and Service, Loyola College. Faculty Development Grant. 1996.
Office of Welfare Employment Policy, Department of Human Resources, Baltimore,
MD. "Childcare Needs and Preferences of Employment and Training
Participants." 1988.
Women in Higher Education in Arizona. "The Need for Campus Childcare." 1987.

Awards

Fulbright Award, Czech Republic, 2014
First recipient of The A.F.F.I.R.M Award (Acknowledgement For Faculty Increasing
Relationships as Mentors), presented at The Green and Grey Society Fourteenth Annual
Loyola College Student Choice Awards, April 25, 2007.

Selected Paper Presentations

"Jáchymov Hell: Whose Hell Is It?" The Place of Memory and Memory of Place.
Cambridge, UK. October 14, 2017.
"Velvet Memories: Looking Back at 1989." Twenty-five years later. History and
Memory of Communism. Memoria Cultural Foundation and Institute for
Investigation of Communist Crimes and the Memory of the Romanian Exile
(IICCR). Bucharest, Romania. Nov 20-21, 2015.
"On becoming a 'hero': How *Charting a Hero's Journey* helps students tell their own
story." IPS-L 23rd International Conference, Rapid City, So. Dakota, Oct. 16-22,
2005.
"Service-Learning with Entering Freshmen." Mid-South Sociological Association 26th
Annual Meeting. Knoxville, TN. October 11-14, 2000.
"From Classroom to Community and Back Again: Learning Sociology via Internships
and Service-Learning." Mid-South Sociological Association 25th Annual Meeting.
Jackson, MS. November 3-6, 1999.
"Barriers to Self-Sufficiency for Residents of Public Housing: A STEP-UP." National
Association for Welfare Research and Statistics Annual Workshop. August 2-5,
1998. Chicago, IL.
"Recent Population Change among Asian-Americans." Annual Meeting of the Eastern
Sociological Society, April 3-5, 1992. Arlington, VA. Co-authored with Jai P.
Ryu.
"Childcare Needs of Welfare-to-Work Program Clients." Annual Meeting of the
American Sociological Association, Washington, D.C. August 11-15, 1990.

Other Selected Presentations

Panelist, "Professional and Personal Experience—Panel 3." Fulbright Mid-Year
Conference. Czech and Slovak Fulbright Commissions. January 31-February 3,
2014. Olomouc, Czech Republic.
Presenter, "Rethinking the Classroom in the New Millennium: A Reconsideration of
'Class' and 'Room'." National Society for Experiential Education. October 21-24,
1998. Norfolk, VA.
Panelist, "The Faculty at Work in the Community: The Civic Mission of the University."
AAUP Annual Meeting. June 12, 1998. Washington, D.C.

Workshop: Service-Learning. Faculty Workshop, Marquette University. May 13, 1998. Milwaukee, WI.

Speaker, "History and Theoretical Support for Service-Learning." VA COOL Faculty Fellows Training. The University of Richmond. January 9, 1998. Richmond, VA.

Workshop: Civic Scholarship. Trinity University. June 9, 1997. San Antonio, TX.

Keynote Address, "Jesuit Education and Service to the Poor." A Gathering of Faculties VIII. March 22, 1997. Baltimore, MD.

Panelist, "Service-Learning as Social Action." Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. April 11-14, 1996. Richmond, VA.

Panelist, "Do We Thrust Our Students Onto the Community? Building Reciprocal Partnerships with the community." International Experiential Learning Conference. November 10, 1994. Washington, D.C.

Conferences (Recent) Attended (not presenting)

Forum 2000. Prague, Czech Republic. October 8-10, 2017. (Delegate)

School vs Memory Conference. Prague, Czech Republic. Oct. 10-11, 2014.

Forum 2000. Prague, Czech Republic. Oct. 12-14, 2014.

Collective vs Collected Memories 1989-91 from an Oral History Perspective. European Network Remembrance and Solidarities (ENRS). Warsaw, Poland. Nov 6-8, 2014.

Europe in Action 2005: "Towards Living in the Community: Actions of non-governmental organizations in the equalization of opportunities for people with disabilities." 19 May 2005. Prague, Czech Republic.

Selected Publications

Vann, Barbara H. 2017. "Velvet Memories: Looking Back at 1989." *MemoScapes. Romanian Journal of Memory and Identity Studies*. Vol. 1, No. 1:39-49.

Karp, David A., William C. Yoels, Barbara H. Vann and Michael Ian Borer. 2016. *Sociology in Everyday Life*. 4th ed. Waveland Press, Inc.

Hájek, Martin and Barbara H. Vann. 2015. "Gendered Biographies: The Czech State-socialist Gender Order in Oral History Interviews." *Czech Sociological Review* Vol. 51, No. 6:1077-1104.

Vann, Barbara H. 2007. "Bulgaria." Pp. 37-52 in *Deinstitutionalisation and community living—outcomes and costs: report of a European Study. Volume 3: Country Reports*. Julie Beadle-Brown and Agi Kozma (Eds.) Canterbury: Tizard Centre, University of Kent.

_____. "Hungary." Pp. 214-229 in *Deinstitutionalisation and community living*. 2007.

_____. "Poland." Pp. 406-416 in *Deinstitutionalisation and community living*. 2007.

_____. "Romania." Pp. 442-457 in *Deinstitutionalisation and community living*. 2007.

Šiška, Jan and Barbara Vann. 2007. "Whose disability? Learning from life story works." In van Swet, Jacqueline, Petra Ponte and Ben Smit (Eds.) *Postgraduate Programmes as Platform: A Research-Led Approach*. Sense Publishers.

Vann, B.H. and J. Šiška. 2006. "From 'cage beds' to inclusion: The long road for individuals with intellectual disability in the Czech Republic." *Disability & Society* 21(5):425-439.

Karp, D.A., W.C. Yoels and B.H. Vann. 2004. *Sociology in Everyday Life*. 3rd ed. Waveland Press.

- Vann, B. H. 1999. "Service Learning as Symbolic Interaction," in *Cultivating the Sociological Imagination: Concepts and Models for Service-Learning in Sociology*. J. Ostrow, G. Hesser and S. Enos, Eds. Washington, D.C.: American Association for Higher Education.
- Vann, B.H. and T. Rofuth. 1993. "Child Care Needs of Welfare Recipients in Maryland's Welfare Reform Program." *Journal of Sociology and Social Welfare* 20(2):69-88.
- Ryu, J.P. and B.H. Vann. 1992. "Korean Families in America." In M. Procidano and C. Fisher, Eds. *Families: A Handbook for School Professionals*. NY: Teachers College Press.
- Vann, Barbara H. and J. Matthew Gallman. 1992. "Politics and Pedagogy: The Creation of a Gender Studies Minor at a Jesuit College." *Transformations* Vol. 3, No. 2, pp. 47-56.

Professional Development

- Loyola College. Multicultural Infusion Workshop, May, 2006
- Loyola College. Faculty Fellows Seminar on Service-Learning and Engaged Scholarship, May, 2007
- ACE. Chairing the Academic Department Workshop, Feb. 20-23, 2008
- Loyola College. Teaching Portfolio Workshop, May, 2008
- Loyola College. Academic Portfolio Workshop, May 2009.

Courses Taught

- Introduction to Czech Culture and Society
- Introduction to Gender Studies
- Self & Society (Introduction to Sociology)
- Seminar: Gender and Poverty
- Seminar: Gender, Race, Class and Sexuality
- Social Inequality
- Social Research Methods
- Social Theory
- Qualitative Research Methods
- Sociology of Sexuality
- Sociology: Practicum and Seminar (Internships)