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### **Curriculum Vitae**

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*Research Interests – Life course, population age-structure, mortality, sociology of death, Age-Period-Cohort estimation, and the intersection between economics and culture*

#### **Education**

2005-Present University of California-Irvine School of Social Sciences  
Irvine, CA 92697  
Major: Sociology, Ph.D.

2000-2004 University of Arizona College of Social and Behavioral Science  
Tucson, AZ 85719  
Major: Sociology, B.A.  
Minor: Thematic Minor in Death, Dying, and Aging  
Magna Cum Laude  
GPA: 3.771 out of 4.0

#### **Teaching and Work Experience**

2006 Sociology Graduate Student Association Undergraduate Committee Co-chair (1 year term)

2006 Teaching Assistant  
Anthropology 138A: Music as Expressive Culture  
Professor Robert Garfias, University of California – Irvine

Sociology 180: Sociology Majors Seminar  
Asst. Professor Katherine Faust, University of California – Irvine

Sociology 178W: American Culture  
Dr. Benjamin Jester, University of California – Irvine

2006 Reader/Grader  
Psychology 78: Social Psychology  
Instructor Georgiana Bostean, University of California - Irvine

2005 Teaching Assistant  
Sociology 136: Religious Traditions of Asian Americans  
Dr. Shampa Mazumdar, University of California – Irvine

2000-2005 Curatorial Assistant  
Arizona Historical Society  
Tucson, AZ 85917

#### **Awards and Honors**

2005 – UC Regents Set-aside Grant \$1000  
2005 – UCI Sociology Extracurricular Funding \$400  
2004 – Magna cum Laude

2004 – Social and Behavioral Sciences Outstanding Senior of the Year Runner-Up  
2004 – Department of Sociology Outstanding Senior of the Year  
2004 – Phi Beta Kappa, American Scholar Honorary  
2003 – Alpha Kappa Delta Sociology Honorary  
2003 – Roger Yoshino Undergraduate Sociology Award \$500  
2002 – Roger Yoshino Undergraduate Sociology Award \$1000  
2002 – Golden Key International Honor Society  
2000 – University of Maine Scholar

### **Scholarly Experience**

2007 – Oakland, CA “Collective Memory and Memorial: The Case of the Resurrected Celebrity” conference proceedings from the 2007 Annual Meeting of the Pacific Sociological Association (scheduled)  
2006 – Riverside, CA “Postmodern Products in a Field of Modernity: Alternative funerals, memory, and solidarity” conference proceedings from the 2006 Annual Meeting of the California Sociological Association (scheduled)  
2006 – Irvine, CA “Thank Goodness for Excel Training” Demographic and Social Analysis Orientation  
2005 – Reviewer, Contemporary Sociology “Take Note”  
2004 – Tucson, AZ “P.O.E.T. Variables on Urban Funerary Trends” Undergraduate Sociology and Social Science Research Conference  
2004 – Tucson, AZ “Tucson Water Rights Trial as a Chronicle of Historical Journey” 12th Annual Conference on Literature and Literacy for Children and Adolescents

### **Publications**

2005 – (editor) Campbell, Julie A, et al. Studies in Arizona History Digital Version. Arizona Historical Society, Education Department. August, 2005. Available on CD-ROM.  
2003 – Marcum, Christopher. “Downtown Underground: A Virtual Teacher’s Manual and Interactive Elementary Classroom” Activities. Arizona Historical Society, Education Department. Available on CD-ROM.

In progress – Turner, James and Marcum, Christopher. A Guide to Museums and Historic Sites in Arizona.

### **Exhibitions**

2005 – “Eclectic Nature: An Exhibition of Recent Artwork by Christopher Marcum” Espresso Art, 949 E University Boulevard, Tucson, AZ  
2005 – “Two Views: Featuring New Works by Photographers Christopher Marcum and Abe Taltre” A Shot in the Dark, 121 E Broadway Boulevard, Tucson, AZ

### **Professional Organizations**

American Sociological Association  
Arizona Historical Society  
California Sociological Association  
Pacific Sociological Association

### **Additional Information**

Skilled in photography, photographic manipulation, and digital restoration  
Skilled in curatorial and archival methods  
Skilled in computer programming, productivity, and web-development; (HTML, CSS, JavaScript, JAVA, R, SPSS, for example)