Kelsey D. Meagher

Curriculum Vitae

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APPOINTMENTS

2021- UX Researcher, Mighty Networks.

2019-2021 Postdoctoral Scholar, Department of Food Science and Technology, University of California, Davis.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Department of Sociology, University of California, Davis, 2019.

Dissertation: *After the Outbreak: Organizing Food Safety in the United States and Germany*
Committee: Tom Beamish (chair), Nicole Woolsey Biggart, and Xiaoling Shu

M.A. Department of Sociology, University of California, Davis, 2012.

B.A. Department of Cognitive Science, University of California, Irvine, 2010 (*summa cum laude*).

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Food and Agriculture Systems; Health; Environmental Sociology; Social Inequality; Organizations and Institutions; Political Sociology; Mixed Methods.

PUBLICATIONS

2021 **Meagher, Kelsey D.** "Policy Responses to Foodborne Disease Outbreaks in the United States and Germany." *Agriculture and Human Values* (Forthcoming).

2020 **Meagher, Kelsey D.,** Anne Gillman, David C. Campbell, and Edward S. Spang. "Relational and Logistical Dimensions of Agricultural Food Recovery: Evidence from California Growers and Recovery Organizations." *Sustainability* 12: 6161.

2020 Baker, Zeke, Julie Ekstrom, **Kelsey D. Meagher**, Benjamin Preston, and Louise Bedsworth. "The Social Structure of Climate Research and Practitioner Engagement: Evidence from California." *Global Environmental Change* 63: 102074.

2019 **Meagher, Kelsey D.** "Public Perceptions of Food-Related Risks: A Cross-National Investigation of Individual and Contextual Influences." *Journal of Risk Research* 22(7): 919-935.

2019 **Meagher, Kelsey D.**, and Xiaoling Shu. "Trends in U.S. Gender Attitudes in 1977-2018: Gender and Educational Disparities." *Socius* 5: 1-3.

2019 Patler, Caitlin, Erin Hamilton, **Kelsey D. Meagher**, and Robin Savinar. "Uncertainty about DACA May Undermine its Positive Impact on Health for Recipients and their Children." *Health Affairs* 38(5): 738-745.

2019 Finnigan, Ryan, and **Kelsey D. Meagher**. "Past Due: Combinations of Utility and Housing Hardship in the United States." *Sociological Perspectives* 62(1): 96-119.

2018 Shu, Xiaoling, and **Kelsey D. Meagher**. "Beyond the Stalled Gender Revolution: Historical and Cohort Dynamics in Gender Attitudes from 1977-2016." *Social Forces* 96(3): 1243-1274.

Manuscripts Under Review

Shu, Xiaoling, Bowen Zhu, and **Kelsey D. Meagher**. "Classifying and Mapping Gender Ideologies Globally: Gender Attitudes in 47 Countries." (*Revise & resubmit*)

Meagher, Kelsey D., and Xiaoling Shu. "Variations in Labor Market Influences on U.S. Gender Attitudes by Gender, Race & Education, 1977-2018."

Non-Refereed Publications

Policy Briefs

2018 Finnigan, Ryan and **Kelsey D. Meagher**. "Missed Housing and Utility Payments Are Common and Persistent in the United States." UC Davis Center for Poverty Research Policy Brief, Vol. 7 No. 3.

White Papers

2014 Beamish, Thomas, Kristen Denninger Snyder, **Kelsey D. Meagher**, and Brett Milligan. "Farmworker Housing Assessment for the 2015 UC Davis Solar Decathlon Team: Social and Spatial Considerations."

2011 Boulé, Danielle, George Hubert, Anna Jensen, Alannah Kull, Julia Van Soelen Kim, Courtney Marshall, **Kelsey D. Meagher**, and Thea Rittenhouse. "Context Matters: Visioning a Food Hub in Yolo and Solano Counties." Prepared for the Yolo County Food and Agriculture Alliance in partnership with the Agricultural Sustainability Institute at UC Davis.

Blog Posts and Newsletter Articles

2013-14 **Meagher, Kelsey D.** Over forty case studies and blog posts for the website *Systems of Exchange,* including posts on water governance, drug pricing, international aid, farmers' markets, corruption, and the tragedy of the commons. (http://www.systemsofexchange.org)

2013 Biscotti, Dina and **Kelsey D. Meagher**. "A Call for a Public Sociology of Energy and Climate Change: An Interview with Nicole Woolsey Biggart." *Accounts: ASA Economic Sociology Newsletter* 12(3): 8-11.

2013 **Meagher, Kelsey D.** and Dina Biscotti. "Announcing the Launch of the Systems of Exchange Website: A New Resource for Researchers, Instructors, and Students of Economic Sociology." *Accounts: ASA Economic Sociology Newsletter* 12(2): 10-12.

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, & AWARDS

2015-18	Summer Dissertation Research Grant; Institute for Social Sciences, UC Davis.
2014-15, 2017	UC Davis Graduate Fellowship; Department of Sociology.
2016-18, 2013-14	Graduate Student Travel Award; Department of Sociology, UC Davis.
2016	Provost's Dissertation Year Fellowship in the Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences; UC Davis.
2016	Helen G. Shull Endowed P.E.O. Scholar Award; P.E.O. (Philanthropic Educational Organization) International.
2015-16	UC Davis & Humanities Graduate Research Award; Office of Graduate Studies.
2013-15, 2018	Small Research Grant; Department of Sociology, UC Davis.
2013	Graduate Student Travel Award; Office of Graduate Studies, UC Davis.
2013	Leon Mayhew Award for Best Qualifying Paper; Department of Sociology, UC Davis.
2013	Finalist, People's Choice for Best Oral Presentation, Interdisciplinary Graduate and Professional Student Symposium; UC Davis.
2013	Consortium for Women and Research Graduate Research Award; UC Davis.
2010	First-Year Graduate Fellowship; Department of Sociology, UC Davis.

PRESENTATIONS

Conference Presentations

2020*	"Relational and Logistical Dimensions of Agricultural Food Recovery: Evidence from California Growers and Recovery Organizations." 4th International Conference on Global Food Security: Montpellier, France. December 6-9. (*Virtual conference due to COVID-19 outbreak)
2020*	"Relational and Logistical Dimensions of Agricultural Food Recovery: Evidence from California Growers and Recovery Organizations." American Sociological Association: San Francisco, CA. August 8-11. (*Virtual conference due to COVID-19 outbreak)
2020*	"Relational and Logistical Dimensions of Agricultural Food Recovery: Evidence from California Growers and Recovery Organizations." Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society (AFHVS) and the Association for the Study of Food and Society (ASFS): Athens, GA. May 27-30. (*Cancelled due to COVID-19 outbreak)
2019	"Climate Change Science and its Engagement with Practitioners." American Geophysical Union: San Francisco, CA. December 9-13.

2019 "Persistent Gender Gap, Shifting Racial & Educational Differentiations: Variations in Structural Influences on Gender Attitudes, 1977-2016." American Sociological Association: New York, NY. August 10-13.

2019 "Uncertainty about DACA May Undermine its Positive Impact on Health for Recipients and their Children." American Sociological Association: New York, NY. August 10-13.

2018 "Spinach in Crisis: Examining the Industry-led Response to the 2006 U.S. *E. coli* Outbreak." American Sociological Association: Philadelphia, PA. August 11-14.

2017 "Trade-Offs between Meeting Utility and Housing Expenses in the United States." American Sociological Association: Montreal, QC. August 12-15.

2017 "Cross-National Differences in Food Safety Governance." Pacific Sociological Association: Portland, OR. April 6-9.

2016 "Cross-National Differences in Food Safety Governance." American Sociological Association: Seattle, WA. August 20-23.

2016 "Trade-Offs between Meeting Utility and Housing Expenses in the United States." Population Association of America: Washington, D.C. March 31-April 2.

2014 "Using Social Institutions to Promote Social Welfare: A Multi-Sectoral Approach to Social Problems and Solutions." American Sociological Association: San Francisco, CA. August 16-19.

2014 "Micro- and Macro-level Dynamics in Gender Attitudes in 1977-2012: An Age-Cohort-Period Analysis." American Sociological Association: San Francisco, CA. August 16-19.

2013 "Attitudes About Welfare and Participation in Food Assistance Programs." American Sociological Association; New York, NY. August 10-13.

Campus Talks

2020 "Relational and Logistical Dimensions of Agricultural Food Recovery: Evidence from California Growers and Recovery Organizations." Food Science and Technology Showcase, UC Davis. March 11.

2018 "After the Outbreak: Organizing Food Safety in the United States and Germany." Eating for Change Conference: Global and Local Perspectives on Food and Transformation; Department of Sociology and Jewish Studies Program, UC Davis. May 16.

2017 "Trade-Offs between Meeting Utility and Housing Expenses in the United States." Center for Poverty Research, UC Davis. September 25.

2016 "Micro- and Macro-level Dynamics in Gender Attitudes in 1977-2014: An Age-Cohort-Period Analysis." Quantitative Psychology Brown Bag Series. Department of Psychology, UC Davis. April 12.

2014 "Farmworker Housing Assessment for the 2015 UC Davis Solar Decathlon Team: Social and Spatial Considerations." Western Cooling Efficiency Center, UC Davis. September 29.

2013 "Attitudes About Welfare and Participation in Food Assistance Programs." Power and Inequalities Workshop. Department of Sociology, UC Davis. April 26.

2013 "Attitudes About Welfare and Participation in Food Assistance Programs." Interdisciplinary Graduate and Professional Student Symposium. UC Davis. April 5.

2012 "Attitudes About Welfare and Participation in Food Assistance Programs." Sociology Graduate Student Research and Development Conference. UC Davis. September 26.

Community Presentations

2021 "Relational and Logistical Dimensions of Agricultural Food Recovery: Evidence from California Growers and Recovery Organizations." Edible Food Recovery Technical Council, California Resource Recovery Association. Virtual webinar. April 6.

2011 "Context Matters: Visioning a Food Hub in Yolo and Solano Counties." Quarterly Meeting of the Yolo County Food and Agriculture Alliance. Woodland, CA. June 7.

RESEARCH APPOINTMENTS

2018-19 **Graduate Student Researcher,** "Integrating Information from Climate Scientists and Resource Managers: Informing Preparedness and Adaptation to Extreme Event Impacts on Air and Water Quality in California." PIs: Julia Ekstrom and Louise Bedsworth, UC Davis Policy Institute for Energy, Environment, and the Economy. Funded by U.S. EPA.

2018-19 **Graduate Student Researcher,** "Evaluating the Impacts of the Tenure and Termination of the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) Program on Immigrant Young Adults, 2012-2020." PIs: Caitlin Patler and Erin Hamilton, UC Davis Department of Sociology. Funded by NSF.

2016 **Graduate Student Researcher,** "Beyond the Stalled Gender Revolution: Historical and Cohort Dynamics in Gender Attitudes from 1977-2016." PI: Xiaoling Shu, UC Davis Department of Sociology.

2014 **Graduate Student Researcher,** "Farmworker Housing Assessment for the 2015 UC Davis Solar Decathlon Team: Social and Spatial Considerations." PI: Tom Beamish, UC Davis Department of Sociology.

2014-15 **Graduate Student Researcher,** "Energy Poverty in the Sacramento Region." PI: Nicole Woolsey Biggart, UC Davis Energy Efficiency Center. Partially funded by the UC Davis Center for Poverty Research.

2013-14 **Graduate Student Researcher,** "Systems of Exchange." PI: Nicole Woolsey Biggart, UC Davis Energy Efficiency Center.

2012 **Graduate Student Researcher,** "BioSafety or Bio-Hazard? Organizational Pursuit and Community Response to a Safety and Preparedness Initiative." PI: Tom Beamish, UC Davis Department of Sociology.

2010 **Graduate Student Researcher,** "Youth Participation in the Inter-Institutional Network for Food, Agriculture, and Sustainability (INFAS)." PI: Thomas Tomich, UC Davis Agricultural Sustainability Institute.

TEACHING APPOINTMENTS

Associate Instructor (Instructor of Record), Department of Sociology, UC Davis.
Introduction to Social Research (Summer 2015, Summer 2016)

Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, UC Davis.
Introduction to Social Research (Fall 2011)
Intermediate Social Statistics (Spring 2012, Fall 2012)
Environmental Sociology (Winter 2012, Spring 2014)
Political Sociology (Spring 2016)
Population Health (Winter 2018)
Collective Behavior (Spring 2018)

Reader, Department of Sociology, UC Davis.
Deviance (Summer 2012)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Editorial Board

Editorial Associate, *Theory & Society: Renewal and Critique in Social Theory.* 2013-2019.

Departmental Service

Conference organizer, *Eating for Change: Global and Local Perspectives on Food and Transformation*; Department of Sociology and Jewish Studies Program, UC Davis. 2018.

Power and Inequalities Workshop Committee, Department of Sociology, UC Davis. 2017-2018.

Facilitator, Quantitative Methods Research Group; Department of Sociology, UC Davis. 2017-2019.

University Service

Mentor, Graduate-Undergraduate Research Training and Mentorship Program; Undergraduate Research Center, UC Davis. 2014.

Facilitator, Food Systems Discussion Group; UC Davis. 2012-2019.

Course organizer, Alternatives in Agriculture; Department of International Agriculture Development, UC Davis. 2010, 2012.

Committee member, Food Systems Speaker Selection Committee for the annual California Higher Education Sustainability Conference. 2010-2013.

Ad Hoc Reviewer

Food, Culture & Society; Social Forces; Social Problems; Theory & Society

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Agriculture, Food & Human Values Society
American Sociological Association
Pacific Sociological Association