

CURRICULUM VITAE

Amanda Pierson

ACADEMIC & RELATED POSITIONS

- 2023-
Teaching Assistant, School of Sociology, University of Arizona
- 2022-2023
Adjunct Professor, Department of Sociology, The George Washington University
- 2018-2023
Statistician, United States Secret Service
- 2021-2022
Policy Debate Coach, Thomas Jefferson High School for Science and Technology
- 2017-2019
Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, The George Washington University

EDUCATION

- Ph.D. Sociology, **University of Arizona**
Current Ph.D. student. Admit date: Fall 2023
- 2019 M.A. Criminology, **The George Washington University**
Thesis: "A Routine Activities Approach to Technology-Enhanced Sexual Crimes Against Children"
Members: Martin D. Schwartz, Fran Buntman
- 2017 B.A. Criminal Justice, **The George Washington University**
Minor: Statistics
Thesis: "Sentencing Disparities in Federal Courts: The Role of Immigration Status"
Members: Daniel E. Martínez

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

- Sociology of Data
- Sociological Theory
- Surveillance and Privacy
- Criminal Justice Systems and Practice
- Quantitative Methods and Statistics

RESEARCH

I. Refereed Edited Volume Chapters

- Pierson, Amanda. "Big Data and Carceral Research." *Prisons & Jails*. Edited by TaLisa Carter, Kimberly Kras, and Gaylene Armstrong. New York, NY: Routledge.
- 2018 Pierson, Amanda, and Daniel E. Martinez. "Immigrants and the Federal Court System." Pp. 270-283 in *Routledge Handbook of Immigration and Crime*. Edited by Holly Ventura Miller and Anthony Peguero. New York, NY: Routledge.

II. Conference Presentations

- 2018 Pierson, Amanda, and Cara Carney. "Ideological Representations of Police Brutality in Print Media" Presented at Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD, February.

III. Federal Agency Briefings and Reports

- 2022 Global Terrorism Trends and Tactics, United States Secret Service
- 2022 Executive Dashboard Deployment, United States Secret Service
- 2022 Operational Risk Modeling and Assessment, United States Secret Service
- 2021 Annual Statistical Summary and Review, United States Secret Service
- 2021 Improving Employee Experiences, United States Secret Service
- 2021 Operational Risk Modeling and Assessment, United States Secret Service
- 2020 Annual Statistical Summary and Review, United States Secret Service
- 2020 Verification and Validation Report on Secret Service Performance Measures, Department of Homeland Security Performance and Evaluation

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Sociology 1003: Introduction to Criminal Justice (Undergraduate)
Sociology 2102: Techniques of Data Analysis (Undergraduate)
Sociology 2189: Abolition in Theory and Practice (Undergraduate)

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

I. National Awards

- 2022 Secretary's Award Nominee, Department of Homeland Security
- 2022 Director's Award Recipient, United States Secret Service
- 2021 Secretary's Award Nominee, Department of Homeland Security

II. University-Specific Awards

- 2022 Graduate Mentoring Award Nominee, Columbian College of Arts and Sciences, The George Washington University
- 2019 Phillip J. Amsterdam Graduate Teaching Award Recipient, The George Washington University

III. Department-Specific Awards

- 2019 Graduate Student of the Year, Department of Sociology, The George Washington University

SERVICE

I. Invited Speaking Engagements

- 2023 Guest Lecturer, Sociology of Law, The George Washington University
- 2022 Panelist, Women's Leadership Program for International Politics Symposium, The George Washington University
- 2022 Guest Lecturer, Social Research Methods (Graduate Course), The George Washington University
- 2022 Featured Speaker, Thesis Writing and Graduate Research Seminar, The George Washington University
- 2020 Panelist, Women's Leadership Program for International Politics Symposium, The George Washington University

- 2019 Panelist, Women’s Leadership Program for International Politics Symposium, The George Washington University
- 2018 Panelist, Women’s Leadership Program for Science, Health, and Medicine Symposium, The George Washington University
- 2017 Featured Speaker, Women’s Leadership Program Symposium, The George Washington University

II. Public Service

- 2021 National Catholic Forensic League National Tournament Volunteer
- 2021 Virginia High School League Debate State Championships Volunteer
- 2021 Virginia High School League Super-Regional Debate Tournament Volunteer
- 2021 Washington Area Catholic Forensic League Policy Metrofinals Volunteer
- 2020 Kansas Flint Hills District Tournament Volunteer
- 2020 New York Fall Faceoff at Mamaroneck Volunteer
- 2020 Shawnee Heights Debate Tournament Volunteer
- 2020 Washington Area Catholic Forensic League Volunteer
- 2020 Wichita East Blue Ace Debate Invitational Volunteer