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Curriculum Vitae  
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### Education

- 2024 Ph.D. Sociology, Rutgers University- New Brunswick  
Dissertation: “*And now I have male privilege!*: Trans Accounts of the Precarity of Privilege”  
Committee: Eviatar Zerubavel (chair), Kristen Springer, Norah MacKendrick, Wayne Brekhus, Asia Friedman
- 2022 Certificate, Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, Rutgers University- New Brunswick
- 2021 M.A. Sociology, Rutgers University- New Brunswick
- 2016 M.Ed. Human Sexuality, Widener University
- 2014 B.A. Psychology, Minor Sexuality and Gender Studies, The Pennsylvania State University

### Research and Teaching Interests

Intersectionality, Gender, Race, Sexuality, Deviance, Qualitative Methodology, Formal Theory Construction

### Academic Employment and Positions

- SU24-2027 Dartmouth College- Society of Fellows Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Sociology, Women’s, Gender and Sexuality Studies Affiliate

### Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

**Beck, Armani.** (2024) “Mononormativity: The Social Elevation of the Singular” *Symbolic Interaction*, 47(2):161-177.

### Book Chapters

- 2025 **Beck, Armani.** “Trans Men Navigating Male Privilege and the Complexities Intersectional Identities” In *Interpreting Identity: Dimensions of Power, Presence, and Belonging*. Edited by Wayne H. Brekhus and Susie Scott. Bristol, U.K. Bristol University Press.

### Working Papers and Projects

**Beck, Armani.** “Precarious Privilege: Transgender Accounts of Male Privilege and Intersectional Masculinity.” Book Project.

**Beck, Armani.** “Noticing Normativity: Within-Person Interviewing”. Article.

**Beck, Armani.** “Pigeons, Pitbulls, and Post-Racism: “Othering” as Management of Capitalist Excess”. Article.

**Beck, Armani.** “The Formal Properties of Passing.” Article.

**Beck, Armani.** ““My Daughter is an 'Equalistist.'” How Parents of First Generation Academics Navigate the Ivory Tower.” Article.

### Teaching Experience and Courses Taught

- 2017-2024 Rutgers University- New Brunswick  
Sociology of Mental Illness  
College Writing  
Race Relations  
Expository Writing  
Sociology of Gender  
Introduction to Sociology (TA)  
Introduction to Social Research (TA)
- 2020-2021 University of the Arts, Philadelphia  
Gender Images in Media  
Individual and Society
- 2019-2020 Rutgers University- Brookdale Community College  
Sociology of Sexuality  
Sociology of Gender  
Race Relations  
Social Inequalities
- 2017 Montgomery County Community College  
Human Sexuality (TA)

#### External Research Experience

- 2023 Princeton University, Campus Life Strategic Plan Facilitator and Researcher

#### Student Advising

- 2021-2022 Destiny Colmenares – Rutgers Institute for Women’s Leadership undergraduate thesis (advisor)  
2021-2022 Siddhi Shah – Rutgers Institute for Women’s Leadership undergraduate thesis (advisor)

#### Participation in Professional Meetings

2025

*“Pigeons, Pitbulls, and Post-Racism: “Othering” as Management of Capitalist Excess” to be presented at the Association for Humanist Sociology. Columbus, OH.*

2025

*“Noticing Normativity: Within-Person Interviewing” to be presented at the Association for Humanist Sociology. Columbus, OH.*

2025

*“Microscopic Actors within Macroscopic Audiences” to be presented at ACT for Change: Harnessing Affect Control Theory to Solve Social Problems. Fairlee, Vermont.*

2024

*“Writing FOR those we write ABOUT: Transforming my Academic Dissertation into an*

Accessible Book” presented at the Association for Humanist Sociology. Rochester, NY.

2024

“Trans Men Navigating Male Privilege and the Complexities of Intersectional Identities” presented at the Association of Black Sociologists. Montreal, Quebec.

2024

““And Now I Have Male Privilege’: Transgender Accounts of the Precarity of Privilege” presented at Culture, Interaction, and the Psychosocial: Exploring the Intersections. Montreal, Quebec.

2024

“Trans Men Navigating Male Privilege and the Complexities Intersectional Identities” presented at the Brown University Legacy of W.E.B. Du Bois: Crossing Boundaries for Social Justice Conference. Providence, RI.

2024

“Formal Properties of Passing: Directional Passing and Ambiguous Group Membership” presented at the Eastern Sociological Society. Washington, D.C.

2023

“Mononormativity: The Social Elevation of the Singular” presented at the American Sociological Association. Philadelphia, PA.

2023

“Formal Properties of Passing: Directional Passing and Ambiguous Group Membership” presented at the American Sociological Association. Philadelphia, PA.

2023

“Mononormativity: The Social Elevation of the Singular” presented at the University of Pennsylvania Graduate Student Conference. Philadelphia, PA.

2022

““And Now I Have Male Privilege.” Stealth Transgender Accounts of the Precarity of Privilege” presented at the American Sociological Association. Los Angeles, California.

2021

““I Knew I was Being Gendered Female Because People Would Yell At Me.” Transgender Women’s Accounts of the Precarity of Privilege” presented at the Rutgers University Graduate Research Symposium. New Brunswick, NJ

2021

““Assumptive Rights of Maleness.” Stealth Transgender Men’s Accounts of [White] Male Privilege” presented at the American Sociological Association. Virtual.

2021

““Assumptive Rights of Maleness.” Stealth Transgender Men’s Accounts of [White] Male Privilege” presented at the National Association of African American Studies & Affiliates National Conference. Dallas, Texas.

2019

“[White]-Male Privilege: Stealth Transgender Men’s Accounts of Inherited Privilege” presented at the University of Central Oklahoma International Gender & Sexuality Studies Conference. Edmond, Oklahoma.

### Professional Service

2025 American Sociological Association Sexualities Book Award Committee, Member  
 2025 Dartmouth Postdoc Association Executive Board, Member

### Awards, Grants, and Fellowships

2024 Dartmouth College Society of Fellows Postdoctoral Fellowship (\$65,000/year)  
 2024 Brown University Conference Travel Stipend (\$500)  
 2022-24 Expository Writing Teaching Assistantship (\$33,000/year & tuition remission)  
 2023 Rutgers University Conference Travel Award (\$450)  
 2022 Rutgers University Conference Travel Award (\$1,000)  
 2021 The Harry C. Bredemeier Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching  
 2021 The Matilda White Riley Qualifying Paper Award