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Amy Schalet's book, Not Under My Roof: Parents, Teens and the Culture of Sex, is receiving a great deal of attention in the media. See online: Time/Heathland, the Huffington Post, Pittsburgh Tribune and Canadian New Yorker/Newsweek. You can also check out her webpage: <http://www.amyschalet.com/>.

Hilton Kelly's (Ph.D. 2007) book, Race, Remembering and Jim Crow's Teachers, was selected by the American Education Studies Association 2011 Critic's Choice Award.

Emeriti Professors *Anthony Harris* and *Gene Fisher* with Dr. Stephen H. Thomas, published their research findings on racial disparities in post-injury deaths from assaults among patients in U.S. trauma centers in the *Journal of Trauma, Injury, Infection and Critical Care*.

Andrew Papachristos and colleagues at the Urban Institute at CUNY received a MacArthur Grant in support of "The Chicago Violence Reduction Initiative".

Jonathan Wynn's monograph "The Tour Guide: Walking and Talking New York", University of Chicago Press, the book hit the stands in August.

Robert Faulkner and Howard Becker's 2009 book was just published in Spanish, "Do you Know. . .?": The Jazz Repertoire in Action, Chicago University Press. He also just published Corporate Wrongdoing and the Art of the Accusation, by Anthem Press.

Amy Schalet's radio interview at KUOW.org on her forthcoming book, Not Under My Roof: Parents, Teens and the Culture of Sex.

Eve Weinbaum and Rachel Roth's Op-Ed appeared in the L.A. Times, "Beyond suffrage: How far have women come since?"

Enobong Branch's monograph, Opportunity Denied: Limiting Black Women to Devalued Work was published through Rutgers University Press.

Millie Thayer's book, Making Transnational Feminism: Rural Women, NGO Activists, and Northern Donors in Brazil won the Society for the Study of Social Problems' Global Division 2011 Outstanding Book Award.

Michelle Budig and *Melissa Hodges* received the 2011 Reuben Hill Award, by the National Council on Family Relations, for their previously published paper on the wage penalty for motherhood.

Daily Hampshire Gazette reporter, Chad Cain, interviewed *Jen Lundquist* about declining divorce rates.

Amy Schalet's op-ed, "The Sleepover Question", was featured in *The New York Times* Sunday Review.

Naomi Gerstel was named a Distinguished Professor by the Board of Trustees.

Enobong Branch was elected to the Council of the Race, Gender and Class section of the American Sociological Association.

Andrew Papachristos' paper, "Murder by Structure: Dominance Relations and the Social Structure of Gang Homicide", published by *American Journal of Sociology*, won the American Sociological Association's Community Section's Jane Adams Award for best paper.

Jen Lundquist and *Dan Burland's* article, "'Two Armies': Data from the Survey of Active Duty Personnel" was just published in the *Armed Forces and Society Journal*.

The Association for the Sociology of Religion was awarded the Fichter Research grant to *Kat Jones*.

Dustin Avent-Holt was the recipient of the Louis O. Kelso Fellowship, offered by Rutgers University's School of Management and Labor Relations (SMLR).

Congratulations to Naomi Gerstel who was named a Distinguished Professor by the Board of Trustees!

Steven Boutcher's article with David Frank and Bayliss Camp, "Worldwide Trends in the Criminal Regulation of Sex, 1945 to 2005," *American Sociological Review* 75(6) 867-893, won the ASA Best Scholarly Article Award in the Global and Transnational Sociology section.

Joya Misra and *Jen Lundquist's* article was featured in the on-line newsletter, "Tomorrow's Professor Mailing List".

Sarah Miller received one of the University Fellowships for the 2011-12 academic year. This award is given annually to continuing graduate students across the campus.

Dale Melcher is a 2011 recipient of an "Usung Heroine Award" given by the Massachusetts Commission on the Status of Women.

Ken-Hou Lin's paper "Do Less-Skilled Immigrants Work More? Examining the Work Time of Mexican Immigrant Men in the United States," has been accepted for publication by Social Science Research.

Andrew Fullerton, *Dwanna Robertson* and Jeffrey Dixon authored an article, "Reexamining the Relationship Between Flexibility and Insecurity," that was published in *Research in the Sociology of Work*.

Kim Price (Ph.D. 2003) recently received tenure at UConn with appointments at the Hartford and Storrs campus. Along with her book that was published last summer, Strip Club: Gender, Power, and Sex Work (NYU press), she won a University wide teaching award.

Joya Misra, Michelle Budig and Irene Boeckmann's article, "Cross-National Patterns in Individual and Household Employment in Work Hours by Gender and Parenthood," was published in *Research in the Sociology of Work*.

Michelle Budig and Joya Misra's paper, "How care-work employment shapes earnings in cross-national perspective," appeared in Vol. 149 of the *International Labour Review*.

Eve Weinbaum, David Cort and Tom Juravich received funding for their proposal, "Employment Fraud and Employee Misclassification in Massachusetts," from the Mass. Department of Labor.

Don Tomaskovic-Devey was elected President of the Southern Sociological Society for the 2011-2012 year.

Don Tomaskovic-Devey and Ken-hou Lin's paper, "Income Dynamics, Economic Rents and the Financialization of the U.S. Economy" was accepted for publication in the *American Sociological Review*.

Irene Boeckmann and Jill Crocker each received a Center for Research on Family Scholar Fellowships for this current academic year.

Kristy Watkins (Ph.D. 2011) accepted a Visiting Assistant Professor position at Colgate University in Hamilton, NY. She will be teaching, gender, sexuality and family.

Tim Black, (Ph.D. alum) has received the 2011 Mirra Komarovzky Award for his book, *When a Heart Turns Rock Solid: The Lives of Three Puerto Rican Brothers On and Off the Streets*.

Read *Tom Juravich's* op-ed on the Wisconsin public employees unions in *Business Week*.

Melissa Wooten was awarded a fellowship for this academic year from the Rockefeller Foundation to be a resident scholar at the Rockefeller Archives.

Dan Clawson and Naomi Gerstel were selected to be resident fellows at the Russell Sage Foundation this academic year.

The book series, Sociological Studies of Children and Youth, accepted *Nori Millman's* article vol. 14), "FOCUSED: How Students Construct Attentiveness in First Grade Classrooms."

Sarah Ford's article, "Reconceptualizing the Public/Private Distinction in the Age of Information Technology," was accepted for publication in the *Information, Communication and Society* journal.

Yolanda Wiggins with Rachel Woldoff have an article, "Black Collegians at a Rural PWI: Toward a Place-Based Understanding of Black Students? Adjustment to College," accepted for publication in the *Journal of Black Studies*.

Andrew Papachristos wrote an op-ed piece for the *Chicago Sun Times* on murders and social networks that influence public policy practice in Chicago.

Joya Misra, Jen Lundquist, Elissa Dahlberg Holmes (graduate student) and Stephanie Agiomavritis' ('10), research findings on, "the significant gender gaps in service assignments and the advancement of male and female professors," appeared in a journal article: /Academe/, "Inside Higher Ed".

Ted Thornhill's paper, "African Americans and the Marijuana Legalization Paradox: Do Race-Specific Murder Victimization Rates and Race-Specific Drug Arrest Rates Explain It?", was accepted for publication in the *Journal of Ethnicity in Criminal Justice*.

Dwannan Robertson has two publications forthcoming:

1) "Reexamining the Relationship between Flexibility and Insecurity: A Multilevel Study of Perceived Job Insecurity in 27 European Countries," with Andrew S. Fullerton and Jeffrey C. Dixon. *Research in the Sociology of Work: Comparing European Workers*, Volume 22.

2) "Labor Rights after the Flexible Turn: The Rise of Contingent Employment and the Implications for Worker Rights in the U.S.," with Andrew Fullerton. "In Our Own Backyard: Human Rights, Injustice, and Resistance in the U.S.," edited by William T. Armaline, Davita Silfen Glasberg, and Bandana Purkayastha. Philadelphia, PA: University of Pennsylvania Press. (In Press: Fall 2011).

Jason Rodriguez's (Ph.D. '09) revised dissertation, has been accepted for publication in a series on, "The Culture and Politics of Health Care Work", edited by Suzanne Gorden at *Cornell University Press*.

Amy Schalet gave the keynote address and participated on a panel at the California Adolescent Health Conference.

Amy Schalet gave a Webinar for the Academy of Pediatrics.

Andrew Papachristos was highlighted in, The Atlantic's website "daily dish", by Andrew Sullivan. [Read more](#)

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Michelle Budig testified at the Senate's Joint Executive Committee hearing on "New Evidence: Gender Pay Gap for Women in Management," Tuesday September 28 in Washington, D.C. [Listen to the hearing.](#)

Joya Misra was selected as the next editor of the journal, *Gender and Society* which is a honor and recognition of Joya's significant contributions to the field.

Michelle Budig has been invited to testify before a meeting of the US Congress Joint Economic Committee (JEC) about the gender wage gap. Read more about the JEC

Amy Schalet has been featured in the national news regarding her influential research on adolescent sexual health. Read more on the Time's, Salon's and Contexts' websites.

Associate Professor in Women, Gender & Sexuality Studies, *Miliann Kang* had her book, The Managed Hand: Race, Gender and the Body in Beauty Service Work published by University of California Press.

Afshan Jafar's (Ph.D. 2006) book, *Women's NGOs in Pakistan*, was accepted for publication with Palgrave MacMillan Publishing.

Shawn McGuffey's (Ph.D. 2005) dissertation was accepted for publication through University of Chicago Press.

Graduate students *Joshua Carriero* and *Brian Kapitulik* co-authored, "Budgets, Board Games and Make Believe: The Challenge of Teaching Social Class Inequality with Non-Traditional Students" that will appear in the next issue of *The American Sociologist*.

Joya Misra was recently elected to the American Sociological Association's (ASA) Council and *Michelle Budig* was elected to the Committee on Committees.