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Education

PhD, Northwestern University
Major: Sociology

MA, The University of Kansas
Major: Sociology

BA, The University of Kansas
Major: Political Science

Selected Awards

Mental Health Advocate of the Year (Faculty), KSU Counseling & Psychological Services. (2018).

Most Outstanding Faculty Award, Learning Communities Program. (2016).

Selected Publications

Mosholder, R. S., Waite, B., Larsen, C. A., Chris, G. (2016). Promoting Native American College student recruitment and retention in higher education. *Multicultural Education*, 23(3 & 4), 27-36,

Wynn, C. T., Richard, M. S., Larsen, C. A. (2016). Promoting Post-Formal Thinking In A U.S. History Survey Course: A Problem-Based Approach. *Journal of College Teaching & Learning*, 13(1), 1-20, <https://clutejournals.com/index.php/TLC/issue/view/1005>

Wynn, C. T., Mosholder, R. S., Larsen, C. A. (2014). Measuring the Effects of Problem-Based Learning on the Development of Postformal Thinking Skills and Engagement of First-Year Learning Community Students. *Learning Communities Research and Practice*, 2(2), Article 4, ., washingtoncenter.evergreen.edu/lcrjournal/vol2/iss2/4

Selected Presentations

Larsen, C. A., Teacher Nation, "Empowering Teachers through Research."
(October 16-19, 2019," Uicolombo (University), Cartagena, Colombia.
(October 2019).

Scott, G. (Presenter & Author), Ziegler, C. (Presenter & Author), Larsen, C.
(Presenter & Author), 63rd Annual Meeting of the Southeastern Psychological
Association (SEPA), "Assessing the Global Diversity Lessons Learned in a
First-Year Experience Learning Community," Atlanta, Georgia. (April 2017).

Thompson, D. R. (Presenter & Author), Larsen, C. A. (Presenter & Author),
Tillman, J. (Author Only), 32nd Annual Conference of the First-Year
Experience, "Approaches to engaging first-year seminar students in
undergraduate research," National Resource Center for the First-Year
Experience and Students in Transition, Orlando, FL. (February 23, 2013).

Thompson, D. R. (Presenter & Author), Larsen, C. A. (Presenter & Author),
National Learning Communities Conference, "A content analysis of position
announcements for positions of leadership in Learning Communities," NLCC,
Indianapolis, Indiana. (November 9, 2012).

Larsen, C. A. (Presenter & Author), Thompson, D. R. (Presenter & Author),
Tillman, J. (Author Only), National Learning Communities Conference,
"Learning Outcomes for Learning Communities as a Whole: Moving Beyond
Component- Based Assessment of Individual Courses That Comprise the
Learning Community," NLCC, Indianapolis, Indiana. (November 9, 2012).

Larsen, C. A., National Learning Communities Conference, "Learning
Communities Assessment," NLCC, Indianapolis, Indiana. (November 8,
2012).

Selected Grants

Wade-Berg, J. A. (Principal), Rascati, R. J. (Co-Principal), Foote, S. M. (Co-
Principal), Larsen, C. A. (Other), "Strengthening Bridges for Student Success:
Increasing Transfer & Completion Rates for Underrepresented,
Underprepared, & Low-Income Community and Technical College Students
Seeking Four-Year Degrees", Sponsored by Fund for the Improvement of
Postsecondary Education (FIPSE) – First in the World Program (FITW) -
United States Department of Education, Federal, \$3,200,000.00, Funded.
(December 1, 2014 - October 31, 2019).

Wynn, C. T. (Principal), Mosholder, R. S. (Co-Principal), Larsen, C. A. (Co-
Principal), Other, "CETL Incentive Funding Award for Scholarship & Creative

Activity", Sponsored by Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, Internal, \$8,000.00, Funded. (July 1, 2014 - June 30, 2016).

Keleher, M. (Principal), Larsen, C. A. (Co-Principal), Mixson-Brookshire, D. (Co-Principal), Schmidt, D. M. (Co-Principal), Scott, H. I. (Co-Principal), Other, "Global Gateways: Learning Communities for International Students", Sponsored by KSU Institute for Global Initiatives, Internal, \$45,000.00, Funded. (July 1, 2014 - June 30, 2015).

Mosholder, R. S. (Co-Principal), Wynn, C. T. (Co-Principal), Larsen, C. A. (Co-Principal), Other, "CETL SoTL Retreat", Sponsored by Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, Internal, \$2,250.00, Funded. (May 13, 2014 - May 15, 2014).

Courses Taught

Kennesaw State University

CRJU 3301, Research Methods in CJ
CRJU 3352, Juvenile Justice
HON 3100, Honors Research Methods
HON 3301, HON Interdisciplinary Seminar
KSU 1101, First-Year Seminar
KSU 1111, Tomorrow's World Today
PERS 2700, World of Work
SOC 1101, Introduction to Sociology
SOC 2201, Principles of Sociology-Honors
SOC 2210, Prof Dev Sociology Students
SOC 3304, Social Organization
SOC 3305 Research Methods in Sociology
SOC 3350, Intersections of Race Class Gender
SOC 3374, Sociology of Occupations
SOC 3380, Society, Community, & Health
SOC 4432, Criminology

Selected Service

University Level

Committee Member, University Awards Committee (July 1, 2019 - June 30, 2020).

Employee Well-Being Champion. (September 1, 2018 - June 30, 2020).

Committee Member, Adult Learning Committee (August 30, 2018 - June 30, 2020).

Committee Member, University Policies and Curriculum Committee (August 4, 2013 - June 30, 2020).

Committee Member, Assurance of Learning (August 15, 2011 - May 15, 2013).

College Level

Committee Member, Digital Education Council (2026-present)

Committee Member, 365 Steering Committee (September 2022 - June 2023).

Committee Member, College Global Engagement Committee, (September 2014 - May 2015).

Committee Member, Faculty Development and Awards Committee,. (August 2013 - May 2015).

Committee Member, College Strategic Planning Committee (2009 - May 2015).

Committee Member, Department Curriculum Committee (August 2011 - May 2013).

Committee Member, Distance Learning Committee (May 15, 2013).

Department Level

Committee Member, Student Success Committee (January 2023 - Present).

Faculty Mentor, Part Time Faculty Mentor 2023 -2026).

Committee Member, Teach-In (January 2021 - December 31, 2022).

Committee Member, Department Curriculum Committee (August 15, 2016 - April 30, 2017).

Committee Member, Faculty Search Committees (2015-2016 (2 searches), 2025-2027 (2 searches).

Committee Member, Department Learning Outcomes Assessment Team (September 2013 - March 2015).

Committee Member, Department Curriculum Committee (August 2012 - May 2014).

Professional Service (Non KSU)

Program assessment and report writing, Joven Alerta/ USAID, Dominican Republic/Colombia, International. (2021)

Program Assessment at KSU

RRPG program assessment. (March 2013 - 2016).

Thrive Program Assessment (September 2013 - 2015).

Early Start Bridge Academy (ESBA) Assessment (February 2013 - 2015).

Global Gateways Learning Community Assessment (July 2014 - June 2015).