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Employment

Fall 2019-present Assistant Professor, Department of Social & Cultural Sciences, Marquette University

Education

2019 Ph.D. Sociology, Northwestern University
2014 M.A. Sociology, Northwestern University
2012 M.A. Social Sciences, University of Chicago
2007 B.A. Sociology and Government, Cornell University

Areas of Interest

Law and Society; Punishment; Discursive and Narrative Analysis; Surveillance and Digital Technologies; Social and Critical Theory; Racial and Economic Inequality

Refereed Journal Articles

Degenshein, Anya. 2020. "The Object Economy: 'Alternative' Banking in Chicago," *Contexts* (19)1: 18-23

Degenshein, Anya. 2017. "Strategies of Valuation: Repertoires of Worth at the Financial Margins," *Theory and Society* 46(5): 387-409

* ASA Sociology of Culture Graduate Student Paper Award, 2018

* Sociology Open Access Recognition award, SocArXiv, 2018

* Winch Prize for Best Paper Published or Presented, Northwestern Sociology, 2018

Journal Manuscripts Under Review and in Preparation

IN PREPARATION

Degenshein, Anya. "The Temporality of Crime: Narrating Past Wrongdoing and Speculating Future Harm in Counterterrorism Stings"

Degenshein, Anya. "Ruptured Alliances: Prosecutors, Victims, and the Legislative Fight for Discretion."

Other Professional Writing

Degenshein, Anya. *Forthcoming*. "Syndicate Women: Gender and Networks in Chicago Organized Crime by Chris M. Smith." Book Review. *American Journal of Sociology*.

Degenshein, Anya. 2017. Interview with ASA Sociology of Law council member Ashley Rubin. AMICI newsletter (official section newsletter for ASA Sociology of Law section). Summer. <http://www.law.uci.edu/faculty/full-time/talesh/summer2017amici.pdf>

Honors and Awards

- 2018 Robert F. Winch Prize for the Best Published or Presented Paper, Department of Sociology, Northwestern University.
- 2018 Richard A. Peterson Prize for the Best Graduate Student Paper, Section on the Sociology of Culture, American Sociological Association.
- 2018 Sociology Open Access Recognition (SOAR) award, SocArXiv.
- 2017 Karpf Peace Prize, Northwestern University. (\$3,335)

Fellowships and Grants

- 2017-2019 Presidential Fellowship, Society of Fellows, Northwestern University. (\$77,000)
- 2012-2019 Legal Studies Fellow, Center for Legal Studies, Northwestern University.
- 2016-2017 University Fellowship, The Graduate School, Northwestern University. (\$32,000)
- 2016 The Sexualities Program at Northwestern (SPAN) Conference Travel Award Grant. (\$400)
- 2015-2016 Doctoral Exchange Student Fellowship, Sciences Po, Paris. (\$32,000)
- 2015-2016 Paris Program in Critical Theory Fellow, Northwestern University, Travel and Relocation Grant. (\$3,000)
- 2013 MacArthur Summer Research Grant, with John Hagan, Northwestern University (\$1,200).
- 2012-2013 University Fellowship, The Graduate School, Northwestern University. (\$43,000)

Invited Talks

- 2018 “‘Double Life’ or ‘Digital Avatar’? How Digital Evidence is Used to Create and Contest Criminality in Terrorism Stings”
University of Michigan (Ann Arbor, MI, November); Marquette University (Milwaukee, WI, November); University of Maryland Baltimore County (Baltimore, MD, November); University of California Irvine (Irvine, CA, December)

Public Sociology

INVITED TALKS

- 2019 Speaker for the Northwestern Society of Fellows Induction Ceremony, Northwestern University, May 21, 2019.
- 2018 Panelist for the Northwestern One Book project at Stateville Prison, Crest Hill, Illinois, April 11, 2018.
- 2017 Panelist for Curt’s Café benefit event. Kellogg Global Hub, Northwestern University, May 24, 2017.

FEATURED IN

Slate^{FR} (French Slate)

“Le FBI a pris le contrôle d’un site pédopornographique pour arrêter des criminels. Est-ce éthique.” First published January 26, 2016.

Presentations at Professional Meetings and Selected Workshops

- 2020 “Speculative Justice: Technology and Temporality in Domestic Terrorism Stings.”
- American Sociological Association (virtual event)
- Holstein Colloquium Series, Department of Social and Cultural Sciences, Marquette University (Milwaukee, WI, February)
- 2019 “The Temporality of Crime: Narrating Past Wrongdoing and Speculating Future Harm in Counterterrorism Stings”
- Law and Society Association (Washington DC, June)
- 2018 “Constricting Constitutional Rights, Expanding Surveillance, and Inciting Terrorism in US v Mohamud”
- Culture and Society Workshop, Northwestern University (Evanston, IL, February)

- Law and Society Association (Toronto, Canada, June)
- American Sociological Association (Philadelphia, PA, August)

- 2017 "Constricting Constitutional Rights, Expanding Surveillance, and Inciting Terrorism in US v Mohamud"
- Law and Society Association (accepted, Mexico City, Mexico)
- Joint law and society grad conference among École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, UC Berkeley, and Northwestern (Paris, France, December)
- European Association of Social Anthropologists LawNet "Anticipating Law" workshop (Bern, Switzerland, September)
- Crime, Law, and Society Workshop, Northwestern University (Evanston, IL, May)
"Ruptured Alliances: Prosecutors, Victims, and the Legislative Fight for Discretion."
American Sociological Association (Montreal, Canada, August).
- 2016 "Analyzing Themes in Indictments of Domestic Terrorism Entrapment Cases, 2001-2011."
Midwest Law and Society Retreat (Madison, WI, November).
"Beyond Risk: Entrapment, Surveillance, and the Creation of Criminal Biographies."
Junior Theorists Symposium (Seattle, WA, August).
"The Salience of Sexuality: Social Meaning-Making and Researcher-Informant Relations in the Field."
American Sociological Association (Seattle, WA, August).
- 2015 "Beyond Risk: Entrapment, Surveillance, and the Creation of Criminal Biographies."
Law and Society Association (Seattle, WA, May).
- 2014 "What's Lost in the 'Fringe': The Economic and Social Processes of an Urban Pawnshop."
- Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics (Chicago, IL, July)
- American Sociological Association (San Francisco, CA, August).
- 2013 "Shared Meaning, Shrouded Legitimacy, and Ruptured Alliances: The Creation of Prosecutorial Power in the Legislative Arena."
Law and Society Association (Boston, MA, May).

Teaching and Advising

MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY

Instructor

Undergraduate Courses

Fall 2019- CRLS 4400 Criminal Law and Procedure

Fall 2020,

Fall 2019, CRLS 4000 Criminological Theory
Fall 2020

Graduate Courses

Fall 2019, CRLS 5000 Criminological Theory (taught concurrently with CRLS 4000)
Fall 2020

Advising

Spring 2020- Faculty adviser for students in the Criminology and Law Studies Major, Department
present of Social and Cultural Sciences.

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

Instructor

Undergraduate Courses

Fall 2018 SOCIOL 308 Crime, Politics, and Society

Professional Service

REVIEWER

American Journal of Sociology; American Sociological Review; Law and Social Inquiry; Law and Society Review; Social Problems; Theoretical Criminology; Theory and Society

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- 2020 Member of the Best Graduate Student Paper Awards Committee, ASA Sociology of Law Section.
- 2019 Chair of the Richard A. Peterson Award for Best Graduate Student Paper Committee, ASA Sociology of Culture Section.
- 2018 Presider for the Section on the Sociology of Law roundtable, "Criminal Law and Social/Economic Rights." American Sociological Association (ASA) annual meeting (Philadelphia, PA, August)
- 2017 Presider for the Section on the Sociology of Law regular session panel, "Law and Society Perspective on Crime Control, Citizenship, and Persistence of Inequality." American Sociological Association (ASA) annual meeting (Montréal, Canada, August)
- 2014 Panel session organizer for the SASE mini-conference "Domesticizing Financial Economies: Knitting Fibers of Transaction, Algorithm, and Exchange." Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics (SASE) annual meeting (Chicago, IL, July)

Department and University Service

MARQUETTE

- 2020-2021 Member, Sociology Major Hiring Committee
 Member, Criminology and Law Studies Major Committee
- 2019-2020 Member, Criminology and Law Studies Major Committee
 Member, Criminology and Law Studies Major Committee
 Department representative, Choose MU days for prospective students

NORTHWESTERN

- 2018-2019 Founding member of the Graduate Student Advisory Committee for the
 Northwestern Prison Education Program (NPEP).
- 2016-2017 Graduate student representative on the Northwestern Sociology PhD Admissions
 Committee, 2017 cohort.
- 2014-2015 Student coordinator of the Northwestern Urban and Communities Workshop,
 Department of Sociology.

Professional Memberships

- 2013-present American Sociological Association (ASA)
 Section membership: Crime, Law and Deviance; Economic Sociology; Sociology of Culture;
 Sociology of Law; Theory
- 2013-present Law and Society Association (LSA)
- 2018-present American Society of Criminology (ASC)

Languages

English (native); French (advanced); Spanish (proficient)