

Curriculum Vitae

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Southeastern Louisiana University

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Education

2013 Ph.D. in Sociology, University of Central Florida

Dissertation: *When There's No Home to Prepare: Understanding Natural Hazards Vulnerability among the Homeless in Central Florida*

2010 M.A. in Sociology, University of South Florida

Thesis: *Between Agency and Accountability: An Ethnographic Study of Adult Volunteers Participating in a Juvenile Diversion Program*

2008 B.A. in Sociology, University of South Florida

Experience

2013 - Assistant Professor, Sociology & Criminal Justice, Southeastern Louisiana University

Research and Teaching Interests

Disaster Vulnerability, Community Sociology, Social Inequality, Globalization, and Research Methods

Peer Reviewed Publications

Settembrino, M. R. (Forthcoming). "Sometimes You Can't Even Sleep at Night: Social Vulnerability among Men Experiencing Homelessness in Central Florida." *International Journal of Mass Emergencies and Disasters*.

Grauerholz, L. & **M. R. Settembrino**. (2016). "Teaching about Inequalities: Using Public Transportation and Visual Sociology to Raise Students' Awareness." *Teaching Sociology*.

Settembrino, M. R. (2016). "Hurricane Sandy's Impact on the Pre-Disaster Homeless and Homeless Shelter Services in New Jersey." *Journal of Emergency Management* 14(1).

Settembrino, M. R. (2013). "Values Over Structure: An Ethnographic Study of Adult Volunteers Participating in a Juvenile Diversion Program." *Justice Policy Journal* 10(2).

Rivera, F. I. & **M. R. Settembrino**. (2012). "Toward a Sociological Framework of Community Resilience" in *Disaster Resilience: Interdisciplinary Perspectives*. Kapucu, Rivera, and Hawkins Eds. Routledge.

Funded Research

- 2015 \$642. “Community Vulnerability Assessment in Tangipahoa Parish” Faculty Enhancement Grant, Southeastern Louisiana University.
- 2014 “Greenville Park Community Survey” with support from the Louisiana AARP.
- 2013 \$2,000. “Understanding Hurricane Sandy’s Effect on the Homeless in New Jersey” Quick Response Program, Natural Hazards Center, University of Colorado Boulder.

Unfunded Proposals

- 2014 “Ending Homelessness in Rural Louisiana” submitted to the Sociological Initiatives Foundation.
- 2014 “Using WebGIS to understand Natural Hazards, Community Risks, and Social Vulnerabilities” submitted to NSF InteGreaTe initiative.

Technical Reports

- Settembrino, M. R. (Ed.) * (2014). “Greenville Park Community Survey – Final Report” for the Louisiana AARP.
- Rathbun, T*. & Settembrino, M. R. (2014). “Greenville Park Community Profile” for the Louisiana AARP.
- Settembrino, M. R. (2013). “The Effects of Hurricane Sandy on the Homeless in New Jersey.” QR239. Natural Hazards Center, University of Colorado-Boulder.
- Wright, J. et al. (2011). “Gaps in the Food Distribution System of Central Florida: Empirical Analyses.” (Contributing Author).
- Rivera, F. I. & Settembrino, M. R. (2011). “Social Capital Report: Building Disaster Resilience and Sustainability in Rural Communities in Central Florida.” USDA Award No. 2010-67023-21698.

(* indicates student co-authors)

Other Publications

- Settembrino, M. R. (November 2015). “Vulnerable Yet Resilient: Homelessness and Disaster Response in the United States” in the *Natural Hazards Observer*.

Invited Presentations & Panels

- 2015 “Hegemonic Tales & Subversive Stories of Homelessness in *We Live in Water*” Invited lecture, Common Read Series, Southeastern Louisiana University Writing Center
- 2015 “Social Vulnerability and Disasters I.” Panelist, at the Annual Natural Hazards Research and Applications Workshop.

Conference Presentations

- 2016 Settembrino, M. R. “Full Contact Pedagogy and Immersive Learning: Notes on Teaching and Learning Abroad in Cuba” at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society.

- 2015 Settembrino, M. R. "The Matrix of Vulnerability: Understanding Natural Hazards Risk and Systems of Oppression" at the Annual Meetings of the Association of Humanist Sociology.
- 2015 Settembrino, M. R. "Benefits, Challenges, and Limitations of Group Interviewing" presented at the Annual Couch-Stone Symposium hosted by the Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction.
- 2015 Settembrino, M. R. "Sexual Orientation, Perceived Risk, and Hurricane Preparedness: An Exploratory Study" presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society.
- 2014 Settembrino, M. R. "Weathering the Storm in Tents and Public Spaces: Understanding Natural Hazards Risk and Mitigation Practices Among the Homeless" presented at the Annual Meetings of the Society for the Study of Social Problems.
- 2014 Settembrino, M. R. "Constructing a Matrix of Vulnerability from Emergency Managers Perceptions of Vulnerable Populations" presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association.
- 2013 Settembrino, M. R. "When There's No Home to Prepare: Understanding Natural Hazards Vulnerability Among the Homeless in Central Florida" at the Annual Meetings of the Association of Humanist Sociology.
- 2013 **Settembrino, M. R.**, Gilmore, L. & Grauerholz, L. "Sociological Riders and Seekers: An Experiential Exercise to Teach about Stratification" at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society.
- 2012 Settembrino, M. R. "Disasters as Opportunities for Social Justice and Empowerment: the Case of Latino Farmworkers in Central Florida" presented at the Annual Meetings of the Association for Humanist Sociology.
- 2012 Settembrino, M. R. "Differences in Food Security and Risk of Hunger among Latinos in the United States: the Effects of Place of Birth, Years Living in the US, and Ethnicity" presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Society.
- 2012 Rivera, F. I. & **Settembrino, M. R.** "Communities and Disaster Resilience: Definitions, Perceptions and Consequences" presented at Annual Meetings of the Society for the Study of Social Problems.
- 2012 Rivera, F. I. & **Settembrino, M. R.** "Bouncing Back: Resilience, Perceptions, and Disaster Emergency Management" presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society.
- 2011 **Settembrino, M. R.** & Guadalupe-Diaz, X. L. "Perceptions of Neighborhood Safety Among Immigrants Living in South Florida" at the Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology.
- 2011 Settembrino, M. R. "Warring Target Populations: Debating Don't Ask, Don't Tell in the U.S. Senate" presented at the Annual Meetings of the Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction.

- 2011 Rivera, F. I. & **Settembrino, M. R.** “Sociological Insights in the Search of the Disaster Resilient Community: Past, Present and Future” presented at the Annual Meetings of the Society for the Study of Social Problems.
- 2011 Settembrino, M. R. “Perceptions of Gender Equality in the US: a Study of Female Immigrants Living in South Florida” presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society.
- 2011 Rivera, F. I. & **Settembrino, M. R.** “The Role of Behavioral and Social Networks in Building Resilient Communities” presented at the 5th Annual UCF Public Administration Conference.
- 2010 Settembrino, M. R. “Obeying the Law, Working Hard, and Having a Good Attitude: Teaching Life Skills in a Juvenile Diversion Program” presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Criminal Justice Association.
- 2010 Settembrino, M. R. “Narrative as Social Control: Storytelling and the Construction of Model Citizens” presented at the Annual Meetings of the Society for the Study of Social Problems.
- 2010 Settembrino, M. R. “The Just Identity: Constructing Identities in a Juvenile Diversion Program” presented at the Annual Meetings of the Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction.
- 2010 Settembrino, M. R. “Community Responses to Juvenile Crime” presented at the Annual Meetings of the Association for Humanist Sociology
- 2009 Settembrino, M. R. “To ‘Pass’ or ‘Fail’? Decision Making in a Community-Based Diversion Program” presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Criminal Justice Association.

Awards and Honors

Distinguished Alumni Award, Department of Sociology, University of South Florida, Spring 2014
Phi Kappa Phi, Honor Society, Inducted Spring 2012

Courses Taught

Undergraduate: Vulnerable Populations & Disasters, Race & Ethnic Relations, Globalization & Social Change, Environment & Society, Social Problems, Population, Marriage & Family Life, Introduction to Sociology

Graduate: Participatory Research & Popular Education, Seminar on Sociology of Disasters, Globalization and Social Transformation.

Study Abroad: Environmental Sociology and Sustainability in Cuba (Summer 2015)

Professional Service Activities

2016 Chair, Book Award Committee – Association for Humanist Sociology

2015 - Member, William A. Anderson Fund (BAF) Mentor Group

- 2015 - Co-Convener, Gender and Disasters Roundtable for the 2016 Natural Hazards Workshop
- 2015 - Member, Program Committee for the 2017 Annual Meetings of the Society for the Study of Social Problems
- 2015 Session Organizer. "New Directions in Queer Social Research" Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society.
- 2014 Member, Book Award Committee – Association for Humanist Sociology

Ad Hoc Reviewer for:

Natural Hazards Review, International Journal of Mass Emergencies and Disasters, Humanity & Society, American Journal of Political Science, Social Science Research, Oxford University Press, SAGE Textbooks.

University Service

- 2014 - Facilitator, Safe Space Training – LGBTQAI+ Inclusion Training.
- 2013 - Faculty Advisor, StandOUT, LGBTQAI+ Student Organization

Departmental Service

- 2016 MSAS Brown Bag Series
- 2015 - Chair, Social Justice Speaker Series Committee
- 2013 - Member, Social Justice Speaker Series Committee
- 2013 - Member, Graduate Committee
- 2013 - Member, Sociology Curriculum Committee

Professional Memberships

American Sociological Association
Association for Humanist Sociology
Gender and Disaster Network
Society for the Study of Social Problems