

CURRICULUM VITAE

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PERSONAL DATA

Born November 26, 1962 in Adelaide, Australia
Married, 2 children

EDUCATION

B.A. University of Mississippi, 1985, Sociology, *Magna cum laude*
M.A. University of Washington, 1987, Sociology
Ph.D. University of Washington, 1992, Sociology

EMPLOYMENT (Selected)

2010-Present	Professor, Department of Sociology, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
2000-2010	Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
1994-2000	Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
1993-94	Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Kent State University
1991-93	Teaching Associate, Department of Sociology, University of Washington
1990-91	Field research in Europe and Mexico

ACADEMIC HONORS

- 1993 Distinguished Graduate Student Award, University of Washington
- 1987 Award for outstanding performance for the Master of Arts degree by the Department of Sociology, University of Washington
- 1985 Julien R. Tatum Award by the University of Mississippi to the outstanding undergraduate in sociology
- 1982-85 Foreign Student Scholarship, University of Mississippi

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. Forthcoming. *Evolution and Gender*. Boulder, CO: Paradigm Press.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2010. *Sociology: A Biosocial Introduction*. Boulder, CO: Paradigm Press.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 1999. *Regions, Institutions, and Agrarian Change in European History*. Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Press

Articles in Refereed Journals

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. and David O. Martin. 2014. "The Primary Parental Investment in Children in the Contemporary U.S. is Education: Testing the Trivers-Willard Hypothesis of Parental Investment." *Human Nature* 25, 2: 235-250.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. and Julie McLaughlin. 2012. "Why is the Sex Gap in Depression Wider in High Gender Equity Countries?" *Social Science Research*, 41, 3: 501–513.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. and Joseph M. Whitmeyer. 2010. "A Choice Model of Occupational Status and Fertility." *Journal of Mathematical Sociology* 34: 4, 283 - 300.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2009. "The Evolved Actor in Sociology." *Sociological Theory* 27, 4: 390-406.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2009. "Gender Inequality in Interaction: An Evolutionary

Account.” *Social Forces* 87, 4:1845-1872.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. and Dana Burr Bradley. 2007. “The sex difference in depression across 29 countries.” *Social Forces* 85, 4: 1483-1507.

[Highlighted in *Contexts*, the magazine of the American Sociological Association February 2008]

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2006. “Status Characteristics among older individuals: The diminished significance of gender.” *Sociological Quarterly* 47: 361-374

[Highlighted in *Contexts*, the magazine of the American Sociological Association November 2006]

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2006. “Sex, status and reproductive success in the contemporary U.S.” *Evolution and Human Behavior* 27: 104-120.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2005. “Parental status and differential investment in sons and daughters: Trivers-Willard revisited.” *Social Forces* 83(3):169-193.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2003. “Local Institutions and Rural Development in European History.” *Social Science History* 27, 1: 25-74.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2002. “The Evolution of Sex Discrimination.” *Psychology, Evolution and Gender* 4, 1: 43-67.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2002. “Is Gender Still a Status Characteristic?” *Current Research in Social Psychology* 7(20):339-346.

<http://www.uiowa.edu/~grpproc/crisp/crisp.7.20.html>

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2001. “Theoretical Implications of Regional Effects.” *Sociological Theory* 19, 2: 145-164.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. and Rebecca Jean Emigh. 2000. “Divergent paths of Agrarian Change: England and Tuscany” *Journal of European Economic History* 29, 1: 9-51.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 1999. “Maintaining the Balance of Power: Taxation and Democracy in England and France 1340-1688” *Sociological Perspectives* 42, 1: 69-95.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 1997. "Rural Organization and Receptivity to Protestantism in Sixteenth Century Europe." *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion* 36, 2: 158-181.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 1996. "Authority Attainment of Women: Competitive Sector Effects." *The American Journal of Economics and Sociology* 55, 2: 163-184.

Joseph M. Whitmeyer and Rosemary L. Hopcroft. 1996. "Community, Capitalism, and Rebellion in Chiapas." *Sociological Perspectives* 39, 4: 517-538.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 1995. Comment: "Conceptualizing Regional Differences in Eighteenth Century England." *The American Sociological Review* 60, 5: 791-796.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 1994. "The Origins of Regular Open Field Systems in Pre-Industrial Europe." *The Journal of European Economic History* 23, 3: 563-580.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 1994. "The Social Origins of Agrarian Change in Late Medieval England." *The American Journal of Sociology* 99, 6: 1559-95.

Book chapters and other

"Evolutionary Sociology." Forthcoming in *International Encyclopedia of Social and Behavioral Sciences* edited by James Wright.

"Quantitative Growth and Economic Development through History." Forthcoming in the *Handbook of Development Sociology* edited by Gregory Hooks.

"Evolution, Biology and Society" 2012 in *The Handbook of Sociology and Human Rights* edited by David L. Brunzma, Keri E. Iyall Smith and Brian Gran. Paradigm University Press.

[Book received Honorable Mention in the ASA Human Rights Section's Gordon Hirabayashi Book Award]

"Social Neuroscience and Theory of Mind." 2012 in the *Handbook of Neurosociology* edited by David Franks and Jonathan Turner. Springer.

"Biosociology." 2011. For Oxford University Press on-line encyclopedia.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2008. "Estimates of the Uninsured in Union County, North Carolina, 2008-2018." Final Report Prepared for Union County United Way.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2008. "Darwinian Conflict Theory: Alternative Theory or Unifying Paradigm for Sociology?" In *The New Evolutionary Science: Human Nature, Social Behavior and Social Change*. Edited by Heinz-Jürgen Niedenzu, Tamás Meleghy and Peter Meyer. Colorado: Paradigm Publisher.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2003. "The Open Field System." Pp. 135-140 in *Oxford Encyclopedia of Economic History*, edited by Joel Mokyr, Volume 4. New York: Oxford University Press.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2001. "The Importance of the Local: Rural Institutions and Economic Change in Pre-industrial England" in *The New Institutionalism in Economic Sociology*, edited by Victor Nee and Mary Brinton. (Revised paperback edition.) Palo Alto: Stanford University Press.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 1999. "Regions, Institutions and Agrarian Change in Early Modern Sweden." *European Economic and Political Issues*, Volume 1 edited by Frank Columbus. New York: Nova Science Publishers.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 1998. "The Importance of the Local: Rural Institutions and Economic Change in Pre-industrial England" in *The New Institutionalism in Economic Sociology*, edited by Victor Nee and Mary Brinton. New York: Russell Sage Foundation.
[Book was Winner of the 2000 James A. Coleman Award of the American Sociological Association]

Book Reviews

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2011. Review of David C. Bell's *Constructing Social Theory*. *Journal of Family Theory and Review* Volume 3, Issue 4, Pp. 328–331.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2010. Review of Jonathan Turner and Alexandra Maryanski's *On the Origin of Societies by Natural Selection*. Paradigm Press for the *American Journal of Sociology* June, 287-289.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2009. Review of Celia Roberts' *Messengers of Sex: Hormones, Biomedicine and Feminism*. Cambridge University Press for *Contemporary Sociology*.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2006. Review of William McDonald Wallace. *Techno-Cultural Evolution. Cycles of Creation and Conflict*. Washington D.C: Potomac Books, Inc. for *Social Biology*.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2003. Review of Stephen Wallace Taylor's *The New South's New Frontier* (2002, University Press of Florida) for *Journal of Economic History*.

Hopcroft, Rosemary L. 2001. Review of Richard Lachmann's *Capitalists in Spite of Themselves* (2000, Oxford University Press) for *Contemporary Sociology*.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (selected)

"Sex differences in the relationship between status and number of offspring in the contemporary U.S." Paper to be presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA, August 16-19, 2014.

"Sex differences in the relationship between status and number of offspring in the contemporary U.S." Paper presented at the 8th Annual California Workshop on Evolutionary Social Science, San Luis Obispo, CA. May 2nd-4th, 2014.

“What Does Morality Have To Do With Sociology?” Invited Panel presentation at the Annual Meetings of the Eastern Sociological Society, Baltimore, MD February 20th-23rd, 2014.

“Morality, Evolution, Biology and Sociology.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY, August 10-13, 2013.

“Sex differences in the effect of children on depressive mood across 23 European countries.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY, August 10-13, 2013.

“Sociological Reflections on Trivers-Willard Applied to the Contemporary U.S. and a New Test.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Denver, CO, August 17-21, 2012.

“Human Rights and Sociology: Resituating the Discipline. Evolution, Biology and Society.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Denver, CO, August 17-21, 2012.

“Sociological Reflections on Trivers-Willard Applied to the Contemporary U.S. and a New Test.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Human Behavior and Evolution Society, Albuquerque, NM, June 13-17, 2012.

Presider, Section on Evolution, Biology and Society Session, Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA, August 14-17, 2010.

“A critique of *The Undevelopment of Capitalism* by Rebecca Jean Emigh and *The Art of the Network* by Paul D. McLean,” Author Meets Critics Session sponsored by the Comparative and Historical Sociology Section of ASA. Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA, August 8-12, 2009.

“Issues and challenges of testing evolutionary hypotheses using existing survey data.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA, August 8-12, 2009.

Discussant, Regular Session on Biosocial Processes at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Boston, MA, August 1-4, 2008.

“Why is the Gender Gap in Depression Wider in High Gender Equity Countries.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Boston, MA, August 1-4, 2008.

“Why Women’s Behavior is Constrained.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY, August 10-14 2007.

“Approaches to Evolutionary Analysis in Sociology.” Invited panel presentation at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada, August 10-14 2006.

“A Choice Model of Status and Fertility” (with second author Joseph M. Whitmeyer). Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada, August 10-14 2006.

“Darwinian Conflict Theory: Alternative Theory or Unifying Paradigm for Sociology?” Paper presented at the Conference on “The Evolution of Human Sociality”, University of Innsbruck, Innsbruck Austria, June 7-10 2006.

“Population Genetics and Population Development.” Discussant. Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Philadelphia, PA, March 31 – April 2, 2005.

“Why Sociology and Biology should be more than just friends.” Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA, August 13-16, 2005.

“Sociology and Evolutionary Science: A natural alliance.” Evolution and Sociology invited panel. Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA, August 13-16, 2005.

“Between nature and culture: Women and depression across 26 countries.” (co-authored with Dana Bradley). Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, August 2004 and the Annual Meetings of the Human Behavior and Evolution Society, Berlin, Germany, July 2004.

“Those who can do, except those who think about it: sex, status and reproductive success in the contemporary U.S.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, August 2004, and the Annual Meetings of the Human Behavior and Evolution Society, Berlin, Germany, July 2004.

Presider, Session on the medieval village. Kalamazoo Medieval Congress May 7-11, 2003

“Testing Trivers-Willard: Parental status and differential investment in sons and daughters.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA, August 16-19, 2003 and at the Annual Meetings of the Human Behavior and Evolution Society, Lincoln, NE, , July 2003.

"Interaction Effects of Age and Gender on Influence in Small Groups." Paper presented at Group Process Meetings, Chicago, IL, August 15, 2002; also at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, Chicago, IL, August 16-19, 2002; and at the World Congress of Sociology, Brisbane, July 7-13 2002.

Author Meets Critics Panel, 2002 ASA meetings: Richard Lachmann's *Capitalists in Spite of Themselves*

"Rethinking the basis of agrarian capitalism: Original conditions in England and the Netherlands." Paper presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, Anaheim CA August 18-21, 2001.

"The Evolution of Sex Discrimination." Paper presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, Washington D.C. August 12-16, 2000; and at the ASA-ISA Joint Miniconference on Rational Choice Theory, Washington D.C. August 16, 2000.

"Theoretical Implications of Regional Effects." Paper presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, Chicago, IL, August 6-10, 1999.

"Regions, Institutions and Agrarian Change in Early Modern Sweden." Paper presented at the annual meetings of the Social Science History Association, Chicago, IL, November 19-22, 1998.

"Rural Organization and Receptivity to Protestantism in Sixteenth Century Europe." Paper presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, Toronto, August 9-13, 1997.

"Local Institutions & Agrarian Change in Pre-industrial England, France and Germany." Paper presented at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY, August 16-20, 1996.

RESEARCH GRANTS

- 1990 Graduate School Western Europe Travel Grant University of Washington
- 1990 Eileen Power Studentship, The London School of Economics and Political Science
- 1995 Junior Faculty Research Grant, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
- 1996 Junior Faculty Research Grant, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
- 1997 Junior Faculty Research Grant, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
- 2002 Faculty Research Grant, University of North Carolina at Charlotte

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

American Sociological Association
Human Behavior and Evolution Society

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Evolution, Biology and Society, Comparative and Historical Sociology,
Population Issues, Methods, Theory

CLASSES TAUGHT (Since 2000)

Introduction to Sociology Socy 1101, Evolution and Gender Socy 4060,
Quantitative Analysis Socy 4156/5156, Research Methods Socy 4155, Population
Dynamics and Public Policy Ppol 8683/Socy 6090, Evolution and Gender Health
Psychology 6090/ Socy 6090

STUDENTS (Since 2000)

Directed Independent Study Students

- Jing Tang (Summer 2001)
- Toronda Daniels (Spring 2003)
- Megan Bolejack (Spring 2004)
- Catherine Duncan (Spring 2004)
- David Martin (Summer 2008)
- Erica Bleicher (Summer 2009)
- Shelley Colvin (Fall 2010)
- Aileen Lapitan (Spring 2011)
- David Martin (Spring 2013)

Theses and Dissertations

- Honor's Thesis, Elizabeth Meekins, "Saved, Single, and Hopeful: A Single's Perspective on Marriage." (Finished Spring 2009)
- Thesis director, Jing Tang (Unfinished).
- Thesis committee, Mathew Phillips (Defended Summer 2008).
- Thesis committee, Pamela Perry (2009 to present)
- Dissertation committee, Tim Wilson, Department of Educational Administration, Research, and Technology. "A Research Study of the Relationship of Computer Skills to Demographic and Academic Characteristics" (Finished 2002).
- Dissertation committee, Annada Hypes, Department of Health Psychology (Defended Spring 2010)

- Thesis committee, Diana Svolba-Douglas (2010 to present)
- Thesis Committee, Kimberly Miller (Defended August 2012)
- Thesis director, David Martin (Defended February 2013).

LANGUAGES

French

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE (Since Tenure)

- Editor, Newsletter of the Comparative and Historical Sociology Section of ASA 2002-2005
- Secretary Treasurer, Rationality and Society Section of ASA 2003 – 2005
- Co-organizer (with James Mahoney). "States, Critical Turning Points, and World History." Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association 2004
- Organizer and Chair, Panel on Evolutionary Sociology at the Annual Meetings of the Human Behavior and Evolution Society, Berlin, Germany, July 2004
- Organizer, Section-in-Formation on Evolution and Sociology, American Sociological Association
- Editor, Newsletter of the ASA Section on Evolution, Biology and Society, 2004-2013.
- Webmaster, ASA Section on Evolution, Biology and Society, 2004-present
- Organizer, "Limits of Rationality in Historical Sociology." Annual Meetings of the International Sociological Association, Durbin, South Africa, July 2006
- 2007. Nominee, Chair of Rationality and Society Section of the American Sociological Association.
- 2007. Nominee for Council of the Section on Comparative and Historical Sociology.
- 2008. Proposal Reviewer for the ESRC (Economic and Social Research Council, United Kingdom). "Wealth, Reproductive Success and the Emergence of Modern Societies: A cross-national Study."
- 2007-2009. Chair-elect to Chair, Evolution, Biology and Society Section of the American Sociological Association.
- 2009. "A critique of *The Undevelopment of Capitalism* by Rebecca Jean Emigh and *The Art of the Network* by Paul D. McLean, or why sociologists should quit making straw man attacks on economic theory and focus on doing sociology." Essay published in the Newsletter of the Comparative and Historical Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association, Fall.
- 2009. Proposal Reviewer for Time-sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS). "Fairness Perceptions of Differential Parental

Investment in the U.S.”

- 2009-2010, Chair, Nominations Committee, Evolution, Biology and Society Section.
- 2010. Chair, Student Paper Awards Committee, Evolution, Biology and Society Section.
- 2010. Proposal Reviewer for Time-sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS). “The Political Psychology of Human Cooperation.”
- 2010 Book Reviewer for the University of Chicago Press
- 2010 Book Reviewer for Oxford University Press
- 2010 Book Reviewer for University of Manchester Press
- 2010. NSF Proposal Reviewer.
- 2011 Book Reviewer for Oxford University Press.
- 2013-2016. Secretary Treasurer, Evolution, Biology & Society Section of the American Sociological Association.

Ad Hoc Reviewer For

American Anthropologist

American Journal of Economics and Sociology

American Journal of Sociology,

American Sociological Review

British Journal of Sociology

Community Mental Health Journal

Current Research in Social Psychology

Current Zoology

Demographic Research

Evolution and Human Behavior

Evolutionary Psychology

International Journal of Psychology

International Journal of Population Research

Journal of Family Issues

Journal of Health and Social Behavior

Journal of Personality

Political Research Quarterly,

Rationality and Society

Social Forces,

Social Science Research

Social Service Review

Sociological Forum

Sociological Quarterly

Sociological Theory

World Politics

UNIVERSITY SERVICE (Since Tenure)

Departmental Committees/Service

- Annual Review Committee 2001
- Gerontology Recruitment Committee 2002
- Organizer, Departmental Brown Bag Series, 2001-2002, 2005-2006
- Department Recruitment Committee 2001, 2003
- Ad-hoc committee on the Annual Review, 2006-2007
- Ad-hoc committee on Indirect Costs, Fall 2006
- Sociology Department Search Committee 2010
- Undergraduate Curriculum Committee 2011-2012
- Introduction to Sociology Course Redesign Committee 2013
- Annual Review Committee 2013
- Annual Review Committee Chair 2014

College Committees/Service

- Arts and Sciences Author's Selection Committee for Book Reception 2001, 2002.
- Edited Student Manual for the Public Policy PhD program, 2002.
- Arts and Sciences Council 2002-2004
- Department of History Self Study, Internal Review Committee, 2002-2003
- COAS Technology Committee 2005-present
- Mentor for Junior Faculty, 2005-present (Mentor for Cemil Aydin ,History 2005-2006; and Judith Sullivan, Music 2006-2007).
- Panel Member, Graduate History Association, Spring 2007
- College Review Committee 2013-2015
- College Review Committee Chair 2014-2015

University Committees/Service

- Institutional Review Board for Research with Human Subjects, 2002-2005 and Spring 2007
- Faculty Academic Policy and Standards Committee, 2006-2008.
- Faculty Employment Status Committee, 2006-2008.
- Faculty Research Grants Committee, 2007-08.
- Chair, Faculty Research Grants Committee, 2008-10
- University Hearing Committee, 2010-2011
- Chair, University Hearing Committee, 2011-2014
- Panel Member, University Hearing Committee, June 2012.
- Hearing Chair, Special Hearing for Dismissal of a Faculty Member, November 2012

Community Service

Estimating the number of uninsured individuals in Union County, North Carolina, for a new program to duplicate the Physicians Reach Out Program of Mecklenburg County (offering free medical care for the uninsured). 2007-2008.

INVITED LECTURES (Since Tenure)

“Evolution of Sex Discrimination.” Department of Social and Behavioral Science, University of Hokkaido, Japan, February 2000.

“Sex, status and reproductive success in the contemporary U.S.” October 10, 2004, Department of Sociology, University of Groningen, Netherlands.

“Sex, status and reproductive success in the contemporary U.S.” November 22, 2004, Department of Sociology, University of Utrecht, Netherlands.

“The sex difference in depression across 29 countries.” (with Dana Bradley). February 17th, 2006, Department of Sociology, University of South Carolina.

“The Complementarities Between Sociological and Evolutionary Theory: The Case of Gender Inequality.” Department of Sociology, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, November 3, 2010.

“What Does Morality Have To Do With Sociology?” Invited Panel presentation at the Annual Meetings of the Eastern Sociological Society, Baltimore, MD February 20th-23rd, 2014.