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### Education

- In-progress      Ph.D. Candidate – Sociology  
University of South Florida, Tampa, FL  
Dissertation: *Plan(et) B: Analyzing Contentious Framing within the Environmental Movement over Geoengineering*  
Dissertation Chair: Robert D. Benford  
Areas of Specialization: Social Movements, Environment
- 2006                M.A. – Applied Sociology  
University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL  
Thesis: *Does HOPE VI Deep-Six the Poor? Analyzing the Effects of Displacement on Former Residents of Distressed Public Housing in a Mid-Sized Southern City*  
Thesis Chair: James D. Wright
- 2003                B.S. – Sociology  
University of Idaho, Moscow, ID

### Teaching Experience

- 2014-present      Adjunct Professor – Interdisciplinary Social Sciences  
University of South Florida, Tampa, FL
- 2009-11            Instructor – Sociology  
University of South Florida, Tampa, FL
- 2006-08            Adjunct Professor – Sociology  
University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL
- 2006                Graduate Writing Consultant – University Writing Center  
University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL
- 2004-06            Graduate Teaching Assistant – Sociology  
University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL

## **Publications**

Caliskan, Fethullah, Kingsley A. Reeves, Jr., Ozan Ozcan, and David Zeller. 2012. "The Impact of Collaboration Network Position on Innovative Performance." *Technology and Innovation* 14:351-363.

Zeller, David. *In-preparation*. "There is No Planet B': An Analysis of Framing Disputes within the Environmental Movement over Geoengineering."

## **Presentations**

Zeller, David R. "Dangerous Distractions? Framing Disputes and Collective Identity Correspondence within the Environmental Movement." North Charleston, SC: Mid-South Sociological Association Annual Meeting, *upcoming*.

Zeller, David R. "Framing Disputes and the Resonance Dilemma within the Environmental Movement." Atlanta: Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, 2016.

Zeller, David R. "Controversial Technologies and the Pursuit of Frame Resonance within the Environmental Movement." Lafayette: Mid-South Sociological Association Annual Meeting, 2015.

Zeller, David. "An Atmosphere of Uncertainty: Facts, Frame Disputes, and Climate 'Geoengineering.'" San Francisco: Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction Annual Meeting, 2014.

Zeller, David. "Frame Disputes in Environmental Movement Organizations." Atlanta: Mid-South Sociological Association Annual Meeting, 2013.

Tyson, William, Chris Ponticelli, David Zeller, and Pangri Mehta. "PathTech: Building Partnerships with Community Colleges to Study Pathways to Advanced Technology Degrees." Atlanta: Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, 2013.

Zeller, David. "Out of Site, Out of Mind: Revisiting HOPE VI Redevelopment in Downtown Orlando." Jacksonville: Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, 2011.

Zeller, David. "Does HOPE VI Deep-Six the Poor? Analysis of the Effects of Poverty Deconcentration Efforts on a Mid-Sized Southern City." New Orleans: Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, 2006.

## **Service**

- Reviewer  
*Journal of Contemporary Ethnography*
- 2016 (upcoming) Organizer, Social Movements Session  
Mid-South Sociological Association Annual Conference
- 2016 Member, FKL Course Recertification Committee  
University of South Florida Interdisciplinary Social Sciences Department
- 2014-15 Member, Communications and Technology Committee  
University of South Florida Sociology Department
- 2014 Facilitator, Undergraduate Research & Arts Colloquium  
University of South Florida

## **Professional Associations**

American Sociological Association  
Member, Section on Environment and Technology  
Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction  
Southern Sociological Society  
Mid-South Sociological Association  
Florida Climate Institute

## **Research Experience**

- 2014-15 Graduate Research Assistant – Sociology  
University of South Florida, Tampa, FL
- 2012-14 Graduate Assistant – *PathTech*  
University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

## **Courses Taught**

Urban Sociology  
Social Science Statistics  
Urban Life  
Social Stratification  
Classical Theory

## **Awards and Funded Research**

- 2016 Department of Sociology Award for Teaching Excellence  
University of South Florida, Tampa, FL
- 2015 Student Government Conference Presentation Grant (\$500)  
University of South Florida, Tampa, FL
- 2014 Student Government Conference Presentation Grant (\$500)  
University of South Florida, Tampa, FL
- 2014 Conference Travel Grant (\$200)  
Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction
- 2012-14 Graduate Assistant  
National Science Foundation Grant – NSF DUE #1104214  
“Successful Academic and Employment Pathways in Advanced  
Technologies” (*PathTech*) Principle Investigator: Will Tyson
- 2011-12 Co-Principle Investigator (\$5,000)  
Graduate Student Challenge Grant  
University of South Florida  
“Efficient Supply Chain and Alliance Network Structures and the Impact  
on Innovativeness of Florida’s High Tech Industries”  
Co-Principle Investigators: Fethullah Caliskan, Ozan Ozcan, and Berna  
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