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APPOINTMENTS

Assistant Professor of Sociology, Boston University, 2016 to present
University Provost Career Development Professor, Boston University, 2016–2019

EDUCATION

PhD., Sociology, Harvard University, 2016

M.A., Sociology, Harvard University, 2013

B.A. (Hons.), Phi Beta Kappa, *magna cum laude*, Sociology, Occidental College, 2009

PUBLICATIONS

Simes, Jessica T. and Mary C. Waters. 2014. "The Politics of Immigration and Crime," Bucerius, Sandra M., and Michael Tonry, eds. *The Oxford Handbook of Ethnicity, Crime, and Immigration*. Oxford University Press.

Simes, Jessica T. 2011. "Institution Length of Stay." *Massachusetts Department of Correction Report*. Publication No. 12-220-DOC-01.

Simes, Jessica T. 2009. "Does Anti-Semitism Among African Americans Simply Reflect Anti-White Sentiment?" *Social Science Journal* 46, 384–89.

UNDER REVIEW

Simes, Jessica T. "Place and Punishment: The Spatial Context of Incarceration." *Journal of Quantitative Criminology*, Conditional Acceptance.

Simes, Jessica T. "Neighborhood Attainment After Prison."

***Winner**, 2015 Graduate Student Paper Competition, Crime and Juvenile Delinquency Division of the Society for the Study of Social Problems

IN PROGRESS

Simes, Jessica T. "Dynamics of Neighborhood Disadvantage and Imprisonment."

Western, Bruce and Jessica T. Simes "Drugs and Crime After Prison."

Sakoda, Ryan and Jessica T. Simes. "Disparities in Solitary Confinement."

Simes, Jessica T. and Maria Abascal. "The Origins of the Criminal Immigrant Stereotype."

Hwang, Jackelyn and Jessica T. Simes. "Non-Neighborhoods: Spatial Heterogeneity and the Neighborhood Effect."

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

University Provost's Career Development Professorship, Boston University, 2016–2019
 Center for American Political Studies Research Grant, Harvard University, 2016
 Architecture, Urbanism, and the Humanities Grant, Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, 2015
 Program in Criminal Justice Research Fellowship, Harvard Kennedy School, 2015
 Eastern Sociological Society Travel Award, 2015
 Graduate School of Arts and Sciences Dissertation Completion Fellowship, Harvard University, 2014–15
 Taubman Center Urban Dissertation Fellowship, Harvard University, 2014
 Institute for Quantitative Social Science Summer Research Grant, Harvard University, 2014
 Multidisciplinary Program in Inequality and Social Policy Fellowship, Harvard University, 2013–14
 Rappaport Institute for Greater Boston Policy Fellowship, Harvard University, 2011
 Presidential Information Technology Fellowship, Harvard University, 2010–11
 National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship, Honorable Mention, 2009 and 2010
 Phi Beta Kappa Ritter Graduate Fellowship, 2009
 John Kenneth Galbraith Scholar, Harvard University, 2008

PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED TALKS

- “The Historical Evolution of Mass Incarceration Across Cities”
 - American Society of Criminology, November 16–19, 2016, New Orleans, LA. Invited Talk
- “Dynamics of Neighborhood Disadvantage and Imprisonment”
 - Vera Institute of Justice, February 24, 2017, New York City, NY. Invited Talk
 - MacArthur Research Conference, January 27–28, 2017, Cambridge, MA. Invited Talk
 - American Sociological Association, August 20–23, 2016, Seattle, WA. Roundtable
- “Neighborhood Attainment After Prison”
 - University of Massachusetts, Boston Sociology Colloquium, September 21, 2016. Invited Talk
 - National Science Foundation Prisoner Reentry and Reintegration Workshop, April 14–15, 2016, Newark, NJ. Invited Talk
 - American Society of Criminology, November 16–22, 2015, Washington, D.C. Paper Presentation
 - American Sociological Association, August 22–25, 2015, Chicago, IL. Paper Presentation
 - Society for the Study of Social Problems, August 21–23, 2015, Chicago, IL. Paper Presentation
 - Princeton University, Aage Sorensen Memorial Conference, April 24–26, 2015, Invited Talk
 - Urban Social Processes Workshop, Harvard University, April 16, 2015, Paper Presentation
- “Non-Neighborhoods: Beyond the Neighborhood Construct” (with Jackelyn Hwang)
 - American Sociological Association, August 22–25, 2015, Chicago, IL. Roundtable
 - Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, February 24–27, 2011, Philadelphia, PA. Roundtable
- “The New White Flight: Rethinking Spatial Assimilation in the 21st Century”
 - Migration and Immigrant Incorporation Workshop, Harvard University, April 9, 2015, Paper Presentation
- “Place and Punishment: The Spatial Context of Incarceration”
 - Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, February 26–March 1, 2015, New York City, NY. Paper Presentation
 - American Sociological Association, August 17–20, 2012, Denver, CO. Paper Presentation
 - Stockholm University, Aage Sorensen Memorial Conference, April 12–13, 2012, Stockholm, Sweden. Invited Talk
 - Urban Social Processes Workshop, Harvard University, November 10, 2011, Paper Presentation

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Boston University

- Sociological Research Methods
- Seminar: Deviance and Social Control

Harvard University

- Urban Inequality in the 21st Century
- Sociological Theory*

**Awarded Harvard University Certificate of Excellence and Distinction in Teaching*

SERVICE

Secretary, Thrive Communities Reentry Program Board of Directors

Reviewer, *American Sociological Review*, *City & Community*, *Law and Society Review*, *Theory and Society*

Coordinator, Harvard Migration and Immigrant Incorporation Workshop, 2010–11

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association

American Society of Criminology

Law and Society Association

Society for the Study of Social Problems

Population Association of America

Urban Affairs Association

Eastern Sociological Society