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WORK EXPERIENCE

- The Kirwan Institute for the Study of Race and Ethnicity** 2004 – present
The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH
Senior Research Associate
- Manager, grant-funded research and advocacy initiative on the future of fair housing and fair credit in the wake of the subprime lending and foreclosure conference. The initiative includes co-hosting policy feedback sessions in seven cities, the commission of fourteen independent research pieces, and the retention of a 25-member advisory board.
 - Coordinator, national research initiative, “Subprime Lending, Foreclosure and Race,” including a national conference on October 2-3, 2008 (175 attendees). Authored advocacy primer: “Subprime Loans, Foreclosure, and the Credit Crisis: What Happened & Why?”
 - Consultant, research and advocacy projects that engage equitable community development, with varying timelines (one month – several years) and budgets (\$20,000 - \$500,000). Coordinate with external project partners, Kirwan colleagues, and graduate research assistants. Experience with quantitative and qualitative research methodologies.
- Stein, Ray and Harris, Chicago, IL** 2001–2003
Litigation paralegal for boutique firm specializing in construction law. Assisted attorneys with all phases of construction litigation, arbitration, mediation and trial preparation for large-scale industrial, sports facility, and residential projects.
- Lane Kendig, inc. Mundelein, IL** 1999–2001
Planner for national planning consulting firm. Assisted with zoning code development and review for municipalities nationwide. Verified local development compliance with ordinance requirements through plan development review and inspections; provided written reports to Plan Commissions; attended community meetings.
- Futurity, Inc., Chicago, IL** 1998–1999
Associate for entrepreneurial research and design firm using RS/GIS technologies. Co-produced flagship newsletter, “Futurity News,” recognized by the American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA) for “Excellence in Marketing and Communications” in *Landscape Architecture* magazine

EDUCATION

- The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH** 2003-current
ABD, Department of Geography
- Harvard Design School, Cambridge, MA** 1995-1998
MLA · Master of Landscape Architecture
- Ohio University, Athens, OH** 1991-1993
MA English, Concentration in Teaching of Composition, GPA: 3.7

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Carleton College, Northfield, MN
BA English, GPA 3.1

1986-1990

PROFESSIONAL WRITING

Consulting Reports

"The State of Black Ohio" (with John A. Powell, Andrew Grant-Thomas, Jason Reece, et. al.). Prepared for the Ohio State Legislature (forthcoming Spring 2010).

"From Crisis to Opportunity: Responding to The Growing Economic Crisis for Knoxville's Marginalized Children." (with Jason Reece, Jillian Olinger, Rebecca Reno and Matt Martin). Prepared for the Compassion Coalition (June 2009).

"Inequity, Linked Fates and Social Justice in Detroit and Michigan" (with Jason Reece). Prepared for The Michigan Roundtable for Diversity and Inclusion (August 2008).

"Pathways to Opportunity: Partnership and Collaboration for Revitalizing the Rosemont-Walbrook Neighborhood" (with Denis Rhoden, Jason Reece, et. al.) (July 2008).

"Columbus Neighborhood Revitalization Assessment," Phase I (October 2007) and II (December 2007) (with Jason Reece et. al). Prepared for The Columbus Foundation.

Journal Articles

"Equity: The Silent 'E' in Sustainability" (with Jason Reece and Samir Gambhir). *Carolina Planning* 32: 1 (Winter 2007).

Kirwan Reports, Book Chapters & Trade Articles

"The Color of Deregulation: Unequal Opportunity, Uneven Burdens" (with John Powell, Jillian Olinger and Jason Reece). Position paper for DEMOS (December 2009).

"Opportunity Mapping: Social Justice at Work in Equitable Community Development" (with Jillian Olinger). Book Chapter for *A Transformative Agenda Around Race 2006* Conference Proceedings (forthcoming Spring 2010).

"Subprime Loans, Foreclosure, and the Credit Crisis: What Happened & Why?" (December 2008)
<http://4909e99d35cada63e7f757471b7243be73e53e14.gripelements.com/pdfs/events/foreclosureprimer.pdf>

"Communities of Opportunity: A Framework for a More Equitable and Sustainable Future for All" (with John Powell, Jason Reece, and Samir Gambhir) (January 2007).
http://www.kirwaninstitute.org/publications/ki_pub_docs/Comm_of_Opportunity_Jan_2007.pdf

"Transforming the Face of Housing: The Dynamics of Race, Class and Housing Opportunity" (with John A. Powell). Introduction, *Making the Case for Housing Choices and Complete Communities: The Next Generation*. The Atlanta Neighborhood Development Partnership, Inc. (September 2007).

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TEACHING, SERVICE & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Visiting Lecturer, "Urban Design Studio: Designing for People and Place" (LARCH 457, Jesus Lara, undergraduate senior studio). Knowlton School of Architecture, The Ohio State University ("KSA"), Fall 2009.

Studio Review Critic, "Adaptive Urban Environments: Designing for People and Place" (LARCH 644, Jesus Lara, graduate studio). KSA, Spring 2009.

Volunteer, Building Vibrant Neighborhoods ("HOME") Impact Council, United Way of Central Ohio
Fall 2008 – Present

Kirwan representative, "Prioritizing Civil Rights in Federal Housing Policy," – June 9-10, 2009, Washington, DC (hosted by PRRAC)

Kirwan representative, "Greater Ohio Neighborhood Revitalization Task Force" -- May 12, 2008, Columbus, OH (hosted by Greater Ohio)

Kirwan representative, Economic Policy Institute working group on Race, Ethnicity and the Economy – March 7, 2008, Washington DC

Certificate, *Protection of Human Subjects Training: Basic Course* (Social and Behavioral Human Research) -
- CITI web-based course passed 4/11/08

Certificate, *Planning & Zoning for Community Land Use Management*
U. of Wisconsin-Madison Dept. of Engineering Professional Development Program (May 2000)

Certificate, *Real Estate Development Financial Analysis*
Harvard Design School Professional Development Seminar (July 1997)

Member, American Planning Association (APA); Association of American Geographers (AAG)