



- 2019 Feminist Theory Workshop Travel Award, Duke University : USD \$1,000
- 2018 Charles Bronfman Award in Canadian Studies: CAD \$ 5,000
- 2013 Shree Mulay Recruitment Award: CAD \$ 2,500
- 2013 Entrance Scholarship, McGill University: CAD \$ 80,000

## **INVITED TALKS**

- 2019 “Productive Disengagement: Reflections on Ethics in the Representation of LGBTQ Iranian Lives.” Initiative for Iranian Studies. University of Toronto. January 18.

## **CONFERENCE ACTIVITY**

### **Presentations**

- 2019 “Defining Acceptance: Group Cohesion and Membership for Queer and Trans Muslims in Toronto, Canada.” American Sociological Association. August 11
- 2019 “Productive Disengagement: Reflections on Ethics in the Representation of LGBTQ Iranian Lives.” Canadian Sociological Association. June 4.
- 2019 “Defining Acceptance: Group Cohesion and Membership for Queer and Trans Muslims in Toronto, Canada.” Canadian Sociological Association. June 4.
- 2017 “Gender Race and Aggression in Mainstream Pornography.” Social Problems. July 30.
- 2016 “Notes on the privatization of Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity (SOGI) Refugee Sponsorship in Canada” National Women’s Studies Association. November 13.
- 2016 “Wife Beating Attitudes in Egypt: Latent Variables and Effects of Religion, Urbanity, and Education.” American Sociological Association. Declined to Present.
- 2015 “Political Economy and Social Movements: a comparative-historical analysis of revolution in Iran and Egypt.” American Sociological Association. August 23.
- 2013 “Chronopolitics and the Taxonomic Configurations of the Modern Homosexual Subject in Iran.” Concordia University Simone de Beauvoir Institute. April 18.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

### **McGill University**

- Course Instructor. The Sociology of Gender. Winter 2019.
- Teaching Assistant. War, States, and Social Change. Winter 2016.
- Teaching Assistant. The Sociology of Mental Disorder. Winter 2015.
- Teaching Assistant. Sociological Theory. Fall 2015.
- Teaching Assistant. Introduction to Sexual Diversities Studies. Fall 2013, Fall 2014, Fall 2015.
- Teaching Assistant. The Sociology of Gender. Fall 2013.

## **George Brown College**

Course Instructor. Introduction to Sociology. Fall 2016, Winter 2017, Summer, 2017, Fall 2017.

## **University of Toronto**

Teaching Assistant. Queer Cultures. Fall 2013.

## **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

- 2016            Research Assistant for Eran Shor. “Gender Race and Aggression in Mainstream Pornography.”
- 2016            Research Assistant for Melissa A. White. “Notes on the privatization of Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity (SOGI) Refugee Sponsorship in Canada.”
- 2015            Research Assistant for Office for Students with Disabilities, McGill University: “Universal Design for Learning: a toolkit.”

## **RELATED PROFESSIONAL SKILLS**

Qualitative Coding Software: MAXQDA, ATLAS.ti

Quantitative Coding Software: SPSS, STATA, R, Mplus

## **TEACHING AREAS**

Critical Race Feminism; Political Sociology; Introduction to Women and Gender Studies; Sociology of Gender; Iranian feminist Activism: then and now; Gender, Sexuality and Islam; Social Movements in the Middle East and North Africa; Revolution or Reform?; Studying Gender: interdisciplinary or discipline?; Trans\* Studies in the global context

## **LANGUAGES**

English: Fluent in speaking, writing, and reading

French: Fluent in speaking, writing, and reading

Persian: Fluent in speaking, intermediate in writing and reading

Spanish: Beginner in speaking, writing, and reading

## **REFERENCES**

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