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## **Education**

**Ph.D. in Sociology**, 2021-present  
Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY  
Concentrations: disability and gender.

**M.A. in Sociology**, 2019- present (expected May 2021)  
Texas State University, San Marcos, TX

**B.S. in Sociology**, 2015-2019  
Texas State University, San Marcos, TX  
*Magna Cum Laude*

## **Areas of Specialization**

Disability, medical sociology, gender, caregiving, qualitative and quantitative methods.

## **Publications**

Burke, F. S., Giuffre, P., & Mays, C. J. (2021, October). Book review of *A Field Guide to Grad School: Uncovering the Hidden Curriculum* written by Jessica Calarco (published in 2020; Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press). *Teaching Sociology*.

## **Conference Activity**

Fiona Burke. "Exploring the Association Between Taking Psychotropic Medication and Using Alternative Mental Health Therapy Among Adults Who Have a Mental Health Disorder." Paper presented at Mid-South Sociological Association Annual Meeting, 2020

Fiona Burke. "'I Don't Want to Be a Warrior Mom: Discourses of Neoliberal Motherhood Within Blogs Written by Mothers of Children with Cognitive Disabilities.'" Paper presented to the Southwestern Social Science Association Annual Meeting, 2021

## **Awards and Fellowships**

Thesis Support Fellowship, Spring 2021  
Outstanding Contribution to the Department of Sociology, Spring 2021

## **Memberships**

Mid-South Sociological Association, 2020  
President of the Sociology Graduate School Association, 2019-2021

- Organize and lead meetings
- Host and lead writing workshops
- Invite and organize guest speakers
- Provide material for members to expand their sociological inquiry

Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, 2018-present

### **Professional Experience**

Graduate Assistant, Texas State University, 2019-2021

- Assisted in building an online Pop Culture course for the spring of 2021 semester
- Grade class assignments and papers
- Organize and grade exams and quizzes
- Maintain weekly office hours and advise students

Graduate Assistant, Stony Brook University, 2021-present

- Assisted in instructing undergraduate methodology course
- Hold office hours
- Grade exams

### **Volunteer Activities**

Farmer Fred's Fall Carnival, 2019