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CURRENT POSITION

Jan 2016- Lecturer in Linguistics, Department of English, Boise State University Advisory Board, Gender Studies Program, Boise State University

EDUCATION		_
2016	PhD – Linguistics, University of	California, Santa Barbara

Dissertation Title: "Straight-ish": Constrained Agency and the Linguistic Constructions of Sexual

Identities, Desires, and Practices among Men Seeking Men, Advisor: Mary Bucholtz

2012 MA – Linguistics, University of California, Santa Barbara

2009 BA, Magna Cum Laude – English (Language Studies), San Francisco State University

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

2016	National Science Foundation Conference Grant, University of New Hampshire
2016	Department of Linguistics Travel Grant, University of California, Santa Barbara
2014	Department of Linguistics Travel Grant, University of California, Santa Barbara
2013-2014	Graduate Opportunity Fellowship, University of California, Santa Barbara
2013-2014	Doctoral Student Travel Grant, University of California, Santa Barbara
2013	Department of Linguistics Travel Grant, University of California, Santa Barbara
2013	Department of Linguistics Travel Grant, University of California, Santa Barbara
2012-2013	Graduate Opportunity Fellowship, University of California, Santa Barbara
Winter 2011	Nominee, Graduate Student Association Excellence in Teaching Award
2010-2011	SKILLS Graduate Teaching Fellowship
May 2009	San Francisco State University Department of English Undergraduate Honoree

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Spring 2016-present	Boise State University, L	ecturer
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LING 305: Introduction to Language Studies

LING 497/GEND 480: Language, Gender, and Sexuality

Winter 2015-Fall 2015 University of California, Los Angeles, Teaching Fellow

LING 1: Introduction to Language

LING 20: Introduction to Linguistic Analysis

Summer 2015 University of California, Los Angeles, Teaching Fellow/Instructor of Record

LING 1: Introduction to Language LING 170: Language and Society

Fall 2014 University of California, Santa Barbara, Teaching Associate/Instructor of Record

LING 50: Language and Power

Winter 2011-Spr 2014 University of California, Santa Barbara, Teaching Assistant

LING 130: Language as Culture LING 70: Language in Society LING 20: Introduction to Linguistics LING 149: Intercultural Communication LING 180: Language, Race, and Ethnicity LING 132: Language, Gender, and Sexuality

LING 131: Sociolinguistics

Summer 2012 University of California, Santa Barbara, Teaching Associate/Instructor of Record

LING 132: Language, Gender, and Sexuality

Fall 2010-Spring 2011 Carpinteria High School, Graduate Teaching Fellow

SKILLS Program: Language in Society

Fall 2008-Spring 2010 San Francisco State University, Teaching Assistant

ENG 422: History of English

ENG 420: Introduction to Linguistics

PUBLICATIONS	
Book Chapters	
Submitted	VanderStouwe, Chris. Forthcoming. "The Penis." In Bucholtz, M. and K. Hall, eds. Parsing the Body: Language and the Social Life of Embodiment
Journal Articles	
Under Revision	VanderStouwe, Chris. "Straight-ish': Constrained Agency and the Linguistic Negotiation of Identity and Desire in Online Personal Advertisements among Men Seeking Men" <i>Gender and Language</i> .
Under Revision	VanderStouwe, Chris. "Managing Interactional Participation through Anchoring and Body Torque." <i>Gesture</i> .
2015	VanderStouwe, Chris. 2015. "Combating privilege, regulating language: The struggle to create and maintain university safe spaces." <i>Journal of Language and Sexuality</i> , 4(2). 272-287.
2014	Bucholtz, Mary, A. Lopez, A. Mojarro, E. Skapoulli, C. VanderStouwe, and S. Warner-Garcia. 2014. "Sociolinguistic Justice in the Schools: Student Researchers as Linguistic Experts." <i>Language and Linguistics Compass</i> , 8(4), 144-157.
2013	VanderStouwe, Chris. "Religious Victimization as Social Empowerment in Discrimination Narratives from California's Proposition 8 Campaign." <i>Journal of Language and Sexuality</i> , 2(2), 235-261.
2013	VanderStouwe, Chris. "The Linguistic Negotiation of Heterosexuality in the Same-Sex Marriage Movement." <i>Proceedings of the 37th Meeting of the Berkeley Linguistics Society.</i> 464-478.
Book Reviews	
2015	VanderStouwe, Chris. 2015. Book Review: <i>Public Discourses of Gay Men</i> , by Paul Baker. Gender and Language. 9(3). 489-492.
2013	VanderStouwe, Chris. Book Note: <i>Linguistic Variation and Change</i> , by Scott F. Kiesling. Language in Society, 42(3). 356-357.

Non-Academic

2009 "Prop 8 Hurt My Family: Ask Me How." Policy Report, Marriage Equality, USA.

January 2009.

2009 "We Will Never Go Back: Grassroots Input on California's No on 8 Proposition 8

Campaign." Policy Report, Marriage Equality, USA. January 2009.

INVITED TALKS AND COLLOQUIA

"Same Sex Attraction: Forging new sexual identities through linguistic negotiation of agency and its 2016 constraints" Brown Bag Talk, Gender Studies Program, September 20, 2016, Boise State University.

"Straight-ish': Contextualized Agency and the Linguistic Negotiation of Sexual Identity and Desire in Online Personal Advertisements among Men Seeking Men" Doctoral Colloquium, May 12, 2016, University of California, Santa Barbara.

"Straight-ish': Agency, Identity, and Desire in Online Personal Advertisements among Men Seeking Men" Williams Institute Research Meeting, May 11, 2016, Williams Institute, Los Angeles, CA.

2014 "T'm straight, but...': Balancing Conflicting Identities and Desires through Language, Time, and Space in Online Personal Advertisements" Sociolinguistics Symposium 20, June 15-18, 2014, Jyväskylä, Finland.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

"An alternative to an alternative': Constrained agency, same-sex attraction, and new sexual identities" 9th 2016 International Gender and Language Association Conference, May 19-21, 2016, Hong Kong. "Not Gay, SSA": Challenging and Constructing Ideological Constraints of Agency in New Sexual Identity Constructions" 23rd Annual Lavender Languages and Linguistics Conference, February 12-14, 2016, American University, Washington, DC.

- 2015 "If it walks like a duck and quacks like a duck, he's gay.": Ideological constraints on agency in discussions of TLC's "My Husband's Not Gay" 114th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, November 18-22, 2015, Denver, CO.
- 2014 "Discursively 'Straight': Commodification of Identity as a Social Resource in M4M Online Ads" 8th International Gender and Language Association Conference, Jun 5-7, 2014, Vancouver, Canada.
 - "The commodification of sexual identity: Being 'straight' as a social resource on Craigslist" 21st Annual Lavender Languages and Linguistics Conference, February 15-16, 2014, American University, Washington, DC.
- 2013 "Discourse and Materiality: Regulating Inclusive Language to Create Safe Spaces" 112th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, November 20-24, 2013, Chicago, IL.
 - "Inclusive Language and Safe Spaces: Challenging Normativities and Privilege through a Queer of Color Critique" New Directions in Sexuality Workshop, Mar 13, 2013, University of California, Santa Barbara.
 - "When Being 'Out' Isn't Enough: The Language of Queer Identities and Safe Spaces" 20th Annual Lavender Languages and Linguistics Conference, February 15-17, 2013, American University, Washington, DC.
- 2012 "Boundaries of Participation: Anchoring and Body Torque as Embodied Resources for Negotiating Multiple Interactional Engagements" 111th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, November 14-18, 2012, San Francisco, CA.
 - "Negotiating Interactional Participation through Anchoring and Body Torque" 18th Annual Conference on Language, Interaction, and Culture (CLIC), May 10-12, 2012, University of California, Los Angeles.
 - "'Ironically, they are both Mormon': The Narrative Construction of Religion and Discrimination in California's Proposition 8 Campaign" 19th Annual Lavender Languages and Linguistics Conference, February 10-12, 2012, American University, Washington, DC.
- 2011 "Victimization as Empowerment in Discrimination Narratives from California's Proposition 8

 Campaign" 110th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, November 16-20, 2011, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.
 - "Sociolinguistic Justice in the Schools: Student Researchers as Linguistic Experts" *Co-author (Primary author: Mary Bucholtz):* New Ways of Analyzing Variation Workshop (NWAV) 40, October 27-30, 2011, Georgetown University, Washington, DC.
- 2011 "The Linguistic Negotiation of Heterosexuality in the Same-Sex Marriage Movement" 37th Annual Meeting of the Berkeley Linguistics Society, February 12-13, 2011, University of California, Berkeley.
- 2010 "Identity Construction in Gay Male Coming-Out Stories" 17th Annual Lavender Languages and Linguistics Conference, April 16-17, 2010, American University, Washington, DC.
- 2009 "Restoring Tradition or Protecting Civil Rights: The Media's Discursive Role in the De-legitimization of Same-Sex Marriage through Coverage of Proposition 8" 16th Annual Lavender Languages and Linguistics Conference, February 13-15, 2009, American University, Washington DC.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

2016-present	Executive Board, Treasurer, Idaho Grassroots Organization
2016	Event Coordinator, State Senate Campaign Team, Miranda Gold for Idaho
2016	Invited Guest, Idaho Delegation, Democratic National Convention
2016	Idaho State Delegate, Democratic State Convention
2011-2013	Mentor/Teaching Fellow, SKILLS (School Kids Investigating Language in Life and Society)
	Academic Community Partnership
2008-2011	Policy Intern/Data Analyst, Marriage Equality, USA (MEUSA) Non-profit Organization

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE	
2016-present	Advisory Board, Gender Studies Program, Boise State University
2016-2017	Conference Planning Committee, Western Conference on Linguistics (WeCoL), Boise State
	University
2016	Session Chair, IGALA 9 Conference Panel: "Corpus Assisted Research"
2015	Organizer, Co-chair, AAA Conference Panel: "Constructing and Constraining: Considerations
	of Agency in Language, Gender, and Sexuality Research"
2015	Chair, Co-organizer, AAA Conference Panel: "Mediating Forces: Toward a Linguistic
	Anthropological Understanding of Constrained Agency"
2013-2014	Graduate Student Representative, UCSB Department of Linguistics
2013-2014	Organizing Committee, Panel Organizer, 21st Annual Lavender Languages and Linguistics
	Conference, American University, Washington, DC
2012-2013	Co-chair, 19th Annual Conference on Language, Interaction, and Social Organization (LISO)
2011-2013	Co-chair; LISO Graduate Student Organization
2011-2012	Chair, Student Representative; Vox California Graduate Student Organization
2012	Abstract Reviewer, 18th Annual Conference on Language, Interaction, and Culture (CLIC)
2012	Co-chair, co-organizer, AAA Conference Panel: "Bodies Crossing Boundaries: Negotiating
	Meaning through Discourse, Embodiment, and Materiality"
2012	Student Volunteer; 86th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America
2011	Co-chair, Co-organizer; AAA Conference Panel: "Speaking from the Margins"
2011-2012	Graduate Research Assistant; Center for California Languages and Cultures (CCALC), UC Santa
	Barbara. Advisor: Mary Bucholtz
2010-2011	Abstract Reviewer, Website Designer, Marketing Committee, Volunteer Coordinator; 17th Annual
	Conference on Language, Interaction, and Social Organization (LISO), UC Santa Barbara
2009	Student Volunteer; 83rd Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America

LANGUAGES SPOKEN/STUDIED

English (Native)

Spanish (5 years formal instruction; 1 year advanced linguistic instruction; Intermediate speaking/reading/writing skill)

Zulu (1 year structural study with native speaker)

Xhosa (1 year structural study with native speaker)

Dutch (beginning)

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