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## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2019 – present Assistant Professor in Sociology, Department of Sociology, California State University
- 2018 – 2019 Visiting Assistant Professor in Sociology, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Georgia Southern University

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## EDUCATION

- Ph.D.** 2018. University of Arizona, Sociology.
- M.A.** 2007. East Carolina University, Sociology
- M.A.** 2005. Vilnius University, Lithuania, Sociology
- B.A.** 2003. Vilnius University, Lithuania, Sociology

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## RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Social Psychology  
Gender  
Inequality  
Quantitative and Qualitative Methods  
Theory

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- 2019 **Abromaviciute, Jurgita**, Ryan Seebruck, and Bob Edwards. 2019. "Which Resources Matter for What Impacts? Resource Mobilization and Impacts of Local SMOs in Rural Lithuania, 2004–2006." *Sociological Spectrum*.
- 2013 Melamed, David and **Jurgita Abromaviciute**. 2013. "The Implications of Social Neuroscience for Expectation States Theories." *Sociology Compass*.

## In preparation for submission

**Abromaviciute, Jurgita**. "Deconstructing Bias: Marital Status Effects on the Motherhood Penalty and Fatherhood Bonus." [Under review at *Social Psychology Quarterly*. Submitted October 13, 2018]

**Abromaviciute, Jurgita.** “Gendered Differences in Balancing Strategies at Workplace among Single Mothers and Single Fathers”

Thompson-Dyck, Kendra and **Jurgita Abromaviciute.** “Gender, Perceived Parental Expectations, and Adolescent Expectations for Graduate and Advanced Degrees.”

### Research in planning stage

**Abromaviciute, Jurgita.** “Do Workplace Premiums and Penalties Persist in the Face of Oppositional Gender Stereotype Cues?”

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## GRANTS

- 2020 CSUSB Summer Research Stipend for the project, “Do Workplace Premiums and Penalties Persist in the Face of Oppositional Gender Stereotype Cues?” (\$6000)
- 2020 CSUSB Q2S Enhancing Pedagogy Stipend (\$1500)
- 2014 Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant, National Science Foundation, (Co-PI with Erin Leahey and Linda Molm) “Doctoral Dissertation Research: Deconstructing Bias: How Partnership Status Modifies the Motherhood Penalty and Fatherhood Bonus” (\$5,954, Award #1433931)
- 2015 Graduate and Professional Student Council Research Grant (\$800)

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## INVITED TALKS AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2020 **Jurgita Abromaviciute** “Gendered Differences in Balancing Strategies at Workplace among Single Mothers and Single Fathers.” To be presented at Gender Research and Social Science Meeting, California State University-San Bernardino.
- 2019 **Jurgita Abromaviciute** “Deconstructing Bias: Marital Status Effects on the Motherhood Penalty and Fatherhood Bonus.” Invited guest speaker and discussant at the “Motherhood Penalty Workshop”, the Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw, Poland. May 17, 2019
- 2018 **Jurgita Abromaviciute** “Deconstructing Bias: Marital Status Effects on the Motherhood Penalty and Fatherhood Bonus.” Presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association in Philadelphia, PA.
- 2017 **Jurgita Abromaviciute** “Deconstructing Bias: Marital Status Effects on the Motherhood Penalty and Fatherhood Bonus.” Invited Colloquium Speaker, School of Sociology, The University of Arizona
- 2015 “Grants and Project Management”, Academic and Mentoring Support Initiative, University of Arizona, Invited Speaker

- 2015 Kendra Thompson-Dyck and **Jurgita Abromaviciute** “Path to Aspiration: Homophily Effects of Parental Educational Achievement and Second- Order Expectations on Students’ Educational Goals.” Presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association in Chicago, IL
- 2010 **Jurgita Abromaviciute** and Bob Edwards “Do Resources Really Matter? Resource Mobilization and the Local Impacts of Rural SMOs in Lithuania.” Presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association in Atlanta, Georgia
- 2007 Bob Edwards, Maria Dillard, Arunas Juska, **Jurgita Abromaviciute** and Vaiva Kriskute “Female Leadership and Local Social Movement Organization Impacts in Rural Lithuania.” Presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, New York City
- 2006 Bob Edwards, Maria Dillard, Arunas Juska, **Jurgita Abromaviciute** “The Rural Community Movement in Lithuania: Gender Based Differences in Leadership and the Issues, Activities, and Impacts of Local NGO’s.” Presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Montreal, Quebec, Canada

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#### **MEDIA COVERAGE OF RESEARCH (SELECTED)**

- Sonja Haller. “Good News for Single Moms: You’re Less Likely to Encounter the Motherhood Wage Penalty.” *USA Today*. August 23, 2018
- Alexis Blue. “Workplace Bias Differs for Single Versus Married Parents.” *UA News*. August 22, 2018
- Mathew Kling. “UA Research Finds Single Parents Treated Differently at Work” *KJZZ* (NPR member station), August 14, 2018

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#### **HONORS, AWARDS**

- 2017 Winner of the 2017 *Raymond V. Bowers Award* for excellence in graduate student research: “Deconstructing Bias: Partnership Status Effects on the Motherhood Penalty and Fatherhood Bonus.”
- 2007 *John R & Ruth Maiolo Award* for Academic Excellence, East Carolina University
- 2007 Winner of the 2007 *Melvin J. Williams Award* for best graduate student paper Contest, East Carolina University

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#### **RESEARCH APPRENTICESHIPS AND TRAINING**

- 2018 Conducting Survey, Lab, and Field Experiments in Social Sciences, Arizona Methods Workshop

- 2015            Qualitative Data Analysis Workshop, Arizona Methods Workshop
- 2009-2010      Graduate Research Assistant under the direction of Linda Molm,  
University of Arizona, School of Sociology.
- Duties: Conducting social interaction laboratory experiments,  
managing laboratory, participating in weekly strategy and review  
meeting.
- 2005-2007      Graduate Research Assistant under the direction of Bob Edwards, East Carolina  
University, Department of Sociology
- Duties: Selecting the sample, translating survey from English to Lithuanian,  
administering mail survey, entering data, running preliminary analyses.
- 2004            Graduate Research Assistant under Arunas Juska, Vilnius University,  
Department of Sociology.
- Duties: analyzing relevant policy documents, writing reports and summaries  
pertaining to agricultural reforms in Lithuania.
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## **TEACHING**

### **Assistant Professor, California State University-San Bernardino**

Social Research I and Social Research II (in class and online)  
Social Psychology (online)  
Sociology of Gender (online)

### **Instructor, Georgia Southern University-Armstrong Campus**

Introduction to Sociology (in class)  
Global Sociology (in class)  
Self and Society (hybrid mode – in class and online)

### **Instructor, University of Arizona**

Introduction to Sociology (in class and online)  
Individuals, Groups, and Society (in class and online)  
Social Network Analysis (online)  
Quantitative Reasoning in Sociology (in class)  
Sources of Sociological Theory (in class)

### **Instructor, Arkansas State University**

Sociology of Gender (online)

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## SERVICE

### Professional

Presider (2015): Social Psychology Roundtable Session, American Sociological Association Chicago, IL

### Reviewer:

Abramson, Corey M. and Neil Gong. Under Contract. *Beyond the Case: Competing Logics and Practices of Comparative Ethnography*. New York, NY: Oxford University Press  
*American Journal of Sociology*  
*Social Justice Research*

### Departmental and University

Executive Committee, Graduate Student Representative (2014-2015), School of Sociology, University of Arizona

Alpha Kappa Delta Honors Society – Chapter Vice President (2006-2007), Department of Sociology, East Carolina University

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## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association (section memberships: Family; Sex and Gender; Social Psychology)

Phi Beta Delta International Society

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## PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES

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University of Arizona  
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