

# CARA KNAUB SNYDER

## Curriculum Vitae

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The Department of Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies  
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### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

**University of Louisville**, Louisville, Kentucky, August 2020 – Present  
Assistant Professor of Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies  
Affiliate in Latin American and Latino Studies

**University of Maryland**, College Park, Maryland, August 2019 – June 2020  
Postdoctoral Associate, Latin American and Caribbean Studies Center  
Graduate Success Adviser, The Graduate School

### EDUCATION

- Ph.D. University of Maryland, College Park, July 2019  
The Harriet Tubman Department of Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies  
Certificate in Digital Studies  
Certificate in Teaching and Learning, Practitioner Level
- M.A. University of Maryland, College Park, May 2016  
The Harriet Tubman Department of Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
- B.A. Agnes Scott College, Decatur, USA, 2009  
Center for Global Leadership & Institute for Cultural Diplomacy, Berlin, Germany, 2009  
Universidad del Salvador, Buenos Aires, Argentina, 2007 – 2008  
Global Awareness Studies in India, 2006 - 2007  
Majors: Economics and International Relations; Regional Focus, Latin America  
Minor: Spanish  
Graduated *Magna Cum Laude*

### WORKS PUBLISHED

- 2022 Snyder, Cara K., and Sabrina González. "From Embodied to Spectral: Teaching Transnational Feminisms in Times of Protest and Precarity." In *Navigating Precarity in Educational Contexts: Reflection, Pedagogy, and Activism for Change*, edited by Karen Monkman, Ann Frkovich, and Amira Proweller. New York, NY: Routledge.

- 2021 Snyder, C. K. "Sporting Transnational Feminisms: Gender, Nation and Women's Athletic Migrations between Brazil and the United States." In A. Tambe & M. Thayer (Eds.), *Transnational Feminist Itineraries: Situating Theory and Activist Practice* (pp. 193–206). Duke University Press.
- 2021 Snyder, C. K., & González, S. "Towards A Pedagogy of Transnational Feminism When Teaching and Activism Go Online." *Radical Teacher*, 121, 66-76.  
<https://doi.org/10.5195/rt.2021.857>
- 2019 Snyder, Cara, and Cristina Scheibe Wolff. "The Perfect Misogynist Storm & The Electromagnetic Shape of Feminism: Weathering Brazil's Political Crisis." *International Journal of Women's Studies*, 20(8), 87-109.
- 2018 "The Soccer Tournament as Beauty Pageant: Eugenic Logics in Brazilian Women's Futebol Feminino." *WSQ: Women's Studies Quarterly* 46, no. 1 (2018): 181-198
- 2018 Snyder, Cara, Cristina Schiebe Wolff, and Ana Maria Veiga. "[America Latina Vai Ser Toda Feminista: Visualizing & Realizing Transnational Feminisms in the Women's Worlds March for Rights.](#)" *Ada: A Journal of Gender, New Media and Technology*. 10.5399/uo/ada.2018.14.2
- 2018 "Late 20th Century Feminist Movements in the United States: Women's Bodies in Contention." *Gender: Identity and Social Change* © 2018 Adam Matthew Digital Ltd.
- 2017 "Street Corner Secrets by Svati P. Shah." Rev. of *Street Corner Secrets: Sex, Work and Migration in the City of Mumbai*. Society and Space (2017).Web:  
<http://societyandspace.org/2017/05/23/street-corner-secrets-by-svati-p-shah/>

***Accepted, Forthcoming***

- 2023 "Exposing Fascism: The Rise of *Bolsonarismo* and the Naked Politics of Brazil's First Trans Men's Football Team." In *The Latin American Research Review (LARR)*.
- 2023 Snyder, Cara K. "Navigating Online Misogyny: Strategies, Methods, and Debates in Digital Feminism". *Feminist Studies*
- 2023 Snyder, CK and González, S. "Performance, Protest, and Feminism in Latin America: A Syllabus". *Performance Matters*

***Accepted Pending Revisions***

- "The MBB Manifesto: It was never just *Futebol*" ("O Manifesto MBB: Nunca foi só futebol" In *TSQ: The Sport Issue*.

“Locker Room Politics and the Rise of the Right in Brazil.” In *Sport, Sex, and Difference: The Struggle for Trans Athletes’ Justice in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*, published by Emerald Press.

### ***Under Review***

“Trans(form)ing Brazilian Futebol in Populist Times”. In *The Journal of Sport History*.

### **Web-Based Publications**

2018 Consultant Editor for the digital resource *Gender: Identity and Social Change*, Adam Matthew Digital.

2017 [“The \(Im\)Possibilities of Sanctuary and the Politics of Language.”](#) In *El Terrapino* (2017): 20 - 22

### **AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

Jon Rieger Seed Grant (PI), Project Title: “Homing In: Community Engaged Research on LGBTQ+ Youth Houselessness in Louisville, Kentucky”, *August 2022 – August 2023*

[Digital Ethnic Futures Consortium](#), Mellon Teaching Fellow, *February 2022 – September 2022*

UofL Commonwealth Center for the Humanities Fellow, *August 2021 – May 2022*

Cooperative Consortium for Transdisciplinary Social Justice Research Grant (PI), *January 2021*

UMD Office of Diversity and Inclusion Grant, *August 2019 – December 2019*

FARE Network Grant, #footballpeopleweek, *October 2019*

Northwestern Performance Studies Institute, Transnational Feminisms, *July 2019*

UMD College of Arts and Humanities Dissertation Completion Fellowship, *2018 - 2019*

International Graduate Student Fellowship, UMD & Universidade Estadual de Campinas (UNICAMP), Núcleo de Gênero- PAGU, *July 2018 – August 2018*

UMD Latin American Studies Center Graduate Residency, *January 2018 – August 2018*

UMD Latin American Studies Center Conference Award, *November 2017*

Graduate School Summer Research Fellowship, *July 2017 – August 2017*

UMD Department of English Research Fellowship, “Coding the Lusophone Transnational Black Press,” *May - August 2016*

College of Arts and Humanities Graduate Student Travel Award, *July 2017 – August 2017*

Goldhaber Travel Award, *July 2017 – August 2017*

International Conference Student Support Award, *July 2017 – August 2017*

UMD Dean's Fellow, *August 2015 – May 2016*

UMD Latin American Studies Center LASA Grant, *May 2016*

Fulbright Fellow, Petrolina, Brazil *2011 – 2013*

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

### **Conferences/Symposia Organized**

“Spring 2022 Auerbach Lecture in Digital Feminisms” with Dr. Kishonna Gray  
2022 Minx Auerbach Lecture in Women's, Gender & Sexuality Studies, University of Louisville. *May 22, 2022.*

“Dear White Feminists” with Rafia Zakaria  
2022 Minx Auerbach Lecture in Women's, Gender & Sexuality Studies, University of Louisville.  
*March 8, 2022.*

“*All Eyes on Louisville: Department of Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies 2020 Fall Social Justice Speaker Series*”  
University of Louisville. *Spring 2021 & Fall 2020*

Including:

“Race, Class, and Gender in and Through Sport”. *March 25, 2021.*

“How Racism Affects Health and Public Health Outcomes”. *March 4, 2021.*

“Anti-Racist Practices in Corporate Settings”. *February 11, 2021.*

“Out of the Classroom and Into The Streets: Activism & Education's Relationship To/With One Another”. *October 29, 2020.*

“Imagining Our Way to Freedom: Art, Activism, and Worldmaking”. *November 5, 2020.*

“All Of Us Or None Of Us: Connecting the Dots Between BLM in Louisville and the Americas”. *November 12, 2020.*

“No Justice, No Peace: Exploring Breonna's Law, Transformative Justice, and Defunding Police”. *November 19, 2020.*

“Queer/Cuir Americas”  
Latin American Studies Center. University of Maryland, College Park. *May 3, 2018.*

“Making Interventions”  
3<sup>rd</sup> Biennial Women’s Studies Graduate Student Conference, University of Maryland, College Park.  
*October 13, 2017.*

“Sanctuary, Refuge, Oasis”  
Latin American Studies Center, University of Maryland, College Park. *May 4-5, 2017.*

“Hybridity: Examining Processes of Circulation, Collaboration and Conflict”  
Latin American Studies Center, University of Maryland, College Park. *May 5-6, 2016.*

“Interventions: Women’s Studies in Action”  
2<sup>nd</sup> Biennial Women’s Studies Graduate Student Conference, University of Maryland, College Park.  
*October 24, 2015*

### **Papers Presented**

“Fascism and the Visibility Dilemmas of Women and LGBT+ *Futebolistas* in Brazil, 1920s – Today”  
Latin American Studies Conference, Virtual. *May 6, 2022.*

“Teaching in a Global Classroom: Transnational Pedagogical Collaborations between Argentina and the U.S.”  
Latin American Studies Conference, Virtual. *May 6, 2022.*

“Homing In: A Workshop for Engaged Research on Home and Family”  
Commonwealth Center for the Humanities in Society, Engaged Scholarship Fellows Conference,  
UofL. *Thursday, March 31, 2022.*

“Transnational Feminist Itineraries”  
National Women’s Studies Association, Virtual. *November 19, 2021.*

“The Poetics, Politics, and Praxis of Women’s Athletic Migrations Between Brazil and the United States”  
National Women’s Studies Association, Virtual. *November 19, 2021.*

“*La Pareja Pedagógica*: Co-Teaching Transnational Feminisms”  
Latin American Studies Association Conference, Virtual. *May 29, 2021.*

“How to Get Naked in Fascist Brazil”  
Latin American Studies Association Conference, Virtual. *May 28, 2021.*

“Trans(form)ing Futebol and the Dilemmas of Visibility”  
Latin American Studies Association Conference, Boston. *May 24-27, 2019.*

“Futebol é coisa para qual tipo de macho?: Performing Futebol’s Queer Masculinities”  
Latin American Studies Association Conference, Boston. *May 24-27, 2019.*

“De la tesis al libro: sobre la publicación y otros desafíos del inicio de la carrera profesional”  
Latin American Studies Association Conference, Boston. *May 24-27, 2019.*

“Fielding *Futebol* and the Echoes of Morality in the Brazilian LiGay”  
History Graduate Student Association Conference, University of Maryland, College Park. *March 29, 2019*

“Artivism and the Epistemologies of Bodies: Ways of Knowing and Creating Change”  
Fearless Teaching 24<sup>th</sup> annual Innovations in Teaching and Learning Conference, University of Maryland, College Park. *May 11, 2018.*

“Enacting Transnational Solidarities: Reflections on the 2017 Women’s Worlds Conference and Afro-Brazilian Feminisms”  
National Women’s Studies Association Conference, Baltimore. *November 19, 2018*

“From the Margins to the Mainstream: Space and the Whitening of Brazilian Futebol Feminism”  
Race In The Americas (RITA) Conference at Penn State. *November 3, 2017.*

“Homo(trans)nacionalismo?: Gênero, Nação e Corpos Atlético Queer”  
13th Women’s Worlds Conference / 11th Fazendo Genero, Florianopolis, Brazil. *July 24, 2017.*

“Refugios Queer: Sissi do Amor, las Economías Políticas de Soccer y Lugares de Santuario”  
Latin American Studies Center, University of Maryland, College Park. *May 4-5, 2017*

“The ‘Solution’ to Women’s Soccer: What the 2001 Paulistana Says about Gender, Modernity and Nationhood in 21<sup>st</sup> Century Brazil”  
Latin American Studies Association Conference, New York City, New York. *May 27 – 30, 2016.*

“It Takes a Village: Multivocality in an Innovative Study Program in Brazil”  
XIII Brazilian Studies Association Conference, Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island. *March 31 - April 2, 2016.*

“Woman, Worker, Footballer: The Inseparable Intersections of the 2001 Paulistana”  
The 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Physical Cultural Studies Graduate Student Conference. University of Maryland, College Park. *March 4, 2016.*

“O Rugby Como Conteúdo De Lazer, Feminismo E Competitividade No IF-Sertão - PE.”  
Junior, Bartolomeu Lins De Barros, Cara K. Snyder, Filipe Dimon Nascimento Lima, and Jose Pestana De Auiar D Agorreta D Alpuim.  
IV Congress of History and Sport: Sport and Sexuality. Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Lisbon, Portugal. *28-29 May, 2015*

### **INVITED TALKS**

“Exposing Fascism: The Rise of *Bolsonarismo* and the Naked Politics of Brazil’s First Trans Men’s Football Team”  
North American Society for Sport History 2022 Pre-Conference Workshop on Populism, Sport, and Rightwing Politics. *May 25, 2022.*

“Faculty Careers In and Beyond the Research University”

Doctoral Career Pathway Conference, University of Maryland, May 2, 2022.

“A COVID-Era Imperative: Expanding the ‘Community’ in Community-Engaged Research”  
Keynote Panelist, 2022 Engaged Scholarship Symposium on *Community Engagement in the Era of COVID-19*. March 25, 2022.

“*Killing Us Softly* on UNA-USA International Women’s Day”  
United Nations Association-USA, UofL. March 7, 2022.

“7 *Semanas* (7 Weeks) and Feminist Responses to Compulsory Motherhood”  
Latin American Film Festival, UofL. October 14, 2021.

“View From Beyond Europe: Trans Inclusion in Latin America”.  
Football v Homophobia, FARE Network, UK (Virtual). February 25, 2021.

“First Year Experiences with Grad Terp Alumni”.  
The Graduate School, University of Maryland. January 21, 2021.

“Conversations on Athlete Activism”  
Student-Athlete Advisory Committee, Agnes Scott College. November 10, 2020.

“Race, Gender, and Sexuality in the *País de Futebol*.”  
The Center for Latin and Caribbean Studies, Rollins College. February 18, 2019.

“*Meninos Bons de Bola* Between Whitewashing and Pinkwashing.”  
Latin American Studies Center, Graduate Residents’ Talk. October 18, 2018.

“Feminizing Futebol: Eugenic Logics in Brazilian Women’s Soccer.”  
Consortium on Race, Gender and Ethnicity “Challenging Race/Ethnicity in Institutional Cultures”.  
October 12, 2017.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

### **Inside-Outside Prison Exchange Training**

*Summer 2021*

### **University of Louisville, Kentucky**

#### Instructor of Record:

WGST 591 (Independent Study): Feminist Game Studies, *Spring 2022*

WGST 698 (Graduate): Master’s Project, *Fall 2021 & Spring 2022*

WGST391 | PAS300 | POLS399 | LALS321 | SCHG302 | SOC350: Online and In The Streets:  
Feminist Protest in Latin America, *Spring 2022*

WGST 202: Seeing Gender: An Introduction to Gender in Visual Studies, *Spring 2022*

WGST 401: Community Internship, *Spring 2022*

WGST 204: The Digital Get Down: Identity and the Internet, *Fall 2021*

WGST 202 (Distance Education): Seeing Gender, *Spring 2021*

WGST 692 (Hybrid, Graduate): Feminist, Queer, and Trans Approaches to Sport, *Spring 2021*

WGST 690 (Independent Study, Graduate): Feminist Digital Methods, *Spring 2021*  
WGST391 | PAS300 | POLS399 | LALS321 | SCHG302 | SOC350 (Online): Online and In The Streets: Feminist Protest in Latin America, *Winter 2020-2021*  
WGST 691 (Hybrid, Graduate): Transnational Feminism in Theory and Praxis, *Fall 2020*

## **University of Maryland, College Park**

### Co-Taught:

LASC348 / WGST / HIST (On-Line): Women's Struggles for Justice in Latin America and the Caribbean, *Summer 2020*

### Instructor of Record:

LASC/SPAN 235: Issues in Latin America II: Social Movements and Migration, *Spring 2020*  
LASC 486: Internship in Latin American Studies, *Fall 2019 & Spring 2020*  
LASC 458: Senior Capstone Course in Latin American Studies, *Fall 2019*  
WMST 250 (On-Line): Women, Art, and Culture (one 16-student section), *Summer 2018*  
WMST 250: Women, Art, and Culture (one, 25-student section), *Spring 2018*  
WMST 250: Women, Art, and Culture (two, 25-student sections), *Fall 2017*  
WMST 250: Women, Art, and Culture (two, 25-student sections), *Spring 2017*  
WMST 250: Women, Art, and Culture (one, 25-student section), *Fall 2016*

### Teaching Assistant:

LGBT 258 (On-Line): Queer and Trans Politics Here and Now, *Summer 2019*  
WMST 298i: Women's Bodies in Contention, *Fall 2015 & Spring 2016*

### Graduate Mentor:

LASC 458: Graduate-Undergraduate Capstone Mentorship Program, *Fall 2018*

### Study Abroad and Service Learning:

International Education Short Term Study Abroad, Co-Creator and Organizer:  
"Women's Movements in Argentina". *Planned for May 2020 – June 2020, cancelled due to COVID 19*

Alternative Breaks Baltimore Faculty/Staff Adviser, Center for Campus Life Leadership:  
"Affordable Housing." *August 2016- March 2017*

Alternative Breaks Guatemala Faculty/Staff Adviser, Center for Campus Life Leadership:  
"Sustainable Community Development." *October 2015- January 2016*

## **School for International Training (S.I.T)**

### Study Abroad and Service Learning:

The Experiment in International Living, The Netherlands: "Gender and Human Rights in the Netherlands." *June 2016 – July 2016*

## **Universidade Federal do Vale do São Francisco, Campus Juazeiro & Campus Petrolina, Brasil**

*(The Federal University of the San Francisco Valley, Juazeiro Campus & Petrolina Campus)*



**Instituto Federal de Educação, Ciência e Tecnologia do Sertão Pernambucano,  
Campus Petrolina, Brasil**

*(Federal Institute of Education, Science and Technology of the Pernambucan Hinterland, Petrolina Campus)*

Instructor of Record:

*Fall 2011 – Summer 2013*

**STUDENT MENTORSHIP**

M.A. Adviser:

Kennedy Selby M.A. WGSS Spring 2022

Ph.D. and M.A. Committees:

Aneri Taskar Ph.D. Candidate in Urban Affairs (ongoing); Ben Harlan M.A. in Anthropology (ongoing); Ashley Carroll, M.A. in WGSS (ongoing)

External Committee Member:

Tobin Blijker RMA in Gender Studies from Utrecht University (The Netherlands), Fall 2022; Luisa Turbino Torres Ph.D. in Political Science from the University of Delaware, Summer 2022; Mia Manney Honor's Thesis from DePauw University Spring 2021

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Service to the University (UofL)

1. Departmental

Organizer for Minx Auerbach Annual Lecture, WGSS, 2021- 2022

Graduate Admissions Committee Member, WGSS, 2021-2022

Search Committee for Tenure-Track Line, Pan-African Studies & WGSS, 2021

Search Committee for Term Faculty, WGSS, 2021

Search Committee for Part-Time Lecturer, WGSS, 2021

Personnel Committee, WGSS, 2021

Maddox Prize, WGSS, 2021-2022

June Jordan Prize, WGSS 2021

2. College of Arts & Sciences

Member of the Digital Studies Faculty Working Group, 2020 – *present*

3. University Wide

Faculty Adviser for the Feminist Social Justice Leadership Living Learning Community, WGSS and Student Life, 2021-2022

Community-Based Learning Sustainability Group, 2021-*present*

Planning Committee for the Engaged Scholarship Symposium, Office of Community Engagement, 2021-2022

Creator and Organizer for lecture series *All Eyes on Louisville* (8 panel sessions, 25 speakers), 2020-2021

Service to the University (UMD)

Creator, Dissertation Success Program, UMD, *August 2019 – May 2020*

Graduate Student Representative, WMST Committee to the Whole, 2018 – 2019

Graduate Student Representative on Search Committee for LGBTQ Assistant Professorship, UMD, *August 2016- December 2016*  
Planning Committee for LASC Conferences, UMD, *March – May 2016 & 2017*  
Planning Committee for WMST Grad Student Association Conferences, UMD, *March – October 2015 & 2017*

#### Service to the Profession

Graduate Student Section of the Latin American Studies Association, Founding Member and Executive Board Member, *May 2016 – May 2019*

Reviewer for: *Estudos Feministas, Journal of Lesbian Studies, Feminist Theory, Feminist Media Studies*

#### Service to the Community

Volunteer at La Casita, *2021 – present*

Volunteer translator (Spanish-English) for Jefferson County elections, *2020 - present*

### **LANGUAGES**

Portuguese: advanced speaking, reading, and writing

Spanish: advanced speaking, reading, and writing

French: basic speaking, reading, and writing

HTML: basic coding

JavaScript: basic coding

### **OTHER RELEVANT EMPLOYMENT AND EXPERIENCE**

University of Maryland, College Park

Graduate Assistant, Center for East Asian Studies, *August 2014-August 2015*

Agnes Scott College, Decatur, GA

Domestic and International Admission Counselor, *July 2013-July 2014*

Regional English Language Office (RELO), São Paulo, Brazil

English Language Consultant for Train the Trainers Materials Project, *March 2013- June 2013*

Universidade Federal do Vale do São Francisco (UNIVASF), Petrolina and Juazeiro, Brazil

Professor and Assistant to the Director of International Relations, UNIVASF Office of Integration  
*February 2012- March 2013*

Instituto Federal de Ciência e Tecnologia, Sertão Pernambucano (IF-Sertão)

Fullbright English Teacher, *February 2011-February 2012*

The Carter Center, Atlanta, GA

Project Coordinator, The Americas Program, *June 2009-January 2010*

### **REFERENCES**

Available upon request

