

## *Curriculum Vitae*

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Professor  
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### **Education**

Ph.D.            The University of Texas at Austin, Sociology, 1998  
M.A.            The University of Texas at Austin, Sociology, 1995  
B.S.            Clarkson University, Engineering Management, 1986  
B.S.            SUNY Cortland, Physics, 1985

### **Books Published**

Orrange, Robert M. 2020. *The Corporate State: Technopoly, Privatization, and Corporate Predation*. New York: Routledge.

Orrange, Robert M. 2012. *Social Structure: Organizations & Institutions*. New York: Facts on File.

Orrange, Robert M. 2007. *Work, Family, and Leisure: Uncertainty in a Risk Society*. Boulder: Rowman & Littlefield.

### **Articles/Book Chapters Published**

- Orrange, Robert M. 2017. "Complex Organizations and Work," Pp. 226-235 in *The Cambridge Handbook of Sociology*, Volume 1, edited by Kathleen Odell Korgen. New York: Cambridge.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2012. "All Roads Lead to Hearth and Home: How Young Professional Men Envision the Work, Leisure, and Community Nexus," Pp. 139-157 in *Men's Wage and Family*, edited by Paula McDonald and Emma Jeanes. New York: Routledge.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2003. "The Emerging Mutable Self: Gender Dynamics and Creative Adaptations in Defining Work, Family and the Future." *Social Forces* 82: 1-34.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2003. "Individualism, Family Values and the Professional Middle Class: In-Depth Interviews with advanced Law and MBA students." *The Sociological Quarterly* 44 (3).
- Orrange, Robert M., Francille Firebaugh and Ramona K. Z. Heck. 2003. "Managing Households." Pp. 153-167, in *It's About Time: Couples and Careers*, edited by Phyllis Moen. Ithaca: Cornell University Press.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2002. "Aspiring Law and Business Professionals' Orientations to Work and Family Life." *Journal of Family Issues* 23: 287-317.
- Moen, Phyllis, and Robert M. Orrange. 2002. "Careers and Lives: Socialization, Structural Lag and Gendered Ambivalence." Pp. 231-60 in *New Frontiers in Socialization*. Vol 7, edited by Richard A. Settersten, Jr. and Timothy J. Owens. London: Elsevier Science.

### **Papers Presented**

- Orrange, Robert M. 2020. "Societal Constitutionalism, Professionals, and Human Rights: A Partial Remedy for what Ails the Corporate State?" Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association (virtual).
- Orrange, Robert M. 2020. "Exploring the Rise of Big Tech in the Context of the Reagan Revolution: A Climate Change Analogy." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, Philadelphia.

- Orrange, Robert M. 2019. "Autobiography and Organization: Theoretical/Methodological Rationale." Paper presented at the Michigan Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Wayne State University, Detroit.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2019. "Experiencing Weber before Reading Weber: Life as a Corporate Manager." Paper presented at the Michigan Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Wayne State University, Detroit.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2019. "Teaching Tech: The Janus-Faced Corporation." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, Chicago.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2019. "Teaching Tech: Phishing for Phools." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, Chicago.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2015. "System-Lifeworld and the Lifecourse: The Problem of (Asymmetric) Knowledge). Paper presented at the 9<sup>th</sup> Biennial Meeting of the Society for the Study of Human Development, Austin.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2011. "Three Dimensions of Risk Society and Their Organizational Implications." Paper accepted for presentation (but not presented) at The Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Las Vegas.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2010. "The Missing Organizational Dimensions of Risk Society," Paper presented at The Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2010. "The Power Elite and the Organizational Environment." Paper presented at The Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, Chicago.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2010. "Routinization and the Symbolic Analyst/Knowledge Worker." Paper presented at The Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, Chicago.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2007. "Why Future Professionals Envision Home and Work as Separate Worlds: Insights from a Pragmatist-Weberian Approach to Organizations." Paper presented at The Annual Meeting of The American Sociological Association, New York, August 10-14.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2007. "Middle-Class Privatism and the Looming Threat of Risk Society." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, Chicago, April 4-7.

- Orrange, Robert M. 2006. "Managing Leisure and Consumption within Middle-Class Families," Paper presented at Studying Everyday Life: Symbolic Interaction & Ethnographic Research Conference, Niagara Falls, May 16-18.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2002. "The Relationship between Work and Leisure in the Aspirations of Law and MBA Students." Paper presented at the American Sociological Association's Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2000. "Linking the Definition of the Situation with the Study of the Future: A Case Study Focusing on Work, Leisure, and Family." Paper presented at the American Sociological Association's Annual Meeting, Washington DC.
- Orrange, Robert M., Francille M. Firebaugh, and Ramona K.Z. Heck. 2000. "Managing Family Life: Implications for Success at Home, Work, and Balancing Both." Paper presented at the American Sociological Association's Annual Meeting, Washington DC.
- Orrange, Robert M. 2000. "A Future of Work, Family and Privatism: Evidence from Interviews with Professionals Transitioning to Work and Dual-Earner Couples." Paper presented at "Work and Family: Expanding the Horizons," a Conference Sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's Foundation and the Center for Working Families at the University of California, Berkeley.
- Orrange, Robert M. 1999. "Work, Family, and Meaning: Thoughts of Professionals Transitioning to Work." Paper presented at the American Psychological Association's Annual Meeting, Boston.
- Orrange, Robert M. 1999. "Aspiring Law and Business Professionals' Orientations to Work and Family Life." Paper presented at the American Sociological Association's Annual Meeting, Chicago.
- Orrange, Robert M. 1999. "Anticipating Work and Family Life: Analysis of In-Depth Interviews with Advanced Professional School Students." Paper presented at the Sloan Working Family Centers' Symposium, University of Chicago.
- Orrange, Robert M. 1999. "Confronting Complexity: Defining One's Life Plans for Work, Family and Leisure." Paper presented at the Southwestern Social Science Association's Annual Meeting, San Antonio.
- Orrange, Robert M. 1999. "Reflective Biographies and the Problem of the Future: Insights from Interviews with Law and MBA Students about their Work-Life Balance." Bronfenbrenner Life Course Center, Spring Colloquia, Cornell University.

Orrange, Robert M. 1998. "Defining the Future Amidst Social Change: The Case of Professionals." Paper presented at the Southwestern Social Science Association's Annual Meeting, Corpus Christi.

Orrange, Robert M. 1996. "Youth and Materialist Values in the 1980s." Paper presented at the Southwestern Social Science Association's Annual Meeting, Corpus Christi.

### **Working Papers Published Through Cornell's Bronfenbrenner Life Course Center**

Orrange, Robert M. 1999. "Women as Household Managers in Dual-Earner Couples." *BLCC Working Paper #99-05*.

Orrange, Robert M. 1999. "Work, Family and Meaning in Life: Thoughts of Professionals Transitioning to work." *BLCC Working Paper #99-16*.

Orrange, Robert M. 1999. "Anticipating Work and Family Life: The Case of Advanced Law and MBA Students." *BLCC Working Paper #99-17*.

Orrange, Robert M. 1999. "Self, Reflectivity and the Life Course: Making Adaptations for Work and Family Life." *BLCC Working Paper #99-19*.

### **Ph.D. Dissertation**

"Defining One's Life Plans for Work, Family, and Leisure: The Case of Law and MBA Students."

Supervised by Gideon Sjoberg.

The University of Texas at Austin, Sociology, 1998

### **M.A. Thesis**

"Youth and Materialist Values in the 1980s: Recent Changes and Long-Term Trends." Supervised by Norval D. Glenn.

The University of Texas at Austin, 1995

### **Areas of Specialization**

Work and Organizations

Sociological Theory  
Family and the Life Course  
Social Psychology

**Postgraduate Experience**

Fall 2000 to Summer 2001	Adjunct Faculty Department of Sociology and Anthropology LeMoyne College Syracuse, New York
Fall 2000	Visiting Assistant Professor Department of Sociology and Anthropology State University of New York at Oswego Oswego, New York
1998-2000	Postdoctoral Associate Cornell Employment and Family Careers Institute Cornell University, Ithaca, New York.

**Professional Experience: Academic Teaching at Eastern Michigan University**

2001-19	“Introductory Sociology”
2001-04	“Methods of Social Research”
2002-06	“Industrial Sociology/Sociology of the Workplace”
2003-04	“Marriage and Family”
2004-21	“Modern Sociological Theory”
2008-21	“Advanced Sociological Theory” [Graduate]
2004-06	“Individuals and Organizations” [Graduate]
2010-22	“Complex Organizations”
2016-22	“Law and Society”