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Vita

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Academic History:

Ph.D. - May, 1990. Sociology

Texas A&M University, College Station

M.S. - January, 1976. Organizational Behavior: School of Industrial and Labor Relations

Cornell University, Ithaca, New York

B.A. - June, 1959. Psychology

Bridgewater College, Bridgewater, Virginia

Teaching Certifications (Texas) - 1980

High School - Social Science/Psychology/Sociology

Elementary

Continuing Education for Marriage and Family

Creating a Masterpiece Marriage: Weekend conference.

Texas Council of Better Marriages Weekend (ACME)

June 8-10, 2012, San Antonio, Texas

Building the Network - Strategies for Healthy Marriages in Texas: 6 hours continuing education

Texas Council of the Association for Couples in Marriage Enrichment (ACME)

June 6, 2008. Austin, Texas

Better Marriages for a Better World.

IMEC 2004: The Fifth ACME International Marriage Enrichment Conference

July 8-10, 2004. Fort Worth, Texas

How Does Your Garden Grow: Cultivating our Marriage Gardens.

Texas Council of the Association for Couples in Marriage Enrichment

June 6-8, 2003. Austin, Texas

PREPARE/ENRICH Initial Training One-Day Seminar: 6 hr. professional educational seminar

June 6, 2003. Austin, Texas

What Is the Future of Marriage?

National Council on Family Relations, 65th Annual conference.

Nov. 19-22, 2003. Vancouver, British Columbia

Families Over the Life Course.

National Council on Family Relations, 64th Annual conference.

Nov. 21-24, 2002. Houston, Texas

Marriage Encounter-United Methodist. A spiritual work weekend for couples.

April 26-28, 2002. San Antonio, Texas

Doctoral Dissertation: 1990. *The Influence of Societal and Family Interactions on Perceptions of Marital and Family Satisfaction.*

- Texas A&M University, College Station

Master's Thesis: 1976 *The Woman Volunteer Worker: A Survey* - Cornell University

Professional Work History

- 2001-2002: Adjunct Professor of Sociology
University of the Incarnate Word, San Antonio, Texas
- 1998-2001: Adjunct Professor of Sociology
University of Texas at San Antonio
- 1991-1998: Assistant Professor of Sociology
Texas A&M International University, Laredo, Texas
- 1990-1991: Lecturer in Sociology
Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas
- 1983-1987: Graduate student assistantships/teaching/research
Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas
- 1981-1982: Language Arts/History Teacher – 5th and 6th grades
Allen Academy, Bryan, Texas
- 1980-1981: Language Arts/History Teacher – 7th and 8th grades
St. Joseph's Catholic School, Bryan, Texas

University Classes Taught:

Undergraduate Classes

Methods of Social Science Research
Introduction to Sociology
Juvenile Delinquency
Social Deviancy
Study of Society
Marriage and Family
Introduction to Group Work
Social Gerontology
Sociological Theory
Sociology of Health and Illness
International Culture
Urban Sociology
Collective Behavior and Social Movements
Social Problems

Graduate Classes

American Society
Comparative Organizations
Marriage and Family
Family Change and Stress
Organization of Religion
Urban Crisis and Restoration
Sociology of Education
Rights and Responsibilities:
The Moral Dilemma

Other Classes/Workshops taught for Marriage and Family Care

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*** Turning the Keys to Healthy and Loving Family Relationships.**

1 hour parenting classes, taught weekly . Client Advocate
Jan, 2011-Dec., 2013 – Pregnancy Care Center, San Antonio

*** Pornifying America: Rape of the Culture and What Can be Done**

Weekly 1 hour class, 8 sessions.
Jan.-Feb., 2011. Coker United Methodist Church. San Antonio, Texas

How's the Weather Inside? Getting to Sunshine Through the Storms.

Marriage enrichment - 7 hour workshop (See www.concerningthis.blogspot.com. 8/11/ 2008)
Saturday, February 3, 2006. Coker United Methodist Church. San Antonio, Texas

Cultivating Your Marriage Garden: Weeding and Feeding.

Marriage enrichment - 6 hour workshop.
Saturday, May 15, 2004. Coker United Methodist Church. San Antonio, Texas

Turning the Keys to Loving Relationships in Marriage and Family.

6 week one hour sessions for parents and children, Sunday morning.
Spring, 2003. Coker United Methodist Church. San Antonio, Texas

Strengthening the Christian Marriage in a Secular World.

8 one and a half hour sessions. Fall, 2001. Coker United Methodist Church.

Publications

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Blogsite

www.concerningthis.blogspot.com. – March 28, 2008, continuing .

Entries consider social issues with a particular emphasis on those that
Create personal and social problems. The discussions are documented
And readable in about 3 minutes.

Book:

Wrestling With Angels - The Sexual Revolution Confronts the Church.
ACW Press, 2003. 267 pages. ISBN 1-932124-01-2.

The PDF file of the book is located on the website: www.wrestlingwithangels.com.
It can be downloaded on to electronic readers at no cost.

Journal articles:

“Bars and Bullfights on the Border“. In: *Free Inquiry in Creative Sociology* ,
25: No. 2, pgs. 181-188. 1997.

“Mentoring At-Risk Hispanic Students in Self-Esteem, Academic Growth, and
Citizenship Awareness.” In: *Equity & Excellence in Education*,
28: No. 1, pgs. 36-43. 1995.

“Educational and Lifestyle Aspirations of Secondary Students in
Border Colonias of Laredo, Texas.” In: *Equity & Excellence*,
28: No. 3, pgs. 14-19. 1995.

Conference Proceedings:

“The Woman Volunteer Worker”. pages 175-187 in: *Proceedings Extension
Division Conference on Roles of Colleges and Universities in
Volunteerism*, VPI and SU, Blacksburg, Virginia, 1977.

Book Reviews:

Morf, Martin. *The Work/Life Dichotomy: Prospects for Reintegrating People And Jobs*. New York: Quorum Books, 1989. In *Rural Sociology*, 56: (No. 4), Winter 1991. Pg. 742.

Stacey, Judith. *Brave New Families: Stories of Domestic Upheaval in Late Twentieth Century America*. New York: Basic books, 1990. In *Social Science Quarterly*, 72: No. 3, 1991. Pg. 628.

Educational Resources Information Center (ERIC)

- Legislative Concerns of the Texas Farmworker: Historic Perspective. August, 1984. ED 248 072--RC 014 899. Marjorie L. Coppock
- Educational and Life Style Aspirations of Secondary Students in Border Colonias of Laredo, Texas. August, 1994. ED 375 989--RC 019 787. Marjorie L. Coppock

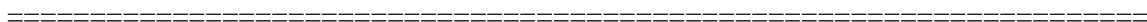
Guest Editorials/Press Reports

- “Taking Another Look At Secular Humanism”
Bryan/College Station Eagle - November 30, 1987, pg.4A.
- “New Morality Threatens Us All”
Bryan/College Station Eagle - November 29, 1987, pg. 15A.
- “Brave New World Is Here”
Bryan/College Station Eagle - November 28, 1987, pg. 6A.
- “Brethren Resistance Centuries Old”
Bryan/College Station Eagle - October 15, 1982, pg.1D.
- “Visit to the Nation’s Capitol an Education”.
Bryan/College Station Eagle - July 16, 1982, pg.11A.
- “Volunteering”
Bryan/College Station Eagle - November 26, 1978, pg.1C.
- “Survival, Integrity Through Religion”
Bryan/College Station Eagle - December 16, 1977, pg.12A.
- “ The Nuclear Family: Is It Threatened by Science”
The Ithaca Journal (Ithaca, NY) - December 7, 1976.
- “Volunteering: Working For Nothing Can be a Rich Experience”
The Ithaca Journal (Ithaca, NY) January 4, 1976.

Studies conducted and

Reports submitted to Community Organizations

These studies were student research learning experiences organized under my direction in response to community needs for information.



1997-98 - Texas A&M International University (TAMIU) College Student Survey
For: TAMIU Student services and counseling psychology

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1996-97 - Migration Study

For: Webb County Heritage Foundation

1995-96 - Senior Citizen Survey

For: Area Agency on Aging
Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)
South Texas Alzheimer's Organization
Border Area Nutrition Center

1994-95 - Community Needs Assessment.

For: United Way of Laredo, Inc.

1993-94 - Student Life Style Survey.

For Communities in Schools – Laredo

1993-94 - Oral Histories of Elderly Residents of Azteca Organization

For: Azteca Economic Development and Preservation Corporation.

1992-93 - Community Needs Assessment.

For: United Way of Laredo, Inc.

1992-98 - Mentoring Elementary and Junior High Students in

Citizenship Awareness. For: Eight elementary and middle schools in Laredo, Texas

Papers Presented at National Meetings:

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“Changes in Sexual and Family Patterns Confront Religious Values and Behavioral Expectations.” Marjorie L. Coppock

National Council on Family Relations, 64th Annual Conference. Poster session.
Nov. 22, 2003. Vancouver, British Columbia.

“Involving Students in Applied Social Science Research.” Marjorie L. Coppock

The Society for Applied Sociology: 17th Annual Meeting. Dallas, TX. Oct. 1999.

“TAMIU College Student Survey: November, 1997” Marjorie L. Coppock

Rural Sociological Society Meetings, Portland, Oregon. August, 1998.

“Researching the Special Needs of Hispanic Elderly on the Texas-Mexico Border”.

Marjorie L. Coppock

National Association for Chicana and Chicano Studies, Texas, FOCO
Conference, San Antonio, Texas, February, 1997.

“Educational Expansion on the Border: Resources for Regional and International Development.” Marjorie L. Coppock

Rural Sociological Society Meetings, Des Moines, Iowa, August, 1996.

“Recycling Bulletins Into Beads: A Women's Economic Development Project

On the Mexico Border.” Marjorie L Coppock, Kim Freidah Brown, and Esther Acle.
Rural Sociological Society Meetings, Pentagon City, Virginia, Aug. 1995.

“Educational and Life Style Aspirations of Secondary Students in Border
Colonias of Laredo, TX.” Marjorie L. Coppock
Rural Sociological Society Meetings, Portland, OR, August, 1994.

“Mentoring At-Risk Hispanic Students in Self-Esteem, Academic Growth,
And Citizenship Awareness.” Marjorie L. Coppock
Minority Student Today Conference/ Continuing Education, Univ.
of South Carolina, San Antonio, TX, October, 1992.

“Legislative Concerns of the Texas Farmworker”, Marjorie L. Coppock
Rural Sociological Society Meetings, College Station, TX, 1984.

“The Woman Volunteer Worker”. Marjorie L. Coppock
Extension Division Conference on Roles of Colleges and Universities in
Volunteerism, VPI and SU, Blacksburg, Virginia, 1977,

Papers Presented at Regional Meetings.

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- * “The Impact of Contemporary Family Patterns on the Quality and Stability of Child Rearing.” Marjorie L. Coppock
Southwestern Association Meetings, San Antonio, TX. April, 2014.
- * “Over the Rainbow: The Gay Battle for Social Reorganization of America.” Marjorie L. Coppock
Southwestern Association Meetings. Houston, TX. April, 2010.
- * “Amerinazification: The Doubling of the American Soul.” Marjorie L. Coppock
Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings. Denver, CO. April, 2009.
- * “Who’s Rocking the Cradle? From Procreation to Production.” Marjorie L. Coppock
Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings. Albuquerque, NM, 2007.
- * “Eugenics: The Ethical Dilemma of Reproductive Technology.” Marjorie L. Coppock.
Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings. San Antonio, Texas. April, 2006
- “The Seduction and Fleecing of the Elderly Through Media Fraud“, Marjorie L. Coppock
Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings. San Antonio, Texas. April, 1999.
- “Women and Aging: A Double Whammy!” Marjorie L. Coppock
Women’s Caucus, Southwestern Social Science Association Meetings.
Corpus Christi, Texas. March, 1998

- “Migration Patterns in the ‘Gateway City’, Laredo, Texas”. Marjorie L. Coppock
Western Social Science Association Meetings. Albuquerque, NM. April, 1997.
- “El Norte: Stories of the Journey” Marjorie L. Coppock
Southwest Sociological Association Meetings. New Orleans, LA. March, 1997.
- “Assessing Social Impacts in an Educational Boomtown on the U.S./ Mexico
Border”. Marjorie L. Coppock
Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings. Houston, TX. March, 1996.
- “Comparing the Societies of Mexico and Japan Through Group Work”.
Marjorie L. Coppock and Cynthia Cabellero
Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings. Dallas, TX. March, 1995.
- “Bars, Bullfights, Bingo, and Boxing on the Border”. Marjorie L. Coppock
Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings. Dallas, TX. March, 1995.
- “Denominational Influences on Family Satisfaction and Family Interaction Patterns”.
Marjorie L. Coppock
Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings. San Antonio, TX. March, 1994.
- “Changing Cultural Patterns in the Border Community of Laredo, TX in the Early
1900’s”. Marjorie Coppock, Richard Alaniz, Adriana Craddock, Claudia Garcia,
and Sandra P. Thompson.
Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings. San Antonio, TX. March, 1994.
- “Differences in Perceptions of Family Commitment, Satisfaction, and Support of
Husbands and Wives”. Marjorie L Coppock and William Alex McIntosh
Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings. New Orleans, LA. March, 1993.
- “Family Patterns in a Border Community”. Marjorie Coppock, Eva Cisneros, Michael
Parmelee, Julian Tijerino, and Juan Ramirez.
Western Social Science Association Meetings. Corpus Christi, TX. April, 1993.
- “The Relationship Between Organizational Involvements and Family Satisfaction and
Support”. Marjorie L. Coppock and William Alex McIntosh
Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings. Austin TX. March, 1992.
- “The Relationship of Family Mealtime to Family Satisfaction and Cohesion”.
Marjorie L Coppock and William Alex McIntosh
Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings. San Antonio, TX, March 1991.
- “ The Effects of Extra-Familial Organization Involvements on the Quality of Family
Life” Marjorie L. Coppock
Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings. Ft. Worth, TX. March, 1990.
- “Social Evolutionary Theory and the Biological Analogy”. Marjorie L. Coppock
Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings. Houston, TX. March, 1988.

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“Women’s Leadership Involvement in Community Volunteer Organizations”.

Marjorie L. Coppock

Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings, Dallas, TX, 1987.

“The Power Dynamics of Changing Professional Organizations”. Marjorie L. Coppock

Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings, Houston, TX. 1985.

“Texas Farm Labor: Organizational Dilemmas”. Marjorie L. Coppock

Southwestern Sociological Association Meetings, Ft. Worth, TX, 1984.