

**PARTIAL  
CURRICULUM VITAE  
GARY M. STOKLEY**

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**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:**

W. W. Samuell High School, Dallas, Texas  
Diploma, May, 1964

East Texas Baptist College, Marshall, Texas  
B. A., Sociology, August, 1968

Stephen F. Austin State University, Nacogdoches, Texas  
M.A., Sociology, August, 1971

Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana  
Ph.D., Sociology, August, 1980

**MILITARY EXPERIENCE:**

U.S. Army  
Clerk Typist, Administrative Specialist  
USAIG (Sr. ROTC) Arizona  
University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona  
February, 1969-December, 1970

**WORK EXPERIENCE:**

Research Assistant  
Stephen F. Austin State University  
Nacogdoches, Texas  
January, 1971-August, 1971

Research Assistant  
Louisiana State University  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana  
June, 1975-December, 1977

Assistant Professor  
Department of Social Sciences  
Louisiana Tech University  
1971-1981

Associate Professor  
Department of Social Sciences  
Louisiana Tech University  
1981-present

**WORK EXPERIENCE (Continued):**

Consultant in Charge of Personnel Management  
Hart Associates, Inc.  
1981-1987

Community Relations Officer,  
Office of the President,  
Louisiana Tech University  
1992-2004

Retention Advisor  
2004 to Present

President  
Regional Consulting Services  
1992-present

**TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES:**

Introductory Sociology  
Criminology  
Corrections

Juvenile Delinquency  
Research Methods  
Sociology of Education  
Criminal Justice

**UNIVERSITY HONORS:**

Favorite Teacher of the Year, College of Arts and Sciences, (SGA),  
1973, 1980  
Favorite Teacher (AWS), 1981  
Fan of the Year (ACT), 1986  
Favorite Teacher, Alpha Chi Omega, 1988, 2001  
1st Recipient, H.J. "Tony" Sachs "Service to Others Before Self  
Award", Ruston Rotarians, 1988  
Service Award, Lambda Sigma Honor Society, 1992  
Teaching Award, College of Arts and Sciences, Greek Week, 1995  
1st Recipient, Outstanding Academic Advisor, Louisiana Tech  
University, 1995  
Teacher of the Year, 2000, Delta Gamma Sorority  
Teacher of the Quarter, Fall, 2001, Alpha Chi Omega Sorority  
Teacher of the Year, 2002, Delta Gamma Sorority  
Recipient, F. J. Taylor Undergraduate Teaching Award, University  
Senate, 2003-2004  
Induction, National Council of Honor, Kappa Alpha Order, 2006

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:**

American Sociological Association  
Rural Sociological Society  
Southwestern Sociological Association  
Finance Committee, 1985  
Mid-South Sociological Association  
Program Coordinator, 1978  
Membership Committee, 1983  
American Society of Criminology

**PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:**

Professional Management Association  
National Association of Academic Advisors for Athletics, 1988-1992  
Discussant and Presentor professional meetings (National, Regional and State)  
Presentations to 100 civic, church, and campus organizations  
Book Review, Finding Out, Wadsworth Publishing Company  
Health and Life Insurance License, 1983-present  
Registered Pollster, State of Louisiana, 1983-present  
Consultant to political candidates, educational agencies, and advertising firms, 1983-present  
Participant in three workshops, Department of Labor, Job Service  
Development of regional and state examinations in sociology for North Louisiana High School Rally, March, 1985, 1990  
Real Estate Sales License, 1987-1997  
Guest Political Analyst and Commentator, Channel 10 TV, Monroe-El Dorado, 1988-2000, 2002 to current  
Coordinator, Lincoln Parish District/Ruston City/Monroe Municipal Courts, Probation for Tech Students Completing Community Service, 1978-1988  
Expert Witness, Organizational Management and Personnel, District Court, Webster Parish, 1988-present  
Expert Witness, Public Opinion Polling, District Court, Grant Parish, 1990-present  
Expert Witness, Public Opinion Polling and Political Analyst, State of Louisiana, Federal Court, Western District, 1992-present  
Expert Witness /Consultant, Ouachita Parish District Attorney, State vs. Dr. Robinson, 2005-present

**RESEARCH ACTIVITIES:**

Research Associate, project on Community Development, Louisiana Title V Pilot Program for LaFourche and Terrebonne Parishes, Rural Development Act of 1972, Agricultural Experiment Station, June, 1975-November, 1977  
  
Consultant, Co-Director, Project for Louisiana Department of Natural Resources, Study of Community Leaders' Attitudes Regarding the Storage of Nuclear Waste in North Louisiana Salt Domes, Louisiana Tech University, December, 1979-November, 1980  
  
Co-Director, Grant sponsored by Lincoln Parish Council on Aging, Project for Assessments of the Needs of the Aged Population in Lincoln Parish, February, 1983-March, 1984  
  
Director, Grant sponsored by Lincoln Parish School Board, Project for Attitudes of Lincoln parish Residents Regarding Suggested Changes in High School Graduation Requirements, February-June, 1984  
  
Consultant, Hal Calish Advertising, Monroe, Louisiana "Monroe Transit Authority" 1984-1990

**RESEARCH ACTIVITIES (continued):**

Consultant, Robertson Enterprises, Inc., Consumer Relations Study, Crossett, Arkansas, prepared for 1st National Bank, Crossett, Arkansas, 1987-1988

Director, Grant sponsored by Ruston Mental Health Center, Project for Assessment of Community Needs and Services Related to Mental Health Center, November, 1983-May, 1984

Consultant, Enviro Med Laboratories, Inc., Ruston, LA, May 1990 to 2002

Consultant, Heritage Corporation, Baton Rouge, LA, Sept: 1991 to 2001

Environmental Consultant, American Wastewater Management, Socio-Economic Conditions Expert for LA DOTD Projects, 1985 - Present: Expertise requires knowledge of environmental justice issues, demographic and economic trends, economic development/impact, housing displacement, based on federal and state regulations:

- Chatham Hwy Project, Ruston, LA, 1988
- Route US 165/LA 841, Rilla, LA, 2000
- I-20, Terrell, TX, 2001

Principal Research Designer/Coordinator, over 115 Public Opinion Surveys conducted for political candidates, school boards, hospitals, banks, sheriff's departments, police juries, public agencies, churches and service organizations. 1980 to present

Research Coordinator, Census Recount for City of Dubach, Louisiana, 2003-2004

Grant Evaluator, Louisiana Department of Public Safety and Corrections, Office of Youth Development, The Workplace and Community Transition Project for Incarcerated Youth Offenders Program, 2001-Present

Consultant, Ouachita Parish District Attorney, Specialized Cases, 2004-present

Consultant, Union Parish School Board, Public Opinion Survey, Chair of Citizens Advisory Committee

**SERVICE AND CIVIC ACTIVITIES:**

Ruston Lions' Club, 1971-1975

Ruston Community Theater

Play Review Committee, 1979-1980

Chairman, Board of Directors, 1981-1983

Membership Chairman, 1982-1984

Vice President, Board of Directors, 1983-1986

Nominating Committee, 1987

Actor, 1982-1985

**SERVICE AND CIVIC ACTIVITIES (Continued):**

Actor and Production Manager, Russ Town, S.A., Presented for  
Ruston's Centennial Celebration, 1984  
Ruston Mental Health and Substance Abuse Center  
Member, Board of Directors, 1980-1985  
President, Board of Directors, 1980-1985  
Lincoln Parish Democratic Executive Committee  
Member, 1980-1988  
Secretary, 1980-1983  
Treasurer, 1984-present  
Ruston Unitarian Church  
Chairman, Building Committee, 1980-1981  
President, 1981-1982  
Program Chairman 1982-1983, 1985-1986, 1987-1988  
Member, University Sick Leave Committee, 2001-Present  
Member, University Violence in the Workplace committee, 2003-  
Present  
Louisiana Democratic State Convention  
Delegate, 1982-1986  
Louisiana Democrat State Central Committee, 1983-1990  
Ruston-Lincoln Chamber of Commerce, 1984-present  
DWI Program, Lincoln Parish Sheriff's Office, Supervision of  
Community Service Projects, 1985-present  
Sierra Club, Ouachita Group of Delta Chapter  
President, 1986-1990  
Ruston City Court, Juvenile Division  
Consultant on Juvenile Matters, 1986-2001  
Advisory Committee on Respiratory Care, State of Louisiana  
Member 1986-1990  
Social Service Learning Center Advisory Board, Grambling State  
University School of Social Work, 1986-1990  
Louisiana Emergency Response Commission  
Member, Lincoln Parish Emergency Planning Committee, 1987  
Board Member, Ruston Parks and Recreation, 1992-2002  
Ruston/Lincoln Convention and Visitors Bureau Board, 2001  
Chair, Administrative Council, Trinity United Methodist Church,  
1999-2001  
Board Member, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast Louisiana  
(Lincoln), YWCA, 2001 to present  
Board Member, President, Domestic Abuse Resistance Team (5 parishes  
North Central Louisiana), Chair, Fundraising Committee, 2003-  
present  
Board Member, Emerson Centre, 2004-present  
Strategic Planning committee, Trinity United Methodist Church,  
2004-present

**PROFESSIONAL PAPERS:**

Alvin L. Bertrand, Gary M. Stokley, Yui-Huen Kwan, and Stephen  
Doeren, "An Elaboration of the Structural Dynamics of Norms and  
Roles," paper presented at the Annual Meeting, Southwestern  
Sociological Association, March, 1976.

Kevin B. Smith, Gary M. Stokley, and Stephen E. Doeren, "The Effect  
of Sex on a Predictive Model of Student Alienation," paper  
presented at the Annual Meeting, Southern Sociological Society,  
April, 1976.

**PROFESSIONAL PAPERS (Continued):**

Forrest A. Deseran and Gary M. Stokley, "Subjective Indicators of Rural Housing and Community: A Preliminary Appraisal," paper presented at the Annual Meeting, Mid-South Sociological Association, November, 1976.

Gary M. Stokley and Forrest A. Deseran, "Definitions of Housing Situations: Outsiders vs. Insiders in Rural Communities," paper presented at the Annual Meeting, Southern Association of Agricultural Scientists, February, 1977; also published in Rural Sociology in the South: 1977 (Proceedings, Rural Sociology Section) Harsha N. Mookherjee (ed.).

Forrest A. Deseran and Gary M. Stokley, "Community Satisfaction: An Analysis of Indicators at a Specific Level," paper presented at the Annual Meeting, Southwestern Sociological Association, March, 1977.

Gary M. Stokley and William Falk, "Free Schools vs. Traditional Schools: A Socio-Structural Examination of Evolving Changes in American Schools," paper presented at the Annual Meeting, Mid-South Sociological Association, November, 1977.

Gary M. Stokley and Kevin B. Smith, "Community Satisfaction: A Review of the Literature and Suggested Model," paper presented at the Annual Meeting, Mid-South Sociological Association, November, 1977.

Robert S. Miller, Gary M. Stokley, and Thomas K. Pinhey, "Organizational Approaches to Release Planning: A Strategy for Prison Reform," paper presented at the Annual Meeting, Mid-South Sociological Association, November, 1978.

"Differences in Perception of Community: Adults vs. Adolescents," paper presented at the 3rd College of Arts and Sciences Research Symposium, Louisiana Tech University, October, 1979.

"An Examination of Populations and Subpopulations by Age on Their Evaluations of Community," a paper presented at the Annual Meeting, Southwestern Sociological Association, April, 1980.

"Preliminary Findings of Community Leader Attitudes," paper presented at Salt Dome Utilization Conference, Louisiana Tech University, May, 1980.

"Correlates of Reactions by North Louisiana Community Leaders to the Nuclear Waste Issue," paper presented at the 4th College of Arts and Sciences Research Symposium, Louisiana Tech University, October, 1980.

"Interpersonal Communication Skills," paper presented at 4th National Resident Assistants Conference, Louisiana Tech University, March, 1981.

**PROFESSIONAL PAPERS (Continued):**

"Content Analysis of Crime in Newspapers," paper presented at 5th College of Arts and Sciences Research Symposium, Louisiana Tech University, October, 1981.

"Socio-Political Aspects in the Storage of Nuclear Waste Materials in the Deep South," paper presented at the Annual Meeting, Mid-South Sociological Association, October, 1981.

"Social-Psychological Variables and the New Environmental Paradigm," paper presented at the Annual Meeting, Southwestern Sociological Association, march, 1982.

"Self-Esteem," paper presented at 6th National Resident Assistants Conference, Louisiana Tech University, March, 1983.

"A Limited Examination of Problems of the Elderly in Lincoln Parish," paper presented at 7th College of Arts and Sciences Research Symposium, Louisiana Tech University, October, 1983.

"An Examination of the Opinions of Lincoln Parish Residents Regarding New Proposals to Improve Education in Louisiana," paper presented at 8th College of Arts and Sciences Research Symposium, Louisiana Tech University, October, 1984.

"An Examination of the Evaluation of Community by Age and Race in Rural Louisiana Communities," paper presented at University of SanLuis Potosi, Potosi, Mexico, January, 1985.

"Faculty: How Much Can We Ask?" paper presented at Quality of American Higher Education, Southern Regional Conference, sponsored by the National Institute of Education and the Louisiana Board of Regents, New Orleans, Louisiana, April, 1985.

**PRESENTATIONS:**

"Hiring: What to Look for in a Potential Employee," sponsored by Louisiana Department of Labor, Ruston Job Service, August, 1985.

"Reflections on the Mid-South Sociological Association: First Ten Years," Annual Meeting MSSA, Little Rock, Arkansas, October, 1985.

"Personnel Management in a Small Manufacturing Setting: Problems and Possibilities," North Louisiana Chapter, Personnel Management Association, November, 1985.

"An Examination of Public School Teachers Opportunities for Promotion: A Case Study", Mid-South Sociological Association, November, 1986.

"An Examination of Consumer and Business Owners Opinions of Economic Activity in Crossett, Arkansas", Crossett Chamber of Commerce, November, 1987.

**PRESENTATIONS (Continued):**

"Evaluation Issues Connected to a Youth Offender Transition Grant," Southwestern Social Sociological Association, March, 2004.

"Ethics Issues Involved with Evaluation Research," Southwestern Sociological Association, March, 2005.

**PUBLICATIONS:**

Introductory Sociology: A Supplementary Focus, ed. by William J. Conway and Gary M. Stokley, Selected Academic Readings, Simon and Schuster, New York, New York, 1974.

"Dynamics of Norms and Roles," Alvin L. Bertrand, Gary M. Stokley, Yui-Huen Kwan, and Stephen Doeren. Quarterly Journal of Ideology, Volume I, Number 2, 1977.

An Assessment of Housing of Indian, White, and Black Residents in Two Rural Louisiana Communities, Louisiana State University Agricultural Experiment Station Bulletin No. 719, Forrest Deseran, Gary Stokley and Robert Mulle, August, 1979.

Guest Columns (20) written on National and State Social Policy Issues in Monroe News Star, Shreveport Times, and Ruston Daily Leader

**MANUSCRIPT REVIEW:**

"International Comparisons of Cohort Effects on Suicide Rates: The Role of Contextual Variables" American Sociological Review, June, 2002. Manuscript accepted.

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