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**EDUCATION**

**The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill**  
Ph.D. in Communication Studies, anticipated May 2013  
Focus in Organizational Communication  
Dissertation: *The Politics of Professionalism: The Discursive Construction of Professionalism in the Management Consulting Industry*  
Advisor: Steve May  
Committee: Sarah Dempsey, Arne Kalleberg, Dennis Mumby, Julia Wood

**North Carolina State University**  
Graduate coursework in Communication

**The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill**  
**UNC Kenan-Flagler Business School**  
M.B.A., May 2003  
Elected President, Graduate Women in Business Club. Peer Counselor.  
Vice-President, Public Speaking Club.

**The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill**  
B.A. in Communication Studies, May 1996  
Senior Class Treasurer. Selected participant, Advanced Leadership Development Seminar.

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**HONORS**

**International Travel Award** (June 2012). Summer travel fellowship awarded by the UNC Graduate and Professional Student Federation. (\$600)

**UNC Future Faculty Fellow** (August 2011). Awarded each semester to ~30 graduate students from departments campus-wide. Participated in a 5-day teaching and professional development seminar. (\$450)

**Teaching Fellow** (Fall 2010 - present). Teaching fellowship awarded by the Department of Communication Studies at UNC-CH.

**Carolinas Communication Association** (September 2009). Recipient of the Mary E. Jarrard Top Graduate Research Paper Award for *An Organizational Case Study: Red Hat*.

**Southern Oral History Collection**. Undergraduate Women's Studies research project selected for inclusion in the Southern Oral History Collection housed in the Wilson Library at The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (#G-0142).

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**PUBLICATIONS**

Adams, K. F. (forthcoming). The discursive construction of professionalism: An episteme of the 21<sup>st</sup> century. *ephemera*.

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**CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS** Adams, K. F. (2012). *(Re)Considering the Professional: The Politics of Professionalism for Pleasure and the Archive*. Presented as part of the Organizational Communication Research Escalator at the International Communication Association Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ.

Adams, K. F. (2012). *A Critical Organizational Intervention: Professionalism as Nietzschean Ressentiment*. Presented at the Qualitative Research in Management and Organization Conference, Anderson School of Management, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM.

Adams, K. F. (2009). *An Organizational Case Study: Red Hat*. Mary E. Jarrad Top Graduate Research Paper Award. Presented at the Carolinas Communication Association Annual Conference, Wilmington, NC.

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**SEMINARS** Selected Participant, Critical Theory Summer School, Birkbeck College (June 2012)  
Participant, Duke Feminist Theory Workshop, Duke University (March 2012)  
Participant, Online Teaching, UNC Center for Faculty Excellence (Fall 2011)  
Participant, Performance Ethnography Workshop with D. Soyini Madison, UNC-CH (Fall 2010)

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**AFFILIATIONS** Academy of Management  
American Sociological Association  
International Communication Association  
National Communication Association

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**TEACHING** **The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill**  
**Department of Communication Studies**

2010 – present *Instructor*  
• Public Speaking (Spring 2011, 2012)  
*Teaching Assistant*  
• Interpersonal Communication (for Lawrence Rosenfeld: Fall 2012)  
• Organizational Communication (for Dennis Mumby: Fall 2012)  
• Public Speaking (for Chris Lundberg: Fall 2010, 2011)

2008 – 2010 **Wake Technical Community College**  
*Communication Instructor*  
• Interpersonal Communication  
• Introduction to Communication  
• Public Speaking

2002 - 2003 **The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill**  
**UNC Kenan-Flagler Business School**  
*Teaching Assistant/Business Communication Center Consultant*  
• Management Communication

**SELECTED  
COURSEWORK**

**Organizing**

Critical Studies in Organizational Communication (Sarah Dempsey)  
Directed Research: Emotions and Organizing (Dennis Mumby)  
Gender, Power, and Work (Dennis Mumby)  
International Public Relations (Melissa Johnson)  
Leading and Managing (David Hofmann)  
Organizational Culture (Joann Keyton)  
Power, Politics, and Leadership (Gerald Bell)  
Sociology of Organizations (Howard Aldrich)  
Work and Occupations (Arne Kalleberg)

**Theory and Methodology**

Communication and the Discursive (Patricia Parker & Eric Watts)  
Communication and the Political (Sarah Sharma & Michael Palm)  
Communication and the Social (Sarah Dempsey & Chris Lundberg)  
Critical/Performance Ethnography (Renee Alexander-Craft)  
Foucault Seminar (Steve May)  
Introduction to Research/Theory in Communication Studies (Lawrence Grossberg)  
Practicum in Rhetorical Criticism (Carole Blair)  
Qualitative Research Methods in Applied Communication (Steve Wiley)  
Teaching in Communication Studies (Madeleine Grumet)

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**WORK HISTORY**

2003 – 2004	<b>Campbell Alliance</b> <span style="float: right;">Morristown, NJ</span> <i>Consultant.</i> Worked with pharmaceutical and biotech companies to develop and implement strategies for addressing business challenges related to brand management and managed markets. Clients included: Genentech, Amgen, Novartis, Bayer, and GlaxoSmithKline.
Summer 2002	<b>Wyeth Consumer Healthcare</b> <span style="float: right;">Madison, NJ</span> <i>Brand Management Intern.</i> Evaluated the long-term potential sales growth and profitability of Centrum Kids.
1998 - 2001	<b>Accenture</b> <span style="float: right;">New York, NY</span> <i>Consultant–Change Management.</i> Partnered with pharmaceutical and financial services organizations to assess employee needs associated with major organizational change. Created and executed global communication and training solutions. Clients included: Johnson & Johnson, AstraZeneca, Deutsche Bank, Roche Vitamins, and Chase Manhattan Bank.
1996 - 1998	<b>Performance, Inc.</b> <span style="float: right;">Chapel Hill, NC</span> <i>Retail Communications Coordinator.</i> Produced communication/training materials for a national bicycle retailer, including a retail policies and procedures manual.
1994 - 1996	<b>ABC NewsChannel 11, WTVD</b> <span style="float: right;">Durham, NC</span> <i>Community Affairs Assistant.</i> Coordinated community outreach activities for the television station, including the Speakers Bureau and college internship program. Produced and monitored public service announcements.

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