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EDUCATION

Louisiana State University, LA, US

Ph.D. in Sociology – Graduation date: 2030

Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil

M.A. in Psychosociology of Communities and Social Ecology (GPA 3.9) - Graduation date: 2022

B. A. in Administration (GPA 3.7) - Graduation date: 2016

PUBLICATIONS

Referred Journal Articles

Junior, F. A. T., Bevilaqua, P. M., Villasanti, C. M. de O., Fonseca, F. C. R. de A., & Rodriguez, A. M. B. L. (2022). Noopolitics of consumption: Contributions from Deleuze, Guattari and Lazzarato. In: Anderson Catapan (Org). Emerging Themes in the Social Sciences. 1 ed. São José dos Pinhais: Brazilian Journals, p. 425-443 (In Portuguese)

Junior, F. A. T., Bevilaqua, P. M., Villasanti, C. M. de O., Fonseca, F. C. R. de A., & Rodriguez, A. M. B. L. (2021). Noopolitics of consumption: Contributions from Deleuze, Guattari and Lazzarato. Brazilian Journal of Development, 7(12), 118797–118814. <https://doi.org/10.34117/bjdv7n12-578> (In Portuguese)

Machado, G. C. X. M. P.; Maciel, T. M. F. B.; Oliveira, C. M., Thiollent, M. J. M. (2020). Consolidating the Relevance of Community Cultures in Intervention Projects: The Territory of the Seaside Community of Sono Beach. Journal of Social Movements and Spatial Dynamics, Recife, v. 9, p. 174-191. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.46802/rmsde.v9i1.245850> (In Portuguese)

Other publications

Rohm, R. H. D.; Gonçalves, C. C. N. E.; Villasanti, C. M. de O.; Lopes, N. F. (2025). A Case Study of Transgender Individuals Entering/Joining the Job Market in the City of Rio de Janeiro. In: Katharina Wiedlack (Ed.). Non/Normative Faith: Queering Religious Scripts, Politics, Practices, and Institutions. 1 ed. Berlin: Peter Lang International Academic Publishers, p. 337–342.

Villasanti, C. M. de O., and Machado, G. C. X. M. P. 2024. “The Articulation of the Small Farmers’ Movement in the City of Rio de Janeiro: An Action Research Experience to Create a Direct Marketing System.” Cadernos de Agroecologia 19(1), Proceedings of the 12th Brazilian Congress of Agroecology, Rio de Janeiro, RJ. <https://cadernos.abagroecologia.org.br/cadernos/article/view/9529> (In Portuguese)

Rohm, R. H. D.; Oliveira, C. M. (2017). Solidarity Economy and Social Entrepreneurship. In: Adriano Belisário. (Org.). Subversive Economies: Unconventional Economic Practices. 1ed. Rio de Janeiro: I-Motiró, p. 132-149. (In Portuguese)

Manuscript under review

Barbuto, L.G.; Machado, G. C. X. M. P.; Villasanti, C. M. de O. (organizers) Collaborative Project Creation: Reflections and Practices of Dragon Dreaming in Brazil - book (In Portuguese)

Machado, G. C. X. M. P.; Villasanti, C. M. de O. Dragon Dreaming Method as a Research Methodology: Cross-Cultural Dialogues and its Application in Action Research. In: Collaborative Project Creation: Reflections and Practices of Dragon Dreaming in Brazil (In Portuguese)

Manuscript in preparation

Micropolitical Resistance in practice: Lessons from a Land-based social movement in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

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CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

Villasanti, Carine. Micropolitical Resistance and Food Sovereignty: The Role of the Small Farmers Movement (MPA) in Brazil. Rural Sociological Society Conference, Salt Lake City, UT, 2025.

Schafer, M., Villasanti, C., Thomas, C., Yang, X. Future Orientation and Sustainable Rice Farming in the Southern United States. Rural Sociological Society Conference, Salt Lake City, UT, 2025.

Schafer, M., Thomas, C., Villasanti, C., Yang, X. Participant Perspectives on Scientific Collaboration: Impact, Opportunities, and Challenges. Rural Sociological Society Conference, Salt Lake City, UT, 2025.

Villasanti, Carine, Machado, Gustavo. Beyond the Classroom: Action Research as a Transformative Educational Experience. Transformation in Action: Critical Questions in Urban Education & Communities Symposium, University of Wisconsin, 2025.

Villasanti, C. M. de O.; Machado, G. C. X. M. P. The articulation of the Small Farmers Movement in the city of Rio de Janeiro: an action-research experience for the creation of a direct commercialization system – Brazilian Congress of Agroecology. 2023. (Presentation in Portuguese)

Villasanti, C. M. de O., Bevilaqua, P. M.; Fonseca, F. C. R. de A., & Rodriguez, A. M. B. L. (organizers). Seminar Flows and Counterflows: Hints, Provocations, and Controversies in the Field of Psychosociology. December, 2020.

Villasanti, C. M. de O. *Raízes do Brasil: A Psychosocial Perspective on the Micropolitics of the Small Farmers' Movement*. Seminar Flows and Counterflows: Hints, Provocations, and Controversies in the Field of Psychosociology. December, 2020. (Presentation in Portuguese)

Oliveira, C. M.; Lopes, N. F. A Case Study on the Inclusion of Transsexuals in the Labor Market in the City of Rio de Janeiro. 2012 - Queering Paradigms IV. (Presentation in Portuguese)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

CRISP Rice, Louisiana State University – Co-PI: Dr. Schafer – Spring-Fall 2025.

“Clear Waters: Expanding Access to Quality Water”

Interdisciplinary Project at Public Health Oswaldo Cruz Foundation, Coordinator: Dr. Danielle Carvalho – May/2020 – Sep/2023

“*Raízes do Brasil: A Psychosocial Perspective on the Micropolitics of the Small Farmers' Movement in Rio de Janeiro*” Master’s Thesis, Advisor: Dr. Frederico Tavares, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil – Jan/2023

“Journeys within Capim Limão: an Autogestory Collective advancing Agroecology on Fundão Island”

Special Topics - Organizational Strategy coursework, Advisor: Dr. Igor Valentim, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil – Nov/2013

“Solidarity Economy and Social Entrepreneurship in Management for Development as Freedom”

Undergraduate Dissertation, Advisor: Dr. Ricardo Rohm, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil – Nov/2014

UNDERGRADUATE EXPERIENCE

Study and Research Program on Human Development, Leadership Formation and Social Governance

Advisor: Dr. Ricardo Rohm, Dec/2009 to Jun/2012

Scientific Research Journey, at Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil

Papers presented:

Preserving Human Rights Amidst Barriers and Exclusion: Analyzing People Management Policies and Their Impact on the Employment of Transgender Individuals in Rio de Janeiro – Oct/2012

A case study of transgender individuals entering the job market in the City of Rio de Janeiro – Oct/2011

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Sexism in the Workplace: Exploring Effects on Organizational Dynamics – Oct/2010

HONORS AND AWARDS

Honor Mention, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil

Second best paper in the 2011th Scientific Research Journey

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIPS

Rural Sociological Society (RSS)

National Association for Multicultural Education (NAME)

SERVICE

Rural Sociological Society (RSS) – graduate student representative Program Committee 2025-2026

LSU EnvironMentors – mentor 2025-2026 program

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor (substitute), Introduction to Sociology (SOCL 2001) – Louisiana State University, Spring 2025

Poverty in the United States (SOCL 3505) – Louisiana State University, Spring 2025

Guest Lecturer, Introduction to Sociology (SOCL 2001) – Louisiana State University, Fall 2024

Project Management Applied to Sanitation Course (18h), Sanitation Management and Technologies Specialization Course at Public Health Oswaldo Cruz Foundation – 2023

Collaborative Project Creation - Dragon Dreaming Method Course (30h), Public Health Oswaldo Cruz Foundation - 2020 and 2019

Psychosociology, Communication, and Consumption Course (30h), Undergraduate Communications at Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Aug to Dec/2019.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Louisiana State University, LA, US

Graduate Assistant, Aug/2024 – Current

Department of Communications at Fluminense Federal University, Niterói, RJ, Brazil

Evaluator in the Marketing Campaign Planning Course, Dec/2022

Cultiva Organizational Solutions, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil

Project Consultant, Oct/2015 – June/2024

- Business Advisory: Designed structures, operations, and processes for 4 small businesses
- Project Consulting: Orchestrated and facilitated more than 20 projects and conducted 4 Collaborative Project Creation workshops (Dragon Dreaming Method) in private and public sectors
- Project & Research Assistance: Contributed to projects endeavors by crafting reports for public funding, fostered partnerships to enhance project visibility, composed research reports, crafted and revised scholarly articles, reviewed books, and organized publications for researchers

Petrobras – Brazilian Petroleum SA, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil - Intern, Jun/2014 – Sept/2015

Affero Lab Corporate Learning, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil - Intern, Jun/2013 – Jun/2014

Odebrecht Real Estate Construction, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil - Intern, Apr/2012 – Oct/2012

MXM Systems and IT Services, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil - Intern, Feb/2011 – Mar/2012

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SulAmérica Insurance Company, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil - Intern, Jan/2010 – Jun/2010

COMPLEMENTARY EDUCATION

Startup Bio (15h) – SEBRAE and Science Park of Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, 2020

SOLT Sociocratic Leadership Brazil (48h, online) - Sociocratic Leadership, 2020

Collaborative Project Creation, Dragon Dreaming Method (92h) – Gaia Foundation, 2014/2015

Design for Sustainability (76h) – Gaia Education, 2013

Work Experience – Cultural Exchange Program - Sarasota, Florida, United States – Jan 2009 to March 2009.

Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil

Course attended: Introduction to Marine Environmental Engineering

Incomplete degree, Bachelor in Naval Engineering – March 2006 to July 2008.