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- Education**
- August 2012 **Wayne State University** Detroit, Michigan
Doctorate of Philosophy in Social Work
- Dissertation title: “Collective Action for the Rights of Sex Offenders: Evaluating Social Movement Organizations.”
 - Cognate: Research Methods & Statistical Analysis.
- May 2007 **Wayne State University** Detroit, Michigan
Master of Social Work
Major: Community Practice and Social Action
- Directed study on organizational design and youth development.
- June 2003 **University of Otago** Dunedin, New Zealand
Postgraduate Diploma of Arts
Major: Community and Family Studies
- Postgraduate certification program in social work.
 - Research dissertation titled “Solo mothers’ transition from the domestic purposes benefit to the workforce.”
- April 2002 **Oakland University** Rochester, Michigan
Bachelor of Arts
Major: Sociology, Minor: General Business
- Academic Appointments**
- 2016-present **Wayne State University**, School of Social Work
Assistant Professor
- 2012-2016 **Oakland University**, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, Social Work & Criminal Justice
Assistant Professor
- Publications**
- Peer-reviewed:*
- Comartin, E.**, Burgess-Proctor, A., Kubiak, S., *Bender, K.* & Kernsmith, P. (*forthcoming*). Comparing women’s and men’s sexual offending using a state-wide incarcerated sample: A two-study design. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*.
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- Kernsmith, P., **Comartin, E.**, & Kernsmith, R. (2016). Fear and misinformation as predictors of support for sex offender management policies. *Journal of Sociology & Social Welfare*, 43(2), 39-66.
- Comartin, E.** (2015). Advocacy tactics and policy outcomes of sex offender rights organizations. *Journal of Policy Practice*, 14(3/4), 231-255.
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- Kubiak, S., Roddy, J., **Comartin, E.**, & Tillander, E. (2015). Cost analysis of long-term outcomes of an urban mental health court. *Evaluation & Program Planning*, 52, 96-106.
- Ray, B., Kubiak, S., **Comartin, E.** & Tillander, E. (2014). Mental health court outcomes by offense type at admission. *Administration and Policy in Mental Health and Mental Health Services Research*, 42(3), 323-331.
- Comartin, E.**, Kernsmith, P., Kernsmith, R. (2014). Identifying appropriate sanctions for youth sexual behavior: The impact of age, gender and sexual orientation. *New Criminal Law Review: Special Edition on Developmental Science and Criminal Law*, 17(3), 652-672.
- Comartin, E.** (2013). Rape Justification. *Encyclopedia of Sexual Violence and Abuse*. ABC-CLIO: Santa Barbara, CA.
- Comartin, E.**, Kernsmith, R., & Kernsmith, P. (2013). 'Sexting' & sex offender registration: Does age and gender of the offender or sexual orientation of the relationship matter? *Deviant Behavior*, 34, 882-896
- Comartin, E.**, & Gonzalez-Prendes, A. (2012). Dissonance between personal and professional values: Resolution of an ethical dilemma. *Journal of Social Work Values and Ethics*, 9(1).
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- Kubiak, S., **Comartin, E.**, Tillander, E., Putans, L., Kern, L. & Raubaut, C. (2018). Barry County Diversion Pilot: Long-term Outcomes Report. Report prepared for the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services.
- Kubiak, S., **Comartin, E.**, Tillander, E., Putans, L., Kern, L. & Raubaut, C. (2018). Berrien County Diversion Pilot: Long-term Outcomes Report. Report prepared for the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services.
- Kubiak, S., **Comartin, E.**, Tillander, E., Putans, L., Kern, L. & Raubaut, C. (2018). Kalamazoo County Diversion Pilot: Long-term Outcomes Report. Report prepared for the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services.

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- Kubiak, S., **Comartin, E.**, Tillander, E., *Putans, L., Kern, L.* & Raubaut, C. (2018). Livingston County Diversion Pilot: Long-term Outcomes Report. Report prepared for the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services.
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- Kubiak, S., **Comartin, E.**, Tillander, E., *Putans, L., Kern, L.* & Raubaut, C. (2018). Monroe County Diversion Pilot: Long-term Outcomes Report. Report prepared for the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services.
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- Kubiak, S., **Comartin, E.**, Tillander, E., *Putans, L., Kern, L.* & Raubaut, C. (2018). Wayne County Diversion Pilot: Long-term Outcomes Report. Report prepared for the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services.
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- Kubiak, S., Tillander, E., **Comartin, E.**, & Ray, B. (2012). Grand Traverse County's Mental Health Court Outcome Evaluation. Report prepared for the Michigan Department of Community Health.
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- Comartin, E.**, Burgess-Proctor, A., Kubiak, S., *Bender, K.*, Kernsmith, P. (2018). Understanding women's sexual offending: A comparative analysis of women and men in a state-wide incarcerated sample. *Society for Social Work and Research*. January 10-14, Washington, DC.
- Shamrova, D.*, Kubiak, S., *Milanovic, E.* & **Comartin, E.** (2018). Enhancement of CIT for youth: Exploring the impact of CIT-Y training on police officers. *Society for Social Work and Research*. January 10-14, Washington, DC.
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**Research
Projects**
05/18-09/20

Smart Reentry Program Evaluation

PI: Erin Comartin, Ph.D., LMSW (\$135,000)

Funder: Michigan Department of Corrections

- Conduct process and outcome evaluation of a reentry program designed to intervene in intergenerational cycle of incarceration

01/14-09/20

Cross Site Evaluation of Mental Health Diversion Pilot Programs

PI: Sheryl Kubiak, Ph.D., Michigan State University (\$896,400)

Funder: Michigan Department of Health & Human Services

Role: Data Director (\$323,000)

- Conceptualization of evaluation procedures and tools
- Data analysis and report writing
- Manage data team members

08/11-12/13

Cross Site Evaluation of Mental Health Courts

PI: Sheryl Kubiak, Ph.D., Michigan State University (\$150,000)

Funder: Michigan Department of Community Health

Role: Data Manager & Analyst (\$24,000)

- Merged, cleaned and verified data from state-level government agencies
- Analyzed, formatted and interpreted data for process and outcome reports
- Wrote sections of both reports

2015

Sex Offender Rights Organizations: Evaluating Policy Tactics and Outcomes

PI: Erin Comartin, Ph.D., LMSW (\$5,000)

Funder: Department of Sociology, Anthropology, Social Work & Criminal Justice, Oakland University

- Conduct follow-up interviews of research participants
- Code and analyze data

2014

Understanding the Creation of 'Less Punitive' Policies for Juvenile Sex Offenders

PI: Erin Comartin, Ph.D., LMSW (\$10,000)

Funder: Faculty Research Fellowship, Oakland University

- Data collection
- Clean, merge and analyze data

10/09-12/11

Wayne County Mental Health Court Evaluation

PI: Sheryl Kubiak, Ph.D., Michigan State University (\$163,000)

Funders: Michigan State Court Administrators Office, Detroit/Wayne County Community Mental Health, & Flinn Foundation of Michigan

Role: Data Manager & Analyst (\$9,000)

- Merged, cleaned and verified data from county-level government agencies
- Analyzed, formatted and interpreted data for process and outcome reports

- Research Projects**
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08/11-08/12
- Collective Action for the Rights of Sex Offenders: Evaluating Social Movement Organizations**
PI: Erin Comartin, Ph.D., LMSW (\$1,990)
Funder: Wayne State University Graduate School
- Dissertation funding to conduct interviews, provide research incentives
 - Conduct data analysis
- Courses Taught**
- Techniques of Quantitative Data Analysis, Fall 2018
 - Theories & Practice of Social Policy & Social Action, Winter 2017-2018
 - Advanced Systems Theories & Practice, Fall 2016-2018
 - Social Work Practice (Macro) II, Winter 2015-2016
 - Social Welfare Policy, Winter 2014-2016
 - Foundations of Multicultural Practice, Winter 2013
 - Human Behavior in the Social Environment II, Winter 2013-2014
 - Human Behavior in the Social Environment I, Fall 2012-2015
 - Research Methods, Data Analysis, and Practice Evaluation I, Winter 2012
 - Research Methods, Data Analysis, and Practice Evaluation II, Fall 2011
 - Field Placement Office, curriculum development & faculty advising, 2011-2012
- Practice Experience**
05/07 to 08/09
- Wayne State University, School of Social Work,
The Center for Social Work Practice and Policy Research, Detroit, Michigan**
Manager of Research Support (.5 FTE Community Practice & .5 FTE Research Assistant)
- Community Practice Role:
- Principle investigator for short-term consultation at Alternatives For Girls. Trained program managers on grant reporting processes.
 - Conducted a community needs assessment for underage drinking and alcohol related traffic fatalities for the Southeastern Michigan Community Alliance.
 - Informed community coalitions on advocacy campaigns using social marketing tools for the Southeastern Michigan Community Alliance.
 - Program evaluator and contract grant writer for many Detroit area organizations.
- Research Assistant Role:
- Supervised master's level research assistants.
 - Created, collected and analyzed survey data.
 - Provided research assistance to faculty.
- 09/06 to 11/07
- Alternatives For Girls, Detroit, Michigan**
Associate & Interim Director-Shelter & Transition to Independent Living Program
- Supervised and trained direct care staff.
 - Measured and analyzed program outcomes.
 - As part of a grant writing team, successfully secured \$2M over five years from The U.S. Department of Human Services.
 - Planned for improved effectiveness of residential programs.
 - Created program design for youth-driven residential council.
- 04/07 to 05/07
- All Saints Neighborhood Center, Detroit, Michigan**
Contract Evaluator
- Evaluated technology program for four collaborating organizations in Southwest Detroit.
 - Researched and composed written evaluation and future needs assessment for the Microsoft Corporation.

- Practice Experience**
(con't)
09/06 to 04/07
- Skillman Center for Children, Detroit, Michigan**
MSW degree field placement- Research & Program Development
- Provided health education training to entry level workers in an employment training program.
 - Identified policy and intervention implications for 'best practices' poster for annual report.
 - Researched and created a program for the agency to provide continuing education courses for social work licensure.
 - Co-authored state approved childbirth education and parenting curriculums for the Detroit Health Department.
- 04/05 to 09/06
- Alternatives For Girls, Detroit, Michigan**
Teen Parent Services Manager & Curriculum Coordinator
- Managed staff of case planners who provided services to residential and non-residential pregnant and parenting teens.
 - Maintained case load of participants.
 - Wrote reports and oversaw budgets for three teen parent contracts.
 - Designed and implemented career development curriculum for homeless girls.
 - Modified pre-existing Transition to Independent Living curriculum.
 - Represented staff members on Board of Director's strategic plan steering committee.
 - Maintained relationships with of non-profit community organizations.
- 08/05 to 04/06
- American Civil Liberties Union of Michigan, Detroit, Michigan**
MSW degree field placement- Program Development, Community Organizing and Policy
- Researched, proposed and implemented a new intake program.
 - Built a coalition for policy initiatives with citizens, community organizations, law enforcement officials, education and health care professionals, and state representatives.
 - Analyzed policy implications for the coalition and target population.
 - Coordinated the coalition for a hearing at the Michigan House of Representatives.
- 08/03 to 4/05
- Family Youth Interventions, Mt. Clemens, Michigan**
Intervention Counselor
- Monitored safety of youths ages 12-17 in crisis shelter.
 - Facilitated group therapy and life skills courses daily (ex. decision-making, coping skills, healthy nutrition & cooking, etc.).
 - Shadowed family therapy sessions.
- 08/03 to 05/04
- Turning Point, Inc., Mt. Clemens, Michigan**
Crisis Line/Resident Advocate
- Provided referrals and resources to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.
 - Supervised resident safety and needs while in shelter.
 - Developed and maintained a comprehensive spreadsheet for program reports.
 - Collaborated with local police departments and forensic nurses to advocate for sexual assault victims.
 - Co-facilitated discussion groups regarding the dynamics of violence.
- 10/02 to 03/03
- Presbyterian Support Otago, Dunedin, New Zealand**
Postgraduate Diploma of Arts field placement- Client Advocate/Food Bank Interviewer
- Assessed of client needs for food, housing, clothing, budgeting, employment, and life skills.
 - Advocated for client needs at Work and Income New Zealand (Social Welfare Department) and Housing New Zealand.
 - Utilized referrals and resources to acquire further needs for clients.
 - Supervised budgets for court mandated clients.

- Practice Experience**
(con't)
01/00 to 11/00
- AmeriCorps National Civilian Community Corps, Perry Point, Maryland**
Cadet
- Managed team as assistant team leader.
 - Tutored, mentored and substitute taught- Baltimore, MD.
 - Painted and framed homes- Habitat for Humanity, Boston, MA.
 - Conducted educational tours and provided labor on organic farm- Wiscasset, ME.
 - Rehabilitated a community center in Providence, RI.
 - Coordinated orientation programs for future cadets.
- 09/97 to 08/98
- AmeriCorps Oakland Rochester, Michigan**
Cadet
- Tutored and mentored elementary & middle school age children in reading and math in inner-city school system.
 - Created and implemented after school science club.
 - Helped community leaders with volunteer projects such as Character Counts, Options for Preteens, and America Reads.
- Community Service**
03/08 to present
- Coalition for a Useful Registry, Professional Advisory Board, Michigan**
Consulting Member
- Legislative advocacy with state and federal representatives to amend social policy regarding sex offender registration and notification.
 - Participation on the juvenile & research committees.
- 03/15 to 10/15
- West Bloomfield Township Diversity Committee**
Team Lead and Member
- Team Lead for Grievance & Ethics Committees
 - Member of Township Employee Demographics Team
 - Member of Words Matter Subcommittee
 - Delivered presentation to Township Board of Trustees
 - Data analysis and report writing
- 04/09 to 05/12
- Michigan Association for Evaluation, Michigan**
Secretary of the Board
- Professional Development Committee member, 2009-2010.
 - Membership Development Committee member, 2010-2011.
 - Conference Planning Committee member, 2011-present.
- 10/10 to 12/11
- Alternatives For Girls, Detroit, MI**
Program Committee Board Member
- Assist program directors with strategic planning through internal data collection.
 - Review program documentation for fidelity.
 - Assist programs with barriers to effectiveness.
- Coordinate and facilitate internal assessment for three year strategic plan, presented to the Board of Directors, Fall 2011.

Professional Service

Reviewer for:

- Zwerdling Award- Wayne State University School of Social Work's annual thesis award- 2018
- Sexual Abuse: A Journal of Research & Treatment- 2018-present
- Violence & Victims- 2016-present
- Criminal Justice Policy Review- 2016-present
- Children & Youth Services Review- 2015-present
- Journal of Community Practice- 2015-present
- Criminal Justice Studies- 2015-present
- Psychology, Crime, & Law- 2014-present
- Journal of Interpersonal Violence- 2013-present

Conference Session Chair:

- Annual International Conference on Social Sciences. August 4-7, 2014, Athens, Greece. Session VII: Constructed Realities I

Conference Abstract Reviewer:

- Council on Social Work Education's Annual Program Meeting, 2017-present
- Society for Social Work and Research, 2018-present

Honors & Awards

- Department Scholarship Award, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, Social Work & Criminal Justice, Oakland University, 2016
- Faculty Recognition Honoree for Research, Oakland University, 2015
- Graduate Teaching Assistantship, Wayne State University, 2011-2012
- Thomas C. Rumble Fellowship, Wayne State University, 2009-2011
- Elizabeth N. Brehler Endowed Scholar's Program 2009 manuscript winner, \$3,000. Titled: "Dissonance between feminist and social work values: A personal exploration of anger"
- Graduate Professional Scholarship, Wayne State University, 2005-2007

Professional Licensure/ Associations

- Association for Community Organization & Social Administration, 2017-present
- Society for Social Work & Research, 2012-present
- American Society of Criminology, 2015-present
- Sex Offense Policy and Research Group of the American Society of Criminology, 2015-present
- Michigan Master's Social Worker License Number: 6801089251