

Kevin Cody, PhD

Curriculum Vitae

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Positions Held

- 2020—present Hoch Cunningham Professor of Practice in Food Systems, Tufts University
- 2019—present Farmer Training Program Manager, New Entry Sustainable Farming Project
Tufts University
- 2018 Executive Director, Northern Colorado Food Cluster
- 2015—2018 Faculty Instructor, Environmental and Sustainability Studies
University of Northern Colorado
- 2012—2013 Graduate Instructor, Sociology Department, University of California, Santa Cruz
- 2006—2013 Teaching Assistant, Sociology Department; Community Studies
University of California, Santa Cruz

Education

- 2015 Ph.D., Sociology, University of California, Santa Cruz**
Dissertation: “The Internationalization of Alternative Food Networks: Farmer’s Markets, Community Gardens, and Agricultural Exchange”
- 2009 M.A., Sociology, University of California, Santa Cruz**
Thesis: “The Sustainable Generation of Farmers: Barriers to the Reproduction of Labor in Organic Agriculture.”
- 2002 B.A., Sonoma State University, Rohnert Park, CA**
Areas of Concentration: Anthropology, sociology, and economic globalization
Honors: Magna cum Laude

Publications

- Cody, K. 2018. Community gardens and the making of organic subjects: A case study from the Peruvian Andes. *Agriculture and Human Values*, 1-12. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10460-018-9895-z>
- Cody, K. 2016. Organic farming and international exchange: Participant perceptions of North-South transferability. *International Journal of Agricultural Sustainability*, 1-13
<http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/14735903.2016.1173989>

- Cody, K. 2015. “*La misma realidad de cada lugar es diferente*” (“The same reality of each place is different”): A case study of an organic farmer’s market in Lima, Peru. *Journal of Agriculture, Food Systems, and Community Development*, 5(3), 53-69. <http://dx.doi.org/10.5304/jafscd.2015.052.011>
- Cody, K. 2002. Microradio and Media Activism, in *Censored 2003: The Top 25 Censored Stories*, edited by Peter Philips and Project Censored, NY: Seven Stories Press, pp. 205-210.

Select Grants

- 2020 *Project Manager*, “Marketing and Legal Risk Management for Beginning Farmers Accessing Wholesale Markets,” Northeast Extension Risk Management Education
- 2019 *Project Manager*, “Building Experiential Agroecology Curriculum through New Entry’s Crop Production Course,” Tufts University Innovates Grant
- 2019 *Project Manager*, “Outreach, Training, and USDA Program Connections for Underserved Veteran, Immigrant, Refugee, and Socially Disadvantaged Farmers,” USDA 2501 Program
- 2019 *Project Director*, “Preparing Diverse Beginning Farmers for Growth: New Entry Expands FSMA Training and On-Farm Technical Assistance,” Food Safety Outreach Program, USDA
- 2018 *Project Director*: City of Fort Collins Cluster Initiative, Northern Colorado Food Cluster
- 2017 *Principle Investigator*: “Examining the Influence of Agrarian Contexts on an Emerging Student Farm Program,” Research, Dissemination, and Faculty Development Grant, University of Northern Colorado
- 2015 *Project Manager*, “Local Food, Local Places.” Technical assistance award, Environmental Protection Agency
- 2010 *Principal Investigator*: “Diffusion of Innovations in Sustainable Agriculture: Accounting for Adaptability in a Multinational Farmer-to-Farmer Network,” Center for Agroecology and Sustainable Food Systems (CASFS) Grant, UC Santa Cruz
- 2009 *Principle Investigator*: “Knowledge Production and Exchange in a Multinational Farmer-to-Farmer Network: Case Studies in Peru and Ecuador,” Chicano/Latino Research Center Travel Grant, UC Santa Cruz

Teaching Experience

Professor of Practice, Environmental Studies/Friedman School, Tufts University

2020-2021 Global Alternative Food Networks; Practicing in Food Systems

Farmer Training Program Manager, New Entry Sustainable Farming Project

2019-2020 Sustainable Crop Production; Farm Business Planning

Faculty Instructor, Environmental and Sustainability Studies, University of Northern Colorado

- 2016-2018 Food Systems Field Learning; Introduction to Environmental Studies; International Sustainable Development; Food Systems and Agrarian Change; Farm Harvest and Distribution; Sustainability and Capitalism; American Environmental Worldviews; Environmental Social Movements
- 2015-2016 Introduction to Environmental Studies (Fall & Spring); Sustainable Living; Sustainable Food Systems; Permaculture Design; Sustainability and Capitalism

Adjunct Faculty, University of Northern Colorado

- 2015 Leadership Studies: Urban Farming (Summer)
- 2015 Social Sciences: A Global Perspective (Spring)
- 2015 Environmental and Sustainability Studies: Urban Agriculture (Spring)

University-Level Instructorships, UCSC, Sociology Department

- 2013 Sociology of Food
- 2012 Social Change in the Global Economy; World Society

Graduate Teaching Assistantships, UCSC, Sociology and Community Studies Departments

- 2013 Introduction to Community Organizing; Development and Underdevelopment
- 2011 World Society (Fall & Winter); Introduction to Sociology
- 2009 Classical Sociological Theory; World Society
- 2008 Issues and Problems in American Society; Development and Underdevelopment
- 2007 Nature, Poverty, Progress; World Society; Research Methods
- 2006 World Society; Introduction to Sociology

Select Conference Presentations

- 2019 “The evolution of farm incubators and beginning farmer training programs,” panel presentation at National Incubator Farm Training Initiative Field School, Ithaca, New York.
- 2019 “The evolution of two farm incubators in a changing food system,” panel presentation at the National Farm Viability Conference, Red Wing, Minnesota.
- 2017 “Building Sustainable Food Systems Programming and Community Partnerships: A Case Study of the UNC Student Farm,” poster presentation at the Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education, San Antonio, Texas.
- 2016 “Student farming and community engaged learning,” poster presentation at Campus Compact of the Mountain West, Greeley, Colorado.
- 2016 “Community gardens and the making of organic subjects: A case study from the Peruvian Andes,” paper presented at the XIV World Congress of Rural Sociology, Toronto, Canada.

- 2016 “An island of organic produce in a sea of conventional corn: Ruminations from a new student farm on the western plains,” session presentation at the annual Sustainable Agriculture Education Association, Santa Cruz, California.
- 2016 “Organic farming and international exchange: Participant perceptions of North-South transferability,” paper presented at the annual meeting of American Association of Geographers, San Francisco, California.
- 2014 “*“La misma realidad de cada lugar es diferente”*” (“The same reality of each place is different”): Case study of an organic farmers’ market in Lima, Peru,” paper presented at the University of Vermont Food Systems Summit, Burlington, Vermont.

Invited Talks and Lectures

- 2020 “Alternative Food Movements and Farmer Viability: An International Perspective,” Hoch Cunningham Environmental Lecture Series, Tufts University.
- 2019 “Exploring the Role of Beginning Farmers, Peri-Urban Agriculture, and Direct Markets in Bridging Geographic Divides,” Urban Environmental Planning Colloquium Series, Tufts University.
- 2016 “From Local Food to Food Justice: Rethinking Food System Localization,” given at Wolverine Farm Letterpress & Publick House, Fort Collins, Colorado.
- 2014 “*“La misma realidad de cada lugar es diferente”*” (“The same reality of each place is different”): Case study of an organic farmers’ market in Lima, Peru,” presented at the Center for Fair and Alternative Trade, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, Colorado.

Fellowships, and Awards

- 2011 Outstanding Teaching Assistant, University of California, Santa Cruz
- 2008 Graduate Student Paper Award, Rural Sociological Society Annual Conference
- 2006 Regent’s Fellowship, University of California, Santa Cruz

Training and Professional Development

- 2020 Unpacking Whiteness Dialogue Series, Tufts University
- 2019 Produce Safety Alliance Trainer Training, Charleston, South Carolina
- 2019 Salesforce Bootcamp Training with 501 Partners, Boston, Massachusetts
- 2019 Produce Safety Alliance, Grower Training, Beverly, Massachusetts
- 2018 Online Program Development, Extended Campus, Instructional Design and Development, UNCO
- 2017 Board Bank Training, United Way
- 2016 Faculty Forum on Creating Community Engaged Course Designation, Center for Enhancement of Teaching and Learning, UNCO
- 2015 Teaching Academy for Online Learning, Instructional Design and Development, UNCO

Professional and Community Service

2019	Project participant, “Developing Core Competencies for Food System Curriculum,” Ohio State University and USDA Agricultural Marketing Service
2017-2018	President, Northern Colorado Food Cluster Board of Directors
2016-2017	Food Access Committee Chair, Northern Colorado Food Cluster Board of Directors
2016-2017	Faculty Liaison, Honors Program, University of Northern Colorado
2014-2017	Program/Farm Manager, University of Northern Colorado Student Farm at Wise Acres
2015-2016	Project Lead, Environmental Protection Agency, “Local Food, Local Places.” Technical assistance grant that included convening community stakeholders for two-day workshop.
2015-present	Peer Reviewer: <i>Agriculture and Human Values</i>
2010-2015	Board Member, Multinational Exchange for Sustainable Agriculture

Languages

Spanish proficiency