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## EDUCATION

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June 2019- Present	Master of Public Health Candidate, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health (Baltimore, MD) Faculty advisor: Dr. Holly Wilcox. Courses in-progress: Problem Solving in Public Health, Social and Behavioral Aspects of Public Health. Intended graduation date: December 2021.
May 2016	Master of Arts, Department of Sociology, University of Memphis (Memphis, TN) Thesis: "Missing the Mark: The Perceived Role of Family Members in the Stigma, Silence, and Misunderstanding around Suicidality." Committee: Dr. Seth Abrutyn, Dr. Anna Mueller, Dr. Carol Rambo
May 2013	Bachelor of Arts, Cum Laude, Psychology and Spanish, Elon University (Elon, NC) January-June 2012: Study Abroad Student at Universidad Europea de Madrid (Madrid, Spain) Capstone: "The Effects of Linguistic Relativity on Learning." Major professor: Dr. Mat Gendle
May 2010	Associate of Arts, Summa Cum Laude, Transfer Studies, Anne Arundel Community College (Arnold, MD)
2008-2009	Foreign Exchange Student, Instituto Chilavert, José León Suárez (Buenos Aires, Argentina)

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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Suicide; mental health; mental illness; stigma; public health; violent acts; youth and child development; children and families; education; urban sociology; languages; cultures; global health

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## POSITIONS HELD

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Jan. 2017-Present	Recruitment Coordinator, Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth (Baltimore, MD)
May 2015-Jan. 2017	Research and Development Analyst, City of Memphis Office of Youth Services (Memphis, TN) Formerly: Job Developer, MPLOY Youth Summer Experience, City of Memphis Office of Youth Services
Aug. 2014-May 2016	Graduate Assistant, Department of Sociology, University of Memphis (Memphis, TN)
Feb. 2014-Aug. 2014	Client Relations Representative, YWCA of Annapolis and Anne Arundel County (Arnold, MD)
Sep. 2013-May 2014	Community Interpreter—Spanish, Anne Arundel County Public Schools (Annapolis, MD)
Jun. 2013-Nov. 2013	Conference Coordinator and Programs Intern, Active Minds, Inc. (Washington DC)
Aug. 2012-May 2013	Special Programs Assistant, Global Education Center, Elon University (Elon, NC)

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## PUBLICATIONS

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**Binnix, Taylor**, Carol Rambo, Seth Abrutyn and Anna Mueller. 2017. "The Dialectics of Stigma, Silence, and Misunderstanding in Suicidality Survival Narratives." *Deviant Behavior*. DOI: 10.1080/01639625.2017.1399753

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## SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

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- Binnix, Taylor**. Forthcoming in 2019. "Perceptions of Familial Support Around Suicidal Crises." Maryland's 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Suicide Prevention Conference (Baltimore, MD).
- Binnix, Taylor**. April 2019. "Activate Awesome: Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth." Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth Information Session (open-invite). (Mamaroneck, NY).
- Binnix, Taylor**. March 2019. "Activate Awesome: Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth." Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth Information Session (open-invite). (San Francisco, CA; Los Angeles, CA).
- Binnix, Taylor**. October 2018. "Activate Awesome: Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth." Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth Information Session (open-invite). (Stamford, CT; New York, NY).

**Binnix, Taylor**, Carol Rambo, Seth Abrutyn, and Anna Mueller. May 2017. "The Dialectics of Stigma, Silence, and Misunderstandings in Suicidality Narratives." 13<sup>th</sup> Congress of Qualitative Inquiry (Urbana, IL).

**Binnix, Taylor**. October 2016. "Stigma, Silence, and Misunderstanding around Suicidality: Framing Suicidality with Goffman's *Stigma*." Graduate Seminar in Sociological Theory, Guest Lecturer (Memphis, TN).

Douglas, Joyce, **Taylor Binnix**, Crystelle Hunter, Denita Hedgeman, Audrey Coleman, Drusheena Kyles. September 2016. "Are You Ready for Work?: *How to Write a Winning Résumé* by Taylor Binnix." Professional Development Workshop Series Fall 2016, hosted by the Memphis Office of Youth Services (Memphis, TN).

**Binnix, Taylor M.** April 2016. "Suicidality and the Family: Missing the Mark vis-à-vis Integration and Stigma." Southern Sociological Society 79th Annual Meeting (Atlanta, GA).

**Binnix, Taylor M.**, Anna S. Mueller, and Seth Abrutyn. March 2016. "Missing the Mark: The Perceived Role of Family Members in Living through Suicidality." American Association of Suicidology Annual Conference (Chicago, IL).

Carter, Michael, Justin Van Ness, Jennifer Schlosser, and Erika Summers-Effler. Presider: **Taylor Binnix**. April 2015. "Directions in Sociological Theory." Southern Sociological Society 78th Annual Meeting (New Orleans, LA).

**Binnix, Taylor**. April 2013. "Psychoanalysis of Societal Influence on Mother-Daughter Relationships in Short Stories by Grandes, Peri Rossi" (*translated from Spanish*). Student Undergraduate Research Forum (Elon, NC).

Felten, Peter and **Taylor Binnix**. April 2013. "Engaging Students as Partners in Teaching, Learning, and SoTL." The SoTL Commons: A Conference for the Scholarship of Teaching & Learning (Savannah, GA).

Felten, Peter and **Taylor Binnix**. January 2012. "Raising Student Voices: Developing Democratic Engagement through Dialogue about Teaching and Learning." American Association of Colleges and Universities Annual Meeting (Washington DC).

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## NEWS AND MEDIA FEATURES

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Jun. 2019	Benevolent Bubbles, Featured Story <a href="https://www.benevolentbubbles.org/stories">https://www.benevolentbubbles.org/stories</a>
Sep. 2018	Blog Post: Building Puentes: Finding a Family by Taylor Binnix (Maguayo Dorado, Puerto Rico) <a href="https://demdsynod.org/building-puentes-finding-a-family/">https://demdsynod.org/building-puentes-finding-a-family/</a>
Jun. 2018	Blog Post: Meet the Mentees featuring Taylor Binnix of Charm City Spotlight <a href="https://blairblogs.com/meet-the-mentees/">https://blairblogs.com/meet-the-mentees/</a>
Nov. 2016	Local Memphis Live with Amy Speropoulous on Channel 24, featuring Taylor Binnix of the Memphis Office of Youth Services (Memphis, TN) <a href="http://www.clipsyndicate.com/video/playlist/8178/6670765?title=homepage_channel">http://www.clipsyndicate.com/video/playlist/8178/6670765?title=homepage_channel</a>
Oct. 2016	New at 6 on WREG News Channel 3: Weekly Series Aimed at Helping Memphis Youth with Job Skills (Memphis, TN) <a href="http://wreg.com/2016/10/18/memphis-teens-young-adults-get-opportunity-to-learn-free-job-skills/">http://wreg.com/2016/10/18/memphis-teens-young-adults-get-opportunity-to-learn-free-job-skills/</a>
Aug. 2016	Acknowledgements in <i>Handbook of Contemporary Sociological Theory</i> (page xi), edited by Seth Abrutyn. Springer.
Nov. 2015	Blog Post: University of Memphis Sociology Student Spotlight: Taylor Binnix <a href="http://blogs.memphis.edu/sociologyblog/2015/11/17/18/">http://blogs.memphis.edu/sociologyblog/2015/11/17/18/</a>
Nov. 2015	Newsletter: can you hear me? stories of people who have survived suicide attempts, Research Study Ad. <a href="http://tspn.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/09/CYHM-13M.pdf">http://tspn.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/09/CYHM-13M.pdf</a>
Sep. 2013	Quote in <i>A Student Guide to Study Abroad</i> (page 68), by Stacie Nevadomski Berdan, Allan Goodman, and Sir Cyril Taylor GBE. Institute of International Education.

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## HONORS AND AWARDS

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May 2019	Certificate of Completion: <i>Project Management</i> , presented by Dr. Yuval Bar-Or. Hosted by the Carey Business School, Johns Hopkins University.
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Jun. 2018	<i>Executive Certificate in Business Communication</i> , presented by Dr. Steven D. Cohen. Hosted by the Carey Business School, Johns Hopkins University.
Apr. 2018	Certificate of Completion: <i>Persuasive Communication</i> , presented by Dr. Steven D. Cohen. Hosted by the Carey Business School, Johns Hopkins University.
Dec. 2017	Certificate of Completion: <i>Effective Workplace Presentations</i> , presented by Dr. Steven D. Cohen. Hosted by Carey Business School, Johns Hopkins University.
Jun. 2017	Certificate of Completion: <i>Powerful Public Speaking</i> , presented by Dr. Steven D. Cohen. Hosted by the Carey Business School, Johns Hopkins University.

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## **SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY**

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Jan. 2019-Present	Board Secretary for the <a href="#">Patterson Park Neighborhood Association</a> (Baltimore, MD)
Aug. 2018-Present	Volunteer Grandparent/Family Member for <a href="#">Thread, Inc.</a> (Baltimore, MD)
Mar. 2018-Present	Content Creator for <a href="#">Charm City Spotlight</a> (Baltimore, MD)
Jan. 2018-Present	Active Member of the <a href="#">Patterson Park Neighborhood Association</a> (Baltimore, MD)
Nov. 2017-Present	Volunteer Transcriptionist for <a href="#">Live Through This</a> (Remote)
Jul. 2016-Jan. 2017	Board Member for the Memphis Youth Services Foundation (Memphis, TN)
May 2013-Aug. 2014	Committee Member for the Youth Suicide Awareness Action Team of AACo. (Annapolis, MD)
Aug. 2012-May 2013	Chair of the Transfer Student Experience Improvement Committee (Elon, NC)
Aug. 2006-May 2008	Chair of the Youth Planning Committee for WoodsWork Mission Trip (Severna Park, MD)

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## **PROFESSIONAL SKILLS**

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Fluent in Spanish (reading, writing, speaking, translating, interpreting); Qualitative research methodology; Data analysis; Program management; Project management; Event planning; HR onboarding and staff training; Fundraising and outreach; Public speaking; Customer service; Writing and editing; Transcribing. Advanced computer skills: WordPress, NEOGOV HR Software, IBM SPSS Statistics Software, QSR NVivo Software, MS Office Suite (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook), Typing speed: 90 wpm.