

# MALISSA ALINOR

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## EDUCATION

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2021 (Expected)	PhD, Sociology University of Georgia
2017	MA, Sociology University of Georgia
2015	BA, Sociology, <i>summa cum laude</i> University of Florida Minor: African American Studies, Business Administration

## RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

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Race and Ethnicity, Work and Organizations, Social Psychology, Health, Gender, Mixed Methods

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

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- Alinor, Malissa** and Justine Tinkler. "Take Off Your Hoodie: Attire and the Threatening Perception of Black Men." Forthcoming. *Du Bois Review*.
- Tinkler, Justine, Jody Clay-Warner, and **Malissa Alinor**. 2018. "Communicating about Affirmative Consent: How the Threat of Punishment Affects Policy Support and Gender Stereotypes." *Journal of Interpersonal Violence* 33 (21): 3344-3366.

## MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

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- Alinor, Malissa**. "Feeling Racial Discrimination: Examining the Feeling Rules and Coping Strategies Related to Experiencing Racial Discrimination."
- Francis, Linda and **Malissa Alinor**. "Bereavement Adaptation as Deflection Resolution: Bereaved Caregivers Redefine the Event of Dying." *Revise and Resubmit*.
- Tinkler, Justine, Jody Clay-Warner and **Malissa Alinor**. "Sexual Harassment Training and Men's Motivation to Work with Women."

## MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

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- Alinor, Malissa** and Ronald L. Simons. "Mapping Perceived Racial Discrimination through the Life Course."
- Alinor, Malissa**. "The Impact of Racial Microaggressions on the Influence Behaviors of Black Workers."

## FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, & AWARDS

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2021	Research Grant, <i>Department of Sociology, University of Georgia</i> (\$1300)
2020-2021	Southern Regional Education Board (SREB) Dissertation Award
2020	Dean's Award, <i>University of Georgia Franklin College</i> (\$4500)
	Innovative and Interdisciplinary Research Grant, <i>University of Georgia</i> (\$2000)
2019-2020	American Sociological Association Minority Fellowship Program
2019	International Travel Grant, <i>University of Georgia Office of Research</i> (\$2000)
2018	B.O. Williams Outstanding Graduate Student MA Award, <i>Department of Sociology, University of Georgia</i>
2017	Ford Foundation Pre-Doctoral Fellowship, Honorable Mention
2016	Center for Research and Engagement in Diversity Seed Grant, <i>University of Georgia Franklin College</i> (\$500)
2015-2017	GRO Fellowship, <i>The Graduate School, University of Georgia</i>
2013	Anderson Scholar Award, <i>distinction, University of Florida</i>
2011-2015	Presidential Scholarship, <i>University of Florida</i>
2011-2015	Bright Futures Scholarship, <i>Florida Department of Education</i>

## INVITED TALKS

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- Alinor, Malissa. 2018. "On the Utility of Experimental Methods in Sociology." *Lecture Series*. Oglethorpe University.
- Alinor, Malissa. 2018. "'Pull up your Pants': Testing the Relationship between Attire and Perceived Threat." *Laboratory for the Study of Social Interaction Speaker Series*. University of Georgia.

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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- Alinor, Malissa. 2020. "'It's So Annoying:' How Black and Asian Americans Understand and Cope with Racism." In *American Sociological Association Annual Meeting*. Virtual Conference.
- Alinor, Malissa. 2020. "Feeling Racial Discrimination: How Social Support Matters for Emotionally Processing Racially Discriminatory Events." In *Southern Sociological Society Conference*. Jacksonville, Florida. *Cancelled*.
- Alinor, Malissa. 2019. "Understanding the Emotional Impact of Sharing Personal Experiences of Racial Discrimination." In *Group Processes ASA Pre-conference*. New York, New York.
- Alinor, Malissa, Cerenity Collins and Dawn T. Robinson. 2019. "Predicting Emotional Responses to Experienced Racism." In *International Society for Research on Emotion*. Amsterdam, Netherlands.

- Alinor, Malissa. 2018. "Attire and the Criminal Perception of Black Men." In *Group Processes ASA Pre-Conference*. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- Alinor, Malissa. 2018. "Black Women: The Forgotten Victims of Sexual Assault?" In *Southern Sociological Society Conference*. New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Alinor, Malissa. 2018. "How Does Attire Influence the Criminal Perception of Black Men." In *Southern Sociological Society Conference*. New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Alinor, Malissa. 2017. "Hoodie or Suit: How do Black Men Avoid Being Stereotyped as Criminal?" In *Southern Sociological Society Conference*. Greenville, South Carolina.

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### **ADDITIONAL PRESENTATIONS & WORKSHOPS**

- Alinor, Malissa. 2018. "How does Attire influence the Criminal Perception of Black Men?" Invited Paper for the Race and Diversity Workshop in Sociology.

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### **TEACHING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

#### *Instructor of Record*

- Social Psychology of Race, Racism, and Discrimination (2 sections)  
Social Psychology (1 section)

#### *Teaching Assistant*

- Teaching Sociology Graduate Seminar (1 section)  
Research Methods in Criminal Justice Writing Coach (2 sections)  
Social Psychology of Race, Racism, and Discrimination (1 section)

#### *Research Assistant*

- Laboratory for the Study of Social Interaction (LaSSI)  
Project Manager: "Sexual Harassment Partner Training Study," 2018-2019  
PI: Justine Tinkler and Jody Clay-Warner  
Project Manager: "University Policy Study," 2017-2018  
PI: Justine Tinkler and Jody Clay-Warner

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### **SERVICE**

#### *Service to the Discipline*

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| 2020-Present | Managing Editor, <i>Social Psychology Quarterly</i>                        |
| 2020-2021    | Chair, Graduate Student Advisory Committee, ASA Social Psychology Section  |
| 2019-2020    | Member, Graduate Student Advisory Committee, ASA Social Psychology Section |

#### *Ad-Hoc Reviewer*

- Social Problems

#### *Departmental Service*

- SGSS Invited Speaker Chair, 2019-2020  
President, Sociology Graduate Student Society, 2018-2019

Lab Manager, Laboratory for the Study of Social Interaction, 2017-2019  
Vice President, Sociology Graduate Student Society, 2017-2018  
Sociology Colloquium Committee, 2017-2018  
Assistant Lab Manager, Laboratory for the Study of Social Interaction, 2017

*University Service*

Panelist, University of Georgia Graduate School Future Scholars Program, 2017  
Teaching Resources Manager, Sociological Graduate Student Society, 2016-2017  
Peer Mentor, University of Georgia Graduate School, 2016-2017  
Social Affairs Committee, Graduate and Professional Scholars, 2016-2017

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

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American Sociological Association  
*Sections:* Emotions, Racial and Ethnic Minorities,  
Social Psychology  
Southern Sociological Society