

STEPPING INTO QUEER PARENTING: RACE, RECOGNITION, AND COLOR CONSCIOUSNESS WITH DR. KATIE L. ACOSTA

The Wake Forest Department of Sociology is hosting a series of talks and interviews with sociologists studying race and racism in law, medicine, family, education, and culture.



Dr. Acosta is Associate Professor in the Department of Sociology at Georgia State University.

Her research and scholarly interests center the intersections of gender, sexuality, Latinx Studies, race/ethnicity, family, and immigration.

Her second book, *Queer Stepfamilies: The Path to Social and Legal Recognition* centers the social, and legal experiences of lesbian bisexual, queer and transgender parented stepfamilies before and after marriage equality. *Queer Stepfamilies*, which highlights the complex dynamics that influence parenting under these

circumstances and the ingenious ways respondents make their families work.

The talk will focus on the strategies that mixed-race and racially minoritized stepfamilies led by lesbian, bisexual transgender or queer parents used to make themselves intelligible as family to others.

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