

# Natalie Judean Sheets

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## Education

East Tennessee State University	Johnson City, TN	<i>Masters in Sociology</i>	2014
East Tennessee State University	Johnson City, TN	<i>Bachelor of Social Science</i>	2011
Wilkes Community College	West Jefferson, NC	<i>Associate Degree in Arts</i>	2009

## Work Experience

Appalachian State University <i>Lecturer of Sociology</i>	Boone, NC	2024-Present
Wilkes Community College <i>Sociology/Psychology Lead Instructor</i>	Wilkesboro, NC	2015-Present
East Tennessee State University <i>Graduate &amp; Teaching Assistant</i>	Johnson City, TN	2012-2014

## Additional Competencies

- 19 hours of Graduate course work in Psychology
- Western Representative for NCCCSPA in Sociology
- Certified in On-line Instruction and proficiency in Distance Learning
- Completed CORE Training
- Training in Blackboard, Moodle, Watermark, and Echo
- Annual training in KnowBe4
- Experienced and skilled in synchronous, asynchronous, and hyflex classrooms
- Microsoft: Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Spreadsheets
- Skilled in SPSS software
- Clear and effective writer and speaker; generate enthusiasm in others
- Relate easily with all kinds of people; work well independently and as member of a team

## Professional Experience

### Research

- Participated in one semester of mindfulness research at Appalachian State
- Thesis on “Single Mothers and Religiosity”
- Administered surveys at Applied Social Research Lab (ASRL)
- Administered surveys for the Johnson City Police Department
- Performed data analysis for ASRL

### Teaching Experience

- Lecturer of Sociology at Appalachian State University
- Instructor of Sociology, Psychology, and Academic Success at Wilkes Community College
- Guest lecturer in Sociology at East Tennessee State University
- Experience as substitute teacher for Ashe County Schools (Kindergarten – twelfth grade)
- After School Day Care (Kindergarten – sixth grade) Group Leader
- Varied experience working with special needs children ages 21 and under

**Teaching/ Lecturing Contributions**

- Lectured and taught advanced lessons, provided presentation support and developed courses' material and tools.
- Supervised students in their research work and complex assignments.

**Professional Development**

- Board Member of NCCCSPA (Western Representative 2022-Current)
- Presented on Synchronous Classrooms at NCCCSPA annual conference (2023)
- Presented on Student Engagement in Synchronous Classrooms for the North Carolina West Teaching and Learning Hub (2023)
- Certified in QPR – Question, Persuade, Refer (2023)
- Certified in Mental Health First Aid (2023)