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#### **Background**

Professor of Sociology; Doctor of Philosophy (sociology); born in Caracas-Venezuela; previous residency in Venezuela and Britain; fluent in English and Spanish

#### **Education**

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD). Department of Sociology. University of Surrey (UK) 1981

Bachelor of Arts, Honors (B.A. Honors) in Sociology. Department of Sociology University of Kent (UK). 1974

#### **Teaching Positions at Indiana University – Purdue University Fort Wayne**

Professor of Sociology, 2009 to present (Tenured)

Associate Professor of Sociology 2005-2007

#### **Academic Service at Indiana University - Purdue University Fort Wayne**

Sociology Senate Representative 2015-present

Indiana Faculty Board of Review 2016 - present

Sociology Graduate Director January 2012 -2013

Co-Chair Indiana Regional Science Fair

Indiana Faculty Faculty Board of Review (First Alternate)

Sociology Graduate Director (2007 to 2009)

Member of the Graduate Subcommittee of the Education Policy Committee (2006 - 2007)

Member of the International Programs Steering Committee (2006 - 2007)

Member of the Graduate Committee

Sociology Library Liaison (2005)

### **Related Experience (Central University of Venezuela)**

1999-2001. Head, Doctoral Program in Social Science. 1985-1987.

Director. Sociology School. 1983-1985.

Head. Department of Social Theory, Sociology School. 1982-1983

### **Teaching Areas**

Social Theory; Social Policy; Social Exclusion; Marginalization

### **Selected Presentations**

2016. III Forum of the International Sociological Association. Presentation: Corruption and Cheating as the Tragedy of Modern Culture. Vienna, Austria

2015. XXXIII Latin American Studies Association (LASA) Conference. Political Institutions and Administrative Reform in Brazil, Colombia and Venezuela 2000-2010. Puerto Rico

2014. XVIII World Congress of Sociology. Brazil, Colombia, and Venezuela. Policies against Poverty and Inequality: A Comparative Analysis of Results 2000-2010. Yokohama, Japan

2012. December, 20-23. International Conference on Democratic Decentralization, and Peoples' Participation. Kerala Institute of Local Administration (KILA). Democracy, Devolution, and Conditional Cash Transfers in Brazil, Colombia, and Venezuela. Thrissur, India

2011. 60th British Sociological Association Conference (BSA). School Shootings in the USA: Popular Culture as Risk, Teen Marginalization and Violence against Peers. London, UK

2011. 60th British Sociological Association Conference (BSA).. “School Shootings in the USA: Popular Culture as Risk, Teen Marginalization and Violence Against Peers” London

2011. Conflicting Understandings of Democracy. UC2 series COAS

2009. Latin American Studies Association Conference (LASA). Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. “Authoritarianism versus Welfare Policy: The Two Faces of the Bolivarian Revolution.”

2008. August. Invited Conference. “Political Polarization in Venezuela”. Centro de Formacion Economica (CEDICE) Caracas – Venezuela

2007. IX Spanish Congress of Sociology. Barcelona, Spain ‘Social Representations and the Labeling of Non-Compliant Youths’

2007. North Central Sociological Association. Chicago. ‘The Institutional Dynamics of Homelessness: The United States of America and Japan Compared’

2002. British Sociological Association. Manchester, England ‘Globalization and Corporation: The Social Order in the XXI Century ‘

1997. Latin American Congress of Sociology. Mexico City -Mexico ‘Social Expenditure and Taxation in Venezuela’

1995. Latin American Congress of Sociology. Caracas –Venezuela ‘The Venezuelan Plan Against Poverty. PEP’

1995. World Congress of Sociology. Montreal Canada ‘The Concept of Poverty in Latin American Sociology”

## **Professional Experience**

2009. Professor of Sociology. Indiana University –Purdue University Fort Wayne.

2005. Associate Professor of Sociology. Indiana University –Purdue University Fort Wayne.

1999. Full Professor of Sociology. Central University of Venezuela

1996. Consultant for the United Nations Development Program. Member of the team that researched for and wrote the Human Development Report Venezuelan Edition 1996.

1989. Consultant for the United Nations Development Program. Worked in the design of the new organizational structure of the Ministry for Social Development. Also

participated in the design and evaluation of National social programs in the areas of education and health.

1982. Aggregate Professor of Sociology. Central University of Venezuela

1977. Assistant Professor of Sociology. Central University of Venezuela

1975. Instructor of Sociology. Central University of Venezuela

### **Distinctions and Awards**

2011. Visiting Scholar. Center for Iberoamerican Studies. King Juan Carlos University. Madrid. August 2011 – January 2012

2011. Indiana University - Purdue University Fort Wayne. Overseas grant to attend the 60th Conference of the British Sociological Association.

2010. College of Arts and Sciences Dean's Award for Leadership Role of in a Graduate Program. Master of Arts in Sociological Practice.

2009. Indiana University Overseas Conference Fund Grant to attend the LASA conference in Rio, Brazil.

2009. Indiana University- Purdue University. International Grant to attend the LASA conference in Rio, Brazil.

2007. Indiana University - Purdue University. International Grant to attend the IX Spanish Congress of Sociology.

2006. Helmke Library Special Needs Proposal (Indiana University - Purdue University Fort Wayne). The grant was used to prepare the graduate course 'Topics in Policy Analysis'. P562.

2005. Canadian Government Research Scholarship.

2004. Diploma from the National Congress of Sociology and Anthropology Students for contribution to Venezuelan and Latin American Social Science.

2002a. Fulbright Scholar. Department of Sociology, University of Maryland, College-Park. September 2002 - January 2003.

2002b. Fulbright Scholar. Department of Sociology, University of Maryland, College-Park. January 2003- June 2003

2002. Visiting Academic. London School of Economics and Political Science. University

of London. January 2002 -April 2002.

1998. British Council Scholarship Program. Six Months.

1996. Outstanding Research Award. Central University of Venezuela and National Oil Industry (PDVSA) for best research work. Work title: "The Concept of Poverty in Latin American Sociology. The Case of Venezuela"

1996. University Order José María Vargas. This is Central University's award to professors with 20 years of service or more who have observed an ethical conduct in their teaching and research activities.

1976. Grant from the Venezuelan Ministry of Science and Technology to follow a PhD Program in Britain.

Teaching award from the sociology classes of 2002, 2001, 1997, 1996. Central University of Venezuela.

## **Publications**

De Venanzi, A. (2015). *Sistemas políticos y bienestar Social. Estudios Comparados: Brasil, Colombia y Venezuela 2000-2010*. Biblioteca Nueva, Madrid.

Political Regimes and Welfare Policy Outcomes: Brazil, Colombia and Venezuela 2000-2010 Book

De Venanzi, A. (2014). "Brasil, Colombia y Venezuela: El gasto public social y las inversiones en infraestructura para el desarrollo." *Revista Venezolana de Analisis de Coyuntura* 20(1): 71-94

De Venanzi, A. (2012). "School Shootings in the USA: Popular Culture as Risk, Peer Marginalization and Violence against Peers." *Media, crime, and Culture*. 8(3): 261-278

De Venanzi, A. (2010). "Authoritarianism versus Welfare Policy: The Two Faces of the Bolivarian Revolution." *Revista Venezolana de Analisis de Coyuntura* 16(1):52-75

De Venanzi, A. (2008). "The Institutional Dynamics of Homelessness. The United States of America and Japan Compared" *International Journal of Sociology and Social Policy* 28(3/4): 129-145

De Venanzi, A. (2008). "Social Representations and the Labeling of Non-complaint Youths: The Case of Victorian and Edwardian Hooligans." *Deviant Behavior* 29(3):193-224

De Venanzi, A. (2006). "Las miserias del arcaísmo. Un análisis del gobierno del presidente Hugo Chávez". *Revista Venezolana de Análisis de Coyuntura*, 12 (2): 51-79 (The Miseries of Archaism. An Analysis of the Government of Hugo Chavez)

De Venanzi, A. (2004). "Discursive and Social Practices in the Construction of Exclusion.

A Comparative Study" *Electronic Journal of Sociology* [www.sociology.org content/2004/tier1/venanzi.html](http://www.sociology.org/content/2004/tier1/venanzi.html)

De Venanzi, A. (2003). "Street Children and the Excluded Class" *International Journal of Comparative Sociology*, 44(5): 472-494

De Venanzi, A. and Hobaica G. (2003). "Los niños de la Calle. ¿Una clase social?" *Trabajo y Sociedad*, 5(6): 52-70 (Street Children as a Social Class)

(The Finance of Decentralization and its Relationship with Human Development)

De Venanzi, A. (2002). *Globalización y corporación. El orden social en el siglo XXI*. Barcelona: Anthropos. 352 pages.

(Globalization and Corporation: Social Order in the XXI Century)

De Venanzi, A. "Pobreza y desigualdad en la era de la globalización" in Maria Cristina Cacciamali et al (Eds.) (2002). *Los desafíos de la política social en América Latina*. Caracas: Miguel A. García.

(Poverty and Inequality in the Global Age)

De Venanzi, A. (2001). "Medio ambiente y sistema-mundo: la degradación ambiental y el enverdecimiento de los negocios" *Revista Venezolana de Economía y Ciencias Sociales*, 7(1): 133-148

(The Environment and the World-System. Environmental Degradation and the Greening of Business)

De Venanzi, A. (2000). "Acción social y utopía: las coordenadas socioculturales del actor en las sociedades contemporáneas\*", *Revista Venezolana de Economía y Ciencias Sociales*, 2(2): 197-241

(Social Action and Utopia: The Socio-cultural Coordinates of the Actor in Contemporary

Society)

\*Reprinted in Romero, S. (Editors.) (2001). *La sociología venezolana hoy*. Maracaibo: Astro Data.

De Venanzi, A. "El financiamiento de la descentralización y su relación con el Desarrollo Humano" in Phelan. M. (Ed.) (1999). *Indicadores del Desarrollo Humano en Venezuela 1999*. Caracas: PNUD/OCEI

De Venanzi, A (1996a) El concepto de pobreza en la sociología Latinoamericana. El caso de Venezuela", *Revista Venezolana de Análisis de Coyuntura*, 2(2): 105-132

(The Concept of Poverty in Latin American Sociology: The Case of Venezuela)

De Venanzi, A. (1996b). "El concepto de pobreza en el pensamiento sociológico", *Revista Venezolana de Análisis de Coyuntura*, 2 (1): 197-241

(The Concept of Poverty in Sociological Thinking)

De Venanzi, A. (1996c). "Gasto público, gasto social y tributación en Venezuela", *Revista Venezolana de Economía y Ciencias Sociales*, 1: 85-103

(Social Expenditure and Taxation in Venezuela)

De Venanzi, A. "Desarrollo y perspectivas de la sociología en Venezuela" in Alruiz. M. (Editor) (1994). *Ciencia y sociedad en el mundo contemporáneo*, San Cristóbal: UNET.

(Development and Future Perspectives of Sociology in Venezuela)

De Venanzi, A. (1990). *La sociología de las profesiones y la sociología como profesión. Un estudio del papel profesional del sociólogo en la administración pública nacional*. Caracas: Central University of Venezuela Publications. 326 pages.

(The Sociology of Professions and Sociology as a Profession. A Study of the Professional Role of Sociologists in the Venezuelan Public Administration)

De Venanzi, A. (1988). "Tocqueville y la sociología política", *POLITEIA*, 12: 47-56  
(Tocqueville and Political Sociology)

### Non Refereed Publications

De Venanzi, A., and Mujica, M. "Introducción" to Beriain, J. (2001a). *Las formas cambiantes de clasificación*. Caracas: Tropikos.

(Introduction to: The Changing Forms of Social Classification)

De Venanzi, A. "Prologo" a Hevia, O. (2001b). *Reflexiones metodológicas y*

*epistemológicas sobre las ciencias sociales*. Caracas, Tropykos  
(Introduction to: Epistemological Discourses in the Social Sciences)

De Venanzi, A. (1992a). *Criterios internacionales para la evaluación de políticas sociales*. Caracas: PNUD/Min. Familia.  
(International Criteria for the Evaluation of Social Policies)

De Venanzi, A. (1992b). *Matriz para la evaluación de políticas sociales*. Caracas: PNUD/Min. Familia  
(Matrices for the Evaluation of Targeted Social Policies)