

Critical Discourse Analysis and Anthropology as Frameworks to Examine State and Local Educational Policy



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11:30 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.

with Q & A to follow

McHenry 0266 (Ground Floor)

Brown bag lunch with speaker following colloquium

Allison Mattheis, Ph.D., is an assistant professor in the Division of Applied and Advanced Studies in Education at California State University Los Angeles (Cal State L.A.). Her research explores issues of (in)equity in educational experiences and how educators, students, and other stakeholders interact with policy processes as members of multiple communities.

Dr. Mattheis will use examples from her work in Minnesota and California to demonstrate the utility of critical policy studies and sociocultural analyses of policy in ethnographic policy research. She will also discuss how she has engaged students in efforts to support community advocacy with academic research.