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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Associate Professor, Department of Sociology. The Ohio State University. October 2010-present.

Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology. The Ohio State University. September 2004-2010.

Robert Wood Johnson Health and Society Scholar. Harvard University. August 2004-August 2006.

NICHD Postdoctoral Fellow. Population Research Center. The University of Chicago.
September 2002-August 2004.

EDUCATION

Ph.D., The University of Texas at Austin. August 2002. (Sociology. Dissertation Chair: Robert A. Hummer). Dissertation Title: “*The Other Side of the Paradox: the Effect of Migration Experience on Birth Outcomes and Infant Mortality within Mexico.*”

M.A., The University of Texas at Austin. August 1999. (Sociology. Thesis Chair: Bryan R. Roberts). Thesis Title: “*Rural-origin International Migration from Mexico: a Transnational Perspective.*”

B.A., The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. August 1996. (Sociology, Anthropology, and Spanish Language and Literature)

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Social Demography
Racial/Ethnic Inequality
Migration/Immigration

Health Disparities
Social Stratification
Research Methods

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

Akresh, Ilana Redstone, D. Phoung Do and Reanne Frank. Forthcoming. “Segmented Assimilation, Neighborhood Disadvantage, and Hispanic Immigrant Health.” *Social Science and Medicine*

Frank, Reanne. 2015. “Back to the Future?:the Emergence of a Geneticized Conceptualization of Race in Sociology.” *Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Sciences.*

Kroeger, Rhiannon, Reanne Frank and Kammi Schmeer. 2015. “Educational Attainment and Timing to First Union across Three Generations of Mexican Women.” *Population Research and Policy Review* 34(3): 417-435.

Frank, Reanne. 2014. "The Molecular Reinscription of Race: A Comment on "Genetic Bio-Ancestry and Social Construction of Racial Classification in Social Surveys in the Contemporary United States." *Demography* 51(6).

Akresh, Ilana Redstone, Douglas Massey and Reanne Frank. 2014. "Beyond English Proficiency: Rethinking Immigrant Integration." *Social Science Research* 45: 200-2010.

Frank, Reanne and Ilana Redstone Akresh. 2013. "Social Patterning in Body Mass Index (BMI) Among Contemporary Immigrant Groups: the Emergence of a Gradient." *Demography*. 50 (3): 993-1012.

Do, D. Phuong, Reanne Frank and Brian Karl Finch. 2012. "Does SES Explain More of the Black/White Health Gap than We Thought? Revisiting Our Approach Toward Understanding Racial Disparities in Health." *Social Science and Medicine* 1385-1393.

Riosmena, Fernando, Reanne Frank, Ilana Akresh Redstone and Rhiannon Kroeger. 2012. "U.S. Migration, Translocality, and the Acceleration of the Nutrition Transition in Mexico." *Annals of the Association of American Geographers*.

Akresh, Ilana Redstone and Reanne Frank. 2011. "At the Intersection of Self and Other: English Language Ability and Immigrant Labor Market Outcomes." *Social Science Research* 40(5): 1362-1370.

Frank, Reanne and Eileen Bjornstrom. 2011. "A Tale of Two Cities: Residential Context and Risky Behavior among Adolescents in Los Angeles and Chicago." *Health and Place* 17 (67-77).

Frank, Reanne, Ilana Redstone Akresh and Bo Lu. 2010. "Latino Immigrants and the U.S. Racial Order: How and Where Do They Fit In?" *American Sociological Review* 75 (3) 370-401.

Finch, Brian Kart, Phoenix Do, Reanne Frank and Teresa Seeman. 2009. "Could 'Acculturation' Effects be Explained by Latent Health Disadvantages among Mexican Immigrants." *International Migration Review* 43(3): 471-495.

Frank, Reanne, Oswaldo Palma, Juan Rauda, Gustavo Olaiz, Claudia Díaz Olavarrieta and Dolores Acevedo-García. 2009. "The Relationship between Remittances and Health Care Provision in Mexico." *American Journal of Public Health* 99 (7): 1227-1231.

Frank, Reanne. 2008. "Functional or Futile?: The (In)Utility of Methodological Critiques of Genetic Research on Racial Disparities in Health." *Social Science and Medicine* 66(8): 1670-1674.

Akresh, Ilana Redstone and Reanne Frank. 2008. "Health Selection among New Immigrants." *American Journal of Public Health*. 98: 2058-2064.

Frank, Reanne, Magdalena Cerda, and Maria Rendon. 2007. "Barrios and Burbs: Residential Context and Health-Risk Behavior among Angeleno Adolescents." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 48: 283-300.

Frank, Reanne. 2007. "What to Make of It? the (Re)emergence of a Biological Conceptualization of Race in Health Disparities Research" *Social Science and Medicine* 64(10): 1977-1983.

Frank, Reanne and Patrick Heuveline. 2005. "A Crossover in Mexican and Mexican-American Fertility Rates: Evidence and Explanations for an Emerging Paradox." *Demographic Research*. 12: 77-103.

Frank, Reanne and Elizabeth Wildsmith. 2005. "The Grass Widows of Mexico: Migration and Union Dissolution in a Binational Context." *Social Forces*. 83(3): 919-948.

Frank, Reanne. 2005. "International Migration and Infant Health in Mexico." *Journal of Immigrant Health* 7(1): 11-22.

Frank, Reanne and Brian Karl Finch. 2004. "Los Años de la Crisis: an Examination of Change in Differential Infant Mortality Risk within Mexico." *Social Science and Medicine* 59(4): 825-835.

Finch, Brian Karl, Reanne Frank and William Vega. 2004. "Acculturation and Acculturative Stress: a Social-Epidemiological Approach to Mexican Migrant Farm Workers' Health." *International Migration Review*. 38(1): 236-262.

Frank, Reanne, B. Pelcastre, V.N. Salgado de Snyder, W.P. Frisbie, J.E. Potter, and M. Bronfman. 2004. "Low Birth Weight in Western Mexico: New Evidence from a Multi-Site Postpartum Hospital Survey." *Salud Pública de México* 46(1): 23-31.

Frank, Reanne and Robert A. Hummer. 2002. "The Other Side of the Paradox: the Risk of Low Birth Weight among Infants of Migrant and Nonmigrant Households within Mexico." *International Migration Review* 36(3): 746-765.

Frank, Reanne. 2001. "A Reconceptualization of the Role of Biology in Contributing to Race/Ethnic Disparities in Health Outcomes." *Population Research and Policy Review* 20(6): 441-455.

Frank, Reanne. 2001. "The Misuse of Biology in Demographic Research on Race/Ethnic Differences: a Reply to van den Oord and Rowe." *Demography* 38(4): 563-567.

Finch, Brian Karl, Reanne Frank and Robert A. Hummer.* 2000. "Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Infant Mortality: the Role of Behavioral Factors." *Social Biology* 47(3-4): 244-263. *Authors are listed in alphabetical order denoting equal contributions.

Frank, Reanne, W. Parker Frisbie and Starling G. Pullum. 2000. "Race/Ethnic Differentials in Heavy Weight and Cesarean Births." *Population Research and Policy Review* 19(5): 459-475.

Roberts, Bryan R., Reanne Frank and Fernando Lozano-Ascencio. 1999. "Transnational Migrant Communities and Mexican Migration to the U.S." *Ethnic and Racial Studies* 22(2): 238-266.

CHAPTERS IN EDITED VOLUMES

Frank, Reanne. 2011. "Forbidden or Forsaken?: the (Mis)Use of a Forbidden Knowledge Argument in Research on Race, DNA and Disease." In *Genetics and Unsettling the Past* edited by Keith Wailoo and Mia Bay). New Brunswick: Rutgers University Press.

LETTERS

Cooke, Colin, Danielle Frank and Reanne Frank. 2008. "The Relative Importance of Unmeasured Covariates in Racial/Ethnic Disparities Research." *American Journal of Respiratory and Critical Care*

Medicine. 178(7): 774.

Frank, Reanne and Danielle Frank. 2006. "Race and Genetic Influences on Health-Letter." *JAMA*. 295(4): 384-5.

PAPERS UNDER REVIEW

Frank, Reanne and Ilana Redstone Akresh. "New Faces in New Spaces in New Places: Metropolitan Foreign-born Population Growth and Immigrant Residential Attainment." Revise and Resubmit. *Social Science Research*.

Kroeger, Rhiannon and Reanne Frank. "Race/ethnicity, Intimate Union Status and Health Risks." Revise and Resubmit. *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*.

GRANTS

Externally Funded Grants Completed

"Neighborhood Context and Latino Youth." NIH R03 HD047433-02. June 2005-June 2009. Two year award. Role: Principal Investigator

Past Submissions

"Metro-Level Variation in Immigrants' Residential Attainment: A Spatial Approach." Submitted August 2014. NSF. Role: PI. Not funded.

"New Faces, Places and Spaces: Immigrant Spatial Attainment across Metro America." Proposed dates 12/1/2013-11/30/2017. Amount requested: \$1,277,209. NIH R01. Role: PI. Submitted June 2014. Not funded.

"The Ties that Bind: Segregation, Neighborhood Context and Racial/ethnic Health Disparities." Proposed dates April 2012-April 2017. Amount requested \$178,983,00. NIH R01. Role: Co-Investigator. PI: D. Phuong Do. Not funded.

"Fertility and Family Context: the Mexican-Origin Population." Submitted June 2013. NIH R01. Role: PI. Not funded.

"Racial/ethnic spatial stratification and its impacts on health." Four year award: proposed dates April 2013-April 2017. NSF Sociology Program (PD98-1331. Role: Co-Investigator. PI: D. Phuong Do. Not funded.

Internally Funded Grants Ongoing

"The Racial Middle? Racial Identity and Status among Multiracials." Dates: July 2013-present. \$5,500. Role: Co-PI. Office of Diversity and Inclusion Faculty Research Grants. The Ohio State University.

Internally Funded Grants Completed

"Mexican-American Fertility: A Cause for Concern?" Dates: July 2012-July 2013. \$11,420.00 Role: Principal Investigator. Institute for Population Research Seed Grant. The Ohio State University

"Contemporary U.S. Immigrants and Residential Settlement Patterns." The Ohio State University

Initiative in Population Research Seed Grant Award. Summer 2011-2012. One year award. Role: Principal Investigator

“Health Selection and Immigration: the Case of Mexico.” The Ohio State University Initiative in Population Research Seed Grant Award. Winter 2010-2011. One year award. Role: Principal Investigator

“Women’s Partnership Transitions and Well-Being in Mexico.” The Ohio State University Initiative in Population Research Seed Grant Award. Summer 2008-2009. One year award. Role: Co-Principal Investigator (with co-PI Kammi Schmeer)

“Working Group on Inequalities in Population Health and Well-Being.” The Ohio State University Initiative in Population Health and Well-Being. Autumn 2006-Autumn 2008. Two year award. Role: Co-Principal Investigator (with co-PI Kristi Williams)

“The Health and Health-Risk Behaviors of Immigrant Youth in Los Angeles: the Role of Social Context.” Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Seed Grant Award, Harvard University. March 2004-March 2006. Role: Principal Investigator

“The Health and Health-Risk Behaviors of Immigrant Youth in Chicago and Los Angeles” Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Seed Grant Award, Harvard University. April 2005. Role: Principal Investigator

“The Effect of Migration Experience on Birth Outcomes and Infant Mortality within Mexico.” Andrew W. Mellon Research Grant, University of Texas at Austin. Population Research Center. Spring 2001. Role: Principal Investigator

“Transnationalism in Rural Mexico.” Andrew W. Mellon Summer Research Grant, University of Texas at Austin. Summer 1997; Winter 1998. Role: Principal Investigator

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

2015

- American Sociological Association. (Chicago, IL). Regular Session. “New Faces in New Spaces in New Places: Residential Attainment among Newly Legalized Immigration in Established, New and Minor Destinations.”

2014

- Population Association of America, Annual Meeting (Boston, MA). Poster Session with Elizabeth Wildsmith. “Hispanic/Mexican-American Fertility: A Cause for Concern?”

2013

- Population Association of America, Annual Meeting (New Orleans, LA). Regular Session. "New Faces, New Places, New Spaces: Immigrant Residential Attainment Across Metropolitan America."
- Invited Presentation. Pennsylvania State University. Population Research Seminar. April 23rd, 2013. "Immigrant Residential Attainment."
- Invited Presentation. Ohio State University. Institute for Population Research Seminar. April 2nd, 2013. “Contemporary Immigrants and Residential Settlement Across Metropolitan America.”

2012

- Population Association of America, Annual Meeting (San Francisco, CA). Regular Session (presented by co-author Ilana Redstone Akresh). "Social Patterning in Body Mass Index (BMI) among Contemporary Immigrant Groups: the Emergence of a Gradient."

2011

- American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting (Las Vegas, NV). Regular Session (presented by co-author Rhiannon Kroeger). "Stability in Mexican Nuptial Regimes or Change Over Time?: Cohort Differences in Timing to First Marriage among Women in Mexico and the Role of Education."
- Population Association of America, Annual Meeting (Washington DC). Poster presentation. "Does SES Explain More of the Black/White Health Gap than We Thought? Revisiting Our Approach towards Understanding Racial Disparities in Health." With D. Phuong Do (first author) and Brian K. Finch.

2010

- Population Association of America, Annual Meeting (Dallas, TX). Regular Session (presented by co-author Rhiannon Kroeger). "Stability in Mexican Nuptial Regimes or Change Over Time?: Cohort Differences in Timing to First Marriage among Women in Mexico and the Role of Education."
- Population Association of America, Annual Meeting (Dallas, TX). Poster Presentation. "The Long Arm of Immigrant Acculturation: Does Contact with the U.S. Increase the Risk of Overweight/Obesity in Mexican Sending Communities?"
- Sociedad Mexicana de Demografía X Reunión (Mexico City). Regular Session (presented by co-author Fernando Riosmena). "El Impacto de la Vida Transnacional y las Remesas de la Migración Internacional en la Transición Epidemiológica y de Nutrición de las Comunidades de Origen."

2009

- Population Association of America, Annual Meeting (Detroit, MI). Regular Session. "Latino Immigrants and the U.S. Racial Order: How and Where Do They Fit In?"

2008

- Sociedad Mexicana de Demografía (SOMEDE) Meeting (Mérida, Mexico). "Fertility and the U.S. Latino Population: a Racial Stratification Perspective."
- American Sociological Association, Annual Meetings (Boston, MA). Roundtable Presentation. "Migradollars as a Form of Health Insurance?: the Relationship between U.S. Migration, Remittances and Health Care in Mexico."
- Invited Presentation (Columbus, OH). "Back with a Vengeance: the Reemergence of a Biological Conceptualization of Race in Research on Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Health." Sociology Department Brownbag Series.

2007

- Invited Panel Discussion (Cambridge, MA). Binational Agenda on Health.
- Invited Panel Discussion (Columbus, OH). "Back to the Future?: The Re-Emergence of a Biological Conceptualization of Race." Hosted by the Ohio State University's Kirwan Institute.
- Invited Presentation. Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research Workshop on Fertility and Family (Rostock, Germany). "Multilevel Fertility Analysis among the Mexican-Origin population in the U.S."
- Latin American Studies Association (Montreal, Canada). Regular Session Presentation. "Well-being

among Latino Adolescents.”

- American Sociological Association, Annual Meetings (New York, New York). Roundtable Presentation. “What Is the Evidence?: a Theoretical and Empirical Survey of Segmented Assimilation among Latinos in the U.S.”
- Invited Presentation (Washington, DC). “Preliminary Results from the HSPH migration questions in a population-based community health survey.” Binational Agenda on Health.
- Invited Presentation (Austin, TX). “Latin American Demography: Past, Present and Future.” University of Texas at Austin. “The Demographic Effects of International Migration on Nonmigrants in Mexico.”
- Population Association of America (New York, New York). Regular Session Presentation. “Residential Context and Health-Risk Behaviors of Latino Adolescents.”

2006

- Southern Demographic Association, Annual Meetings (Durham, North Carolina). Regular Session Presentation (co-authored with and presented by Ilana Redstone Akresh). “The Health of New Immigrants: an Evaluation of Competing Explanations.”
- Invited Presentation (Cincinnati, OH). University of Cincinnati Sociology Seminar Series. “Race Biology: Forbidden or Forsaken?”
- Invited Presentation (Columbus, OH). Ohio State University Health Disparities Seminar Series. “Race, Genetics and Health Disparities Research.”
- American Sociological Association Annual Meetings (Montreal, Canada). Roundtable Presentation presented by co-author Maria Rendon. “Social Context and Health-Risk Behaviors among Immigrant Adolescents in Los Angeles and Chicago.”
- Invited Presentation. Annual Meetings of the Robert Wood Johnson Health and Society Scholars (Washington, D.C.). “A Tale of Two Cities: Latino Adolescent Health Risk Behaviors in Los Angeles and Chicago.”
- Invited Presentation. Ohio State University Symposium on Health Disparities (Columbus, OH). “A Tale of Two Cities: Latino Adolescent Health Risk Behaviors in Los Angeles and Chicago.”
- Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America (Los Angeles, CA). Regular Session Presentation. “Social Context and Health-Risk Behaviors among Immigrant Adolescents in Los Angeles.”
- Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America (Los Angeles, CA). Regular Session Presentation. “Back with a Vengeance: the Re-emergence of a Biological Conceptualization of Race in Research on Race/ethnic disparities in Health.”
- Latin American Studies Association Annual Meetings (San Juan, Puerto Rico). Regular Session Presentation. “Reproductive Health of the Mexican-Origin Population in the U.S.”

2005

- Population Association of America, Annual Meeting (Philadelphia, PA). Regular Session Presentation. “Health and Health-Risk behaviors of Immigrant Youth.”
- American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting (Philadelphia, PA). Population Section Roundtable Session Presentation. “A Multi-level Analysis of the Role of Immigrant Communities in Growing up American.”

2004

- American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting (San Francisco, CA). Medical Sociology Roundtable Session Presentation. “A New Approach in Population Health Research: Utilizing a Binational Perspective in the Case of the Hispanic Health Paradox.”
- Population Association of America, Annual Meeting (Boston, MA). Regular Session Presentation. “Mexican-American Fertility Patterns: A Racial Stratification Perspective”

- Latin American Studies Association, Annual Meeting (Las Vegas, NV). Regular Session Presentation. "The Demographic Effects of Migration on Sending Communities, Households and Families"
- Invited Presentation. Harvard School of Public Health Department of Society, Human Development and Health. Latino Health Paradoxes Conference.

2003

- Sociedad Mexicana de Demografía (SOMEDE) Meetings (Guadalajara, Mexico). "Migración y disolución en un contexto binacional."
- American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting (Atlanta, GA). Regular Session Presentation. "Mexican American Fertility Patterns: a Review and Reassessment."
- Population Association of American, Annual Meeting (Minneapolis, MN). Regular Session Presentation. "The Effect of Migration on Marriage Patterns."

2002

- Southern Demographic Association, Annual Meeting (Austin, TX). Regular Session Presentation. "Mexican Migration and Marital Dissolution."
- American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting (Chicago, IL). Special Session Presentation. "A Reconceptualization of the Role of Biology in Contribution to Race/Ethnic Disparities in Health Outcomes."
- American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting (Chicago, IL). Regular Session Presentation. "Marriage and Migration: The Case of Mexico."
- Population Association of America, Annual Meeting (Atlanta, GA). Regular Session Presentation. "Migration and Infant Health in Mexico: New Evidence and Emerging Patterns."

2001

- Southern Demographic Association, Annual Meeting (Miami, FL). Regular Session Presentation. "The Effect of Migration Experience on Infant Health in Mexico: Observations for the Field."
- American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting (Anaheim, CA). Regular Paper Session Presentation. "The Role of Migration Experience in Contributing to Differential Risk of Infant Mortality in Mexico."
- Population Association of America, Annual Meeting (Washington D.C.). Paper Session Presentation. "Socioeconomic Differentials in Infant Mortality in Mexico: Comparisons Over Time."
- Population Association of America, Annual Meeting (Washington, D.C.). Paper Session Presentation. "Biology and Demographic Research: the Case of the Racial Birth Weight Gap."

2000

- Southern Demographic Association, Annual Meeting (New Orleans, LA). Paper Session Presentation. "Mexican Migration and Mortality: the Risk of Death among Infants of International and Internal Migrant Households within Mexico."
- American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting (Washington D.C.). Population Section Paper Session Presentation. "The Other Side of the Paradox: Low Birth Weight among Infants from Migrant Households within Mexico."
- Population Association of American, Annual Meeting (Los Angeles, CA). Poster Presentation. "Race/Ethnic Differentials in Heavy Weight and Cesarean Births."
- Latin American Studies Association, Annual Meeting (Miami, FL). Paper Session Presentation. "Fact or Fiction? Transnational Mexican Migration to the U.S.: the Case of San Gregorio."
- Southern Demographic Association, Annual Meeting (San Antonio, TX). Paper Session Presentation. "The Problems of a Biological Concept of Race in Health Research."

1999

- Desarrollo Integral de la Familia (DIF), Conference (Tijuana, Mexico). Paper Presentation. "Transnational Migration: the Case of Mexico."
- Population Association of America, Annual Meeting (New York). Poster Presentation. "Suburban Population Growth and Central-City Services: an Analysis Revisited."

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Editorial Board. *American Journal of Sociology*. University of Chicago. Summer 2003-Summer 2004.

Ad-Hoc Journal Reviewer: *American Journal of Sociology*; *American Sociological Review*; *Demography*; *Social Forces*; *International Migration Review*; *Sociological Spectrum*; *Journal of Marriage and the Family*; *Annals of Epidemiology*; *Sociological Forum*; *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*; *Sociological Focus*; *Social Science and Medicine*; *Social Problems*; *International Migration*; *Journal of Immigrant Health*; *Health and Place*; *Latin American Research Review*; *Population Research and Policy*; *American Journal of Public Health*; *Rural Sociology*; *Social Science Quarterly*; *JAMA*; *Population and Environment*; *Medical Anthropology Quarterly*; *Science*

Peer Review Panel. Regular Standing Member. National Institutes of Health, Population Sciences Sub-Committee (PSC). July 2014-present.

Peer Reviewer. National Science Foundation. November 2012.

Peer Review Panel. National Institutes of Health, P01. (ad hoc) December 2011.

Peer Review Panel. National Institutes of Health, Population Sciences Subcommittee Study Section (ad hoc) March 2009.

Peer Reviewer for the Michigan Census Research Data Center. November 2008.

Peer Reviewer for the Israel Science Foundation (ISF). May 2007.

Peer Reviewer for the U.S. Census Bureau. November 2007.

Peer Review Panel for Conflict Applications. National Institutes of Health, Social Sciences and Population Studies (SSPS) Study Section (ad hoc) November 2006.

Peer Review Panel. National Institutes of Health, Social Sciences and Population Studies (SSPS) Study Section (ad hoc) March 2006.

Peer Review Panel. National Institutes of Health, Social Sciences and Population Studies (SSPS) Study Section (ad hoc) June 2005.

Discussant. "Latina/o Immigrant Youth, Identity, and Education: Perspectives from the United States and Canada." Regular Session at the Annual Meetings of the 2015 Latin American Studies Association. San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Session Organizer. “Race, Ethnicity, Immigration, and Child Health and Well-Being.” Regular Paper Session at the 2011 Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Washington, DC.

Session Organizer. “Immigration, Child Health and Community” Regular Paper Session at the 2011 Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Washington, DC.

Session Organizer. “Demography of Race and Ethnicity: Section on the Sociology of Population.” Paper Session at the 2010 Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA.

Session Chair. “Social Demographic Aspects of Fertility in the Western World.” Regular Session at the 2009 Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Detroit, MI.

Session Chair. “Adolescent Health and Wellbeing in Developed Countries.” Regular Session at the 2008 Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, New Orleans, LA.

Session Organizer and Session Chair. “Race, Ethnicity, Ancestry and Caste in Demographic Measurement” at the 2008 Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, New Orleans, LA.

Session Organizer. “Variability in Race/Ethnic Classification Schemas and its Effects on Demographic Patterns” at the 2008 Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, New Orleans, LA.

Session Chair. “Immigration and Adaptation” at the 2005 Annual Meetings of the Southern Demographic Association.

Session Chair. “Migration and Social Networks” at the 2002 Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Atlanta, GA.

Discussant. “Race/Ethnicity and Socioeconomic Inequality.” at the 2007 Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America. New York, NY.

Coordinator. Initiative in Population Research Seminar Series. The Ohio State University. Academic years 2007-2010.

Graduate Training Core Director. Initiative in Population Research. The Ohio State University. 2011-present.