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EDUCATION

PhD Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois. Graduate Program in Human Development and Social Policy. 2001.

M.A. Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois. Graduate Program in Human Development and Social Policy. 1992.

B.A. University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin. Major concentration in American History, minors in Political Science and Spanish. 1969.

TEACHING

Applying Sociology to Social Policy, 2005. Loyola University Chicago, Sociology Department, Chicago, Illinois.

Urban Studies, 2004. Loyola University Chicago, Anthropology and Sociology Department, Chicago, Illinois.

Disease, Politics and Social Justice 2003. Loyola University Chicago, Anthropology and Sociology Department, Chicago, Illinois.

Political Sociology, 2003, 2000;1998.(Graduate). Loyola University Chicago, Anthropology and Sociology Department, Chicago, Illinois.

Sociology Internship Seminar (Undergraduate), 2001-2002. Loyola University Chicago, Anthropology and Sociology Department, Chicago, Illinois.

Sociology Internship Seminar (Graduate), 2001-1002; 1999-2000; 1998-1999. Loyola University Chicago, Anthropology and Sociology Department, Chicago, Illinois.

The Family, Spring, 2000.(Undergraduate). Loyola University Chicago, Anthropology and Sociology Department, Chicago, Illinois.

Women and Society, Fall, 2000. (Undergraduate). Loyola University Chicago, Anthropology and Sociology Department, Chicago, Illinois.

Life Course, Gender, and Social Policy. 2000; 1998. (Graduate) Loyola University Chicago, Anthropology and Sociology Department, Chicago, Illinois.

Special Topics: Applying Sociology to Social Policy, 1998-1999. Loyola University Chicago, Anthropology and Sociology Department, Chicago, Illinois.

Sociological Perspectives. 1998. (Undergraduate). Loyola University Chicago, Anthropology and Sociology Department, Chicago, Illinois.

Poverty and Social Welfare Policy. 1998. (Undergraduate). Loyola University Chicago, Anthropology and Sociology Department, Chicago, Illinois.

Social Problems. 1997-1998. (Undergraduate). Loyola University Chicago, Anthropology and Sociology Department, Chicago, Illinois.

Urban Sociology, 1997. (Undergraduate). Loyola University Chicago, Anthropology and Sociology Department, Chicago, Illinois.

The Political Economy of Social Policy. (Undergraduate) Spring, 1997; Winter, 1995. Northwestern University, School of Education and Social Policy, Evanston, Illinois.

Practicum Analysis Seminar. (Undergraduate). Spring, 1997; Fall, 1996; Spring, 1996; Winter, 1996. Northwestern University, School of Education and Social Policy, Evanston, Illinois.

Introduction to Social Policy. (Undergraduate). Winter, 1997; Fall, 1996; Summer, 1996; Fall, 1995; Summer, 1995; Fall, 1994. Northwestern University, School of Education and Social Policy, Evanston, Illinois.

Age, Gender, and Social Welfare Policy. (Graduate). Winter and Spring, 1994. Northeastern University, Masters Program in Gerontology, Chicago, Illinois.

Topic in Politics and Policy in Chicago. (Undergraduate). Winter, 1986 through Fall, 1989. Associated Colleges of the Midwest, Urban Studies Program, Chicago, Illinois.

PUBLICATIONS

Welfare Reform and the Safety Needs of Battered Women (In Press). In K. M. Kilty & E. Segal, *The Promise of Welfare Reform: Rhetoric or Reality?*

STRIVE: A Trusted Intermediary in the Low-Wage Labor Market (Coauthored with Marilyn Krogh). 2004. Manuscript submitted for publication.

Welfare Reform in Illinois: Recent efforts in the context of the national debate (co-authored with D.A. Lewis & D. Puntenney). 1999. In Larry Joseph (ed.). *Families, poverty, and welfare reform: confronting a new policy era*. Chicago, Il: Center for Urban Research and Policy Studies, University of Chicago; Champaign, Il: Distributed by University of Illinois Press.

State Abortion Rates: The Impact of Policy, Provider Availability, Political Climate, Demography and Economics (co-author with Rebecca Blank and Rebecca London). *Journal of Health Economics*, October, 1996.

PRESENTATIONS AND PAPERS

“Hardly a leg to stand on: The Civil and Social Rights of Immigrant Victims of Domestic Violence.” Paper presented at the 2nd International Conference, Advancing Science and Society Interactions, Seville, Spain. February, 2005.

“Limits to Empowerment: The Interactions of Immigration Status and Social Policy on the Options of South Asian Domestic Violence Victims.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, San Francisco. August, 2004.

“Research and Homeless Policy Advocacy: A Case Study. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, San Francisco. August, 2004.

“Factors Influencing a Successful Transition from Welfare to Work” (Co-authored with Lisa Speicher). Paper presented at the Institute for Women’s Policy Research Sixth Conference, Washington, D.C. June, 2001

“A partnership for Self-Sufficiency.” (Co-authored with Rafah Abuinnab, Kathleen McCourt, Jennifer Nargang & Lisa Speicher.) Paper presented

at the Institute for Women's Policy Research Sixth Conference, Washington, D.C. June, 2001.

"Welfare Reform In Illinois." American Sociological Association Annual Conference, New York, New York. August, 1996.

"Reconsidering Life course, Gender, and Social Policy: A Panel Discussion." Northwestern University, Lecture Series, Human Development and Social Policy. December, 1995

"Children Having Children: Framing of Public Policy." Northern Illinois University Social Research Institute colloquium series on *Gender and Public Policy*, DeKalb, Illinois. March, 1993.

"Equity and Adequacy: US Social Security and Women's Discontinuous Work History and Changing Family Status." Presented at *Life course and Social Policy: Interrelations, Contradictions and Changes*, Graduate College Life course and Social Policy, University of Bremen, Germany. June 26, 1992.

RESEARCH REPORTS

Hardly a Leg to Stand On: The Rights of Immigrant Victims of Domestic Violence. July, 2005. Chicago, Illinois: Loyola University Chicago Center for Urban Research and Learning.

Anawim Community Dispersion and Needs Assessment Study: A Study of Native Americans in Cook and Lake Counties. October, 2004. Chicago, Illinois: Loyola University Center for Urban Research and Learning.

Assessment of American Indian Health Needs in Metropolitan Chicago (with Diana Veloso and Chiara Sabina). September, 2004. Chicago, Illinois: Loyola University Center for Urban Research and Learning.

Coming Home: The role of supportive services in helping homeless men and women break the cycle of homelessness (with Chiara Sabina and Aparna Sharma. August, 2004. Chicago, Illinois: United Power of Action and Justice.

Building Local Capacity: The Early Childhood Network (with Lourdes Paredes). October, 2002. Chicago, Illinois: Loyola University Center for Urban Research and Learning.

Providing a Way Station: A study of the Joint Apna Ghar and The Enterprising Kitchen Program to Provide Employment Services to Immigrant Women Victims of Domestic Violence (with Rafah Abuinnab). July, 2002. Chicago, Illinois: Loyola University Center for Urban Research and Learning.

Joyce Foundation Grantees and Capacity Building: A Survey Report (with Louis Delgado and Nelson Portillo). March 2002. Chicago, IL: Loyola University Center for Urban Research and Learning and Philanthropy & Nonprofit Sector Program.

An Evaluation of Service Use and Satisfaction at Lathrop Homes and Henry Horner Homes (with Joseph Hoereth, Nicole Rousseau, Jennifer Nargang, & Arianne Harper). August 2001. Chicago, IL: Center for Urban Research and Learning.

A Report on the Collaborative Evaluation of the STRIVE Career Path Project (with Mary Jo Bartl & Dana Rivers). January, 2001. Chicago, IL: Center for Urban Research and Learning

Factors Influencing a Successful Transition from Welfare to Work (with Lisa Speicher). December, 2000. Chicago, IL: Center for Urban Research and Learning.

Health Care Jobs: A Review (with L. Berman, R. Sewell, K. Raube, E. Linne, A. Strauber). May, 1995. Chicago, IL: Chicago Jobs Council.

Caught in the Act of Doing Something Worthwhile (with Susan Lloyd). June, 1993. Evanston, IL: Center for Urban Affairs and Policy Research.

CURRENT RESEARCH

Principal Investigator (with Anne Figert), Process Evaluation of the Chicago Housing for Health Partnership System (July 2005-June, 2006 anticipated). The purpose of this evaluation, funded by the AIDS Foundation of Chicago, is to both assess the implementation process of this demonstration project and to then prepare reports to inform policy makers as to the strengths and weaknesses of this innovative model of addressing and preventing homelessness.

Principal Investigator (with Michele Fugate) , *Providing a Citywide System of Single Access to Domestic Violence Information, Resources, and Referrals to a Diverse Population: An Evaluation of the City of Chicago Domestic Violence Helpline*. January 2004-December, 2005 (anticipated). This research project is in collaboration with the City of Chicago and is funded by the National Institute of Justice “Broadening our Understanding of Violence Against Women from Diverse Communities” funding initiative.

Principal Investigator, *Evaluation of Partnership for Health Care Access Project of Chicago Health Outreach (CHO) and Community Counseling Centers of Chicago (C4)*, December 2002-November, 2005(anticipated). This research project assesses the joint delivery of primary care and mental health services to homeless individuals who are mental ill, substance abusers or joint diagnosed. The Chicago project is one of 10 sites of a national HHS study in collaboration and coordination of mental health and primary care services.

AWARDS

Graduate Fellow, Northwestern University/University of Chicago Joint Center for Poverty Research, 1996-1998.

Northwestern University Graduate School, Alumnae Dissertation Proposal Recognition Award, 1995.

Retirement Research Foundation Fellow, Graduate Department in Human Development and Social Policy, 1993 - 1994.

Graduate Fellowship, Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (National German Science Foundation), Graduate College in Life Course and Social Policy, Bremen University, Germany, Summer, 1992.

Research Fellowship, Center for Urban Affairs and Policy Research, 1990 - 1991.

University Fellowship, Northwestern University, 1989 - 1990.

EMPLOYMENT

Loyola University Chicago. 1997-present
Visiting Faculty in Department of Anthropology and Sociology.

(1997-2002)

Adjunct/Part-time Faculty in Department of Anthropology and
Sociology. (2003-
present)

Coordinator, Graduate Program in Applied Sociology.
(1998-2000; 2001-2002)

Senior Research Fellow, Center for Urban Research and Learning.
(1998-present)

Northwestern University
School of Education and Social Policy 1995-1997
Instructor

Illinois Caucus on Teenage Pregnancy 1987 - 1993
Associate Executive Director (1991 - 1993); Public Policy Director, (1987-
1991).

Urban Studies Program
Associate Colleges of the Midwest 1985-1989
Instructor

Health, Evaluation, and Referral Service 1985 - 1987
Executive Director

American Federation of State, County, Municipal Employees 1976 - 1985
International Union Representative

OTHER EMPLOYMENT

Research and Program Consultant, KID PEPP, Ounce of Prevention Fund,
2004 ongoing.
*Analysis of data and programs regarding Statewide (Illinois) universal pre-k
policy initiative.*

Evaluator, Center for the Land and Theology, University of Dubuque,
2003-2004
Evaluation of a web based curriculum.

Research Consultant to the City of Chicago, Department of Human
Services. 1995-1997.
*Designed instruments and analyzing data to track the effects of recent federal
and state welfare reform on the DHS's client population and the services
provided to them.*

Principal Research Consultant to Federal Court Monitor of the Illinois
Department of Children and Family Services, United State District Court

for the Northern District, Norman Consent Decree and the Bates Decree. 1992 - 1998.

Developed research strategy and methodology. Designed instruments, trained consultants and analyzed data. Assisted in the development of monitoring strategy. Analyzed data and produced reports.

Program Consultant, Illinois Family Centered Services Initiative, Illinois Department of Children and Family Services. 1996.

Provided technical assistance to three community based networks in the development of a collaboration of all sectors of their community to identify child welfare issues, develop three year goals and objectives, select service delivery agencies, and allocated federal and state funding

Research Consultant, Health Care Jobs Working Group, Chicago Jobs Council. 1994-1995.

The Health Care Jobs Working Group was a collaboration of community based employment and training organization from low-income communities in Chicago. I designed and directed a research project to identify jobs in health care that were first steps on a ladder to decent wages that were accessible to low income residents of Chicago. The research project also surveyed existing training and past secondary educational programs, identifying barriers to participation by the target population. With my co-consultants, I organized a meeting of stakeholders from business, city and state government, the Chicago Board of Education, the city and suburban Community College systems and community representatives to discuss the research finding and successfully inaugurated a standing collaboration between these stakeholders.

Organizational Consultant, Mayor's Summit on Chicago Schools, Community and Parents Council. 1987-1988.

Provided mediation for and chaired meetings of this diverse group of parents and community representatives from each community area of the City during the process of their development of goals and recommendations for reform of the Chicago Public Schools.

Organizational Consultant Planned Parenthood Midwest Region. 1986 - 1989.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

The American Sociological Association

The Association for the Study of Social Problems

The Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management

The Urban Affairs Association

Institute for Women's Policy Research

Community and Volunteer

Partnership to End Homeless, Board Member

Women Employed, Employment Project Advisory Board Member

Early Childhood Network of Rogers Park and Edgewater Advisory Board,
Co-Chair