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EDUCATION

2007 Ph. D.	Duke University Sociology: Specializations in Stratification and Demography
2004 M.A.	Duke University Sociology
2001 B. A.	University of California, Los Angeles Mass Communications, Education (minor)

ACADEMIC POSITIONS HELD

Fall 2026 – Present San Diego State University	Professor, Sociology Affiliated Faculty, Big Data Analytics Program
Fall 2020 – Spring 2026 San Diego State University	Associate Professor, Sociology Affiliated Faculty, Big Data Analytics Program
Fall 2015 – Spring 2020 San Diego State University	Assistant Professor, Sociology
Spring 2014-Fall 2014 University of California, San Diego	Lecturer, Sociology
Fall 2011-Spring 2015 San Diego State University	Lecturer, Sociology and Political Science
Fall 2010-Spring 2013 San Diego State University	Postdoctoral Fellow Center for Health Equity Research and Policy, P.I. Brian Finch
Fall 2007-Spring 2010 Princeton University	Postdoctoral Research Fellow Office of Population Research, P.I. Sara McLanahan

REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES**(Note: Citations are listed when >10)**

1. Finlayson, T., et al. (2026) "Dental Health Readiness Among United States Military Service Members in the Millennium Cohort Study." *Military Medicine*, Online. (IF=1.4) <https://doi.org/10.1093/milmed/usag300>
2. Yang, R., **Beck, A.N.**, & Lansing, A. E. (2024) "Examining sexual abuse, commercial sexual exploitation, and cumulative adversity among sexually-diverse girls in the juvenile justice system." *Journal of Child Sexual Abuse*. 33(6),765-783. (IF=2.4) <https://doi.org/10.1080/10538712.2024.2403990>
3. Heo, J., **Beck, A. N.**, Marcelli, E., Lindsay, S., & Finch, B. K. (2024) "Economic Conditions in Early Life and the Risk of Adult Mortality." *Discover Public Health*. Volume 21(60), Online. (IF=3.8) <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12982-024-00184-z>
4. Gibbons, J., **Beck, A. N.**, Thomas, K. & Finch, B.K. (2024). "Patterns of Force: The Relationship Between Officer-Involved Homicides of Black and Hispanic Citizens and Metropolitan Residential Segregation." *Urban Affairs Review*. Online. <https://doi.org/10.1177/10780874241259426> (IF=2.3)
5. Lansing, A. E., Park, J., & **Beck, A.N.** (2023). "Cumulative Trauma, Adversity and Loss among Juvenile Justice Involved Girls: Implications for Health Disparities." *Journal of Traumatic Stress*. Volume 36(6), 1015-1030. <http://doi.org/10.1002/jts.22981> (IF=1.56)
6. Prados, M., Baker, T., **Beck, A. N.**, Burghart, D., Klinger, D., Johnson, R., Thomas, K., & Finch, B. (2022). "Do Sheriff-Coroners Underreport Officer-Involved Homicides?" *Academic Forensic Pathology*. Volume 12(4): 140-148. <https://doi.org/10.1177/19253621221142473> (IF=1.30)
7. **Beck, A. N.**, Thomas, K., Finch, B.K., & J. Gibbons. (2022). "Determining Gentrification's Relationship to Low Birthweight in Metropolitan California." *Housing Policy Debate*. Volume 33(1): 107-128 <https://doi.org/10.1080/10511482.2022.2125334> (IF=2.36)
8. Finch, B., Thomas, K., **Beck, A.**, Burghart, D. B., Klinger, D. & Johnson, R. (2021). "Assessing Data Completeness, Quality, and Representativeness of Justifiable Homicides in the FBI's Supplementary Homicide Reports." *Journal of Quantitative Criminology*. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10940-021-09493-x> (IF=4.316, cited by 20)
9. Finch, B.K., Thomas, K., Gibbons, J. & **Beck, A.N.** (2021). "The Impact of Residing in a Gang Territory on Birth Outcomes: Evidence from Los Angeles." *Journal of Urban Health*. Volume 98, 233-247. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11524-020-00512-z> (IF=1.959).
10. Finch, B. K., Thomas, K., & **Beck, A.N.** (2019). "The Great Recession and Adverse Birth Outcomes: Evidence from California, USA." *Social Science and Medicine-Population Health*. Volume 9, December. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ssmph.2019.100470> (IF=2.03, cited by 16)
Note: IF listed is a Cite Score which is Elsevier's answer to an IF, it uses a 3-year window compared to a traditional IF's two-year window.
11. Finch, B., **Beck, A.**, Burghart, D. B., Johnson, R., Klinger, D., & Thomas, K. (2019). "Using Crowd-Sourced Data to Explore Police-Related-Deaths in the United States (2000-2017): The Case of Fatal Encounters." *Journal of Open Health Data*. Online. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.5334/ohd.30> (IF=First Year After Name Change, No IF, cited by 53)
Note: Journal publishes articles only on novel and/or highly utilized health-oriented datasets (e.g. Health and Retirement Study); provides open access data. Given the aim is advertising data and data innovations and not research per se, it has a high acceptance rate (~90%).
12. Lansing, A.E., Plante, W.Y., **Beck, A.N.**, & Ellenberg, E. (2018). Loss and Grief among Persistently Delinquent Youth: The Contribution of Adversity Indicators and Psychopathy-Spectrum Traits to Broadband Internalizing and Externalizing Psychopathology. *Journal of Child & Adolescent Trauma*. Online. DOI: [10.1007/s40653-018-0209-9](https://doi.org/10.1007/s40653-018-0209-9) (IF=0.95, cited by 36)
13. Heo, J., **Beck, A. N.**, Lin, S., Marcelli, E., Lindsay, S., & Finch, B. K. (2017). Cohort-Based Income Gradients in Obesity among U.S. Adults. *American Journal of Human Biology*. Online. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1002/ajhb.23084> (IF=1.40, cited by 11)
14. Lansing, A.E., Plante, W.Y., Fennema-Notestine, C., Golshan, S., & **Beck, A.N.** (2017). Psychotic-spectrum Symptoms, Cumulative Adversity Exposure and Substance Use among High-Risk Girls. *Early Intervention in Psychiatry*. 2017: 1-13. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1111/eip.12533> (IF=2.208)

15. Lansing, A.E., Plante, W. Y. , & **Beck, A.N.** (2016). Assessing Stress-Related Needs among Girls at Risk for Poor Functional Outcomes: The Impact of Cumulative Adversity, Criterion Traumas, and Non-Criterion Events. *Journal of Anxiety Disorders*, 48: 36-44. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.janxdis.2016.09.007> (IF=2.07, cited by 33)
16. Masters, R. K., Powers, D.A., Hummer, R.A., **Beck, A.N.**, Lin, S. & Finch, B.K. (2016). Fitting Age-Period-Cohort Models Using the Intrinsic Estimator: Assumptions and Misapplications. *Demography*, 53:1253. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1007/s13524-016-0481-y> (IF=2.745, commentary, cited by 22)
17. Lin, S., **Beck, A. N.**, and Brian K. Finch. (2015). The Dynamic Contribution of Chronic Conditions to Temporal Trends in Disability among U.S. Adults. *Disability and Health Journal*. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.dhjo.2015.11.006> (IF=1.015, cited by 29)
18. Csomay, E., Pollard, E., Bordelon, S, & **Beck, A.N.** (2015). Researching Student Learning in a Two-Tiered General Education Program. *The Journal of General Education*, 64(3):171-195. (IF=0.228)
19. Cooper, C. E., **Beck, A. N.**, Högnäs, R., & Swanson, J. (2015). Maternal Partnership Instability and Coparenting among Fragile Families. *Social Science Quarterly*, 96(4):1103-1116. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1111/ssqu.12161> (IF=0.953, cited by 32)
20. Masters, R. K., Hummer, R. A., Finch, B. K., **Beck, A. N.**, & Lin, S. (2014). Long-Term Trends in Adult Mortality for U.S. Blacks and Whites: An Examination of Period- and Cohort-Based Changes. *Demography*, Dec: 51(6): 2047-73. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1007/s13524-014-0343-4> (IF=2.745, cited by 80)
21. Lin, S., Finch, B. K., & **Beck, A. N.** (2014). Black-White Disparity in Disability Among U.S. Older Adults: Age, Period, and Cohort Trends. *Journal of Gerontology, Series B: Psychological Sciences and Social Sciences*. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1093/geronb/gbu010> (IF=2.150, cited by 43)
22. Muschkin, C. G., Glennie, E., & **Beck, A. N.** (2014). Peer Contexts: Do Old for Grade and Retained Peers Influence Student Behavior in Middle School? *Teachers College Record*, 116:040305. (IF=1.329, cited by 11)
23. **Beck, A. N.**, Finch, B. K., Lin, S., Hummer, R. A., & Masters, R. (2014). Racial Disparities in Self-Rated Health: Trends, Explanatory Factors, and the Changing Role of Socio-demographics. *Social Science and Medicine*, 104: 163-177. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.socscimed.2013.11.021> (IF=3.474, cited by 81)
24. **Beck, A. N.**, & Muschkin, C. G. (2012). The Enduring Impact of Race: Understanding Disparities in Student Behavior and Achievement. *Sociological Perspectives*, 55(4):637-662. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1525/sop.2012.55.4.637> (IF=0.986, cited by 110)
25. **Beck, A. N.**, Corak, M., & Tienda, M. (2012). Age at Immigration and the Adult Attainments of Child Migrants to the United States. *The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science*, 643(1): 134-159. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1177/0002716212442665> (IF=1.522, cited by 127)
26. Lin, S., Finch, B. K., **Beck, A. N.**, Hummer, R., & Masters, R. (2012). Trends in Older Adult Disability: Exploring Age, Period, and Cohort. *American Journal of Public Health*, 102(11): 2157-2163. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.2105/AJPH.2011.300602> (IF=3.725, cited by 188)
27. Bzostek, S., & **Beck, A. N.** (2011). Familial Instability and Young Children's Physical Health. *Social Science and Medicine*, 73(2):282-292. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.socscimed.2011.04.014> (IF=2.890, cited by 182)
28. Bellatorre, A., Finch, B. K., Do, D. P., Bird, C, & **Beck, A.N.** (2011). Contextual Predictors of Cumulative Biological Risk: Segregation and Allostatic Load. *Social Science Quarterly*, 92(5): 1338-1362. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1540-6237.2011.00821.x> (IF=1.528, cited by 43)
29. Finch, B. K., & **Beck, A. N.** (2011). Socio-Economic Status and Z-Score Standardized Height-for-Age of U.S.-Born Children (Ages 2-6). *Economics and Human Biology*, 9(3):272-276. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ehb.2011.02.005> (IF=2.123, cited by 44)
30. Cooper, C. E., Osborne, C. A., **Beck, A. N.**, & McLanahan, S. (2011). Partnership Instability, School Readiness, and Gender Disparities. *Sociology of Education*, 84: 246-259. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1177/0038040711402361> (IF=3.824, cited by 204)
31. McLanahan, S., & **Beck, A. N.** (2010). Parental Relationships in Fragile Families. *Future of Children*, 20: 17-37. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1353/foc.2010.0007> (IF=1.304, cited by 288)
32. **Beck, A. N.**, Cooper, C. E., McLanahan, S., & Brooks-Gunn, J. (2010). Relationship Transitions and Maternal Parenting. *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 72: 219-233. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1741-3737.2010.00695.x> (IF=2.349, cited by 225)
33. Dupre, M. E., **Beck, A. N.**, & Meadows, S. O. (2009). Marital Trajectories and Mortality among U. S. Adults. *American Journal of Epidemiology*, 170: 546-555. <https://doi.org/10.1093/aje/kwp194> (IF=2.991, cited by 278)

REFEREED BOOK CHAPTERS

Beck, A. N., & Tienda, M. (2012). Better Fortunes? Living Arrangements and Socioeconomic Wellbeing of Migrant Youth in Six Developed Countries. In Masten, A. S., Liebkind, K., Hernandez, D. J. (Eds.), *Realizing the Potential of Immigrant Youth*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. (Book cited by 89)
Chapter was reviewed by external reviewers beyond the book and press editor.

NON-REFEREED COMMUNITY AND SPONSORED TECHNICAL REPORTS

1. Cardosi, A. and **Beck, A.N.** (2024). "Social Determinants of Health and Their Impact on Black Women in San Diego County: The Social, Economic, and Environmental Factors that Shape Health Outcomes" The Sage Project. Role: Instructor of SOC 436; class conducted the research for the report, M.A. student A. Cardosi wrote up the findings.
2. **Beck, A.N.,** Zhang, S. (2023). "Child Labor Trafficking in Cocoa Growing Areas, Ghana" (2023). Role: Co-PI. Sponsored by International Justice Mission (see Funded Research Grant #2).
3. **Beck, A.N.,** Zhang, S. (2023). "Child Labor Trafficking in the Lake Volta Area, Ghana" (2023). Role: Co-PI. Sponsored by International Justice Mission (see Funded Research Grant #2).
4. "Time Theft: Employer Scheduling Practices and Their Impacts on San Diego County Workers." (2020). Role: Co-Investigator. Collaborators: Jill Esbenshade (Co-Investigator), Center on Policy Initiatives.
5. "Non-Compliance with Earned Sick Days Law in San Diego." (2020). Role: Co-Investigator. Collaborators: Jill Esbenshade (Co-Investigator), Center on Policy Initiatives (Co-Investigator), and the following SDSU students: Melanie Dinh, Kimberly Gan, Sara Ghannadian, Kate Hart. Joshua Hudson, Alex Lalangan, Elizabeth Leathers, and Lauren Robago.

PUBLICATIONS IN PROCESS (SELECTED)

1. Lansing, A., Yang, R., & **Beck, A. N.** "Polysubstance Use among Juvenile Justice-Involved Girls: Relationship with Health, Adversity, and Maladaptive Coping"
2. Lansing, A., Yang, R. & **Beck, A.N.** "Understanding the Spectrum of Eating Disorder Symptoms among Juvenile Justice-Involved Girls"
3. **Beck, A. N.,** Gibbons, J., Finch, B.K., & Amaro, H. "The Association of Gentrification with Income Inequality and Income and Race/ethnic Segregation."
4. Felner, J.K., **Beck, A.N.,** Tuazon, K., & S. Correa. "Vaping Disparities at the Intersection of Sexual Orientation and Race/Ethnicity in a Population-Based Sample of Adolescents."
5. **Beck, A. N.,** Thomas, K., Burghart, B. & Finch, B.K. "Firearm Availability, Laws, and Officer-Involved Homicides: The Moderating Role of Segregation and Officer Risk Context." (Under Review)
6. Fernandez, G., Pugsley, O., O'Keeffe, J., Nguyen, A., Tran, T. Keppler, S., Tsou, M., & **Beck, A.N.** "Bridging data and dignity: A community-based study of the unhoused population in San Diego, California."
7. Nguyen, A., Tsou, M., **Beck, A. N.,** Roberts, M., & Welsh Carroll, M. "Improving Geoprivacy for Mapping Unsheltered Homeless Individuals: A Case Study of San Diego's Unsheltered Population." (Under Review)
8. Mewkill, A.G., Tsou, M., Nara, A., & **Beck, A.N.** "Social Determinants of Health and the Spatial Distribution of Homelessness Related Activity in San Diego County." (Under Review)

SCHOLARLY AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

After Tenure

1. Poster Award, Population Association of America Meetings, 2021

Before Tenure

2. Poster Award, Population Association of America Meetings, 2011
3. Poster Award, Population Association of America Meetings, 2007
4. Phi Beta Kappa, UCLA 2001
5. Graduation Standing: Magna Cum Laude, UCLA, 2001
6. Outstanding Senior Award, UCLA, 2001

FUNDED RESEARCH GRANTS

Note: Unless otherwise noted, the dollar amount listed is the amount awarded specifically to me.

1. \$450,000 – Analyzing Spatiotemporal changes of Urban Homeless Distribution and Neighborhood Environments using Geospatial Artificial Intelligence (GeoAI) with Street View Images and Satellite Images.” **Co-I**, National Science Foundation, Build and Broaden Program, Fall 2024-Summer 2027. (Note: Award listed is for entire project.)
2. ~\$97,500 -- Prevent TIP in Climate Change Affected Communities in Kenya, **Consultant**, J/TIP, Department of State, Office to Monitor and Combat Trafficking in Persons. Spring 2023-Fall 2028. PIs International Organization for Migration, UN and Sheldon Zhang (U Mass, Lowell). *Note: Funding discontinued to presidential executive order in January 2025 after completion of pilot phase and baseline data collection.*
3. \$351,204 – Prevalence of Child Trafficking in Ghana’s Fishing and Cocoa Farms, **Co-PI**, International Justice Mission, Private Solicitation, Spring 2022-Fall 2022 (Note: Award listed is for entire project.)
4. \$12,000 – Structural Determinants of Tobacco-Related Health Inequities among Diverse Sexual and Gender Minority Adolescents. **Co-I** (with Co-I, Felner, J.), Summer Undergraduate Research Program, SDSU. Summer-Fall 2021. (Note: Amount is for two undergraduate research stipends.)
5. \$4,615 – Socio-Demographic Determinants of Officer-Involved Deaths: Data-Informed Analysis and Community Outreach. **PI**, Emergency Spring Funding for Student Assistance with Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activities (RSCA), SDSU. Spring 2021. (Note: Amount is for graduate and undergraduate research stipends.)
6. \$14,989 – Budget Extension. San Diego Human Trafficking Prevention Collective Evaluation Extension Supplement, **Co-PI**, UBS Foundation, Private Solicitation, Fall 2021 – Spring 2022 (Note: Amount listed is for both Co-PIs at SDSU).
7. \$24,000 – REU NSF Supplement for undergraduate training associated with funded pilot grant. **Co-I**, Summer 2021 (Note: Amount is for undergraduate research stipends.)
8. \$50,000 – Structural Determinants of Tobacco-Related Health Inequities among Diverse Sexual and Gender Minority Adolescents, **Co-I**, SDSU National Institute of Health (PI: Jennifer Felner), Spring 2021 – Winter 2021. (Note: Award listed is for entire project.)
9. \$149,999 – Building an Integrative Community Platform to Alleviate the Workforce Aging Crisis, **Co-PI**, National Science Foundation, Summer 2020 – Spring 2021. (Note: Award listed is for entire project.)
10. \$500 - College of Arts and Letters, Spring Mini-grant. 2021
11. \$101,502 – San Diego Human Trafficking Prevention Collective Evaluation, **Co-PI**, UBS Foundation, Private Solicitation, Fall 2019 – Spring 2022 (Note: Amount listed is for both Co-PIs at SDSU; grant runs into post-tenure period.)
12. \$10,000 – Center for Health Economic and Policy Studies Fellowship, SDSU, **PI**, Fall 2018 – Summer 2019
13. \$5,000 – Spatial and Temporal Correlates of Specific Cause Mortality, **Consultant**, Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (1R01HD093382-01A1: PI Finch, B.K. USC), Fall 2017 – Spring 2021
14. \$2,500 – At-Risk Neighborhoods and Health Outcomes, **Consultant**, Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (5R21HD088066-02: PI Finch, B.K. USC), Fall 2017 – Spring 2019
15. \$NA – School-based Trauma-Informed System Implementation: Trauma-Responsiveness and Cognitive Capacity Building in Imperial County, **Consultant**, Clinical and Translational Research Institute (P.I. Lansing, A., UCSD), Fall 2016 – Spring 2017 (Note: Money from this grant could only be used to implement the pilot, not pay consulting fees or faculty salaries.)
16. \$4,000 – Testing a Comorbid PTSD and Substance/Alcohol Use Intervention in Delinquent Girls, **Consultant**, Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (R01HD066161: PI Lansing, A. UCSD), Fall 2016 – Summer 2017
17. \$27,550 – Invisible Children: A Comparative Analysis of Living Arrangements of Migrant Youth, **PI**, Jacobs Foundation Young Scholars Grant, Fall 2009 – Spring 2010
18. Tuition and Stipend – Program for Advanced Research in the Social Sciences Graduate Fellowship, Social Science Research Institute, Duke University, Fall 2006 – Spring 2007
19. \$9,000 – Spencer Foundation Doctoral Training Fellowship, Fall 2003 – Spring 2004

GRANTS SUBMITTED

Note: All amounts listed are total amounts requested.

1. \$455,238 – Developing Open-source AI and Geospatial Analysis Methods to Estimate the Number and Characteristics of Unsheltered Homeless Population in San Diego. Co-I, HUD, (PI: Tsou, M. SDSU Geography), submitted summer
2. \$300,000 – Endline Study – Prevalence and Patterns of Labour Abuse, **Consultant**, IJM (PI: Meredith Dank, NYU), submitted Spring 2026.
3. \$1,000,000 – Dental Needs and Health Readiness among Military Personnel in the Millennium Cohort Study, **Co-I**, DoD, (PI: Finlayson, T. SDSU SPH), submitted Fall 24, not funded, resubmitted Fall 25.
4. \$4,031,901 – Policy Contexts, Social Environments, and Health Outcomes among Adults with Lower Education in the United States, **PI of subcontract**, NICHD (PI: Finch, B.K. USC), under submission Fall 25
5. \$4,011,754 – The Price of Prejudice and Racial Resentment for White America, **PI of subcontract**, NIMHD (PI: Finch, B.K. USC), (scored, not funded, resubmission, scored not funded)
6. \$299,484 – A Randomized Control Trial of Employment-Focused Interventions to Divert At-Risk Youth from Trafficking Prone Economic Activities, **Co-PI**, Human Trafficking Research Initiative, Private Solicitation, Spring 2022-Spring 2024 (not funded)
7. \$125,000 – Fatal Encounters: Officer-Involved Homicide in the United States. **Consultant/PI of Subcontract**, NIH, NICHD, (PI: Finch, B.K. USC), Fall 2023-Fall 2028 (not funded, pending resubmission)
8. \$487,536 – A Stepped Wedge Cluster Randomized Trial of 3Strands Protect Anti-Trafficking Education Program, PI, National Institute of Justice, Spring 2020 – Fall 2022 (not funded)

DATA CREATED FOR PUBLIC/SCHOLARLY DISTRIBUTION

1. National Officer-Involved Homicides Database (NOIHD) – A law-enforcement-wide database combining information on homicides resulting from all police actions (prior to booking) merged with crosswalks to law-enforcement agency, demographic, crime, emergency department, and gun-data. The database is aggregated at the level of law-enforcement agencies with annual measurement (2000-2017; n=641,821) suited for analysis of extant policy and/or policy changes that may be related to police-involved homicides in the United States. I am one of the core faculty/scholars involved in creating and maintaining the database, alongside Finch, B. (PI, USC), Burghart, D. B., Johnson, R., Klinger, D., & Thomas, K. Data cataloged at: <https://www.icpsr.umich.edu/web/ICPSR/studies/38315>

SELECT PARTICIPATION IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND INVITED TALKS

1. 2024. “Patterns of Force in Times of Change: The Relationship Between Officer-Involved Homicides of Black Citizens and Segregation,” with J. Gibbons, B. Finch, K. Thomas. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Columbus, OH. Poster.
2. 2023. “Gentrification’s Association with Racial/Ethnic-Segregation, Income Segregation, and Income Inequality in the United States. International Sociological Association, RC-28 Meeting. Melbourne, AUS. Poster.
3. 2023. “Firearm Availability, Laws, and Officer-Involved Homicides: The Moderating Role of Segregation and Officer Risk Context.” With B. Finch, K. Thomas, and D. Burghart. Population Association of America Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA. Poster.
4. 2022. “Patterns of Force in Times of Change: The Relationship Between Officer-Involved Homicides of Black Citizens and Gentrification,” with J. Gibbons, B. Finch, K. Thomas. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Atlanta, GA. Paper.
5. 2021. “Vaping Disparities at the Intersections of Sexual Orientation and Race/Ethnicity in a Population-Based Sample of Adolescents,” with K. Tuazon, J. Felner, and S. Correa. American Public Health Association Annual Meeting. Virtual. Poster.
6. 2021. “Assessing Data Completeness, Quality, and Representativeness of Justifiable Homicides in the FBI’s Supplementary Homicide Reports: A Research Note,” with B. Finch, K. Thomas, B. Burghart, D. Klinger, and R. Johnson. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Virtual. Poster.
7. 2020. “The Impact of Residing in a Gang Territory on Birth Outcomes: Evidence from Los Angeles,” with B. Finch, K. Thomas, and J. Gibbons. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Accepted poster, but conference cancelled due to pandemic.
8. 2019. “Using Crowd-Sourced Data to Explore Police-Related-Deaths in the United States (2000-2017): The Case of Fatal Encounters,” with B. Finch, K. Thomas, B. Burghart, D. Klinger, and R. Johnson. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Austin, TX. Paper.

9. 2019. "Determining Gentrification's Relationship to Low Birthweight in Los Angeles," with J. Gibbons, K. Thomas, and B. Finch. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Austin, TX. Poster.
10. 2018. "Using Crowd-Sourced Data to Explore Police-Related-Deaths in the United States (2000-2017): The Case of Fatal Encounters." Center for Health Economics and Policy Studies, SDSU. Paper.
11. 2018. "Job Insecurity, Macro-Economic Conditions, and Population Health" with B.K. Finch. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Denver, CO. Poster.
12. 2017. "Presidential Voting and Population Health," with B.K. Finch. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Chicago, IL. Poster.
13. 2017. "Income inequalities in Early Life and Mortality," with J. Heo, et al. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Chicago, IL. Paper.
14. 2016. "Does Gentrification Contribute to Segregation? A Study of Urban Displacement" with B.K. Finch and H. Amaro. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C. Poster.
15. 2014. "Educational Gradients in Cardiovascular Health: Cohort Change and Race/Ethnic Disparities," with S. Lin and B.K. Finch. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA. Poster.
16. 2014. "Income Gradients in Obesity among U.S. Adults: Variation by Race/Ethnicity, Gender and Birthplace across Cohorts," with J. Heo, S. Lin, and B.K. Finch. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. Poster.
17. 2014. "Educational Gradients in Cardiovascular Health: Cohort Change and Race/Ethnic Disparities," with S. Lin and B.K. Finch. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. Poster.
18. 2013. "Educational Gradients in Cardiovascular Health: Cohort Change and Race/Ethnic Disparities," with S. Lin and B.K. Finch. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. Poster.
19. 2013. "Better Fortunes? Living Arrangements and Wellbeing of Migrant Youth in Six Western Countries." Young Scholars Meeting on Innovation in the Field of Child and Youth Development, Jacobs Foundation. August, Marbach, Germany. Invited Paper.
20. 2013. "Temporal Trends in Oral Health: Understanding the Role of Social Conditions," with S. Lin, T. Finlayson, and B. K. Finch. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. Poster.
21. 2013. "Temporal Changes in Self-Rated Health: APC Models of Racial Disparities," with S. Lin, and B. K. Finch. Population Association of America Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. Poster.
22. 2012. "Racial Disparities in Hypertension: Cohort Trends and Explanations." American Sociological Association. August, Denver, CO. Paper.
23. 2012. "Temporal Racial Trends in Cardiovascular Health: Cohort and Period Trends and Explanations." Population Association of America. May, San Francisco, CA. Paper.
24. 2011. "Maternal Partnership Instability and Coparenting among Fragile Families," with C. Cooper and R. Högnäs. Population Association of America. April, Washington, D. C. Paper.
25. 2011. "A Social Demography of Racial Health Disparities," with B. Finch, R. Hummer, S. Lin, R. Masters, and A. Bower. American Sociological Association. August, Las Vegas, NV. Paper. (Also presented at PAA)
26. 2010. "Age at Immigration and the Education Outcomes of Immigrant Children," with M. Corak and M. Tienda. Association of Public Policy Analysis and Management. February, Maastricht, Netherlands. Paper.
27. 2009. "Family Structure and Instability and Children's Health in Fragile Families," with S. Bzostek. Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management. November, Washington, D.C. Paper.
28. 2009. "The Fragile Families and Child Wellbeing Study," with K. Jaeger. ICPSR Summer Program Workshop: Using Secondary Data for Analysis of Marriage and Family. June, Ann Arbor, MI. Invited Workshop Presentation.
29. 2009. "Racial Gaps in School Readiness Using Fragile Families," with S. McLanahan and J. Brooks-Gunn. Population Association of America. May, Detroit, MI. Paper.
30. 2009. "Better Fortunes? Cross-National Comparisons of Migrant Youth in Developed Nations," with M. Tienda and S. McLanahan. Capitalizing on Migration: The Potential of Immigrant Youth, Jacobs Foundation. April, Marbach, Germany. Invited Poster.
31. 2008. "Immigration and Changing Public School Enrollments: The Case of North Carolina," with C. Muschkin. International Sociological Association. September, Barcelona, Spain. Paper.
32. 2008. "Child Development and Wellbeing and Maternal Parenting," with K. Jaeger. Fragile Families Data Users Conference. July, New York City, NY. Invited Workshop Presentation.

33. 2008. "Educational Homogamy, Relationship Commitment, and Children's School Readiness," with C. Gonzalez-Sancho. ISA, Research Council 28: Stratification and Mobility. May, Florence, Italy. Poster.
34. 2008. "Relationship Transitions and Maternal Parenting," with C. Cooper, S. McLanahan, and J. Brooks-Gunn. Population Association of America. April, New Orleans, LA. Paper.
35. 2008. "Partnership Instability and Children's Socio-Emotional and Cognitive Development at School Entry," with C. Cooper, C. Osborne, & S. McLanahan. Population Association of America. April, New Orleans, LA. Paper.
36. 2008. "Family Structure and Child Health Outcomes in Fragile Families," with S. Bzostek. Population Association of America. April, New Orleans, LA. Paper.
37. 2007. "The Enduring Impact of Race: Understanding Disparities in Student Behavior and Achievement" with C. Muschkin. American Sociological Association. August, New York, NY. Roundtable.
38. 2007. "Explaining Race Differences in Student Behavior: The Relative Contribution of Student, Peer, and School Characteristics," with C. Muschkin. Population Association of America. April, New York, NY. Poster.
39. 2006. "Attraction to Socially Distant Marriage under Varying Marriage Market Conditions: A Test of Demographic Sex-Ratio Theory." American Sociological Association. August. Montreal, Canada. Poster.
40. 2006. "Maximizing Status or Homophily? How Individuals Choose among Socially Distant Partners under Varying Marriage Market Conditions." Population Association of America. April, Los Angeles, CA. Paper.
41. 2006. "Peer Influences of Old for Grade and Retained Students: Disciplinary Infractions and Suspensions in Middle School," with C. Muschkin and E. Glennie. American Educational Research Association. April, San Francisco, CA. Paper.
42. 2005. "The Effects of Marital Trajectories on Mortality among Adults at Middle Age," with S. Meadows. American Sociological Association. August, Philadelphia, PA. Roundtable.
43. 2005. "The Dynamics of the Marriage Market: A Historical Examination of the Impact of Forces of Attraction and Supply on Marriage in the United States." Population Association of America. April, Philadelphia, PA. Paper.
44. 2004. "The Effect of Young Men's Education and Labor Market Outcomes on Relationship Formation and Fertility Behavior in the United States," with T. Powell. Population Association of America. April, Boston, MA. Paper.
45. 2003. "Spatial Dimensions of Family Types: Los Angeles Neighborhood Level Distributions of Single-Female Households." Population Association of America. May, Minneapolis, MN. Poster. (Also presented at SSA)
46. 2002. "School Segregation: An Examination of the Involved Processes, Effects and Prevalence." Southern Sociological Society. April, Baltimore, MD. Paper.

TEACHING EFFECTIVENESS

Research Mentorship

Role	Student Name (MA/MSc/UG)	Student Dept	Project Title/Description
2025-2026 AY			
Thesis Chair	Amber Norman (MA)	Sociology	"Military Identity as a Mediator of Gender Disparities in Veteran Mental Health" (Fall)
Thesis Chair	Jillian O'Keefe (MA)	Sociology	"LGBTQ+ Affirming Churches in San Diego"
Thesis Member	Citlalli Martinez-Cano (MA)	Sociology	"The Role of Neighborhood and Social Networks in the Health Outcomes of Queer Latine Adults" <i>Expected Spring 2026</i>
Thesis Member	Alexandra Nguyen (MS)	Big Data Analytics	"Ethical, Legal, and Social Issues in GeoAI Applications: A Case Study of San Diego's Unhoused Population" (Fall)
Thesis Member	Nathan Rosenthal (MA)	Economics	"The Contemporaneous Effects of Increased School Funding in High-Needs Counties: Evidence from California's Local Control Funding Formula"
Thesis Member	Annie Mewkill (MS)	Geography/GIS Science	"Mapping Unhoused Populations in San Diego" <i>Expected Spring 2026</i>
Thesis Member	Melissa Vasquez (MPH/MA)	Public Health/Latin American Studies dual degree	"Expanding Measures of Acculturation: An Examination of the Concept of Immersion" <i>Expected Spring 2026</i>

Thesis Member	Jenae Delafosse (MA)	Feminist Studies	"The Love Tax: A Cycle of Exhaustion and Care Manifested Through Survival" <i>Expected Summer 2026</i>
Comprehensive Exam Member	Kristen Garcia (MA)	Sociology	Sociology of Education <i>Expected Spring 2026</i>
2024-2025 AY (Spring Sabbatical)			
Thesis Chair	Sara Liaquat (MA)	Sociology	"Intersectional Disparities in Breast Cancer Screening Mammograms in the United States Before and During the COVID-19 Pandemic"
Comprehensive Exam Chair	Estela Jiménez (MA)	Sociology	Sociology of Family
Research Mentor	Sebastian Montes (MSc) William Soo Hoo (MSc)	Big Data Analytics (Global Campus)	Police Homicide Data Scrapping Using Python. BDA 798: Special Study (Fall)
Research Mentor	Dev Shah (MSc)	Big Data Analytics	Police Homicide Data Scrapping Using Python. BDA 797: Special Study (Fall)
Research Mentor	Estela Jimenez (MA)	Sociology	"How does separation or divorce of parents affects the incidence of depression in their children?" <i>SDSU S3 Conference</i>
Research Mentor	Citlalli Martinez Cano (MA)	Sociology	"Gender and Sociability" <i>SDSU S3 Conference</i>
Research Mentor	David Magallanes (MA)	Sociology	"Diverse Young Adults and Depressive Outcomes" <i>SDSU S3 Conference</i>
Research Mentor	Dean Hall (MA)	Sociology	"Belief in Election Conspiracies: The Interplay of Evangelical Identity and Alienation in Democratic Trust" <i>SDSU S3 Conference</i>
Research Mentor	Jerry Paras (MA)	Sociology	"Dynamics between Hours Worked and Self-Rated Happiness" <i>SDSU S3 Conference</i>
Research Mentor	Jillian O'Keefe (MA)	Sociology	"School Connectedness and the Relationship to Adolescent Delinquency" <i>SDSU S3 Conference</i>
Research Mentor	Luna Hivala (UG)	Anthropology	Understanding Vaping and E-Cigarette Usage Amongst CPS Involved Youth" <i>SDSU S3 Conference</i>
Co-Research Mentor	Olivia Pugsley (MPH)	Public Health	"Beyond the Count: A Qualitative Approach to Understanding Homelessness in San Diego" <i>SDSU S3 Conference</i>
2023-2024 AY			
Thesis Chair	Avery Cardosi (MA)	Sociology	"The Impact of Parental Stress on Child Externalizing and Internalizing Behaviors by Gender"
Thesis Chair	Nicolé Mendoza (MA)	Sociology	Cumulative Parental Risk and Coparenting
Thesis Chair	Jennifer Ojeda Ortiz (MA)	Sociology	"Mixed-Immigrant Status Families: Family Immigration and Student's Well-Being in Higher Education."
Thesis Member	Lorena Espinoza (MA)	Rhetoric and Writing Studies	"The Epideictic Rhetoric of 'Gaslighting' Victims by Narcissists"
Research Mentor	Tiffany Augustine (UG)	Anthropology	NextGen Smoke and Vape Free Latinx Program Mentor: Program for Southwestern Community College students to study tobacco-related research and advocacy. (Summer)
Research Mentor	Luzlynet Tostado (UG)	Sociology	Underrepresented Latina Students Journey through Medical School. SOC 499: Special Study (Fall and Spring)
Research Mentor	Allison Hall (MSc)	Big Data Analytics	County of San Diego Internship. BDA 798: Special Study (Fall and Spring)
Research Mentor	Sebastian Montes (MSc) William Soo Hoo (MSc)	Big Data Analytics (Global Campus)	Police Homicide Data Scrapping Using Python. BDA 798: Special Study (Summer)
Research Mentor	Avery Cardosi (MA)	Sociology	"The Impact of Parental Stress on Child Externalizing and Internalizing Behaviors by Gender" <i>SDSU S3 Conference</i>
Research Mentor	Sara Liaquat (MA)	Sociology	"Intersectional Disparities in Breast Cancer Screening Mammographies in Racial and Gender Minorities in the US Before and During the COVID-19 Pandemic." <i>SDSU S3 Conference</i>
Research Mentor	Nicolé Mendoza (MA)	Sociology	1. "Exploring Coparenting Strain and Outcomes." <i>SDSU S3 Conference,</i>

			2. Also presented at American Sociological Association Meetings
2022-2023 AY			
Thesis Chair	Jaqueline Robinson (MA)	Sociology	"Incarceration, Housing Insecurity, and Youth Academic Achievement: An Examination of the Interrelationship between Incarceration and Housing Insecurity."
Thesis Member	Kaiser Balanque (MA)	Sociology	"Military Experience, Suicidality, Extended Magazines, and Insider Status: Influential Variables in Mass Shooting Victimization."
Thesis Member	Harmit China (MSc)	Big Data Analytics	"Understanding Netflix Korean Drama Fandom via Online Discourse: A Topic Modeling Analysis of Reddit Posts."
Research Mentor	Avery Cardosi (MA)	Sociology	"Making the Grade: Examining the Racial-Ethnic Differences in ADHD's Impact on Academic Performance" <i>*Dean's Award: Arts and Letters (SDSU S3 Conference)</i>
Co-Research Mentor	Elizabeth Delp (UG)	Sociology	"The Influence of Race and Gender on Perceptions of Police Officers and Officer Involved Homicides" SDSU S3 Conference
Research Mentor	Ulises Magallon Estrada (MA)	Sociology	"Can Latinos be Racist? Examining Anti-Blackness among Latinos" <i>*Dean's Award: Arts and Letters (SDSU S3 Conference)</i>
Research Mentor	Nicolé Mendoza (MA)	Sociology	"The Impact of Abuse and Incarceration on Coparenting" SDSU S3 Conference
Research Mentor	Ashley Pulido (UG)	Psychology	NextGen Smoke and Vape Free Latinx Program Mentor: Program for Southwestern Community College students to study tobacco-related research and advocacy. (Summer)
Research Mentor	Najah Izquierdo (MSc) Othie Freeny (MSc)	Big Data Analytics	Tobacco Licenses and Marijuana Dispensaries Data Scrapping Using Python. BDA 798: Special Study (Summer)
2021-2022 AY			
Thesis Chair	Dianna Ratsamy (MA)	Sociology	"Intersectional Mental Health Inequalities among Transgender and Gender Questioning People of Color."
Thesis Chair	Elena Jacques (MA)	Sociology	"ACEs: An Analysis of Community Protective Factors and Adolescent Wellbeing."
Thesis Chair	Mary McClure-Walzenbach (MA)	Sociology	"Baby Boomer Working Women: Trailblazers in an Era of Gender-Specific Social Change."
Comprehensive Exam Chair	Alice Van Paris (MA)	Sociology	Sociology of the Family
Comprehensive Exam Chair	Natalie Hardy (MA)	Sociology	Sociology of Education
Research Mentor	Savannah Taylor (MA)	Sociology	"Sexual Orientation and Self-Rated Health" <i>*Provost's Award: Arts and Letters (SDSU Student Research Symposium)</i>
Research Mentor	Steve Benetiz (MA)	Sociology	"Depressive Media: Internet Use and Depression." SDSU Student Research Symposium
Research (SURP) Co-Mentor	Rebekah Alvarado (UG)	Sociology	"Systematic Review Process." <i>*Summer Undergraduate Research Program Award (SDSU Student Research Symposium)</i>
Research Mentor	Isis Venner (UG)	Interdisciplinary Studies	"Officer Involved Homicides: The Influence of Race" SDSU Student Research Symposium
2020-2021 AY			
Thesis Chair	Connor Vaughs (MSc)	Big Data Analytics	"Barriers to Participation: A Study of Socio-economic Challenges San Diegans Face in the Electoral Process"
Thesis Member	Kariar Al-Naiem (MA)	Sociology	"Pentagon 1033 and Minority Threat: Examining 1033 Equipment Acquisitions by Law Enforcement Agencies from 2006-2015"
Thesis Member	Anna Buckley (MA)	Women's Studies	"Redefining Burden: A Mother and Daughter's Navigation of Alzheimer's Dementia"
Research Co-Mentor	Sarah Correa (UG) Karen Tuazon (UG)	Sociology Psychology	1. American Public Health Association Conference Co-Mentor, "Vaping Disparities at the Intersections of Sexual

			Orientation and Race/Ethnicity in a Population-Based Sample of Adolescents” 2. Student Research Symposium Co-Mentor, “A Review of Systematic Reviews Examining Structural Drivers of Health Disparities Among Sexual and Gender Minorities and Racial Minorities” 3. Also presented at SSRIC Social Science Student Conference.
Research Mentor	Olinca Reyes-Gutierrez (UG)	Communications Studies	“Dehumanization from the Lens of an Advocate: Amplifying the Experience of Immigrants Navigating the Southern California Healthcare System through Autoethnography” SDSU Student Research Symposium and SOC 499: Special Study
Research Mentor	Diego Smith (UG)	Sociology	“Life at Zoom University: An Investigation of the Impact of the Pandemic on SDSU Students” SSRIC Social Science Student Conference and SOC 499: Special Study.
Research Mentor	Nicolé Mendoza (UG)	Sociology	“First Generation Status and its Relationship to the Covid-19 Pandemic” SSRIC Social Science Student Conference and SOC 499: Special Study.
Research Mentor	Isis Venner (UG)	Interdisciplinary Studies	Officer Involved Homicides. RSCA Program; Also in SOC 499: Special Study
Research Mentor	Kariar Al-Naiem (MA)	Sociology	Officer Involved Homicides. RSCA Program
Research Mentor	Anna Kelley (UG)	Sociology	Influence of Officer Gender Composition on Officer Involved Homicides. SOC 499: Special Study
Research Mentor	Melissa Yakuta	Big Data Analytics	Contextual Determinants of Adolescent Tobacco Use: Multilevel Data Preparation using SAS. BDA 798: Special Study
Research Co-Mentor	Claire Bentzen (UG) Polina Popova (UG) Rebecca Mendoza (UG)	Data Science Env. Engineering Psychology	“Building an Integrative Community Platform to Alleviate the Workforce Aging Crisis” REU NSF Supplement (Summer)
2019-2020 AY			
Thesis Chair	Alyssa Hernandez (MA)	Sociology	“Women’s Construction of Chronic Illness Experiences through Medical Encounters and Use of Health Information Technologies.”
Thesis Member	Tabatha Page (MA)	Sociology	“Variations in Earthquake Preparedness Levels among Residents along the San Andreas Fault.”
Thesis Member	Jose Olvera (MA)	Sociology	“Education and Medical Insurance Protect More than Citizenship Status against Serious Psychological Distress among Adult Mexican Immigrants.”
2018-2019 AY			
Thesis Chair	Tawnee Crews (MA)	Sociology	“Parental Incarceration: An Analysis of the Relationship Quality and Sexual Behavior of Offspring.”
Comprehensive Exam Chair	Arely Sanchez (MA)	Sociology	Sociology of the Family
Thesis Member	Kimberly Gan (MA)	Sociology	“The Parental Role in Families of Parachute Children from China.”
Thesis Member	Deena Naime (MA)	Women’s Studies	“Reorienting Identity: The Emotional, Mental, and Societal Centering of Arab American Women.”
Thesis Member	Amiryah Toves (MA)	Psychology	“Implicit Social Biases as Predictors of Attitudinal Resistance against Diversity Enhancement.”
Research Mentor	Krystal Brown (UG), Aileen Cerrillos (UG), Madison Dankocsik (UG), Bianca Herrera (UG), Charity Kenny (UG)	Sociology	“Graduation Initiative 2025: Understanding College of Arts and Letters Students’ Graduation Decision-Making, Disparities, and Barriers” SOC 499: Special Study
2017-2018 AY			
Thesis Member	Ian Larson (MA)	Sociology	“Physical Gaming Spaces.”

Thesis Member	Lauren Anderson (MA)	Political Science	"From Carriers to Careers: How Military Service Can Boost Women's Earning Potential."
Thesis Member	Kelsie Telson (MA)	Criminal Justice	"Evaluating Trauma and Recidivism in Juvenile Delinquents."
2016-2017 AY			
Research Mentor	Kelly Gmeiner (MA)	Sociology	"Child Behavioral Problems and Maternal Mental Health." SDSU Student Research Symposium
Research Mentor	Denise Hernandez (MA)	Sociology	"Child Behavioral Problems and Maternal Mental Health." SDSU Student Research Symposium
Research Mentor	Ian Larson (MA)	Sociology	"The Digital Divide." SDSU Student Research Symposium
Research Mentor	Thuan Nguyen (MA)	Sociology	"The Interaction of Sexual Orientation and Race in Predicting Men's Income." <i>*Poster Award Winner (SDSU Student Research Symposium)</i>
Research Mentor	Arely Sanchez (MA)	Sociology	"The Psychological Distress of Widowed Men." SDSU Student Research Symposium
2015-2016 AY			
Thesis Member	Brittney Shook (MPH)	Public Health	"Sex Ratio and Multiple Sexual Partnerships Among Deployed U.S. Navy and Marine Corps Personnel."
Thesis Member	Philipp Dembicki (MA)	Homeland Security	"Fear of Deportation, the Effects of Legal Status at Home and Work, and Psychological Distress among Unauthorized U.S. Migrants."
Research Mentor	Raquel Funches (MA)	Sociology	"The Association Between the Level of Physical Activity and Health Limitations." SDSU Student Research Symposium
Research Mentor	Dan Frumer (MA)	Sociology	"The Relationship Between Cigarette Smoking and Self-Reported Health Among Current Daily Smokers." SDSU Student Research Symposium
Research Mentor	Elizabeta Shifrin (MA)	Sociology	"How Much is Enough? Investigating the Relationship Between Self-Rated Health and Physical Activity." SDSU Student Research Symposium
Research Mentor	Susie Gates (MA)	Sociology	"Racial Disparities in Psychological Distress." SDSU Student Research Symposium
Research Mentor	Matthew Phutisatayakul (MA)	Sociology	"The Association of Body Mass Index and Gender with Self-Rated Health." SDSU Student Research Symposium
2014-2015 AY			
Thesis Member	Sandy Somo (MA)	Sociology	"Work-Life Balance Among Tenure/Tenure-Track Professors: A Comparative Study Between Community College and University Faculty in the Social and Behavioral Sciences."
Research Mentor	Juan Flores (MA)	Sociology	"An Investigation of the Effects of Marriage on Psychological Distress and Self-Rated Health: The Case of Sexual Orientation." <i>*Poster Award Winner (SDSU Student Research Symposium)</i>
Research Mentor	Jennifer Rener (MA)	Sociology	"Effects of Educational Attainment on Self-Rated Health" SDSU Student Research Symposium
2004-2005 AY			
Research Mentor	Various (UG)	Sociology	Duke Undergraduate Honors Thesis Program (Graduate Student Mentoring Partnerships)

TEACHING/MENTORING AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

1. Research, Scholarship and Creative Activities Graduate Mentor Award (2025 SDSU Student Symposium, S³)

PEDAGOGICAL TRAINING

2013-Present Center for Teaching and Learning Workshops (Various). San Diego State University
2005 African and African-American Studies 297S: Teaching Race, Teaching Gender. Duke University
2003 Pathways to the Professoriate: Six Week Course on Pedagogy. Duke University
2002-2006 Sociology Teaching Workshop Series. Duke University.
1998-2001 Tutor and Tutor Supervisor: Sociology, Communications Studies, Education, Writing and ESL, UCLA

CURRICULUM, COURSE, AND TEACHING DEVELOPMENT

2020-Present		Revise/Submit Sociology Special Topics Classes Modify all upper division GE course prerequisites and major description Co-modify SOC 470 to include service learning designation
2019-2020		Modify sociology course names/descriptions for currency in the discipline Revise/Submit Sociology Special Topics Classes Modify sociology course names/descriptions for currency in the discipline Assist in reactivation of Sociology of Emotions Creation of SOC 470: Sociology, Research, and Community Engagement Center for Teaching and Learning Teaching Innovation Grant
2018-2019	\$1,500	
2018-2019	Course Release	CAL Curriculum Innovation Grant: Modifying major and minor, plan certificate Assist in development of new undergraduate GE Area E course: Sociology of the Body
2017-2018		Assist in development of new undergraduate core course: Sociology of Intersectionality Assist in Reactivation of Sociology of Mental Illness
2015-2016		Modify Sociology of Health and Illness to GE Social Behavioral Sciences course

Courses Taught

Course #	Course Name	Level	Modality	Institution
Sociology 40	Sociology of Health Care Issues	Lower	In-Person	UCSD
Sociology 215	Comparative Race and Ethnic Studies	Lower	In-Person	Duke University
Sociology 201	Elementary Social Statistics	Lower	In-Person/Hybrid	SDSU
Sociology 109	Analysis of Sociological Data	Upper	In-Person	UCSD
Sociology 406	Intermediate Social Statistics	Upper	In-Person	SDSU
Sociology 350	Population and Contemporary Issues	Upper	In-Person/Hybrid	SDSU
Sociology 130	Population and Society	Upper	In-Person	UCSD
Political Science 335	Public Policy	Upper	In-Person	SDSU
Sociology 436	Sociology of Health and Illness	Upper	In-Person/Hybrid	SDSU
Sociology 470	Sociology, Research, and Community Engagement	Upper	In-Person	SDSU
Sociology 407	Survey and Experimental Methods	Upper	In-Person/Hybrid	SDSU
Sociology 421	The American Family	Upper	In-Person/Hybrid	SDSU
Sociology 607	Advanced Quantitative Methods	Grad	In-Person	SDSU
Sociology 730	Sociology of Family and Well-Being	Grad	In-Person	SDSU
Sociology 730	Demography and Society	Grad	In-Person	SDSU
Sociology 601	Professionalization Seminar	Grad	In-Person	SDSU
Note: All classes solo taught.				

Invited Classroom Lectures

2019	Sociology: An Introduction to the Discipline. Guest lecture in CAL 100: Explore College of Arts and Letters (M. Lenoue and K. Sabol)
2016	Sociological Perspectives on Poverty and the Family. Guest lecture in Political Science 435: Power and Poverty (R. King)

SERVICE

SERVICE RECOGNITION

2022	Excellence in Service Award, College of Arts and Letters, SDSU
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SERVICE FOR THE DEPARTMENT

1. 2025-Present Graduate Advisor
2. 2025-Present Chair, Graduate Committee
3. 2024-2025 Committee Member, Faculty Search
4. 2021-2023 Committee Member, Faculty Search
5. 2019-2023 Committee Member, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Plan Ad-Hoc Committee
6. 2019-Present Committee Member, Assessment Committee
7. 2018-2022 Undergraduate Advisor
8. 2017-2023 Chair, Curriculum Committee (also see course modifications under teaching)
9. 2016-Present Committee Member, Curriculum
10. 2016-2019 Assessment Coordinator
11. 2015-2016 Committee Member, Faculty Search
12. 2013-2018 Committee Member, Graduate Committee
13. 2002-2004 Graduate Forum, Duke University
14. 2002-2003 Sociology Prospective Weekend Coordinator

SERVICE FOR THE COLLEGE

1. 2023-2024 CAL Office of Research and Innovation (CORI) Fellow: facilitated Book Manuscript Program, led CORI Professional Development Workshops: "Developing a 5-Year Research Plan" and "Summer Research Planning Workshop"
2. 2023-2024 CAL Dean Search Committee
3. 2023-2024 CAL Pre-tenure Mentor Program, Mentor
4. 2022-2023 DRI Research Advancement Fellow
5. 2021-2023 Senate GE Committee, CAL Representative
6. 2020-Present Affiliated faculty, Big Data Analytics, M. Sc. program
7. 2019-2022 CAL Curriculum Liaison
8. 2019-2023 CAL Curriculum Committee Chair
9. 2019-2020 CAL GE Resource Committee
10. 2017-Present CAL Curriculum Committee Member
11. 2017-2020 CAL Data Champion
12. 2013-2015 General Education Goal Assessment Team

SERVICE FOR THE UNIVERSITY

1. 2025-Present CAL Representative to University GE Task Force
2. 2023-Present SDSU HealthLink Center Community Coalition, Academic Board Member
3. 2021 Faculty Unified towards Excellence in Research and Transformational Engagement (FUERTE) Faculty Recruitment Committee, SDSU
4. 2021-Present Student Research Symposium Planning Committee, SDSU
5. 2021 Search Committee, Analytic Studies and Institutional Research (ASIR) Director, SDSU
6. 2019 (chilled), 2020 Search Committee Outside Member, School of Public Health, SDSU
7. 2011, 2022, 2023 Paper Judge: Student Research Symposium, SDSU
8. 2002-2004 Graduate and Professional Student Council Elected Office: Ombudsperson (2004); Community Affairs Coordinator (2003); Vice President (2002); Undergraduate Mentoring Program Chair (2002), Duke University
9. 2002-2004 Representative: Academic Council (2003), Board of Trustees (2002-2004), Executive Committee of Graduate Faculty (2002), Duke University

SERVICE FOR THE PROFESSION

1. 2023-2024 Social Science Research Instructional Council Chair
2. 2022-2023 Social Science Research Instructional Council Chair-Elect
3. 2021 Poster Discussant: Population Association of America Meetings
4. 2021-Present SSRIC Instructional Materials Award Committee & Student Research Conference Award Judge

5. 2019-Present Social Science Research Instructional Council Campus Co-Representative for SDSU
6. 2015 Organizer: Population Association of America Meetings, Health and Mortality
7. 2009 Editorial Board: Journal of Marriage and Family
8. 2008, 2010, 2013, 2015 Discussant: Population Association of America Meetings
9. 2008 Poster Judge: Population Association of America Meetings
10. 2007, 2015 Session Chair: Population Association of America Meetings
11. 2006-Present Reviewer: Demography, Journal of Marriage and Family, Journal of Youth and Adolescence, Social Biology, Social Forces and others

SERVICE FOR THE COMMUNITY

1. 2024 Sage Project: Black Women's Resilience Guaranteed Income Program, SOC 436 Instructor
(Designed and mentored class research project to address partner needs)
2. 2020 "Time Theft and Sick Days Law" Center on Policy Initiative, Research Consultant
3. 2012 Navy Commuter Survey, Research Consultant