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EDUCATION

2001 University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI

Doctor of Philosophy (Sociology)

Dissertation: "Sex and Sickness: Gender and Socioeconomic Inequalities in Adult Health."

Minor: History of Science, Medicine and Public Policy (Interdisciplinary)

1996 University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI

Master of Science (Sociology)

Thesis: "An Event History Analysis of Age at Last Menstrual Period: Correlates of Natural and Surgical

Menopause among Mid-life Wisconsin Women" (published in Social Science & Medicine).

1990 Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, NY

Bachelor of Arts, with departmental honors

Major: the Multidisciplinary Program of Science, Technology and Society.

Thesis: "To Do More Harm Than Good: The Reproductive Technologies of *In Vitro* Fertilization,

Embryo Transfer, and Prenatal Diagnosis" awarded Distinction.

1988-89 Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT

Twelve College Exchange Program

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Health Stratification and Inequalities Demography and Population Health Gender and Women's Health Disability Studies

Aging and the Life Course

POSITIONS HELD

2009- present Associate Professor with tenure (effective August 23, 2014), Assistant Professor (2009-2014),

Department of Sociology, Indiana University of Pennsylvania.

2017- present Director, Bachelor of Science Program in Public Health (effective July 10, 2017).

2012-2016 Master of Arts Program Coordinator, Department of Sociology, Indiana University of Pennsylvania.

2005-2017 Faculty Affiliate, Center for Demography and Ecology, University of Wisconsin-Madison.

2002-2009 Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Memphis, with faculty affiliation at the

Center for Community Health, University of Memphis.

1999-02 Health Analyst and Statistician, Illness and Disability Statistics Branch, Division of Health Interview

Statistics, National Center for Health Statistics, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention,

Hyattsville, Maryland (Sept. 1999 to July 2002).

POSITIONS HELD, continued

- 1997-99, National Institute on Aging Research Trainee, with Professor Robert M. Hauser, Department of
- 1992-95 Sociology, University of Wisconsin-Madison
- Research Assistant, Socioeconomic Inequalities, Gender and Midlife Health Project, with Assistant Professor Nadine F. Marks, Department of Child & Family Studies, University of Wisconsin-Madison.

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1990-92 Research Associate, Engineering Degrees and Enrollment Projects, the Engineering Manpower Commission of the American Association of Engineering Societies, Washington D.C.

PUBLICATIONS (* denotes refereed)

- Shinberg, D.S. "Women's Health" in Cockerham, W.C., R. Dingwall and S. Quah, eds. *The Wiley-Blackwell Encyclopedia of Health, Illness, Behavior and Society.* (Oxford: Wiley-Blackwell Publishing)
- Swauger, M.L., D. Hysock Witham and D.S. Shinberg "No Stranger in the Bushes: The Ambiguity of Consent and Rape in Hook Up Culture." *Sex Roles: A Journal of Research*, 68 (9-10): 629-633. (DOI 10.1007/s11199-012-0251-2). *
- 2011 Shinberg, D.S. "Women's Health" in Ritzer, G. and J.M. Ryan, eds. *The Concise Encyclopedia of Sociology.* (Oxford: Wiley-Blackwell Publishing)
- Shinberg, D.S. "Menopause" in Carr, Deborah, ed. *Encyclopedia of the Life Course and Human Development: Volume 2, Adulthood* (Farmington Hills, MI: Gale/Cengage)
- Shinberg, D.S. "Women's Health" in Ritzer, G., ed. 2006. *The Blackwell Encyclopedia of Sociology*. (Oxford: Blackwell Publishing)
- Freedman, V.A., E. Crimmins, R.F. Schoeni, B. Spillman, H. Aykan, E. Kramarow, K. Land, J. Lubitz, K. Manton, L.G. Martin, D. Shinberg and T. Waidmann. "Resolving Inconsistencies in Old-Age Disability Trends: Report from a Technical Working Group." *Demography*. Vol. 41, No. 3: 417-441.
- Shinberg, D.S. "For Richer, For Poorer, In Sickness and In Health: Socioeconomic Status and Health Among Married Couples." *Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences*. Vol. 896 (Socioeconomic Status and Health in Industrial Nations: Social, Psychological and Biological Pathways Conference Proceedings, May 11-12, 1999: 341-343. *
- Shinberg, D.S. "An Event History Analysis of Age at Last Menstrual Period: Correlates of Natural and Surgical Menopause among Midlife Wisconsin Women." *Social Science & Medicine*. Vol. 46, No. 10: 1381-1396. *
- Marks, N.F. and D.S. Shinberg. "Socioeconomic Status Differences in Hormone Therapy." *American Journal of Epidemiology.* Vol. 148, No. 6 (September): 581-593. *
- Marks, N.F. and D.S. Shinberg. "Socioeconomic Differences in Hysterectomy: Evidence from the Wisconsin Longitudinal Study." *American Journal of Public Health*. Vol. 87, No. 9: 1507-1514. *
- Hauser, R.M, D. Carr, T.S. Hauser, J. Hayes, M. Krecker, H.H.D. Kuo, W. Magee, J. Presti, D. Shinberg,
 M. Sweeney, T. Thompson-Colon, S.C.N. Uhrig, and J.R. Warren. "The Class of 1957 After 35 Years:
 Overview and Preliminary Findings." *CDE Working Paper*. Madison, WI: Center for Demography and Ecology, University of Wisconsin-Madison. No. 93-17 (revised).
- Shinberg, D.S. "Women In Engineering." *Engineering Manpower Bulletin*. Washington, DC: Engineering Manpower Commission of the American Association of Engineering Societies. No. 118 (May): 1-8.

MANUSCRIPTS

- "Social Capital, Socioeconomic Inequality and Mortality"
- "Families' Health Insurance under the ACA: Perceived and Realized Access to Care"
- "Differential Health Insurance Coverage within Families: An Enabling Factor in Access to Care"
- "Passing Versus Being Out: A Test among Lesbians' Health Care Treatment" with Kendra L. Murphy, M.A.

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- "A fool's paradox? Measuring gender paradoxes in health and mortality"
- "Socioeconomic Status and Health among Married Couples"
- "Gender Gaps in Health at Midlife: The Cumulative Role of Socioeconomic Status"

SPECIAL HONORS AND AWARDS

- Interdisciplinary Proposal for ACPAC Technological Exploration & Innovation Funding for "Lightboard Video Production: A Resource for Online and Supported Learning" Principal Investigator with Justin Fair, and Katie Farnsworth \$1,723.
- College of Humanities and Social Sciences Special Technology Funding, Principal Investigator, "Resources for Public Health Student Researchers" \$1,369.80.
- University Senate Research Committee Award for Travel, \$1,000 for paper presentation of "Families' Health Insurance Coverage under the ACA" the Population Association of America's Annual Meeting.
- 2015 College of Humanities and Social Sciences Special Project Funding, Principal Investigator, "Disability Attitudes on Campus" \$1,392.50.
- Institute Participant, Leadership Institute for Faculty Women, Women's Consortium of the Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education, State College, PA (July 27-August 1, 2014).
- Alternative Work Assignment Winner, IUP Strategic Initiative to Enhance Federal Funding, "Students with Disabilities: Identities and Institutions in Postsecondary Settings." Fall 2013 course release to prepare proposal for federal funding.
- 2013 Reflective Practice Mini-Grant, Multi-disciplinary Teaching Circle on *Universal Design* (Co-chair with Theresa McDevitt) "Building More Socially Inclusive Classrooms Project" \$100 (returned).
- 2012 Reflective Practice Mini-Grant, Multi-disciplinary Teaching Circle on *Hands-on Activities for Teaching Statistics* (Circle Member) "Laboratory Equipment for Hands-On Activities in Introductory Statistics" \$494.78.
- 2010-11 Active-Plus Member of Reflective Practice, Center for Teaching Excellence.
- 2008 Poster Session Award Winner, Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, "Differential Health Insurance Coverage within Families: Evidence from the National Health Interview Survey," April 17-19, 2008.
- Junior Scholar, Inequalities in Health and Well-Being across the Life Course, The Many Faces of Inequality Symposium, The Ohio State University, June 26-27, 2006.
- Health Services Research Day, 2006: Research Award, Center for Health Services Research, University of Tennessee Health Sciences Center, March 1, 2006 for "Discontinuity and complexity in health insurance coverage within families: Evidence from the National Health Interview Survey."
- New Faculty Research Initiative Award (\$4,500), University of Memphis, June-July, 2003.
- 2000-01 Competitive promotion in civil service grade; Quality Step Increase for outstanding performance; On the Spot Award for outstanding performance, NCHS.

SPECIAL HONORS AND AWARDS, continued

- 1997-99, National Institute on Aging Predoctoral Trainee Fellowship. 1992-95
- New Investigator Award, University of Wisconsin-Madison Institute on Aging Ninth Annual Colloquium, April 17-18, 1997.

COLLABORATIVE PROJECTS ON VULNERABLE POPULATIONS

- Six O'Clock Series, *Lives Worth Living: The Fight for Disability Rights*. Diane Shinberg and Todd Van Wieren (coorganizers and co-facilitators), October 27, 2014.
- Exploring Collaboration between Children's Advocacy Centers (CACs) and Rape Crisis Centers (RCCs) in Pennsylvania with Kathryn Bonach (Principal Investigator) and Dana Hysock Witham, Alexa Livelsberger and Teresa Smith (Co-investigators), Fall 2013.
- International Disability Tabulations (DISTAB) Group. WHO's International Classification of Functioning, Disability & Health in five countries (Canada, France, the Netherlands, South Africa & U.S., 1999–2003)
- NCHS Workgroup for the United Nations Statistical Commission's Washington Group meeting on Disability Statistics, February 18-20, 2002.
- The Federal Interagency Planning Committee & Data Subcommittee for the Surgeon General's Initiative on Mental Retardation, includes independent research on "Differentials in Access to Care and Utilization for Children with Mental Retardation/Developmental Disabilities." (May–December 2001)

PAPER AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS (* denotes refereed)

- 2018 "Indiana County, PA Poverty: Local Measures." Financial Health Forum: Health Equity & Financial Protection, Indiana, PA, September 12, 2018.
- 2018 "Access to Care Consequences of Family Structure." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA, August 11-14, 2018. *
- 2017 "Families' Health Insurance under the ACA: Perceived and Realized Access to Care." Improving Population Health Conference of the Interdisciplinary Association for Population Health Science, Austin, TX, October 2-5, 2017. *
- 2017 "Social Capital, Socioeconomic Inequality and Mortality." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Montréal, Québec, Canada, August 12-15, 2017. *
- 2016 "Families' Health Insurance Coverage under the ACA." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Seattle, WA, August 20-23, 2016. *
- 2016 "Autism Awareness Panel." IUP Chapter of Phi Sigma Pi, Indiana, PA, April 20, 2016.
- 2016 "Families' Health Insurance Coverage under the ACA." Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington, DC, March 31-April 2, 2016. *
- 2015 "Autism Awareness Panel." IUP Chapter of Phi Sigma Pi, Indiana, PA, April 1, 2015.
- "Graduate Student Workshop: Navigating the Profession." Committee on the Status of Women, Annual Meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, New York, NY, February 26-March 1, 2015.
- 2013 "Disability Inclusion and Empowerment." with H. Benton and L. Kuzneski. PASSHE Summit on Inclusive Excellence and International Education: Expanding Out Community Together, Shippensburg, PA, November 21-22, 2013.
- 2013 "Sociological perspectives on the health of health care workers: Physicians, nurses, and others." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY, August 09-13, 2013. *

PAPER AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS, continued (* denotes refereed)

- 2013 "Why are physicians healthier than nurses (and the rest of us)? Sociological perspectives on the Gallup-Healthways Well-Being Index." Annual Meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, Boston, MA, March 21-24, 2013. *
- 2008 "Differential Health Insurance Coverage within Families: Evidence from the National Health Interview Survey." Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, New Orleans, LA, April 17-19, 2008. *
- "Differential Health Insurance Coverage within Families: Evidence from the National Health Interview Survey." American Sociological Association, 102nd Annual Meeting, New York, NY, August 11-14, 2007. *
- 2007 "A fool's paradox? Measuring gender paradoxes in health and mortality." American Sociological Association, 102nd Annual Meeting, New York, NY, August 11-14, 2007. *
- 2006 "Gender and Socioeconomic Gradients in Health: Evidence among Married Couples." American Sociological Association, 101st Annual Meeting, Montréal, Québec, Canada, August 11-14, 2006. *
- 2006 "Discontinuity and complexity in health insurance coverage within families: Evidence from the National Health Interview Survey." Health Services Research Day, The Center for Health Services Research, University of Tennessee Health Sciences Center. March 1, 2006. *
- 2005 "Population-based Disability Data." Vice Provost's Seminar on Visioning an Institute on Disability Research and Education." FedEx Institute of Technology, The University of Memphis. June 29, 2005.
- 2004 "Gender, Health and Socioeconomic Status." First Tuesdays Seminar, The Center for Health Services Research, University of Tennessee, Health Science Center. October, 5, 2004.
- "Socioeconomic Status and Health among Married Couples" 2nd Workshop on Correlated Data Modeling: Common Ideas in Biometrics and Econometrics, Turin, Italy, January 9-10, 2004. *
- 2003 "Functioning, Disability and Health among Older Americans: Evidence from the National Health Interview Survey, 1997-2001" Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Minneapolis, MN, May 1-3, 2003. *
- 2003 "Disability, Health and Well-being among Older Americans." University of Memphis, graduate student seminar, April 4, 2003.
- "The National Health Interview Survey." Informational Poster Session: Data Resources. American Sociological Association, 96th Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA, August 17-21, 2001.
- 2001 "Socioeconomic Status and Health Among Married Couples." American Sociological Association, 96th Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA, August 17-21, 2001. *
- 2000 "Change in Functional Status: Conceptual and Empirical Comparisons of Disability and Function in the NHIS." American Public Health Association, 128th Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, November 12-16, 2000. *
- 2000 "Report on the National Health Interview Survey-Disability Supplement (NHIS-D) Conference in June 12-13, 2000." Interagency Subcommittee on Disability Statistics, July 12, 2000.
- 2000 "Disability: U.S.—International Comparisons." National Center for Health Statistics, Data Users' Conference, Bethesda, MD, July 26-28, 2000.
- "For Richer, For Poorer, In Sickness and In Health: Socioeconomic Status and Health Among Married Couples." Socioeconomic Status and Health in Industrial Nations: Social, Psychological and Biological Pathways Conference of the New York Academy of Sciences, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD, May 11-12, 1999. *
- "Gender Inequalities in Health at Midlife: Social, Economic, and Behavioral Dynamics." American Sociological Association, 93rd Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, August 21-25, 1998.

PAPER AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS, continued (* denotes refereed)

- "Size, Sex and SES at Midlife: A Sibling Resemblance Model." with H.H.D. Kuo. Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Chicago, IL, April 2-4, 1998. *
- "Socioeconomic Differences in Hormone Therapy: Prevention or Patriarchy?" with N.F. Marks. American Sociological Association, 92nd Annual Meeting, Toronto, Canada, August 1997. *
- 1997 "Sex and Sickness: Gender Gaps in Health at Midlife." University of Wisconsin-Madison Institute on Aging Ninth Annual Colloquium, April 17-18, 1997; Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington, D.C., March 25-27, 1997. *
- "Women Without Wombs: Socioeconomic Differences in Hysterectomy." with N.F. Marks. American Sociological Association, 91st Annual Meeting, New York, NY, August 1996. *
- "Correlates of Natural and Surgical Menopause Among Midlife Wisconsin Women." University of Wisconsin-Madison Institute on Aging Eighth Annual Colloquium, April 25-26, 1996. *
- "An Event History Analysis of Age at Last Menstrual Period: Correlates of Natural and Surgical Menopause among Midlife Wisconsin Women." Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, San Francisco, CA, April 8, 1995. *

TEACHING EXPERIENCE - listed alphabetically (* denotes course taught at University of Memphis)

Analysis of Social Data (SOC 762/862), Fall 2012, Fall 2013 - Spring 2018

Disability and Society (SOC 452/552), Spring 2011, 2013, 2015, Fall 2016

Graduate Seminar on Aging and the Life Course (SOCI 7450*), Fall 2005

Graduate Seminar on Gender and Health (SOCI 7853*), Fall 2003

Intermediate Social Statistics (SOCI 4312/6312*), Spring 2005, 2006, 2007

Internship (SOC 798), Spring 2013, Summer 2014

Internship (PUBH 493), Summer 2019

Medical Sociology (SOCI 4851*, SOC 342/442/542), Fall 2004, 2015, 2018 Spring 2003, 2006, 2008, 2014, 2017

Microcomputing Applications in Sociology (SOC 761), Fall 2009, 2010, 2011

Principles of Sociology (SOC 151), Spring 2010, Fall 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014

Proseminar (SOC 700/LDRS 800), Fall 2014, 2016, Summer 2015, 2017

Research Design and Methods in Public Health (PUBH 306), Spring 2019

Scholarly Writing for the Social Sciences (SOC 707), Spring 2015, 2016

Social and Cultural Aspects of Health and Medicine (SOC342/542), Fall 2009, Spring 2011, 2012, 2014

Social Statistics (SOCI 3311*), Fall 2007 – Spring 2009

Sociological Writing and Communication (Special Topics, SOC 781: 001), Spring 2013

Sociology of Gender (SOCI 3432*, SOC363), Fall 2002, 2003, Fall 2004 – Fall 2005, Fall 2006, Spring 2010, Spring 2011 (final 4 weeks), Summer 2011, Spring 2012, Summer 2012

Sociology of Health Care (SOC721/821), Fall 2012, 2015

Sociology of Work (SOC 348), Spring 2016

Survey Research Methods (Special Topics, SOC 881: 601), Summer 2013

CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

Bachelor of Science in Public Health Program Revisions (excludes *Catalog* corrections) Global and Rural Communities track, approved Spring 2018

Master of Arts in Sociology Program Revisions

Early Admission, approved Fall 2014 Major Revision, approved Spring 2014

Minor Revision, approved Fall 2011

Course Proposals (excludes course revisions)

Health Disparities (SOC/ANTH 450), approved Spring 2017

Survey Research Methods (SOC 767/867), approved Spring 2017 Research Design and Analysis in Public Health (PUBH 306), approved Fall 2016

Scholarly Writing in the Social Sciences (SOC 707/807), approved Spring 2014

Proseminar (SOC 700), approved Spring 2014

AREAS OF TEACHING INTEREST (listed alphabetically)

Aging and the Life Course Research Methods Disability and Society Public Health Health Inequalities Social Problems Introduction to Sociology **Social Statistics** Medical Sociology Sociology of Gender Social Demography/Epidemiology Survey Research

DOCTORAL DISSERTATIONS

- 2019 Committee, Charlene D'Amore, Ph.D. "Unmasking HIV: Women and Experiences of Disclosure."
- Committee Chair, Carla Adair Conrad, "COPD and Health Literacy." 2016-
- Committee Member, Christina Daley, Ph.D. "Stemming the Tide of Leadership in Long Term Care: How 2015 Worklife Factors and Burnout contribute to Nursing Home Administrators' Intention to Leave Their Jobs and Careers."

MASTER'S THESES

- 2018 Chair, Shelly Maras, M.A. "Understanding Interactions between Health Professionals and Abused Women from Women's Standpoint."
- Committee, Annie Wardrop, M.A. "Reality Television and Parenting: A Content Analysis of the Way 2016 Reality Television Portrays Parenting."
- Chair, Kelsey Shaulis, "Family and Health Service Utilization among Aging Immigrants in the United 2014-States."
- Committee, Kirsten E. Kemmerer, M.A. "The Status of the American Bride: A Content Analysis of 2012 Wedding Websites and Bridal Magazines."
- 2011 Committee, Dorothy A. Craig, M.A. "American Attitudes about Gay Marriage: The Impact of Attitudes toward Familial Gender Roles and Religiosity."
- Committee, Laura Greenberg, M.A. "Locational Attainment of Minorities in the Pittsburgh Metropolitan 2010 Region."
- Committee, Shelley N. Vukman, M.A. "Psychological Outcomes of Adolescent Females' Early Sexual 2010 Initiation: Findings from the National Longitudinal Study of Adolescent Health."
- Chair, Kendra L. Murphy, M.A. "Passing or Being Out? Which Most Benefits Lesbian Women in Health 2007 Care Treatment?" (joint article under new revision)
- Committee, Emily Elizabeth Bates, M.A. "Reaching Gender Equity in Collegiate Athletics: An 2006 Assessment of Determinants of Title IX Compliance."

SERVICE

University/College of Humanities and Social Sciences, completed at Indiana University of Pennsylvania:

- 2017- Member, Academic Affairs Council
- 2016-17 Chair, University Wide Sabbatical Leave Committee
- 2015-16 Ad hoc member, Executive Steering Committee, Bachelor of Science in Public Health
- 2013-17 University Wide Sabbatical Leave Committee
- 2013-17 Development Committee, Global Health Minor
- 2013-15 President's Taskforce on Accessibility Guidelines (TAG)
- 2012-16 Graduate Coordinators' Council
- 2011-15 College Technical Committee
- 2010-11 College Research Committee
- 2010-15 Departmental Representative to APSCUF (alternate 2010-11 and 2014-15)

University/College, completed at University of Memphis:

- 2007-08 Student Instructional Rating System (SIRS) Taskforce
- 2006-09 Faculty Advisor, VOX Students for Planned Parenthood

Department, completed at Indiana University of Pennsylvania:

- 2018, '19 Sociology Temporary Faculty Search Committee
- 2016- Core Member, Faculty Development Committee
- 2015-16 Sociology Faculty Search Committee
- 2014-16 Faculty Development Committee
- 2013 Indiana Graduate Secretary Hiring Committee (April)
- 2012-16 Master's Program Coordinator (including Graduate Internship Coordinator, Outcomes Assessment Coordinator, Indiana Graduate Assistant Supervisor, and Chair's Advisor Committee)
- 2012-16 Administration and Leadership Studies (ALS) PhD Advisory Committee
- 2011-12 Sociology Faculty Search Committee
- 2010-12 ALS PhD Comprehensive Examination Committees
- 2010-12 ALS PhD Specialization Essay Examination Committee
- 2009-16 Master's Education Committee
- 2009-15 Master's Comprehensive Examination Committees

Department, completed at University of Memphis:

- 2007-09 Undergraduate Committee
- 2002-07 Graduate Committee
- 2005-07 Sociology Department Chair Search Committees
- 2005 Instructor Search Committee
- 2004-08 Master's Comprehensive Examination Committees

Discipline:

- Discussant, "Health Care for Vulnerable Populations in International Settings," Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY, August 10-13, 2019.
- 2018- Membership Chair, Section on Disability and Society, American Sociological Association.
- 2019 Reviewer, *Handbook on Disability Studies*, Oxford University Press.
- 2017 Reviewer, *Intermediate Regression Analysis for the Social Sciences and Education: Step-by-Step from Start to Publish*, Sage Publishing.
- Session Organizer, "Public Sociology: Where the research meets the road," Annual Meeting of the Pennsylvania Sociological Society, Edinboro, PA, October 23-24, 2015.
- Discussant, "Quo vadis? Pennsylvania Sociology at the Crossroads?" Annual Meeting of the Pennsylvania Sociological Society, Edinboro, PA, October 23-24, 2015.

SERVICE, continued Discipline, continued:

- 2014-15 Session Organizer, "Conceptual and Practical Challenges across Disabilities," Section on Disability and Society, Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Chicago, IL, August 22-25, 2015
- 2014-17 Secretary Treasurer, Section on Disability and Society, American Sociological Association.
- 2013 Roundtable Presider, Annual Meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, Boston, MA, March 21-24, 2013.
- 2011 Reviewer, *The Disability Studies Reader*, 2nd ed., Taylor & Francis
- Reviewer, Sociology in Our Times: The Essentials, 8th ed., Cengage/Wadsworth
- 2009 Session Organizer, "Exploring the Interaction Context that Creates Disability," Disability and Society Section (in formation), Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA, August 8-11, 2009.
- 2004, 07 Referee, Women's Health Issues.
- 1999-06 Referee, Social Science & Medicine.
- 2005-06 Reviewer, Oxford University Press; Reviewer, Sage books.
- Discussant, "Social and Economic Inequalities in Health and Mortality," Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Boston, MA, April 1-3, 2004.
- 2004 Reviewer, Elsevier books.
- 2002 Session Organizer, "Analytic Uses of the National Health Interview Survey (NHIS)," National Center for Health Statistics, Data Users' Conference, Washington, D.C., July 15-17, 2002.
- 2002 Referee, American Sociological Review.
- 2002 Referee, American Journal of Public Health.
- 2001 Referee, Research in Social Science and Disability.
- 2001 Committee Member, Federal Interagency Planning Committee and Data Subcommittee for the Surgeon General's Initiative on Mental Retardation.
- 2000 Organizer, National Conference on the National Health Interview Survey Supplement on Disability: Findings, Lessons and Future Directions, Minneapolis, MN, June 12-13, 2000.

Community:

- 2018- Steering Committee Member, Indiana Regional Medical Center (IRMC), Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA).
- 2018 Stakeholder, United Way of Indiana County, PA.
- 2006-08 Informant, The Commercial Appeal, multiple news stories on society and health.
- Informant, WKNA-FM 88.9 news story on social and health effects of "Hurricane Elvis" and the July 22nd, 2003 Memphis power outage.