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EDUCATION

- 2013 Ph.D., Sociology, University of Texas at Austin
Dissertation: *The Household Production of Men's and Women's Health*
Specialization Areas: Demography; Aging, Health, and the Life Course
- 2004 M.A., Sociology, Middle Tennessee State University
Thesis: *Familial Integration and Suicide: An Analysis of U. S. Counties, 1990*
- 2001 B.S., Psychology & Sociology (*Cum Laude*), Middle Tennessee State University

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2015-present Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Mississippi State University
- 2015-present Research Fellow, Social Science Research Center, Mississippi State University
- 2019-2021 Instructor, Department of Population Health Science, University of Mississippi Medical Center
- 2013-2015 National Institute of Aging (NIA) Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Population Studies Center, University of Michigan
- 2004-2006 Research Associate, Center for Prevention Research (Formerly Center for Health Research), Tennessee State University

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Demography, Population Health Disparities, Social Epidemiology, Aging and the Life Course, Family Demography, Social Inequality, Research Methods/Statistics, Demographic Methods

JOURNAL ARTICLES

- Gissandaner, Tre D., Crystal S. Lim, Dustin E. Sarver, **Dustin C. Brown**, Russell McCulloh, Lacy Malloch, and Robert D. Annett. *In Press*. "The Impact of COVID-19 on Families: Examining Sociodemographic Disparities." *Journal of Developmental & Behavioral Pediatrics*
- Brown, Dustin C.**, Joseph T. Lariscy, and Benjamin H. Walker. *Forthcoming*. "State-Level Trends in Lifespan Variability in the United States, 1960-2019: A Research Note." *Demography*
- Walker, Benjamin H., **Dustin C. Brown**, Courtney S. Walker, Megan Stubbs-Richardson, Arazais Oliveros, Susan Buttross. 2022. "Childhood Adversity is Associated with Poorer Health: Evidence from the U.S. National Survey of Children's Health." *Child Abuse & Neglect* 134:105871.
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- Brown, Dustin C.**, Joseph T. Lariscy, and Lucie Kalousova. 2019. "Comparability of Mortality Estimates from Social Surveys and Vital Statistics Data in the United States." *Population Research and Policy Review* 38(3):71-401.
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- Angel, Jacqueline L., Sunshine M. Rote, **Dustin C. Brown**, Ronald J. Angel, and Kyriakos S. Markides. 2014. "Nativity Status and Sources of Care Assistance Among Elderly Mexican-Origin Adults." *Journal of Cross-Cultural Gerontology* 29(3):243-258.
- Brown, Dustin C.**, Robert A. Hummer, and Mark D. Hayward. 2014. "The Importance of Spousal Education for the Self-Rated Health of Married Adults in the United States." *Population Research & Policy Review* 33:127-151.
- Reczek, Corinne E., Hui Liu, and **Dustin C. Brown**. 2014. "Cigarette Smoking in Same-Sex and Different-Sex Unions: The Role of Socioeconomic and Psychological Factors." *Population Research & Policy Review, Special Issue on Population Perspectives on Sexual Minority Status* 33(4): 527-551.
- McFarland, Michael J., Mark D. Hayward, and **Dustin C. Brown**. 2013. "I've Got You Under My Skin: The Importance of Marital Transitions, Timing, and Exposure for Biological Risk." *Journal of Marriage and Family* 75(2):363-380.
- Liu, Hui, Corinne Reczek, and **Dustin Brown**. 2013. "Same-Sex Cohabitators and Health: The Role of Race-Ethnicity, Gender, and Socioeconomic Status." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 54(1):25-45.
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BOOK CHAPTERS

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UNDER REVIEW

Lim, Crystal S., Dustin E. Sarver, **Dustin C. Brown**, Russell McCulloh, Lacy Malloch, Tre D. Gissander, and Robert D. Annett. "Caregiver Willingness to Participate in Pediatric Clinical Research during COVID-19."

POLICY BRIEFS AND TECHNICAL REPORTS

Mississippi Data Project. 2018 (January). "Education Suspended: The Consequences of School Suspension on Student Dropout." (Policy Brief). Available at <https://tinyurl.com/y8zfhpr>

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Liu, Hui, Corinne Reczek, and **Dustin Brown**. 2013. "Are Same-Sex Cohabitors Less Healthy than People in Other Union Statuses?" *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 54(1): 24. (Invited Policy Brief)

Baqar A. Husaini (P.I.), Barbara S. Kilbourne, Pamela C. Hull, Van A. Cain, Jan S. Emerson, and **Dustin C. Brown**. 2006. "Tennessee State Plan for Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention."

Baqar A. Husaini (P.I.), Barbara S. Kilbourne, Pamela Hull, Van A. Cain, **Dustin C. Brown**, and Jan S. Emerson. 2006. "The Burden of Heart Disease & Stroke in Tennessee, 2006."

Baqar A. Husaini (P.I.), Barbara S. Kilbourne, Pamela C. Hull, Van A. Cain, **Dustin C. Brown**, and Jan Emerson. 2006. "The Burden of Arthritis in Tennessee."

Dustin C. Brown (P.I.). 2002-2003. "Policing the MTSU Campus Community: Campus Perceptions of the MTSU Department of Public Safety."

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Conner, Mary A., Dustin E. Sarver, and **Dustin C. Brown**. “An Analysis of Autism Spectrum Disorder, Diagnosis, Severity, and Behavior Treatment in the US and Across States.” Poster Presentation at the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies Virtual Convention, November 16th - 21st.

Gissander, Tre. D., Crystal S. Lim, Dustin E. Sarver, **Dustin C. Brown**, Russell McCulloh, Lacy Malloch, and Robert D. Annett. “The Impact of COVID-19 on Families: Examining Sociodemographic Disparities in Mississippi.” Poster Presentation at the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies Virtual Convention, November 16th - 21st.

Walker, Benjamin H. and **Dustin C. Brown**. “Rural-Urban Differences in Lifespan Variation in the United States.” Paper Presentation (Flash Session) at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Virtual Meeting., May 5th – 8th, 2021.

Brown, Dustin C., Joseph T. Lariscy, and Benjamin H. Walker. “State-Level Trends in Lifespan Variability in the United States, 1960–2014.” Paper Presentation (Flash Session) at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Virtual Meeting., May 5th – 8th, 2021.

Brown, Dustin C., Joseph T. Lariscy, and Benjamin H. Walker. “State-Level Trends in Lifespan Variability in the United States, 1960–2014.” Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington, D.C., April 22nd – April 25th, 2020 (*Note: Session Canceled Due to COVID-19 Pandemic*).

Brown, Dustin C., Joseph T. Lariscy, and Benjamin H. Walker. “Geographic Inequality in Mortality Compression in the United States.” Paper Presentation at the Interdisciplinary Association for Population Health Science, Seattle, WA, October 1st-4th, 2019.

Brown, Dustin, Sarah Pellegrine, Benjamin Walker, Linda Southward, and Susan Buttross. “Prevalence of early childhood developmental health outcomes in Mississippi and the United States: Results from the 2018 Mississippi Child Health and Development Survey and the 2016 National Survey of Children’s Health” Poster Presentation at the American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA November 2nd – November 6th, 2019.

Walker, Benjamin H. and **Dustin C. Brown**. “The Shifting Importance of Physical and Mental Health on Self Evaluations of Health across the Life Course.” Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Austin, TX, April 10th – April 13th, 2019.

Brown, Dustin C. and Lucie Kalousova. “Is Fundamental Causality a Network Phenomenon?: Network Education and Individuals’ Self-Rated Health.” Poster Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Austin, TX, April 10th – April 13th, 2019.

Brown, Dustin C. and Tod G. Hamilton. “Race-Ethnicity, Nativity Status, and Gender Differences in U.S. Adult Mortality Risk.” Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Denver, CO, April 26th – April 28th, 2018.

Brown, Dustin C., Anna Zajacova, and Lois M. Verbrugge. “Excluding Nursing Home Residents Artificially Lowers Older Adult Disability Estimates in the United States.” Poster Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington D.C., April 27th – April 29th, 2017.

Yigit, Ismail and **Dustin C. Brown**. “Intolerance and Self-Rated Health in the United States.” Forthcoming Paper Presentation at the 80th Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Greenville, SC, March 29th – April 1st, 2017.

Walker, Benjamin H. and **Dustin C. Brown**. “What Does Self-Rated Health Really Mean? The Shifting Importance of Physical and Mental Health in Self-Rated Health Across Age.” Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Demographic Association, Athens, GA, October 12th – 14th, 2016.

Brown, Dustin C., Joseph T. Lariscy, and Lucie Kalousova. “A Comparison of Mortality Rates and Life Tables Estimated from Nationally Representative Surveys and Vital Statistics Data in the United States.” Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington D.C., March 31st – April 2nd, 2016.

Verbrugge, Lois M. and **Dustin C. Brown**. “Disability Rises Gradually in an Elderly Cohort.”

- Poster Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, San Diego, CA, April 30th – May 2nd, 2015.
- Paper Presentation at the 27th Annual Meeting of the International Network on Health Expectancy (REVES), Singapore, June 2nd -24th, 2015.
- Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the TRENDS Network, Ann Arbor, Michigan, May 22nd, 2015.

Coate, Patrick and **Dustin C. Brown**. “Adult Children’s Education and Parental Health in the Panel Survey of Income Dynamics.”

- Poster Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, San Diego, CA, April 30th – May 2nd, 2015.
- Paper Presentation at the 26th Annual Meeting of the International Network on Health Expectancy (REVES), Edinburgh, UK, May 28th -30th, 2014.

Dustin C. Brown. “Spousal Education and All-Cause Mortality Risk among Married Adults in the United States.” Paper Presentation (Roundtable) at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 17th- 19th San Francisco, CA, 2014.

- Dustin C. Brown.** “Life Expectancy Differentials by Marital Status, Individuals’ Own Education, and Spousal Education in the United States.” Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Boston, MA, May 1st – 3rd, 2014.
- Dustin C. Brown.** “Age, Gender, and Race-Ethnic Differences in Spousal Education and Mortality.” Poster Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, New Orleans, LA, April 11th – 13th, 2013.
- Corinne E. Reczek, Hui Liu, and **Dustin C. Brown.** “Same-Sex Cohabitation and Smoking.” Paper Presentation (Roundtable) at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 17th- 20th Denver, CO, 2012.
- Corinne E. Reczek, Hui Liu, and **Dustin C. Brown.** “Same-Sex Cohabitation and Smoking: Qualitative and Quantitative Evidence.” Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, San Francisco, CA, May 3rd – 5th, 2012.
- Dustin C. Brown,** Corinne E. Reczek, and Hui Liu. “Same-Sex Cohabitation and Psychological Distress.” Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, San Francisco, CA, May 3rd – 5th, 2012.
- Hui Liu, Corinne E. Reczek, and **Dustin C. Brown.** “Same-Sex Cohabitation and Self-Rated Health.” Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 20th – 23rd Las Vegas, NV, 2011.
- Michael J. McFarland, Mark D. Hayward, and **Dustin C. Brown.** “Marital Biography and Health in Older Adulthood : Exploring the “Under the Skin” Processes.” Paper Presentation at the 22nd Annual Meeting of the International Network on Health Expectancy (REVES), Paris, France, May 25th – 27th, 2010.
- Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 17th – 20th Denver, CO, 2012.
- Dustin C. Brown.** “Does a Spouse's Education Influence the Health of His or Her Partner?” Paper Presentation (Roundtable) at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA. August 13th-18th, 2011.
- Dustin C. Brown.** “Spousal Education and Morbidity in the United States.” Paper Presentation at the 22nd Annual Meeting of the International Network on Health Expectancy (REVES), Paris, France, May 25th – 27th, 2010.
- Dustin C. Brown.** “Spousal Education and Cardiovascular Health in the United States.” Poster Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington D.C., March 31st – April 2nd, 2011.
- Chi-Tsun Chiu, Mark. D. Hayward, **Dustin C. Brown,** Jennifer Karas Montez. “Longer Life vs. Better Life: Life Expectancy for U.S. Whites, Blacks, and Hispanics.” Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Dallas, TX, April 15th-17th, 2010.

Dustin.C. Brown, Mark D. Hayward, and Robert A. Hummer. "Spousal Education and Mortality Among Older U.S. Adults."

- Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Demographic Association, Greenville, SC, October 22nd – 24th, 2009.
- Poster Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Dallas, TX, April 15th-17th, 2010.
- Paper Presentation at the 22nd Annual Meeting of the International Network on Health Expectancy (REVES), Havana, Cuba, May 19th -21st, 2010.

Dustin C. Brown, Mark Hayward, Jennifer Karas Montez, Mira M. Hidajat, and Robert A. Hummer and Chi-Tsun Chiu. "The Significance of Education for Rectangularization of the Survival Curve in the United States."

- Poster Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, April 30th–May 2nd, Detroit, MI.
- Paper Presentation at the IUSSP 26th Annual International Population Conference, Marrakech, Morocco, September 27th-October 2nd, 2009.
- Paper Presentation at the 21st Annual Meeting of the International Network on Health Expectancy (REVES), Copenhagen, Denmark, May 27-29, 2009.

Jennifer Karas Montez, Mark D. Hayward, **Dustin C. Brown**. 2008. "Why is the Educational Gradient in Mortality Steeper for Men than Women in the United States?"

- Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, April 30th–May 2nd, Detroit, 2009, MI.
- Poster Presentation at the IUSSP 26th Annual International Population Conference, September 27th-October 2nd, 2009, Marrakech, Morocco.

Jennifer Karas Montez, Mark D. Hayward, **Dustin C. Brown**. "Marital Status and the Educational Gradients in Male and Female Mortality." Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Demographic Association, Greenville, SC, October 31st -November 1st, 2008.

Dustin C. Brown. 2008. "Spousal Educational Attainment and Health: Is a Spouses' Education Associated with One's Own Health?" Paper Presentation (Roundtable) at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 1st-4th, Boston, MA.

Mark D. Hayward, Robert A. Hummer, Eileen Crimmins, Mira M. Hidajat, and **Dustin Brown**. 2008. "How Much Life Does a Good Education Buy?" Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, April 17th-19th, New Orleans, LA.

Dustin C. Brown. 2007. "The Consequences of Asymmetric Educational Attainment Among Couples for Spousal Health Outcomes." Paper Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Demographic Association, October 11th-13th, Birmingham, AL.

- Pamela C. Hull, Robert S. Levine, **Dustin Brown**, Van Cain, and Baqar Husaini. 2007. "Utilization of Preventive Services Among Medicaid-Eligible Children." Paper Presentation at the 135th Annual Meeting and Exposition of the American Public Health Association, November 3rd – 7th, Washington, D.C.
- Janice S. Emerson, **Dustin C. Brown**, Pamela C. Hull, Michelle C. Reece, Baqar A. Husaini, and Robert S. Levine. 2005. "Influence of Community Environmental Factors on Individual Physical Activity." Poster Presentation for the 133rd Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, December 14th – 15th, Philadelphia, PA.
- Pamela C. Hull, Barbara J. Kilbourne, **Dustin C. Brown**, Robert S. Levine, and Charles H. Hennekens. 2005. "Black/White Infant and Neonatal Mortality Rates from 1979-2001 in Colorado, Massachusetts, and Tennessee." Paper Presentation for the 133rd Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, December 14th – 15th, Philadelphia, PA.
- Baqar Husaini, Barbara Kilbourne, Pamela Hull, **Dustin Brown**, Janice Emerson, Van Cain, and Robert Levine. 2005. "Prevalence of Depression in Hospitalized Patients in Tennessee: Rural-Urban Comparisons." Poster Presented at the National Association of Rural Mental Health Conference, August 3rd – 6th, Honolulu, HI.
- Dustin Brown**. 2004. "Do Children Provide Protection Against Suicide?: An Analysis of U.S. Counties." Presentation at the 67th Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, April 14th – 17th, Atlanta, GA.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- "The Importance of Spousal Education for Health Outcomes within Marriage." Fall Speaker Series, Center for Family and Demographic Research, Bowling Green State University, September 2014.
- "Yours, Mine, Ours: Spousal Education and Mortality in the United States." Sociology Colloquium Series, University of Western Ontario, March 2015.
- "Own Education, Spouse's Education, and All-Cause Mortality Risk in the United States." Department of Anthropology & Middle Eastern Cultures Lecture Series, Mississippi State University, October 2017.
- "State of the State of Child Health and Child Development in Mississippi: Findings from the 2018 Mississippi Child Health and Development Survey." Mississippi Thrive! Child Health and Development Summit, April 2019.
- "Divergent Trends in Lifespan Variability Between U.S. States." Department of Population Health Science Lecture Series, University of Mississippi Medical Center John D. Bower School of Population Health, October 2019.

“State-Level Trends in Lifespan Variability in the United States, 1960–2014.” Webinar on New Perspectives on Lifespan Inequality, Organizers: The Herczeg Institute on Aging (Tel Aviv University), Interdisciplinary Centre on Population Dynamics (University of Southern Denmark) and the Leverhulme Center for Demographic Science (Oxford University), January 21st, 2021.

“Healthcare Provider Perspectives on Developmental Healthcare in Mississippi.” Invited Presentation at the Mississippi Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics Child Health and Development Summit, May 15th, 2021.

EXTRAMURAL FUNDING

Health Resources and Services Administration (R42, Maternal & Child Health Bureau Secondary Data Analysis Research). Principal Investigator: Benjamin H. Walker, Co-Investigators: **Dustin C. Brown**, Heather L. Hanna, and Gina P. Rico Mendez. “Data Driven Development: Navigating a Path to Equity in Early Detection.” Amount: \$96,881. (Not Funded: Score 95 out of 100).

National Institute on Aging (R03). Principal Investigator: **Dustin C. Brown**, Co-Investigator: Joseph T. Lariscy. “A Comparison of Survey-Linked Mortality Data and U.S. Vital Statistics Data.” Amount: \$140,000. (Not Funded: Impact Score 48, Percentile 47+).

University of Kentucky Center for Poverty Research. “Food Insecurity among Pregnant Women in the United States.” Co-Principal Investigators: Leslie Hossfeld, **Dustin C. Brown**, Kecia R. Johnson. Amount: \$75,000. (Not Funded).

University of Michigan Population Studies Center Small Grant. Principal Investigator: **Dustin C. Brown**. “Educational Spillovers and Adult Health in the United States.” Amount: \$8,000 (Funded). Project Dates: 01/2014 – 08/2015.

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

2014 RAND Summer Institute (Mini-Medical School; Demography, Economics, and Epidemiology of Aging Conference; RSI Harmonized Data Workshop).

2014 Social Network Analysis: An Introduction, Five-Day Workshop at the ICPSR Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research.

2011 3rd Stanford Workshop on Biodemography: Human Life Histories, Stanford Center for the Demography and Economics of Health and Aging/Stanford Center for Population Research.

2010-2011 Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Health and Child Development Pre-Doctoral Training Fellowship (Preceptor: Mark D. Hayward)

- 2008-2009 Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Health and Child Development Pre-Doctoral Training Fellowship (Preceptor: Robert A. Hummer)
- 2007 Graduate Seminar Course in Supervised Teaching, University of Texas at Austin
- 2006-2013 Graduate Student Trainee, Population Research Center, University of Texas at Austin

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2015-2021 Department of Sociology, Mississippi State University. Courses: Introduction to Research Methods (Undergraduate), Social Research Practice (Undergraduate), Health & Society (Undergraduate), Seminar in Health and Life Course Demography (Graduate), Advanced Quantitative Methods (Graduate), Social Inequality and Health (Graduate)
- 2019 Department of Population Health Science, University of Mississippi Medical Center. Course: Applied Demography (Graduate)
- 2012-2013 Graduate Student Statistical Consultant, Population Research Center, University of Texas at Austin
- 2011-2012 Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, University of Texas at Austin. Courses: Social Statistics Basic Concepts and Methods (Graduate), Population and Society (Undergraduate), Introduction to Social Statistics (Undergraduate)
- Summer 2008 Graduate Student Mentor, Research Education for Undergraduates Program in Minority Group Demography, University of Texas at Austin
- 2006-2008 Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, University of Texas at Austin. Courses: Criminology, Sociology of Criminal Justice, Sociology of Sport, Social Psychology and the Law
- Summer 2007 Graduate Student Mentor, Research Education for Undergraduates Program in Minority Group Demography, University of Texas at Austin.
- 2002-2004 Graduate Assistant, Department of Sociology, Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, TN. Courses: Juvenile Delinquency, Methodology II (Data Analysis Lab Assistant)

GRADUATE STUDENT MENTORING

Ph.D. Students (Major Professor): Benjamin Walker (MSU Sociology)

M.A. Students (Major Professor): Brent Lee (MSU Sociology)

Dissertation Committee Member: Andrew Tatch (MSU Sociology), David Singleton (MSU Sociology), Ismail Yigit (MSU Sociology)

Thesis Committee Member: Erin King (MSU Sociology)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Departmental Service (Mississippi State University)

Graduate Policies and Curriculum Committee (2016-2018)

Marion T. Loftin Support Committee (2015-2021, Chair: 2019-2021)

Demography Preliminary Examination Committee (2015-present, Chair 2022)

Undergraduate Curriculum Committee (2019-2020)

Undergraduate Core Course Sequencing Committee (Chair, 2017 Ad Hoc)

Search Committee Member (Fall 2022)

University Service (Mississippi State University)

Faculty Advisor, Heifer International Weekend (*Service-learning experience for undergraduate students at the Heifer International Ranch in Perryville Arkansas, Fall 2015*)

Member, National Public Health Week Activity Committee, Mississippi State University (Spring 2018).

Poster Award Judge. Public Health Research Competition at the 2018 Undergraduate Research Symposium, Mississippi State University (March 2018).

Departmental Representative, College of Arts & Sciences Faculty Senate, Mississippi State University (January 2020 – December 2021).

Library Representative for the Sociology Department (2015-present)

Other Service

Editorial Board (2014-2015), *Sociological Spectrum*

Ad Hoc Reviewer: *Demography, Journals of Gerontology (Series B: Psychological Sciences and Social Sciences), Journal of Marriage and Family, Population Research & Policy Review, Demographic Research, Social Science & Medicine, Social Science & Medicine: Population Health, Journal of Health and Social Behavior, Epidemiology, Social Currents, European Journal of Population, Scientific Reports*

Technical Advisory Committee Member, 2016. “Transfer of Opportunity in Mississippi: Measuring Mississippi’s Philanthropic Potential.” Report Prepared by the Center for Rural Entrepreneurship for the Mississippi Association of Grantmakers.

Discussant. Paper Session: “Socioeconomic Status and Health (Health Disparities Mini-Conference).” Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Greenville, SC March 29th – April 1st, 2017.

Discussant. Paper Session: “Family Characteristics and Health.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington D.C., April 27th – April 29th, 2017.

Poster Award Judge. Poster Session: “Health and Mortality I.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington D.C., April 27th – April 29th, 2017.

Organizer. Paper Session: “Causes and Consequences of Rising Midlife Mortality and Morbidity in the U.S.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Denver, CO, April 26th – April 28th, 2018.

Organizer. Paper Session: “Socioeconomic Inequalities in Health and Mortality.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Virtual Meeting., May 5th – 8th, 2021.

Organizer and Chair. Paper Session: “Socioeconomic Status, Families, and Health.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Virtual Meeting., May 5th – 8th, 2021.

Organizer. Paper Session: “Socioeconomic Status and Mortality in Europe.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Virtual Meeting., May 5th – 8th, 2021.

REFERENCES

Available Upon Request