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- External reviewer for a promotion case (full prof. /sociology), Rochester Institute of Technology, 2013.
- Reviewer of *Essentials of Sociology*, by Brinkerhoff et al., for Wadsworth Publishing, 2008.
- External reviewer for a tenure/promotion case (assoc. prof. /sociology), Rochester Institute of Technology, 2008.
- Reviewer of introductory sociology textbook prospectus and chapters for Prentice Hall, 2007.
- External reviewer for a tenure/promotion case (assoc. prof. /business), University of Virginia, 2007.
- Reviewer of *Cities and Urban Life*, by Macionis and Parrillo, for Prentice Hall, 2007.
- Reviewer of grant proposal for the National Science Foundation, 2006.
- Reviewer of book manuscript, “The Engaged Sociologist,” by Korgen et al., for Sage Publications, 2006.
- Reviewer of grant proposal for the National Science Foundation, 2003.
- Reviewer of *Sociology: A Brief Introduction*, by Schaefer, for McGraw-Hill, 2003.
- Reviewer of *Racial and Ethnic Relations in America*, by McLemore et al., for Allyn & Bacon, 2002.
- Reviewer of *Cities and Urban Life*, by Macionis and Parrillo, for Prentice Hall, 2002.
- Reviewer of book manuscript, “Racial and Ethnic Groups,” for Wadsworth Publishing, 2002.
- Reviewer of chapters of proposed book, “Urban Culture in America,” for Prentice Hall, 2001.
- Reviewer of *Sociology in Our Times*, by Kendall, for Wadsworth Publishing, 2001.
- Reviewer of book manuscript, “Deciphering the City,” for Roxbury Publishing, 2001.
- External reviewer for a tenure/promotion case (assoc. prof. /sociology), Oklahoma State University, 1999.
- Reviewer of book manuscript chapter, “Sociology of Urban Life,” for Prentice Hall, 1998.
- Reviewer of book proposal, “Population Projections,” for Academic Press, 1996.
- Reviewer of paper abstracts for the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, 1996.
- Reviewer of book proposal, “Voices from the City,” for Prentice Hall, 1996.
- Reviewer of manuscript of *The Urban World*, by Palen, for McGraw-Hill, 1995.
- Reviewer of paper abstracts for the annual meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, 1994-95.
- Reviewer of chapters of *Sociology*, by Hebding and Glick, for McGraw-Hill, 1994.
- Reviewer of grant proposals for the National Science Foundation, 1993-94.
- Reviewer of proposed book, “Urbanism and Suburbanism,” for Prentice Hall, 1993.
- Reviewer of grant proposal for the U.S.–Israel Binational Science Foundation, 1993.
- Reviewer of paper abstracts for the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, 1993.

PRESENTATIONS:

- Over 40 paper presentations since 1986 at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, Eastern Sociological Society, Southern Demographic Association, Southern Sociological Society, etc. (list available).
- Over 30 other presentations, including presentations at scholarly conferences as a session chair, discussant, presider, etc., and presentations to various academic or public audiences (list available).

AWARDS, HONORS, AND SUPPORT:

AWARDS, HONORS, AND SUPPORT, MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY:

- “Researcher of the Month,” College of Arts and Sciences, May, 2012.
- Clinton Wallace Dean’s Eminent Scholar Award (stipend of \$5,000 per year for three years), College of Arts and Sciences, 2010-11.
- State Pride Award (one-time \$2,500 bonus), 2010.
- Support for travel (\$170), Academic Excellence Fund, College of Arts and Sciences, 1997.

OTHER AWARDS AND HONORS:

- “Certificate of Outstanding Contribution in Reviewing,” Editors of *The Social Science Journal*, 2017.
- “Urban Studies Best Article for 2012” Award, Editors of *Urban Studies*, April, 2013.
- Howard W. Odum Award (Outstanding Graduate Student), Department of Sociology, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (co-winner with Edward M. Crenshaw), 1989.
- National Research Service Award Demography Traineeship, Carolina Population Center, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (Supported by an NICHD grant [# 5 TH32 HD07168-10] to the Center), 1986-89.
- Member, Honors Student Program of the American Sociological Association, 1986.
- Graduate Teaching Assistantship, Department of Sociology, University of Florida, 1983-86.
- Member, honor societies of Phi Theta Kappa, 1979, Beta Gamma Sigma, 1982, Alpha Kappa Delta, 1984, and Phi Kappa Phi, 1986. Listed in *The National Dean’s List*, 1981-82.
- Dean’s List and President’s Honors List, Florida Atlantic University, 1980-81.

OTHER RESEARCH SUPPORT:

- “Race, Social Mobility, and Contraceptive Sterilization.” Proposal supported by the Research Development Fund, SUNY Buffalo (\$3,350), 1994-95.
- Support for travel to the annual meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, Professional Development and Quality of Working Life Faculty Development Award, SUNY Buffalo (\$181), 1994.
- “Racial Differences in Contraceptive Sterilization.” Proposal supported by the Research and Productive Scholarship Fund, University of South Carolina (\$1,450), 1991.
- Departmental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research Award, College of Humanities and Social Sciences, University of South Carolina, 1990 (\$3,750). Supplemented in 1991 (\$1,000) and 1992 (\$1,500).

GRADUATE STUDENT COMMITTEES, MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY:

• PH.D. STUDENT COMMITTEES (COMPLETED):

Bunnak Poch, awarded Ph.D. in sociology, 2002 (member, 1999-2002).
 Thomas Kersen, awarded Ph.D. in sociology, 2003 (member, 1999-2003).
 Mahasin Owens-Sabir, awarded Ph.D. in sociology, 2005 (member, 2003-05).
 Stevie Watson, awarded Ph.D. in marketing, 2006 (member, 2000-06).
 Xuhui Zeng, awarded Ph.D. in sociology, 2011 (member, 2009-11).
 Jamie Boydston, awarded Ph.D. in sociology, 2014 (member, 2010-14).
 Young Bin Lim, awarded Ph.D. in sociology, 2015 (chair, 2011-15).
 Xuan Zhou, awarded Ph.D. in sociology, 2016 (chair, 2013-16).

• M.S. STUDENT COMMITTEES (COMPLETED):

Lei Chen, awarded M.S. in sociology, 2004 (member, 2003-04).
 Sharon Fuller, awarded M.S. in wildlife and fisheries, 2006 (member, 2003-06).
 Sheena Gardner, awarded M.S. in sociology, 2008 (member, 2006-08).
 John McCown, awarded M.S. in sociology, 2011 (chair, 2009-11).
 Jed Pressgrove, awarded M.S. in sociology, 2013 (member, 2008-13).

FACULTY SERVICE, MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY (August 2012 – present)*:

*On sabbatical, fall 2020 semester

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY:

- Member, promotion and tenure committee, 1999-present.

- Member, sociology graduate curriculum and policy committee, 2012-14, 2014-16, 2019-20, 2021, 2022-24.
- Member, demography preliminary exam committee, 2003-18, 2019-20, 2021-22, 2022-23.
- Member, rural sociology/community preliminary exam committee, 2021-22.
- Member, undergraduate curriculum and policy committee, 2021-22.
- Member, appeals committee, 2009-18, 2021-22.
- Alternate member, appeals committee, 2019-20, 2021.
- Chair, appeals committee, 2016-17, 2021.
- Chair, demography preliminary exam committee, 2013-14, 2014-18, 2019-20.
- Member, sociology major committee, 2019-20.
- Vice chair, promotion and tenure committee, 2014-15, 2020.
- Chair, promotion and tenure committee, 2013-14, 2019.
- Member, sociology undergraduate curriculum and policies committee, 2016-18.
- Member, Ph.D. qualifying exam committee, 2013-14, 2014-16, 2017-18.
- Graduate program coordinator, most of fall 2018.
- Member, graduate admissions and support committee, 2015-17.
- Chair, Ph.D. qualifying exam committee, 2014-16.
- Library representative, 2002-15.
- Member, social demography faculty search committee, 2014.
- Member, department head search committee, 2014.

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES:

- Chair, College of Arts and Sciences committee on promotion and tenure, 2015-16, 2017-18.
- Member, College of Arts and Sciences committee on promotion and tenure, 2015-18.
- Faculty Senator, Robert Holland MSU Faculty Senate, 2014-17.
- Member, committee on the General Liberal Arts major, 2011-15.
- Member, College of Arts and Sciences committee on courses and curricula, 2012-14.

OTHER SERVICE AS AN MSU FACULTY MEMBER:

- Member, Speakers Bureau, Mississippi Humanities Council (<http://mshumanities.org/speaker/robert-l-boyd>), 1996-present.

FACULTY POSITIONS, MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY:

Assistant to Full Professor, Department of Sociology, 1995-present.
Clinton Wallace Dean's Eminent Scholar, College of Arts and Sciences, 2010-13.

PREVIOUS POSITIONS:

Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, State University of New York at Buffalo, 1993-95.
Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, University of South Carolina, Columbia, 1989-93.
Graduate Student, Department of Sociology, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 1986-89.
National Research Service Award Demography Trainee, UNC Carolina Population Center, 1986-89.
Graduate Student and Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, University of Florida, 1983-86.
Shipping Clerk and Crew-Leader, Sensormatic Electronics Corporation, Deerfield Beach, FL, 1982.