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TEACHING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Professor, Department of Sociology and Social Work, Mississippi State University, 2007-present.

Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Social Work, Mississippi State University, 2004-2006.

Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Social Work, Mississippi State University, 1998-2003.

Adjunct Professor, College of Human Sciences, University of Catania, Italy, 2006-present.

Co-Chair of U.S./MSU- Europe International PhD program in Human Sciences, University of Catania, Italy, 2006-2010.

Research Fellow and Scientist, Social Science Research Center (SSRC), Mississippi State University, 2004-present.

Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Rural Sociology and Agricultural Economics, The Pennsylvania State University, 1993-1998.

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

Director, State Data Clearinghouse, 2013-present.

The State Data Clearinghouse is the repository of state data in education, workforce, and economic development. The clearinghouse is charged with providing research expertise for the development of practical solutions. The clearinghouse also manages and maintains data for more than 25 state agencies. The clearinghouse is recognized as the best model in the country in the use of data for policy development and strategic planning.

Major Duties and Responsibilities:

To work with the Governor's Office, the legislature, and state agency executive directors in identifying critical areas of importance for the well-being of the state.

To provide leadership and coordination across education and workforce stakeholders to promote economic development.

Improve the image of the state across the country and throughout the world through the use of data and scientific research.

Major Accomplishments:

Designed, developed, and implemented legislation for the establishment of a statewide board for the promotion and implementation of data-driven policies.

Major contributor in the recruitment of new business and industry and the expansion of existing industry across the state including Yokohama that will bring 2000 good jobs to the state, and Ingles Shipbuilding.

Director, National Strategic Planning & Analysis Research Center, 2007-present.

nSPARC is nationally and internationally recognized for expanding the role of the university in society. It is a university-level research center at Mississippi State University (MSU). nSPARC provides an intellectual, interdisciplinary hub for promoting research and scholarship aimed at addressing complex social and economic issues. It formulates and implements big data, big picture solutions for a wide variety of constituencies, including state, federal, private, and international entities and programs. The center has a dual vision to (1) provide an administrative and intellectual bridge between colleges, departments, and centers in support of activities that facilitate multidisciplinary, translational, and policy research in socioeconomic development; and (2) engage the university with state, regional, national, and international economic, social, and public entities.

Major Duties and Responsibilities:

The director is charged with working with state and local organizations to integrate education and workforce activities. In this capacity, the director oversees and manages activities with more than 200 state and local organizations, including the Governor's Office and other government entities.

The director acts as the ambassador of the center and, in this capacity, works with the president, executive vice president and provost, vice presidents, and faculty senate representatives to fulfill the university-wide vision and mission in research, teaching, service, and engagement.

The director oversees and manages an annual budget of more than \$6 million in research activities and a staff of more than 70 individuals, with the assistance of a deputy director, associate director, and six assistant directors.

The director works very closely with the Office of Sponsored Programs and Accounting to facilitate pre- and post-award activities and with the Institutional Review Board (IRB) to ensure that all research projects are in compliance with human subject guidelines.

The director coordinates activities with the Office of Legal Council and the Office of Technology and Commercialization, particularly in the areas of intellectual property and knowledge transfer.

The director hires new research faculty and scientists and maintains a relationship with the Human Resources department to ensure that the center follows appropriate hiring practices and procedures, as well as to ensure effective personnel management.

The director develops and maintains sustainable partnerships with deans, department heads, faculty, and students.

The director mentors young junior faculty and upcoming scholars and prepares new leadership for the expansion and sustainability of research and service programs for the university and the state as a whole.

The director represents the university and the state with stakeholders in the state, region, nation, and world.

Major Accomplishments:

Raised approximately \$50 million in grants and contracts, significantly contributing to MSU's national and international recognition in education and workforce development.

Designed, implemented, and wrote the grant for Mississippi LifeTracks, the state longitudinal data system.

Created the SWIB's 10-year strategic plan, "Mississippi 2020 Vision: Working Together," aimed at improving education and workforce outcomes (<http://www.swib.ms.gov/StrategicPlan/>), with significant input from local and state stakeholders.

Developed and established two research facilities: a \$1 million polling center for government and business development and a \$2.2 million data center for big data, big picture solutions.

Improved and expanded university engagement with the public, state government, and business community.

Provided support and assistance to attract and establish new businesses in Mississippi, including Toyota.

Developed an industry-government partnership for economic development that assists more than 10,000 businesses in Mississippi each year.

Secured funding for several major statewide initiatives, including \$10 million for the development and implementation of the State Longitudinal Data System, which has become a model for the nation (<http://nces.ed.gov/programs/slids/publications.asp>).

Provided approximately \$500,000 to support interdisciplinary research for junior faculty in the Colleges of Arts and Sciences, Education, Business, Engineering, and Agriculture.

Provided \$250,000 to graduate students across multiple disciplines (business, engineering, education, computer science, sociology, psychology, history, etc.).

Provided \$115,000 to undergraduate research in humanities for the Shackouls Honor College at MSU as part of nSPARC's mission to expand the learning experience of our brightest students.

Initiated and developed multidisciplinary research experience for undergraduate students (assistance for five students annually).

Designed Senate Bill 2371, passed in 2011, for the institutionalization of a state education and workforce performance management system, commonly known as Mississippi Lifetracks.

Established Mississippi's Policy Academy for regional economic development.

Created the SWIB data and service center for workforce development (<http://www.swib.ms.gov/DataCenter/>).

Designed and implemented the Workforce Integrated Network Global System (WINGS), the state online system that aligns job seekers with employers (<https://wings.mdes.ms.gov/wings/welcome.jsp>).

Assisted with managing and maintaining the financial solvency of Mississippi's unemployment system (Mississippi has one of the most solvent systems in the country at approximately \$600 million).

Coordinator, Workforce, Economic, & Community Development Research Unit, 2004-2006.

The unit was one of several units in a much larger research center (Social Science Research Center at MSU). The focus of the unit was to provide resources and technical assistance in conducting labor market analysis.

Major Duties and Responsibilities:

Supervised a group of 10 scientists engaged in labor force research and mentor several undergraduate and graduate students, and secured resources to support the overall vision of the unit and the center.

Accomplishments:

Assisted in the development of SWIB's five-year strategic plan, with significant input from local and state stakeholders.

Secured more than \$2 million in research funds and provided support for nine graduate students.

Developed state-of-the-art cyber-infrastructure to support the unit's research, making it one of the most productive and successful research units on campus.

Co-Coordinator, Unit for Community and Environmental Studies, 1998-2003.

The focus of the unit was to promote community and environmental studies at Mississippi State.

Major Duties and Responsibilities:

The primary responsibility was to work with the coordinator and senior faculty to reinvigorate the rural community development program at Mississippi State, originally established in the 1960s.

Accomplishments:

Rural community development became and continues to be one of the signature areas of distinction at MSU. The university also enjoys a national reputation for examining the urban-rural interface. I also secured a competitive grant from the National Research Initiative for a total of \$250,000. The project was ranked No.1 in the country. I also established partnerships with other national organizations and academic units involved in rural development.

AWARDS AND HONORS

- Excellence in Extension and Public Service Award, Rural Sociological Society, 2008
- Ralph E. Powe Research Excellence Award, Mississippi State University, 2004
- Early Career Award, Rural Sociological Society, 2001
- Graduate Student Award for Excellence, Rural Sociological Society, 1997
- Award for Research Excellence, The Catholic University of Piacenza, Italy, 1996
- International Research Fellowship, SOS-KINDERDORF INTERNATIONAL, Innsbruck, Austria, 1993-95

COMMITTEES AND APPOINTMENTS

- SLDS Governing Board, State Data Officer, 2013-
- Mississippi State University Department of Sociology Department Head Search Committee, Member, 2012
- National P-20 and Workforce Working Group, Member, 2010-
- Governor's Statewide Broadband Development Task Force, Member, 2010-2012
- Rural Sociological Society Endowment Committee, Member, 2010-2013
- Mississippi Sector Strategy Initiatives, Chair, 2010-2012
- Mississippi Energy Policy Institute, Member, 2009-2012
- Mississippi Energy and Industrial Construction Consortium, Member, 2009-2012
- Rural Sociology Editorial Review Board, Member, 2009-
- National Governors Association, Member of Mississippi Policy Academy on Sector Strategies, 2008-2012
- Momentum Mississippi, Member of the Working Group for the Economic Steering Committee, 2008-2012
- Mississippi House of Representatives, Select Committee on Poverty, Member of the Working Group for the Poverty Task Force, 2008-2012
- Delta Council Education and Health Policy Committee, Member, 2008-2012
- Mississippi State University Department of Sociology Department Head Search Committee, Member, 2008
- Rural Sociological Society Membership Committee, Chair, 2008
- Alabama-Mississippi Sociological Association, Awards Committee Chair, 2008
- Alabama-Mississippi Sociological Association, President, 2007
- Mississippi State International Taskforce, Member, 2006
- Mississippi-Alabama Sociological Association, President-Elect, 2006
- Rural Sociological Society Membership Committee, Member, 2005-2006
- Rural Sociological Society, Program Chair of Annual Meeting, 2004
- United States Department of Agriculture, Program Manager of Phase I and Phase II Small Business Innovation Research Rural and Community Development Program, 2004
- Mississippi State University, Member of Academic Review Board, 2004-
- Mississippi State University, Member of International Studies and Programs Committee, 2004
- United States Department of Agriculture, Panel Member of Small Business Innovation Research Rural and Community Development Program, 2003
- Mississippi Economic Task Force, Member, 2003
- Mississippi State University, Member of Nutrient Management and Water Quality Task Force, 2001-2003
- Rural Sociological Society Membership Committee, Member, 2001-2003
- Rural Sociological Society, Chair of the Community Interest Group, 2000
- Mississippi State University, Member of the University Summit III Recommendation Task Force, 1999
- International Sociological Honor Society, Advisor of Alpha Kappa Delta Chapter at Mississippi State University, 1999
- Rural Sociological Society, Co-Chair of the Community Interest Group, 1999
- The Pennsylvania State University, Member of the Seminar Committee of the Department of Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology, 1997
- The Pennsylvania State University, Graduate Student Representative of the Department of Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology, 1996
- The Pennsylvania State University, Graduate Student Representative of the International Student Association, 1995

EDUCATION

The Pennsylvania State University, Ph.D.; Rural Sociology and Applied Statistics, 1998
 The Pennsylvania State University, M.A.; Rural Sociology and Community Development, 1995
 The Catholic University of Piacenza, Italy, Laurea/M.A.; Agronomy and Agricultural Economics, 1992

PROFESSIONAL AND SCHOLARLY ASSOCIATIONS

- Rural Sociological Society
- Population Association of America
- Southern Sociological Society
- Southern Rural Sociological Association
- Mid-South Sociological Association
- American Sociological Association
- International Association for Society and Natural Resources
- Society for the Study of Social Problems
- Alabama-Mississippi Sociological Association
- Community Development Society

PUBLICATIONS

Lichter, Daniel T., Domenico Parisi, and Michael C. Taquino. 2013. "Blurring Boundaries? Racial Diversity and Black-White Residential Segregation in Cities, Suburbs, and Small Towns." Under Review at *Demography*.

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- Harris, Deborah A. and Domenico Parisi. 2008. "Looking for 'Mr. Right': The Viability of Marriage Initiatives for African American Women in Rural Settings." *Sociological Spectrum* 28:338-56.
- Harris, Deborah and Domenico Parisi. 2008. "Welfare and Family Economic Security: Toward a Placed-Based Poverty Knowledge." *Journal of Sociology & Social Welfare* 35(3):97-114.
- Lichter, Daniel T., Domenico Parisi, Michael C. Taquino, and Brian Beaulieu. 2008. "Race and the Micro-Scale Spatial Concentration of Poverty." *Cambridge Journal of Regions, Economy, and Society* 10(1):1-17.
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- Parisi, Domenico and Daniel T. Lichter. 2007. "Hispanic Segregation in America's New Rural Boomtowns." *Population Reference Bureau*: <http://www.prb.org/Publications/Articles/2007/HispanicSegregation.aspx>.
- Parisi, Domenico, Steven Michael Grice, and Jed Pressgrove. 2007. "Mississippi Business Environment Before and After Katrina: Challenges and Opportunities." *Southern Rural Sociology* 22:64-82.
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Parisi, Domenico, Duane A. Gill, Steven Michael Grice, and Michael Taquino. 2003. *Workforce Investment Act Customer Satisfaction Survey: July 2001 to June 2002*. Unit for Community and Environmental Studies, Social Science Research Center, Mississippi State University.

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Parisi, Domenico, Steven Michael Grice, and Michael Taquino. "Mississippi Economic Council Workforce Data Management and Analysis and Economic Modeling." Mississippi Economic Council. \$5,000. Funding Period: October 2013-November 2013.

Parisi, Domenico, Steven Michael Grice, and Michael Taquino. "MMA Manufacturing Business Mapping Project." Mississippi Manufacturing Association. \$60,000. Funding Period: October 2013 – October 2014.

Parisi, Domenico, Steven Michael Grice, and Michael Taquino. "Mississippi Department of Rehabilitation Services Return on Investment." Mississippi Department of Rehabilitation Services. \$34,687.80. Funding Period: November 2013-January 2014.

Parisi, Domenico, Martin Duclos, Steven Michael Grice, and Michael Taquino. "Software Maintenance and Development for Three Rivers Planning and Development District, Inc." Three Rivers Planning and Development District. \$150,000. Funding Period: July 2013-June 2014.

Parisi, Domenico, Steven Michael Grice, and Michael Taquino. "Priority One." Mississippi Development Authority. \$300,000. Funding Period: October 2013-June 2014.

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