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The University of Texas at Austin
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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Sociology, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN 2011
M.A., Sociology, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN 2006
B.A., Sociology, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH 2003

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Assistant Professor, Department of African & African Diaspora Studies, 2014-present
The University of Texas at Austin
Faculty Affiliate, Department of Sociology
Faculty Affiliate, Department of Mexican American & Latina/o Studies
Faculty Affiliate, Population Research Center
Faculty Affiliate, Institute for Urban Policy Research & Analysis

Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2011-2014
Starkville, MS

PUBLICATIONS *Graduate student collaborator

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

Peguero, Anthony A., **Yasmiyn Irizarry**, Janice Iwana, Jessica L. Dunning-Lozano, Jun Sung Hong, and Sanna King. 2021. "Context of Reception and School Violence: Exploring the Nexus of Immigration, Race/Ethnicity, Place, and School Crime." *Sociology of Race and Ethnicity* OnlineFirst.

Irizarry, Yasmiyn. 2021. "On Track or Derailed? Race, Advanced Math, and the Transition to High School." *Socius* 7:1-21.

Riegle-Crumb, Catherine, Barbara King, and **Yasmiyn Irizarry.** 2019. "Does STEM Stand Out? Examining Racial/Ethnic Gaps in Persistence across Postsecondary Fields." *Educational Researcher* 48(3): 133-144. [Lead article]

- Select media coverage: EAB Insights, Higher Education Today, Inside Higher Ed, Math Values, Washington Monthly, Washington Post

- Irizarry, Yasmiyn**, and Emma D. Cohen*. 2019. "Of Promise and Penalties: How Racial-cultural Markers Shape Teacher Perceptions." *Race and Social Problems* 11(2): 93-111. [Lead article]
- Irizarry, Yasmiyn**, and Ravi K. Perry. 2018. "Challenging the Black Church Narrative: Race, Class, and Homosexual Attitudes." *Journal of Homosexuality* 65(7): 884-911.
- Irizarry, Yasmiyn**, David C. May, Adrienne Davis*, and Peter B. Wood. 2016. "Mass Incarceration through a Different Lens: Race, Subcontext, and Perceptions of Punitiveness of Correctional Alternatives when Compared to Prison." *Race and Justice* 6(3): 236-256.
- Irizarry, Yasmiyn**. 2015. "Selling Students Short: Racial Differences in Teachers' Evaluations of High, Average, and Low Performing Students." *Social Science Research* 52: 522-538.
- Select Media Coverage: Education Week, Scientific American
- Irizarry, Yasmiyn**. 2015. "Utilizing Multidimensional Measures of Race in Education Research: The Case of Teacher Perceptions." *Sociology of Race and Ethnicity* 1(4): 564-583.
- Irizarry, Yasmiyn**. 2013. "Is Measuring Interracial Contact Enough? Racial Concentration, Racial Balance, and Perceptions of Prejudice among Black Americans." *Social Science Quarterly* 94(3): 591-615. [Feature Article]
- Weinberg, Martin. S., Colin J. Williams, Sibyl S. Kleiner, and **Yasmiyn Irizarry**. 2010. "Pornography, Normalization, and Empowerment." *Archives of Sexual Behavior* 39(6): 1389-1401.

Peer-Reviewed Book Chapters

- Irizarry, Yasmiyn**, and Matthew O. Hunt. 2016. "The Dynamics of Ethnic Identity and Personal Well-being: A Multi-group Comparison." Pp. 395-416 in *New Directions in Identity Theory and Research*, edited by J. E. Stets and R. T. Serpe. New York: Oxford University Press.

Encyclopedia Entries and Non-Peer Reviewed Book Chapters

- Perry, Ravi K., **Yasmiyn Irizarry**, and Timothy J. Fair, 2013. "Money Changes Everything? African American Class-based Attitudes toward LGBT Issues," Pp. 59-78 in *Living with Class: Philosophical Reflections on Identity and Material Culture*, edited by B. Seitz and R. Scapp. New York: Palgrave Macmillan.
- Jackson, Pamela B., and **Yasmiyn Irizarry**. 2008. "Infant Mortality and Birth Weight." In *Encyclopedia of Race and Racism*, edited by J. H. Moore. Detroit: Macmillan Reference USA. Retrieved December 10, 2019 (<https://www.encyclopedia.com/social-sciences/encyclopedias-almanacs-transcripts-and-maps/infant-mortality-and-birth-weight>).

Other Publications

Irizarry, Yasmiyn. 2017. "Healing Won't Begin until LASA Represents All of Austin ISD." *Austin American-Statesman*, February 24.
(<https://www.statesman.com/news/20170224/commentary-healing-wont-begin-until-lasa-represents-all-of-austin-isd>).

Manuscript Under Review

Peguero, Anthony A., **Yasmiyn Irizarry**, Sanna King, Jessica L. Dunning-Lozano, and Jun Sung Hong. "Immigration and School Crime." Revise & Resubmit at *Crime and Delinquency*.

Irizarry, Yasmiyn, Ellis P. Monk, and Ryon J. Cobb. "Race-shifting in the United States: Latinxs, Skin Tone, and Ethnoracial Alignments."

Sewell, Abigail A., and **Yasmiyn Irizarry**. "Rights, Right, and Race: Trends in the Tolerance of Sexual Minorities."

Snidal, Matthew, Thurston Domina, Paul Hanselman, **Yasmiyn Irizarry**, Aprile Benner, and Robert Crosnoe. "Latino/a Students and the Interplay of Math Coursework and Test Scores in High School."

Cobb, Ryon J., and **Yasmiyn Irizarry**. "Racial Sentiments and White Support for President Trump's Handling of the Coronavirus Outbreak."

Works in Progress

Childs, Joshua, and **Yasmiyn Irizarry**. "Organizational First Responders: Nonprofit Resilience and Networks During COVID-19." In preparation, 50% complete. Expecting to submit January 2021.

Krysten Long, **Yasmiyn Irizarry**, and Ryon J. Cobb. "Perceived Skin Tone, Educational Attainment, and Psychological Distress among Black Men during the COVID-19 Outbreak." In preparation, 75% complete. Expecting to submit January 2021.

Irizarry, Yasmiyn, William "Sandy" Darity, Jr., and Ricardo Lowe, Jr. "Black Students and Trends in Advanced Math Enrollment in U.S. Public Schools." In preparation, 50% complete. Expecting to submit February 2021.

Irizarry, Yasmiyn. "How the Presence of Racialized Tracking Shapes Advanced Math Course Taking in High School." In Preparation, 25% complete. Expecting to submit Summer 2021.

Irizarry, Yasmiyn, Joshua Childs, and Catherine Riegle-Crumb. "Race and State-Level Trends in Advanced Math Enrollment Within and Between Schools." In preparation, 25% complete. Expecting to submit Summer 2021.

Irizarry, Yasmiyn, and Matthew O. Hunt. “On the Social Distribution of Racial Microaggressions: Social Structure and Black Americans’ Reports of General and Everyday Discrimination.” In preparation, 25% complete. Expecting to submit Summer 2021.

Irizarry, Yasmiyn, and Jessica Calarco. “Socioeconomic Inequality and Advanced Math in Ninth Grade.” In preparation, 25% complete. Expecting to submit Fall 2021.

EXTERNAL GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

Primary Investigator. “Placing Equity in Context: High School Math Teachers’ Beliefs and Practices in Racialized Learning Environments,” Mindset Scholars Network, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, 2019-2021. Total funding awarded: \$159,977. (Year 1 - \$101,863; Year 2 - \$58,114)

Ford Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship, The National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine, 2017-2018. Total funding awarded: \$50,000.

Primary Investigator. “Understanding Disparities in Math Course Placements during the Middle to High School Transition,” American Educational Research Association Grants Program, 2013-2015. Total funding awarded: \$30,000.

Ford Foundation Dissertation Fellowship, The National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine, 2010-2011. Total Funding awarded: \$20,000.

Dissertation Grant, American Educational Research Association Grants Program, 2009-2010. Total funding awarded: \$20,000.

OTHER AWARDS & HONORS

Lee and Joseph D. Jamail Chair in African American Studies, The University of Texas at Austin, 2014-2021.

College Research Fellowship, The University of Texas at Austin, 2018. Two summer months.

Faculty Fellow, Samuel DuBois Cook Center on Social Equity, Duke University, 2017-2018.

Summer Research Assignment, The University of Texas at Austin, 2016.

Research Fellow, Social Science Research Center, Mississippi State University, 2012-2014.

Competitive award to attend the AERA Institute on Statistical Analysis for Education Policy on Mathematics Education and Equity, American Educational Research Association Grants Program, 2013.

Ford Endowed Scholarship, Hutton Honors College, Indiana University, 2009-2010.

Graduate Scholars Fellowship (formerly the Chancellor's Minority Scholarship), The University Graduate School, Indiana University Bloomington, 2003-2009.

Graduate Tuition Fellowship, Department of Sociology, Indiana University, 2003-2008.

Advanced Departmental Fellowship, Department of Sociology, Indiana University, 2007.

Graduate Student Paper Award, Association of Black Sociologists, 2007.

Graduate Student Paper Award, North Central Sociological Association, 2007.

Associate Fellow, Discipline-Based Scholarship in Education Program, Center for Education and Society, Indiana University, 2006-2007.

Summer Research Incentive Fellowship, University Graduate School, Indiana University, 2004.

PRESENTATIONS

Invited Talks

“Does STEM Stand Out? Examining Racial/Ethnic Gaps in STEM-related Perceptions, Pathways, and Persistence through School.” Microbiology, Immunology, and Cancer Biology (MICaB) Invited Speaker Seminar Series, University of Minnesota, Virtual, December 2020.

“Hiding in Plain Sight: Racialized Tracking in the United States.” School of Education Brownbag Series, University of California, Irvine, CA, February 2020.

“Placing Equity in Context: High School Math Teachers’ Beliefs and Practices in Racialized Learning Environments.” Study Overview. Mindset Scholars Network Fall Convening, Seattle, WA, October 2019.

“Hiding in Plain Sight: Racialized Tracking in the United States.” Mindset Scholars Network Spring Convening, Washington, DC, June 2019.

“Hiding in Plain Sight: Racialized Tracking in the United States.” Ed Talks Speaker Series, College of Education, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, February 2019.

“Race-Shifting in the United States: Latinxs, Skin Tone, and Ethnoracial Alignments.” Colloquium Series, Department of Sociology, Duke University, Durham, NC, February 2018.

“Racializing Numbers, Numbering Race: Linking Race and Math in Research and Practice.” Center for Women’s and Gender Studies Faculty Development Program, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, January 2018.

“On Track or Derailed? Differences in Advanced Math Course Taking during the Transition to High School.” STEM Equity and Social Justice Symposium, Center for STEM Education, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, November 2017.

“Racializing Numbers, Numbering Race: Linking Race and Math in Research and Practice.” Race Workshop, Department of Sociology, Duke University, Durham, NC, October 2017.

“Race: Taking Apart an Outdated Concept.” Blackacademics Television, sponsored by the Institute for Community, University, and School Partnerships, filmed by PBS Station KLRU, Austin, TX, September 2015.

“Utilizing Multidimensional Measures of Race in Quantitative Research: The Case of Teacher Perceptions.” Brown Bag Seminar, Population Research Center, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, February 2015.

“How Multidimensional Measures of Race Can Advance Our Knowledge of Racial Disparities.” Department of Sociology, University of California, Merced, CA, February 2013

“How Multidimensional Measures of Race Can Advance Our Knowledge of Racial Disparities.” Fall Research Conference, American Educational Research Association Grants Program, Washington, DC, November 2012.

“How Multidimensional Measures of Race Can Advance Our Knowledge of Racial Disparities.” Race Workshop, Department of Sociology, Duke University, Durham, NC, September 2011.

Conference Presentations

“Race-shifting in the United States: Latinxs, Skin Tone, and Ethnoracial Alignments.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA, August 2018.

“Hiding in Plain Sight: Racialized Tracking in the United States.” Conference of Ford Fellows, Washington, DC, May 2018.

“Hiding in Plain Sight: Racialized Tracking in the United States.” Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA, April 2018.

“Rights, Right, and Race: Trends in the Tolerance of Sexual Minorities Pre- and Post-DOMA.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, August 2017.

“On Track or Derailed? Race, Advanced Math Course Taking, and the Transition to High school.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Seattle, WA, August 2016.

“Racial Gaps in Math Course Taking: How School and Classroom Segregation Shape Opportunities to Learn.” Third International Sociological Association Forum of Sociology, Vienna, Austria, July 2016

- “Social Class and Gender Variation in Black American’s Reports of General and Everyday Discrimination.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington, DC, March 2016.
- “Identity Integration among Black and Latino STEM Majors: The Role of Ethnic Identity and Stereotype Threat.” Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA, March 2015.
- “Algebra I, Take Two! Race and Advanced Math Course Taking Patterns during the Middle to High School Transition.” Annual Meeting of the American Educational Research Association, Philadelphia, PA, April 2014.
- “Of Promise and Penalties: How Student Racial-Cultural Markers Influence Teachers’ Perceptions.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY, August 2013.
- “Let In Where You Fit In: Racial Subgroup Differences in School Racial Composition and Facilities.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Denver, CO, August 2012.
- “Intracategorical Complexity and the Black-White Divide: Teachers’ Perceptions of Students in the Gray.” Annual Meeting of the American Educational Research Association, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, April 2012.
- “Teachers’ Perceptions of Students: The Influence of Race, Ethnicity, and Immigration Status.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Las Vegas, NV, August 2011.
- “Is Interracial Contact Enough? Racial Concentration and Perceived Discrimination among Black Americans.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Las Vegas, NV, August 2011.
- “The Influence of Race, Ethnicity, and Immigration Status on Teachers’ Perceptions of Student Behavior and Performance.” Conference of Ford Fellows. Irvine, CA, June 2010.
- “The Influence of Race, Ethnicity, and Immigration Status on Teachers’ Perceptions of Student Behavior and Performance.” Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems, Atlanta, GA, August 2010.
- “Is Interracial Contact Enough? How Racial Concentration and Discrimination Shapes the Contact Hypothesis for Black Americans.” Annual Meeting to the Society for the Study of Social Problems, Atlanta, GA, August 2010.
- “When Teachers Lose Their Say: The Influence of No Child Left Behind on Teacher Efficacy.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Montréal, Quebec, Canada, August 2006.

Invited Panels & Media

Panelist, Predoctoral Workshop: Social & Behavioral Sciences/ Humanities, Conference of Ford Fellows, Virtual, October 2020.

Panelist, "Race Shifting in the United States: Implications for the 2020 Census." Session on Disappearing Communities in the Census, Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Virtual, August 2020.

Panelist, Forum on the Leaky or Blocked STEM Pipeline for BIPOC, r/science AMA Series on reddit.com, August 2020.

Panelist, "Critical Quantitative Methodologies for Justice: Embracing Complexity in Census Measurement and Analysis." Thematic session on Intersectionality & Social Justice Policy: Leveraging Race, Gender, Class & Sexual Orientation Data, Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY, August 2019.

Panelist, Session on Navigating Academic and Research Institutions as a Black Woman Ph.D., Annual Meeting of the Association of Black Sociologists, New York, NY, 2019.

Panelist, Session on Researching Race & Racism: Common Approaches & New Directions in the Field, Pre-Conference on Race, Racism, and Reducing Inequality in the Sociology of Education at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA, August 2018.

Guest, Two Episodes on "The Experience of Race and its Complexity," The American Ingredient Podcast, 2018.

Panelist, Session on "Afro-Latino in the American Diaspora," Annual Meeting of the Association of Black Sociologists, Chicago, IL, August 2015.

SURVEY RESEARCH

Large-Scale Studies

Quantitative Consultant. "Diversity Stalled: Explorations into the Stagnant Numbers of African American Engineering Faculty," National Science Foundation Grant #1361025, PIs: Ebony McGee and William Robinson, Vanderbilt University, 2015-2016.

Research Associate and Survey Research Supervisor, Parties and Societies Study, Department of Sociology, Indiana University, Bloomington, 2009

Research Associate and Survey Research Supervisor, Perceptions of Immigrants in the United States Study, Department of Sociology, Indiana University, Bloomington, 2008

Research Associate and Survey Research Supervisor, Constructing the Family Study,
Department of Sociology, Indiana University, Bloomington, 2005-2006

Research Associate and Supervisor of Spanish Interview and Survey Data Collection, The
Intersection of Family, Work, and Health Study, Department of Sociology, Indiana
University, Bloomington, 2004-2005

Community-Based Research

Primary Investigator, “Knowledge and Perceptions related to Campus Carry Law, SB 11, and
Gun Safety at The University of Texas at Austin,” Study organized for MAS 375 Community
Research and Analysis, 2016.

Primary Investigator, “Assessment of Knowledge and Perceptions related to Mexican American
and Latina/o Studies,” Study organized for MAS 374 Community Research and Analysis,
2015.

Primary Investigator, “Bloomington Poverty Attitudes Study,” Study organized for L316
Advanced Quantitative Reasoning class study, Completed on behalf of the Circles Initiative,
Bloomington, IN, 2010.

Primary Investigator, “Bloomington Dyslexia Study,” Study organized for L316 Advanced
Quantitative Reasoning, Completed on behalf of Pinnacle School, Bloomington, IN, 2009.

Primary Investigator, “Affordable Housing Study,” Organized for L316 Advanced Quantitative
Reasoning, Completed on behalf of Middle Way House, Bloomington, IN, 2008.

ADVISING AND STUDENT-RELATED SERVICE

Dissertation Committees

Shan Siddiqui, Sociology, 2020-present. (Member).

Menglu Peng, Curriculum and Instruction, 2019-present. (Member).

Shannon Malone, Sociology, 2018-present. (Member).

Gregory Worthington, Educational Leadership and Policy, 2018-present. (Member).

Crystal Peoples, Sociology, Duke University, 2018-present. (Member).

Karisma Morton, Ph.D. in Curriculum and Instruction, 2017. (Member).

Claude Bonazzo, Ph.D. in Sociology, 2016. (Member).

Sheena Gardner, Ph.D. in Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2014. (Member).

Jamie Boydston, Ph.D. in Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2014. (Member).

Qualifying/Comprehensive Exam Committees

Kathryn Wiley, Race and Ethnicity, Sociology, 2021.

Dominique Garret-Scott, Race and Ethnicity, Sociology, 2020.

Shan Siddiqui, Race and Ethnicity, Sociology, 2020.

Karen Lee, Race and Ethnicity, Sociology, 2019.
Jamie Carroll, Sociology of Education, Sociology, 2015.

Master's Thesis Committees

Haley Brown, African and African Diaspora Studies, 2019-present. (Member).
Reid Dickerson, Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2014. (Chair).
Bianca Gonzalez-Sobrino, Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2014. (Member).
Teddie Eden, Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2013. (Chair).
Jennifer Carruth, Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2013. (Member).
Sherelle Cohen, Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2012. (Member).

Undergraduate Honors Theses

Allyson Cameron, Sociology, 2019-present. (Supervisor).
James Rodriguez, Plan II Honors, 2018. (Supervisor). [Plan II Model Thesis]
Harrington McDowelle, Sociology, 2017. (Supervisor).

ADMINISTRATIVE AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Departmental and University Service

The University of Texas at Austin

Faculty Search Committee, Department of African and African Diaspora Studies, 2020-2021.

Executive Committee, Department of African and African Diaspora Studies, 2020-2022.

Graduate Program Review Committee, Department of African and African Diaspora Studies,
2020-2021.

Guest lecture, CRP 380F – Prof. Sciara, 2020.

Faculty Search Committee, Department of African and African Diaspora Studies, 2019-2020.

Advisor, Mellon Mayes Undergraduate Fellowship Program, 2019-2020.

LGBTQ+ Symposium Planning Committee, College of Education, 2019.

Guest lecture, CRP 380F – Prof. Sciara, 2019.

Guest lecture, STM 390 – Prof. Madkins, 2019.

Guest lecture, AFR 391 – Prof. Tang, 2019.

Faculty Search Committee, Department of African and African Diaspora Studies, 2018-2019.

Advisory Committee, Vick Center for Strategic Advising and Career Counseling, 2017-2019.

Quantitative Skills for Justice Initiative, School of Undergraduate Studies, 2018.

Panelist, Race and Ethnicity Working Group, Department of Sociology, 2017.

Core Mathematics Curriculum Assessment Committee, School of Undergraduate Studies, 2016-2017.

Panel Organizer, International Black Studies Conference, Department of African and African Diaspora Studies, 2016.

Panel Discussant, Lozano Long Conference: Race Inequality in Brazil, Teresa Lozano Long Institute of Latin American Studies, 2015.

Prior Institutions

Guest lecture, SO 8990 – Prof. Hoskins, Mississippi State University, 2014.

Restricted Data Lab Manager, Department of Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2013-2014.

Dean Search Committee (appointed by Provost and Executive Vice President Gilbert), College of Arts and Sciences, Mississippi State University, 2012-2013.

Lofton Lecture Series Committee Organizer, Department of Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2011-2013.

Faculty Advisor, Alpha Kappa Delta International Honor Society, Department of Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2011-2013.

Qualifying and Exit Examination Committee, Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2011-2013.

Guest lecture, SO 8213 – Prof. Schewe, Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2013.

Guest lecture, SO 2203 – Prof. Hughey, Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2012.

Faculty Search Committee, Sociology, Mississippi State University, 2011-2012.

Moderator and Workshop Coordinator, Undergraduate Research Symposium. Hutton Honors College, Indiana University, 2007-2011.

Steering Committee, Undergraduate Research Symposium, Hutton Honors College, Indiana University, 2009.

Research Presentation Judge, Changing the Face of STEM: Third Annual LSAMP AGEPE Joint Research Conference, Indiana University, 2007.

Professional Service

Elected and Appointed Positions

Board of Directors, Sociology of Education Association, 2020-2022.

2021 Annual Meeting Program Committee, Southern Sociological Society, 2020-2021.

Section Council, American Sociological Association Sociology of Education Section, 2018-2021.

Board of Directors, National Association for Ethnic Studies, 2016-2017.

Journal Editorial Board, *Sociology of Education*, 2014-2016.

Scholars of Color in Education Committee, Standing Committee of the American Educational Research Association, 2013-2016.

Peer-Reviewer (ad hoc since 2010)

American Sociological Review, Educational Researcher, American Educational Research Journal, Sociology of Education, Social Psychology Quarterly, Social Problems, Social Currents, Social Science Research, Sociology of Race and Ethnicity, Journal of Research on Educational Effectiveness.

Other Professional Service

Cite Black Women Collective, 2018-present.

Expert Interview for *Washington Monthly*, 2020.

Expert Interview for *Los Angeles Times*, 2019.

Contributor, LGBT People of Color Archive Network Workshop, 2019.

Chair of Nominations Committee, American Sociological Association Sociology of Education Section, 2018-2019.

Co-organizer, Pre-conference on Race, Racism, and Reducing Inequality in the Sociology of Education, American Sociological Association Sociology of Education Section, 2017-2018.

Founder's Award for Scholarship and Service Committee, American Sociological Association Section on Racial and Ethnic Minorities, 2016-2017.

Mentoring Program, American Sociological Association Sociology of Education Section, 2016-2017.

Mentoring Program, American Sociological Association Section on Racial and Ethnic Minorities, 2016-2017.

Website Manager, American Sociological Association Section on Racial and Ethnic Minorities, 2012-2015.

Submission Reviewer, Undergraduate Student Education Research Training Workshop, American Educational Research Association, 2014.

Conference Submission Reviewer, American Educational Research Association Sociology of Education SIG, 2013.

Sociology Working Group on Race and Hispanic Origin Question Revisions for Census 2020, 2013.

Co-organizer, Presider, and Discussant, Session on “Operationalizing Race and Ethnicity: A Discussion around Proposed Changes to the 2020 Census,” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY, 2013.

Conference Submission Reviewer, American Educational Research Association Division G, 2012.

Session Presider, Alabama-Mississippi Sociological Association Annual Conference, Starkville, MS, 2012.

James Blackwell Graduate Student Paper Award Committee, American Sociological Association Section on Racial and Ethnic Minorities, 2012.

Pierre Bourdieu Book Award Committee, American Sociological Association Sociology of Education Section, 2012.

Invited Panelist, Honors Program Graduate School Briefing, Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Las Vegas, NV, 2011.

Professional Memberships

Mindset Scholars Network, 2018-present.

Southern Sociological Society, 2012-present

American Educational Research Association, 2012-present.

Association of Black Sociologists, 2007-present.

American Sociological Association, 2005-present.

Community Service

Mueller Engagement Team on Diversity and Inclusion in Affordable Housing, 2020.

Guest speaker, Ethnic Studies Class, Liberal Arts and Science Academy, Austin, TX, 2019.

Invited Guest, Decibel, KLRU-TV, Austin, TX, 2018.

Invited Panelist, Engage Breakfast on the 2018 Bond Election, Leadership, Austin, TX, 2018.

District 1 Representative (appointed by former Council member Ora Houston), Bond Election Advisory Task Force for the City of Austin, Austin, TX, 2017-2018.