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EDUCATION Ph.D. in Sociology, University of Texas at Austin. In progress.
Population Research Center Trainee
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M.A. in Sociology, University of Texas at Austin. 2019.

B.A. in Political Science, University of Florida, *summa cum laude*. 2014.

INTERESTS Fertility, Reproductive Health, Demography, Social Policy

PUBLICATIONS Bearak, Jonathan M., Anna Popinchalk, **Kristen L. Burke**, and Selena Anjur-Dietrich. 2021. “[Does the impact of motherhood on women’s employment and wages differ for women who plan their transition into motherhood?](#)” Advance publication at *Demography*.

Potter, Joseph E., **Kristen L. Burke**, Kathleen Broussard, Kristine Hopkins, Daniel Grossman, and Kari White. 2021. “[Improving assessment of demand for postpartum tubal ligation among publicly insured women in Texas.](#)” Advance publication at *Contraception*.

Burke, Kristen L., Lauren Thaxton, and Joseph E. Potter. 2020. “[Short-acting hormonal contraceptive continuation among low-income postpartum women in Texas.](#)” *Contraception: X 2*: 100052.

Burke, Kristen L., Joseph E. Potter, and Kari White. 2020. “[Unsatisfied contraceptive preferences due to cost among women in the United States.](#)” *Contraception: X 2*: 100032.

Kavanaugh, Megan L., Mia R. Zolna, and **Kristen L. Burke**. 2018. “[Use of health insurance among clients seeking contraceptive services at Title X-funded facilities in 2016.](#)” *Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health* 50(3): 101-109.

Bearak, Jonathan M., **Kristen L. Burke**, and Rachel K. Jones. 2017. “[Disparities and change over time in distance women would need to travel to have an abortion in the USA: a spatial analysis.](#)” *The Lancet Public Health* 2(11): e493-e500.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS **Burke, Kristen L.** and R. Kelly Raley. “The surprising decline in non-marital fertility: are recent declines the result of increases in contraception?” (Equal co-authors listed alphabetically). *Revise and resubmit at Population Research and Policy Review*.

Ela, Elizabeth J., Kathleen Broussard, Katie Hansen, **Kristen L. Burke**, Lauren Thaxton, and Joseph E. Potter. “LARC satisfaction and continuation among low-income postpartum Texas women.” *Revise and resubmit at Women’s Health Issues*.

Carpenter, Emma, Hillary Gyrus, **Kristen L. Burke**, Danielle Czarnecki, Kari White, Danielle Bessett, and Michelle McGowan. “Seeking abortion care during the COVID-19 pandemic: Patient experiences in restrictive policy contexts.” *Under review*.

Burke, Kristen L. “Contraceptive preference dynamics among postpartum women in Texas.”

RESEARCH BRIEFS AND OPEDS Carpenter, Emma, **Kristen L. Burke**, Elsa Vizcarra, Asha Dane'el, Vinita Goyal, and Kari White. "[Texas' executive order during COVID-19 increased barriers for patients seeking abortion care.](#)" TxPEP research brief, January 2021.

White, Kari, **Kristen L. Burke**. "[Reproductive autonomy shouldn't depend on your employer's beliefs.](#)" OpEd in Austin American-Statesman, June 2020.

White, Kari, **Kristen L. Burke**, Kristine Hopkins, and Joseph E. Potter. "[Texas women's access to reproductive health services since the 2016 statewide reorganization of women's health programs.](#)" TxPEP research brief, June 2019.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Burke, Kristen L. "Contraceptive preference dynamics among postpartum women in Texas." Poster, Society of Family Planning Annual Meeting. October 2021.
Poster, Population Association of America Annual Meeting. May 2021.

Burke, Kristen L. and R. Kelly Raley. "The surprising and mysterious decline in non-marital fertility: are recent declines the result of increases in contraception?" (Presented by Kristen L. Burke; equal co-authors listed alphabetically).
Presentation, Population Association of America Annual Meeting. April 2020.

Burke, Kristen L., Lauren Thaxton, and Joseph E. Potter. "Hormonal contraceptive continuation among postpartum women in Texas." (Presented by Kristen L. Burke)
Poster, Society of Family Planning Annual Meeting. Los Angeles, CA. October 2019.

Ela, Elizabeth J., Kathleen Broussard, Katie Hansen, **Kristen L. Burke**, Lauren Thaxton, and Joseph E. Potter. "LARC satisfaction and continuation among low-income postpartum Texas women." (Presented by Elizabeth J. Ela)
Poster, Society of Family Planning Annual Meeting. Los Angeles, CA. October 2019.

Bearak, Jonathan M., Anna Popinchalk, **Kristen L. Burke**, and Selena Anjur-Dietrich. "Does the impact of motherhood on women's earnings differ for women who plan their transition to motherhood?" (Presented by Jonathan M. Bearak)
Presentation, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. New York, NY. August 2019.
Presentation, Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Austin, TX. April 2019.
Presentation, European Population Conference. Brussels, Belgium. June 2018.

FELLOWSHIPS

2020-2023. National Science Foundation Graduate Fellowship Program (\$102,000 + tuition)
2020-2021. NICHD Ruth L. Kirschstein Pre-doctoral Traineeship (\$25,000 + tuition; declined)

HONORS AND AWARDS

2021. Excellence Award, Department of Sociology, UT Austin (\$5,000)
2020. Distinction on Comprehensive Exams in Fertility and Family Formation, UT Austin
2018. Honorable Mention, National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship Program
2014. Best Senior Thesis, University of Florida Department of Political Science
2014. Phi Beta Kappa, University of Florida
2014. Model of Leadership Award, University of Florida Center for Leadership and Service
2014. Champion of Service Award, Volunteer Florida
2012, 2013. J. Wayne Reitz Scholar, University of Florida Vice President of Student Affairs

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	Graduate Research Assistant, Texas Policy Evaluation Project Graduate Research Assistant, Dr. Kelly Raley Senior Research Assistant, Guttmacher Institute	September 2019 - present Summers 2019, 2020 April 2015 - July 2018
ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE	AmeriCorps VISTA, Spartanburg, SC <i>Assisted in opening a free clinic for people without health insurance in September 2014</i>	July 2014 - April 2015
PROFESSIONAL SERVICE	Conference organizer, Psychosocial Workshop. April 2019. Austin, TX. Ad hoc reviewer, <i>American Journal of Public Health</i> , <i>Population Research and Policy Review</i> , <i>International Journal of Women's Health</i> .	