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Research Interests

Measurement and Conceptualization of Place; Spatial Inequality; Urban Health; Spatial Analysis in Demographic and Health Research; Qualitative & Quantitative Data Integration; Applied Research

Research Profile

Publication summaries available at: Google Scholar (as of December 1, 2023)

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CURRENT POSITION AND AFFILIATIONS

Liberal Arts Professor of Sociology, Anthropology, and Demography

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Director of the Graduate Training Program in Demography (2013 - 2023)

Faculty Director, World Campus Programs in Applied Demography (2018 - 2023)

Faculty Associate: Population Research Institute
World Campus Programs: Geographic Information Science
Applied Demography
Consortium to Combat Substance Abuse
Center for Human Ecology
Dual-Title Graduate Degree in Bioethics

Faculty Affiliate: Institute for Computational and Data Sciences (ICDS);
Penn State Hershey Cancer Institute – Population Health and Cancer Control

EDUCATION

B.Sc. Geography, University of Bristol, UK 1985.

Ph.D. Planning, University of Wales College of Cardiff (now Cardiff University), UK 1991.

PUBLICATIONS**Books & Edited Books**

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- Obradović S, Matović S, Rabiei-Dastjerdi H, Matthews SA (2022). An ecological study of vulnerability to COVID-19 in Serbia - using Hotspot Analysis for evidence-based population health policy. **Forum Geografic**, XXI(1), 71-82. <https://doi:10.5775/fg.2022.103.i>
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GRANT ACTIVITY

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2: Grant Applications

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- Diane Felmlee, Alan MacEachren, Daniel DellaPosta, Stephen A. Matthews, Justine Blanford. A quasi-experimental study of the effects of corporate policy. NSF RAPID grant (awarded January, 2018).
- Marta Jankowska (PI) (UCSD) et al. Hispanic Access and Exposure to the Built Food Environment. National Science Foundation. Awarded January, 2016.
- Dawn Witherspoon, Mayra Bámaca, Stephen A. Matthews. How does place matter? Examining Latino caregiver-child dynamics and youth problem behavior in a new immigrant destination. 2015-2016 NCFR Innovation Grant.
- Terry Jernigan (UCSD) Adolescent Brain Cognitive Development (ABCD) Study; Kevin Patrick (UCSD) coordinator of the Mobile Technologies and Passive Data Collection Workgroup. ABCD is funded by NIDA, NIAAA, NCI, and other NIH institutes. Awarded 2015.
- Shannon Zenk & Stephen A. Matthews (MPIs) Activity space and measuring environmental exposure in behavioral research. R21 National Cancer Institute Awarded April, 2015.
- Elizabeth Tarlov (Department of Veterans Affairs). “Improving VA Weight Management Outcomes: Role of the Residential Environment.” Department of Veterans Affairs. Awarded 2014.
- Shannon Zenk (PI) (University of Illinois at Chicago) et al. “Environmental Attributes and Weight Control: Study of Over 1.3 Million Veterans.” R01 Subcontract Awarded Fall 2013 National Institutes of Health.
- Michael Kramer (Emory University) K01 Award (NICHD) “Spatiotemporal neighborhood dynamics and early childhood cognitive development” Awarded Fall 2013. Role: Mentor
- Barrett A. Lee (PI), Stephen Matthews, Chad Farrell, Matthew Hall, and Laura Tach. “Racial and ethnic diversity in American communities, 1980-2010.” National Institutes of Child Health and Human Development Awarded: July, 2013.
- Sandra Azar (PI), Stephen A. Matthews, Peter Arnett, David Johnson. “Maternal Intelligence, Social Information Processing, and Neglect.” National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Awarded: July, 2010.
- Jacqueline Kerr (PI) (UCSD) et al. “PQA4 GPS exposure to environments and relations with biomarkers of cancer risk.” R01 submitted to the National Institutes of Health, Awarded: August, 2013.
- Denis Gerstorff (PI) (Humboldt University Berlin), Melissa Hardy, Stephen Matthews, Nilam Ram, Christine Hoppmann, Guy Mayraz, and Gert Wagner. Environmental factors that regulate terminal decline: Late-life as a natural experiment. German Research Foundation, Germany. Awarded, October 2103.
- Dan Kifer (PI), Stephen Matthews, and Tse-Chuan Yang “A Utility for Private Data Sharing in Social Science.” A Trustworthy Computing (TWC) in the Social Behavioral and Economic Sciences (SBES) Medium application, National Science Foundation Awarded: September 1, 2012.
- Jacqueline Kerr (PI) (UC San Diego) R21 “Development and validation of novel prospective GPS/GIS based exposure measures.” National Institutes of Health. Awarded: September, 2012.
http://cwphs.ucsd.edu/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=84%3Aspatial&catid=34&Itemid=79 and <http://cwphs.calit2.net/spatial-analyses-gps-data>
- Kevin Patrick (PI) (UC San Diego) R01 “PALMS 2.0: Validation of objective measures of place based physical activity.” National Institutes of Health. <http://cwphs.calit2.net/palms>
- Stephen A. Matthews (PI), Steven Cummins “Neighborhood Food Environment, Diet and Health: Quasi-experimental study” in response to the RFA for obesity and the built environment (RFA-ES-04-003), National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences. Awarded 2005. No cost extension through 2011.
- Tamara Dubowitz (PI) (Rand, Pittsburgh) “Does a new supermarket improve dietary behaviors of low-income African Americans?” National Institutes of Health.
- Roger Anderson (PI) at the Hershey Medical Center, Penn State et al. “Patterns of care in Appalachia.” There are several co-investigators scattered across the Northern Appalachia Cancer Network (NACN) area at Penn State Hershey Medical Center, Penn State, Duke, Wake Forest, Kentucky, Ohio State, and West Virginia. National Cancer Institute. Awarded: June, 2009. No cost extension 2013-2014.

- Brian King (Geography, Penn State). HIV/AIDS as long-wave socio-ecological experience: Coupling social and ecological change in rural South Africa. Co-faculty mentor. SSRI Faculty Fellowship Award. Dec, 2013.
- Erica Frankenberg (Education, Penn State). Spatial analysis of contemporary school segregation patterns. Co-faculty mentor. SSRI Faculty Fellowship Award. December 2013.
- Liza Rovniak (PI) (Hershey), Jennifer Kraschnewski, Stephen A. Matthews, Chester Ray, Christopher Sciamanna, Michele Shaffer, Shyam Sundar. "Social Networking for Activity Promotion with Cell Phones (SNAP-C)" Submitted to the New 2009-2010 Collaborative Dean's Feasibility Grant Application. \$62,040.
- Melissa Bopp (PI), Liza Rovniak, Stephen Matthews, Erika Poole. Development of sustainable social network and social marketing resources for promoting university-based active transport. Sustainability Institute, Penn State, Reinvention Fund. Fall 2013.
- Ming Wang (Penn State Hershey College of Medicine) and Stephen A. Matthews. Novel Spatial-temporal survival analysis on Prostate Cancer for Pennsylvania. Clinical and Translational Science Institute (CTSI), Penn State. February 2014.
- Stephen A. Matthews, Jo Vearey (U. Witwatersrand), Tolullah Oni (UCT) and Jo Hunter Adams (UCT). Migration, Urbanization and Health in Southern Africa. Global Health Network funds, Penn State. December 2014. <http://sites.psu.edu/globalhealthnetwork/global-health-engagement-network-pan-university-network-for-global-health-funded-pilot-projects/b>
- Workshop at the University of the Witwatersrand <http://migrationurbanisationhealth.tumblr.com>
- Ian Paul (PI), Kateryna D. Makova, Stephen A. Matthews. Childhood Obesity P3. Pathways to Partnerships (P3), Penn State, College of Medicine.
- Stephen A Matthews (PI) and Shannon Zenk. "Activity Space Environments and Obesity: A Pilot Study to Demonstrate Feasibility and Method Refinement." SSRI Level II award, Penn State. \$20,894. Awarded October 2012.
- Shannon Zenk (University of Illinois at Chicago), Stephen A. Matthews and Angela M. Odoms-Young "Activity space segregation and access to health resources" UIC Institute for Research on Race and Public Policy. Awarded December 2012.
- Dennis Kao (University of Houston's Graduate College of Social Work) "Using geo-ethnography to explore the spatial accessibility of health services for aging minorities." Hartford Faculty Scholars Program/GSA. 2012-2013.
- Stephen A. Matthews (PI) "Advanced Spatial Analysis Training Program for Population Scientists" (with Donald Janelle and Michael Goodchild (both UC Santa Barbara)). National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Awarded June 4, 2008. Total Directs: \$816,283. No cost extension 2013-2014. (URL: <http://www.gispopsci.org/>)
- Jane Cauley (PI) at the University of Pittsburgh; RO1 'National Children's Study – Westmoreland County, PA' and "National Children's Study – Westmoreland County, PA: Hi-Lo Recruitment Study" Awarded by National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) September 2007 – August 2012. Role: PI on Penn State subcontract; coordinating all geocoding, contextual databases, and segmentation selection.
- Jim W. Wood (PI), Patricia L. Johnson, Timothy Murtha, Stephen A. Matthews. "Spatiotemporal Dimensions of Population Change in the Northern Orkney Islands, c. 1735-2000. Total Directs: \$370,443 from National Science Foundation Human Social Dynamics, for 2005-2010. No cost through Fall 2011.
- Kevin Patrick (UC San Diego) RO1 'PALMS: A Tool for Geospatial Analysis and Physical Activity.' 1U01CA130771-01 (08/10/07 – 07/31-2011). National Cancer Institute.
- Dan Kifer (PI), Stephen A. Matthews and Tse-Chuan Yang. "Geographically weighted regression over imprecise data: tools for analysis and privacy preservation." Pilot funds from Institute for CyberScience (ICS) and Social Science Research Institute (SSRI). Award \$30,000. December 3, 2010.
- Shannon Zenk (University of Illinois at Chicago) "Environmental Measure Development for a National Sample using GIS: A Pilot Study." College of Nursing Internal Research Support Program, University of Illinois at Chicago. 2011.
- Stephen A. Matthews (PI) "Obesogenic environments – exploring the mediating role of local food price and availability on diet." SSRI Level II, Penn State for 2009-2010. \$21,977. (no cost extension)
- Beth Reboussin (Wake Forest University) RO1 'Clustering of underage alcohol use in communities and its contextual influences.' 1R01AA016806-01A1 (28/09/07 – 08/31/10). National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Role: consultant.
- Kevin Patrick (UC San Diego) Supplemental award from National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences under their GEI Exposure Biology Program for collaborative proposals for "Three G's workshop: GEI, GPS and GIS" (Gene-Environment Interactions, Global Positioning Systems, and Geographic Information Systems). Role: workshop co-chair.
- Shannon Zenk (University of Illinois at Chicago) 'Measurement of Activity Space and Health Behaviors in African-American and White Adults: A Pilot Study' The Center for Reducing Risks in Vulnerable Populations at UIC College of Nursing. Role: consultant.
- Angela Odums (School of Nursing and Health Studies, Northern Illinois University) "The Relationship Between Perceived and Objective Food Environments, Dietary Intake, and Weight Status in Latino Families." Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Health Eating Research (HER) Program. Role: consultant.
- Shannon Zenk (University of Illinois at Chicago) KO1 'Active Space Environments, Behaviors, and Body Weight Status in Urban Areas' National Institute of Nursing Research. 1K01NR010540-01 (09/28/07-05/31/10). Role: Mentor.
- Collins Airhihenbuwa (PI), Michael Adewumi, Petra Tschakert, Stephen A. Matthews, Zhengmin Qian "Global Health and Georesource Management in Africa." Total Directs: \$184,681 from Fogarty International Center/NIH 09/2006 – 08/2009.

- Tse-chuan Yang (PI), Murali Haran, Stephen A. Matthews. "Developing a non-Gaussian spatiotemporal analysis tool for handling missing data: an application to cancer research." SSRI Level II, Penn State. Awarded August 5, 2008. \$14,966.
- Stephen A. Matthews (PI on PSU collaboration with Dr. Sean Reardon, Stanford University) Measuring Spatial Segregation. National Science Foundation Awarded \$74,641 (Total Directs: at PSU) for 2005-2008.
- Stephen A. Matthews (PI), Barrett Lee, and Glenn Firebaugh. A Feasibility Study for Incorporating Topographical and Hydrological Data to Identify Exogenous Variation in Residential Race/Ethnic and Income Segregation. SSRI Level II/PRI Penn State Awarded October 17, 2007. \$15,304.
- Stephen A. Matthews. The effect of neighborhood environments on health among the urban elderly. Pilot grant awarded Fall 2007 Center on Population Health and Aging, Penn State.
- Ken Hirth (PI) "GIS database and spatial analysis of the Basin of Mexico." National Science Foundation (June 2006) – Role: Investigator. \$156,000 awarded June 2006 - June 2008.
- Stephen A. Matthews (PI) "The Community Health Data Base: A Resource for Penn State Researchers and Educators." SSRI Level II, Penn State Awarded May 10, 2006. \$20,000.
- Stephen A. Matthews (PI) National Science Foundation (NSF) Sociology Dissertation Improvement Grant for Bina Gubhaju (Sociology) "Women's Choice of Contraception: Who Decides? Awarded for 2004-2005: \$7,500.
- Stephen A. Matthews (PI) R25 GIS and Population Science Training Grant from National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD). Awarded \$450,000 for 2004-2007. Co-PIs: Michael Goodchild and Don Janelle at the Center for Spatially Integrated Social Science (CSISS) UC Santa Barbara.
- Linda M. Burton (PI), Stephen A. Matthews (co-PI) and Debra Skinner (co-PI at UNC-Chapel Hill). "Resource Allocation in Urban and Rural Communities" plus supplement National Science Foundation Awarded \$376,509 for 2004-2007.
- Martha Cox, Lynne Vernon-Feagans (UNC-Chapel Hill) and Nan Crouter (Penn State) all PIs on "Children and Rural Poverty (Family Life Project)." National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Initially funded 2002 through 2007. Role: coordinated GIS activities including contextual dataset construction.
- Ann Fisher (PI) "Consortium for Atlantic Regional Assessment (CARA)." This multi-site project was funded by Environmental Protection Agency, 2002 through 2005. Role: I served on the Land Center component and as a member of the CARA "Data" team.
- William Axinn (PI) "Reciprocal Relations Between Population and Environment" \$3,421,286 from the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD)/ National Institute of Environmental Health Science for the period July 2000- June 2005. Role: Consultant and responsible for all GIS components based on secondary and primary geocoded data associated with the project. Total Penn State Directs: \$22,631.
- Wilbur Zelinsky and Stephen A. Matthews "The Place of Religion in the Metropolis" funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) 2002 through 2004 (no cost extension through May 2005). Total Directs: \$56,739.
- Stephen A. Matthews (PI) Center for Spatially Integrated Social Science (CSISS) Workshop grant \$10,000 for Population Science and GIS. May 2003.
- Norman Oliver (University of Virginia) K07 Cancer Prevention, Control, and Population Sciences Career Development Award: Role: mentor for Dr. Norman Oliver (Awarded for 2003-2007), Departments of Family Medicine, Health Evaluation Sciences, and Anthropology; Director, UVA Center for Improving Minority Health University of Virginia.
- David DiBiase (PI at Penn State) "Geo-referenced Digital Libraries in Support of Innovative Approaches to Teaching and Learning in Geography" in response to the Joint Information Systems (JISC-UK) and National Science Foundation (NSF-USA) "Digital Libraries and the Classroom" initiative. Funded through 2005. Role: Part of the Penn State team. The project includes additional collaborators at the University of Leeds and the University of Southampton in the UK and the University of California, Santa Barbara (UCSB). Total Penn State Directs: \$310,327.
- Stephen A. Matthews (PI) on small grant to "Leverage Nepal DHS with GIS" funded through USAID/Macro International \$50,000.
- Linda Burton (PI) et al "Three-city Study of Welfare Reform and the Well-being of Children" (other PIs included Ron Angel, Andrew Cherlin, Robin Jarrett, Lindsay Chase-Lansdale, Robert Moffitt and William Julius Wilson). Funding from multiple agencies/foundations. Role: research scientists on the ethnographic component, responsible for all GIS components based on secondary and primary geocoded data associated with the project, and the integration of ethnographic field notes and GIS.

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Journal Editorial Service

Current

- Editor *Spatial Demography* (2019 - present)
- Associate Editor *Discover Social Science and Health* (2021 – present)

Past

- Co-Editor *Demography* (May 1, 2016 – April 30, 2019);
Also, Deputy Editor (Jan 1, 2016 – April 30, 2016)
Spatial Demography (July 1, 2018 – April 30, 2019)
- Associate Editor *Demographic Research* (2012 – 2016)
Mathematical Population Studies (2020- 2023)
- Editorial Boards *American Journal of Preventive Medicine* (2005 – 2015)
Demography (2010 – 2016)
Geographies (2020-2023)
GeoJournal (2011 – 2015)
Health & Place
Editorial Board (1994 – 2004)
Book Review Editor (1994 – 1998)
Spatial Demography (2011 – 2015)
Associate Editor (2011-2015)
Book Review Editor (2011-2015)
- Book Series Editor *Spatial Demography Book Series*—Springer (2019-present)

Guest Editor

- Journal of Geography in Higher Education* (1995) “Teaching Medical Geography” 19 (3)
(w/Mark Rosenberg)
- Geoforum* (1995) “Geographies of Women’s Health” 26 (3)
- American Journal of Preventive Medicine* (2012) “GIS and Childhood Obesity” (w/ Celeste Torio) Video introduction: <http://www.scivee.tv/node/57849>
- Demographic Research* (2013) Special Collection on “Spatial Demography”<http://www.demographic-research.org/special/13/default.htm>
- The American Academy of Political & Social Science* (July, 2015) “Residential Inequality in American Neighborhoods and Communities” (w/ Barrett A. Lee, Glenn Firebaugh and John Iceland).
- Mathematical Population Studies* (2019-2020) Coordinating a special issue on methods and applications in spatial demography
- Russell Sage Foundation Journal of the Social Science* (2020-2023) “Suburban Inequality in the United States.” (w/ R. L'Heureux Lewis-McCoy (NYU) and Natasha Warikoo (Tufts University). Appeared in Volume/Issue 9(1) & 9(2) 2023.

Reviewing for Journals

Reviewer for the following **101** journals across a wide variety of disciplines

Demography, Sociology and other Social Science

<i>American Journal of Education</i>	<i>American Journal of Sociology</i>	<i>American Sociological Review</i>
<i>Asian Population Journal</i>	<i>City & Community</i>	<i>Criminal Justice Quarterly</i>
<i>Demography</i>	<i>Demographic Research</i>	<i>Economics & Human Biology</i>
<i>Environment and Behavior</i>	<i>Environmental Research</i>	<i>Field Methods</i>
<i>Housing & Society</i>	<i>J. Non-Profit & Public Sector Mkt</i>	<i>J. of Mixed Method Research</i>
<i>Journal of Quantitative Criminology</i>	<i>J. of Res. in Crime & Delinquency</i>	<i>Journal of Urban Affairs</i>
<i>Policy Analysis & Management</i>	<i>Population Res. & Policy Review</i>	<i>Population and Development Review</i>
<i>Population and Environment</i>	<i>Population Studies</i>	<i>Rural Sociology</i>
<i>Social Currents</i>	<i>Social Forces</i>	<i>Social Problems</i>
<i>Social Science Research Quarterly</i>	<i>Sociological Forum</i>	<i>Sociological Methodology Sociological Urban Studies</i>
	<i>Spatial Demography</i>	

Geography, GIS and Spatial Analysis

<i>Annals, AAG</i>	<i>Annals, GIS</i>	<i>Applied Geography</i>
<i>Area</i>	<i>Cartographic Perspectives</i>	<i>Cartographica</i>
<i>Computers, Environ & Urban Systems</i>	<i>The Canadian Geographer</i>	<i>Earth System Science Data,</i>
<i>Economic Geography</i>	<i>Environment & Planning A</i>	<i>E&P B: Planning & Design</i>
<i>E&P D: Society & Space</i>	<i>Geoforum (2)</i>	<i>Geographical Analysis</i>
<i>GeoJournal</i>	<i>Historical Geography</i>	<i>Int. J. of GIS</i>
<i>ISPRS Int. J of Geo-Information</i>	<i>Int. J. of Health Geographics</i>	<i>J. of Geography & Higher Education</i>
<i>Journal of Regional Science</i>	<i>Progress in Human Geography</i>	<i>Spatial Economic Analysis</i>
<i>Spatial Statistics</i>	<i>Tijdschrift v. Econ en Soc Geografie</i>	<i>Transactions in GIS</i>
<i>Transactions, Inst. of British Geographers</i>		

Medical Sciences & Public Health

<i>Addictive Behaviors</i>	<i>AIDS and Behavior</i>	<i>AIMs Public Health</i>
<i>American Journal of Clinical Nutrition</i>	<i>Am. J. of Preventive Medicine</i>	<i>American Journal of Public Health</i>
<i>Annals of Behavioral Medicine</i>	<i>Applied Clinical Infomatics</i>	<i>BMC Health Services Research</i>
<i>Cities and Health</i>	<i>Environ. Monitoring & Assessment</i>	<i>Environmental Health Insights</i>
<i>Food Security</i>	<i>Health Affairs</i>	<i>Health and Place</i>
<i>Health Promotion International</i>	<i>Int. J. of Circumpolar Health</i>	<i>Int. J. Environ. Res. & Pub. Health</i>
<i>Int. J. of Infectious Disease</i>	<i>Int. Q. of Comm. Health Educ.</i>	<i>JMIR Pediatrics and Parenting</i>
<i>Journal of Healthcare Engineering</i>	<i>J. Health Care Poor & Underserved</i>	<i>J. of Gerontology: Social Sciences</i>
<i>J. of Gerontology: Psychol. Sci.</i>	<i>J. of Health & Social Behavior</i>	<i>J. of Physical Activity and Health</i>
<i>Journal Royal Society: Interface</i>	<i>Journal of Rural Health</i>	<i>Journal of Urban Health</i>
<i>PLoS ONE (Public Library of Sci.)</i>	<i>Preventing Chronic Disease</i>	<i>Preventive Medicine</i>
<i>Proc. Nat. Acad. of Sci. (PNAS)</i>	<i>Promotion & Education</i>	<i>Research on Aging</i>
<i>Risk Analysis</i>	<i>Sexual & Reproductive Healthcare</i>	<i>Social Science and Medicine</i>
<i>The Lancet-Planetary Health</i>		

Reviewing for Publishing Houses

- 2021: Reviewed book proposal for Taylor & Francis/CRC on *Introduction to Spatial Data Analysis in the Social Sciences* and for Agenda Publishing, UK on *Global Health: Geographical Connections*
- 2017: Reviewed book proposal for Routledge.
- 2015: Reviewed book manuscript for Open Book Publishers.
Reviewed book proposal for Columbia University Press.
Reviewed map designs for SAGE for a GIS interactive website accompanying Sociology texts.
- 2014: Book jacket endorsement of *Social-Spatial Segregation: Concepts, Processes and Outcomes* (Edited by C.J. Lloyd, I.G. Shuttleworth, and D.W.S. Wong) Policy Press, Bristol, UK.
- 2012: Reviewed textbook proposal on *Applied GIS for Social Scientists*. Sage Publications.
- 2011: Reviewed manuscript for *Crime Modeling and Mapping Using Geospatial Technologies* (Springer's Series on *Geotechnologies and the Environment*). And the R&R in 2012.
Reviewed manuscript for Guilford Publications Inc. on *GIS and Public Health: Second Edition* (endorsement on book jacket cover)
- 2010: Advisory Editor (2010 - 2011) *Oxford Bibliographies Online – Sociology* (edited by Jeff Manza and Patrick Barb) Oxford University Press.
- 2009: Reviewed manuscript for Rowman and Littlefield on *Population Geography*.
Reviewed manuscript for Cambridge University Press on *Spatial Analysis for Social Sciences*
- 2008: Reviewed chapter for a Sage Publication book on *Qualitative GIS: Mixed Methods in Practice and Theory*, Edited by Sarah Elwood and Meghan Cope.
- 2007: Reviewed book proposal for Rowman and Littlefield on *Population Geography*
- 2006: Reviewed book proposal, Cambridge Uni. Press on *Spatial Analysis for the Social Sciences*

Pre-2006

- 2005: Reviewed book proposal for Guilford Press on *GIS and Public Health, Revised Edition*
- 2003: Reviewed manuscript for The Urban Institute on *The Gay and Lesbian Atlas*.
- 2001: Reviewed book proposal for Blackwell Publishers (UK) on *Global Positioning Systems: A Social Science Field Guide*.
Reviewed revised manuscript for Guilford Publications Inc. on *GIS and Public Health* (endorsement on book jacket cover)
- 2000: Reviewed manuscript for Guilford Publications Inc. on *GIS and Public Health*.
- 1998: Reviewed manuscript for Rowman Littlefield on *Migration Studies and Economic Restructuring* (endorsement on book jacket cover)
Reviewed manuscript for Guilford Publications Inc. on *Medical Geography*.
- 1997: Reviewed manuscripts for the *Sixth International Applied Demography Conference Proceedings* edited by K.V. Rao.
Reviewed book proposal for Edward Arnold on *Population Health*.
- 1996: Reviewer of the *Encyclopedia of Life Support Systems*
- 1994: Reviewed book proposal for Routledge on *Geographical Information Systems*. (endorsement on book jacket cover).
Reviewed chapters on 'GIS' and 'GPS' for Prentice Hall in a selection of introductory 'Physical Geography' texts and contributed to Prof. T. McKnight (1994) *Introduction to Physical Geography* Prentice Hall.

Reviewing for Funding Agencies

National Institute of Health (NIH) Reviewer

STUDY SECTION: *Social Sciences and Population Studies A (SSPA)* – standing member of study section (three meetings per annum Sept/Oct, Jan/Feb and May/June) 4-year term: July 2012 – June 2016)

Transformative Research Award (TRA) initiative (February 2014)

Social Environment Working Group member for the PhenX program (for "consensus measures for phenotypes and exposures"), National Human Genome Research Institute, NIH (2010-2011)

NICHD Special Member Conflict Panel (November 2005)

Kidney, Nutrition, Obesity, and Diabetes Epidemiology (KNOD) Panel (November 2005)

NICHD R24/R21 Population Infrastructure Panel (April, 2005 and April, 2007)

NICHD Infrastructure for Data Sharing and Archiving Panel (April, 2004)

NIEHS R21 Health, Environment and Economic Development Panel (April, 2003)

National Cancer Institute, Cancer and GIS Panel (SNEM-2), 2001 (November 2001).

STUDY SECTION: SNEM-1 (Social Sciences, Nursing, Epidemiology and Methods Integrated Review Group, renamed Community Level Health Promotion (CLHP) in 2003), term: 2000 – 2004.

CLHP was re-formed in 2004 as Community Influences on Health Behavior (CIHB), term of service: 2004 - 2007. The CIHB panel met three times per annum (usually February, June and October).

Also served on a CLHP Special Member Conflict Panels in July 2003 and March 2004.

SBIR (Small Business Innovation Research Review)/ SNEM-4 (November 2000).

NICHD P50 center grant (August 2000).

National Science Foundation (NSF)

Geography and Regional Science Division, 1992, 1993, 1999, and 2000 (2)

Geography and Spatial Science 2010, 2014, 2015, 2017

Methodology, Measurement, and Statistics (MMS) Program, 2013

Sociology Division, 2009, 2015

Other Agencies and Foundations

British Academy

British Academy International Partnership and Mobility Scheme (e-GAP2), 2012.

Canadian Tobacco Control Research Initiative (CTCRI), 2004.

Czech Science Foundation 2014, 2020, 2021 (x2)

Economic and Social Research Council (UK), 2021.

European Research Council (European Union) 2014.

Guggenheim Memorial Foundation 2015-2016.

International Council for Social Science

Leading Integrated Research for Agenda 2030 in Africa (LIRA 2030 Africa) 2016-2017.

Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research. 2017.

Riksbankens Jubileumsfond (RJ), *The Swedish Foundation for the Humanities and Social Sciences*. 2016, 2019.

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC)

1993, 1995, 1998, 2000, and 2002 (including in 2002 the Major Collaborative Research Initiatives (MCRI)).

Service to Sociology & Demography

Population Association of America:

Task-Force on Information Technology and Information Dissemination (1994-97); Session organizer (1996, 2010, 2017, 2021); GIS Workshop Organizer 1998-2003; PAA Program Organizing Committee (2012 San Francisco; 2014 Boston, MA; 2022 Atlanta, GA); *Demography* editorial board (2010-2016), Deputy Editor (2016), and Co-Editor (2016-2019); PAA Memorial Committee (2019-2021); and the Clifford Clogg Award Committee (2022-2023).

International Union for the Scientific Study of Populations:

Chair, Scientific Panel on Spatial Demography (2014-2017) and Member (2018-present); Session Coordinator Spatial Demography sessions for the 2017 IUSSP Cape Town meeting; Reviewer for the 2021 IUSSP meetings.

Tenure & Promotion External Evaluations of promotion to Associate, and also to Full Professor (institution redacted) – 2012, 2013 (x3), 2014 (x2), 2015, 2016 (x3), 2017, 2019, 2020 (x3), 2021 (x4), 2022 (x2).

Faculty Nominations for Institute, National and International Awards external (institutions redacted) – 2014, 2015, 2018

Pennsylvania Nutrition Education Network, member of “Research Committee” 2004-2007

Appalachian Cancer Network (CAN) Health Services Research Task Force Member (temporary), 2001-2002

Member of the Working Group on “MEASURE+GIS” coordinated by Macro International, USAID and other DHS partners. 2000-2004

Member of the United Nations Global Population Information Network (POPIN) Information Technology Working Group and the Advisory Committee, 1995-1997

PRI representative to the Association of Public Data Users, 1994-2000

Service to Geography

Association of American Geographers (AAG)

AAG Medical Geography Specialty Group (MGSG)

Chair 1996-1998

Board Member, 1992-1996 (ex-officio, 1998-2001)

MGSG Newsletter Editor and website manager, 1998-2001

Compiler of the Medical Bibliography *MGSG Newsletter*, 1990-1993

Jacques May Thesis Prize reviewer for the MGSG, 1992-1993, 1996-1997.

AAG Census Advisory Committee

Chair 1996-1997

Board Member, 1995-97.

AAG representative to the Council of Professional Associations on Federal Statistics, 1994-97.

AAG Glenda Laws Award Committee, 2000-2007.

Other Service

Reviewer for the National Research Council, Committee on the Human Dimensions of Global Change, 1997.

Reviewed documents for MARA on their Mid-Atlantic Regional Assessment, 1998-99.

Reviewer of three chapters (LULC, demographic & social change, data sources) for the Bulgarian-American Workshop on Global Climate Change, US-NSF and Bulgarian Academy of Sciences, Bulgaria, 1997.

Reviewer of proposals sent to Earthwatch, 1996.

Reviewed "Medical Geography" chapter that appeared in Gary Gaile and Cort Willmott (eds.) *Geography in America at the Dawn of the 21st Century*, 1999.

Organizing Conferences (post 2005)

- 2020-1** IUSSP Program Reviewer (Applied Demography, Neighborhoods & Health, Urban Demography, Spatial Demography, Spatial Methods), for the Hyderabad, India (December 5-10, 2021). Session Chair, Dec 10, 2021 (online/virtual conference).
- 2021** Applied Demography Conference (PAA), Program Committee, Feb 2-4, 2021
- 2020** Population Association of America co-session organizer on the topic area of Spatial Demography (with Monica Alexander), PAA Meetings, Washington DC, 2020.
- 2017** IUSSP Program Committee. Focus on 'Spatial Demography', IUSSP Meetings, Cape Town, South Africa, October-November, 2017.
Population Association of America subcommittee on the topics area of (a) Advances in Mathematical, Spatial and Small Area Demography and (b) Innovative Methods and Data in Segregation Research. PAA Meetings, Chicago 2017.
- 2015** Childhood Obesity Research Summit, Organizers: Ian Paul, Kateryna D. Makova and Stephen Matthews. Penn State, October 16, 2015,
Migration, Urbanisation and Health in Southern Africa. The University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa: Organizers: Jo Vearey, Stephen Matthews, Tollullah Oni, and Jo Hunter Adams. July 27-29, 2015.
<http://migrationurbanisationhealth.tumblr.com>
Penn State Symposium on Health and Environmental Interactions. Conference Steering Committee, led by Brian King, Geography). March 26-28, 2015, University Park, PA.
- 2014** Residential Inequality in American Neighborhoods and Communities (Penn State Stratification Conference). Organizers: Barrett A. Lee, Glenn Firebaugh and John Iceland and Stephen A. Matthews. September 12-13, 2014, University Park, PA.
Population Association of America (PAA Program Committee – subcommittee on the topic area of Population, Development, and Environment. PAA Meetings, Boston 2014.
- 2012** Population Association of America (PAA) Program Committee – subcommittee for the topic area of Data and Methods. PAA Meetings May 3-5, 2012, San Francisco, CA.
- 2011** Future Directions in Spatial Demography. Organizers: Stephen Matthews (Penn State), Michael Goodchild (UCSB), Donald Janelle (UCSB). 12-13 December, 2011 Upham Hotel, Santa Barbara.
- 2009** Expanding the Boundaries of Place. National Cancer Institute Workshop. Organizers: David Takeuchi (Washington), Susan Kemp (Washington), Linda Burton (Duke) and Stephen Matthews (Penn State). Dates: 7-9 May 2009, University of Washington, Seattle, WA.
Three G's: Gene-environment interactions, GPS and GIS. (A NIEHS GEI and Exposure Biology Conference). Organizers: Jacqueline Kerr (UCSD, Stephen Matthews (Penn State), and Kevin Patrick (UCSD), Dates: February 20-22, 2009, San Diego, CA.

Organizing GIS/Spatial Analysis Workshops post 2005

The 5-day workshops (2008-2011) below were supported by the R25 Award from NICHD.
*Spatial Econometrics, State College, PA (June 19--June 24, 2011), *Multilevel Modeling, Santa Barbara, CA (July 10-July 15 2011), *Geographically Weighted Regression, Santa Barbara, CA (July 1-July 6, 2010), *Spatial Pattern Analysis, Santa Barbara, CA (July 13-July18, 2010), *Spatial and Multilevel Modeling, State College, PA (May 31-June 6, 2009), *Spatial Econometrics, Santa Barbara, CA (July 2009), *Geographically Weighted Regression, State College, PA (June 1-June 6, 2008), *Spatial Pattern Analysis, Santa Barbara, CA (July 13-July18, 2008), GIS for Population Scientists. State College, PA. (June 4- June 16, 2006), GIS for Population Scientists, Santa Barbara, CA (July 9- July 20, 2006)

Conference Presentations, Invited Talks, etc.

These are listed between pages 34-41 of the CV

SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY

The Pennsylvania State University

University

- 2020 - 2023 Mid-Career Faculty Advancement Program (MFAP), mentor
- 2019 - 2023 Perreault Fellows Program/Global Leadership & Internship Program, Liberal Arts representative
- 2017 - 2018 Enhancing Health Subcommittee (Working Group 2) “Enhancing Education and Student Engagement in the Area of Vulnerable Populations and Health Equity.”
- 2016 - 2018 Enhancing Health Steering Committee, Penn State University’s Strategic Plan
- 2004 Represented the University at Worldwide University Network-Data Grid and Social Science meetings (New York, Fall 2004)
- 2001 - 2004 Inaugural Chair of the University’s Geospatial Information Systems (GIS) Council
- 2001 - 2009 Member of the University’s GIS Council

Penn State’s Graduate School

- 2021-2022 Search Committee, Vice Provost for Graduate Education and Dean of the Graduate School, member
- 2020-2022 College of the Liberal Arts representative to the Graduate Council
Graduate Council – Committee on Academic Standards
2021 Ad hoc committee on Graduate Faculty Status
- 2016-2022 Annual Graduate Exhibition events, judge 2016, 2017, 2021, 2022
- 2015 Search Committee, Senior Associate Dean of the Graduate School, member

Social Science Research Institute

- 2019 - 2020 Representative on the Uber committee on the cross-university faculty hires for appointment with the Penn State Consortium to Combat Substance Abuse
- 2008 Social Network Research Group – member
- 2007 Visioning Group: Methods – member
- 2001 - 2010 Executive Committee (Service Core Directors) – member
- 2001 - 2009 Representative on the University’s Geospatial Information Systems (GIS) Council

Population Research Institute Committees

- 2015 - 2023 Computational and Spatial Analysis Core, Internal Advisory Board member
- 2015 - 2016 PRI Director, Search Committee
- 2009 - 2010 PRI Advisory Committee, member representing Anthropology
- 1994 - 2010; & 2013- PRI Executive Committees, member
- 1994 - 1997 Joint Committees of the Information and Computer Cores, co-chair

College of the Liberal Arts

- 2020 - 2023 Faculty Mentor in the Midcareer Faculty Advancement Program (MFAP)
- 2010 - 2011 Future Funded Faculty (F³) faculty mentor program, faculty mentor
- & 2013-2023

Department of Sociology

- 2021 – 2022 Annual De Jong Lecture in Social Demography Committee, Chair.
- 2018 - 2019 Recruitment Committee Chair – Applied Demography (Director)
- 2016 - 2017 Graduate Placement Committee, Chair
- 2015 - 2016 Faculty Director, MPS in Applied Demography Search Committee, Chair
- 2014 - 2018 World Campus Committee – chair (2014-2016), coordinator responsible for the development of a Professional Masters Program in Applied Demography (2014-2016, 2018)
- 2013 - 2015 Stratification Conference Organizing Committee – member
- 2012 - 2019 Graduate Committee – member
- 2010 - 2023 P&T Committee – member
- 2010 - 2013 Departmental Advisory Committee – member
- 2010 - 2011 Recruitment Committee – Demography search – member
- 2008 - 2011 Information Technology Committee – member
- 2008 - 2010 Under Represented Minority Committee – member
- 2006 - 2011 Quantitative Methods Committee – member
- 2006 - 2007 Recruitment Committee – Senior Demographer search – member
- 2005 - 2007 MOST Committee – member of the committee and chair of sub-committee on Web Issues

Department of Anthropology

- 2021-2022 P&T Committee member
- 2014-2019 P&T Committee member
- 2014-2015 Human Ecology Search Committee - member
- 2010-2011 Spatial Working Group
- 2008-2010 Representative to the PRI Advisory Board
- 2005-2008 Search Committee, GIS/spatial analyst search (each year) – member
- 2005-2007 Computer Committee – member (Chair 2006-2007)

Department of Geography

- 2019-2020 Search Committee, Addiction and Health position for SSRI/CCSA co-fund faculty line
- 2014-2015 Search Committee, Africa/Health/Environment position (co-hire, African Studies)
- Masters in GIS Programs*
- 2005-2023 Member of the advisory board to the Masters in GIS (MGIS) program at Penn State.

Department of Rural Sociology

- 2014 Search Committee, GIA Core Director and Assistant/Associate Prof of Rural Sociology

Center for Population Health and Aging

- 2008 CPHA Pilot Proposal Review
- 2007 CPHA Pilot Proposal Review Panel – Chair

Global Health Network

- 2014-2018 Faculty Implementation Committee (pilot projects, priorities & engagement)

Childhood Obesity Prevention Training Program (COPT), USDA

2015 Reviewer of seed funding/pilot grants.

Other Committees/Groups

2004-2007 Advisory Committee on Dr. Gary King (BBH) Pennsylvania State University Minority Health and Health Disparities International Research Training Program
 1999 Library Committee, Department of Geography
 1996 Glenda Laws Memorial Fund, Department of Geography - member
 1994-1999 ESRI Site License/Pattee Library and Campus GIS initiatives – member

Staff Management at Penn State

The following non-tenure track faculty/instructors have worked under me at the Department of Sociology & Criminology as part of the Graduate Programs in Applied Demography

Dr. Nicolas Sacco
 Dr. Alexis Santos

The following staff have worked under me at PRI/SSRI in the

Computer Core (1994-1997)

Lynne Ackerman, David Barr, Nancy Brock-Friedland, Joe Broniszewski, Lisa Broniszewski, Ron Crandall, Nikos George, Steve Herwald, Cynthia Mitchell, Jeanne Spicer, and Mike Zimmerman.

GIA Core (1996-2012)
*(Demography Graduate Student *)*

Yosef Bodovsky, Jim Detwiler, Tina Enderlein, Steve Graham, Brian McManus, Daniel Meehan, Michelle Zeiders ... as well as numerous graduate students assigned to the GIA Core: David Ader,* Prem Bhandari,* Melora Brock, Frances Burden, Christian Calienes, Jim Cameron, Mitsuko Chikasada, Terry Dockery, Rodrigo Salcedo Du Bois,* Matthew Funk, Karen Hayslett-McCall, Eric Jensen,* Shujie Li, Matthew Marlay,* Peter Mateyka, Tom Owour, Carla Shoff,* Sundar Shrestha,* Richard Simon, Jason Smith, Michael Stout, Nathan Walters, Craig Williams, Tse-Chuan Yang,* Jason Yarrington, and Xiaohua (Shohua) Yu.

Research Assistants (2000-2022)
*(Demography Graduate Student *)*

Beatrice Abiero,* Rachel Bacon,* Johanna Yngvason Bissat,* Nyesha Black,* Jack Byerly,* Megan Evans,* Alistair Geddes, Bina Gubhaju,* Maggie Houchen,* Ellis Logan,* Matthew Marlay,* Claudia Nau,* Daniel Parker,* Luis Sanchez,* Carla Shoff,* Richard Simon, Jenny Smith Mason, Laura Stiberman,* Winston Tripp, and Robby Zuchowski*

Service - University of Illinois at Chicago

2013-2015 Search Committee, Visiting Research Specialist-College of Nursing.

Service - University of California Los Angeles

Department Committees

1993-1994 Computer Committee - chair.
Faculty Search Committee (human geography search, 1992-93).
Graduate Affairs Committee.
1992-1994 NSF Instrumentation and Laboratory Improvement Committee.
1991-1992 Library and Instructional Development Committee.

Ad hoc Committees

1992-1994 UCLA AIDS Institute: affiliated faculty.
1992-1994 UCLA Consortium on Global Change: affiliated faculty.
1991-1994 Committee on GIS for the Lewis Center.
1991 Database/ GIS in the Los Angeles Basin Committee.

Service to the Community

State College Borough - Board of Health, committee member (1995 - 2002), including serving as chair (1998 -2002)
State College Area High School Marching Band, chaperone and equipment assistant (2014-2018)

Professional Affiliations

Active

International Union for the Scientific Study of Populations Chair, Scientific Panel on Spatial Demography (2014-2017) and Member (2018-present); Session Coordinator Spatial Demography sessions for the 2017 IUSSP Cape Town, South Africa meeting; Reviewer for the 2021 IUSSP meetings. Session Coordinator for the 2025 IUSSP Brisbane, Australia meetings.

Population Association of America Task-Force on Information Technology and Information Dissemination (1994-97); Session organizer (1996, 2010, 2017, 2021); GIS Workshop Organizer 1998-2003); PAA Program Organizing Committee (2012 San Francisco; 2014 Boston, MA; 2022 Atlanta, GA); *Demography* editorial board (2010-2016), Deputy Editor (2016), and Co-Editor (2016-2019); PAA Memorial Committee (2019-2021); and the Clifford Clogg Award Committee (2022-2023).

Intermittently Active

Association of American Geographers at various times during the 1990s-2000s I was a member of the following specialty groups: Health and Medical Geography, Geographic Perspectives on Women, Quantitative and Mathematical Models/Spatial Analysis and Models, Geographic Information Systems (GIScience and Systems), Population, Human Dimensions of Global Change, and Geographic Education.

American Anthropology Association

American Sociological Association

Royal Geographical Society and the Institute of British Geographers at various times mostly in 1980s-early 1990s I was a member of Quantitative Methods, Health and Health Care Geography, Geography and Women, Population Geography, and the Urban Geography Study Groups.

TEACHING & MENTORING

Teaching Interests

Substantive:

Health, Disease, Society
Social Demography
Urban/Spatial Inequality

Methodological

Geographic Information Systems
Spatial Analysis

Courses Taught

The Pennsylvania State University (1994 - 2023)

Graduate

Demography 590.1: Demography Colloquium (Professional Development Seminar, MA)
Demography 590.2: Demography Colloquium (Professional Development Seminar, PhD)

Sociology 579/Anthropology 579: Spatial Demography

Sociology 501: Pro-Seminar section on “Making a Space for Theory and Measurement in Neighborhood Research”

Multiple invited lectures to Dual-Title Demography Program on: GIS and Computer Cartography, Internet Resources, Computer Programming, Privacy and GIS, etc.

Multiple guest lectures in graduate seminars in the following eight departments/programs in Demography, Anthropology, Biobehavioral Health, Geography, Human Development and Family Studies, Nutrition, Rural Sociology, Sociology

Presenter in the Worldwide Universities Network seminar on *Horizons in Human Geography*

Masters (MPS) in Applied Demography

Fall 2014 -Spring 2016: Developed course outlines for four courses for both the Certificate and Professional Masters in Applied Demography; reviewed others.

Fall 2018-Spring 2019: Authored APDEM 802 Data, GIS and Applied Demography

Spring 2019: Authored APDEM 808 Capstone Project

Undergraduate

Sociology

Social Demography (SOC 423)

Developed the following three courses and formalized their introduction to Sociology programs
Population Health: The Geography of Life and Death (Sociology 211Z) – new General Education (GEN-ED) linked course for incoming Freshmen – launched Fall 2018.

Spatial Inequality (Sociology 497X, now Sociology 452)

Health, Disease, and Society/Medical Sociology (Sociology 497B/D, revised as Sociology 451)

Geography

Spatial Analysis I: Introduction to Quantitative Methods (taught in Geography)

Spatial Analysis II: Quantitative Geography (taught in Geography)

CAUSE Course: Health, Economy and Environment (with Dr. A. Glasmeier, Geography)

Others

Several guest lectures in lower division Geography courses and in Demographic techniques courses.

Miscellaneous

I regularly review course proposals through Penn State's Curriculum Review and Consultation System (12+ reviews per annum – 2014-2023).

Undergraduate Advising

Faculty Advisor to "Tippy Taps for Africa" Student Organization, Penn State (2009 – 2012).
Resulting in:

Zhang C, Mosa A, Matthews SA. "A low-cost strategy for improving child health in rural Uganda: A Tippy-tap based school intervention." Undergraduate Research Exhibition Award Winner, Office of Undergraduate Education. Poster Award – First Prize for Public Scholarship (April 13, 2011).

Zhang C, Mosa A, Matthews SA. "A low-cost strategy for improving child health in rural Uganda: A Tippy-tap based school intervention." Presentation to the *Pennsylvania's Undergraduate Research* at the Capitol, Harrisburg, PA (October 18, 2011).

Zhang C, Mosa A, Matthews SA. "What is a Tippy-Tap? Promoting hand hygiene among Uganda's school children." *Penn State – Research Unplugged Lecture Series*. State College, PA (October 26, 2011).

Zhang C, Mosa A, Matthews SA. "A low-cost strategy for improving child health in rural Uganda: A Tippy-Tap based school intervention." Student Leaders in Global Health, *Global Health and Innovation Conference*, New Haven, CT (April 26, 2012).

Ce Zhang (Honors Thesis, Biology with honors in Civic and Community Engagement) – Promoting clean hands among Uganda's children: A tippy-tap based school intervention. Served as Schreyer Honors College Thesis Supervisor (graduation, Spring 2012).

Ce Zhang won the Eric A. Walker Award for his Tippy-Tap work/thesis – Spring 2012

Ce Zhang was one of three finalists for the Schreyers Honors Thesis Prize.

Ce Zhang and Adam Mosa's project was highlighted in Dr. Erickson's Presidential address to the Penn State Board of Trustees during their meeting May 4, 2012.

<http://live.psu.edu/story/59600>

Schreyer Honors Thesis Advisor: Academic year, student name, major, and thesis title

2011-2012 Ce Zhang (Biology)

Promoting clean hands among Uganda's children: A tippy-tap based school intervention.

2012-2013 Alyssa Szymanski (Anthropology)

Exploring the origins of adoption in human evolution: A literature review.

2013-2015 Jacqueline Elizabeth Rao (Sociology)

The representation of food eating habits in popular children's TV shows

- 2014-2015 Katherine Busalacchi (Anthropology) Opportunities for Collaboration with Traditional Healers in HIV Prevention and Education Programs in South Africa, Best Honors Thesis in the Social Sciences, 2015 Paterno Fellows Honors Thesis.
- 2015-2016 Oluwatobi (Tobi) Otulana (Sociology/Geography) Spatial inequality in infant mortality in Nigeria.

Courses Taught

University of California Los Angeles (UCLA) (Assistant Professor, 1989-1994)

Graduate Seminars

Medical Geography - Feminist Medical Geography
Geographical Information Systems

Undergraduate

Medical Geography
Health and Global Environment
Geography of Health Care
Social Problems in Human Geography
Cartography
Computer Cartography
Geographical Information & Spatial Analysis
Quantitative Methods

University of Wales, College of Cardiff (Graduate TA/Lecturer, 1986-1989)

Undergraduate

Economics Seminar (Lecturer)
Computers in Planning (TA)
Quantitative Methods (TA)

GRADUATE STUDENTS

Graduate Student Supervision (* = Demography Student)

Current (4)

Chair or Co-Chair+ (0)

Committee Member (4)

- 1 Ph.D. student, Anthropology (Joon Hwang)
- 1 MA/Ph.D. students, Geography (Caitlin Flanagan*)
- 1 Ph.D. students, Health Policy & Administration (Nigel James*)
- 1 Ph.D. student, Sociology (Cheyenne Lonobile*)

Past Graduate Students (at Penn State) – (95 at benchmark examinations, incl. MPS)

Past – Chair or Co-chair+ 19 in total – PhD (11) and Masters (8)

- 9 Ph.D. students, Sociology (Rachel Bacon*, Nyasha Black*, Jack Byerly*, Megan Evans*, Bina Gubhaju*, Ellis Logan*, Claudia Nau*, Aliza Richman*+)
- 1 Ph.D. student, Anthropology (Johanna Gisladdottir Bissat*+)
- 1 Ph.D. student, Human Development and Family Studies (Peter Kim*+)
- 7 M.A. students, Sociology (Nyasha Black*, Rachel Bacon*+, Megan Evans*, Ellis Logan*+, Luis Sanchez*+, Laura Stiberman*, Robby Zuckowski*)
- 1 M.A. student, Geography (Netra Chhetri*+)

Past – Committee Member – 54 in total – PhD (45) – Masters (10)

- 4 Ph.D. student, Agricultural, Environmental and Regional Economics (Danhong Chen*, Minghao Li, Xuetao Huang*, Deshamithra Jayasekera*)
- 7 Ph.D. students, Anthropology (Gina Buckley*, Emily Kate*, Julia Jennings*, Saige Kelmelis*, Daniel Parker*, Andres Mejia-Ramon, Anna Tremblay*)
- 1 Ph.D. student, Architecture (Irem Oz)
- 1 Ph.D. student, Biobehavioral Health (Marina Armendariz*)
- 1 Ph.D. student, Crime, Law and Justice (Karen Hayslett-McCall)
- 1 Ph.D. student, Criminology (Andrew [Drew] Ritchey)
- 1 Ph.D. student, College of Communications (Ryan Wang)
- 7 Ph.D. students, Geography, (Kurt Fuellhart, Beth Zeleny*, Amy Griffin, Jennifer Adams, Jennifer Smith, Audrey Lumley-Sapanski, Travis Young*)
- 4 Ph.D. students, Health Policy Analysis (Mark Milliron, Aaron Yao*, Reni Elewonibi*, Hannah Ahn*)
- 1 Ph.D. student, Kinesiology (Dangaia Sims)
- 1 Ph.D. student, Political Science (Kanisha Bond)
- 9 Ph.D. students, Rural Sociology (Katrina Alford*, Prem Bhandari*, Jaclyn Butler*, Alisha Coleman*, Carla Shoff*, David Ader*, Yetkin Borlu, Danielle Rhubart*, Jennifer Steele, Jacklyn Butler*)
- 7 Ph.D. students, Sociology (Glynis Daniels*, James Cameron*, Matthew Marlay*, Michael Martin*, Peter Mateyka*, Michele Steinmetz*, Matthew Schroeder*)
- 1 M.A. student, Agricultural Economics (Mario Picon*)
- 3 M.A. students, Geography (Jason Allard, Jen Gober, Daniel Haug)
- 1 M.A. student, Landscape Architecture (Amruta Sakalker)
- 5 M.A. students, Sociology (Stacy Woodruff, Lauren Hughes*, Christopher Prather*, Sarah Miller*, Jisu Park*)

Also served temporarily on 14 PhD and MA committees at PSU – including

In Anthropology:	Jennifer Kirker, Nicole Goodwine, Ania Swiatoniowski
In Geography:	David Rain*, Dai Cui, Larry Wood, Tanuka Bhowmick, Nathan Frey*, John Lee
In Health Policy Administration	Beatrice Abiero*
In Rural Sociology:	Erin Condo
In Sociology/CLJ:	Frances Burden (CLJ), Chris Calienes, Jason Smith*

Past – MPS Capstone Mentor – MGIS and APDEM (22)

17 Masters in GIS (MGIS) – Capstone Mentor:

Brett Beardsley, Aimee Belanger-Haas, Critt Dustin Coburn, Greg Cook, Jordan Douthitt, Amanda Dulin, Holly Golightly, Matt Hansen, Samuel Jehle, Mandy Klein, Raul Llamas, Rob Lyerla, Lucas Murray, Madison Russell, Kyle Sowder, Bridget Burgos Tabora, Tony Van der Wielen

5 MPS Capstone in Applied Demography – Capstone Mentor:

Maha Ali Alamri, Vladimir Branisteanu, Michael Johnson, Chip Lewis, William Murray

External Ph.D. Committee member/examiner/opponent (6)

Nisaporn Wattanasupt, Demography, Institute for Population and Social Research, Mahidol University, Thailand (2007)

Lisette Aliaga-Linares, Sociology, University of Texas at Austin (2008-2012)

Suzanne Mavoa, Public Health, Massey University, New Zealand (2015)

Kelly K. Jones, College of Nursing, University of Illinois at Chicago (2017-2018)

Kamyar Hasanzadeh, Department of Built Environment, Aalto University, Finland (2019)

Brittany Barber, Faculty of Health, Dalhousie University, Canada (2022)

External MSc Committee member/examiner (2)

Takadzani Rambuda, Environmental and Geographical Sciences, University of Cape Town, RSA (May, 2009)

A. Weimann, Environmental and Geographical Sciences & School of Public Health and Family Medicine, University of Cape Town, RSA (June, 2016)

Pre-Penn State: At UCLA (1989-1994)

Chair (only while at UCLA) 1 Ph.D. student, Geography (Elizabeth Chacko).

I also served (some temporarily) on several PhD and MA committees in geography (including Daniel Block, Tom Clary, Janet Fleming, Judie Mitchell, Alan Paul, Michael Starr) and four non-geography committees (including Mark Allen, Renaldo Choffe).

**CONFERENCES & WORKSHOPS
(post-January 1, 2006)**

Invited Presentations

- The temporality of people's lives and the places they live; Measuring exposure, access and use of places in demographic and health research. Aalto University, Finland, May 29, 2019
- Spatial Demography: Current state and future directions. Web presentation to the National Institute of Population Research, Population Association of Iran, Department of Demography, University of Tehran. Nov 14, 2018.
- "Contexts as Grids": Conceptual and methodological challenges and the opportunities presented by using gridded data in demographic and health research. Institute of Statistics and Cartography of Andalusia, Sevilla, Spain, May 22, 2018.
- Spatial Demography: Progress and Prospect. Postgraduate Training Program on Demography, Statistics and Health (Lecture Series "Demography Today" the Spanish National Research Council, Madrid, Spain). May 21, 2018. (Talk available at <http://www.demografia.tv/>).
- Place and the Goldilocks Principle: Theory, Measurement and the relevance of Place(s) in Population and Health. Spatial Sciences Institute, USC Dana and David Dornsife, University of Southern California. February 22, 2018
- "There's a lot more to places than people think": Understanding the geographies that shape our lives. *Keynote address*. Geospatial Summit, University of Southern California, February 23, 2018.
- Demographic processes and global health. Conversations in Global Health Speaker Series, Penn State, February 11, 2016.
- Concluding comments. Spatial Analysis in Historical Demography: Micro and Macro approaches IUSSP Scientific Panel on Historical Demography) Université du Québec à Chicoutimi, Quebec City, Canada, September 18, 2015.
- Explorations in identifying contextual units relevant to life as lived: space, place, and mobility. Minnesota Population Center, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN. November 24, 2014.
- Identifying contextual units relevant to life as lived: Space, place, mobility, and journeys to food. Presentation to Nutrition and Obesity Policy Research & Evaluation, Rural Food Access Working Group (<http://www.hsph.harvard.edu/nopren/rural-food-access-working-group/>), August 19, 2014.
- Space, Place, Mobility, and Health Environments. PAA-sponsored U.S. Government Accountability Office (GAO) briefing, GAO Offices, Washington D.C., June 24, 2014.
- SPACES and Health. Department of Geography, University of Washington, Seattle, WA. Jan. 10, 2014
- How many contexts are relevant? Moving from monadic to polyadic perspectives to study people in place and time. Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology, University of Washington, Seattle, WA. January 10, 2014.
- The salience of place in the study of health and demographic outcomes. Department of Geography, Penn State, November 22, 2013
- "Space, place & health: Methods and musings on the challenges of studying the connections between people and places." Invited seminar CUNY Institute for Demographic Research (CIDR), Baruch College, City University of New York, New York, November 30, 2012.
- "SPACES" Invited seminar for the Mentoring Researchers in Latino Health Disparities (Project Pride), The Institute for Behavioral and Community Health (IBACH), San Diego State University (sponsored by Center for Wireless and Population Health Systems (CWPHS), CALIT2, UC San Diego), San Diego, CA. July 16, 2012.
- "Spatial Polygamy And Contextual Exposures (SPACES): Thinking about obesogenic environments and geographies of exposure." Obesity Research Task Force. Division of Cancer Control and Population Sciences National Cancer Institute, Bethesda, MD, April 17, 2012.
- "Spatial Polygamy And Contextual Exposures (SPACES)" Keynote address at "Extending Spaces, Community Places: An Interdisciplinary Dialogue" English Graduate Organization Colloquium, West Virginia University, March 10, 2012.
- What's a Tippy Tap? Promoting HandHygiene Among Uganda's School children Ce Zhang, Adam Mosa, and Stephen Matthews. Research Unplugged @ Penn State. October 26, 2011.
- Invited Discussant on Barbara Entwisle's presentation "Innovation in the Measurement of Place: Systematic Social Observation in a Rural Setting" DeJong Lecture in Social Demography, Penn State University, University Park, PA, October 24, 2011.

- (Mis)measuring Place in Obesity Research. Plenary Speaker at the Illinois Transdisciplinary Obesity Prevention Program (I-TOPP), Family Resiliency Center, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, October 6-7, 2011.
- Spatial Analysis in Health Research. Special presentation to the National Geospatial Intelligence Agency on Human Geography at the Penn State University, University Park, PA, June 29, 2011.
- Promoting Geospatial Data & Spatial Analysis in Population and Health Research. Special session on Spatial Methods for Improving Public health organized by NIDA & NICHD at the Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, April 16, 2011.
- Defining and Measuring Egocentric Neighborhoods: Examples from Quantitative and Qualitative Research Projects. The Dynamics of Space-Time Use: Measurement, Patterns and Consequences Conference, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH. October 2-3 2009.
- Spatial Analysis Mini-Methods Workshop, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, May 6, 2009.
- Extending the Boundaries of Place: The Connections Between Families and Residential Neighborhoods in Diverse Contexts (FRDC Faculty Tea) The Center for Family Research in Diverse Contexts, The Pennsylvania State University, April 17, 2009.
- Validating secondary data in studies of the neighborhood food environment. (with Steve Cummins and Brian Saelens) at NCI's conference on Measures of the Food and Built Environments: Enhancing Research Relevant Policy on Diet, Physical Activity, and Weight. Bethesda, MD. November 2, 2007. (presented with Steve Cummins).
- GIS-related priorities for enhancing research relevant to policy on diet, physical activity, and weight (with Anne Vernez Moudon). Presentation at NCI's conference on Measures of the Food and Built Environments: Enhancing Research Relevant Policy on Diet, Physical Activity, and Weight. Bethesda, MD. November 2, 2007.
- Measuring Neighborhoods: Challenges and Opportunities for Social Science Researchers. Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology, University of Washington. October 26, 2007.
- Local and Global Measures of Spatial Household Income Segregation (with Reardon, S.F., Firebaugh, G., and O'Sullivan, D). International Symposium on Hedonic Methods in Real Estate, Geneva, Switzerland, June 29-30, 2007. (presented by Sean Reardon).
- Local and Global Measures of Spatial Household Income Segregation (with Reardon, S.F., Firebaugh, G., and O'Sullivan, D). New Frontiers in the Field of Segregation Measurement and Analysis Conference, Monte Verita, Switzerland, July 1-5, 2007. (presented by Sean Reardon).
- The Geographical Scale of Metropolitan Racial Segregation (with Reardon, S.F., O'Sullivan, D., Lee, B.A., Firebaugh, G., and Farrell, C.R.). New Frontiers in the Field of Segregation Measurement and Analysis Conference, Monte Verita, Switzerland, July 1-5, 2007. (presented by Sean Reardon).
- Making the most of geographic information in family research. Family Research Consortium IV Summer Institute, Duke University, Durham, NC. June 21-23, 2007.
- Measuring Communities. Symposium on the Science of Communities: Perspectives on Measurement, Context and Recruitment in Disenfranchised Populations. The Center for Human Development & Family Research in Diverse Contexts, The Pennsylvania State University April 16, 2007.
- Beyond the Census Tract: Patterns and Determinants of Racial Residential Segregation at Multiple Scales. (with Barrett A. Lee [presenter], Sean F. Reardon, Glenn Firebaugh, Chad R. Farrell, Stephen A. Matthews, and David O'Sullivan. PRI Brown Bag, The Pennsylvania State University November 29, 2007.

Papers at Conferences/Meetings

(* = virtual)

- * Inside out: An investigation of shared space and place among Latinx caregiver-adolescent dyads (with Bámaca-Colbert (presenter), M. B., Kim, P. S. Y., Witherspoon, D. P.). Society for the Study of Human Development 2021-2022 Conference Series: Macrosystem Challenges to Lifespan Human Development: Advancing Conceptualization, Methodologies, and Strategic Responses—Community Macrosystems. (Feb, 2022).
- Cyber Aggression on Social Media: A Quasi-Experimental Study of Policy on Sexist and Racist Messages (with Rodis P, Felmlee D, DellaPosta D) American Sociological Association, August 10-13, 2019, NYC.
- Cyberbullying on Twitter: The role of gender, race, and policy in negative messaging (with Rodis P, Felmlee D, DellaPosta D). Population Association of America, April, 2019. Austin, TX.
- Assessing U.S. county-level mental health outcomes: A spatial analysis of quality of life (poster with Armendariz, M). Population Association of America, April, 2019. Austin, TX.

- Communal innovations: Inspiring neighborhoods of hope and advocacy. (with Smith RA, Kim Y, Sternberg E, Doudou DT, & Thomas M). Paper presented at the meeting of the International Communication Association, Washington, DC.
- The scale and spatial patterning of racial/ethnic segregation based on both home and workplace environments: The case of the Atlanta MSA (with Zuckowski R). International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP), October 31, 2017. Cape Town, South Africa.
- Do people living in more walkable communities lose more weight? Results from a nationwide weight management program (with Zenk SN, Tarlov E, Slater S, Jones K, & Cao L.). American Public Health Association, October, 2017. Atlanta, GA.
- The treadmill of industrial farming: High-yield maize production in Turkey as a commodity system (with Borlu Y) ASA Sociology of Development Sixth Annual Conference (Disparities in Development; Global, Regional and Local), October 5-7, 2017, Wayne State, Detroit, MI.
- The effect of neighborhood walkability on BMI, a retrospective longitudinal study of 1.7 million military veterans (with Tarlov E, Zenk SN, Powell LM, Slater S, Wing C, Tong H, & Xiang A.) Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Diego, CA (Poster)
- Replication and data sharing in Demography: new practices and scientific norms from the perspective of a journal editor. Population Association of America, April, 2017. Chicago, IL.
- The legacy of slavery and contemporary declines in heart disease (with Kramer MR, Black NC, and James SA). Population Association of America, April 2017. Chicago, IL.
- New methods for describing and measuring spatial-temporal exposure to multiple places: Developments from the Activity Space and Contextual Measures of Environmental Exposures Study (with Zenk SN, Li Z, Xiang A, Castellon-Kraft A, & McKinnon K.). Conference on Geospatial Approaches to Cancer Control & Population Sciences, Bethesda, MD. Sept. 13, 2016.
- Spatio-temporal survival analysis on prostate cancer in Pennsylvania (with Ming Wang (presenter), Li Z, and Vernon Chinchilli). Conference on Geospatial Approaches to Cancer Control and Population Sciences, Bethesda, MD. Sept. 13, 2016.
- Facilitating analysis of censored geospatial data: A primer on restricted data using the Kullback-Leibler divergence approach (with Tse-chuan Yang (presenter) and Daniel Kifer). Conference on Geospatial Approaches to Cancer Control and Population Sciences, Bethesda, MD. Sept. 13, 2016.
- Days and timepoints of GPS tracking needed to capture usual activity spaces for cancer prevention and control research: Results from the Activity Space and Contextual Measures of Environmental Exposures (ASCMEE) Study. (poster with Zenk SN, Li Z, Castellon-Kraft A, Wyrwa A, Nunez J, & Xiang A. (Accepted). Conference on Geospatial Approaches to Cancer Control and Population Sciences, Bethesda, MD. Sept. 12, 2016
- Modeling Spatial Inequality in Tehran Using Geographic Information Systems (with Hamidreza Rabiei-Dastjerdi, presenter). Surveying Iran: The Future of Social Research after the Nuclear Thaw, Budapest, Hungary, September 1-2, 2016. Awarded travel grant of \$800.
- Inferring censored geo-information with non-response data. (with Zhang Y (presenter), Yang TC, Kifer D) 12th International Conference on Machine Learning and Data Mining. New York, 16-21 July 2016.
- Multiple imputations of subregions with censored location data: A Kullback-Leibler divergence approach (with TC Yang (presenter) and Daniel Kifer). International Conference on Computational Social Science (IC2S2), Chicago, IL. June 23-26, 2016.
- Fast food restaurant accessibility and BMI in a nationwide, metropolitan sample^[1] of over 2.5 million U.S. adults (with Shannon Zenk (presenter), Elizabeth Tarlov, Lisa M. Powell, Coady Wing, Kelly Jones, & Hao Tong). The International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Cape Town, RSA, June 9, 2016.
- Latino Caregivers and Adolescents Activity Spaces: Going Beyond the Residential Neighborhood to Understand Place Effects (with Dawn Witherspoon (presenter), Mayra Bamaca-Colbert, Peter Kim, Sakshi Bhargava). Society for Research on Adolescence Biannual Meeting. Baltimore, MD, April 1, 2016.
- The contribution of places to metropolitan ethnoracial diversity: Decomposing change across space and over time (with Christopher S. Fowler (presenter) and Barrett Lee). Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Washington DC, April 2016.
- Best practices and ethical considerations for social-spatial data use on the social determinants of health (with Danielle Henry (presenter), Michael Kramer, Adora Adimora, Hannah Cooper, Regine Haardoefer, and Gina Wingood). American Public Health Association. Chicago, IL, Nov 2, 2015. **Awarded Second Place in the Student Ethics Poster Competition.**
- GPS-derived fast-food restaurant exposure and dietary choice in African American women (with Kelly Jones (presenter), Shannon Zenk and Ana Clara Duran). American Public Health Association. Chicago, IL, Nov 2, 2015.

- A nationwide, longitudinal study of food store accessibility and adult BMI (with Shannon Zenk (presenter), Elizabeth Tarlov, Lisa Powell, Coady Wing, Kelly Jones, Ana Clara Duran, and Brian Bartle) American Public Health Association. Chicago, IL, Nov 3, 2015.
- Quantifying spatial polygamy among low-income housing residents in NYC: A GPS study (with Dustin Duncan (presenter), Sean Regan, Basile Chaix, William Goedel, Kenneth Pass, Maliyhan Al-Bayan, Brittany Gozlan, James Williams, Shilpa Dutta, Abebayehu Yilma, and Brian Elbel) American Public Health Association. Chicago, IL, Nov 3, 2015.
- Developing a multidisciplinary network of established and emerging scholars on migration, urbanisation, and health in Southern Africa (with Tolu Oni (presenter) Pan University Network for Global Health University of Cape Town, Cape Town, South Africa, Oct 12, 2015.
- Longitudinal study of supermarket accessibility and BMI in a nationwide sample of over 3.1 million U.S. adults (with Zenk SN, Tarlov E, Powell L, Wing C, & Jones K). International Society of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Edinburgh, Scotland (Oral)
- Enhancements to a geographically weighted quantile-based analysis of the context of applications to ecological data. (with Vivien Chen (presenter), Tse-chuan Yang). Asian Conference on Civil, Material and Environmental Sciences (ACCMES), Osaka, Japan, Aug 25-27, 2015.
- The Spatial Diffusion of Racial and Ethnic Diversity across U.S. Counties (with Michael JR Martin and Barrett A. Lee) Paper at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, May 2015.
- Income inequality and mortality in US counties, 1990-2010: A dynamic spatial panel analysis (with Tse-Chuan Yang and Kiwoong Park). Poster at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, May 2015. **PAA Poster Award Winner.**
- Development of a smartphone app to promote active travel to a large university campus (with Melissa Bopp, Dangaia Sims, JC Coglán, Liza Rovnik, and Erica Poole). Poster at the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Antonio, TX, April 22-25, 2015.
- Relative contributions of residential neighborhood and activity space recreational open space to physical activity in African American women. Poster (with Kelly Jones (presenter) and Shannon Zenk). American Public Health Association. New Orleans, LA. November, 2014. Honorable mention in poster competition.
- To switch or not to switch? Examining the complexity of store choice when a new supermarket opens. (with Steven Cummins, Ellis Logan [presenter], and Beatrice Abiero). American Public Health Association. New Orleans, LA. November, 2014.
- Incorporating Spatial and Network Perspectives in the Study of Urban Poverty and Neighborhood Effects on Crime (with Corina Graif [presenter] and Andrew S. Gladfelter). American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA, August, 2014.
- Engineering Online and In-Person Social Networks for Physical Activity: Results of a Randomized Controlled Trial (with Liza Rovniak [presenter], Ding Ding, Christopher Sciamanna, James Sallis, Jennifer Kraschewski, Chester Ray, Melbourne Hovell). International Society of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA, May 2014.
- Death by segregation: Does the dimension of racial segregation matter? (with Tse-Chuan Yang and Hui-Shien Tsao). Population Association of American Annual Meetings, Boston, MA, May 2014.
- Predictors of care for early-stage breast cancer in Appalachia (with Gretchen Kimmick and others). Poster at the 2013 Annual Meeting of the American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO), June 3, 2013, Chicago, IL.
- Child Neglect & Neighborhood Exposure: A Call for Innovation in Methods to Study Neighborhood Influence on Parenting (with Sandra T. Azar, and Michael T. Stevenson) Poster at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, April, 2013, Seattle, WA.
- Patterns of time spent and physical activity inside and outside the neighborhood in urban adults (with Jeffrey L Bevan, Shannon N Zenk, Stephen A Matthews, Amy J Schulz, Louis Fogg, & Carmen Stokes). Poster at the 37th Midwest Nursing Research Society, March 10, 2013, Chicago, IL. USA.
- A spatio-temporal analysis of *Plasmodium Falciparum* and *P. Vivax* infections and treatment seeking behavior in Tha Song Yang District, Tak Province, Thailand: 2008-2011. (with Daniel Parker, Wanna Srisatjarak, Rujira Lerdprom, Guiyun Yan, Jetsumon Prachumsri, Liwang Cui, Jeeraphat Sirichaisinthop). Poster at the 61st Annual Meeting of the American Society of Tropical Medicine & Hygiene, Nov. 13, 2012, Atlanta, GA. USA
- Do supermarket interventions improve food access, fruit and vegetable intake and BMI? Evaluation of the Philadelphia Fresh Food Financing Initiative (with Ellen Flint, Steven Cummins). Presented by Ellen Flint at the Society for Social Medicine, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine, UK, Sept. 14, 2012.
- Exploring heterogeneities in health outcomes and space: Integrating quantile and geographically weighted regression (with TC Yang, V Y-J Chen). Presented at the Population Association of American Annual Meetings, San Francisco, CA, May 2012.

- Breast cancer treatment resources and guideline-concordant radiation therapy after breast conservation surgery in Appalachia: A geospatial perspective (with Nengliang Yao, Marianne Hillemeier, Roger Anderson). Poster presented at 2011 American Society of Clinical Oncology: Breast Cancer Symposium, San Francisco, CA; September 2011.
- An exploratory approach to modeling nonstationarity for spatial quantile-based data analysis (with V Y-J Chen [presenter], W-S Deng and TC Yang). The 62nd Annual Meeting of the New Zealand Statistical Association, Auckland, New Zealand. August, 2011.
- Using geoethnography to explore the relationship between people and place: A study of low-income families in small town and rural areas (with Carla Shoff). Presented at the 74th Annual Meeting of the Rural Sociological Society, Boise, ID, July 30, 2011.
- The impact of alcohol outlet density on the clustering of underage drinking behaviors within neighborhoods (with Beth A. Reboussin [presenter], Eun-Young Song, Mark Wolfson). Poster presented at The Society for Prevention Research June Denver, CO.
- Exploring the spatially varying effects of neighborhood trust and health care system distrust on self-rated health among the elderly: a geographically weighted regression approach (with Tse-chuan Yang [presenter]). GIS in the Humanities and Social Sciences International Conference. Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan October 7-9, 2009.
- Dissolution of extended-family households in Northern Orkney, Scotland, 1851-1901 (with Julia Jennings [presenter], Tim Murtha, Jim Wood, Pat Johnson, Corey Sparks) Presentation at the XXVI International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP), Marrakech, Morocco Sept 27-Oct 2, 2009.
- The spatial dimensions of population growth and decline; using GIS and remote sensing to understand landscape and demographic history in Orkney, Scotland (with Tim Murtha [presenter], Jim Wood, Pat Johnson) Presentation at the XXVI International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP), Marrakech, Morocco Sept 27-Oct 2, 2009.
- Exploring the determinants of stress: an examination using spatial and multilevel analysis in Philadelphia (with Tse-chuan Yang [presenter]) Paper at the Population Association of America Annual Meetings May 1 2009, Detroit, MI.
- Dissolution of extended-family households in Northern Orkney, Scotland, 1851-1901 (with Julia Jennings [presenter], Corey Sparks, Jim Wood, Pat Johnson and Tim Murtha) Paper at the Population Association of America Annual Meetings May 1 2009, Detroit, MI.
- Spatio-temporal dimensions of population history, settlement patterns, and landscape archaeology in Orkney (1750-2000) (with Tim Murtha [presenter], Jim Wood, Pat Johnson). Presentation at the Computer Applications and Quantitative Methods in Archeology, Williamsburg, VA, March 22-26, 2009.
- Geospatial measurement and analysis of physical activity: Physical Activity Location Measurement System (PALMS) (with Kevin Patrick [presenter], Jacqueline Kerr, Greg Norman, Jim Sallis, I Kruger, W Griswold, B Demchak, S Dietrich, Fred Raab, Dane Lotspeich, J Wolf, B Ainsworth). International Society for Environmental Epidemiology Annual Conference, Pasadena, CA, October 12-16, 2008. Abstract. *Epidemiology*: 19(6), S63 online at http://journals.lww.com/epidem/Fulltext/2008/11001/Geospatial_Measurement_Analysis_Of_Physical_186.aspx
- Historical demography, oral history, settlement archaeology, and landscape ecology: The North Orkney Population History project (with Tim Murtha [presenter], Pat Johnson, Jim Wood, Julia Jennings) Presentation at the European Population Conference, Barcelona, Spain, July 9-12, 2008.
- Innovation in Measuring Access and Utilization of Community Assets in Health Research (with Lori Francis [presenter]). Presentation at the International Conference on Community Psychology, Lisbon, Portugal, June 4-6, 2008.
- Spatial and multilevel models of neighborhood food environments, diet and obesity in Philadelphia, USA, 2006 (with Steve Cummins, T-CYang, Richard M. Simon). Poster at the International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Banff, Canada, May 21-24, 2008.
- From Census Tracts to Local Environments: An Egocentric Approach to Neighborhood Change (with Barrett Lee [presenter], Sean Reardon, Chad Farrell, Glenn Firebaugh) Urban Affairs Association, Baltimore, MD, April, 2008.
- Neighborhood Food Environment, Diet and Health Quasi Experimental Study (co-presented with Steven Cummins). Presentation to the National Institute of Environmental Health Science 2nd Obesity and Built Environment Meeting, Durham, NC September 5-6, 2007.
- Ground truths? Validating secondary data in studies of the neighborhood food environment. (co-presented with Steven Cummins and Brian Saelens). Presentation to the National Institute of Environmental Health Science 2nd Obesity and Built Environment Meeting, Durham, NC September 5-6, 2007.

- Neighborhood food environments, diet and obesity in Philadelphia: The FFFI Study (with Steven C.J. Cummins [presenter], Johanna Bissat, and Brian McManus). Symposium paper to be presented at the 6th Annual Meeting of The International Society For Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, June 20-23, 2007 in Oslo, Norway.
- Influence of perceived rewards for pro-social involvement in school on lifetime smoking among students in Cape Town, South Africa (poster with Tamika Gilreath, Basile Chaix, Gary King, and Alan Flisher). Society for Prevention Research, May 30-June 1, 2007.
- Methods for Studying the Geographical Scale of Metropolitan Racial Segregation (with Firebaugh G. [presenter], S.F. Reardon, B. A. Lee, K. Bischoff, C.R. Farrell, and D. O'Sullivan). Paper presented at the meeting of the International Sociological Association Research Committee on Stratification, Brno, Czech Republic. May 25, 2007.
- Patterns and trends in the spatial scale and magnitude of racial residential segregation, 1980-2000 (with Sean Reardon [presenter], Barrett Lee, Chad Farrell, David O'Sullivan, Glenn Firebaugh, and Kendra Bischoff). Paper at the Population Association of America Annual Meetings March 2007, New York, NY.
- Spatiotemporal dynamics of population change in the Northern Islands of Orkney, Scotland, c. AD 1750-2000 (with Wood J [presenter], Johnson P, Murtha T, and Sparks C). 2006. Poster NSF Human Social Dynamics Awardee Meeting Washington D.C., September 14-15, 2006.
- Neighborhood food environment, diet and health: A quasi experimental study (with Steven Cummins). Presentation to the National Institute of Environmental Health Science Obesity and Built Environment Meeting, Durham, NC August 28, 2006.
- A new approach to measuring socio-spatial economic segregation (with Sean F. Reardon [presenter], Glenn Firebaugh, and David O'Sullivan). Paper at the 29th General Conference of the International Association for Research in Income and Wealth. Joensuu, Finland, August 20 – 26, 2006.
- Segregation and scale: the use and interpretation of spatial segregation profiles for investigating the causes, patterns, and consequences of residential segregation (with Sean F. Reardon [presenter], David O'Sullivan, Barrett A. Lee, Glenn Firebaugh, and Chad R. Farrell). Paper at the Population Association of America Annual Meetings March 2006, Los Angeles, CA.
- Patterns and correlates of racial residential segregation: a spatially refined approach (with Barrett A. Lee, Glenn Firebaugh, Chad R. Farrell, Sean F. Reardon [presenter], and David O'Sullivan) Paper at the Population Association of America Annual Meetings March 2006, Los Angeles, CA.
- Visualizing Orkney: Landscape archaeology and demography of the Northern Isles (with Tim Murtha [presenter], James Wood, Patricia Johnson, and Corey Sparks). Paper at the Computer Applications in Archaeology Fargo, ND.
- Spatial inequality in Chile: Stasis and change (with Leif I. Jensen [presenter] and Tse-chuan Yang). Paper at the Population Association of America Annual Meetings March 2006, Los Angeles, CA.

Workshop Participation

- GIS and Spatial Modeling, 108th American Sociological Association (ASA) Annual Meeting, New York City, August 10-13, 2013. Coordinated by Kyle Crowder (U. of Washington).

Other Conference Participation

- Organizer, Sessions on “Spatial Demography” at Population Association of America, Washington D.C. 2020 (with Monica Alexander).
- Session moderator, Rural Families and Communities, National Family Symposium, Penn State, October 22-23, 2018.
- Organizer, Paper and poster sessions on “Spatial Demography” IUSSP, Cape Town, South Africa. October 2017.
- Organiser, Sessions on “Advances in Mathematical, Spatial, and Small-Area Demography” and Innovative Methods and Data in Segregation Research Population Association of America Chicago, IL. April 2017.
- Discussant, “Innovations in Data, Methods, and Measurement” Population Association of America, San Francisco, CA. May 2012.
- Discussant, “Frontiers in Spatial Demography and Population Geography” Association of American Geographers Annual Meeting, New York, 2012.
- Discussant, “Best Practices and New Directions in Neighborhood Research” Columbia Population Research Center and Robert Wood Johnson Health and Society Scholars Program, Columbia University, NY, October 8, 2010
- Organizer of a session on “Statistical, Spatial, and Network Methods” Population Association of America Dallas, TX. 2010

Organized of a session on “Innovations in Data and Measurement in Spatial and Network Analysis” Population Association of America, Dallas, TX. 2010

Discussant of a special session honoring the contributions to spatial demography by Paul Voss (Wisconsin) Population Association of America Los Angeles, CA. 2006.

Summary of Conferences and Workshops 1986-2005

Papers/Posters at Conferences & Meetings:

- 2005** Spatial Differentiation and Governance in the Americas (Austin, TX).
- 2004** National Council on Family Relations (Orlando, FL); American Public Health Association (Washington DC); Centennial Meeting of the Association of American Geographers (Philadelphia, PA); Rural Poverty Research Center Conference (Washington DC); Society for Nicotine & Tobacco Research (Scottsdale, AZ).
- 2003** Assisted Learning Technologies Conference (Sheffield, UK) National Association for Rural Mental Health (Orlando, FL), Pennsylvania GIS Conference (Harrisburg, PA).
- 2002** American Sociological Association (Chicago, IL); Population Association of America Annual Meeting (Atlanta, GA); National Institute on Aging (Bethesda, MD).
- 2001** Society for the Study of Human Development (Ann Arbor, MI); Society for Research in Child Development (Minneapolis, MN); Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (Washington DC); Association of American Geographers (New York, NY); GIS and Critical Geography Research (New York, NY); MacArthur Foundation Research Network on Successful Pathways through Middle Childhood Conference (Santa Monica, CA).
- 2000** International Crime Mapping Research Conference (San Diego, CA); Towards Higher Levels of Analysis (Bethesda, MD); Demography Graduate Student Methodology Workshop (State College, PA).
- 1999** International Crime Mapping Research Conference (Orlando, FL); Association of American Geographers (Honolulu, HI).
- 1998** Rural Sociology Annual Conference (Portland, OR); Population Association of America Annual Meeting (Chicago, IL); Association of American Geographers (Boston, MA); Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting (Philadelphia, PA); AAAS (Philadelphia, PA).
- 1997** Association of American Geographers Annual Conference. Fort Worth, TX. April, 1997.
- 1996** Middle States Meeting of the Association of American Geographers (Philadelphia, PA); Population Association of America (New Orleans, LA); Association of Population-Family Planning Libraries and Information Centers-International Annual Meeting (New Orleans, LA); Participation, People, and Sustainable Development: Understanding the Dynamics of Natural Resource Systems (Rampur, Nepal); Internet Connections: Communicating with LDCs on Population & Reproductive Health (Baltimore, MD).
- 1995** Association of Population Centers Meeting (Chapel-Hill, NC); Global Population Information Network (POPIN) Information Technology Workshop (Bangkok, Thailand); Population Association of America Annual Meeting (San Francisco, CA).
- 1994** (Sixth) International Medical Geography Symposium (Vancouver, Canada); Association of American Geographers Annual Conference (San Francisco, CA).
- 1992** American Geographers Annual Conference (San Diego, CA).
- 1991** Regional Science Association Annual Meeting (New Orleans, LA); Association of American Geographers Annual Conference (Miami, FL).
- 1990** Association of American Geographers Annual Conference (Toronto, Canada).
- 1989** Sixth European Colloquium on Theoretical and Quantitative Geography (Chantilly, France); Quantitative Methods Study Group Workshop on Applied GIS (Leeds, UK); Association of American Geographers Annual Conference (Baltimore, MD).
- 1988** Association of American Geographers Annual Conference (Phoenix, AZ); Institute of British Geographers Annual Conference (Loughborough, UK).
- 1987** European Colloquium on Theoretical and Quantitative Geography (Bardonecchia, Italy)
- Other Conference Participation – Discussant & Session Organizer**
- 2004** Population Association of America (Boston, MA).
- 2003** Population Association of America (Minneapolis, MN).
- 2002** Population Association of America (Atlanta, GA).
- 2001** Association of American Geographers (New York); Population Association of America (Washington DC);
- 2000** Population Association of America (San Los Angeles, CA).
- 1999** Population Association of America (New York, NY).
- 1998** Association of American Geographers (Boston, MA); Population Association of America (Chicago, IL).
- 1997** Association of American Geographers (Fort Worth, TX).

- 1996** Association of American Geographers Mid-States Conference (Philadelphia, PA); International Conference on Applied and Business Demography (Bowling Green, OH); Association of Population/Family Planning Libraries and Information Centers-International Annual Meeting (New Orleans, LA); Internet Connections: Communicating with LDCs about Population and Reproductive Health (Baltimore, MD).
- 1995** Association of American Geographers (Chicago, IL).
- 1994** American Collegiate Schools of Planning Conference (Tempe, AZ); Sixth International Medical Geography Symposium (Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada); Association of American Geographers, (San Francisco, CA).
- 1993** Association of American Geographers (Atlanta, GA).
- 1991** Regional Science Association (New Orleans, LA).
- 1988** Institute of British Geographers Annual Conference (Loughborough, UK).

Invited Presentations

- 2005** American Sociological Association (Philadelphia, PA); Association for Population/Family Planning Libraries and Information Centers – International (APLIC-I) Conference (Philadelphia, PA); UCLA-Family Change Meeting (Los Angeles, CA).
- 2004** Family Research Consortium IV Summer Institute (San Juan, Puerto Rico); Spatial Information Science for Human and Social Sciences (University of Tokyo, Japan).
- 2003** Health Disparities Conference (State College, PA)
- 2002** CSISS/Ohio State University (Columbus, OH); Initiative in Population Research, Ohio State University, (Columbus, OH); Department of Geography, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT.
- 2001** Fifth International Crime Mapping Research Conference (Dallas, TX); CSISS/Ohio State University (Columbus, OH); Committee on Populations, National Research Council (Washington DC); Welfare, Children and Families Meeting, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD).
- 2000** Brandies University (Boston, MA); Harvard University (Cambridge, MA); Population Reference Bureau (Washington DC); Macro International (Calverton, MD).
- 1999** Center for Demography and Ecology (CDE), University of Wisconsin (Madison, WI).
- 1998** Department of Geography, University of Maine (Farmington, ME); International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development (ICIMOD) (Kathmandu, Nepal); Kathmandu University (Dhulikhel, Nepal); The Office of Population Research, Princeton University (Princeton, NJ).
- 1997** Department of Geography, University of Delaware (Newark, DE); Graduate Group in Demography and the Department of Geography, SUNY-Buffalo (Buffalo, NY);
- 1995** Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific, United Nations (Bangkok, Thailand).
- 1993** County of Los Angeles Department of Health Services (Los Angeles, CA); Department of Geography, CSU-Northridge (Northridge, CA)
- 1992** Department of Geography, University of Southern California (Los Angeles, CA).
- 1990** Department of Geography, University of Iowa (Iowa City, IA).
- 1988** The Survey Research Centre, University of Michigan (Ann Arbor, MI).

GIS Workshops

- 2005** GIS for Population Scientists (State College, PA); GIS for Population Scientists (Santa Barbara, CA)
- 2003** Population Science and GIS (State College, PA); Population Association of America pre-conference workshop on GIS and Demography (Minneapolis, MN).
- 2004** Promoting GIS in Tobacco Research (University of Cape Town, South Africa)
- 2002** Population Association of America pre-conference workshop on GIS and Demography (Atlanta, GA).
- 2001** Family Research Consortium pre-conference workshop on Contextual Analysis and GIS (State College, PA); Population Association of America pre-conference workshop on GIS (Washington DC).
- 2000** Children, Youth and Families Consortium Workshop on “CYFC research using GIS,” (State College, PA); Population Association of America pre-conference workshop on GIS and Demography (Los Angeles, CA).
- 1999** Family Research Consortium III workshop on “GIS and Families in Poverty Research” (State College, PA); Children, Youth and Families Consortium workshop on “Integrating and analyzing contextual data in CYFC research using GIS” (State College, PA); Population Association of America pre-conference workshop on GIS (New York City, NY).
- 1998** Annual Demography Summer Workshop on “GIS Applications in Demography” (State College, PA); Population Association of America pre-conference workshop on GIS (Chicago, IL).

EMPLOYMENT HISTORYAdministrative

- 2018-2023 Faculty Director, Online Graduate Certificate and MPS in Applied Demography, PSU
(Interim Director, 2018-2019)
- 2013-2023 **Director, Graduate Program in Demography**, Graduate School, PSU.
- 2011-2013 Faculty Director: Geographic Information Analysis (GIA) Core, PRI/SSRI
1994-2011 Director of the GIA Core. Including Director of the Computer Core (1994-97), PRI

Academic

- 2018-2023 **Liberal Arts Professor**
2014-2023 **Professor of Sociology, Anthropology, and Demography (Courtesy Geography and the School of International Affairs).**
- 2010-2014 Associate Professor of Sociology, Anthropology, and Demography (Courtesy Geography).
2005-2010 Associate Professor (untenured) of Sociology, Anthropology, and Demography (Courtesy Geography).
- 2000-2005 Courtesy appointments as Associate Professor of Geography, Sociology and Demography.
- 1994-2000 Courtesy appointment as Adjunct Assistant Professor of Geography, Penn State.
1990-1994 Assistant Professor, Department of Geography, University of California, Los Angeles.
1989-1990 Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Geography, University of California, Los Angeles.

REFEREES – Irrelevant now I am retired Ha! Ha!