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I am a [social demographer](#) and [family sociologist](#). My work focuses on the motivational pathways linking desires, intentions, and behaviors. I am particularly interested in how young women's immediate social context – intimate relationships – shapes their desire for pregnancy and related decisions about sex and contraceptive use through influence, coercion, and force. I am also interested in [intensive longitudinal data collection](#) and the [analytic methods](#) for such data.

## POSITIONS

2020 –

**Professor, Department of Sociology, Senior Scientist, Kinsey Institute,**  
*INDIANA UNIVERSITY*

2003 – 2020

**Assistant Professor → Professor, Department of Sociology,**  
**Research Assistant Professor → Research Professor, Institute for Social Research,**  
*UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN*

2014 – 2017

**Associate Director, Population Studies Center,** *UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN*

2011 – 2015

**Associate Chair, Department of Sociology,** *UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN*

1997 – 2000

**Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Population Studies Center,**  
*UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN*

## EDUCATION

1997

**PH.D., Sociology & Demography,** *PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY*

1994

**M.A., Sociology,** *UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO*

1992

**B.S., Statistics & Computer Science,** *UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON*

## **PUBLICATIONS** (\* denotes mentee/former mentee)

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Karen Benjamin Guzzo, \*Jamie Budnick, Sarah Hayford, Yasamin Kusunoki, and Warren Miller. 2021 (forthcoming). Black-White Differences in Pregnancy Desire during the Transition to Adulthood. Demography.

\*Clark, Anne, Yasamin Kusunoki, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2021 (forthcoming). Mechanisms Linking High Residential Mobility to Decreased Contraceptive Use: The Importance of Method Availability. Social Problems.

\*Weitzman, Abigail, **Jennifer S. Barber**, Justin Heinze, and Marc Zimmerman. 2021 (forthcoming). How Nearby Homicides Affect Young Women's Pregnancy Desires: Evidence from a Quasi-Experiment. Demography.

Kusunoki, Yasamin, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2020. The Dynamics of Intimate Relationships and Contraceptive Use during Emergent Adulthood. Demography 57:2003-2034.

Kusunoki, Yasamin, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2019. Intimate Relationship Dynamics and Women's Expected Control over Sex and Contraception. Contraception 100:484-491.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Warren Miller, Yasamin Kusunoki, Sarah Hayford, and Karen Guzzo. 2019. Intimate Relationship Dynamics and Changing Desire for Pregnancy among Young Women. Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health 51(3):143-152.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, \*Elizabeth Ela, Heather Gatny, Yasamin Kusunoki, \*Souhiela Fakih, Peter Batra, and Karen Farris. 2019. Contraceptive Desert? Race Differences in Characteristics of nearby Pharmacies. Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities 6(4):719-732.

\*Weitzman, Abigail, **Jennifer S. Barber**, and Yasamin Kusunoki. 2019. Sexual Concurrency and Contraceptive Use among Young Adult Women. Demography 56:549-572.

Guzzo, Karen Benjamin, Sarah R. Hayford, Vanessa Wanner Lang, Hsueh-Sheng Wu, **Jennifer S. Barber**, Yasamin Kusunoki. 2019. Identifying the Dimensions of Reproductive Motivations and Knowledge among U.S. Adolescents and Young Adults. Demography 56:201-228.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Yasamin Kusunoki, Heather H. Gatny, and \*Jamie Budnick. 2018. The Dynamics of Intimate Partner Violence and the Risk of Pregnancy during the Transition to Adulthood. American Sociological Review 83(5):1020-1047.

- Winner, Family Section of the American Sociological Association's "Article of the Year" award, 2020.

Gatny, Heather, Yasamin Kusunoki, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2018. Pregnancy Scares and Change in Contraceptive Use. Contraception 98(4):260-265.

## **PUBLICATIONS** (\* denotes mentee/former mentee)

Kusunoki, Yasamin, **Jennifer S. Barber**, Heather H. Gatny, and Robert Melendez. 2018. Physical Intimate Partner Violence and Contraceptive Behaviors among Young Women. Journal of Women's Health 27(8): 1016-1025.

Miller, Warren, **Jennifer S. Barber**, and Heather H. Gatny. 2018. Mediation Models of Pregnancy Desires and Unplanned Pregnancy in Young, Unmarried Women. Journal of Biosocial Science 50(3): 291-311.

Moseson, Heidi, Christine Dehlendorf, Caitlin Gerdtz, Eric Vittinghoff, Robert A. Hiatt, **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2018. No one to turn to: low social support and the incidence of undesired pregnancy in the United States. Contraception 98:275-280.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Yasamin Kusunoki, Heather Gatny, and Robert Melendez. 2017. The Relationship Context of Young Pregnancies. Law & Inequality: A Journal of Theory and Practice 35(2):175-197.

\*Weitzman, Abigail, Paula England, Yasamin Kusunoki, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2017. Desire for and to Avoid Pregnancy during the Transition to Adulthood. Journal of Marriage and Family 79(4):1060-1075.

Miller, Warren, **Jennifer S. Barber**, and Paul Schulz. 2017. Do Perceptions of Their Partners Affect Young Women's Pregnancy Risk? Further Study of Ambivalent Desires. Population Studies 71:101-116.

Kusunoki, Yasamin, **Jennifer S. Barber**, \*Elizabeth J. Ela, and \*Amelia Bucek. 2016. Black-White Differences in Sex and Contraceptive Use among Young women. Demography 53(5): 1399-1428.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Yasamin Kusunoki, Heather H. Gatny, and Paul Schulz. 2016. Participation in an Intensive Longitudinal Study with Weekly Web Surveys Over 2.5 Years. Journal of Medical Internet Research 18(6): June.

Hayford, Sarah, **Jennifer S. Barber**, Karen Benjamin Guzzo, and Yasamin Kusunoki. 2016. Perceived Costs and Benefits of Early Childbearing: New Dimensions, Racial Disparities, and Predictive Power. Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health. 48(2): 83-91.

Wu, Justine P., Yasamin Kusunoki, \*Elizabeth J. Ela, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2016. Patterns of Contraceptive Consistency among Young Adult Women in Southeastern Michigan: Longitudinal Findings Based on Journal Data. Women's Health Issues 26(3):305-312.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, \*Jennifer Eckerman Yarger, and Heather H. Gatny. 2015. Black-White Differences in Attitudes Related to Pregnancy. Demography 52:751-86.

**Barber, Jennifer S.** 2015. Review of *Social Trends in American Life*, edited by Peter V. Marsden, Contemporary Sociology 44(6):823-825.

## **PUBLICATIONS** (\* denotes mentee/former mentee)

Fakih, Souhiela, Peter Batra, Heather H. Gatny, Yasamin Kusunoki, **Jennifer S. Barber**, and Karen B. Farris. 2015. Young women's perceptions and experiences with contraception supply in community pharmacies. Journal of the American Pharmacists Association 55:255-264.

Chang, Tammy, Matthew M. Davis, Yasamin Kusunoki, \*Elizabeth J. Ela, \*Kelli S. Hall, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2015. Sexual Behavior and Contraceptive Use Among 18 to 19 year old Adolescent Women by Weight Status: A Longitudinal Analysis. Journal of Pediatrics 167:586-92.

\*Hall, Kelli, **Jennifer S. Barber**, Yasamin Kusunoki, and Heather Gatny. 2015. Social Discrimination, Stress, and Risk of Unintended Pregnancy among Young Women. Journal of Adolescent Health 56:330-337.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Heather H. Gatny, Yasamin Kusunoki, and Paul Schulz. 2014. Effects of Intensive Longitudinal Data Collection on Pregnancy and Contraceptive Use. International Journal of Social Research Methodology: December: 1-18.

Gatny, Heather H., Yasamin Kusunoki, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2014. Pregnancy Scares and Subsequent Unintended Pregnancy. Demographic Research 31: 1229-1242.

\*Hall, Kelli, **Jennifer S. Barber**, Yasamin Kusunoki, and Heather Gatny. 2014. Stress symptoms and frequency of sexual intercourse among young women. Journal of Sexual Medicine 11: 1982-1990.

\*Hall, Kelli, **Jennifer S. Barber**, Yasamin Kusunoki, and Heather H. Gatny. 2014. Unintended pregnancy risk among young women with mental health symptoms. Social Science and Medicine 100: 62-71.

East, Patricia, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2014. High Educational Aspirations among Pregnant Adolescents are related to Pregnancy Unwantedness, and Subsequent Parenting Stress and Adjustment to Parenthood. Journal of Marriage and Family 76: 652-664.

\*Hall, Kelli, Caroline Moreau, James Trussell, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2013. Young Women's Consistency of Contraceptive Use – Does Depression or Stress Matter? Contraception 88: 641-649.

\*Hall, Kelli, Caroline Moreau, James Trussell, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2013. Role of young women's depression and stress symptoms in their weekly use and nonuse of contraceptive methods. Journal of Adolescent Health 53(2): 241-48.

Moreau, Caroline, \*Kelli Hall, James Trussell, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2013. Effect of Prospectively-Measured Pregnancy Intention Indicators on the Consistency of Contraceptive Use among Young Women. Human Reproduction 28: 642-650.

## **PUBLICATIONS** (\* denotes mentee/former mentee)

\*Jennings, Elyse A., and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2013. The Influence of Neighbors' Family Size Preference on Progression to High Parity Births in Rural Nepal. Studies in Family Planning 44(1):67-84.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Yasamin Kusunoki, Heather H. Gatny, and \*Jennifer Yarger. 2013. Young Women's Relationships, Contraception, and Unintended Pregnancy in the United States. In Ann Buchanan and Anna Rotkirch (Eds.) Fertility Rates and Population Decline: No Time for Children? Basingstoke, UK: Palgrave Macmillan.

Miller, Warren, **Jennifer S. Barber**, and Heather Gatny. 2013. Ambivalent Fertility Desires: Effects on Pregnancy Risk in Young Women. Population Studies 67:25-38.

East, Patricia, Nina Chien, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2012. Adolescents' Pregnancy Intentions, Wantedness, Regret: Cross-Lagged Relations with Mental Health and Parenting. Journal of Marriage and Family 74:167-185.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, \*Yasamin Kusunoki, and Heather H. Gatny. 2011. Design and implementation of an online weekly survey to study unintended pregnancies. Vienna Yearbook of Population Research 9:327-334.

**Barber, Jennifer S.** 2011. The Theory of Planned Behaviour: considering drives, proximity, and dynamics. Vienna Yearbook of Population Research 9:31-35.

**Barber, Jennifer S.** and Patricia East. 2011. Children's Experiences after the Unintended Birth of a Sibling. Demography 48:101-126.

Axinn, William, **Jennifer S. Barber**, and Ann E. Biddlecom. 2010. Social organization and the transition from direct to indirect consumption. Social Science Research, 39(3): 357-368.

**Barber, Jennifer S.** and Patricia East. 2009. Home and Parenting Resources Available to Siblings Depending on Their Birth Intention Status. Child Development, 80(3):921-939.

Gatny, Heather H., Mick P. Couper, William G. Axinn, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2009. Using Debit Cards for Incentive Payments: Experiences of a Weekly Survey Study. Survey Practice (11).

Axinn, William G., **Jennifer S. Barber**, and Dirgha J. Ghimire. 2008. The Influence of Ideational Dimensions of Social Change on Family Formation. In International Family Change: Ideational Perspectives, edited by Rukmalie Jayakody, Arland Thornton, and William G. Axinn. Mahwah, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum Associates.

**Barber, Jennifer S.** and William G. Axinn. 2005. How Do Attitudes Shape Childbearing in the United States? Pp. 59-92 in Alan Booth and Ann C. Crouter, Editors. The New Population Problem: Why Families in Developed Countries Are Shrinking and What it Means. Mahwah, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum Associates.

## **PUBLICATIONS** (\* denotes mentee/former mentee)

- \*Cunningham, Mick, \*Ann M. Beutel, **Jennifer S. Barber**, and Arland Thornton. 2005. Reciprocal Relationships between Gender-role Attitudes and Life Course Experiences in Young Adulthood. *Social Science Research* 34(4):862-892.
- Biddlecom, Ann E., William G. Axinn, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2005. Environmental Effects on Family Size Preferences and Subsequent Reproductive Behavior in Nepal. *Population and Environment* 26(3):183-206.
- Barber, Jennifer S.** 2004. Community Social Context and Individualistic Attitudes toward Marriage. *Social Psychology Quarterly* 67(3):236-256.
- Barber, Jennifer S.**, Susan Murphy, and \*Natalya Verbitsky. 2004. Adjusting for Time-Varying Confounding in Survival Analysis. *Sociological Methodology* 34:163-192.
- Barber, Jennifer S.** and William G. Axinn. 2004. New Ideas and Fertility Limitation: The Role of Mass Media. *Journal of Marriage and Family* 66:1180-1200.
- Barber, Jennifer S.**, Ann E. Biddlecom, and William G. Axinn. 2003. Neighborhood Social Change and Perception of Environmental Degradation. *Population and Environment* 25(2): 77-108.
- Axinn, William G., and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2003. Linking People and Land Use: A Sociological Perspective. In J. Fox, R. R. Rindfuss, S. Walsh, and V. Mishra, Editors. *People and the Environment*. Boston: Kluwer Academic Publishers.
- Barber, Jennifer S.**, William G. Axinn, and Arland Thornton. 2002. The Influence of Attitudes on Family Formation Processes. Pp. 45-95 in Ron Lesthaeghe, Editor. *Meaning and Choice: Value Orientations and Life Course Decisions*. Monograph 38. The Hague: Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute.
- Axinn, William G., and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2001. Mass Education and Fertility Transition. *American Sociological Review* 66:481-505.
- Barber, Jennifer S.** 2001. Ideational Influences on the Transition to Parenthood: Attitudes toward Childbearing and Competing Alternatives. *Social Psychology Quarterly* 64(2):101-127.
- Barber, Jennifer S.** 2001. The Intergenerational Transmission of Age at First Birth Among Married and Unmarried Men and Women. *Social Science Research* 30:219-247.
- Barber, Jennifer S.**, Lisa D. Pearce, Indra Chaudhury, and Susan Gurung. 2001. Voluntary Associations and Fertility Limitation. *Social Forces* 80(2):1269-1301.
- Pienta, Amy Mehraban, **Jennifer S. Barber**, and William G. Axinn. 2001. Social Change and Adult Children's Attitudes toward Support of Elderly Parents: Evidence from Nepal. *Hallym International Journal of Aging* 3(2).

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**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Susan Murphy, William G. Axinn, and \*Jerry Maples. 2000. Discrete-Time Multilevel Hazard Analysis. Sociological Methodology 30:201-235.

**Barber, Jennifer S.** 2000. Intergenerational Influences on the Entry into Parenthood: Mothers' Preferences for Family and Nonfamily Behavior. Social Forces 79(1):319-348.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, William G. Axinn, and Arland Thornton. 1999. Unwanted Childbearing, Health, and Mother-Child Relationships. Journal of Health and Social Behavior 40(3):231-257.

Axinn, William G., **Jennifer S. Barber**, and Arland Thornton. 1999. Values and Beliefs as Determinants of Outcomes in Children's Lives. Pp. 118-128 in Alan Booth, Ann C. Crouter, and Michael J. Shanahan, Editors. Transitions to Adulthood in a Changing Economy: No Work, No Family, No Future? Westport, CT: Praeger Publishers.

**Barber, Jennifer S.** and William G. Axinn. 1998. The Impact of Parental Pressure for Grandchildren on Young People's Entry into Cohabitation and Marriage. Population Studies 52(2):129-144.

**Barber, Jennifer S.** and William G. Axinn. 1998. Gender Role Attitudes and Marriage among Young Women. The Sociological Quarterly 39(1):11-32.

Axinn, William G., **Jennifer S. Barber**, and Arland Thornton. 1998. The Long-Term Impact of Parents' Childbearing Decisions on Children's Self-Esteem. Demography 35(4): 435-444.

Axinn, William G., **Jennifer S. Barber**, and \*Dirgha J. Ghimire. 1997. The Neighborhood History Calendar: A Data Collection Method Designed for Dynamic Multilevel Modeling. Sociological Methodology 27: 355-92.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Ganesh P. Shivakoti, William G. Axinn, and \*Kishor Gajurel. 1997. Sampling Strategies for Rural Settings: A Detailed Example from the Chitwan Valley Family Study, Nepal. Population Journal of Nepal 6(5):193-203.

Axinn, William G., and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 1997. Non-Family Living and Family Formation Values in Early Adulthood. Journal of Marriage and the Family 59(3):595-611.

## **UNDER REVIEW**

**Barber, Jennifer S.** and Heather Gatny. Changes in Pre-Birth vs. Post-Birth Evaluations of Pregnancies as Desired or Undesired: The Role of Fathers (revised and resubmitted)

**Barber, Jennifer S.,** \*Anne Clark, and Heather Gatny. Changes in Young Women's Pregnancy Desire after a Pregnancy Scare (revised and resubmitted)

**Barber, Jennifer S.,** Yasamin Kusunoki, and Rosalind King. Intimate Relationship Dynamics and Expected Control over Male-Controlled Reproductive Behaviors during the Transition to Adulthood

**Barber, Jennifer S.,** Karen Benjamin Guzzo, \*Jamie Budnick, Sarah Hayford, Yasamin Kusunoki, and Warren Miller. Black-White Differences in Who Gets What They Want: Pregnancy Desire and Pregnancy during the Transition to Adulthood

**Barber, Jennifer S.,** \*Abigail Weitzman, Paul Schulz, Yasamin Kusunoki, and Warren Miller. The Evolution of Young Women's Pregnancy Desire during the Transition to Adulthood



## **IN PROGRESS**

**Barber, Jennifer S.** and \*Abigail Weitzman. Sexual Regularity in Intimate Relationships during the Transition to Adulthood.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, \*Jamie L. Budnick, and Warren Miller. Young Women's Perceptions of their Partners' Pregnancy Desire: Influences on Young Pregnancy

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Rosalind King, and Yasamin Kusunoki. Intimate Relationship Dynamics and the Probability of Discussing Contraception during the Transition to Adulthood.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Robert Melendez, and Yasamin Kusunoki. Patterns of Contraceptive Use within Intimate Relationships during the Transition to Adulthood.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Heather Gatny, and Yasamin Kusunoki. Family Formation Preferences and Sexual Behavior among Young Women.

**Barber, Jennifer S.** and Yasamin Kusunoki. The Dissolution of Intimate Relationships during the Transition to Adulthood.

## HONORS & AWARDS

- 2020 Board member (elected), Population Association of America
- 2020 American Sociological Association, Family Section, “Article of the Year” award (for “The Dynamics of Intimate Partner Violence and the Risk of Pregnancy during the Transition to Adulthood” with Yasamin Kusunoki, Heather Gatny, and Jamie Budnick)
- 2020 Council member (elected), American Sociological Association, Family Section
- 2016 University of Texas-Austin, Scholar in Residence
- 2014 Robert DuRant Award for Statistical Rigor in Adolescent Health Research (for “The Risk of Unintended Pregnancy among Young Women with Mental Health Symptoms” with Kelli Hall, Yasamin Kusunoki, and Heather Gatny)
- 2011 William T. Grant Foundation Distinguished Fellow

## EXTERNAL GRANTS

*Principal Investigator*, Dynamics and Dissolution of Intimate Relationships during Young Adulthood (R03-HD099277)

*NICHD*, National Institutes of Health. Period: 9/15/19 – 9/14/21

Total Direct Costs: \$100,000

*Principal Investigator*, Understanding Behavioral Patterns in Contraceptive Use (project as part of Contraceptive Discovery, Development, and Behavioral Research Center, Gunda Georg, Center Principal Investigator, U54-HD093540)

*NICHD*, National Institutes of Health. Period: 9/1/17 – 3/1/21

Total Direct Costs: \$600,000

*Co-Investigator* (Martha Bailey, Principal Investigator), M-CARES: The Michigan Contraceptive Access, Research, and Evaluation Study

*Laura and John Arnold Foundation*. Period: 7/2017 – 6/2022

Total Costs: \$5,986,315

*Principal Investigator*, Dynamic Measures of Pregnancy Intentions and Subsequent Pregnancy (R03-HD077051)

*NICHD*, National Institutes of Health. Period: 2014-2016

Total Direct Costs: \$100,000

*Co-Investigator* (Karen Guzzo, Principal Investigator), Distal Determinants of Race-Ethnic Variation in Unintended Fertility (R01-HD078412)

*NICHD*, National Institutes of Health. Period: 2014-2018

Total Direct Costs (subcontract to Michigan): \$425,000

## **EXTERNAL GRANTS (continued)**

*Principal Investigator, The Role of Research in Enhancing Family Planning and Pregnancy Prevention (Distinguished Fellows Program)*

*William T. Grant Foundation. Period: 2011 – 2013*

Total Direct Costs: \$199,784

*Principal Investigator, Young Women's Relationships, Contraception, and Unintended Childbearing (R01-HD050329)*

*NICHD, National Institutes of Health. Period: 2007-2014*

Total Direct Costs: \$2 million

*Co-Investigator (William Axinn, Principal Investigator), Intergenerational Influences on Family Formation in a Changing Social Context (R01-HD032912)*

*NICHD, National Institutes of Health. Period: 2007-2012*

Total Direct Costs: \$1.75 million

*Co-Investigator (Arland Thornton, Principal Investigator), Determinants of Marriage and Childbearing Attitudes (R01-HD39425) (MERIT award)*

*NICHD, National Institutes of Health. Period: 2001-2005.*

Total Direct Costs: \$900,000

*Co-Investigator (William G. Axinn, Principal Investigator), Reciprocal Relations between Population and Environment (R01-HD33551)*

*NICHD, National Institutes of Health. Period: 2001-2006.*

Total Direct Costs: \$1.88 million

*Principal Investigator, Social Consequences of Unintended Childbearing (R01-HD39285)*

*NICHD, National Institutes of Health. Period: 2000-2004.*

Total Direct Costs: \$648,000

*Co-Investigator (William G. Axinn, Principal Investigator), Changing Social Contexts and Family Formation (R01-HD32912)*

*NICHD, National Institutes of Health. Period: 1999-2005.*

Total Direct Costs: \$1.304 million

## **EXTERNAL GRANTS IN PREPARATION**

*Principal Investigator, Intimate Relationship Dynamics and Social Support for School during Young Adulthood (R01) (pending; submitted November 2020)*

*NICHD, National Institutes of Health*

*Principal Investigator, Intimate Relationship Dynamics from Early Adulthood to Midlife (R03) (to be submitted in winter 2021)*

*NICHD, National Institutes of Health*

## SELECTED COLLOQUIA AND PRESENTATIONS (past 10 years)

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Heather Gatny, and Yasamin Kusunoki. Family Formation Preferences and Sexual Behavior during Young Adulthood. Paper to be presented at the 2020 Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, April 27-29, Washington, DC.

**Barber, Jennifer S.** The Social Context of Coercion and Control: Intimate Relationships and Reproductive Behaviors.

- Invited talk, Pennsylvania State University, December 3, 2019.
- Invited talk, Duke University, September 26, 2019.
- Invited talk, Demography & Social Inequality seminar series, University of Cologne (Germany), May 15, 2019
- Invited talk, University of Wisconsin, January 29, 2019.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Linda J. Waite, and Jerry Kaufman. Who Considers their Intimate Partner a Confidant? Network Characteristics, Relationship Quality, and Subsequent Health Outcomes. Paper to be presented at the 2019 Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association (Health, Aging, and the Life Course). August 10-13, 2019, New York, NY.

**Barber, Jennifer S.** The Social Structuring of Motivation and Behavior: Intimate Relationships, Pregnancy Desire, and Pregnancy. Invited talk, Indiana University, November 12, 2018.

**Barber, Jennifer S.** The Social Context of Young Childbearing: Relationships, Partners, and Pregnancy Desires. Invited talk, Notre Dame University, October 30, 2017.

Guzzo, Karen, Sarah Hayford, \*Vanessa Wanner Lang, Hsueh-Sheng Wu, Yasamin Kusunoki, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2017. The Distal Determinants of Fertility: Identifying Underlying Constructs and Examining Race-Ethnic Variation. Paper presented at the 2017 Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, April 27-29, Chicago, IL.

\*Clark, Anne, Yasamin Kusunoki, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2017 How Does Residential Mobility Affect Sex and Contraceptive Use? Paper presented at the 2017 Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, April 27-29, Chicago, IL.

Gatny, Heather, Yasamin Kusunoki, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2017. Pregnancy Scares and Change in Contraceptive Use. Paper presented at the 2017 Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, April 27-29, Chicago, IL.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Yasamin Kusunoki, Sarah Hayford, and Karen Guzzo. 2017. Intimate Relationships and Changing Desire for Pregnancy in Young Adulthood. Paper presented at the 2017 annual Psychosocial Workshop, April 25-26, Chicago, IL

## SELECTED COLLOQUIA AND PRESENTATIONS (past 10 years)

**Barber, Jennifer S.** Young Women's Lack of Enthusiasm for Pregnancy, and Why They Get Pregnant Anyway.

- Invited talk, University of Chicago, February 9, 2017.
- Invited talk, University of California-Berkley, December 14, 2016.
- Keynote address at the annual meetings of the Southern Demographic Society, University of Georgia, October 14, 2016.
- Invited talk, Stockholm University, February 25, 2016.
- Invited talk, University of Texas-Austin, May 13, 2016.
- Invited talk, Presidential Panel on Contraception in America, 2015 annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, August 22 – 25, Chicago, IL.

**Barber, Jennifer S.,** Yasamin Kusunoki, and Heather Gatny. The Family-Inequality Debate: A Workshop on Coercion, Class, and Paternal Participation. November 17, 2016, University of Minnesota Law School, Minneapolis, MN. (Funded by a conference grant to **Jennifer S. Barber**, Naomi Cahn, and June Carbone from the Washington Center for Equitable Growth.)

Guzzo, Karen, Sarah Hayford, Yasamin Kusunoki, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. The Distal Determinants of Fertility: Identifying Underlying Constructs and Examining Race-Ethnic Variation. Paper presented at the 2016 annual meetings of the Population Association of America. March 31-April 2, Washington, DC.

Kusunoki, Yasamin, Sarah R. Hayford, Karen B. Guzzo, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. Too Much of a Hassle? The Evolution of Birth Control Attitudes in Young Adulthood. Paper presented at the Population Association of America, Washington, DC, March 31-April 2, 2016.

\*Purrier, Morgan, Yasamin Kusunoki, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. The Effects of Perceived Friend and Parent Norms on Time to First Sex in Relationships. Poster presented at the Population Association of America, Washington, DC, March 31-April 2, 2016.

\*Clark, Anne, Yasamin Kusunoki, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. What Are the Mechanisms Whereby Housing Instability Affects Sex and Contraceptive Use? Paper presented at the 2016 annual meetings of the Population Association of America. March 31-April 2, Washington, DC.

**Barber, Jennifer S.,** Yasamin Kusunoki, \*Jamie Budnick and \*Andreja Siliunas. Attitudes toward Gendered Violence: Behavioral and Sociodemographic Correlates. Paper presented at the 2015 annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, August 22 – 25, Chicago, IL.

**Barber, Jennifer S.,** \*Elizabeth Ela, Heather Gatny, Yasamin Kusunoki, \*Souhiela Fakih, Peter Batra, and Karen Farris. Pharmacy Desert? Race Differences in Access to Pharmacies. Paper presented at the 2015 annual Psychosocial Workshop, April 27-28, San Diego, CA.

Kusunoki, Yasamin, **Jennifer S. Barber**, Heather Gatny, and Robert Melendez. Intimate Partner Violence and Contraceptive Behaviors among Young Women. Paper presented at the Population Association of America, San Diego, CA, April 29-May 2, 2015.

## SELECTED COLLOQUIA AND PRESENTATIONS (past 10 years)

Hayford, Sarah, **Jennifer S. Barber**, Karen Benjamin Guzzo, and Yasamin Kusunoki. Perceived Costs and Benefits of Early Childbearing: New Dimensions, Racial Disparities, and Predictive Power. Presented at the 2015 annual meetings of the Population Association of America, San Diego, CA, April 29 – May 2.

\*Hall, Kelli, **Jennifer S. Barber**, Yasamin Kusunoki, and Heather Gatny. 2015. Social Discrimination, Stress, and Risk of Unintended Pregnancy among Young Women.

- Presented at the 2015 annual meetings of the Population Association of America, San Diego, CA, April 29 – May 2.
- Published in Journal of Adolescent Health.

**Barber, Jennifer S.** 2014. Romantic Relationships, Pregnancy Desire, and Pregnancy: Some Insights from Dynamic Prospective Data.

- Keynote Speaker, German Family Panel annual international conference, Cologne, Germany, September 25, 2014.
- Invited talk, University of Minnesota, November 3, 2014.
- Invited talk, University of Texas-Austin, April 4, 2014.
- Invited talk, Brown University, October 3, 2013.
- Invited talk, Ohio State University, October 29, 2013.

Wu, Justine, Yasamin Kusunoki, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. Dynamic Measures of Abstinence and Contraceptive Behavior among Adolescent Women. Paper presented at Annual Meeting of the North American Primary Care Research Group (NAPRG), New York, NY, November 21-25, 2104.

Kusunoki, Yasamin, **Jennifer S. Barber**, Heather Gatny, and Robert Melendez. “Intimate Partner Violence and Contraceptive Behaviors among Young Women.” Paper presented at the North American Forum on Family Planning, Miami, FL, October 12-13, 2014.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Warren Miller, Yasamin Kusunoki, and Robert Melendez. 2014. Changes in Young Women’s Desire for Pregnancy during the Transition to Adulthood. Paper presented at the 2014 annual Psychosocial Workshop, April 29-30, Boston, MA.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Warren Miller, and Paul Schulz. 2014. Young Women’s Perceptions of their Partners’ Pregnancy Desires: Influences on Early Pregnancy. Paper presented at the 2014 annual Psychosocial Workshop, April 29-30, Boston, MA.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Heather Gatny, and Warren Miller. 2014. Retrospective versus Prospective Pregnancy Desire: Predictors of Change. Paper presented at the 2014 Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, May 1-4, Boston, MA.

## SELECTED COLLOQUIA AND PRESENTATIONS (past 10 years)

Hall, Kelli, **Jennifer S. Barber**, Yasamin Kusunoki, and Heather H. Gatny. 2013. Unintended pregnancy risk among young women with psychological stress and depression symptoms.

- Presented at the 2013 annual North American Forum on Family Planning, October 6-7, Seattle, Washington.
- Selected as one of the top 4 abstracts submitted to the conference; showcased in a special session for oral presentation of the top 4 abstracts.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Yasamin Kusunoki, Heather H. Gatny, and \*Jamie Budnick. 2012. Relationship Violence and Pregnancy.

- Invited talk, Bowling Green State University, April 2012.
- Invited talk, University of California-Los Angeles, January 2012.
- The Relationship between Dating Conflict and Pregnancy: Preliminary Results, paper presented at the 2010 American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, August 14-17, Atlanta, GA.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, \*Jennifer Eckerman Yarger, and Heather H. Gatny. 2011. Black-White Differences in Attitudes toward Childbearing. Paper presented at the 2011 Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August 13-16, Las Vegas, Nevada.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Yasamin Kusunoki, and Heather H. Gatny. 2011. Design and Implementation of an Online Weekly Survey to Study Unintended Pregnancies: Preliminary Results.

- Paper presented at the 2011 biannual meetings of the European Survey Research Association, July 18-22, Lausanne, Switzerland.
- Paper presented at the 2010 European Population Conference, September 1-4, Vienna, Austria.

**Barber, Jennifer S.**, Warren B. Miller, and Heather H. Gatny. 2011. The Desire to Become Pregnant and the Desire to Avoid Pregnancy: Ambivalence, Indifference, Pronatalism, and Antinatalism. Paper presented at the 2011 Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, March 31-April 2, Washington, D.C.

Gatny, Heather H., Yasamin Kusunoki, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2011. Consequences and Correlates of Pregnancy Scares among Young Women: Preliminary Results. Paper presented at the 2011 Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, March 31-April 2, Washington, D.C.

\*Jennings, Elyse, and **Jennifer S. Barber**. 2011. The Influence of Individual and Neighbor Attitudes on Progression to Higher Parity Birth. Paper presented at the 2011 Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, March 31-April 2, Washington, D.C.

\*Levenstein, Rachel, **Jennifer S. Barber**, and Heather H. Gatny. 2010. The Impact of RDSL's Sequential Design on Longitudinal Response Rates. Presented at the annual meetings of the American Association for Public Opinion Research.

## **SELECTED COLLOQUIA AND PRESENTATIONS (past 10 years)**

**Barber, Jennifer S.,** Yasamin Kusunoki, and Heather Gatny. 2010. Relationship Characteristics Predicting Unintended Pregnancies Reported in an Online Weekly Survey: Preliminary Results.

- Paper presented at the annual meetings of the Population Association of America, April 15-17, 2010, Dallas, TX.
- Paper presented at the biannual European Population Conference, June 14-16, 2012, Stockholm, Sweden.
- Invited talk, Arizona State University, December 2011.
- Invited talk, Cornell University, December 2011.
- Invited talk, Princeton University, September 2011.

**Barber, Jennifer S.,** Yasamin Kusunoki, Heather Gatny, and \*Jennifer Yarger. 2010. Attitudes Predicting Unintended Pregnancies Reported in an Online Weekly Survey: Preliminary Results. Paper presented at the annual meetings of the Population Association of America, April 15-17, Dallas, TX.



# TEACHING

## COURSES (UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN 1998-2019; INDIANA UNIVERSITY 2021-PRESENT)

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### UNDERGRADUATE LEVEL

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- Sexuality (Win 2021, Fall 2021)  
Sociology 321: Sexual Diversity
- Professional Writing (Win 2017)  
Sociology 105: Changing the World through Persuasive Writing and Analysis
- Introduction to Statistics (Fall 2013, Fall 2014, Fall 2016, Win 2019)  
Sociology 210: Introduction to Statistics
- Research Methods (Fall 2003, Win 2005, Fall 2007, Win 2011, Win 2012, Fall 2021)  
Sociology 310: Introduction to Research Methods
- Introduction to Social Psychology (Win 1999)  
Sociology 101: Person and Society, Introduction to Sociology through Social Psychology
- Senior Honors Thesis (Fall 2005)  
Sociology 398: Senior Honors in Sociology

### GRADUATE LEVEL

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- Professional Writing (Win 2017)  
Sociology 595: How to Draft an Empirical Paper
- Social Statistics (Fall 2011, Fall 2012, Fall 2013, Fall 2016, Fall 2017, Fall 2019)  
Sociology 510: Statistical Methods 1
- Graduate Seminar in Social Psychology (Win 2009)  
Sociology 595: Sociology of Attitudes
- Graduate Seminar in Fertility (Win 2008)  
Sociology 595: Sociology of Human Reproduction
- Mixed Methods Data Collection (Summer 2002, 2003, 2004)  
Institute for Social Research Summer Institute, Sociology/Psychology 988.211: Combining Qualitative and Quantitative Methods: Introduction and Overview
- Demographic Techniques (Win 1998, Win 2006)  
Sociology 630: Research Methods for Population and Human Ecology
- Seminar in Social Demography (Fall/Win 2004/2005, Fall/Win 2005/2006)  
Sociology 830: Research Seminar in Social Demography

## TEACHING

### PH.D. STUDENTS (\*DISSERTATION CHAIR) (CURRENT OR FIRST APPOINTMENT IN PARENTHESES)

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- Dirgha Ghimire (UM Sociology, 2003. Research Professor, University of Michigan.)
- Keith Robinson (UM Sociology, 2006. Assistant Professor, University of Texas-Austin)
- Lori Barer Ingber (UM Public Health, 2006. President and Founder, Parent Match)
- Sarah Brauner-Otto (UM Sociology, 2007. Associate Professor, McGill University)
- \*Amie Emens Conley (UM Sociology, 2009. NORC/Univ. of Chicago)
- Julie Berson-Grand (UM Public Health, 2009. Lecturer, University of Michigan-Dearborn)
- \*Jennifer Eckerman Yarger (UM Sociology, 2011. Research Scientist, UC-San Francisco)
- Yang Jiang (UM Sociology, 2012. Research Associate, Columbia University)
- Elyse Jennings (UM Sociology, 2013. Research Associate, Harvard University)
- Teri Rosales (UM Sociology, 2013. Research Associate, University of Michigan)
- Zheng Mu (UM Sociology, 2013. Assistant Professor, Peking University, China)
- Qing Lai (UM Sociology, 2014. Assistant Professor, Florida International University)
- Nell Compernelle (UM Sociology, 2<sup>nd</sup> year paper, 2014)
- Siwei Cheng (UM Sociology, 2015. Assistant Professor, New York University)
- Sara Crider (UM Sociology and Social Work, 2015. Lecturer, Eastern Michigan University)
- Johannes Dahlberg (Stockholm University Sociology, 2016)
- Airan Liu (UM Sociology, 2017. Assistant Professor, Peking University, China)
- Mercedes Dunn (UM Sociology, 2<sup>nd</sup> year paper, 2017)
- \*Elizabeth Ela (UM Sociology, 2018. Post-doctoral Fellow, University of Texas-Austin)
- Nicholas Metheny (UM Nursing Research, 2019. Post-doctoral Fellow.)
- Megan Chuey (UM Nursing Research, 2019. Centers for Disease Control)
- Jamie Budnick (UM Sociology, 2020. Post-doctoral Fellow, University of Michigan)
- Morgan Purrier (UM Sociology, 2<sup>nd</sup> year paper, 2018)
- Elly Field (UM Sociology, 2<sup>nd</sup> year paper, 2019)
- Briana Starks (UM Sociology & Social Work, 2<sup>nd</sup> year paper, 2019)
- Davis Daumler (UM Sociology, 2<sup>nd</sup> year paper, 2020)
- Anne Clark (UM Sociology)
- Krystina Millar (IU Sociology)

### POST-DOCTORAL TRAINEES (FIRST TENURE-TRACK PLACEMENT IN PARENTHESES)

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- Yasamin Kusunoki (2007 - 2010. Assistant Professor of Nursing, University of Michigan)
- Kristin Turney (2009 - 2011. Assistant Professor of Sociology, UC Irvine)
- Caroline Hartnett (2011 - 2013. Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of South Carolina)
- Emily Marshall (2012 - 2015. Assistant Professor of Sociology, Franklin & Marshall College)
- Rikki Patton (Social Work) (2013 - 2014. Assistant Professor of Marriage & Family Counseling/Therapy, University of Akron)
- Abigail Weitzman (2015 - 2017. Assistant Professor of Sociology, UT Austin)
- Shari Blumenstock (2020 – present)

# TEACHING

## UNDERGRADUATE HONORS THESES

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- Sara Crider (2005, Robert Cooley Angell award for best honors thesis in sociology)
- Tess Tannehill (2006)
- Derren Kales (2008)
- Eileen Patten (2011)
- Molly Ryder (2012)
- Colleen Smythe (2014, Robert Cooley Angell award for best honors thesis in sociology)
- Elyssa Engler (2020)

## UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH MENTORING (SINCE 2008)

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- Julia Sheehan (2018-2020)
- Nate Jeris (2016)
- Timothy Mayer (2015-17)
- Brittany Wright (2015-16)
- Kira Schwartz (2014-15)
- Jayla Johnson (2013-14) (Blue Ribbon Research Award for Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program presentation)
- Erica Gehringer (2013-14)
- Christine Hanna (Kinesiology) (2013-14)
- Holly Armstrong (2012-13)
- Caroline Schuerman (2011-13)
- Lauren Smith (Statistics) (2011-12)
- Molly Ryder (2010-11)
- Eileen Patten (2010-11)
- Carolyn Cox (Public Policy) (2009-11)
- Jamie Budnick (2008-10)
- Michele Dunsky (Psychology) (2008-09)
- Jamie Budnick (2008-11)
- Sarah Jukaku (2008-10)
- Kelly Smith (2007-09)
- Latasha Robinson (2007-09)
- Brianna Harris (2007-08)
- Gretchen Gooding (2006-08)
- Tess Tannehill (2006-08)

## SERVICE

### DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE (EXCLUDING PROMOTION COMMITTEES)

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#### SOCIOLOGY (UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN: 2003-2020; INDIANA UNIVERSITY: 2020-PRESENT)

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Graduate Affairs & Evaluation (2020-21)

Karl Schuessler Award (2020-21)

Associate Director of Graduate Studies (2019-20)

Graduate Admissions Committee (2011-19, 2019-20/Chair)

Launch committee member for junior faculty member (2018-19)

Associate Chair (2011-2015)

Elected member of Executive Committee (2005-2006, 2011-2015 *ex officio*, 2016-18)

Personnel (Hiring) Committee (2004-2005, 2007-2008/Chair)

Lecturer Review Committee (2011-2015/Chair)

Committee on the Administration of Graduate Affairs (2006-2007)

Social Demography Program Area (2004-2005)

Multiple hiring and promotion review committees

#### UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN ISR (POPULATION STUDIES CENTER & SURVEY RESEARCH CENTER)

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PSC Associate Director (2014-2017)

PSC Advisory Committee (elected: 2008-2009, 2012-2014; *ex officio*: 2014-17)

PSC 50<sup>th</sup> Reunion Advisory Committee (2011)

SRC Senior Staff Advisory Committee (elected, 2007-2009)

PSC Eva Mueller Award Committee (2006-2008)

SRC Regula Herzog Award Committee (2006-2007)

Institute for Social Research Fellowship Committee (2005-2007)

SRC Summer Institute Advisory Committee (2003-2006)

SRC Survey Methodology Program Recruitment Committee (2001-2006)

Multiple hiring and promotion review committees

### UNIVERSITY SERVICE

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LS&A Nominations Committee (Chair) (2019-20)

University of Michigan Human Resources Advisory Group (2018-2019)

Rackham Graduate School Faculty Recognition Awards Selection Committee (2019)

LS&A Curriculum Committee (elected) (2017-2020)

LS&A Divisional Evaluation Committee (DEC) (Tenure & Promotion Panel) (2012-15; ad hoc member in 2016, 2017, 2018)

University of Michigan junior faculty launch committee (convener, 2016-17; member, 2018-19)

Rackham Graduate School ProQuest Distinguished Dissertation Award Committee (2016-2019)

Rackham Graduate School Executive Board (elected) (2014-17)

LS&A Academic Judiciary Committee (2014-2016)

University of Michigan Office for Research, faculty grants reviewer (2014, 2015, 2016)

International Institute Individual Fellowship review committee (2013)

National Poverty Center external grant proposal reviewer (2005-2006)

LS&A Joint Appointment Review Committee (2004-2005)

## **SERVICE**

### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

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- American Sociological Association (Population, Family, Social Psychology, and Methodology)
- Population Association of America

### **EDITORIAL BOARDS**

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- *Social Psychology Quarterly* (2012-2013)
- *Sociological Methodology* (2006-2010)
- *Journal of Marriage and Family* (2005-2009)
- *Demography* (2002-2005) (Deputy Editor, 2013-2015)

### **REGULAR JOURNAL ARTICLE REVIEWER**

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- *American Journal of Sociology*
- *American Sociological Review*
- *Contraception*
- *Demography*
- *Demographic Research*
- *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*
- *Journal of Marriage and Family*
- *Journal of Research on Adolescence*
- *Population and Development Review*
- *Population Research & Policy Review*
- *Social Forces*
- *Social Psychology Quarterly*
- *Sociological Methodology*

### **PROPOSAL REVIEWER**

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Member, National Institutes of Health/National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, Population Sciences Subcommittee (PSS) review panel (2015-2020); Ad-Hoc Chair

Ad-Hoc reviewer for: National Science Foundation, National Institutes of Health, William T. Grant Foundation, Society for Family Planning, European Research Council

## **SERVICE**

### **SERVICE TO THE DISCIPLINE**

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- Member, Article of the Year Award committee, American Sociological Association, Family Section (2021)
- Member, Student Paper Award committee, American Sociological Association, Population Section (2021)
- Member, Board of Directors (elected), Population Association of America (2021-2024)
- Member, Membership Committee, Population Association of America (2021)
- Member, Council (elected), American Sociological Association, Family Section (2020-2023)
- Member, Outstanding Recent Contribution in Social Psychology Award committee, American Sociological Association, Social Psychology Section (2020)
- Organizer, Roundtables, American Sociological Association, Family Section (2020)
- Chair, Nomination Committee, American Sociological Association, Population Section (2019-2020)
- Member, Nomination Committee, American Sociological Association, Family Section (2016-2017)
- Member, Publications Committee (elected), American Sociological Association (2013-2016; elected chair 2014-15)
- Judge, Population Association of America Annual Meetings poster session (1996, 2014)
- Member, Institute of Medicine/National Academy of Sciences Committee to Evaluate Title X (2008-2009)
- Member, Dorothy Thomas Award Committee, Population Association of America (2008 – 2011; chair 2011)
- Expert panel on unintended childbearing for the National Campaign to Prevent Teen Childbearing (2007)
- Invited participant, conference on Explaining Family Change and Variation, Duke University (2007)
- Program committee, Population Association of America Annual Meetings (2001, 2011)
- Regular session organizer and discussant for Population Association of America and American Sociological Association