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EMPLOYMENT

2019- Associate Professor of Sociology, University at Albany, State University of New York
2013-2019 Assistant Professor of Sociology, University at Albany, State University of New York

2020- Research Affiliate, Center for Aging and Policy Studies (CAPS), Syracuse University,
Cornell University, University at Albany
2013- Research Associate, Center for Social and Demographic Analysis (CSDA), University at
Albany

Research interests: social demography, immigration, health, aging, family, social science genomics,
quantitative and demographic methods

EDUCATION

2013 PhD, Sociology, University of California, Irvine
Dissertation: “(Un)Healthy Immigrant Citizens: Naturalization, Incorporation
Experiences and Health in Older Age” (Frank D. Bean, Co-chair, Judith Treas, Co-chair)
2006 MA, Demographic and Social Analysis (DASA), University of California, Irvine
2000 Diploma, Psychology, Lviv National University (Ukraine)

PUBLICATIONS (* Graduate student co-author)

Gubernskaya, Zoya. (Forthcoming). “Immigration, Aging, and Health in the U.S.” in *Handbook of the Sociology of Aging, 2nd Edition*, edited by Markus H. Schafer, Dawn C. Carr, Jacqueline L. Angel, and Richard A. Settersten.

Gubernskaya, Zoya and Jeewoo Shin.* (Forthcoming). “Life Course and Transnational Perspectives on Older Immigrants.” In *Handbook of Aging and the Social Sciences, Tenth Edition*, edited by Kenneth F. Ferraro and Deborah Carr.

Gubernskaya, Zoya and Jungmin Shin.* 2025. “Does Immigrant Health Advantage at Older Ages Endure beyond the First Generation.” *The Journals of Gerontology, Series B: Psychological Sciences and Social Sciences*. Volume 80, Issue 9, September 2025, gbaf117,
<https://doi.org/10.1093/geronb/gbaf117>

- Editor's choice

Gubernskaya, Zoya and Dalton Conley. 2025. Does Genetic Predisposition Explain the “Immigrant Health Paradox”? Evidence for Non-Hispanic White Older Adults in the U.S. *Populations*, 1(1), 4.
<https://doi.org/10.3390/populations1010004>

- Kelley, Jessica A., **Gubernskaya, Zoya**, and Saenz, Joseph L. 2024. "Lives in Motion: New Frontiers in Research on Immigration and Aging." *The Journals of Gerontology, Series B: Psychological Sciences and Social Sciences*, 79(3), gbad190. <https://doi.org/10.1093/geronb/gbad190>
- Gubernskaya, Zoya** and Tsveta Dobрева.* 2023. "Older Migrants and Socio-Economic Inequalities." Pp. 241-249 in *Handbook on Migration and Ageing*, edited by Sandra Torres and Alistair Hunter. Edward Elgar Publishing. <https://doi.org/10.4337/9781839106774.00031>
- Gubernskaya, Zoya**. 2021. "Immigration Policies and the Health of the Older Foreign-Born in the United States." Pp. 87-99 in *Life Course Implications of US Public Policy*, edited by Janet M. Wilmoth and Andrew S. London. Routledge. <https://doi.org/10.4324/9781003020912>
- Gubernskaya, Zoya** and Judith Treas. 2020. "Pathways to Linguistic Isolation Among Older U.S. Immigrants: Assessing the Role of Living Arrangements and English Proficiency", *The Journals of Gerontology: Series B*, 75(2), 351–356. <https://doi.org/10.1093/geronb/gbx178>
- Treas, Judith and **Zoya Gubernskaya**. 2018. "Did Mobile Phones Increase Adult Children's Maternal Contact?" In: Van Hook J., McHale S., King V. (eds) *Families and Technology*. National Symposium on Family Issues, vol 9. Springer, Cham https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-95540-7_8
- Gubernskaya, Zoya** and Zequn Tang.* 2017. "Just Like in their Home Country? Multinational Perspective on Living Arrangements of Older Immigrants in the U.S." *Demography* 54(5): 1973-1998. doi: 10.1007/s13524-017-0604-0
- Gubernskaya, Zoya** and Joanna Dreby. 2017. "U.S. Immigration Policy and the Case for Family Unity." *Journal on Migration and Human Security*, 5(2), 417-430. doi:10.14240/jmhs.v5i2.91
- Gubernskaya, Zoya** and Judith Treas. 2016. "Call Home? Mobile Phones and Contacts with Mother in 24 Countries." *Journal of Marriage and Family*. 78(5): 1237–1249. doi: 10.1111/jomf.12342
- Bolzendahl, Catherine and **Zoya Gubernskaya**. 2016. "Racial and Ethnic Homogamy and Gendered Time on Core Housework." *Socius: Sociological Research for a Dynamic World*, 2. doi: 10.1177/2378023116676277
- Treas, Judith and **Zoya Gubernskaya**. 2016. "Immigration, Aging and the Life Course." Pp 143-161 in *Handbook of Aging and the Social Sciences, Eighth Edition*, edited by Linda K. George and Kenneth F. Ferraro. Academic Press. doi:10.1016/B978-0-12-417235-7.00007-X
- Gubernskaya, Zoya**. 2015. "Age at Migration and Self-Rated Health Trajectories after Age 50: Understanding the Older Immigrant Health Paradox." *The Journals of Gerontology Series B: Psychological Sciences and Social Sciences*, 70(2), 279-290. doi: 10.1093/geronb/gbu049. PMID: 24859225.
- Treas, Judith, and **Zoya Gubernskaya**. 2015. "Policy Contradictions and Immigrant Families." *Public Policy & Aging Report*, 25(3), 107-112. doi: 10.1093/ppar/prv010
- Treas, Judith, Jonathan Lui and **Zoya Gubernskaya**. 2014. "Marriage as a New Relationship? Cross-National Changes in Attitudes toward Marriage and Relationships." *Demographic Research* 30(54), 1495-1526. doi: 10.4054/DemRes.2014.30.54. PMC4455962.

Gubernskaya, Zoya, Frank D. Bean and Jennifer Van Hook. 2013. "(Un)Healthy Immigrant Citizens: Naturalization and Functional Limitations in Older Age." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 54: 427-443. doi: 10.1177/0022146513504760. PMC3969823. NIHMS564221 (Selected as the issue article for a Special Policy Brief).

Gubernskaya, Zoya, Frank D. Bean and Jennifer Van Hook. 2013. "Policy Brief: Why Does Naturalization Matter for the Health of Older Immigrants in the United States?" *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 54: 426. <https://doi.org/10.1177/002214651351141>

Bean, Frank D., Susan K. Brown, James D. Bachmeier, **Zoya Gubernskaya**, and Christopher D. Smith. 2012. "Luxury, Necessity, and Anachronistic Workers: Does the United States Need Unskilled Immigrant Labor?" *American Behavioral Scientist* 56: 1008-1028. doi: 10.1177/0002764212441784

Treas, Judith and **Zoya Gubernskaya**. 2012. "Farewell to Moms? Maternal Contact in Seven Countries, 1986-2001." *Journal of Marriage and Family* 74: 297-311. doi: 10.1111/j.1741-3737.2012.00956.x

Lee, Jennifer, Frank D. Bean, James D. Bachmeier, and **Zoya Gubernskaya**. 2010. "Immigration and the Geography of the New Ethnoracial Diversity." In Lee, Jennifer and Frank D. Bean *The Diversity Paradox: Immigration and the Color Line in Twenty-First Century America*. New York: Russell Sage Foundation.

- 2011 Otis Dudley Duncan Award for Outstanding Monograph in Social Demography

Gubernskaya, Zoya. 2010. "Changing Attitudes toward Marriage and Children in Six Countries." *Sociological Perspectives* 53:179-200. doi: 10.1525/sop.2010.53.2.179

- Featured in *Contexts* Vol. 10, Issue 1, 2011

BOOK REVIEWS

Gubernskaya, Zoya. 2021. Robert A. Hummer and Erin R. Hamilton: "Population Health in America". *Contemporary Sociology*. 50(4):329-330. doi: 10.1177/00943061211021084m

UNDER REVIEW

Gubernskaya, Zoya and Jeewoo Shin.* "Gender Ideology across Four Generations of Immigrants in the U.S."

WORK IN PROGRESS

Gubernskaya, Zoya and Xiaoyu Yao.* "Age at Migration, Education, and Health of Older Immigrants in the U.S. and the U.K." (Draft available)

Gubernskaya, Zoya and Seulki Kim. "Childhood Disadvantage, Gender and Health of Older Immigrants in the U.S." (Draft available)

Gubernskaya, Zoya and Seulki Kim. "Education and Immigrant Health Advantage in Chronic Conditions after Age 50: Evidence from the 1992-2014 Health and Retirement Study." (Draft available)

Gubernskaya, Zoya and Weihui Zhang. "Immigrant Health Advantage in Functional Limitations in Midlife and Older Age: (How) Does the Age of the Onset Matter?" (Draft available)

EDITORIAL EXPERIENCE

Associate Editor, *International Migration Review* (2025-)

Guest co-editor, *The Journals of Gerontology: Social Sciences*, Special Issue: Immigration and Aging (Volume 79, Issue 3, March 2024) <https://academic.oup.com/psychsocgerontology/issue/79/3>

EDITORIAL BOARD

The Journals of Gerontology: Social Sciences (2018-2026), *Journal of Marriage and Family* (2019-2026)

GRANTS

2019 (G-1810-08943) "Genetic Influences on Immigrant Health in Midlife and Older Age." (PI) The Russell Sage Foundation's Presidential Grant (\$35,000).

2014 "Age at Migration and Living Arrangements of Older immigrants: Multinational approach." (PI). Junior Researcher Award in Demography. Center for Social and Demographic Analysis, University at Albany, SUNY (\$5,000).

2014 "Age at Migration and Immigrants' Health in Later Life." (PI) Seed grant. Center for Social and Demographic Analysis, University at Albany, SUNY (\$5,500).

FELLOWSHIPS/AWARDS

2024-25 New York State/UUP Individual Development Award
2023-24 New York State/UUP Individual Development Award
2018-19 New York State/UUP Individual Development Award
2016 Dr. Nuala McGann Drescher Leave Program Award for Fall 2016, NYS/UUP
2014 Travel Award, U-Albany College of Arts & Sciences
2013 UCI School of Social Sciences Outstanding Scholarship Award
2013 UCI Sociology Department Outstanding Service Award
2013 Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Health & Society program finalist
2012-2013 UCI Public Impact Fellowship
2012-2013 UCI Graduate Dean's Dissertation Fellowship
2012 PAA Blue Ribbon Poster Award
2012 Summer Research Fellowship, UCI Sociology Department
2011 Summer Research Fellowship, UCI Sociology Department
2011 Spring Quarter Social Sciences Graduate Fellowship

2009 Summer Research Fellowship, UCI Sociology Department
2008 Research and Travel Grant, UCI Sociology Department
2008 Summer Research Fellowship, UCI Sociology department
2006 DASA MA Program Alumni Award for Academic Excellence

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- 2021 "Genetic Influences on Immigrant Health: Evidence from the Health and Retirement Study", Department of Sociology, University of California, Irvine, May 25, 2021 (via Zoom).
- 2020 "Genetic Influences on Immigrant Health: Evidence from the Health and Retirement Study", The USC Leonard Davis School of Gerontology, University of Southern California, January 16, 2020, Los Angeles, CA.
- 2019 "Genetic Influences on Immigrant Health: Evidence for smoking and BMI from the Health and Retirement Study", Upstate Population Workshop. Syracuse University, November 1, 2019, Syracuse, NY.
- "US Immigration Policies and Health of Older Immigrants" invited panel session "Current Debates in Aging and the Life Course: Public Policy", American Sociological Association meeting, August 10-13, New York, NY.
- 2018 "Childhood Disadvantage and Immigrant Health in Midlife and Old Age." Department of Demography, University of Montreal, Montreal, QC, Canada, February 16, 2018.
- 2017 "Adult Children's Maternal Contact Increased: Did Mobile Phones Play a Role?" Penn State's 25th National Symposium on Family Issues "Families and Technology", Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA, October 23-24, 2017.
- 2016 "Changing Attitudes toward Marriage and Children: Does Welfare Regime Help Explain Shifts in Public Opinion Over Time?" Department of Sociology, University of Utrecht, the Netherlands, November 9, 2016.
- "Age at Migration and Older Immigrants' Public Assistance Program Participation." Department of Public Policy, University at Albany, SUNY, October 26, 2016.
- 2015 "Age at Migration and Health of Older Immigrants in the United States." Center for Demography and Ecology, University of Wisconsin, Madison, November 10, 2015.
- 2014 "Sooner, Later or Never? Patterns of Naturalization of the U.S. Immigrants, 1980-2010." Population, Society and Inequality colloquium, Department of Sociology, University of California, Irvine, February 18, 2014.
- 2013 "Immigrants' Incorporation and Health." Panel "Millions on the Move: The Unique Health Risks Facing Global Migrants", UC Global Health Day, University of California, Riverside, February 23, 2013.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2026 "Age at Migration, Education, and Health of Older Immigrants in the U.S. and the U.K.," paper presented at the 2026 Population Association of America meeting, St Louis, MO, May 6-9, 2026.
- 2025 "Immigrant Health Paradox in Self-Care Disability in Later Life: Insights from the Multinational Comparison," poster presented at the 2025 Population Association of America meeting, Washington, DC, April 10-13, 2025.
- 2024 "Gender Ideology across Four Generations of Immigrants in the U.S." paper presented at the 2024 American Sociological Association meeting, Montreal, Canada, August 9-13, 2024.
- "Does Immigrant Health Advantage at Older Ages Endure beyond the First Generation?" poster presented at the 2024 Population Association of America meeting, Columbus, OH, April 17-20, 2024.
- 2023 "Does Immigrant Health Advantage at Older Ages Endure beyond the First Generation?" paper presented at the 2023 American Sociological Association meeting, Philadelphia, PA, August 17-21, 2023.
- 2021 "Are Immigrants Positively Selected on Genetic Predisposition to Better Health? Evidence from the Health and Retirement Study," paper presented at the 2021 Population Association of America meeting, May 5 - 7, 2021 (via Zoom).
- 2020 "Are Immigrants Positively Selected on Genetic Predisposition to Better Health? Evidence for Height, BMI and Smoking from the Health and Retirement Study," paper presented at the 2020 Integrating Genetics and the Social Sciences conference (IGSS), September 24, 2020 (via Zoom).
- 2019 "Are Immigrants Positively Selected on Genetic Predisposition to Better Health? Evidence for Cognition and Smoking from the Health and Retirement Study," paper presented at the 2019 Population Association of America meeting, Austin, TX, April 11 – 13, 2019.
- "Immigrant Health Advantage in Functional Limitations in Midlife and Older Age: (How) Does the Age of the Onset Matter?," paper presented at the 2019 Population Association of America meeting, Austin, TX, April 11 – 13, 2019.
- 2018 "Childhood Disadvantage and Physical Health of Older Immigrants in the U.S.," poster presented at the 2018 Gerontological Society of America meeting, Boston, MA, November 14-18, 2018.
- "Childhood Disadvantage and Physical Health of Older Immigrants in the U.S.," paper presented at the CPC-CAPS Upstate Population Workshop, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, October 19, 2018.
- "Education and Immigrant Health Advantage in Chronic Conditions after Age 50: Evidence from the 1992-2014 Health and Retirement Study," paper presented at the 2018 American Sociological Association meeting, Philadelphia, PA, August 11-14, 2018.
- 2017 "Changing Attitudes Toward Marriage and Children: Does Welfare Regime Help Explain Shifts in Public Opinion over Time?," poster presented at the 2017 International Population Conference, Cape Town, South Africa, October 29 – November 4, 2017.

- “Education and Accumulation of Chronic Conditions After Age 50 Among the Immigrants to the U.S.”, paper presented at the 21st IAGG World Congress of Gerontology and Geriatrics, San Francisco, CA, July 23-27, 2017.
- “Changing Attitudes Toward Marriage and Children: Does Welfare Regime Help Explain Shifts in Public Opinion over Time?”, poster presented the 2017 Population Association of America meeting, Chicago, IL, April 27-29, 2017.
- 2016 “Changing Attitudes toward Marriage and Children: Does Welfare Regime Help Explain Shifts in Public Opinion Over Time?”, paper presented at the CPC-CAPS Upstate Population Workshop, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, October 28, 2016.
- “Education, Age at Migration and Accumulation of Chronic Conditions after Age 50 among Mexican and Non-Hispanic White Male Immigrants”, poster presented at the 2016 International Conference on Aging in the Americas (ICAA 2016), University of Texas at San Antonio, September 14-16, 2016.
Poster Award (2nd place)
- “Age at Migration and Living Arrangements of Older immigrants: Multinational approach,” poster presented at the 2016 Population Association of America meeting, Washington, DC, April 30-May 2, 2016.
- 2015 “Policy Contradictions and Immigrant Families”, symposium “What Changing American Families Mean for Aging Policies,” 2015 Gerontological Society of America meeting, Orlando, FL, November 18-22, 2015.
- “Age at Migration and Health Disparities in Chronic Conditions after Age 50”, paper presented at the 2015 American Sociological Association meeting, Chicago, IL, August 22-25, 2015.
- “Racial and Ethnic Homogamy and Gender Differences in Time on Core Household Labor”, paper presented at the 2015 Population Association of America meeting, San Diego, CA, April 30 – May 2, 2015.
- “Linguistic Isolation among Older Immigrants in the U.S.: What Can We Learn from Demographic Decomposition?”, poster presented at the 2015 Population Association of America meeting, San Diego, CA, April 30 – May 2, 2015.
- “Age at Migration, Public Assistance Program Participation and Naturalization among Older Immigrants to the U.S.”, paper presented at the 2015 Eastern Sociological Society meeting in New York, NY, February 26-28, 2015.
- 2014 “A First Assessment of the ACA: Changes in Health Insurance Coverage and Affordability among Adults Age 50-64”, poster presented at the 2014 Gerontological Society of America meeting, Washington, DC, November 5-9, 2014.
- “Protective Citizenship: Functional Limitations, Welfare Participation and Naturalization among Later Life Immigrants to the U.S.”, paper presented at the 2014 Population Association of America meeting, Boston, May 1-3, 2014.

- "Sooner, Later or Never? Patterns of Naturalization of the U.S. Immigrants, 1980-2010", poster presented at the 2014 Population Association of America meeting, Boston, May 1-3, 2014.
- 2013 "Age at Migration and Self-Rated Health Trajectories after Age 50: Evidence from the HRS", paper presented at the 2013 American Sociological Association meeting, New York, August 10-13, 2013.
- "Nativity, Age at Migration, and Self-Rated Health Trajectories after Age 50: Evidence from the HRS", paper presented at the 2013 Population Association of America meeting, New Orleans, April 11-13, 2013.
- 2012 "Call Home? Communication Technology and Adult Children's Contacts with Mother in Cross-National Perspective?", paper presented at the UCLA/UCI Relations Cross Nations (RCN) International Working Group workshop, UCLA, August 27-28, 2012.
- "Call Home? Communication Technology and Adult Children's Contacts with Mother in Cross-National Perspective?", paper presented at 2012 American Sociological Association meeting in Denver, CO, August 17-20, 2012.
- "Naturalization and Functional Limitations in Older Age among Mexican and Non-Mexican Immigrants", paper presented at the Research Training Workshop of the UC Center of Expertise on Migration and Health (COEMH), Los Angeles, CA, June 25-28, 2012.
- "(Un)Healthy Immigrant Citizens: Naturalization and Functional Limitations over the Incorporation Life course", paper presented at the 2012 Population Association of America meeting in San Francisco, CA, May 3-5, 2012.
- "Adult Children's Contacts with Mother in Cross-National Perspective: Does Technology Matter?", poster presented at the 2012 Population Association of America meeting in San Francisco, CA, May 3-5, 2012.
- Blue Ribbon Poster Award*
- "(Un)Healthy Immigrant Citizens: Naturalization and Functional Limitations in Older Age", paper presented at the "Population Society and Inequality" colloquium, March 16, 2012, Department of Sociology, UCI.
- 2010 "Farewell to Moms? Maternal Contact in Seven Countries, 1986-2001", paper presented at the ESF/HumVIB Workshop "Comparing European Countries: Multilevel, Cross-Time", December 15-17, 2010, Hamburg, Germany.
- "Frequency of Maternal Visits and Other Contacts, 1986-2001: A Cross-National Analysis", paper presented at the 2010 Population Association of America meeting in Dallas, Texas, April 17-19, 2010.
- "The Effect of Years Lived in the United States on Self-Rated Health: Does Country of Origin Matter?", poster presented at the 2010 Population Association of America meeting in Dallas, Texas, April 17-19, 2010.
- 2009 "Changing Attitudes toward Marriage and Children in Six Countries", paper presented at the 2009 Population Association of America meeting in Detroit, Michigan, April 29 - May 2, 2009.

- 2008 “Do Marital Status and National Prevalence of Cohabitation Affect Attitudes toward Cohabitation? Evidence from 28 countries”, poster presented at the 2008 Population Association of America (PAA) meeting in New Orleans, Louisiana, April 17-19, 2008.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2013 - University at Albany, SUNY
Undergraduate courses: ASOC 221 Statistics for Sociologists, ASOC 250 Sociology of Families, ASOC 320 Population Challenges, ASOC 359 Medical Sociology, ASOC 470W Immigration, Aging and Health
Graduate courses: ASOC 524 Data Analysis and Visualization with R; ASOC 560 Sociology of Families, ASOC 666 Sociology of Life Course.
- 2010-2011 University of California, Irvine (Instructor)
Undergraduate courses: Marriage and Families
- 2007-2013 University of California, Irvine (Teaching Assistant)
Undergraduate courses: Probability and Statistics I, II, III; Marriage and Families; Population; Introduction into Urban Studies.
Graduate courses: Research Design

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Book award committee, ASA Population Section, February – May, 2025
Session organizer and chair, “Migration, Health, and Mortality in Europe” PAA meeting, St Louis, MO, May 7-9, 2026
Council Member (elected), ASA Population Section, 2025-28
Junior scholar mentor, ASA Population Section, 2025-26
Discussant, “Migration and the Life course,” PAA meeting, Washington, DC, April 10-13, 2025
Best student paper award committee (volunteered), ASA Population Section, February-May, 2025
Junior scholar mentor, ASA Family Section, 2024-25
Junior scholar mentor, ASA Population Section, 2024-25
Nominations committee (volunteered), ASA Population Section, November-December 2023
Discussant, “Immigration Policy and Immigrant Well-being,” PAA meeting, Austin, TX, April 10-13, 2019
Discussant, “Comparative Perspectives on Inequality in Later Life,” ASA meeting, Philadelphia, PA, August 11-14, 2018
Presider, “The Roots of Inequality: Early and Mid-Life Determinants of Health and Well-being in Later Life,” ASA meeting, Philadelphia, PA, August 11-14, 2018
Session organizer and chair, “Migration and Health,” PAA meeting, Denver, CO, April 26-28, 2018
Session organizer and chair, “Immigration and Health in the U.S.,” PAA meeting, Denver, CO, April 26-28, 2018
Presider, “Trends and Differentials in Population Health,” ASA meeting, Seattle, WA, Aug 20-23, 2016
Session organizer (3 sessions), Population Section’s regular session on Mortality and Morbidity, ASA meeting, Seattle, WA, Aug 20-23, 2016
Discussant, “Cross-National Comparisons of Life-Course Transitions,” ASA meeting, Chicago, IL, Aug 22-25, 2015

Discussant, "Health and Disability in Later Life," Population Association of America (PAA) meeting, Boston, MA, May 1-3, 2014

Presider, Population Section's regular session on Fertility, American Sociological Association (ASA) meeting, Denver, CO, Aug 17-20, 2012

AD HOC REVIEWER

American Sociological Review; American Journal of Sociology; Social Forces; Journal of Marriage and Family; Demography; Journal of Health and Social Behavior; The Journals of Gerontology: Social Sciences, Series B; Social Science Research; European Sociological Review; Research on Aging; Journal of Aging and Health; International Migration Review; Social Problems; Social Science and Medicine: Population Health; Social Currents; The Gerontologist; Sociological Forum; Sociological Perspectives; Population Research and Policy Review; Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health; Journal of Family Issues; Innovations in Aging; European Journal of Population; International Sociology; Journal of Comparative Family Studies; Comparative Population Studies; Journal of Gerontological Social Work; International Journal of Comparative Family Studies; Community, Work and Family; Journal of Alzheimer's Disease; National Science Foundation; European Research Council; Nuffield Foundation; Dutch Research Council (NWO), Swedish Research Council.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Population Association of America (PAA)
- American Sociological Association (ASA): Family; Population; Aging and Life Course; International Migration sections
- (former) Gerontological Society of America (GSA)
- (former) International Union for the Scientific Studies of Population (IUSSP)

DEPARTMENT AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Sociology department, University at Albany, SUNY
Undergraduate director 2026-2029
CGS in Demography committee (chair), 2023-26
Term renewal report, Winter 2026
Graduate committee 2025-27, 2021-22, 2017-18
Undergraduate committee 2022-24, 2026-29 (chair)
Faculty search committee, Summer 2025
Tenure & Promotion committee (co-chair), Fall 2023
Executive committee 2023-25, 2014-16
Teaching committee 2015-17
MA program development committee 2019-2021 (chair), 2018-19, 2016-17
Symposium committee 2018-20, 2013-15
Panelist, teaching workshop "Using Technology to Facilitate Learning in Large Lecture Halls", March 29, 2017
Panelist, teaching workshop "Having a Good TA Experience", November 16, 2015
Faculty support, graduate student reading group "Group of Immigration and Citizenship Studies", 2013-2015
Panelist, teaching workshop "Job Talks", November 2013

College of Arts & Sciences, University at Albany, SUNY
Tenure & Promotion committee, 2023-2025
Ad hoc grievance committee, May 2025
Ad hoc grievance committee, December 2017
CAS Council (subcommittee on Academic Programs) 2016-2019

Center for Demographic and Social Analysis (CSDA), University at Albany, SUNY
Executive committee member, 2019-2021

Sociology Department, University of California, Irvine
Panelist, professional development workshop "Going on the Job Market", May 2013
Co-organizer, faculty and graduate student reading group "Advanced Statistics in Sociological Research", Department of Sociology, 2012-2013
• 2013 UCI Sociology Department Outstanding Service Award
Peer mentor, Department of Sociology, 2012-2013

WORK WITH STUDENTS

Comprehensive exams committees:

Demography: Colleen Wynn (2014); Kaitlin Meck (2016); Zequn Tang (2017); Danielle George (2018); Dandan Zhao (2019); In Choi (2021); Radhika Prasad (chair, 2023); Sarah McCarthy (2023); Hohyun Kim (2023); Lindsey Elliott (2024)

Family: Maegan Morin (2015); Danielle George (2017); Sonya Grover (chair, 2017); Dandan Zhao (2018); In Choi (2020); Jungmin Shin (2022); Kimberly Gan (2022); Chunxu Fang (2023); Jeewoo Shin (2023); Sena Eksi (chair, 2024); Myia Samuels (2024); Radhika Prasad (chair, 2024); Hohyun Kim (chair, 2024)

Immigration: Daniela Pila (2014); Seulki Kim (2017); Yuanfei Li (2018); Feinou Sun (2018), Florencia Silveira (2020); Yi Lu (2021); Tsveta Dobрева (chair, 2022); Adriana Mintarsih (2023); Jiwon Choi (2024); Myia Samuels (2024)

Medical sociology: Yuhang Li (2025)

Sociology of aging: Xiaoyu Yao (2026)

Co-teaching internship: Sena Eksi (ASOC 320 Population Challenges, Spring 2024); Xiaoyu Yao (ASOC 221 Statistics for Sociologists, Spring 2026)

PhD dissertation committee chair: Jeewoo Shin (2026); Hohyun Kim.

PhD dissertation committee member: Yuanfei Li (2022); Shichao Du (2023); Beenna Han (2024); Dandan Zhao (2025); Sarah McCarthy (2026); Danielle George-Lucas (proposal 2023); Sonya Becker (proposal 2024); Radhika Prasad.

MA thesis committee member: Alison Van Glad (2018); Yiwei Xiong (2021).

Undergraduate honors thesis: Jamie Aldrich (2015-2016, Best Sociology Undergraduate Paper Award)

MEDIA AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

["Older immigrants' living arrangements in the U.S. and sending countries"](#), *N-IUSSP article* (with Zequn Tang), Jan 22, 2018

[“Re-Thinking Who Does What: The Case of Interracial Partnerships and Housework”](#), *Gender & Society blog* (with Catherine Bolzendahl), May 23, 2017.
[“Study links cellphone proliferation, more frequent calls to mom by adult children”](#), *Phys.org*, May 11, 2017
[“Immigration Status Impacts Health, Especially for the Young”](#), *Health Behavior New Service*, December 10, 2013
“Naturalization and Age Predictors in Health of Older Adult Immigrants”, *Elderbranch*, January 15, 2014

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

Epigenetics for Social Scientists Workshop, National Institute of Aging training course, August 9-12, 2021, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI (online).
Russel Sage Foundation’s Summer Institute in Social Science Geonomics, June 9-21, 2019, Santa Barbara, CA.
Russel Sage Foundation’s Summer Institute in Migration Research Methods, June 17-28, 2018, University of California, Berkeley, CA
Demography and Social Media, 2017 IPC pre-conference workshop, October 29, 2017, Cape Town, South Africa
Structural Equation Modeling with Longitudinal Data, Statistical Horizons’ Workshop, June 22-23, 2017, Boston, MA
Genomics for Social Scientists Workshop, National Institute of Aging training course, June 12-16, 2017, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI
Survival Analysis, Statistical Horizons’ Workshop, June 23-24, 2016, Boston, MA
Population Aging Grant-Writing Boot Camp, University at Albany, SUNY (CSDA), June – August, 2015
Programming in STATA, StataCorp online course, January – March, 2014
Stanford Workshop in Biodemography, Stanford University, CA, May 6-8, 2013
7th Summer Institute on Migration and Global Health, Los Angeles, CA, June 25-29, 2012
RAND Summer Institute: the Mini-Medical School for Social Scientists and the Demography, Economics, and Epidemiology of Aging, July 11-14, 2011 and July 12-16, 2010
ESF/HumVIB Workshop “Comparing European Countries: Multilevel, Cross-Time”, December 15-17, 2010, Hamburg, Germany
ESF/HumVIB Training Course “Multilevel Modeling in the Social Sciences”, September 16-19, 2009, University of Vienna, Vienna/Austria

OTHER

Proficient using: STATA, R, SPSS, ArcGIS
Languages: Russian (fluent), Ukrainian (fluent), Polish (intermediate), Spanish (basic)