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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2020 - Present Associate Professor, University at Albany, State University of New York (SUNY) 2014 - 2020 Assistant Professor, University at Albany, State University of New York (SUNY)

EDUCATION

Ph.D. University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

Urban and Regional Planning, 2014

Dissertation title: Critical perspectives on local governance: The formation of Business Improvement Districts (BIDs) in low-income immigrant neighborhoods of Los Angeles, advised by Dr. Joseph Grengs

MSW University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

Social Work, 2009

Concentrations: Community Organizing and Community & Social Systems

University of California, Berkeley City and Regional Planning, Summer 2008

BPS and BA Korea University, Seoul

Political Science and Chinese Literature and Language (dual degree), 2006

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Keywords Community development; neighborhood revitalization; ethnic enclaves; refugee reset-

tlement; multiethnic dynamics; multicultural organizing; social entrepreneurship; human service-business collaboration; smart and connected communities; technology for service delivery; homelessness; spatial analysis and geographical information systems

(GIS)

Courses taught Organizational and Community Theory

Community Economic Development MACRO practice in Social Work I and II

PUBLICATIONS

*Notes postdoctoral fellow author at the time of publication

[†]Notes student author at the time of publication

Journal Articles (Peer-Reviewed)

Lee, Wonhyung and Lindsey Disney. 2023. "Resettled Refugees and African Americans in the Same Neighborhoods: Insights for Intergroup Dynamics and Multicultural Community Building." *Urban Affairs Review*. OnlineFirst. DOI: 10.1177/10780874231209971

Lee, Wonhyung, Janine Jurkowski, and Nicole Gentile.[†] 2023. "Food Pantries and Food Deserts: Health Implications of Access to Emergency Food in Low-income Neighborhoods." *Urban Social Work*. 7(1): 29-42, DOI:10.1891/USW-2022-0008

Lee, Wonhyung and Eunwoo Lee.[†] 2022. "Social Workers as Information Navigators: Insights into the Use of the Web for Serving Clients." *Social Work.* 67 (4): 351-361. First published online July 28, 2022 before print, DOI:10.1093/sw/swac028

Lee, Wonhyung, Kelly Gross,[†] Chararampos Chelmis, and Daphney-Stavroula Zois. 2022. "Community-Engaged Technology Development for Bridging Service Users and Service Providers: Lessons from the Field." *Journal of Community Practice.* 30 (3): 319-331. First published online July 21, 2022 before print, DOI: 10.1080/10705422.2022.2101573

Lee, Eunwoo,[†] Wonhyung Lee, and Stephanie Duncan.[†] 2022. "Understanding Service Navigation Pathways and Service Experiences among Homeless Populations." *Qualitative Social Work.* First published online July 11, 2022 before print, DOI:10.1177/14733250221114477

Lee, Wonhyung. 2022. "Character-based Lending for Micro Business Development: Empirical Insights for Conceptualizing Character." *Journal of Small Business & Entrepreneurship.* 34 (6): 645-660. First published online December 23, 2019 before print, DOI:10.1080/08276331.2019.1701256

Lee, Wonhyung, Chararampos Chelmis, Kirsten DiNicola.[†] 2021. "Coordination Networks among Local Human Service Organizations: Insights into Super-connectors and Barriers." *Journal of Social Service Research.* 47 (3): 315-326. First published online August 4, 2020 before print, DOI:10.1080/01488376.2020.1792028

Abubakari, Mohammed Rabiu,* Kirsten DiNicola,† and Wonhyung Lee. 2020. "Empirical Insights on Technology Use for Navigating Human Services." *Journal of Technology in Human Services*. 38 (4): 331-351. First published online July 9, 2020 before print, DOI:10.1080/15228835.2020.1789025

Lee, Wonhyung and Kristin M. Ferguson. 2019. "The Role of Local Businesses in Addressing Multidimensional Needs of Homeless Populations." *Journal of Human Behavior in the Social Environment* 29 (3): 389-402. First published online December 10, 2018, DOI: 10.1080/10911359.2018.1538922

Lee, Wonhyung and Nurul Widyaningrum.[†] 2019. "Multidimensional Access to Financial Services: Insights from Indonesia." *Progress in Development Studies* 19 (1): 21-35. First published online November 9, 2018, DOI:10.1177/1464993418805171

Pryce, Jessica, Wonhyung Lee, Elizabeth Crowe,[†] Daejun Park,[†] Mary McCarthy, and Greg Owens. 2019. "A Case Study in Public Child Welfare: County-level Practices that Address Racial Disparity in Foster Care Placement." *Journal of Public Child Welfare* 13 (1): 35-59. First published online May 7, 2018, DOI: 10.1080/15548732.2018.1467354

Widyaningrum, Nurul,[†] Meera Bhat,[†] and **Wonhyung Lee**. 2019. "Microfinance in India, Indonesia, and the United States: Implications for Social Work." *International Social Work* 62 (2): 754-767. First published online December 19, 2017, DOI: 10.1177/0020872817746226.

Lee, Wonhyung. 2018. "Downtown Management and Homelessness: The Versatile Roles of Business Improvement Districts." *Journal of Place Management and Development* 11 (4): 411-427. First published online June 12, 2018, DOI:10.1108/JPMD-06-2017-0052

Lee, Wonhyung and Linda Donaldson. 2018. "Street Outreach Workers' Understanding and Experience of Working with Chronically Homeless Populations." *Journal of Poverty* 22 (5): 421-436. First published online April 18, 2018, DOI: 10.1080/10875549.2018.1460737

Lee, Wonhyung. 2017. "Sustainability of Nonprofit Human Service Organizations in a Neighborhood Context." *Nonprofit Leadership and Management* 28 (1):11-24. First published online March 29, 2017 before print, DOI: 10.1002/nml.21264

Lee, Wonhyung and Stephanie Black. 2017. "Small Business Development: Immigrants' Access to Loan Capital." *Journal of Small Business & Entrepreneurship* 29 (3): 193-209. First published online March 15, 2017 before print, DOI:10.1080/08276331.2017.1297106

Lee, Wonhyung. 2016. "Social Work Collaboration with Business in Pursuit of Economic Justice." *Social Work* 61 (3): 209-216. DOI:10.1093/sw/sww019

Lee, Wonhyung. 2016. "Struggles to Form Business Improvement Districts (BIDs) in Los Angeles." *Urban Studies* 53 (16), 3423-3438. First published online November 11, 2015 before print, DOI: 10.1177/0042098015613206

Lee, Wonhyung. 2016. "The Formation of Business Improvement Districts (BIDs) in Low-income Multiethnic Neighborhoods in Los Angeles." *Urban Affairs Review* 52 (6), 944-972. First published online July 28, 2015 before print, DOI:10.1177/1078087415596241

Lee, Wonhyung. 2014. "Development of Chinese Enclaves in the Seoul-Incheon Metropolitan Area, South Korea." *International Development Planning Review* 36 (3), 293-311. DOI:10.3828/idpr.2014.17

Delva, Jorge, Wonhyung Lee, Ninive Sanchez, Fernando Andrade, Andrew Grogan-Kaylor, Guillermo Sanhueza, and Michelle Ho. 2014. "Ecological Factors and Adolescent Marijuana Use: Results of a Prospective Study in Santiago, Chile." *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health* 11 (3), 3443-3452. DOI: 10.3390/ijerph110303443

Lee, Wonhyung, Andrew Grogan-Kaylor, Guillermo Sanhueza, Fernando Andrade, and Jorge Delva. 2014. "The Association of Recreational Space with Youth Smoking in Low Socio-economic Status Neighborhoods in Santiago, Chile." *International Journal of Public Health* 59(1), 87-94. DOI: 10.1007/s00038-013-0477-y

Commentary (Peer-Reviewed)

Aykanian, Amanda,[†] and **Wonhyung Lee**. 2016. "Social Work's Role in Ending the Criminalization of Homelessness: Opportunities for Action." *Social Work* 61 (2): 183-185. DOI:10.1093/sw/sww011

Encyclopedia Entry

Lee, Wonhyung. 2019. "Business Improvement District." The Wiley-Blackwell Encyclopedia of Urban and Regional Studies, edited by Anthony Orum. John Wiley & Sons. p.184-190.

Edited Book Chapters

Lee, Wonhyung and Stephanie Black. 2020. "Immigrant Entrepreneurship: Economic and Social Development." In *Social and Economic Development in Transition Economies: The Role for Entrepreneurship*, edited by Katharine Briar-Lawson, Paul Miesing, and Blanca Ramos. Oxford University Press.

Lee, Wonhyung, William Brigham, Stephanie Wacholder, Bruce Stanley, and Kate Baker. 2020. "The Development of Microloan Program: The Role of University and Local Financial and Business Development Leaders." In *Social and Economic Development in Transition Economies: The Role for Entrepreneurship*, edited by Katharine Briar-Lawson, Paul Miesing, and Blanca Ramos. Oxford University Press.

Lee, Wonhyung and Kristin M. Ferguson. 2019. "Multisectoral Collaborations to Address Homelessness." In *Homeless Prevention and Intervention in Social Work: Policies, Programs, and Practices*, edited by Heather Larkin, Amanda Aykanian, and Cal Streeter, Chapter 12. p.239-254. Springer.

Donaldson, P. Linda, and **Wonhyung Lee**. 2019. "Homeless Street Outreach: Spark for the Journey to a Dignified Life." In *Homeless Prevention and Intervention in Social Work: Policies, Programs, and Practices*, edited by Heather Larkin, Amanda Aykanian, and Cal Streeter. Chapter 14. p.279-299. Springer.

Lee, Wonhyung. 2017. "Microfinance: Models and Implications for Social Entrepreneurship" In Educating Social Entrepreneurs: A Workbook of Commentaries, Exercises, and Cases. Vol. II: From Business Plan Formulation to Implementation, edited by Paul Miesing and Maria Aggestam, Section 25. p.83-92. Business Expert Press: New York City. The United Nations PRME (Principles for Responsible Management Education) Book Collection.

Book Reviews

Lee, Wonhyung. 2019. Financial Capability and Asset Building in Vulnerable Households: Theory and Practice. *Journal of Teaching in Social Work* 39 (2): 189-190. DOI:10.1080/08841233.2019.1583998

Lee, Wonhyung. 2018. Business Improvement Districts in the United States: Private Government and Public Consequences. *Economic Development Quarterly* 32 (3): 258-259. DOI:10.1177/0891242418782276

Lee, Wonhyung. 2015. New Strategies for Social Innovation: Market-based Approaches for Assisting the Poor. Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly 44 (5):1066-1068. DOI:10.1177/0899764015591346

Conference Proceedings

Chelmis, Charalampos, Wenting Qi,[†] Wonhyung Lee, 2021. "Challenges and Opportunities in Using Data Science for Homelessness Service Provision." *Companion Proceedings of the Web Conference 2021*, pp. 128-135. DOI: 10.1145/3442442.3453454

Chelmis, Charalampos, Wenting Qi,[†] Wonhyung Lee, and Stephanie Duncan.[†] 2021. "Smart Homelessness Service Provision with Machine Learning." *Procedia Computer Science*. 185, pp. 9-18. DOI: 10.1016/j.procs.2021.05.002

Zois, Daphney-Stavroula, Christopher Yong,[†] Charalampos Chelmis, Angeliki Kapodistria,[†] and **Wonhyung Lee**. 2018. "Improving Monitoring of Participatory Civil Issue Requests through Optimal Online Classification." In 2018 52nd Asilomar Conference on Signals, Systems, and Computers, pp. 2034-2038. IEEE, 2018. DOI: 10.1109/ACSSC.2018.8645177

Government Report

"Racial equity: Nassau and Onondaga County Report" submitted to New York State Office of Children and Family Services, December 2016. With Jessica Pryce, Beth Sellati, Daejun Park, and Mary McCarthy.

RESEARCH FUNDING

2020-2022 Lee: Co-Principal Investigator

National Science Foundation (NSF), Transition to Practice Supplemental Funding for the Smart and Connected Communities Program. "Community on Multimodality: Participatory Action, Service, and Support (COMPASS)." (PI: Dr. Daphney-Stavroula Zois, Co-PI: Dr. Charalampos Chelmis) \$331,320

2020-2021 Lee: Co-Principal Investigator

National Science Foundation (NSF), INTERN Supplemental Funding for Non-Academic Research Internships for Graduate Students associated with the Smart and Connected Communities Program. "Community on Multimodality: Participatory Action, Service, and Support (COMPASS)." (PI: Dr. Daphney-Stavroula Zois, Co-PI: Dr. Charalampos Chelmis) \$29,160

2017-2020 Lee: Co-Principal Investigator

National Science Foundation (NSF), Smart and Connected Communities. "Community on Multimodality: Participatory Action, Service, and Support (COMPASS)." (PI: Dr. Daphney-Stavroula Zois, Co-PI: Dr. Charalampos Chelmis) \$996,740

2016-2018 Lee: Principal Investigator

University at Albany, Faculty Research Award (FRAP A). "Redefining Food Desert: Where Do Poor People Get Their Food?" (Co-PI: Dr. Janine Jurkowski) \$7,634

2013 Diversity Center Grant, School of Public Policy, University of Michigan. \$3,000

2009, 2013 Rackham Research Grants, University of Michigan. \$3,000

PRESENTATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Conference Presentations

Lee, Wonhyung and Jeesoo Jung. "The Impact of Resettlement Support on Refugees' Employment Outcomes in Relation to Pre-Migration Characteristics." Poster accepted to the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) 28th Annual Program Meeting. Washington, D.C. January 2024.

Lee, Wonhyung and Lindsey Disney. "Multicultural community building for social activism: Insights from refugee communities." Poster presented to the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) 69th Annual Program Meeting. Atlanta, GA. October 2023.



(Conference canceled due to COVID-19).



Lee, Wonhyung and Nurul Widyaningrum. "Access to Microloan Programs in Rural and Slum Areas in Indonesia." Poster presented at the Society for Social Work and

Research (SSWR) 19th Annual Conference, Washington, D.C., January 2016.

2016

2015 Lee, Wonhyung. "The Location Change and Survival of Nonprofit Human Service Organizations in the Neighborhood Context." Paper presented at the Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA). Chicago, IL. November, 2015. 2015 Lee, Wonhyung, Meera Bhat, and Nurul Widyaningrum. "Microfinance in India. Indonesia, and the United States: Implications for Social Work." Paper presented at the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) 61st Annual Program Meeting, Denver, CO, October 2015. 2015 Weiler, Robert, Heather Larkin, Katharine Briar-Lawson, Daniel Herman, Michael Patchner, Will Rainford, Nancy Meyer-Adams, Wonhyung Lee. "The National Homelessness Social Work Initiative: Partnerships for Workforce Development." Hot Topic at Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) 61st Annual Program Meeting, Denver, CO, October 2015. 2015 "Struggles to Form Business Improvement Districts (BIDs) in Los Angeles." Paper presented at the Urban Affairs Association (UAA) 45th Annual Conference, Miami, FL, April 2015. 2015 Lee, Wonhyung. "The Formation of Business Improvement Districts (BIDs) in Low-Income Multiethnic Neighborhoods of Los Angeles." Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) 18th Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA, January 2015. 2013 Lee, Wonhyung. "Grassroots Community Organizing for Improving Commercial Districts in Multiethnic Neighborhoods." Paper presented at Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) 59th Annual Program Meeting, Dallas, TX, October 2013. 2013 Delva, Jorge, Guillermo Sanhueza, Fernando H. Andrade, Andrew Grogan-Kaylor, Wonhyung Lee, Michelle Ho, and Julie Ma. "Conducting a Systematic Neighborhood Observations Study in Low-Income Chilean Neighborhoods." Paper presented at the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) 59th Annual Program Meeting, Dallas, TX, October 2013. 2013 Delva, Jorge, Wonhyung Lee, and Fernando H. Andrade. "Neighborhood Environment and Marijuana Use: Results of a Prospective Study with Adolescents in Santiago, Chile." Paper presented at the conference "Global Health and Well-Being: The Social Work Response." New York University, June 2013. 2013 Lee, Wonhyung, Jorge Delva, Guillermo Sanhueza, Andrew Grogan-Kaylor, and Fernando H. Andrade. "Spatial Analyses of Adolescent Cigarette Smoking and Recreational Spaces in Santiago, Chile." Paper presented at the Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile, Santiago, Chile, May 2013. 2013 Lee, Wonhyung. "Organizing Collective Effort for Improving Commercial Districts:

Lessons from Business Associations in Detroit." Poster presented at the Federal Reserve System Community Development Research 8th biennial Conference, Washington,

D.C., April 2013.

- 2013 Lee, Wonhyung and Bea Akins. "Is a Business Improvement District (BID) a Universal Solution? A Case Study of Two Business Communities in Detroit." Paper presented at the Urban Affairs Association (UAA) 43rd Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA, April 2013.
- 2012 **Lee, Wonhyung**. "State, Immigrants, and the Formation of Old and New "Chinatowns" in Seoul and Tokyo." Paper presented at the Association for Asian Studies (AAS) Annual Conference, Toronto, Canada, March 2012.
- 2012 Lee, Wonhyung, Andrew Grogan-Kaylor, Guillermo Sanhueza, Fernando H. Andrade, and Jorge Delva. "Access to Recreational Space and Youth Smoking In Santiago, Chile." Paper presented at the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) 16th Annual Conference, Washington, D.C., January 2012.
- 2010 Lee, Wonhyung, Andrew Grogan-Kaylor, Ninive Sanchez, Marcela Castillo, and Jorge Delva. "The Relative Impact of Crime, Poverty and Physical Environment on Youth Substance Use in Seven Neighborhoods in Santiago, Chile." Poster presented at the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) 14th Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA, January 2010.

Invited Presentations and Panel Discussions

- Wonhyung Lee. "Space for Everyone: Building Equity into Downtown Revitalization" University of Scranton, PA. October 2022.
- Wonhyung Lee. [Moderator] "What/Where Are the New Urban Frontiers?" Urban Frontiers: A Conference on Gentrification Studies, Albany, NY, July 2021.
- 2018 Chelmis, Charalampos, Daphney-Stavroula Zois, and **Wonhyung Lee**. "Making Nonprofit and Service-providing Agencies with Big Data." INFORMS Annual Meeting, Phoenix, AZ, November 2018.
- Zois, Daphney-Stavroula and Wonhyung Lee. "Community on Multimodality: Participatory Action, Service, and Support (COMPASS)." Research Lightning Talks, NSF PI Meeting. Kansas City, MO. March 2018.
- Wonhyung Lee. "Maximizing Service Delivery: Integrating Human Behaviors, Data Analytics, and Engineering." ADA Lightning Talks, University at Albany, SUNY. Albany, NY. February 2018.
- Wonhyung Lee. [Panelist] Food pantries research panel with Dr. Don Levy, Dr. Paul Thurston, Nick Daly, Dr. Cynthia Bott, Jay Rodriguez, and Sean Cochrane. Capital District Food Summit, Sienna College. Albany, NY.
- Wonhyung Lee. "Immigrant Businesses and Their Entrepreneurship." The Social and Economic Development Forum. University at Albany, SUNY. Albany, NY.
- Delva, Jorge and **Wonhyung Lee**. "Using Systematic Neighborhood Observation Data to Examine the Link between Accessibility to Green Spaces and Cigarettes Smoking Among Chilean Youth." Invited paper presented at the School of Social Work, Brigham Young University.

Media Coverage and Contributions

2020	"Helping the homeless through BIDs" The Academic Minute, WAMC Northeast Public Radio (January 9, 2020)
2019	"The Changing Role of Business Improvement Districts" The UAlbany News Podcast (August 27, 2019)
2017	"In Neighborhoods that Struggle Economically, Supporting Community Cohesion is Key to the Formation of Business Improvement Districts" London School of Economics USAPP- American Politics and Policy blog (February 23, 2017)
2017	"What Contributes to the Successful Formation of a Business Improvement District in a Low-income Immigrant Neighborhood?" Urban Institute How Housing Matters (February 8, 2017)
2016	"Social Work and Microfinance in Indian, Indonesia, and United States" in Social Work Podcast Series University at Buffalo, SUNY (October 24, 2016)
2015	"Community Organizing Powers BIDs in Multiethnic Neighborhoods" Next City (October 12, 2015)

TEACHING

University at Albany, SUNY, School of Social Welfare

Instructor

\mathbf{BSW}

Organizational and Community Theory (Fall 2014, Fall 2015, Fall 2016, Fall 2017, Fall 2018, Fall 2019, Fall 2021)

MSW

MACRO Practice in Social Work I (Fall 2017, Fall 2018, Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Fall 2021, Fall 2023)

MACRO Practice in Social Work II (Spring 2017, Spring 2018, Spring 2020, Spring 2021)

Community Economic Development (Spring 2015, Spring 2016, Summer 2017, Spring 2018, Spring 2019, Spring 2020, Spring 2021)

Doctoral

Independent Study in Social Welfare (Spring 2015, Spring 2016, Spring 2017)

Independent Research in Social Welfare (Spring 2017, Fall 2017)

Capstone Project Mentor

Undergraduate Electrical & Computer Engineering (ECE) Design Lab I &II (Fall 2020-Spring 2021)

Guest Lecturer

"Business Improvement Districts" Public Economics, Rockefeller College of Public Affairs & Policy (Spring 2018)

"Using Spatial Analysis and Geographical Information Systems (GIS)" School of Public Health, University at Albany, SUNY(Fall 2015, Fall 2016)

"Physical Environment and Human Behavior" School of Social Work, Virginia Commonwealth University (Fall 2013, video conference)

Dissertation Committees

Charlene Bradt, School of Social Welfare, "Women, work, and household stressors: Exploring the disproportionate impacts of COVID-19 on women in Schenectady, NY" (Chair)

Biyun Xiang, School of Social Welfare, "The influence of social capital on the preferences for aging in community" (Member)

Kelly Gross, School of Social Welfare, "The role of micro-businesses' social networks: Mutual aid in community-led economic development" (Chair)

Amanda Aykanian, School of Social Welfare, "Homeless service utilization and engagement: A mixed-method study examining the role of mobility" (Member)

Sungeun Kim, Rockefeller College of Public Affairs & Policy, "Nonprofit interorganizational collaboration" (Member)

Suran Ahn, "The effects of employment and training programs on low-income workers' labor market outcomes: evidence from the survey of income and program participation" (Member)

SERVICE

University at Albany, SUNY

University Service Activities

2018	Institute of Nonprofit Leadership and Community Development, Mentor for Emerging Nonprofit Leadership Accelerator
2017-present	Center for Experiential Education Faculty Ambassador
2017-2018	Faculty Research Awards Program (FRAP A) Assessment Committee
2016-2017	Faculty Research Awards Program (FRAP A) Assessment Committee

School Service Activities

2023-2024	BSW Program Committee, School of Social Welfare
2023	MSW Program Admissions, School of Social Welfare
2023	Search Committee, Faculty position affiliated with the Artificial Intelligence Institute, School of Social Welfare
2019-2021	Committee on Standards for Social Work Education, School of Social Welfare

2018-2021	BSW Program Committee, School of Social Welfare
2019-2020	Search Committee, Faculty position, School of Social Welfare
2016-2018	MSW Program Committee, MACRO representative, School of Social Welfare
2017	Search Committee, Assistant Director of Field Education, School of Social Welfare
2015-2017	Committee on Standards for Social Work Education, School of Social Welfare
2014-2016	MSW Program Committee, MACRO representative, School of Social Welfare
2014-2015	Search Committee, Faculty position, Department of Geography and Planning

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

2009 Recruitment, Admissions and Financial Aid Committee, School of Social Work

Community Engagement and Service Activities

2020-present	Refugee Welcome Center, Board Member, Albany, NY
2019-present	Central Ave Business Improvement District, Board Member, Albany, NY
2018	The Food Pantries Software Development Committee Member, Albany, NY
2016-2018	Light the City Network Development, Board Member, Albany, NY
2014-present	SEED Program Evaluation, Faculty Consultant, Albany, NY
2013	Skid Row Housing Trust Gardening Projects ('Ur-Bin' Network), Participant, Los Angeles, CA

Award

2020	University at Albany President's Award for Exemplary Public Engagement
2016	"Outstanding Community Partner Award" by the Food Pantries for the Capital District, named with other colleagues at UAlbany

Recognition

2022 University at Albany Inventor Recognition Honoree

Reviewer

Economic Development Quarterly
Health & Social Care in the Community
International Development Planning Review
International Social Work
Journal of International Migration and Integration
Journal of Social Work Education
Nonprofit Volunteer Sector Quarterly

Nonprofit Management & Leadership The Social Science Journal Urban Affairs Review

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING AND ASSOCIATIONS

Training and Certificates

2019-2020	Capital Region Engaged Scholar Teacher (CREST) Fellowship program
2016	Critical Time Intervention (CTI) certificate by t3 (Think.Teach.Transform) center (online)
2010-2012	Advanced training in statistics at the Center for Statistical Consultation and Research (CSCAR) and the Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) Summer Program at the University of Michigan
2010-2011	Certified through Responsible Conduct of Research and Scholarship Training School of Social Work; University of Michigan (This certification was required for students and postdocs funded by NIH).

Associations

Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA) Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)
National Center for Excellence in Homeless Services
Urban Affairs Association (UAA)
Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR)