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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT:

2012-Present: Yale University
Assistant Professor of Sociology and Global Affairs
Faculty Fellow, Center for Research on Inequalities and the Life Course
Director of Graduate Studies, Jackson Institute for Global Affairs (2015-Present)
Winner, Lex Hixon '63 Prize for teaching excellence in the social sciences (May 2016)

2010 – 2012: Yale University
Post-doctoral Associate and Lecturer, Jackson Institute for Global Affairs

EDUCATION:

PhD Sociology and Public Policy, University of Michigan, 2010
MA Statistics, University of Michigan, 2008
MA Sociology, University of Michigan, 2008
MPP Public Policy, University of Michigan, 2004
BA Political Science, St. John's University, 2002

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS:

- Social demography
- Social welfare policy and program utilization
- Poverty, affluence and inequality
- Adolescent relationship formation and behaviors
- Families of adolescents
- Quantitative methodology and research design

CURRENT PROJECTS:

"The New Social Program Users: Demographic Shifts in Social Program Participation Since the Great Recession."

The Great Recession was the most severe economic downturn since the Great Depression and the toughest test for America's contemporary work-based social safety net. This project analyzes whether or not the depth of the recession coaxed participation from new types of individuals. It also begs the question, what happens to people in a work-based safety net when work disappears?

"Cracking the Ceiling: Has Access to the Top Income Positions Changed Over Time?" (with Fabian Pfeffer).

This project seeks to analyze movements into and out of the top income and earnings positions over time and to explain these changes from a demographic perspective. As inequality in America has dramatically risen, has the very top end of the class structure also grown more rigid? We use survey and administrative data to conduct our analyses.

"The Death Squeeze: How Parental Death Reproduces Inequality in America"

Does a parent's death affect their grown adult children differently depending on the timing? Given the

socioeconomic and racial gradient in mortality, the death of a parent is likely to occur earlier for some and later for others. Does this differential create a barrier to upward mobility? Is it a mechanism for the reproduction of racial and class inequality?

"Sibling Socialization: Sibling Composition and the Direct/Indirect Impacts on Gendered Outcomes." (with Limor Gabay-Egozi and Natalie Nitsche)

The family is the first social institution into which we are born and siblings can exert early, strong and sustained social influences on an individual. Following in the tradition of other researchers who explore gender dynamics within sibling groups, this project seeks to apply these theories to a wider set of gendered outcomes beyond educational completion. We also seek to test the mechanisms by which these dynamics occur.

"Pro-Marriage Welfare Policy in Post Marriage-Equality America." (with Aaron Berman)

The welfare reform debate in America is as much about family as it is about work. During the George W. Bush administration, Federal funds for social welfare programs were allocated to marriage incentive programs like the Healthy Marriage Initiative. A shift away from these programs during the Obama administration means that these programs have not been reconsidered since the marriage-equality 'revolution' in the U.S. What would pro-marriage policy look like in this new family landscape? What are the challenges and opportunities?

"Welfare States and Inequality in Rich Countries: The Proliferation of Work-Based Safety Nets and Inequality in Developed Economies."

Rich economies use different approaches to providing a social safety net to their citizens, ranging from entitlement regimes to work-based systems. Evidence suggests that spending on the social safety net is negatively correlated with inequality because redistributive policies that buttress a 'strong' social safety net also neutralize inequality. This project focuses instead on the *nature* of the welfare state and whether work-based approaches, which filter low-income people into low-income jobs, actually *increase* inequality.

PUBLICATIONS:

Grieger, Lloyd D. "Social Program Participation in a Time of Economic Crisis: Evidence from the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program." (Under Review)

Gabay-Egozi, Limor; Lloyd Grieger and Natalie Nitsche. "The Influence of Sibling Composition on Younger Siblings' Educational Outcomes." (Under Review)

Grieger, Lloyd D., Yasamin Kusunoki and David Harding. 2014. "Adolescent Romantic Relationships Without Borders." *Focus* 31(1): Spring/Summer.

Grieger, Lloyd D, April Williamson, Murray Leibbrandt, and James Levinsohn. 2014. "Evidence of Short-Term Household Change in South Africa from the National Income Dynamics Study." *Development Southern Africa* 31(1): 146-167.

Grieger, Lloyd D and Jessica Wyse. 2013. "The Impacts of Welfare Reform on Federal Assistance to Persistently Poor Children." *Journal of Children and Poverty* 19(2): 71-89.

Grieger, Lloyd D and Sheldon Danziger. 2011. "Who Receives Food Stamps During Adulthood? Analyzing Repeatable Events with Incomplete Event Histories." *Demography* 48(4): 1601-1614.

Grieger, Lloyd D, Sheldon Danziger, and Robert Schoeni. 2009. "Accurately Measuring the Trend in Poverty in the United States Using the Panel Study of Income Dynamics." *Journal of Economic and Social Measurement* 34(2-3): 105-117.

GRANTS FOR RESEARCH:

2016 – 2018: Russell Sage Foundation ($150,000)
How Accessible is the Top? The Changing Rigidity of High Incomes and Earnings

2013 – 2014: RIDGE Center for Targeted Studies Grant ($35,000)
The Demography of SNAP Participation During and After the Great Recession

UNIVERSITY TEACHING*:

Courses:

- Applied Quantitative Analysis (Graduate and Undergraduate)
- Statistics I & II (Graduate)
- Calculus for Public Policy (Graduate)
- Statistics for Public Policy (Graduate)
- Social Science Data Analysis: South Africa (Graduate)
- Poverty and Social Welfare Policy in the United States (Graduate and Undergraduate)
- Sociology of the Family and Kinship (Graduate and Undergraduate)
- Inequality and Life Course Workshop (Graduate)

Awards:

- Lex Hixon '63 Prize for teaching excellence in the social sciences in Yale College, Yale University (May 2016)
- Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award, University of Michigan (May 2006)

Load: 4 Courses per year. Yale does not permit course buyouts.

*Teaching evaluations are available upon request.

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE:

2016: Director of Graduate Studies, Jackson Institute for Global Affairs
Ph.D. Admissions Committee, Sociology Department
M.A. Admissions Committee, Jackson Institute for Global Affairs
Davis Projects for Peace Award Committee
Freshman Academic Advisor
Calhoun College Resident Fellow, Yale College
Branford College Fellow, Yale College
Yale College Quantitative Council
Yale College Education Studies Committee

2015: Director of Graduate Studies, Jackson Institute for Global Affairs
Freshman Academic Advisor
Branford Residential College Fellow
Yale College Quantitative Council

2014: MacMillian Center Pre-Dissertation and Dissertation Grant Committee
Davis Projects for Peace Award Committee
M.A. Admissions Committee, Jackson Institute for Global Affairs
Wrexham Senior Thesis Award Committee

2013: Yale Demography Workshop Distinguished Speaker Series (Faculty Organizer)
University Committee on Library Policy
B.A. Admissions Committee, Jackson Institute for Global Affairs
Davis Projects for Peace Award Committee
M.A. Admissions Committee, Jackson Institute for Global Affairs
MacMillian Center Pre-Dissertation and Dissertation Grant Committee

2012: Sociology Senior Search Committee
Math Workshop for Incoming Sociology Graduate Students (Instructor)
MacMillian Center International Summer Fellowships Committee
M.A. Admissions Committee, Jackson Institute for Global Affairs

2011: M.A. Admissions Committee, Jackson Institute for Global Affairs

MAJOR PRESENTATIONS/CONFERENCES/INVITED TALKS:

2016: "The End of Welfare as We Know It: Contemporary American Poverty and Social Policy." Faculty Lecture, Prize for Distinguished Undergraduate Teaching. Yale College. October 7, 2016.

"Changing Access to the Highest Income and Earnings Positions in the United States." Columbia University Center for the Study of Wealth and Inequality, New York, NY. April 7, 2016.

"The View from the Top: Changes in Access to the Very Top of the Income and Earnings Distribution." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Washington, DC. April, 2016.

"Race in Academia: A Panel Discussion on Race and Inclusion." Yale University Jackson Institute for Global Affairs, New Haven, CT. March 3, 2016.

2015: "Setting the Tone: The Impact of Sibling Gender Composition on Selection of a STEM Major." American Sociological Association American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL. Regular Session on Gendered Outcomes in Education. August 2015.

Population Association of America Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA. "Child Wellbeing." Session Discussant. April 2015.

Population Association of America Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA. "Social Policy and Economic Wellbeing." Session Discussant. April 2015.

"Setting the Tone: The Impact of Oldest Sibling Gender on Educational Outcomes of Younger Sibs." Poster Session. (with Natalie Nitsche and Limor Gabay-Egozi). Population Association of America Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA. April 2015.

"From Stagflation and the Double Dip to the Great Recession: SNAP Participation in the U.S. During Times of Economic Distress." University of Hawaii at Manoa. Invited speaker. February 2015.

2014: "The Dynamics of SNAP Participation in Urban Versus Rural Contexts." United States Department of Agriculture Economic Research Service Annual Research Conference. Invited Panelist. October, 2014.

"New versus Return Participation in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program During the Great Recession." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Boston, MA. Panelist. May 2014.

"The Rapid Change in Marginally Risky Sexual Behaviors Among South African Adolescents." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Boston, MA. Panelist. May 2014.

"Relationships Across Borders: Contextual Influences on the Embeddedness of Adolescent Romantic Relatonships." Poverty, Policy, and People: 25 Years of Research and Training at the University of Michigan. Invited Speaker. April 2014.

2012: Population Association of America Annual Meeting, San Francisco, C.A. "The Demography of Young Adulthood in the United States." Session discussant. May, 2012.

2011: Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C. "Has the Transition to a Work Based Social Safety Net Reduced Federal Aid to Children in Families with Non-Working Parents?" Panelist. April, 2011.

Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C. Panelist. "Absent Fathers and Their Children's Sexual Decisions in South Africa." April, 2011.

2010: Center for Research on Inequality and the Life Course, Yale University. "Analyzing Repeatable Events with Incomplete Life-History Data: Who Receives Food Stamps During Adulthood?" November 5, 2010.

Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Dallas. "Romantic and Sexual Relationships" session chairperson. April, 2010.

2009: Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Annual Meeting, Washington DC. "The Likelihood of Using Food Stamps During Adulthood." November, 2009.

American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco. "The Effects of Parental Presence on Early Adolescent Sexual Debut in South Africa." August, 2009.

Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Detroit. "The Social Context of Adolescent Romantic and Sexual Relationships." April, 2009.

Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Detroit. "The Probability of Experiencing Poverty During Adulthood." April, 2009.

Panel Study of Income Dynamics Research Seminar. "Variations in the Duration and Risk of Experiencing Poverty in the United States." University of Michigan, February 2009.

United States Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Food Stamp Unit. "The Likelihood of Using Food Stamps During Adulthood." Washington, D.C. – February 5, 2009.

2008: National Poverty Center Workshop on New Research on Income Instability, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, "Variations in the Duration and Risk of Experiencing Poverty in Adulthood." November, 2008.

Population Association of American Annual Meeting, New Orleans. "Long-Term Child Poverty Over the Last Three Decades by Race." April, 2008.

2007: South African Labour and Development Research Unit Seminar Series, University of Cape Town, South Africa. "Racial Differences in Long-Term Poverty Among South African Adolescents." November, 2007.

Population Association of America Annual Meeting, New York. "Long-Term Child Poverty Rates Over the Last Three Decades." Poster Presentation. April, 2007.

2006: Centre for Social Science Research Seminar, University of Cape Town, South Africa. "The Effects of Parental Presence and Residential Moves on Adolescent Sexual Debut in South Africa." May, 2006.

Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Los Angeles. "The Effects of Survey Methodology on Child Disability Prevalence Measurement: An Analysis Using the Multiple Indicator Cluster Survey." Poster Presentation. April, 2006.

University of Michigan Initiative on Disability Studies Annual Symposium, Ann Arbor. "Measuring Disability Prevalence in Children in Developing Countries." April 2006.

2005: American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia. "A Devil's Bargain: Ideational Realignment and the Rise of the Perversity Thesis in the American Welfare Revolution." August, 2005.

NON-ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

2005: United Nations Statistics Department, Demographic and Social Statistics Branch

2003: The Urban Institute, Income and Benefits Policy Center
2002: U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights and Labor
2001: Minnesota Department of Economic Security

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND SERVICE:

- American Sociological Association (ASA)
- Population Association of America (PAA)
- Association of Public Policy and Management (APPAM)

Occasional Reviewer:
American Journal of Sociology, Demography, Child and Youth Services Review, *Development Southern Africa*, *Journal of Children and Poverty*, *Social Problems*.

INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL:

Botswana, Cambodia, Canada, Egypt, France, Germany, Japan, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Kenya, Myanmar, Netherlands, Singapore, South Africa, Tanzania, United Kingdom, Thailand, Ukraine, Vietnam, Zimbabwe