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## EDUCATION

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### COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES, New York, NY

- 1998 Ph.D., Sociology  
Dissertation: *Immigrant Entrepreneurs*  
Committee: Herbert Gans (Chair); Katherine Newman; Kathryn Neckerman; Robert Smith; John Skrentny
- 1995 M.A., Sociology  
*Fields of Specialization:* Immigration; Race/Ethnicity; Inequality; Culture; Asian American Studies

### COLUMBIA COLLEGE OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, New York, NY

- 1990 B.A., Sociology

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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- 2017-Present **Professor**, Department of Sociology, Columbia University  
Executive Committee: Center for the Study of Ethnicity and Race  
Core Faculty: Columbia Population Research Center
- 2016-2017 **Chancellor's Fellow**, University of California, Irvine
- 2011-2017 **Professor**, Department of Sociology, University of California, Irvine
- 2007-2010 **Director of Graduate Studies**, Department of Sociology, University of California, Irvine
- 2006-2007 **Visiting Associate Professor**, Department of Sociology, University of Chicago
- 2003-2011 **Associate Professor**, Department of Sociology, University of California, Irvine
- 2000-2003 **Assistant Professor**, Department of Sociology, University of California, Irvine
- 1998-2000 **University of California President's Postdoctoral Fellow**, Department of Sociology, University of California, Los Angeles

## **AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS, ELECTED & APPOINTED POSITIONS**

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2019-2021	President-Elect and President, Eastern Sociological Society
2019-Present	Advisory Board, Obama Presidency Oral History, Obama Foundation and Columbia University
2019-Present	Advisory Board, Pipeline Grants Competition, Russell Sage Foundation and Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation
2018	Best Book Award from the Inequality, Poverty and Mobility Section of the American Sociological Association for <i>The Asian American Achievement Paradox</i> , Honorable Mention
2016-Present	National Asian American Survey, Co-Director
2017-Present	AAPI Data, Senior Researcher (Asian American Pacific Islander Data seeks to make policy research and demographic data on Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders more readily available and accessible)
2016	Pierre Bourdieu Book Award from the Sociology of Education Section of the American Sociological Association for <i>The Asian American Achievement Paradox</i>
2016	Thomas and Znaniecki Book Award from the International Migration Section of the American Sociological Association for <i>The Asian American Achievement Paradox</i>
2016	Best Book Award from the Asia and Asian American Section of the American Sociological Association for <i>The Asian American Achievement Paradox</i>
2016	Best Book Award from the Association for Asian American Studies for <i>The Asian American Achievement Paradox</i>
2016-2017	Chair, International Migration Section of the American Sociological Association
2015-2018	Deputy Editor, <i>American Sociological Review</i>
2015	Elected, Sociological Research Association
2011-12	Visiting Scholar, Russell Sage Foundation
2011	Otis Dudley Duncan Book Award from the Population Section of the American Sociological Section for <i>The Diversity Paradox</i>
2008	Fulbright Scholar to Japan
2006-2007	Fellow, Center for the Study of Race, Politics and Culture, University of Chicago
2006	Outstanding Book Award from the Asia and Asian America Section of the American Sociological Association for <i>Asian American Youth: Culture, Identity, and Ethnicity</i> .

2003	Jane Addams Award from the Community and Urban Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association for “From Civil Relations to Racial Conflict.” <i>American Sociological Review</i> 67(1):77-98
2003	Thomas and Znaniecki Distinguished Book Award from the International Migration Section of the American Sociological Association for <i>Civility in the City</i> , Honorable Mention.
2002-2003	Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford, CA
1998-2000	University of California President’s Postdoctoral Fellow
1996-1998	Columbia University President’s Fellow
1997	Fellow, Paul F. Lazarsfeld Center for the Social Sciences, Columbia University
1993-1995	Andrew W. Mellon Scholar
1993-1995	University Professors’ Fellow, Columbia University

## GRANTS

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2019-2020	Institute for Social and Economic Research and Policy (ISERP), Columbia University, “The Threat of Diversity.” Jennifer Lee, Principle Investigator, \$14,000
2019-2021	Southern Poverty Law Center, “Intervening in Attitudes about Immigration.” Maria Abascal, Jennifer Lee, Van Tran, and Tiffany Huang, Principal Investigators, \$25,000
2016-2019	Russell Sage Foundation, “Asian Americans: Affirmative Action, Intergroup Attitudes and Racial Group Formation.” Jennifer Lee, Janelle Wong, Taeku Lee, Karthick Ramakrishnan, Principal Investigators, \$114,535. Award No: 93-17-07
2016-2018	Ford Foundation, “2016 National Asian American Survey.” Taeku Lee, Jennifer Lee, Karthick Ramakrishnan, Janelle Wong, Principal Investigators, \$200,000.
2016-2018	National Science Foundation, “2016 National Asian American Survey.” Karthick Ramakrishnan, Jennifer Lee, Taeku Lee, Janelle Wong, Principal Investigators, \$507,132. Award No: 1558986
2014-2015	Center for the Study of Democracy, UC Irvine, “Meritocracy, Affirmative Action, and the Politics of SCA 5.” Jennifer Lee, Principal Investigator, \$2,500
2008-2011	Russell Sage Foundation, “Los Angeles’ New Second Generation.” Jennifer Lee and Min Zhou, Principal Investigators, \$108,088
2006-2008	Russell Sage Foundation, “Becoming ‘Ethnic,’ Becoming ‘Angeleno,’ and/or Becoming ‘American’” Jennifer Lee and Min Zhou, Principal Investigators, \$210,554

2006-2007	Center for the Study of Race, Politics and Culture, University of Chicago, “Color Lines Old and New: The Cultural Persistence of Black Exceptionalism,” \$45,000
2006-2007	National Science Foundation Dissertation Improvement Grant, “Immigration and Trajectories to the Middle Class.” Jennifer Lee, Principal Investigator and Jody Agius, Co-Principal Investigator, \$7,004
2005-2007	Russell Sage Foundation, “Immigration and Intergenerational Mobility in Metropolitan Los Angeles.” Jennifer Lee, Leo Chavez, and Min Zhou, Principal Investigators, \$30,000
2004-2005	University of California, Irvine, “The Mexican Minority Culture of Mobility.” Jennifer Lee, Principal Investigator, \$3,200
2003-2006	Russell Sage Foundation, “Immigration and Intergenerational Mobility in Metropolitan Los Angeles.” Rubén Rumbaut, Frank D. Bean, Leo Chavez, Min Zhou, Jennifer Lee, Susan Brown, and Louis DeSipio, Principal Investigators, \$1.7 million
2001-2005	Russell Sage Foundation, “Immigration, Racial/Ethnic Diversity, and Multiracial Identification.” Frank D. Bean and Jennifer Lee, Principal Investigators, \$265,000
2002-2003	Russell Sage Foundation, “Immigration and Intergenerational Mobility in Metropolitan Los Angeles.” Rubén Rumbaut, Frank D. Bean, Leo Chavez, Min Zhou, Jennifer Lee, and Susan Wierzbicki, Principal Investigators, \$136,000
2000-2002	Population Reference Bureau and Russell Sage Foundation Research Grant, Census 2000, “America’s Changing Color Lines.” Frank D. Bean and Jennifer Lee, Principal Investigators, \$15,000
1996-1998	National Science Foundation, Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant, Sociology Program, “Immigrant Entrepreneurs.” SBR-9633345
1996-1997	Social Science Research Council, Dissertation Research Fellowship, “Immigrant Entrepreneurs.”

## PUBLICATIONS

### Books

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2015	Lee, Jennifer, and Min Zhou. 2015. <i>The Asian American Achievement Paradox</i> . New York: Russell Sage Foundation.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* <i>Best Book Award from the Inequality, Poverty and Mobility Section of the American Sociological Association, Honorable Mention</i></li> <li>* <i>Pierre Bourdieu Book Award from the American Sociological Association</i></li> </ul>

- \* *Thomas and Znaniecki Distinguished Book Award from the American Sociological Association*
- \* *Best Book Award on Asian America from the American Sociological Association*
- \* *Best Book Award from the Association of Asian American Studies*
- \* *Book Symposium featured in Ethnic and Racial Studies (2016) v. 39: 2370-2411*
- \* *Author Meets Critics, American Sociological Association Meetings*

2010 Lee, Jennifer, and Frank. D. Bean. 2010. *The Diversity Paradox: Immigration and the Color Line in 21<sup>st</sup> Century America*. New York: Russell Sage Foundation.

- \* *Otis Dudley Duncan Book Award from the American Sociological Association*

2004 Lee, Jennifer, and Min Zhou, Eds. 2004. *Asian American Youth: Culture, Identity, and Ethnicity*. New York: Routledge.

- \* *Best Book Award on Asian America from the American Sociological Association*

2002 Lee, Jennifer. 2002. *Civility in the City: Blacks, Jews, and Koreans in Urban America*. Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press.

- \* *Thomas and Znaniecki Distinguished Book Award from the American Sociological Association, Honorable Mention*

## **Journal Issues**

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2020 Editor of “Asian Americans: Diversity, Heterogeneity, and Group Boundary Formation.” *Russell Sage Foundation Journal of the Social Sciences* (with Karthick Ramakrishnan).

2014 Editor of the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Issue of *International Migration Review* 48(S1) (with Jørgen Carling and Pia Orrenius).

## **Journal Articles**

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2019 Tran, Van C., and Jennifer Lee. “Asian Americans and Affirmative Action Frames.” *American Journal of Sociology*, Invitation to Revise and Resubmit.

2019 Lee, Jennifer, and Van C. Tran. 2019. “The Mere Mention of Asians in Affirmative Action.” *Sociological Science* 6:551-579.

2019 Lee, Jennifer, and Karthick Ramakrishnan. 2019. “Who Counts as Asian.” *Ethnic and Racial Studies* DOI: [10.1080/01419870.2019.1671600](https://doi.org/10.1080/01419870.2019.1671600)

- 2019 Lee, Jennifer, and Min Zhou. 2019. "The Reigning Misperception about Culture and Asian American Achievement." *Ethnic and Racial Studies* Forthcoming.
- 2019 Lee, Jennifer. 2019. "From Public Engagement to Publication." *Sociologica* 13(1):37-41.
- 2018 Lee, Jennifer, Karthick Ramakrishnan, and Janelle Wong. 2018. "Accurately Counting Asian Americans is a Civil Rights Issue." *The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science* 667:191-202.
- 2017 Lee, Jennifer, and Min Zhou. 2017. "Why Class Matters Less for Asian American Achievement." *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 43(14):2316-2330.
- 2017 Zhou, Min, and Jennifer Lee. 2017. "Hyper-selectivity and the remaking of culture: Understanding the Asian American achievement paradox." *Asian American Journal of Psychology* 8(1):7-15.
- 2016 Lee, Jennifer, and Min Zhou. 2016. "Unraveling the link between culture and achievement." *Ethnic and Racial Studies* 39(13):2404-2411.
- 2015 Lee, Jennifer. 2015. "From Undesirable to Marriageable: Hyper-Selectivity and the Racial Mobility of Asian Americans." *The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science* 662(1):79-93.
- 2014 Lee, Jennifer, and Min Zhou. 2014. "From Unassimilable to Exceptional: The Rise of Asian Americans and 'Stereotype Promise'." *New Diversities* 16(1):7-22.
- 2014 Lee, Jennifer, Jørgen Carling, Pia Orrenius. 2014. "The International Migration Review at 50: Reflecting on Half a Century of International Migration Research and Looking Ahead." *International Migration Review* 48(S1):3-36.
- 2014 Zhou, Min, and Jennifer Lee. 2014. "Assessing what is cultural about Asian Americans' Academic Advantage." *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* 111(23):8321-8322.
- 2014 Lee, Jennifer, and Min Zhou. 2014. "The Success Frame and Achievement Paradox: The Costs and Consequences for Asian Americans." *Race and Social Problems* 6(1):38-55.
- 2013 Bean, Frank D., Jennifer Lee, and James D. Bachmeier. 2013. "Immigration & the Color Line at the Beginning of the 21st Century." *Dædalus*: 142(3):123-140.
- 2012 Lee, Jennifer, and Frank D. Bean. 2012. "A Postracial Society or a Diversity Paradox? Race, Immigration, and Multiraciality in the Twenty-first Century." *Du Bois Review* 9(2):419-437.
- 2009 Vallejo, Jody Agius, and Jennifer Lee. 2009. "Brown Picket Fences: The Immigrant Narrative and 'Giving Back' among the Mexican Middle-Class." *Ethnicities* 9(1):5-31.
- 2009 Bean, Frank D. and Jennifer Lee. 2009. "Plus ça change...? Multiraciality and the Dynamics of Race Relations in the United States." *Journal of Social Issues* 65(1):205-219.

- 2009 Bean, Frank D., Cynthia Feliciano, Jennifer Lee, and Jennifer Van Hook. 2009. "The New U.S. Immigrants: How Do They Affect Our Understanding of the African-American Experience?" *The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science* 621:202-220.
- 2008 Lee, Jennifer. 2008. "Post-Racial America? Multiracial Identification and the Color Line in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century." *Nanzan Review of American Studies* 30:13-31.
- 2008 Zhou, Min, Jennifer Lee, Jody Agius Vallejo, Rosaura Tafoya-Estrada, and Yang Sao Xiong. 2008. "Success Attained, Deterred, and Denied: Divergent Pathways to Social Mobility in Los Angeles' New Second Generation." *The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science* 620:37-61.
- 2007 Lee, Jennifer, and Frank D. Bean. 2007. "Reinventing the Color Line: Immigration and America's New Racial/Ethnic Divide." *Social Forces* 86(2):561-586.
- Reprinted in *Racism in Post-Race America: New Theories, New Directions*, edited by Charles A. Gallagher. Chapel Hill, NC: Social Forces Publishing, 2008.
- 2007 Zhou, Min, and Jennifer Lee. 2007. "Becoming Ethnic or Becoming American? Reflecting on the Divergent Pathways to Social Mobility and Assimilation among the New Second Generation." *Du Bois Review* 4(1):189-205.
- 2007 Lee, Jennifer, and Frank D. Bean. 2007. "Redrawing the Color Line?" *City & Community* 6(1):49-62.
- 2006 Agius, Jody, and Jennifer Lee. 2006. "Raising the Status of the Cashier: Latina-White Interactions in an Ethnic Market." *Sociological Forum* 21(2):197-218.
- 2006 Lee, Jennifer. 2006. "Constructing Race and Civility in Urban America." *Urban Studies* 43 (5-6):903-917
- 2006 Lee, Jennifer. 2006. "Cultural Assets or Structural Advantages in Numbers Gambling?" *American Sociological Review* 71(1):157-161.
- 2005 Lee, Jennifer. 2005. "Who We Are: America Becoming and Becoming American." *Du Bois Review* 2(2):287-302.
- 2005 Bean, Frank D., Susan K. Brown, and Jennifer Lee. 2005. "Immigration and Racial/Ethnic Relations in the United States." *People and Place* 13(1):1-13.
- 2004 Bean, Frank, D., Jennifer Lee, Jeanne Batalova, and Sabeen Sandhu. 2004. "Immigration and the Black-White Color Line in the United States." *Review of Black Political Economy*, Special Issue on *The Impact of Immigration on African Americans* 31(1-2): 43-76.
- Reprinted in *The Impact of Immigration on African Americans*, edited by Steven Shulman. Somerset, NJ: Transaction Publishers, 2004.

- 2004 Bean, Frank D. Jennifer Lee, Jeanne Batalova and Mark Leach. 2004. *Immigration and Fading Color Lines in America*. Population Bulletin. Washington, D.C and New York: Population Reference Bureau and Russell Sage Foundation.
- Reprinted in *The American People: Census 2000*, edited by Reynolds Farley and John Haaga. New York: Russell Sage Foundation, 2005.
- 2004 Lee, Jennifer and Frank D. Bean. 2004. "America's Changing Color Lines: Race/Ethnicity, Immigration, and Multiracial Identification." *Annual Review of Sociology* 30:221-242.
- 2002 Lee, Jennifer. 2002. "From Civil Relations to Racial Conflict." *American Sociological Review* 67(1):77-98.
- \* *Jane Addams Award from the Community and Urban Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association.*
- 2000 Lee, Jennifer. 2006. "The Salience of Race in Everyday Life: Black Customers' Shopping Experiences in Black and White Neighborhoods." *Work and Occupations* 27(3): 353-376.
- 1999 Neckerman, Kathryn M., Prudence Carter, and Jennifer Lee. 1999. "Segmented Assimilation and Minority Cultures of Mobility." *Ethnic and Racial Studies* 22(6): 945-965.
- 1999 Lee, Jennifer. 1999. "Retail Niche Domination among African American, Jewish, and Korean Entrepreneurs: Competition, Coethnic Advantage and Disadvantage." *American Behavioral Scientist* 42(9): 1398-1416.
- 1998 Lee, Jennifer. 1998. "Cultural Brokers: Race-based Hiring in Inner-City Neighborhoods." *American Behavioral Scientist* 41(7):927-937.

### **Book Chapters and Other Scholarly Publications**

- 2019 Lee, Jennifer, Sean Drake, and Min Zhou. 2019. "The Asian F." In *Education and Society*, edited by Thurston Domina, Benjamin G. Gibbs, Lisa Nunn, and Andrew Penner. Berkeley, CA: University of California Press.
- 2016 Lee, Jennifer, and Frank D. Bean. 2016. "Are We 'Post-Racial'? Inter-marriage, Multiracial Identification, and Changing Color Lines." In *Contemporary Asian America: A Multidisciplinary Reader, Third Edition*, edited by Min Zhou and Anthony Ocampo. New York, NY: New York University Press.
- 2015 Lee, Jennifer. 2015. "Immigration and the Changing Status of Asian Americans." In *Emerging Trends in the Social and Behavioral Sciences*, edited by Robert Scott, Stephen Kosslyn, and Marlis Buchmann. Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley and Sons.

- 2015 Lee, Jennifer. 2015. "How Hyper-Selectivity Drives Asian Americans' Educational Outcomes." *Contexts* Spring 2015: 15-16.
- 2014 Lee, Jennifer, and Frank D. Bean. 2014. "America's New Racial/Ethnic Diversity: Immigration, Intermarriage, and Multiracial Identification in the Twenty-first Century." *The Oxford Handbook on Racial and Ethnic Politics in the United States*, edited by David L. Leal, Taeku Lee, and Mark Sawyer. New York: Oxford University Press.
- 2014 Lee, Jennifer. 2014. "Asian American Exceptionalism and Stereotype Promise." In *Color Lines and Racial Angles*, edited by Douglas Hartmann and Christopher Uggen. New York: W.W. Norton.
- 2013 Lee, Jennifer, and Min Zhou. 2013. "Frames of Achievement and Opportunity Horizons: Second-Generation Chinese, Vietnamese, and Mexicans in Los Angeles." Pp. 206-231 in *Immigration, Poverty, and Socioeconomic Inequality*, edited by David Card and Steven Raphael. New York: Russell Sage Foundation.
- 2013 Lee, Jennifer. 2013. "From Unassimilable to Exceptional: The Changing Status of Asian Americans." *The Society Pages*. Online at <http://thesocietypages.org/specials/from-unassimilable-to-exceptional/>
- 2013 Lee, Jennifer. 2013. "Wearing Privilege." *The Society Pages*. Online at <http://thesocietypages.org/specials/wearing-privilege/>
- 2012 Lee, Jennifer. 2012. "Tiger Kids and the Success Frame." *The Society Pages*. Online at <http://thesocietypages.org/papers/tiger-kids-and-the-success-frame/>
- 2012 Crul, Maurice, Min Zhou, Jennifer Lee, Philipp Schnell, and Elif Keskiner. 2012. "Success against the Odds: Second-Generation Mexicans in Los Angeles and Second-Generation Turks in Western European Cities." Pp. 65-96 in *The Changing Face of World Cities: The Second Generation in Europe and the United States*, edited by Maurice Crul and John Mollenkopf. New York: Russell Sage Foundation.
- 2006 Lee, Jennifer. 2006. "Beyond Conflict and Controversy: Blacks, Jews, and Koreans in Urban America." In *Immigration and Crime: Race, Ethnicity, and Violence*, edited by Ramiro Martinez and Abel Valenzuela. New York: New York University Press.
- 2006 Lee, Jennifer. 2006. "The Comparative Disadvantage of African American-Owned Enterprises." In *Social Capital in the City: Community and Civic Life in Philadelphia*, edited by Richardson Dilworth. Philadelphia: Temple University Press.
- 2004 Lee, Jennifer and Min Zhou. 2004. "The Making of Culture, Identity, and Ethnicity among Asian American Youth," and "Conclusion: Reflections, Thoughts, and Directions for Future Research." In *Asian American Youth: Culture Identity, and Ethnicity*, edited by Jennifer Lee and Min Zhou. New York: Routledge.
- 2004 Lee, Jennifer and Frank D. Bean. 2004. "Intermarriage and Multiracial Identification: The Asian American Experience and Implications for Changing Color Lines." In

*Asian American Youth: Culture Identity, and Ethnicity*, edited by Jennifer Lee and Min Zhou. New York: Routledge.

- 2003 Bean, Frank D., Gillian Stevens, and Jennifer Lee. 2003. "Immigration and Race/Ethnicity in the United States." In *America's Newcomers and the Dynamics of Diversity* by Frank D. Bean and Gillian Stevens. New York: Russell Sage Foundation.
- 2003 Lee, Jennifer and Frank D. Bean. 2003. "Beyond Black and White: Remaking Race in America." *Contexts* 2 (3): 26-33.
- 2001 Lee, Jennifer. 2001. "Entrepreneurship and Business Development among African Americans, Koreans, and Jews." In *Migration, Transnationalization, and Race in a Changing New York*, edited by Héctor R. Cordero-Guzmán, Ramón Grosfoguel, and Robert Smith. Philadelphia: Temple University Press.
- 2001 Waldinger, Roger and Jennifer Lee. 2001. "New Immigrants in Urban America." In *Strangers at the Gates: New Immigrants in Urban America*, edited by Roger Waldinger. Berkeley: University of California Press.
- 2001 Lee, Jennifer. 2001. "The Racial and Ethnic Meaning Behind *Black*: Retailers' Hiring Practices in Inner-City Neighborhoods." In *Color Lines: Affirmative Action, Immigration, and Civil Rights Options for America*, edited by John D. Skrentny. Chicago: University of Chicago Press.
- 2000 Lee, Jennifer. 2000. "Immigrant and African American Competition: Jewish, Korean, and African American Entrepreneurs." In *Immigration Research for a New Century*, edited by Nancy Foner, Rubén G. Rumbaut, and Steve J. Gold. New York: Russell Sage Foundation.
- 2000 Lee, Jennifer. 2000. "Striving for the American Dream: Struggle, Success, and Intergroup Conflict among Korean Immigrant Entrepreneurs." In *Contemporary Asian America*, edited by Min Zhou and James V. Gatewood. New York: New York University Press.
- 1996 Lee, Jennifer. 1996. "Business as Usual." *Common Quest: The Magazine of Black-Jewish Relations* 1(2):35-38.

## **Book Reviews**

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- 2018 Review of *Despite the Best Intentions: How Racial Inequality Thrives in Good Schools*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2015. In *American Journal of Sociology* 123(6):1870-72.
- 2015 Review of *Nashville in the New Millennium: Immigrant Settlement, Urban Transformation, and Social Belonging*. New York: NY: Russell Sage Foundation, 2013. In *Contemporary Sociology* 44(5):734-736.
- 2015 Review of *The Myth of the Model Minority: Asian Americans Facing Racism*. Boulder, Colorado: Paradigm Publishers. In *Social Forces* 95(1):e11.

- 2013            Review of *Creating a New Racial Order: How Immigration, Multiracialism, Genomics, and the Young Can Remake Race in America*. Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2012. In *American Journal of Sociology* 118(4):1125-1127.
- 2012            Review of *Inheriting the City: The Children of Immigrants Come of Age*. New York: Russell Sage Foundation, 2008. In *City & Community* 11(2):222-223.
- 2010            Review of *Achieving Anew: How New Immigrants Do in American Schools, Jobs, and Neighborhoods*. New York: Russell Sage Foundation, 2009. In *American Journal of Sociology* 116(2):688-690.
- 2009            Review of *Getting Saved in America: Taiwanese Immigration and Religious Experience*. Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2008. In *Social Forces* 88(2):993-995.
- 2008            Review of *Black on the Block: The Politics of Race and Class in the City* by Mary Pattillo. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2008. In *Political Science Quarterly* 123(1):181-183.
- 2008            Review of *The Chinese in Silicon Valley: Globalization, Social Networks, and Ethnic Identity* by Bernard P. Wong. Lanham: Rowman & Littlefield, 2006. In *American Journal of Sociology* 113(4):1202-1204.
- 2005            Review of *The Price of Poverty: Money, Work, and Culture in the Mexican American Barrio* by Daniel Dohan. Berkeley: University of California Press, 2003. In *Social Forces* 84(1):606-607.
- 2003            Review of *A Rainbow of Gangs: Street Cultures in the Mega-City* by James Diego Vigil. Austin, TX: University of Texas Press, 2002. In *Urban Studies* 40(10):2107-2109.
- 2002            Review of *Growing Up American: How Vietnamese Children Adapt to Life in the United States* by Min Zhou and Carl L. Bankston. New York: Russell Sage Foundation, 1998. In *Journal of Immigrant Health* 4(2):119-120.

## **INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

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- 2019            “Presumed Competent: Asian Americans and Affirmative Action.” Stanford Law School, May 29.
- 2019            “Why Asian Americans Succeed and Where They ‘Fail’.” Columbia College Alumni Association, San Francisco, CA, June 6.
- 2018            “Understanding *Students for Fair Admissions v. Harvard*: Asian Americans and Affirmative Action.” Columbia Law School, November 27.
- 2018            “Toward Narrative Plentitude for Asian Americans.” Harvard University, November 2.
- 2018            “The Cognitive Construction of Asian: Boundaries, Stereotypes, and Narratives.” Princeton University, April 19.

- 2018 “Who Counts as Asian?” New York University, April 12.
- 2017 “The 2016 National Asian American Survey.” Presentation to *The New York Times*, October 16.
- 2017 “Who Are Asian Americans?” Presentation at Google, New York. October 16.
- 2017 Invited Scholar to discuss 2015 National Content Test (NCT) Research Findings for Improving Data on Race/Ethnicity. U.S. Census Bureau and Population Association of America Committee on Population Studies (COPS). Population Reference Bureau: Washington, D.C. March 28.
- 2016 “De-Clawing the Tiger Mom.” UCI Chief Executive Roundtable Retreat, Hawaii, April 30.
- 2016 “The Asian American Achievement Paradox.” Max Planck Institute, Berlin, Germany, April 1.
- 2016 “The Asian American Achievement Paradox.” Yale University, March 3.
- 2016 “The Asian American Achievement Paradox.” Columbia University, February 24.
- 2016 “Tiger Parents and Whiz Kids.” Nanyang Technological University, Singapore. January 29.
- 2015 “The Asian American Achievement Paradox,” Australian Bureau of Statistics, Canberra, Australia. December 14.
- 2015 “What Is Cultural about Asian American Academic Achievement?” University of Western Sydney, Australia. December 9.
- 2015 “Redefining Success.” Dean’s Leadership Society, UC Irvine. October 15.
- 2015 “The Asian American Achievement Paradox.” Princeton University, September 21.
- 2015 Keynote Speaker for the Population Association of New Zealand. “Diversity and Its Discontents.” Waikato University, Hamilton. June 29.
- 2015 “The Asian American Achievement Paradox.” Pennsylvania State University, March 17.
- 2015 “Is the Second Generation Integrating?” UC Davis, January 22.
- 2014 Keynote Speaker, “Pathways to Success: Social Mobility and Change in Migration Societies.” University of Osnabrück, Germany. November 5.
- 2014 “What is Cultural about Asian Americans’ Educational Achievement?” Columbia University, October 29.
- 2014 “The Model Minority Revisited” Columbia University. October 29.

- 2014 “Why Mexicans are the Most Successful Immigrants in America.” University of Notre Dame, September 22.
- 2013 Invited Scholar to discuss findings of the Alternative Questionnaire Experiment (AQE). U.S. Census Bureau and Population Association of America Committee on Population Studies (COPS). Population Reference Bureau: Washington, D.C. March 15.
- 2013 Keynote Speaker, Robert F. Harney Lecture Series. “Asian Americans and ‘Stereotype Promise’” University of Toronto. January 31.
- 2012 “Is Diversity Bad for Democracy?” Zócalo Public Square, Riverside, CA, September 25.
- 2012 “The Tiger Kids and ‘Stereotype Promise.’” Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford University, June.
- 2012 “Getting Ahead: Immigrants, Business, and Ethnic Identity.” National Museum of American Jewish History and the University of Pennsylvania. Philadelphia, PA, February.
- 2011 “The Tiger Mother and Asian American Exceptionalism?” Presented in October-November at Columbia University, Princeton University, Stanford University, University of Chicago, CUNY, Russell Sage Foundation
- 2011 “Asian American Exceptionalism? Culture and Achievement among Second-Generation Chinese, Vietnamese, and Mexicans.” UC Berkeley.
- 2011 Keynote Speaker, “Race and Immigration in the American City.” University of Chicago, May.
- 2011 Keynote Speaker, Council on Contemporary Families. “The Diversity Paradox: The Reshaping of Boundaries in Intimate Relationships.” Chicago, April.
- 2011 “The Diversity Paradox.” Columbia University, University of Southern California, Pitzer College
- 2011 “Civility and Democracy in America.” National Constitution Center, Philadelphia, PA, March.
- 2010 “Census Counts and Controversies, Past and Present.” Zócalo Public Square, Los Angeles, CA, April.
- 2010 “Immigration and the New Dynamics of Employment Discrimination.” Princeton University, February.
- 2010 “Generations of Exclusion?” UCLA, February.
- 2008 “Post-Racial America? Multiracial Identification and the Color Line in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century.” University of Pennsylvania, October.
- 2008 Keynote Speaker, “The Assimilative Power of Intermarriage.” Japan Women’s University, August.

- 2008 Keynote Speaker, "The Question of the Color Line in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century." Nanzan University, Japan, July.
- 2008 Keynote Speaker, "A Post-Racial America?" Nanzan University, Japan, July.
- 2008 "The Color Line in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Immigration and Race in America." UCSD. April.
- 2007 "Are Asians and Latinos Becoming White? Immigration, Multiracial Identification, and Changing Color Lines." University of Chicago and Northwestern University, May.
- 2006 "Combining Quantitative and Qualitative Approaches in Immigration Research." Family Research Consortium, Summer Institute, Spokane, WA.
- 2006 "Intermarriage and Changing Color Lines." Cornell University, March.
- 2005 "Color Lines Old and New: The Cultural Persistence of Black Exceptionalism." Princeton University, UCLA and University of Chicago.
- 2005 Keynote Speaker, "Civility in the City." Pitzer College, October.
- 2005 "Intermarriage and Multiracial Identification among Asians, Blacks, and Latinos in the United States." University of Toronto, May.
- 2004 "Redrawing the Black-White Color Line." Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, November.
- 2004 "Beyond the Methodological Divide: Combining Quantitative and Qualitative Research in Migration Research." Social Science Research Council and Department of Sociology, UCLA, June.
- 2004 "Choosing Two or More: The Racial Classification of Multiracial Individuals and the Future of Race." University of Iowa, April.
- 2004 "Moving Beyond the Black-White Color Line: The Implications of Immigration, Intermarriage, and Multiracial Identification." Woodrow Wilson Center for International Scholars, Division of United States Studies, Washington, D.C., April.
- 2003 "Redrawing the Color Line: Immigration, Multiracial Identification, and the 2000 Census" MIT, November.
- 2003 "Beyond Conflict and Controversy: Blacks, Jews, and Koreans in Urban America." UCLA, November.
- 2003 "Combining Qualitative and Quantitative Methods in Migration Research." Social Science Research Council, June.
- 2002 "America's Changing Color Lines: Race, Immigration, and Multiracial Identification." Jacobs Foundation Conference, Zurich, Switzerland, October.

- 2002 “Civility in the City.” University of Michigan, Stanford University, and UC Berkeley, September and October.
- 2002 “Qualitative Research on ‘Moving to Opportunity’.” Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, June.
- 2002 “The Geography of California Identities: Race/Ethnicity, Immigration, and Multiracial Identification.” Stanford University, April.
- 2001 “Civility and Its Discontents.” UC Davis, October.
- 2001 “Civil Relations or Racial Warfare?” Distinguished Lecture Series, UCSD, May.
- 2000 “From Civil Relations to Exploding Cauldrons” UC Berkeley, November.
- 2000 “Jockeying for Position in a System of Ethnic Stratification.” UCLA, April.
- 2000 “Immigrant Dreams and American Realities.” UCLA, January.
- 1996 “Immigrant Entrepreneurs.” University of Pennsylvania, October.

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

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- 2019 Invited Panelist, ASA Thematic Panel. “Victims of Discrimination or Victims of Discrimination: Asian Americans and Affirmative Action.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association. New York, NY. August.
- 2019 Invited Panelist, Author Meets Critics for *The Other Side of Assimilation* by Tomás Jiménez. Berkeley, CA: University of California Press.
- 2018 Invited Panelist, ASA Thematic Panel. “Race, Recognition, and Identity on the 2020 Census.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association. Philadelphia, PA. August.
- 2017 Invited Panelist, ASA Thematic Panel. “Culture and Poverty from an Empirical Perspective.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association. Montreal, Quebec. August.
- 2016 Author Meets Critics Session for *The Asian American Achievement Paradox*. Critics: Tomás Jiménez, Philip Kasinitz, Patricia Fernández-Kelly, Mario Small.
- 2016 International Migration Session Organizer and Presenter on ASA Panel, “Engaging in Public Sociology.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association. Seattle, WA, August.
- 2015 Thematic Session Organizer and Presenter on ASA Panel, “Framing Success: Immigrants and the New Second Generation.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association. Chicago, IL, August.

- 2013 Invited Panelist, ASA Presidential Panel, "Immigration and the Changing Racial Terrain." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association. New York, NY, August.
- 2011 Invited Panelist, ASA Thematic Panel, "Understanding American Race Riots." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Las Vegas, NV, August.
- 2011 Invited Panelist, "The Diversity Paradox: Intermarriage and Multiracial Identification in the United States." Annual Meeting of the Pacific Sociological Association, Seattle, WA, March.
- 2010 Invited Panelist, ASA Thematic Panel, "Black Exceptionalism." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA, August.
- 2009 "Opportunity Horizons and Assimilation Trajectories among LA's Second Generation." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA, August.
- 2007 "The Assimilative Power of Intermarriage." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY, August.
- 2006 "Racial and Multiracial Identification." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Montréal, Quebec, Canada, August.
- 2005 "Redrawing the Color Line: The Cultural Persistence of Black Exceptionalism." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA, August.
- 2005 "Immigration and Intergenerational Mobility in Metropolitan Los Angeles." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA, August.
- 2005 "Brown Picket Fences: The Mexican Middle-Class Culture of Mobility." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA, August.
- 2005 "The One-Drop Rule and Patterns of Asian American Multiracial Identification." Annual Meeting of the Asian American Studies Association, Los Angeles, CA, April.
- 2004 "Moving Beyond the Black-White Color Line." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA, August.
- 2003 Organizer and Presider for the International Migration Section on "National, Ethnic, and Racial Identities in an Era of Mass Migration." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA, August.
- 2003 "Remaking Race in America: Multiracial Identification and the 2000 Census." Annual Meeting of the Association of Asian American Studies, San Francisco, CA, May.
- 2002 "America's Changing Color Lines." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Chicago, IL, August.
- 2001 "From Civil Relations to Racial Conflict." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Anaheim, CA, August.

- 2000 “Immigrant Dreams and American Realities: Blacks, Jews, and Koreans in Urban America.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Washington, D.C., August.
- 1999 “What Class You Wear.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Chicago, IL, August.
- 1999 “Pan-Minority Identity: A Theoretical Framework.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Chicago, IL, August.
- 1998 “Immigrant Entrepreneurs.” Conference on Transformations: Immigration and Immigration Research in the United States, Social Science Research Council, International Migration Program, Columbia University, June.
- 1998 “‘Cultural Brokers’: Race-Based Hiring in Inner-City Neighborhoods.” Conference on Ethnic Economies, New School for Social Research, June.
- 1998 “Immigrant versus African American Entrepreneurs.” Annual Meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, Philadelphia, March.
- 1997 “A Study of Jewish, Korean, and Black Merchants in New York City and Philadelphia.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Toronto, August.
- 1997 Discussant, “Asian Americans and Race, Gender, and Class.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Toronto, August.
- 1997 “Segmented Assimilation and Minority Cultures of Mobility.” Annual Meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, Baltimore, April.
- 1997 “Entrepreneurship and Business Development among African Americans, Koreans, and Jews.” New School for Social Research, February.
- 1996 “‘Multiple Assimilation’: Assimilation and Ethnic Identity of Asian Americans.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, August.
- 1996 Organizer and Discussant, “Asian Americans and Race, Gender, and Class.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, August.
- 1996 “Merchant-Customer Relations in Harlem: In-Group Virtues and Out-Group Vices.” Annual Meeting of the Association for Asian American Studies, Washington, D.C., June.
- 1996 “A Comparison of Black-Jewish and Black-Korean Relations.” New York University, March.

## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE**

- 2019-2022 Editorial Board Member, *International Migration Review*
- 2018-2021 Editorial Board Member, *Ethnic and Racial Studies*
- 2015-2018 Deputy Editor, *American Sociological Review*
- 2014-2015 Editorial Board Member, University of California Press
- 2014-2015 Editorial Board Member, ASA Rose Series in Sociology

2013-2016 Council Member, Inequality, Poverty, Mobility Section of the American Sociological Association  
 Chair, Best Article Award Committee  
 Member, Best Book Award Committee

2009-2012 Council Member-at-Large, American Sociological Association  
 ASA Advisory Panel, Fund for the Advancement of the Discipline  
 ASA Advisory Panel, Committee on Nominations  
 ASA Advisory Panel, Committee on Membership Giving

2005-2009 Editorial Board Member, *American Sociological Review*

2004-2006 Editorial Board, *Contexts*, The Magazine of the American Sociological Association

2003-2006 Council Member, International Migration Section of the American Sociological Association

2003-2006 Council Member, Asia and Asian America Section of the American Sociological Association

2001-2003 Editorial Committee, *Migraciones Internacionales*

2000-2002 Editor, *World on the Move*, Newsletter of the International Migration Section of the American Sociological Association

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### **JOURNAL MANUSCRIPT REVIEWER**

*American Journal of Sociology, American Sociological Review, Demography, International Migration Review, International Sociology, Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies, PNAS (Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences), Political Psychology, Social Forces, Sociological Forum, Sociological Perspectives, Social Problems, Social Psychology Quarterly, Social Science Quarterly, Sociology of Education.*

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### **GRANT/FELLOWSHIP REVIEWER**

Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences  
 National Science Foundation  
 Russell Sage Foundation

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### **BOOK MANUSCRIPT REVIEWER**

Russell Sage Foundation Press  
 Stanford University Press  
 University of California Press  
 W.W. Norton

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### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

American Sociological Association  
*Section Memberships*  
 Asia and Asian America  
 Education  
 Inequality, Poverty, and Mobility  
 International Migration  
 Association for Asian American Studies  
 Eastern Sociological Society

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