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## CURRICULUM VITAE

### **KHARY K. RIGG, Ph.D.**

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## EDUCATION

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### **Ph.D. - Medical Sociology**, May 2012

University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL

Dissertation Title: Prescription Opioid Abuse: Pathways to Initiation among Drug Treatment Clients

### **M.Ed. - Emotional/Behavioral Disorders**, August 2004

University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL

### **B.S. - Education** (Mental/Developmental Disabilities), December 2001

Florida International University, Miami, FL

## POST-DOCTORAL TRAINING & FELLOWSHIP APPOINTMENTS

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### **Adjunct Fellow**, July 2012 – Present

Penn Center for Public Health Initiatives

University of Pennsylvania

### **Health Services Research & Development (HSR&D) Fellow**, July 2012 – July 2013

Center of Innovation for Health Equity Research & Promotion (CHERP)

Philadelphia Veterans Affairs (VA) Medical Center, Philadelphia, PA

Academic Affiliate: University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine

## ACADEMIC POSITIONS AND APPOINTMENTS

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### **Assistant Professor**, August 2013 – Present

Department of Mental Health Law & Policy

College of Behavioral & Community Sciences

University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

### **Faculty Affiliate**, December 2014 – Present

Louis de la Parte Florida Mental Health Institute

College of Behavioral & Community Sciences

University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

**Affiliated Faculty (Courtesy Appointment)**, September 2013 – Present

Department of Sociology  
College of Arts and Sciences  
University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

**Senior Research Associate**, March 2011 – December 2011

Center for Applied Research on Substance Use & Health Disparities  
Nova Southeastern University, Ft. Lauderdale, FL

NIDA Project Title: Diversion of Antiretroviral Medications to Street Markets (PI: Hilary L. Surratt)

Synopsis: The overall goals of this 4-year study were to examine the patterns and predictors of ARV diversion among drug-involved HIV-positive individuals in Miami, Florida, and to describe the dynamics of ARV medication diversion to local street markets.

NIDA Project Title: Prescription Drug Abuse among Club Drug Users (PI: Steven P. Kurtz)

Synopsis: The objectives of this natural history project were to describe the nature of prescription drug abuse/club drug use and their adverse consequences in the Miami club culture.

**Senior Research Associate**, September 2008 – March 2011

Center for Drug & Alcohol Studies  
University of Delaware, Coral Gables, FL

NIDA Project Title: The Scope & Magnitude of Rx Drug Diversion (PI: James A. Inciardi)

Synopsis: The goals of this project were to examine and describe the complex mechanisms and players that connect illicit supplies of prescription drugs to abusers in South Florida from three vantage points: 1) prescription drug abusers, 2) prescription drug dealers, and 3) law enforcement.

NIDA Project Title: Risk Reduction for Urban Substance Using MSM (PI: Steven P. Kurtz)

Synopsis: The aims of the study were to develop and test the feasibility and acceptability of a small group intervention aimed at reducing drug use and HIV sexual risk behaviors among HIV-positive and HIV-negative gay men.

NIDA Project: Case Management Alternatives for Black Women at Risk for HIV (PI: Hilary Surratt)

Synopsis: This project was designed to test innovative case management approaches for increasing linkages and engagement with drug abuse treatment, HIV-related care, and other health services among an underserved population of drug-using African-American women sex workers.

**Program Manager**, July 2006 – August 2008

National Science Foundation (NSF)/Atlantic Coast Social, Behavioral, Economic Sciences Alliance  
The Graduate School, University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL  
Project Title: Undergraduate Research Mentoring Program (PI: Steven G. Ullmann, Ph.D.)

**Research Assistant**, June 2006 – January 2007

Department of Psychology, University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

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Prescription Drug Abuse  
Drug-Related HIV Transmission  
Racial/Ethnic Health(care) Disparities  
Social Determinants of Mental Health  
Mixed Methods/Qualitative Research

## **GRANT FUNDED PROJECTS**

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USF New Researcher Grant (2014-2015)

Award Amount: \$10,000

Title: A closer look at MDMA (ecstasy/molly) use among African-Americans: Investigating HIV risk  
Synopsis: The primary goals of this one year mixed-method study are to (1) explore how psychosocial risk factors predict patterns of MDMA use, (2) examine the relationship between MDMA and sexual risk behaviors, and (3) explore the (mind) set and settings in which heterosexual Blacks use MDMA.

Role: Principal Investigator

## **AWARDS, HONORS, & COMPETITIVE WORKSHOPS**

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American Sociological Association (Alcohol, Drugs, and Tobacco Section) 2015 Junior Scholar Award

Accepted to Robert Wood Johnson Foundation New Connections 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Research Symposium. Princeton, NJ. Competitive application with travel funding. (2015)

Accepted to Robert Wood Johnson Foundation New Connections 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Research and Coaching Clinic. New Orleans, LA. Competitive application with travel funding. (2014)

Accepted to Robert Wood Johnson Foundation New Connections 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Research Symposium. Princeton, NJ. Competitive application with travel funding. (2014)

AcademyHealth/Aetna Foundation Minority Scholar Award (2013)

Accepted to Robert Wood Johnson Foundation New Connections 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Research and Coaching Clinic. Boston, MA. Competitive application with travel funding. (2013)

Awarded Fellow Status at Penn Center for Public Health Initiatives at University of Pennsylvania (2012-2015; 2015-2018)

Cecil G. Sheps Center for Health Services Research Fellowship in Mental Health Services and System Research, University of North Carolina–Chapel Hill (2012; declined)

NIDA Travel Award (\$750) for Early Career Investigators to attend APA Conference (2011)

1<sup>st</sup> Place Award (\$100) at Research & Innovation Forum – University of Miami (2010)

Outstanding Publication of the Year (\$1000) – Sociology Department – University of Miami (2010)

Kriloff Travel Scholarship – College of Arts & Sciences – University of Miami (2006)

Award of Academic Merit – Office of Graduate Affairs – University of Miami (2004)

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**REFEREED MANUSCRIPTS (IF=2014 Impact Factor; \* denotes student author)**

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**Rigg, K. K., & \*Truett, C.** (in preparation). The psychosocial profiles of heterosexual African-American MDMA (ecstasy/molly) users.

**Rigg, K. K.,** Palacios, W., & Wheldon, C. (in preparation). The effect of MDMA (ecstasy/molly) use on HIV sex risk behaviors: A review of the evidence.

Conner, K. O., Yu, L., Pilkonis, P., **Rigg, K. K.,** & Brown, C. (in preparation). Examination of the attitudes toward seeking mental health treatment scale: Reliability, validity, and item response theory analysis.

Monnat, S. M., & **Rigg, K. K.** 2015. Examining rural/urban differences in prescription opioid misuse among U.S. adolescents. *Journal of Rural Health*. (available online) doi: [10.1111/jrh.12141](https://doi.org/10.1111/jrh.12141) (IF=1.453).

Murphy, J. W., & **Rigg, K. K.** (2015). Rethinking causality in the social sciences: Implications for research and health interventions. In Jared A. Jaworski (Ed.), *Advances in Sociology Research* (pp. 132-145). New York, NY: Nova Science Publishers.

**Rigg, K. K.,** & Monnat, S. M. 2015. Comparing characteristics of prescription painkiller misusers and heroin users in the United States. *Addictive Behaviors*, 51, 106-112. (IF=2.764). doi: [10.1016/j.addbeh.2015.07.013](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.addbeh.2015.07.013)

True, J. G., **Rigg, K. K.,** & Butler, A. 2015. Understanding barriers to mental health care for recent war veterans through photovoice. *Qualitative Health Research*. 25(10), 1443-1455. (IF=1.441). doi: [10.1177/1049732314562894](https://doi.org/10.1177/1049732314562894)

Ford, J. A., & **Rigg, K. K.** 2015. Racial/ethnic differences in factors that place adolescents at risk for prescription opioid misuse. *Prevention Science*, 16(5), 633-641. doi: [10.1007/s11121-014-0514-y](https://doi.org/10.1007/s11121-014-0514-y) (IF=3.153)

**Rigg, K. K.,** & Monnat, S. M. 2015. Urban vs. rural differences in prescription opioid misuse among adults in the United States: Informing region-specific drug policies and interventions. *International Journal of Drug Policy*, 26, 484-491. doi:[10.1016/j.drugpo.2014.10.001](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.drugpo.2014.10.001)(IF=3.191)

Murphy, J. W., & **Rigg, K. K.** 2014. Clarifying the philosophy behind the Community Mental Health Act and community-based interventions. *Journal of Community Psychology*, 42(3), 285-298. doi:[10.1002/jcop.21610](https://doi.org/10.1002/jcop.21610) (IF=.667).

- Rigg, K. K., & Ford, J.** 2014. The misuse of benzodiazepines among adolescents: Psychosocial risk factors in a national sample. *Drug & Alcohol Dependence*, 137(1), 137-142. doi:10.1016/j.drugalcdep.2014.01.026 (IF=3.423)
- Rigg, K. K., & DeCamp, W.** 2014. Explaining prescription opioid misuse among veterans: A theory-based analysis using structural equation modeling. *Military Behavioral Health*, 2(2), 210-216. doi: 10.1080/21635781.2014.917011
- Rigg, K. K., Cook, H. H., Murphy, J. W.** 2014. Expanding the scope and relevance of health interventions: Moving beyond clinical trials and behavior change models. *International Journal of Qualitative Studies on Health and Well-Being*, 9:24743. doi:10.3402/qhw.v9.24743 (IF=.909).
- Ibañez, G. E., Levi-Minzi, M., **Rigg, K. K., & Mooss, A. D.** 2013. Diversion of benzodiazepines through healthcare sources. *Journal of Psychoactive Drugs*, 45(1), 48–56. doi:10.1080/02791072.2013.764232 (IF=1.461)
- Rigg, K. K., & Wilson, G.** 2013. Can patient-physician race concordance improve health outcomes for African-American HIV patients? Evidence, insights, and implications. In M. S. Harris (Ed.), *African-American perspectives: Family dynamics, healthcare, and the role of ethnic identity* (pp. 155-168). New York, NY: Nova Science Publishers.
- Rigg, K. K., & Murphy, J. W.** 2013. Storylines as a neglected tool for mental health service providers and researchers. *International Journal of Mental Health & Addiction*, 11(4), 431-440. doi:10.1007/s11469-012-9426-x (IF=.992)
- Rigg, K. K., & Murphy, J. W.** 2013. Understanding the etiology of prescription opioid abuse: Implications for prevention and treatment. *Qualitative Health Research*, 23(7), 963-975. doi:10.1177/1049732313488837 (IF=1.441)
- Rigg, K. K., Kurtz, S. P., & Surratt, H. L.** 2012. Patterns of prescription medication diversion among drug dealers. *Drugs: Education, Prevention & Policy*, 19(2), 145-155. doi:10.3109/09687637.2011.631197 (IF=1.00)
- Rigg, K. K., & Ibañez, G. E.** 2010. Motivations for non-medical prescription drug use: A mixed methods analysis. *Journal of Substance Abuse Treatment*, 39(3), 236-247. doi:10.1016/j.jsat.2010.06.004 (IF=1.996).
- Rigg, K. K., March, S., & Inciardi, J. A.** 2010. Prescription drug abuse and diversion: Role of the pain clinic. *Journal of Drug Issues*, 40(3), 681-702. doi:10.1177/002204261004000307 (IF=1.00)

## **PUBLISHED ABSTRACTS**

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**Rigg, K. K.,** Palacios, W., Wheldon, C. 2014. The connection between MDMA (ecstasy/molly) use and sexual risk taking: A systematic review of the empirical evidence. *Sexually Transmitted Diseases*, 41(1), S117. (IF=2.594)

**Rigg, K. K.,** & Murphy, J. W. 2013 (Summer). Understanding the etiology of prescription opioid abuse: Implications for prevention and treatment. Published in American Sociological Association's Alcohol, Drug, & Tobacco Section Newsletter, 23(2), 7.

## **REFEREED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (\* denotes student author)**

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**Rigg, K. K.,** & Monnat, S. M. (2015, November). The psychosocial characteristics of heroin users vs. prescription opioid misusers. Poster presented at the 2015 American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.

Monnat, S. M., & **Rigg, K. K.** (2015, November). Examining differences in prescription opioid misuse among adolescents living in rural, small urban and large urban areas of the US. Poster presented at the 2015 American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.

**Rigg, K. K.,** & Monnat, S. M. (2015, August). Comparing the characteristics of U.S. adult heroin users and prescription opioid misusers. Paper presented orally at the 2015 Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.

Monnat, S. M., & **Rigg, K. K.** (2015, August). Understanding differences in prescription painkiller misuse among adolescents in large urban, small urban, and rural areas. Paper presented orally at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.

**Rigg, K. K.,** & Ford, J. A. (2015, May). Benzodiazepine misuse among teenagers in the United States. Poster presented at the Society for Prevention Research 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.

**Rigg, K. K.,** & Monnat, S. M. (2015, March). Urban vs. rural differences in prescription painkiller misuse among adults in the United States. Poster presented at the 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Health Disparities Conference at Xavier University of Louisiana College of Pharmacy, New Orleans, LA.

**Rigg, K. K.,** Ford, J. A., Blaney, E. A.\* (2015, March). A closer look at the misuse of benzodiazepines among adolescents. Poster presented at the 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Research & Policy Conference on Child, Adolescent & Young Adult Behavioral Health, Tampa, FL.

**Rigg, K. K.,** & Ford, J. A. (2014, December). Racial/ethnic differences in factors that place adolescents at risk for prescription opioid misuse. Poster presented at The National Institute of Minority Health and Health Disparities Grantees' Conference, National Harbor, MD.

- Rigg, K. K.**, Palacios, W., Wheldon, C.\* (2014, June). The connection between MDMA (ecstasy/molly) use and sexual risk taking: A systematic review of the empirical evidence. Poster presented at the 2014 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention National STD Prevention Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- Rigg, K. K.**, & Ford, J. A. (2014, June). Do risk factors for prescription opioid misuse differ by race/ethnicity? Implications for prevention among adolescents. Poster presented at the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation New Connections Eighth Annual Symposium, Princeton, NJ.
- Rigg, K. K.**, Palacios, W., Wheldon, C.\* (2014, January). The effect of MDMA (ecstasy/molly) use on sexual risk taking: Implications for HIV prevention. Poster presented at the 2014 University of South Florida HIV Research and Practice Symposium, Tampa, FL.
- Rigg, K. K.**, Murphy, J. W., & Kurtz, S. P. (2013, August). Pathways to prescription opioid abuse: Implications for prevention and treatment. Paper presented orally at the 108<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY.
- Rigg, K. K.**, & Wilson, G. (2013, April). Can patient-physician race concordance improve health outcomes for African-American HIV patients? Evidence, insights, and implications. Paper presented orally at the 76<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, GA.
- Rigg, K. K.**, & Murphy, J. W. (2013, April). Storylines as a neglected tool for understanding mental health problems. Paper presented orally at the 76<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, GA.
- Surratt, H. L., Kurtz, S. P., & **Rigg, K. K.** (2011, October). Medication diversion among HIV-positive substance abusers in Miami. Paper presented orally at 139<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, Washington, DC.
- Kurtz, S. P., Buttram, M., & **Rigg, K. K.** (2011, October). Racial/ethnic differences in social environment and health among urban substance using men who have sex with men. Paper presented orally at the 139<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, Washington, DC.
- Rigg, K. K.** (2011, August). Explaining prescription opioid abuse: Testing a theory of psychological proneness and drug availability. Paper presented orally at the 119<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.
- Rigg, K. K.**, Kurtz, S. P., & Surratt, H. L. (2011, June). Patterns of prescription medication diversion among drug dealers. Paper presented orally at the 73<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting of the College on Problems of Drug Dependence, Hollywood, FL.
- Rozenbroek, K., Cook, H. H., **Rigg, K. K.**, & Purhmann, A. (2010, November). Two to tango: Social, psychological, and behavioral correlates of sex worker solicitation among young men. Paper presented orally at 66<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA.

- Rigg, K. K.** (2010, March). Motives for misusing prescription drugs. Poster presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Research & Innovation Forum at University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL (**1<sup>st</sup> Place**).
- Rigg, K. K.** (2010, November). Motivations for non-medical prescription drug use among treatment and non-treatment populations. Paper accepted for presentation at the 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Association for Medical Education and Research in Substance Abuse, Bethesda, MD.
- Rigg, K. K.,** Ibañez, G. E., & Inciardi, J. A. (2009, November). The pain clinic as a source for prescription drugs. Paper presented orally at the 137<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, Philadelphia, PA.
- Inciardi, J. A., & **Rigg, K. K.** (2009, October). The 'bogus' MRI report. Paper presented orally at The Researched Abuse Diversion and Addiction-Related Surveillance (RADARS) System Signal Working Group Meeting, Bethesda, MD.
- Ibañez, G. E., & **Rigg, K. K.** (2009, August). Understanding the scope and magnitude of prescription drug diversion in South Florida. Paper presented orally at the 117<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, CA.
- Rigg, K. K.,** Levi-Minzi, M. A., & Inciardi, J. A. (2009, August). The life and times of the prescription drug abuser. Paper presented orally at the 117<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, CA.
- Levi-Minzi, M. A., **Rigg, K. K.,** & Inciardi, J. A. (2009, August). The nature of diversion activities among prescription drug dealers. Paper presented orally at the 117<sup>th</sup> Annual American Psychological Association Convention, Toronto, CA.
- Rigg, K. K.,** & Inciardi, J. A. (2009, April). Prescription opioid abuse and the pain management clinic. Poster presented at the Social Medicine Advocacy, Research and Training Forum at the Jay Weiss Center for Social Medicine and Health Equity at the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine, Coral Gables, FL.
- Rigg, K. K.,** & Belgrave, L. L. (2007, April). Shock and awe: HIV/AIDS in Black America. Poster presented at the 70<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta, GA.

## **INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

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- Rigg, K. K.** (2015, November). Comparing the characteristics of heroin users and prescription painkiller misusers in the United States. Invited panel member at the 71<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology.
- Moore, K. A., & **Rigg, K. K.** (2015, May). Prescription drug abuse: Recent trends and treatment interventions. Invited talk for the 21st Annual Conference on Drugs, Crime, and Reentry, St. Petersburg, FL.



**Rigg, K. K.** (2014, February). A closer look at prescription drug abuse and diversion. Presented to the Department of Sociology at University of South Florida, Tampa, FL.

**Rigg, K. K.** (2014, February). Academic and professional advice for junior sociologists. Presented as part of the Professional Development Series in the Department of Sociology at University of South Florida, Tampa, FL.

**Rigg, K. K.** (2013, February). A closer look at prescription opioid abuse and diversion: Implications for prevention and treatment. Presented to the Department of Behavioral Science and Community Health at University of Florida, Gainesville, FL.

**Rigg, K. K.** (2007, October). HIV: The female epidemic. Presented at the United Black Students Union HIV Community Forum at University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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Faculty – University of South Florida, Tampa, FL (2014-2015)

- Courses taught: Drug Abuse Prevention & Treatment
- Directed Research Study – Lisa Rivera (Mom’s Project Grant Winner)

Adjunct Faculty – Miami-Dade College, Miami, FL (2010-2011)

- Courses taught: Intro to Sociology; Skills for College Success

Faculty – University of Phoenix, Virtual Campus (2008-2009)

- Courses taught: Intro to Sociology; Racial/Cultural Diversity

Instructor – University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL (2006-2009)

- Courses taught: Intro to Racial/Ethnic Health Disparities; Social Problems; Intro to Sociology

Teaching Assistant – University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL (2005-2006)

- Sociology of Mental Illness

Academic Tutor – University of Miami Athletic Department, Coral Gables, FL (2005)

## **TEACHING INTERESTS**

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Substance Abuse Prevention/Treatment/Policy

Racial/Ethnic Health(care) Disparities

Research Methods

Behavioral Healthcare

Medical Sociology

## **TRAINING PROGRAMS**

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The 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Social Marketing Training Academy – USF Health – Clearwater, Florida (2014)

Virtual Regression Analysis Workshop (Invitation Only) – Center for Statistical Consultation and Research – University of Michigan, Ann Arbor (2014)

Research & Coaching Clinic (Invite Only) – Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, New Connections – Boston, MA (2013)

Logistic Regression Workshop – Statistical Horizons – Temple University, Philadelphia, PA (2013)

Winter Institute on Qualitative/Mixed Methods Research – Univ. of Pennsylvania, Phila., PA (2013)

Preparing Future Faculty Summer Institute – Howard University, Washington DC (2011)

NVivo Workshop (Certified) – QSR International – Columbia University, New York, NY (2010)

Odum Institute Advanced Statistical Workshop – Univ. of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC (2009)

Odum Institute Intermediate Statistical Workshop – Univ. of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC (2008)

Urban Ethnography Summer Workshop – Yale University, New Haven, CT (2008)

Preparing Future Faculty Summer Institute – Howard University, Washington D.C. (2007)

Institute for Teaching & Mentoring – Compact for Faculty Diversity – Miami, FL (2006)

## **SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

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Subject Area Expert on Prescription Opioid Abuse for the Alliance on Health Reform Briefing, “Prescription Opioid Abuse: Fighting Back on Many Fronts” (9/29/2014)

Member, CBCS Academic Grievance Committee, 2014-Present

Member, CBCS Curriculum Committee, 2014-Present

Member, MHLP Academic Programs and Curriculum Committee, 2014-Present

Member, Addictions Concentration for Behavioral Healthcare Major Committee, 2014-Present

AcademyHealth Diversity Scholars Network Reviewer and Mentor (2014)

U.S. Office of Minority Health – Resource Persons Network Program – Volunteer Consultant (2011-2012)

Contributing Editor for *International Journal of Ethnic College Health*, Vol.1, No 2. January 2015.

Editorial Board Member for *Journal of Drug Issues* (2010-2014), *Substance Use & Misuse* (2013-Present), *Psychology of Addictive Behaviors* (2014-Present)

Manuscript Reviewer for: *Journal of Substance Abuse Treatment*, *Drug & Alcohol Dependence*, *AIDS & Behavior*, *Journal of Psychoactive Drugs*, *International Journal of Mental Health & Addiction*, *Social Science & Medicine*, *Journal of Community Psychology*, *Qualitative Health Research*, *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health*, *Society & Mental Health*, *Addiction*, *International Journal of Drug Policy*

Senator for University of Miami Graduate Student Association (2011-2012)

Graduate Student Mentor for University of Miami Sociology Department (2010-2012)

Judge at Research & Innovation Forum at University of Miami (2008)

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

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The Autism Network at the University of South Florida, ASDnet

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation New Connections Network Member

Alpha Kappa Delta (International Sociology Honors Society, Lifetime Member)

American Public Health Association

American Sociological Association

Association of Black Sociologists

Southern Sociological Society

VA Special Interest Groups: Mixed Methods; Pain Research Working Group; Health Equity/Access