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EDUCATION

1997	R.D.	Public Health Nutrition	Department of Nutrition, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH, USA
1994	Ph.D.	Applied Nutrition and Food Policy	Tufts University School of Nutrition, Medford, MA, USA
1991	M.S.	Applied Nutrition and Food Policy	Tufts University School of Nutrition, Medford, MA, USA
1982	M.Sc.	Food and Nutrition	University of Delhi, New Delhi, India
1980	B.Sc.	Food and Nutrition	University of Delhi, New Delhi, India

EMPLOYMENT

2022-	Director of Faculty Mentoring and Retention	College of Health Solutions, Arizona State University, Phoenix, AZ
2016-	Professor	College of Health Solutions, Arizona State University, Phoenix, AZ
2016-2017	RWJF Health Policy Fellow	National Academy of Medicine / Senator Kirsten Gillibrand's office, US Senate
2010-2016	Associate Professor	Arizona State University, School of Nutrition and Health Promotion, Phoenix, AZ
2007-2010	Assistant Research Professor (2008-10) Visiting Fellow (2007)	Rutgers University Center for State Health Policy, New Brunswick, NJ
2007-2010	Childhood Obesity Visiting Fellow	Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF), Princeton, NJ
1999-2007	Assistant Professor (2004-07) Extension Educator (1999-04)	Ohio State University Extension, Cleveland, OH
1997-1998	Research Associate	Case Western Reserve University, Department of Medicine, Cleveland, OH
1995-1997	Consultant	International Science and Technology Institute and Academy of Educational Development (USAID Funded projects), Washington, DC

1994	Consultant	Tufts University Center on Hunger, Poverty and Nutrition Policy, Medford, MA
1989-1994	Teaching/Research Assistant	Tufts University School of Nutrition, Medford, MA
1986-1987	Research Associate	Planning Commission, Government of India, New Delhi, India.
1982-1986	Research Assistant	National Institute of Public Cooperation and Child Development, New Delhi, India.

I. RESEARCH GRANTS

I.a Funded Research Projects

Funding Agency: Inter-Tribal Council of Arizona WIC

Dates: April 2022 – March 2023

Amount: \$55,000

Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati (PI)

Title: Develop text messages and evaluate their impact on ITCA WIC participant engagement and benefits redemption.

An intervention study that evaluates the impact of text messages designed using positive and negative framing on ITCA WIC participants program retention and benefits redemption.

Funding Agency: Arizona Food Bank Network

Dates: March 2022 – December 2022

Amount: \$35,881

Role: Mentor / Co-I S. Martinelli (PI)

Title: Assessment of Healthy School Meals for All in Arizona.

This project estimates the cost of providing free school meals to all in Arizona and examines school community stakeholders perceptions about school meals.

Funding Agency: College of Health Solutions Jumpstart Grant, Arizona State University.

Dates: January 2022 – December 2022

Amount: \$18,000

Role: Co-I A. Ross (PI)

Title: Impact of recess duration and frequency on children’s physical activity: A pilot study.

A pilot study to determine the impact of recess frequency and duration on children’s physical activity.

Funding Agency: National Institutes of Health (*NICHD-R01*) **Amount:** \$3,852,966

Dates: September 2020 – August 2025

Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati, ASU and M. Yedidia, Rutgers (Dual PI)

Title: The Impact of Covid-19 Related School Closures on Children’s Weight Status

This study examines the impact of the prolonged school closures mandated by COVID-19 on weight status of low-income children and the mitigating potential of emergency food programs.

Funding Agency: National Science Foundation

Amount: \$1,275,097

Dates: 01/01/2021 – 12/31/2024

Role: Senior Personnel E. Judson (PI)

Title: Promoting Aspirations in STEM/ICT through Social Capital, Art, Relationships, and Doing (PASSCARD)

This project provides a transformative way of marshaling resources to provide STEM/ICT learning

experiences that bolster representation of refugee families

Funding Agency: National Science Foundation: Innovative Technology Experiences for Students and Teachers

Dates: 1/01/2021 – 12/31/2022

Amount: \$299,807

Role: Co-Principal Investigator E. Judson (PI)

Title: STEM and Social Capital: Advancing Families through Learning and Doing (SSCAFLD)

Funding Agency: National Institutes of Health (*NHLBI-R01*) **Amount:** \$2,950,306

Dates: September 2017 – July 2022

Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati, ASU and M. Yedidia, Rutgers (Dual PI)

Title: Examining Obesity Declines among School Children: The Role of Changes in the Food and Physical Activity Environments.

This study aims to identify alterable factors in the food and PA environment associated with declines in obesity rates among school children in order to develop tailored interventions for reducing the burden of childhood obesity in schools and communities across the country.

Funding Agency: USDA, AFRI

Dates: Start date April 2020

Role: Member, Advisory Board L. Ritchie (PI)

Title: Transition to freshly-prepared school meals: impacts on meal appeal, student participation, intake, food and packaging waste & school finances

Completed Projects:

Funding Agency: College of Health Solutions Jumpstart Grant, Arizona State University.

Amount: \$17,837

Dates: June 1, 2020 – May 31, 2021

Role: Co-I F. Acciai (PI)

Title: Food security and food access in Arizona: What has changed since the coronavirus outbreak?

Funding Agency: National Institutes of Health, NICHD, R21

Dates: July 2017 – June 2020

Role: Co-I R. E. Lee (PI)

Title: Food Environment Measurement with People with Mobility Impairments

Role: Co-I

Funding Agency: National Institutes of Health, NHLBI, R01 **Amount:** \$1.98 million

Dates: September 2017 – September 2021

Role: Co-I M. Bruening, M. Adams ASU (MPI)

Title: Salad Bars and Students' Fruit and Vegetable Consumption: A Group-Randomized Trial with Objective Assessments

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Amount: \$165,000

Dates: September 2016 – June 2019

Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati (PI)

Title: Healthy Policy Fellowship.

Funding Agency: National Institutes of Health (*NICHD-R01*) **Amount:** \$3,027,486

Dates: March 2012 – July 2019

Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati, ASU and M. Yedidia, Rutgers (Dual PI)

Title: Impact of Environmental Changes on Children's BMI and Behaviors: A Panel Study.
This longitudinal study is tracking changes in food and PA behaviors and weight outcomes among 1200 low-income children in five New Jersey cities and capturing changes in their environment. The project aims to assess the impact of environmental changes on children's weight outcomes and associated behaviors.

Funding Agency: National Institutes of Health, Common Fund, and NIH Director's Early Independence Award **Amount:** \$1.89 million
Dates: September 2013 – September 2018
Role: Co-I (Mentor) M. Bruening, ASU (PI)
Title: The Role of Friendship Networks in Weight-Related Behaviors and Outcomes among College Freshmen.

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation **Amount:** \$559,798
Dates: July 2012 – December 2017
Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati (PI)
Title: Tracking the Impact on Children of Changes in the Food and Physical Activity Environments.
This project will complement the NICHD-R01 grant (below) and track children's exposure to a comprehensive set of changes in their environment – intended or not – related to food and physical activity (PA) behaviors and weight status.

Funding Agency: National Institutes of Health (*NICHD-R03*) **Amount:** \$154,500
Dates: July 2014 – June 2018
Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati and M. Bruening (Dual PI)
Title: Improving Accuracy of Classifying Child Weight Status in Population-Based Studies.
This project will compare the accuracy of classifying the weight status of children using parent-measured heights and weights over to parent reported measurements.

Funding Agency: Maricopa County Department of Public Health **Amount:** \$40,000
Dates: July 2016-September 2016
Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati (PI)
Title: Developing a Pathway to Building Public-Private Partnerships for Expanding the Impact of the Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program.

Funding Agency: University of Delaware (subcontract from Healthy Eating Research) **Amount:** \$10,700
Dates: April 2016 – September 2016
Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati (PI)
Title: Understanding Implementation Feasibility of Recommendations for Minimum Stocking Standards and Marketing Strategies for Small Retail Food Stores

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation **Amount:** \$130,000
Dates: March 2016 – February 2017
Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati (PI)
Title: Studying the impact of food and physical activity environments in and around schools on students' weight status.
This project will assess the impact of changes in food and physical activity environments in and around school on students' weight status over time.

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation **Amount:** \$10,000
Dates: March 2016 – February 2017

Role: ASU PI on Subcontract. A. Karpyn, University of Delaware (PI)

Title: Understanding implementation feasibility of recommendations for minimum stocking standards and marketing strategies for small retail food stores.

This project will use qualitative methods to examine the facilitators and barriers for implementing minimum stocking requirements for small retail stores and also collect baseline data for future evaluations.

Funding Agency: United States Department of Agriculture **Amount:** \$39,500

Dates: September 2014 – August 2015

Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati (PI) (Mentored Grant for R. DeWeese, PhD Student)

Title: Designing a short-form survey instrument to evaluate the healthfulness of corner stores.

Building on the New Jersey Child Health Study (PI: Ohri-Vachaspati & Yedidia) funded by the National Institutes of Health and the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, this project will develop and validate a short form instrument to assess availability of healthy items in small corner stores.

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation **Amount:** \$100,000

Subcontract from the Food Trust

Dates: January 2014 – December 2015

Role: Co-I (PI for ASU subcontract) A. Karpyn, The Food Trust (PI)

Title: Evaluating the Health and Economic Impact of the New Jersey Food Access Initiative.

In partnership with the Food Trust, University of Pennsylvania, and Econsult Solutions, Inc. this project will assess the health and economic impact of new food stores opening as a result of the initiative in New Jersey.

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation **Amount:** \$15,000

Subcontract from the Food Trust

Dates: June 2012 – December 2012

Role: Co-I (PI for ASU subcontract) A. Karpyn, The Food Trust (PI)

Title: In-store marketing strategies to promote healthy choices at the supermarket.

A subcontract from the Food Trust, this grant is assessing the impact of using coupons as financial incentives for changing purchasing behaviors among low-income predominantly Hispanic shoppers in Arizona.

Funding Agency: Arizona Department of Health Services **Amount:** \$21,000

Dates: August 2011-December 2011

Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati, ASU (PI)

Title: Policy Considerations for Improving the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program: Making a Case for Decreasing the Burden of Obesity.

The purpose of this contract is to support development of a white paper at the behest of the Director of Arizona Department of Health Services, Mr. William Humble, which will make recommendations to the federal and state governments for improving the largest federal food assistance program.

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (subcontract from Rutgers University)

Amount: \$80,000

Dates: August 2010- November 2011

Role: Co-PI (PI for sub-contract) M Yedidia, Rutgers University (PI)

Title: New Jersey Childhood Obesity Study (NJCOB).

The aim of this subcontract from Rutgers University on a RWJF grant for which I was the Co-PI at Rutgers (2008-2010) is to analyze cross-sectional data to assess the associations between food and physical activity environments and weight and behavior outcomes.

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (subcontract from Rutgers University)
Amount: \$13,200

Dates: September 2010 – February 2011

Role: Co-I (PI for ASU sub-contract) M. Agrawal, Rutgers University (PI)

Title: New Jersey Partnership for Healthy Kids (NJPHK) Coalition.

This subcontract from Rutgers is to complete a report based on an evaluation of the NJPHK coalition that I had conducted at Rutgers University in 2009-10.

Funding Agency: Virginia G Piper Charitable Trust **Amount:** \$49,842

Dates: March 2013 – August 2014

Role: Co-I M. Adams, ASU and M. Bruening, ASU (Co-PI)

Title: Evaluation of School Salad Bars and Fruit and Vegetable Consumption in Arizona.

The purpose of this study is to assess prevalence of salad bars in public schools across Arizona and to assess plate waste in middle schools that offer salad bars in the lunch serving line vs. those that offer salad bars outside the serving line.

Funding Agency: Virginia G. Piper Charitable Trust **Amount:** \$40,000

Dates: March 2013 – August 2014

Role: Co-I M. Buman, ASU (PI)

Title: Biobehavioral activity-sleep synergies for cardiometabolic health.

The purpose of this study is to develop three smartphone-based interventions that individually target sleep, sedentary, and more active behaviors and to study the impact on cardiometabolic health in US Veterans with metabolic syndrome.

Funding Agency: Arizona Department of Health Services **Amount:** \$68,000

Dates: March 2012 – December 2012

Role: Co-PI C. Wharton, ASU (PI)

Title: Women Infant and Children (WIC) program's *Cash Value Voucher (CVV)* use and participant attitudes and perceptions. The aim of the grant is to explore the reasons for lower CVV redemption rates among segments of WIC population. The results of the study will inform the Arizona WIC program about possible programmatic and policy solutions for improving WIC redemptions.

Funding Agency: National Institutes of Health (T-32) **Amount:** \$1.2 million

Dates: July 2011-June 2016

Role: Mentor C. Keller, ASU and E. Reifsnider, ASU (PI)

Title: Leveraging culture to improve health outcomes.

This training grant funds pre- and post-doctoral fellows at the College of Nursing and Health Innovation.

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Dates: January 2011 – June 2012

Amount: \$75,000

Role: Co-I S. Echeverria, UMDNJ (PI)

Title: Parental and built environment determinants of physical activity in Latino children.

This grant supports secondary analysis of data from the NJCOB study to investigate parental and built environment related determinants of physical activity among Latino children living in five low-income communities.

Funding Agency: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Dates: 2014 – 2019

Role: Consultant D. Freedman, Case Western Reserve University (PI)

Title: Core Project for the Prevention Research Center for Healthy Neighborhoods at Case Western

Reserve University: Increasing the supply of and demand for farmers' markets, Produce Perks, and the Expanded Food and Nutrition Program (EFNEP) throughout the Cleveland area.

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Dates: 2008-2015

Role: Consultant F. Chaloupka, University of Illinois at Chicago (PI)

Title: Bridging the Gap: Research Informing Practice and Policy for Healthy Youth Behavior.

Funding Agency: United States Department of Agriculture

Dates: 2010-2012

Role: Consultant Westat (PI)

Title: Evaluating the use of Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) cards in US farmer's markets.

I.c Funded Projects prior to hire at ASU

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Amount: \$1.6 Million

Dates: May 2008 - November 2011

Role: Co-PI M. Yedidia, Rutgers (PI)

Title: New Jersey Childhood Obesity Study.

The aim of the study was to estimate prevalence of childhood obesity in five New Jersey communities and to identify groups most impacted and explore policy and environmental factors amenable to intervention in these communities.

Funding Agency: NJ Department of Health and Senior Services **Amount:** \$80,000

Dates: February 2010 – June 2010

Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati, Rutgers University (PI)

Title: Evaluating CDC's Nutrition Physical Activity and Obesity Program – ShapingNJ.

The aim of this project is to pilot test CDC's common measures to assess the baseline status of ShapingNJ proposed strategies.

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Amount: \$40,000

Dates: January 2010 – February, 2011

Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati, Rutgers University (PI)

Title: New Jersey Partnership for Healthy Kids Coalition.

This project aims to assess the strength of the New Jersey Partnership for Healthy Kids coalition and identify areas for development.

Funding Agency: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention **Amount:** \$150,000

Dates: 2004 – 2007

Role: PI on Ohio State University Extension (OSUE) subcontract from Cleveland Department of Public Health P. Ohri-Vachaspati, Ohio State University Extension (OSUE PI)

Title: STEPS to a HealthierCleveland

As part of the CDC's Steps to a Healthier US initiative, working in partnership with the Cleveland Department of Health and other community partners, this project aims to improve the health of Clevelanders by reducing the burden of obesity, diabetes, and asthma.

Funding Agency: United States Department of Agriculture **Amount:** \$268,000

Dates: 2004 – 2007

Role: PI on OSUE subcontract from the New Agrarian Center P. Ohri-Vachaspati (OSUE PI)

Title: Community Foods Project – City Fresh

In partnership with the New Agrarian Center and the Cleveland Department of Health, this project aims to improve access to healthy local produce in low-income neighborhoods that have been identified as

food deserts.

Funding Agency: Tops Friendly Markets Foundation **Amount:** \$11,500

Dates: 2002-2003

Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati (PI)

Title: Healthy Summer Camps

This project focused on providing experiential nutrition education to low-income children attending summer camps in the City of Cleveland.

Funding Agency: Cuyahoga County and Cleveland Foundation **Amount:** \$57,600

Dates: 2000-2003

Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati (PI)

Title: Nutrition Resource Guide for Welfare to Work Participants

The aim of the project was to develop a self-study resource for preparing quick and healthy meals tailored for low-income welfare to work participants.

Funding Agency: Cuyahoga County Jobs and Family Services, OH **Amount:** \$87,000

Dates: 2000-2001

Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati (PI)

Title: EFNEP for Welfare to Work and Youth Out of School Initiative

This project supported expansion of the Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP) to welfare to work participants and for after school programs.

Funding Agency: Cuyahoga County Board of Health, OH **Amount:** \$55,500

Dates: 1999-2000

Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati (PI)

Title: Day Care Provider Training

The aim of the project was to work in partnership with the Cuyahoga County Board of Health and provide nutrition education training to day care providers in the county.

Funding Agency: Cleveland Foundation, Cleveland, OH **Amount:** \$27,500

Dates: 1999-2000

Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati (PI)

Title: EFNEP – Social Marketing to increase program outreach.

This grant supported development of social marketing tools to expand the outreach of the EFNEP program in Cuyahoga County, Ohio.

Id Grants Under Review

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation **Amount:** \$180,000

Dates: Submitted September, 2022

Role: PI

Title: Impacts of Increased Cash-Value Benefit on Inter Tribal Council of Arizona WIC Participants' Program Engagement and Weight Outcomes

Funding Agency: NIH/NCI Predoctoral to Postdoctoral Fellow Transition Award

Dates: Submitted November 2022

Amount:

\$408,207

Role: Sponsor/Mentor K. Wilson (PI)

Title: Impact of school playground renovations on after-hours usage, physical activity, and neighborhood cohesion: An extension of the PLAYground Project cluster-randomized trial.

Funding Agency: NIH/NCI **Amount:** \$3,752,431
Dates: Submitted October 2022
Role: Co-I A. Poulos (PI)
Title: The impact of education and funding for playground supervision on recess adoption, implementation, and children's physical activity in Arizona elementary schools.

I.e Recent Grant Submission, not funded

Funding Agency: Gretchen Swanson Center for Nutrition **Amount:** \$10,000
Role: Co-I E. Melnick (PI)
Date: Submitted September, 2022
Title: Association Between Nutrition Security and Food Security by Food Assistance Program Participation Status

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation **Amount:** \$100,000
Dates: Submitted August 2022
Role: Co-I M. Srinivasan (PI)
Title: The interplay of SNAP and WIC participation: Does it affect nutritional quality of household food purchases?

Funding Agency: National Institutes of Health (NICHD - R01)
Dates: Submitted July 2021 **Amount:** \$3,735,643
Role: Co-I A. Ross (PI)
Title: Recess Policy in Arizona Schools

Funding Agency: National Institutes of Health (NICHD - R01) **Amount:** \$2,248,300
Dates: Submitted February 2020
Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati (PI)
Title: The Impact of the Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program on Participating Children and on Their Families

Funding Agency: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation **Amount:** \$49,793.00
Dates: Submitted July 2020
Role: Co-PI F. Acciai (PI)
Title: Impact of COVID-19 on redemption of benefits for the Special Supplemental Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) benefits: An interrupted time series analysis

Funding Agency: National Institutes of Health (NICHD - R01) **Amount:** \$1,257,667
Dates: Submitted August 2020
Role: Co-I R. Lee and P. Nosek (Dual – PI)
Title: Leveraging Partnerships with People with Mobility Impairments to Improve COVID-19 Diagnostic Services.

Funding Agency: Vitalyst Foundation **Amount:** \$300,000
Dates: January 2020
Role: PI P. Ohri-Vachaspati
Title: Amplifying the Impact of the USDA's Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program

II. PUBLICATIONS

In the Nutrition field and related areas authors are listed in decreasing order of contribution, and the following considerations apply:

- The first author is usually the person who conducted most of the work AND wrote the main contents of the manuscript
- The senior author, or principal investigator who secured funding for the work, is usually listed as last author, unless he/she wrote the main manuscript content. This person is usually the corresponding author.

Annotations for individual citations:

- Underlined names are Ohri-Vachaspati's primary mentored students or research mentees
- *CA* stands for Corresponding Author
- *IF* stands for Impact Factor of the Journal

II.a Journal Articles

II.a.i Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

1. Acciai F, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, Yedidia M. Pandemic-EBT reaches more eligible students in schools participating in the Community Eligibility Provision. *Nutrients*. 2022. PMID: 36432605 .
2. Lee RE, Suh BC, O'Neal A, Cameron C, O'Connor DP, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, Todd MW, Hughes RE. Association of Mobile Health (mHealth) Use with Health Status and COVID-19-Related Concerns by People with Mobility Impairments. Submitted to *Disability and Rehabilitation: Assistive Technology*. *In Press*.
3. Melnick EM, Ganderats-Fuentes M, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. Federal Food Assistance Program Participation during the COVID-19 Pandemic: Participant Perspectives and Reasons for Discontinuing. *Nutrients*. 2022 Oct 27;14(21):4524. doi: 10.3390/nu14214524.
4. Melnick E, DeWeese R, Acciai F, Yedidia M, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. The role of the community food environment in the relationship between active school commuting and child obesity. *Journal of Transport & Health*. Volume 27, December 2022, 101516. doi.org/10.1016/j.jth.2022.101516
5. Acciai F, DeWeese R, Yedidia M, Lloyd K, Tulloch D, DeLia D, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. Differential associations between changes in food environment and changes in body mass index among adults living in urban, low-income communities. *J Nutr*. 2022 Aug 18:nxac186. doi: 10.1093/jn/nxac186. Online ahead of print. **IF 4.82**
6. Reyes N, Ganderats-Fuentes M, Acciai F, Eliason J, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. A longitudinal study examining the prevalence of school gardens before and after the implementation of the Healthy Hunger Free Kids Act. 2022. *Journal of School Health*. Forthcoming. **CA. IF 2.12**
7. Harper K, Belarmino EH, Acciai F, Bertmann F, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. Patterns of food

- assistance program participation, food insecurity, and pantry use among US households with children during the COVID-19 pandemic. *Nutrients*. 2022, 14, 988. <https://doi.org/10.3390/nu14050988>. **IF 4.17**
8. DeWeese RS, Acciai F, Tulloch D, Lloyd K, Yedidia M, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. Do children persist in active commuting to school? *Prev Med Reports*. 2022 Jan 29;26:101718. doi: 10.1016/j.pmedr.2022.101718. eCollection 2022 Apr. **IF 2.50**
 9. Niles MT, Beavers AW, Clay LA, Dougan MM, Pignotti GA, Rogus S, Savoie-Roskos MR, Schattman RE, Zack RM, Acciai F, Allegro D, Belarmino EH, Bertmann F, Biehl E, Birk N, Bishop-Royse J, Bozlak C, Bradley B, Brenton BP, Buszkiewicz J, Cavaliere BN, Cho Y, Clark EM, Coakley K, Coffin-Schmitt J, Collier SM, Coombs C, Dressel A, Drewnowski A, Evans T, Feingold BJ, Fiechtner L, Fiorella KJ, Funderburk K, Gadhoke P, Gonzales-Pacheco D, Safi AG, Gu S, Hanson KL, Harley A, Harper K, Hosler AS, Ismach A, Josephson A, Laestadius L, LeBlanc H, Lewis LR, Litton MM, Martin KS, Martin S, Martinelli S, Mazzeo J, Merrill SC, Neff R, Nguyen E, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, Orbe A, Otten JJ, Parmer S, Pemberton S, Qusair ZAA, Rivkina V, Robinson J, Rose CM, Sadeghzadeh S, Sivaramakrishnan B, Arroyo MT, Voorhees M, Yerxa K. A Multi-Site Analysis of the Prevalence of Food Insecurity in the United States, before and during the COVID-19 Pandemic. *Curr Dev Nutr*. 2021 Nov 1;5(12):nzab135. doi: 10.1093/cdn/nzab135. PMID: 34934898; PMCID: PMC8677520.
 10. Lorts C, Adams M, Roberto T, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. What Influences the Credibility of Printed Nutrition Education Materials? *Am J Hlth Promot*. Forthcoming. **IF 2.95**
 11. Acciai F, Srinivasan M, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. Sugar-Sweetened Beverage Consumption in Children: The Interplay of Household SNAP and WIC Participation. 2021 *Am. J. Prev. Med*. 2021;61(5):665–673. **IF 5.04**
 12. Martinelli S, Acciai F, Yedidia M, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. Do Parental Perceptions of the Nutritional Quality of School Meals Reflect the Food Environment in Public Schools? *Int. J. Environ. Res. Public Health* 2021. 2021 Oct 14;18(20):10764. doi: 10.3390/ijerph182010764. **IF 3.39**
 13. **Ohri-Vachaspati**, Acciai F, DeWeese R. SNAP participation among low-income US households stays stagnant while food insecurity escalates in the months following the COVID-19 pandemic. 2021. *Prev Med Reports*. 2021 Dec;24:101555. doi: 10.1016/j.pmedr.2021.101555. Epub 2021 Sep 14. **IF 2.50**
 14. Calvert HG, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, McQuilkin M, Boedeker P, Turner L. Prevalence of Evidence-Based School Meal Practices and Associations with Reported Food Waste across a National Sample of U.S. Elementary Schools. *Int. J. Environ. Res. Public Health* 2021. Forthcoming. **IF 3.39**
 15. Rosales Chavez JB, Bruening M, Royer MF, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, Lee RE, Jehn M. Availability, variety, and distribution of healthy and unhealthy foods and beverages sold at street food stands in Mexico City. *Public Health Nutr*. 2021 Aug 9:1-33. doi: 10.1017/S136898002100330X. **IF 3.18**
 16. Rosales Chavez JB, Jehn M, Lee, RE, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, Bruening M. Development and validation of a street food stand assessment tool. 2021. *J Nutr Educ Behav*. 2021 Aug

3:S1499-4046(21)00713-2. doi: 10.1016/j.jneb.2021.06.015. **IF 3.05**

17. Martinelli S, Acciai F, Tasevska N, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. Using the Veggie Meter in Elementary Schools to Objectively Measure Fruit and Vegetable Intake: A Pilot Study. *Methods Protoc.* 2021, 4(2), 33; <https://doi.org/10.3390/mps4020033>. **Impact Score 1.84**
18. Lee RE, Suh BC, Cameron C, O'Neal A, Jarrett S, O'Connor DP, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, Todd M, Hughes R, Nosek MA. Psychometric Properties of the Food Environment Assessment Survey Tool (FEAST) in People with Mobility Impairments. *Public Health Nutr.* 2021. 2021 May 12:1-27. doi: 10.1017/S1368980021002068. **IF 3.18**
19. Rosales Chavez JB, Bruening M, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, Lee RE, & Jehn M. Street food stand availability, density, and distribution across neighborhood income levels in Mexico City. *Int. J. Environ. Res. Public Health*, 2021. Apr 9;18(8):3953. doi: 10.3390/ijerph18083953. **IF 3.39**
20. **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, Acciai F, Lloyd K, Tulloch D, DeWeese R, DeLia D, Todd M, Yedidia M. Evidence that Changes in Community Food Environments Lead to Changes in Children's Weight: Results from a longitudinal prospective cohort study. *J Acad Nutr Diet.* 2021;121(3):419-434 doi: 10.1016/j.jand.2020.10.016. **IF 4.91**
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- presentation at American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, 2013.
77. Kennedy M, Yedidia M, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. Capturing what's missing: A comprehensive protocol to monitor changes in the food and physical activity environment for studying their impact on childhood obesity. Oral presentation at American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, 2013.
 78. Tang X, Abbott J, Aggarwal R, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. Lifting the weight off the future: Associations between food environment around schools and professionally measured weight status of k-12 students. Poster presentation at American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, 2013.
 79. Martinelli S, Kiser S, Bond LA, Hekler EB, Wharton C, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. The association between the Moral Foundations Theory, Ethical Concern and fast-food consumption. Poster presentation at Food and Nutrition Conference and Exposition, Houston, TX, 2013.
 80. **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, DeWeese R, Crespo N, Todd M, Yedidia M. *Social Ecological Model (SEM) and Childhood Obesity: What Do the Data Suggest?* Poster presentation at Experimental Biology Annual meeting, Boston, MA, 2013.
 81. **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, Yedidia M, Lloyd K, DeLia D. *Effects of food and physical activity environments on children's weight status in low-income urban neighborhoods*. Oral presentation at American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA., 2012.
 82. **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, Wharton C, DeWeese R, Wesley T. *Policy considerations for improving the USDA's Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program*. Oral presentation at American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA., 2012.
 83. Kirkpatrick S, Reedy J, Harris JL, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, Krebs-Smith S. *Fast food restaurant menu offerings score poorly in relation to dietary guidance*. Oral presentation at the International Society of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity Annual Meeting, 2012.
 84. Berry A, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. *Environmental, Parental, and Demographic Determinants of Home Food Environment*. Accepted for poster presentation at the Society of Nutrition Education and Behavior Annual conference, 2012.
 85. DeWeese R, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**. *Determinants of active transport to school*. Poster presentation at the American College of Sports Medicine annual meeting, San Francisco, CA., May 2012.
 86. **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, Turner L, Chaloupka F. *Elementary School Participation in Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP)*. Oral presentation at American Public Health Association annual meeting, 2011.
 87. Lloyd K, **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, Chou J. *Biologically implausible values and childhood obesity surveillance*. Oral presentation at Experimental Biology # 215.1. April, 2011.
 88. **Ohri-Vachaspati P**, Chaloupka F, Turner L. *What's available to eat and drink in America's elementary schools?* Oral presentation at American Public Health Association

- Annual Conference. San Diego, CA, October 2008. Abstract 5084.
89. **Ohri-Vachaspati P.** *Improving fruits and vegetable intake through a community foods approach.* Poster presentation at the Food and Nutrition Conference and Exposition, American Dietetic Association. Philadelphia, PA, 2007. A-85.
 90. **Ohri-Vachaspati P,** Taggart M, Konen JH, and Kerrigan WJ 2007. *Connecting urban consumers with fresh local produce.* Poster presentation at the Extension Urban Conference. Kansas City, MO, May 2007. No 45, pp 16.
 91. **Ohri-Vachaspati P,** Hunt C, McCue T, Paris S. *Building on Steps because More Matters!* Poster presentation at Steps cooperative agreement program workshop and action institute. Seattle, Washington, 2007.
 92. **Ohri-Vachaspati P,** Masi B, Gregor L, Konen J, Malinich T, Kerrigan J. *City Fresh – A Community Foods Project.* Oral presentation at American Public Health Association annual meeting. Boston, MA. November 2006.
 93. **Ohri-Vachaspati P,** Masi B, Gregor L, Konen J, Malinich T, Kerrigan J. 2006. *City Fresh – A Community Foods Project.* Poster presentation at Society for Nutrition Education Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA, July 2006. P28.
 94. **Ohri-Vachaspati P.** *A nutrition education resource for welfare to work population.* Poster presentation at Society for Nutrition Education Annual Conference. Salt Lake City, Utah, 2004.
 95. **Ohri-Vachaspati P,** and Staum E. *Healthy Summer Camps.* Poster presentation at Society for Nutrition Education Annual Conference, Salt Lake City, Utah. July, 2004.
 96. **Ohri-Vachaspati P,** and Staum E. *Health Tops at Summer Camps – A Pilot.* Poster presentation at 2nd National Steps to a HealthierUS Summit. Baltimore, Maryland, 2004.
 97. Rabe M, **Ohri-Vachaspati P,** and Scheer S. *Impact of Youth-EFNEP in Cuyahoga County, Ohio.* Poster presentation at North Central Urban Conference. Chicago, Illinois, 2003
 98. **Ohri-Vachaspati P.** *A nutrition education resource for welfare to work population.* North Central Urban Conference. Chicago, Illinois, 2003.
 99. Rabe M., **Ohri-Vachaspati P,** and Scheer S. *Impact of A Nutrition Education Program (Youth-EFNEP) in Ohio.* Health Across the Life Span, Priester National Extension Health Conference, Orlando, Florida. p.38, 2002.
 100. Kurtis TL, **Ohri-Vachaspati P,** & Skoda D. *Meals in Minutes: A Practical Meal Planning Guide for Limited Resource Families.* Poster presentation at Society for Nutrition Education's 34th Annual Conference Proceedings. Full Circle: Agriculture, Nutrition and Health, 34(1), PO93, 74, 2001.
 101. Rabe M, **Ohri-Vachaspati P,** and Scheer S. *Impact of a Nutrition Education Program (Youth-EFNEP) in Ohio.* Poster presentation at Society of Nutrition Education's 34th Annual Conference Proceedings. Full Circle: Agriculture, Nutrition and Health, 34(1), PO46, 63, 2001.

102. **Ohri-Vachaspati P.** and Shoup C. *Marketing EFENP in Cuyahoga County*. Oral presentation at North Central Urban Conference, Cleveland, Ohio, 2001.
103. **Ohri-Vachaspati P.** and Warrix M. *Gardening for Better Health*. Proceedings of the 66th Annual Meeting of the North East Association of Family and Consumer Science professionals, Baltimore, MD, Q. 36, 2000.
104. **Ohri-Vachaspati P.** and Shoup C. *A Marketing Recipe For EFENP*. Oral presentation at Annual Meeting of the Society of Nutrition Education, Charleston, SC, 2000.
105. **Ohri-Vachaspati P.** and Warrix M. *Fruit and vegetable consumption among urban gardeners*. Oral presentation at 32nd Annual Meeting of the Society of Nutrition Education, Baltimore, MD. 042, 33, 1999.
106. Warrix M. and **Ohri-Vachaspati P.** *Strategies for data collection from low-income, low literacy minority groups*. Oral presentation at 31st Annual Meeting of the Society for Nutrition Education. Albuquerque, NM, 050, 37, 1998.

III. INVITED PRESENTATIONS (Selected, last 5 years)

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- Rutgers University, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School Conference on Improving Children's Dental Health and Nutrition among South Asians. Can Food Policy Fix our Sweet tooth? June 2022.
- National Institute of Nursing Research, NIH. Social Determinants of Health and Obesity Prevention. May 2022.
- City University of New York, School of Public Health. Policies, Environments, and Obesity Prevention. March 2022.
- National Collaborative on Childhood Obesity Research (NCCOR). Interactions between COVID-19 and Childhood Obesity: Setting a research Agenda. Invited panelist. October 2020.
- Eat Your Veggies: Getting school children to eat more fruits and vegetables, SUNY Downstate, February 2020.
- Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Invited Discussant for a Panel: Promoting Positive Nutrition Outcomes: The Evidence for Taxes, Transfers, Subsidies, and "Nudges". November 2019.
- TRANSCEND, ASU, CHS, Seminar Speaker. Spillover Effects of Food Assistance Programs. October 2019. Morrison School of Agribusiness, Invited Seminar Speaker. Eat your vegetables: Getting school children to eat carrots. March 2019.
- CHS Research Day 2019. Invited Panelist – Health Equity and Policy. February, 2019.
- ASU's Global Futures Laboratory. Invited Panelist – Food, Water, Health: Creating New Worlds. September, 2019.
- Healthy Eating Research, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Annual Meeting, Invited Panel on Health Policy Fellowships in Washington DC, April 2018.
- Nutrition Policy Institute, University of California, Berkeley. Examining the Role of Policies and Environments in Shaping Behaviors and Health Outcomes. February, 2018.
- United Fresh Foundation, San Diego. Grocery Store - School Partnerships: Cross-Promoting Fruits and Vegetables is a Win-Win Strategy. January, 2018.
- Rutgers School of Public Health, Obesity Policy. March 2018.

- School of Geographical Sciences & Urban Planning. Phoenix. October, 2017.
- National Academy of Medicine, Washington DC. Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program: What to Expect in the Next Farm Bill. May, 2017.

IV. HONORS

- President's Medal for Social Embeddedness: STEM and Social Capital: Advancing Families through Learning and Doing, an NSF funded project, 2022.
- Nominated for Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics 2022 Huddleson Award, March 2022.
- Distinguished Faculty Award, 2019. College of Health Solutions, Arizona State University.
- Tufts University Friedman School of Nutrition Science and Policy Alumni Association 2018 Leadership and Expertise Award.
- Robert Wood Johnson Health Policy Fellow, September 2016 – August 2017.
- Leadership Academy (LA), sponsored by the Julie Ann Wrigley Global Institute of Sustainability and the Office of Knowledge and Enterprise Development, Arizona State University. Selected in 2015.
- Senior Sustainability Scientist, Julie Ann Wrigley Global Institute of Sustainability 2013-present.
- ASU President's Medal for Social Embeddedness. Improved Nutrition through Arizona Farmers' Markets. 2013
- Nominated for the Faculty Women's Association Outstanding Mentor Award, 2013
- Nominated to the Dietary Guidelines Advisory Committee by the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics. 2013
- College Marshall, Arizona State University, School of Nutrition and Health Promotion, 2012
- Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Childhood Obesity Fellow, 2007-2010
- Steps Champion Award for service to community (Cuyahoga County, Ohio), 2006
- National Extension Association of Family and Consumer Sciences (NEAFCS) Central Regional Finalist for Program of Excellence through Research Florence Hall Award, 2001
- Ohio State University, Epsilon Sigma Phi Tools for Teaching Award, 2000, 2002, 2004, 2007
- Adjunct Faculty, Department of Nutrition, Case Western Reserve University, 2000-2002

V. TEACHING AND MENTORING

V.a Courses Taught

- Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) on Health and Wellness (multiple offerings)
- Introduction to Obesity Prevention and Management (multiple offerings)
- Policies, Environments, and Obesity Prevention (multiple offerings)
- Research Methods (multiple offerings)
- Data analysis (Graduate, Spring 2012)
- Evaluation of Health Science Research (Undergraduate, Fall 2011)
- Health Promotion Policy (Undergraduate, Spring 2011)

V.b Students Mentored at the School of Nutrition and Health Promotion at ASU

Program	Student	Degree	Role in Committee	Date of Defense	Current Position
PhD /MD Students					
Exercise Science	Wilson K	PhD	Member		
Medical Student (UofA)	Wang C	MD	Chair		
Nutrition	Royer M	PhD	Member		
Nutrition	Colburn A	PhD	Member	Spring 2022	Post-doc Yale University
Medical Student (UofA)	Bui T*	MD	Chair		
Nutrition	Martinelli S*	PhD	Chair	Withdrawn	Clinical Assistant Professor, ASU
Global Health	Rosales J	PhD	Member	Fall 2020	Assistant Professor, ASU
Exercise Science	Hurley J	PhD	Member	Spring 2019	Deceased
Nutrition	Lorts C*	PhD	Chair	Summer 2017	Nutrition Scientist, Church & Dwight
Nutrition	Gruner J*	PhD	Chair	Fall 2017	Director, Community Innovations, Pinnacle Prevention
Nutrition	Goett T	PhD	Member	Spring 2016	
Nutrition	DeWeese R*	PhD	Chair	Spring 2015	Assistant Teaching Professor, CHS, ASU
Nutrition	Bertmann F	PhD	Member	Spring 2013	Sr Lecturer, University of Vermont
Exercise and Wellness	Smith L	PhD	Member	Spring 2014	Lecturer, SNHP, ASU

Public
Programs

Hand L

PhD

Member

Spring 2014

Assistant Professor,
University of North
Dakota

Masters Students					
Nutrition	Waxman C	MS	Chair		
Nutrition	Dykstra T	MS	Chair		
Nutrition	Uehara S	MS	Co-Chair	Fall 2022	Dietetic Intern
Nutrition	Catron L	MS	Chair		
Health Care Delivery	Kyaruzi F	MS	Chair	Spring 2022	
Health Care Delivery	Aziz A	MS	Chair	Spring 2022	
Health Care Delivery	Reyes N*	MS	Chair	Spring 2021	
Health Care Delivery	Thompson A*	MS	Chair	Spring 2021	Admitted to Medical School
Nutrition	Clint S*	MS	Chair	Fall 2020	Lecturer at Scottsdale Community College
Nutrition	Gordon A	MS	Member	Spring 2020	PhD Student at NYU
Obesity Prevention & Manag.	Eliason J*	MS	Chair	Spring 2019	Program Specialist, Arizona Department of Education.
Nutrition	Gunnerson H	MS	Member	Fall 2018	
Nutrition	Steeves S*	MS	Chair	Fall 2018	
Obesity Prevention & Manag	Dwaik N	MS	Chair	Spring 2016	
Obesity Prevention & Manag	Acosta M	MS	Chair	Spring 2018	University of Arizona Extension
Nutrition	Thibodeau T	MS	Member	Spring 2016	
Nutrition	Mollner K*	MS	Chair	Fall 2015	Public Health Dietitian, Maricopa County Dept Health
Obesity Prevention & Manag	Giles M	MS	Member	Spring 2015	

Obesity Prevention & Manag	Dachenhaus E	MS	Chair	Spring 2015	PAC, University Hospitals, Cleveland, Ohio
Nutrition	Nelson S	MS	Member	Spring 2015	
Nutrition	Kubic K	MS	Member	Spring 2015	
Nutrition	Snyder D	MS	Member	Fall 2014	
Nutrition	Green J*	MS	Chair	Fall 2013	
Nutrition	Brown A	MS	Chair	Fall 2013	School Food Service, Gilbert Schools, AZ
Nutrition	Bader W*	MS	Chair	Fall 2013	Independent consultant
Sustainability	Tang X*	MS	Co-Chair	Summer '13	PhD Student, Minnesota School of Public Health
Nutrition	Martinelli S*	MS	Chair	Spring '13	Lecturer ASU, AZ
Nutrition	Vaudrin N*	MS	Member	Spring '13	Dietitian, WIC
Nutrition	Kiser S*	MS	Member	Spring '13	
Nutrition	Springer L	MS	Member	Summer '13	
Nutrition	Berry A*	MS	Chair	Spring '12	WIC Dietitian, NM
Nutrition	Tiran B	MS	Member	Spring '12	

Undergraduate Students

Medical Studies	Young M	Barrett Honors	Member		
Biological Sciences	Bakhda B	Barrett Honors	Member	Spring 2022	
Biological Sciences	Puri S	Barrett Honors	Member	Spring 2022	
Biological Sciences	Peterson T	Barrett Honors	Member	Spring 2022	

Medical Sciences	Brown T	Barrett Honors	Chair	Spring 2021	Admitted to Medical School
Nutrition	Nielsen A	Barrett Honors	Chair	Spring '14	MPH/RD student at University of Minnesota
Nutrition	Gonzalez A	Barrett Honors	Chair	Spring '12	
Nutrition	Beckmann J	Barrett Honors	Member	Spring '12	Medical Student, University of Arizona
Nutrition	Wendt R	Barrett Honors	Member	Spring '12	

***Student for who Ohri-Vachaspati was the primary mentor (chair) presented mentored work at national conferences as first authors.**

V.c Other Mentoring Experience

Rutgers University: Mentored two Research Analysts, at the Center for State Health Policy, Rutgers University.

Ohio State University Extension: Mentored 18 Master's Dietetic Students from Case Western Reserve University, the Ohio State University, and the Cleveland Clinic between 1999 and 2007 during their community nutrition rotations.

VI. SERVICE TO UNIT AND UNIVERSITY (Selected)

VI.a New Initiatives

Faculty Mentoring Program. Designed a multi-faceted mentoring program for career and tenure track faculty at the College of Health Solutions, Arizona State University.

University Promotion and Tenure Committee 2020-2022. Member of the university committee that reviews university P&T cases.

Instructor for the ASU Global Freshman Academy Massive Online Open Course (MOOC). Offered three-six time per year since Spring of 2016.

Developed a new interdisciplinary Master's Degree Program in Obesity Prevention and Management. 2014-2019.

Founding Chair, Undergraduate Nutrition Research Colloquium, fall 2013. Started a new Nutrition Program initiative to increase undergraduate student's exposure to research in the field of nutrition and health promotion. These colloquia are now organized on a regular basis and are attended by about 40 – 50 undergraduates each month.

Founding Chair, SNHP and Healthy Lifestyle Research Center Seminar series, 2012 and 2013. Instituted the first regular series of seminar in the program's history. These weekly seminars, now

in their fourth year, have become a regular feature at the school and are attended by faculty and students.

Organized **Behavior Research Group meeting** for researchers in nutrition, exercise and wellness, and nursing (2011-2013). The group met once a month to discuss research topics and grant opportunities and proposals and provides networking opportunities to faculty members across disciplines.

Member for the Steering Committee for the Food Systems Transforming Initiative at the Global Institute for Sustainability at ASU. This group of experts was invited to provide strategic input in group meetings, individually, and virtually, related to planning and implementation of activities for the new initiative at the Global Institute of Sustainability.

VI.b Academic Committees

CHS Grant Review Committee 2018 – present

CHS Affinity Network Planning Committee 2018 – 2019

CHS Health Policy Affinity Network, Member 2019 –

Ad-Hoc committee ENS program 2019

Population Health Graduate Program Committee (2017-19): The committee is charged with designing a graduate program in population health.

Physical Activity, Nutrition, and Wellness (PANW) PhD Program. Executive Committee Member (2010 – 2016): This committee, with two representatives from nutrition and two from exercise and wellness, oversees the PANW PhD program. The committee meets once a month to deliberate on issues related to the PhD program.

Coordinator for Nutrition Program, PANW (2012 – 2016): Represent as liaison between nutrition faculty and students and the PANW Executive committee.

Chair, PANW Comprehensive exams revision committee (2014-15). The committee comprising of SNHP faculty made recommendations to the PANW Executive committee for revisions to the comprehensives exam process. A new exam format will be used for PANW students starting 2015.

Chair, PANW Progressives exams revisions committee (2014). The committee comprising of SNHP faculty worked with faculty involved with teaching core courses to develop a more application based progressive exam plan.

Executive Committee, T32 (2013- 2015) “Transdisciplinary Training in Health Disparities Science grant. The committee meets to review the progress of T32 scholars and to select new candidates for the program.

Member Curriculum and Program Committee (2013-2014). This university level committee met monthly to review new programs proposed university wide.

Member Undergraduate Retention and Engagement (2015-2016). This college level committee is charged with ensuring student retention and success.

VI.c Personnel and Search Committees

University, College, and Unit Level Committees

University Tenure and Promotion Committee, Member (2019 --2022). This committee provides university level review for all tenure and promotion cases at ASU.

Chair, Ad Hoc CHS Personnel Committee (2019 -2020). Developed new processes and procedures for faculty annual reviews.

College Tenure and Promotion Committee (2017-2019). This committee provides the college level review to all tenure and promotion cases for the College of Health Solution.

Personnel Committee (TT) (2018). This committee provides annual peer evaluation for all TT SNHP faculty.

Chair, SNHP Personnel committee for SNHP (2014). This 10 members committee provided peer evaluations for all SNAP TT faculty and submitted letters to the Directors of SNHP and Associate Directors for EXW and NTR. I developed and implemented a new plan for evaluation that has been used for two years.

Chair / Member Personnel Committee for Nutrition (2011, 2012, 2013). These committees were responsible for providing annual peer evaluation for all nutrition faculty.

Faculty/Staff Search Committees

Lecturer, Global Public Health. 2021-22

BMI Health Economist/ Informatics and Data Science: Member of search committee for selection of Assistant / Associate professor. 2019

Lecturer, Science of Health Care Delivery. 2019

Vice Dean Search Committee 2018: Member of the search committee for selection of Vice Dean, College of Health Solutions.

Statistical Core Staff Search Committee 2018: Member of the search committee for selection of Senior Research Associate and Research Associate for the CHS Statistical Core.

Pre-Award Staff Selection Committee 2018: Member search committee for selecting a staff member for pre-award.

Chair 2012: Organized a cluster hire search that was responsible for bringing on board three new tenure track faculty members.

Member 2011, 2014.

VII. PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

VII.a Editorial Boards

- Board of Editors, *Nutrients* 2020 – present. *Nutrients* is a peer reviewed open access journal published by MDPI.
- Board of Editors, *Journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics* – 2014 – 2018. *JAND* is the peer reviewed journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics – the professional

organization for nutritionists and dietitians.

- Associate Editor, *Public Health Nutrition* - 2011 – 2018. *PHN* is an international peer reviewed journal published by Cambridge University Press.

VII.b Reviewer for Journals

- American Journal of Epidemiology
- Obesity
- JAMA Pediatrics
- Health Affairs
- American Journal of Preventive Medicine
- American Journal of Public health
- Journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics
- BMC Public Health
- Journal of Nutrition Education and Behavior
- Preventing Chronic Disease
- PLOS ONE
- Nutrition and Metabolism
- Obesity – Journal of the Obesity Society
- Evaluation and Program Planning
- Public Health Nutrition

VII.c Reviewer for Grants

- Study Section for National Institutes of Health, MCBS, 2021 - present
- Study Section for National Institutes of Health, Time-Sensitive Obesity Policy and Program Evaluation, 2015- 2022
- USDA's Food Science and Nutrition program, 2013
- RWJF: Healthy Eating Research, multiple years

VII.d Invited Membership to National, State and Local Technical Committees

- Executive Committee, National Food Access and COVID Research Team – A national collaboration led by University of Vermont, Johns Hopkins University, University of Arizona, and Arizona State University. 2020 -- 2022
- Advisory Committee member for Healthy Eating Research (HER) working group for supporting junior investigators and early career professionals. 2020 -- 2021
- Invited member of the Border Obesity Prevention Technical Working Group (BOPTWG) by the Office of Border Health, Texas Department of Health Services. 2014-2015
- Invited Member, National Collaborative on Childhood Obesity Research (NCCOR) National expert panel (15 invited experts) on childhood obesity declines. 2013-2015
- Member, NCCOR (National Collaborative on Childhood Obesity Research) – a collaboration between NIH, CDC, RWJF, and USDA. Member, 5-member-core-working-group for

development of Measures Registry, an online resource for researchers and practitioners. 2008-2011

- Co-Chair, ShapingNJ, Surveillance and Evaluation workgroup for Center for Disease Control's Nutrition Physical Activity and Obesity (NPAO) Program in New Jersey, Department of Health, NJ. 2008-2010
- Chair, Greater Cleveland Fruits and Veggies More Matters campaign, 2007. Developed a coalition of over 20 organizations to launch a new national fruits and vegetable promotion campaign
- Co-chair, Clevelanders in Motion, Think Tank, Nutrition Sub-Committee, 2003. The group's mission was to coordinate an inter-disciplinary approach to promoting healthy lifestyle behaviors
- Member, National Youth-EFNEP evaluation work group, 1999 – 2001
The group's mission was to develop a pool of validated questions to be used for evaluating the youth-EFNEP program nationally

VII.e Membership and Service to Professional Organizations

- Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics
- American Public Health Association
- Society for Nutrition Education
- Nutrition Society
- Arizona Dietetic Association

VIII. COMMUNITY COLLABORATORS

- Arizona Food Bank Network, Phoenix, AZ
- Maricopa County Department of Public Health
- St Mary's Food Bank, Phoenix, AZ
- Arizona Department of Health Services
- Arizona Department of Education
- Basha's and Food City stores, Phoenix, AZ
- School Districts in Arizona
- Pinnacle Prevention, AZ
- Southwest Food Service Excellence, Phoenix, AZ
- American Heart Association
- New Brunswick, Trenton, Camden, Newark, Vineland NJ School Districts
- New Jersey Partnership for Healthy Kids
- New Brunswick Tomorrow, NJ
- NJ Department of Health and Senior Services
- Rutgers School of Nursing
- The Food Trust
- Cleveland Municipal School District, Cleveland Ohio
- Cleveland Department of Public Health, Cleveland, Ohio
- Cuyahoga County Board of Health, Ohio
- New Agrarian Center, Ohio

- Cuyahoga Metropolitan Housing Authority, Ohio
- Diabetes Association of Greater Cleveland
- Children's Hunger Alliance, Ohio
- Starting Point and Help Me Grow, Cleveland, Ohio